Board of County Commissioners
Hyde County, North Carolina

Monday, April 4, 2016

Chairman Earl Pugh Jr. called the Board of Equalization and Review (E&R) meeting to order at 4:00pm on Monday, April 4, 2016 in the Hyde County Government Center, Multi-Use Room and Ocracoke School Commons Room using electronic conferencing equipment.

The following Board of Commissioners members were present on the mainland – Chairman Earl Pugh, Jr. and Commissioners Swindell, Tunnell and Simmons. Commissioner Fletcher was absent. Also present were Attorney Fred Holscher, County Manager Bill Rich, Clerk to the Board Lois Stotesberry and Tax Administrator Linda Basnight and members of the public. Public Information Officer Teresa Adams along with members of the public was present on Ocracoke.

Commissioners Pugh, Tunnell, Swindell and Simmons were sworn in to serve on the Board of E&R by Clerk to the Board Lois Stotesberry.

Minutes of the Board of E&R meeting were transcribed by Tax Administrator Linda Basnight and are available for review in the Hyde County Tax Office upon request.

FY2016 BOARD OF EQUALIZATION AND REVIEW

Pursuant to NCGS 105-322 the Hyde County Board of Equalization and Review met as required by law to hear requests from taxpayers who own or control taxable property assessed for taxation in Hyde County, with respect to valuation of such property. Requests were received from Eric Simmons and Henry Russell Grant of Ocracoke to reduce the valuation of their property. No action was required at this time. The meeting was recessed and will reconvene and be adjourned on April 18, 2016 beginning at 5:00pm.

FY2016-2017 JOINT HYDE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION AND HYDE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

After refreshments a joint meeting of the Hyde County Board of Education and the Hyde County Board of Commissioners was conducted.

The following Board of Education members were present on the mainland – Chairman Thomas Whitaker; Board members Myra Chandler, Aletta Cox and Randy Etheridge; Superintendent Dr. Randolph Latimore; and, Finance Officer Kenneth Chilcoat. Ocracoke Board of Education member David Tolson was absent.

The following Board of Commissioners members were present on the mainland – Chairman Earl Pugh, Jr. and Commissioners Swindell, Tunnell and Simmons. Commissioner Fletcher was absent. Also present were Attorney Fred Holscher, County Manager Bill Rich, Clerk to the Board Lois Stotesberry and members of the public. Public Information Officer Teresa Adams along with members of the public was present on Ocracoke.

Board of Education Chairman Thomas Whitaker called the Joint Board of Education and Board of Commissioners meeting to order. Following opening prayer by Mr. Whitaker and pledge of allegiance, Mr. Etheridge moved to approve the Board of Education Meeting Agenda. Ms. Chandler seconded the motion and the vote to approve was unanimous.

Commissioner Pugh moved to approve the Hyde County Board of Commissioners and Board of Education Joint Meeting Agenda as presented by the Clerk. Mr. Simmons seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Dr. Randolph Latimore, Superintendent of Hyde County Schools, presented the FY16-17 Board of Education Budget Message and Finance Officer Kenneth Chilcoat presented the FY16-17 Board of Education Budget. Major highlights of the FY16-17 Board of Education Budget include upcoming legislation regarding restrooms in schools and federal funding; decrease in Hyde County Schools drop-out rate with MECHS ranking 94.7% for the 2014/2015 school year totaling 2nd highest in the state; and, request for funding to continue (2) Art Teacher positions and (2) Teacher Aides positions and to hire (1) 5th Grade Elementary Teacher. Unknown variables of the FY16-17 Board of Education Budget include the impact of virtual charter schools on small school funding and Title I funding for Exceptional Children (EC) funding.

In conclusion, Dr. Latimore reported credentialed applicants are needed to teach welding and automotive classes. Mr. Etheridge and Mr. Whitaker discussed the benefit of these classes to Hyde County and reported the Early College High School program is an asset to the County. Mr. Whitaker asked that the Board of Education and Board of Commissioners work together for our children. FY2016-2017 Board of Education budget requests will be considered in preparing the FY2016-2017 Board of Commissioners budget.

HYDE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MEETING

Chairman Pugh called the Regular Board of Commissioners meeting to order at 6:00pm on Monday, March 7, 2016, in the Hyde County Government Center, Multi-Use Room, and Ocracoke School Commons Room using electronic conferencing equipment. Commissioner Tunnell opened the meeting with prayer and pledge of allegiance.

The following Board of Commissioners members were present on the mainland – Chairman Earl Pugh, Jr. and Commissioners Swindell, Tunnell and Simmons. Commissioner Fletcher was absent. Also present were Attorney Fred Holscher, County Manager Bill Rich, Clerk to the Board Lois Stotesberry and members of the public. Public Information Officer Teresa Adams along with members of the public was present on Ocracoke.

