

SEPTEMBER 13, 1963

The Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, met in SPECIAL SESSION in the Court House in Bradenton, Florida, Friday, September 13th, 1963 at 2:00 P.M.

Present were Commissioners E. A. Bibey, Chairman
 Irwin Klemmer
 Ralph S. Clark
 W. E. Crist, Vice Chairman
 Deputy Clerk Bruce M. Cox
 County Attorney Kenneth Cleary

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Bibey, who stated that the purpose of the meeting was to receive a report from the Library Committee in connection with proposed Countywide Library services.

COUNTYWIDE LIBRARY SERVICE
 APPLICATION FOR STATE-FEDERAL FUNDS EXECUTED

Mr. Crist advised that if the Board accepted the program offered by the Extension Service of the Florida State Library it would be necessary for the letter of acceptance to be postmarked not later than noon of September 15, 1963 (Sunday) and the City of Bradenton and the City of Palmetto would have to agree to the program in order to qualify for approximately \$12,000.00 in federal funds and approximately \$4,000.00 in state funds.

He reported that, on September 12th, he had taken part in a discussion of the proposed County Library Program with four City of Bradenton councilmen (B. T. Arbuckle, vice mayor, D. Hoge Tallant, Bill Strickland and Paul Gilpin), Miss Verna Nistendirck, Director of Library Extension, Florida State Library, Mrs. Paul L. Myers, Mrs. John C. Macdonald and Mrs. Betty O'Dell, of the Bradenton Carnegie Library, and Mr. Pat Lynn. While the councilmen had indicated at that time that they could see no reason why the program should not be approved it would have to be approved in open meeting. Representatives of the City of Palmetto were not present because tentative approval had been authorized.

He noted that suggestion of purchasing a school bus from the Board at a cost of \$1,000.00 and having it converted into a bookmobile was not discussed at length, but might be a subject for further exploration by the library committee when appointed.

Mr. Pat Lynn advised that the City of Palmetto had executed agreement in connection with the library program.

Mr. Crist moved that the Chairman of the Board be authorized to execute application for rural development grant, pending decision by the City of Bradenton (meeting at 3:00 P.M.), to be dispatched to the Florida State Library prior to September 15, 1963; also that the Chairman be authorized to execute application for State aid to Libraries, which must be postmarked not later than October 1, 1963. Motion was seconded by Mr. Klemmer and carried. (Both documents subject to approval by the County Attorney.)

RECORDED
 C18-144

LIBRARY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED

J. T. (Pat) Lynn, chairman of the Library Group, submitted names of five individuals recommended for appointment as official library committee for Manatee County.

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Upon motion by Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Crist, the Board approved the following individuals to be recommended (to the Governor of the State of Florida) for appointment as official committee on libraries for Manatee County:

Mrs. James P. Thornton (Betty)
1117 22nd Street W.
Bradenton, Florida

Rev. Fred T. Kyle
7225 Senrab Drive
Palma Sola Park

Mrs. Fred Eubanks (Elsie)
Country Club Estates
Palmetto, Florida

Miss Helen Holt
Longbeach
Longboat Key, Florida

Col. C. H. Owens
2304 Observation Court E.
Bradenton, Florida

SOUTHERN STANDARD BUILDING CODE: PLUMBING
BUILDING DIRECTOR TO MEET WITH MASTER PLUMBERS

Chairman Bibey stated that from all indications there has been some misunderstanding regarding the present status of the meeting regarding the plumbers' recent request to the Board to rescind its action approving the Southern Building Code applying to Plumbing. He advised that Mr. Harold Jones, building director, has mailed questionnaires to all master plumbers that are actively engaged in conducting business in Manatee County, that these forms are to be returned to the Building Department by September 20, 1963, and as soon as the results from these questionnaires are known the building director will meet with representatives of the plumbing trade to determine what, if any, changes to the Code should be made.

WALTON'S JUNKYARD

Mr. Clark reported that junk-cars were being moved from the former Byrd property on the south county line to the Walton Junkyard in Oneco, and requested that the county attorney explore the possibility of bringing an injunction to stop present activities and eliminate the junkyard in Oneco.

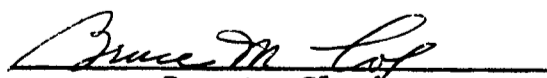
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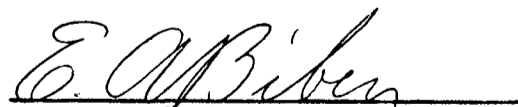
Upon motion, the Board adjourned to meet Monday, September 16, 1963 at 1:30 P.M.

ATTEST:

M. T. McInnis, Clerk

APPROVED 14 October 1963


Deputy Clerk


Chairman