Chapel Hill N.C. May 7. 1879

The Board of Commissioners met at the office of Drs Roberson & Harris—

Present—Com^rs Jas. B. Mason
A.B. Roberson, L.J. Weaver
H.H. Sparrow, O.B. Jenney

Merritt Cheek Esq. who was elected Mayor at the last meeting of the Board, was duly sworn by C.W. Johnson, J.P. and entered at once upon the discharge of his duties.

On motion of Com^r Mason, it was ordered that the duties of Weight-master devolve upon the Constable—

F.M. Harris was then elected Secretary of the Board. It was ordered that the duties of the Treasurer's office devolve upon the Secretary.

On Motion of Com. Weaver, the Mayor was authorized to appoint a committee of three to receive and pass upon the Constable's Bond, and report at the next meeting of the Board. Com^rs J.B. Mason, A.B. Roberson, and H.H. Sparrow were appointed on this Committee.

Ordered that the Town Constable be required to take possession of all the Town property, and report an inventory of it, at the next meeting, and that he shall be the Custodian of the Town property, and be held responsible for the same.

Ordered—that the Law requiring hogs to be kept up, shall be so modified as to require that they shall be kept up only during Commencement Week and the Normal Schools.

The Ayes and Nays being called, Mayor J.B. Mason, A.B. Roberson, L.J. Weaver, H.H. Sparrow voted Aye

Mr. O.B. Jenney voted Nay

On Motion of Com^r Mason, the Town Constable was directed to give public notice in three places, that the Law requiring hogs to be penned, has been so modified that as to require the penning of the hogs only during Commencement Week and the Normal School, and that the law requiring cows to be confined at night, is still in force, and will be executed—

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Ordered that the regular meetings of this Board shall be on the first Monday night of every month—

The Board then adjourned to meet on Monday night next at the office of Drs Roberson and Harris—

F.M. Harris
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Chapel Hill N.C. May 12. 1879

The Board met at the office of Drs Roberson and Harris—

Present His honor the Mayor Presiding and all the Commissioners—

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved—

The committee appointed to report on the Constable's Bond, recommended that the Bond be received—

The Report of the Committee was adopted and the Bond received.

The Treasurer presented his Bond which was received—

The Constable was allowed till next meeting to make his report concerning the town property.

On Motion of Com^r Weaver, the Mayor was directed to appoint a committee of three to examine the Town Hearse, and report upon its condition, at the next meeting—

Messrs Weaver, Roberson, and the Town Constable Mr Creel, were appointed on this committee—

On Motion of Com^r Mason it was ordered that the Town Constable shall proceed to work the streets and side-walks, and repair the bridges and culverts, and that this work shall be continuous, until completed; and that in no one day shall he employ employ [illegible] more than ten hands—

The Constable make from time to time a report to this Board, of his operations, giving the names of hands employed and the time they work