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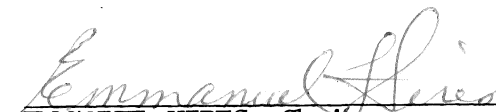
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 WILLIE D. WISE, Clerk




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 EMMANUEL HIRES, Chairman

 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
 MINUTES OF MEETING  
 JULY 16, 1985

The Board of County Commissioners met this date in regular session with the following members present to: wit: Chairman Emmanuel Hires, Commissioners Ronald Wood, Roy Bailey, Drew Peacock, and Charles Richards,

Clerk Willie D. Wise, Attorney David House and Sheriff Smith were present and acting.

The meeting was called to order by Sheriff Smith and followed with prayer by Commissioner Peacock, and pledge of allegiance to the flag.

The minutes of the July 2, 1985 were read. A motion was made by Commissioner Bailey, seconded by Commissioner Peacock, and duly carried to accept the minutes of July 2, 1985 as read.

Chairman Hires read a letter from the Department of Transportation regarding the airport, and a letter from the Department of Natural Resources on a lease or trade on the old road yard.

Bids were opened as advertised for petroleum products for the next year. Bids were received from the following:

George R. Williamson-Gulf Oil

C. C. Bridges-Chevron

A motion was made by Commissioner Bailey, seconded by Commissioner Peacock, and duly carried to accept the low bid on petroleum products from C. C. Bridges Jobber Inc.

Clerk Wise presented the Board with the District Plan from Department of Health and Rehab. Services on Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health for 1985-1986 interim.

Mrs. Betsy Knight met with the Board of County Commissioners.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bailey, seconded by Commissioner Peacock, and duly carried to give Richard Gregory with the Bay County Humane Society permission to investigate complaints of animal cruelty in Calhoun County at the request of the Sheriff's Department.

Mr. Chris Ownes met with the Board concerning the road by his house. After some discussion the Board agreed to work with Mr. Owens to get the drainage worked out.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bailey, seconded by Commissioner Peacock, and duly carried to get quotes for an air conditioner for the Kinard Community Center.

Attorney House made a report to the Board regarding a proposed ordinance disallowing alcoholic beverages at Johnny Boy Landing, near Altha. Mr. House also reported on Calhoun Hospital, Inc.

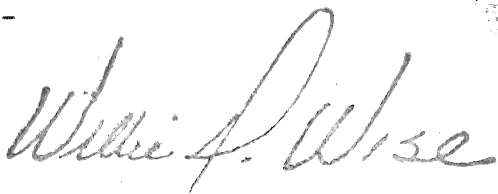
A motion was made by Commissioner Bailey, seconded by Commissioner Peacock, and duly carried to adjourn. There being no further business at this time, the Board did then adjourn.

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Willie D. Wise, Clerk



Emmanuel Hires, Chairman

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING

JULY 18, 1985

The Board of County Commissioners met this date in special session with the following members present to: wit: Chairman Emmanuel Hires, Ronald Wood, Charles Richards, Drew Peacock, and Roy Bailey.

Clerk, Willie D. Wise, Deputy Clerk Gail O'Bryan, Attorney David House and Sheriff Smith were present and acting.

The meeting was called to order by Sheriff Smith and followed with prayer by Commissioner Peacock, and pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Chairman Hires stated the special meeting was called for the purpose of discussion of a proposed ordinance levying a 4¢ fuel tax. Chairman Hires stated the Board would like input from the audience on the proposed tax.

Approximately 50 people attended the meeting and after much discussion between the audience and Board, re: needed money for resurfacing and maintenance of county roads, members of the audience proposed as an alternative to the 4¢ gas tax that a sales tax be put on a referendum for vote by the citizens of Calhoun County.

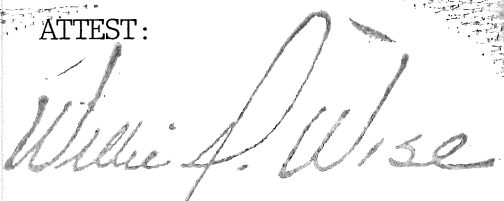
After more discussion, a motion was made by Commissioner Peacock, seconded by Commissioner Bailey, and duly carried to research the possibility of a sales tax and if feasible, to have a special election for same.

Commissioner Bailey stated what with the input from the audience and probability of loss of revenue instead of gain of revenue from a sales tax, he moved to withdraw the motion to impose a 4¢ gas tax. Commissioner Peacock seconded this motion, and it was duly carried.

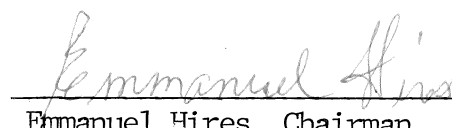
Clerk, Willie D. Wise presented the Board with a proposed balance budget from Fiscal Year 1985-86.

There being no further business to come before this body, they did then adjourn.

ATTEST:



Willie D. Wise, Clerk



Emmanuel Hires, Chairman