Chapel Hill N. C. May 21st 1891

Called Meeting

At a call of the Mayor the full Board of Commissioners assembled. The object of the call was explained by the Mayor to be; what Steps shall be taken to meet the danger arising from Dogs running at large, sometimes Rabid and always a nuisance. The sense of the Board was obtained & found to be unanamous against the Dog. The Mayor was asked to act in the premises as he thought best and was assured of the support of the Board.

There being no further business before the Body a Motion to adjourn prevailed.

J. H. Watson Mayor, A. J. McCade Sec.

Chapel Hill June 1st 1891

Commissioners met in regular meeting The Mayor being absent Dr. A. B. Roberson was upon motion called to preside. Minutes of last regular and called meetings were read and approved A. S. Barbee acting Weigh Master presented a report coming the time between May 6th 1891 to May 22nd 1891. Upon Motion received & ordered to be spread upon Town Record. (Herewith attached) The Wt Master Elect Ed. Merritt not presenting his official Bond for approval the Mayor was upon Motion Empowered to Pass upon the Bond when presented without further action of the Board. Certain small improvements upon Streets were discussed & the attention of Strut Com. called to the matter. The Number of Strut Lamps necessary & the cost per light & all other particulars pertaining thereto was referred to Strut Com. to be reported upon the next meeting. Adjourned

A. J. McCade Sec

Chapel Hill N. C. July 6th 1891

Regular Meeting

The Board of Commissioners met at 8 P. M. Present.

John H. Watson Mayor

Prof. E. Alexander, A. P. Burch, Jno Ward } Comrs.

Minutes of last meting were read and approved after which Prof J. A. Holmes of the University asked Permission to address the Board on Matters of importance to the Town. In a short talk he spoke of the health of the place and other natural advantages and insisted upon measures being adopted by the Town to secure and to improve upon our former reputation for Healthfulness if we would attract Strangers to our midst and that students might not be induced to go elsewhere on account of neglect of needed Sanitary measures. The Board listened with pleasure to Prof. Holmes and hoped to profit by his suggestions. On motion of Prof. Alexander The Town Constable was instructed to carry out the Ordinances of the Town respecting Bimonthly inspections, grazing of Cattle on the Streets and open gates on the side walk.

There being nothing further before the Board. Upon Motion adjourned

A. J. McCade Clerk