Consideration of Agenda:

Commissioner Tunnell moved to approve the Hyde County Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting Agenda as presented by the Clerk with presentation of "Resolution In Honor of Dr. Charles O. Boyette" tabled to the May 2nd meeting agenda. Mr. Simmons seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Consideration of Minutes:

Commissioner Swindell moved to approve the February 1, 2016 Hyde County Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting Minutes as presented by the Clerk with correction made on page three by insertion of motion to adopt "Dare-Tyrrell-Hyde Regional Emergency Communications Center (DTH-RECC) – Hyde County Radio Communications & Simulcast Paging System – Project Ordinance 2016-02-01" and attachment of Exhibit C on page 4 of 5. Mr. Tunnell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Commissioner Tunnell moved to approve the March 7, 2016 Hyde County Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting Minutes as presented by the Clerk with correction made on page 6 to clarify Commissioner Swindell and Commissioner Pugh's management reports. Mr. Simmons seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Presentations:

Resolution Commending Emilie Burrus Mason

County Manager Bill Rich commended Ocracoke resident Emilie Burrus Mason for her unselfish deed in the donation of one of her kidneys to Fletcher O'Neal also of Ocracoke. The operation was a complete success.

Commissioner Simmons moved to adopt "Resolution of The Hyde County Board of Commissioners Commending Emilie Burrus Mason". Mr. Swindell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Clerk's Note: A signed copy of "Resolution of The Hyde County Board of Commissioners Commending Emilie Burrus Mason" is attached herewith as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

North Carolina Senior Tar Heel Legislature 2016 Legislative Priorities

Hyde County NC Senior Tar Heel Legislature (STHL) Delegate Jan Moore presented report on the March, 2016 Senior Tar Heel Legislature's meeting in Raleigh. Ms. Moore presented the STHL 2016 Legislative Priorities and will present a resolution to revise the Home and Community Care Block Grant (HCCBG) funding for "Region R" at the June, 2016 session in Chapel Hill.

Ms. Moore reported the NC STHL was created by the NC General Assembly in July 1993. It was created to:

1) Provide information to senior citizens on the legislative process and matters being considered by the NC General Assembly.

2) Promote citizen involvement and advocacy concerning aging issues before the NC General Assembly.

3) Assess the legislative needs of older citizens by convening a forum modeled after the NC General Assembly.

The NC Division of Aging and Adult Services provide staff support for the STHL in cooperation with 16-Area Agencies on Aging, which are responsible for conducting the selection of delegates and alternates. Hyde County has not had an STHL delegate in the past ten years. Ms. Moore's service to the seniors of Hyde County is greatly appreciated.

Proclamations

Health Director David Howard presented Beaufort/Hyde Partnership for Children proclamations:

April 2016 "Child Abuse Prevention Month" – to call upon all citizens, community agencies, faith groups, medical facilities, other elected leaders and businesses to increase their participation in efforts to support families, thereby preventing child abuse and strengthening the communities in Hyde County.

Commissioner Swindell moved to adopt April 2016 "Child Abuse Prevention Month". Mr. Swindell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Clerk's Note: A signed copy of April 2016 "Child Abuse Prevention Month" is attached herewith as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference.

April 10 – 16, 2016 "Week of The Young Child" in Hyde County, NC – to encourage all citizens to work to make good investment in early childhood.

Commissioner Swindell moved to adopt April 10 – 16, 2016 "Child Abuse Prevention Month". Mr. Simmons seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Clerk's Note: A signed copy of April 10 – 16, 2016 "Week of The Young Child" in Hyde County, NC is attached herewith as Exhibit C and incorporated herein by reference.

Public Comment
Chairman Pugh called for comments from the public.

Odessa Jarvis, Swan Quarter, commented on Dr. Charles O. Boyette's dedicated service to Hyde County.

There being no further comments from the public, Chairman Pugh continued the meeting.

Items of Consideration:

Resolution In Support of Execution of an MOA to Dredge Hatteras Inlet Channel
County Manager Bill Rich reported the Hyde County Board of Commissioners expresses its support of execution of an Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to allow the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to accept state funds to work in the non-federal channel, and permits that would allow the Corps sidecast and special-purpose hopper dredges to work in Hatteras Inlet Channel.

Commissioner Tunnell moved to adopt "Resolution In Support of Execution of an MOA to Dredge Hatteras Inlet Channel". Mr. Simmons seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Clerk's Note: A signed copy of "Resolution In Support of Execution of an MOA to Dredge Hatteras Inlet Channel" is attached herewith as Exhibit D and incorporated herein by reference.

