

## BUDGET HEARING

AUGUST 30, 1963

The Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, met in SPECIAL SESSION in the Court House in Bradenton, Florida, Friday, August 30, 1963 at 1:30 P.M.

Present were Commissioners E. A. Bibey, Chairman  
 Dan P. McClure  
 Irwin Klemmer  
 Ralph S. Clark  
 W. E. Crist, Vice Chairman  
 Deputy Clerk Bruce M. Cox  
 County Attorney Kenneth Cleary was not present.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Bibey, who stated this meeting was for the purpose of holding a Public Hearing on the proposed budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1963 and ending September 30, 1964, said hearing having been advertised to be held this date.

He advised that the Budget to be considered was the same as appeared in the legal notice with the exception of increase in the anticipated receipts as follows:

\$30,000.00 from fees collected by the office of the County Judge, in accordance with 1963 legislation (which will go into cash carried forward in the next year), and

\$5,000.00 in candidates' filing fees (which will be turned over to the State Executive Committees).

## PUBLIC HEARING ON 1963-1964 BUDGET

Public Hearing was opened.

Robert Quinn, president of the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce, urged the Board to reconsider the budget presented for publicity purposes, which had been cut approximately forty-five percent, and to replace at least a portion of the requested budget.

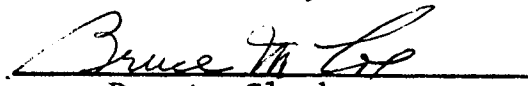
Other individuals urging the Board to reconsider the requested budget of the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce were

Robert Talley, representing the Hernando DeSoto Historical Society (Conquistadors),  
 Dr. Irving Hall, chairman of the Committee of 100,  
 Fred Langford,  
 Marshall DeSear, president of Bradenton division  
 Raymond Turner,  
 Ralph DeBoer, president of South County Chamber of Commerce  
 Mrs. Herbert Field, president of LongBoat Key division,  
 Bill Blake,  
 William Geeslin

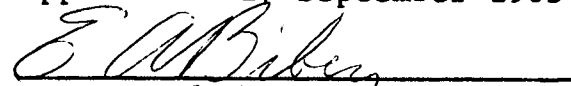
Public Hearing was closed. Upon recommendation of the Chairman, the budget was held over until Tuesday, September 3, 1963, for the purpose of deciding if there would be any change in the budget of the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce.

Meeting adjourned.

Attest: M. T. McInnis, Clerk

  
 Deputy Clerk

Approved: 17 September 1963

  
 Chairman