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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF HENDERSON

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MAY 8, 1997

The Henderson County Board of Commissioners met for a Special Called meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Commissioners' Conference Room of the Henderson County Office Building.

Those present were: Chairman Bob Eklund, Vice-Chair Grady Hawkins, Commissioner Renee Kumor, Commissioner Don Ward, County Manager David E. Nicholson, and County Engineer Gary Tweed.

Absent were Commissioner Vollie G. Good and Clerk to the Board Elizabeth W. Corn.

Purpose of the meeting was to meet with a committee from the Edneyville community to discuss issues associated with the Western Campus of the North Carolina Justice Academy.

CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME

Chairman Eklund called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance. He stated the purpose of this meeting was to address the issues that the community had raised and to answer their questions.

EDNEYVILLE COMMUNITY / WESTERN CAMPUS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA JUSTICE ACADEMY

Members of the Edneyville community had formed a committee and Raymond Ward is serving as the Chairman of the committee.

Questions were raised concerning the issues of the timing of the installation of the water line and the options to Henderson County to provide sewer and zoning.

County Manager David Nicholson explained that the county has a contract with the City of Hendersonville to run the water line. It was his understanding that Hendersonville has opened bids, obtained the financing package and awarded the contract to a local firm. Mr. Nicholson explained that county staff would work with the city and the contractor to assure that the line would be installed as quickly as possible and with as little interruption to the community as possible.

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The community also asked about options associated with the sewer project. Gary Tweed explained the previous sewer disposal system operated by the school system. David Nicholson explained the proposed route and location of the package treatment plant. Many of the committee members expressed their desire to have these services on the Justice Academy site.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:25 p.m.

ATTEST:


Elizabeth W. Corn, Clerk


Robert D. Eklund, Chairman