GovDeals
Corrinne Gibbs, Finance Officer, presented inventory of equipment and furniture at the Hyde County Jail and recommended approval for sale on GovDeals.

Commissioner Tunnell moved to approve recommendation to sell the listed equipment and furniture on GovDeals. Mr. Swindell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Reappoint Auditor
Corrinne Gibbs, Finance Officer, recommended reappointment of Thompson, Price, Scott & Adams & Co., P.A. to perform the FY2015-2016 Hyde County audit at the same price as the FY2014-2015 audit ($22,500.00).

Commissioner Swindell moved to reappoint Thompson, Price, Scott & Adams & Co., P.A. to perform the FY2015-2016 Hyde County audit at the same price as the FY2014-2015 audit. Mr. Simmons seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

NC Division of Coastal Management Drainage Study
Kris Noble, Planning Director, recommended sending a letter to Mr. Braxton C. Davis, Director of NC Division of Coastal Management, Department of Environmental Quality requesting the Coastal Resources Advisory Council (CRAC) and Division of Coastal Management (DCM) resume its efforts started in 2012 to address water management issues in the coastal area including working with farming communities, generating ideas for regulatory streamlining and proposed roundtable discussions with the local soil and water conservation districts and other partners. The letter will also request DCM contract a temporary position to convene a stakeholder advisory committee and, based on input from the committee, develop a set of recommendations for

consideration by the Division. The recommendations will address rise adaptation, regulatory streamlining for routine agricultural practices and/or financial assistance for habitat restoration projects among others. The

stakeholder committee should include DCM staff as well as representatives from key partner organizations and stakeholder groups.

Commissioner Simmons moved to approve the draft letter as prepared by Ms. Noble and send it to Mr. Braxton C. Davis, Director of NC Division of Coastal Management, Department of Environmental Quality. Mr. Tunnell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

National Park Service – Handicap Beach Access

Kris Noble, Planning Director, presented update from the National Park Service (NPS) – Handicap Beach Access. Ms. Noble reported Cape Hatteras National Seashore will be improving visitor access and enjoyment at the Ocracoke Day Use Area. Improvements will include installing a sidewalk along the south edge of the existing parking lot, providing a 10' x 10' concrete apron adjacent to the sidewalk, installing a new ADA-accessible boardwalk with pre-cast concrete decking and aluminum handrails and providing a new ocean viewing platform near the end of the boardwalk. She also reported the project started on March 28 and should be completed by Memorial Day. During the construction period, visitors will have limited access to the comfort station and shower facilities. A marked foot trail to gain access to the beach is provided from the comfort station. No action required.

Hyde County Drainage Efforts:

Kris Noble, Planning Director, reported efforts to improve drainage efficiency in Hyde County with a shared goal of protecting agriculture industry and homes and businesses are being made by the Office of Economic Development and the Hyde County Office of Soil & Water. Hyde County staff is working to accomplish attainable drainage projects beginning with the analyzation of an Outfall Canal clearing and snagging project.

Daniel Brinn, Hyde Soil and Water, has notified the Division of Coastal Management local representatives and DCM staff are working with Hyde County to assist in permitting of the proposed project. Mr. Brinn plans to complete a survey of Outfall Canal on April 7 and the survey will be used to obtain costs estimates for the project. Estimates for project funding resources will be presented at the May 2nd Board of Commissioners meeting. No action required at this time.

Slocum Drainage Association Assistance

Kris Noble, Planning Director, reported efforts to generate and accomplish projects to improve drainage efficiency in Hyde County with a shared goal of protecting agriculture industry and homes and businesses are being made by the Office of Economic Development and the Hyde County Office of Soil & Water. One critical partnership to achieve these goals will be between Hyde County and various Hyde County drainage associations. Associations should be supported by the county in their efforts to fight salt water intrusion, coastal flooding and damage to land, structures, citizens and local economy.

Hyde County has been approached by Slocum Drainage District for assistance in obtaining funding in an amount of $60,000 for a proposed pump project through low or no interest loan sources. Through discussions with Tideland EMC a no interest loan solution is possible. Under the solution, Hyde County will be the borrower of the funds from Tideland EMC and serve as an intermediary for the distribution of the funds to the Slocum Drainage Association.

Commissioner Simmons moved to authorized County Manager Rich to work with County Attorney Holscher to create a contractual relationship between the county and the Slocum Drainage Association in which the Association is obligated to repay Hyde County any funds with which the County assists the Association; and authorized the County Manager to enter into any reasonable financing alternative with the purpose of the financing being limited to assisting the Slocum Drainage Association. . Mr. Swindell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Estimates for funding resources for projects will be presented at the June 6th Board of Commissioners meeting.

