BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES OF APRIL 3, 1984

The Board of County Commission met this date in regular session with the following members present, to-wit: Drew Peacock, Chairman, Monroe Cox, Jack Bowman and Donnell Whitfield. Commissioner Bailey was absent.

Deputy Clerk Gail O'Bryan, Attorney David House and Deputy Emory Godwin were present and acting. The meeting was called to order by Deputy Godwin and followed with prayer by Commissioner Bowman.

The minutes of the meeting held March 27, 1984, were read and approved.

Robbie Brunger, Apalachee Regional Planning Council, was present at the Board meeting to discuss subdivision regulations for the county and also to discuss activating the planning commission.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bowman, seconded by Commissioner Cox and duly carried to adopt a planning commission for Calhoun County comprised of 2 members from each district for a total of 10 members.

Gene McClellan made a report on the HUD Program and stated the Grant is 28% spent.

Mr. George Atkins presented the Board a letter from the office of the Governor regarding the possibility of conversion of the old courthouse for State office space.

A motion was made by Commissioner Whitfield, seconded by Commissioner Bowman and duly carried to enter into a resolution supporting the letter received from the Governor's office for renovation of the old courthouse by the State of Florida for office space for the Florida Department of Health and Rehab.

Glen Benoist met with the Board to request the Board to close the road in Holley's subdivision between 14th and 15th Street. The Board advised Mr. Benoist to petition the Board in writing for closing of the road.

C. L. Capps was present at the Board meeting to discuss water drainage problems on his property.

Chairman Peacock presented a Petition from Martin Sewell requesting the Board to close a road described as being located in Section 10, TlN, RlOW, and is approximately 400 yds. long.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bowman, seconded by Commissioner Whitfield and duly carried to accept the Petition for road closing from Martin Sewell and for the Board to advertise same.

Fernwood Bailey, Road Superintendent, made a report on the roads to the Board.

Chairman Peacock presented a letter from the Northwest Florida/Big Bend Health Councils requesting the Board of County Commission to adopt a resolution supporting the establishment of a V.A. Hospital in the Florida Panhandle.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bowman, seconded by Commissioner Cox and duly carried to adopt a Resolution requesting our Legislative Delegation to strongly urge the Veterans Administration to build a V.A. Hospital in the Florida Panhandle. (FOR RESOLUTION, SEE SUPPLEMENTAL MINUTE BOOK 1, PAGE 7, SECTION F)

A motion was made by Commissioner Cox, seconded by Commissioner Bowman and duly carried to have the County Attorney write a letter to James Harold Thompson and Alan Potter regarding the progress of Hwy. 275 North and South and Hwy. 73 South on the Board's request that the shoulders, ditches and right-of-ways be brought up to standards comparable to Highway 71.

Commissioner Bowman recommended that a letter be written to Alan Potter and James Harold Thompson requesting a caution light be installed at Highway 20 and 73.

FUND

VOUCHER NO.

AMOUNT

There being no further business, the Board did then adjourn.

ATTEST:

Willie D. Wise

Clerk

Drew Peacock

Chairman