FY2016 Unified HazardMitigation Assistance Grant Program

Kris Noble, Planning Director, reported Hyde County is applying to the North Carolina Division of Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for Flood Mitigation Assistance Program funds to elevate approximately twelve (12) residential structures above the 100-year or "base" flood elevation. All properties identified are severely flood-prone, are on the Hyde County 2016 FMA Repetitive Loss List and have suffered repetitive flood damage since mid-1996 including recent damage during Hurricane Irene in August 2011. The estimated budget for the project is $1,860,000.00. No County funds will be required. The project will be funded with 75% grant funds and 25% property owner funds. No action is required by the Board of Commissioners at this time.

Revolving Loan Request – Victor S. McNally (dba) Sorella's Italian Cuisine

Kris Noble, Planning Director, reported on loan request for Revolving Loan Fund from Victor S. McNally (dba) Sorella's Italian Cuisine. Mr. McNally, owner of Ocracoke Pizza Company, is requesting a $35,000.00 loan to expand the business from a take-out to a full service restaurant with a capacity to seat twenty (20) customers. Mr. McNally is an experienced entrepreneur with over twenty years of experience in the restaurant business. The new business will be known as Sorella's Italian Cuisine, which will feature freshly made appetizers, soups, salads, pasta dishes, Italian seafood specials and homemade desserts as well as continuing to make their traditional pizzas. Mr. McNally has also made application for an ABC license to sell beer and wine. Sorella's will be the first Italian restaurant on Ocracoke. Sorella's Italian Cuisine plans to stay open from March through the end of December. Revolving Loan funds will be used to pay for costs associated with new construction, purchase of new equipment and HVAC, and fees and licenses. Security for the loan will be a leasehold assignment and equipment that will be used in the business. The loan term will be 7-years with monthly payments of $478.41 at 4.00% interest.

Commissioner Tunnell moved to approve the revolving loan request of $35,000.00 to Victor McNally (dba) Sorella's Italian Cuisine contingent upon the equipment becoming a fixture in the building and assignability of the lease with final approval by the Revolving Loan Fund Committee. Mr. Simmons seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Budget Revisions

Commissioner Tunnell moved to approve the following budget revisions. Mr. Swindell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

Cooperative Extension	
Summer Programs	$ 3,923.00
Inspections	
Travel, Telephone, Gas/Oil/Tires	$ 5,000.00
Health	
BR35-16 – Environmental Health – Department Supplies	$ 1,868.75
BR36-16 – Environmental Health – Recording Fees	$ 200.00
BR37-16 – Hyde Transit (DOT) – Advertising	$ 600.00
BR38-16 – Family Planning – Supplies	$ 2,022.00
BR39-16 – Maternal Health, Adult Health, Family Planning – Interpreter	$ 745.00
BR40-16 – Public Health – CC4C – Postage and Travel	$ 60.00
Social Services (approved 03-07-16) (signed 04-04-16)	
CIP – Increase in Federal Funding	$ 5,263.00
LIEAP – Increase in Federal Funding	$15,000.00

Management Reports:

Commissioner Tunnell – recommended actions to maintain the Swan Quarter Dike.

Commissioner Simmons – discussed the seriousness of two out of three pumps being out of service at the Fairfield Pumping Station. Mr. Simmons gave report on MECHS boy's baseball game.

Commissioner Swindell – no report.

Chairman Pugh – attended the Bonner Bridge ground breaking ceremony with Manager Rich and Assistant Manager Doerfer; Solid Waste meeting on Ocracoke; Albemarle Commission Annual Workforce Development meeting with Manager Rich in Elizabeth City; and, delivered "Meals on Wheels" from the Senior Center.

Commissioner Fletcher – absent.

County Manager Rich – reported Senator Torbett and Representative Tine will present a resolution supporting no increase in ferry tolling. Hatteras Inlet dredging is approved. Mr. Rich also reported Paul Spruill and representatives from Tri-County Telephone, Wilkesboro, Assistant Manager Doerfer, Planning Director Kris Noble and he met to discuss Broadband Communications.

Public Comment

Odessa Jarvis, Swan Quarter resident, suggested the State could assist with drainage problems from Landing Road to Highway 264.

Closed Session: (none)

Adjourn:
Commissioner Simmons moved to adjourn the April 4, 2016 Board of Commissioners Meeting. Mr. Swindell seconded the motion. The motion passed on the following vote: Ayes – Pugh, Tunnell, Simmons, and Swindell; Nays – None; Absent or not voting – Fletcher.

The April 4, 2016 Board of Commissioners meeting adjourned at 8:00p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Minutes approved on the 2nd day of May, 2016.

Lois Stotesberry, CMC, NCCCC
Clerk, Hyde County Board of Commissioners

Earl Pugh, Jr., Chairman
Hyde County Board of Commissioners

Attachments:

Exhibit A: ***"Resolution of The Hyde County Board of Commissioners Commending Emilie Burrus Mason"***
Exhibit B: ***"Proclamation - April 2016 "Child Abuse Prevention Month"***
Exhibit C: ***"Proclamation - April 10 – 16, 2016 "Week of The Young Child"***
Exhibit D: ***"Resolution In Support of Execution of an MOA to Dredge Hatteras Inlet Channel"***

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RESOLUTION OF THE HYDE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMENDING EMILIE BURRUS MASON

WHEREAS, Emilie Burrus Mason and Fletcher O'Neal are residents of Ocracoke, NC, Hyde County.

WHEREAS, On March 8, 2016, Mr. O'Neal underwent an kidney transplant operation at the Sentara Transplant Center, Sentara Hospital, in Norfolk, VA.

WHEREAS, Emilie Burrus Mason was the donor of the kidney to Mr. O'Neal.

WHEREAS, the operation was a complete success and Mr. O'Neal's recovery is going well.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Hyde County Board of Commissioners hereby commends Emilie Burrus Mason for her unselfish deed in the donation of one of her kidneys to Fletcher O'Neal in order to sustain his life.

Adopted this the 4th day of April, 2016 in Hyde County, North Carolina.

ATTEST: Lois Stotesberry
Lois Stotesberry, CMC, NCCCC
Clerk to the Board

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BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
OF THE COUNTY OF HYDE,
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PROCLAMATION
CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH
APRIL 2016

Whereas, children are vital to our state's future success, prosperity and quality of life as well as being our most vulnerable assets;

Whereas, all children deserve to have the safe, stable, nurturing homes and communities they need to foster their healthy growth and development;

Whereas, child abuse and neglect is a community responsibility affecting both the current and future quality of life to a community;

Whereas, communities that provide parents with the social support, knowledge of parenting and child development and concrete resources they need to cope with stress and nurture their children ensure all children grow to their full potential;

Whereas, effective child abuse prevention strategies succeed because of partnerships created among citizens, human service agencies, schools, faith communities, health care providers, civic organizations, law enforcement agencies, and the business community;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Hyde County Board of Commissioners do hereby proclaim April as "CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH," and call upon all citizens, community agencies, faith groups, medical facilities, other elected leaders and businesses to increase their participation in our efforts to support families, thereby preventing child abuse and strengthening the communities in Hyde County.

Adopted this the 4th day of April, 2016 in Hyde County, North Carolina.

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BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
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PROCLAMATION
WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD
APRIL 2016

Whereas, the Beaufort/Hyde Partnership for Children and other local organizations, in conjunction with the National Association for the Education of Young Children, are celebrating the Week of the Young Child, April 10th – 16th, 2016; and

Whereas, these organizations are working to improve early learning opportunities, including early literacy programs, that can provide a foundation of learning for children in Hyde County, NC; and

Whereas, child care providers, teachers, parents, and others who make a difference in the lives of young children in Hyde County, NC deserve thanks and recognition; and

Whereas, public policies that support early learning for all young children are crucial to young children's futures;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Hyde County Board of Commissioners do hereby proclaim April 10th – 16th as the Week of the Young Child in Hyde County, NC and encourage all citizens to work to make a good investment in early childhood.

Adopted this the 4th day of April, 2016 in Hyde County, North Carolina.

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RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF EXECUTION OF AN MOA TO ALLOW U.S. ARMY CORP OF ENGINEERS TO DREDGE HATTERAS INLET CHANNEL

WHEREAS the Hatteras Inlet was very recently dredged by NCDOT with a pipeline dredge; and

WHEREAS the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers reports the Hatteras Inlet area is very dynamic and recommends the combined use of sidecast and/or shallow draft hopper dredges in future dredging of Hatteras Inlet; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Hyde County Board of Commissioners that it does hereby express its support of execution of an Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to allow the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to accept state funds to work in the non-federal channel, and permits that would allow the Corps sidecast and special-purpose hopper dredges to work in Hatteras Inlet.

ADOPTED, this 4th day of April, 2016 by the Hyde County Board of Commissioners:

Earl Pugh, Jr., Chairman

ATTEST:

Lois Stotesberry, Clerk to the Board

SEAL