Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Aldermen, Town of Chapel Hill, Aug. 9,1933.

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The regular Meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held in the Town Office at 8 o'clock P. M., August 9, 1933, with Mayor J. M. Foushee presiding and the following Aldermen present: Messrs. Burch, Thompson, Eubanks, and Hogan. Also Town Accountant Rogerson and Attorney Sawyer were present.

The following subjects were brought up and handled as indicated below.

Subject: Resolution Passed at the Annual Meeting of the Battle Park Association, Inc.

Mr. Joseph Hyde Pratt came before the board and presented the following resolution: RESOLVED, that the Board of Aldermen of Chapel Hill be requested to consider the possibility and practicability of acquiring by purchase or otherwise certain areas and properties, not suitable for building purposes, the same to be developed as parks and recreation places; and RESOLVED FURTHER that the Board of Aldermen be requested to take under consideration the matter of appointing a General Park and Planning Commission. The Board took no action on the above at this time.

Subject: Sewage Connection.

Mr. Prouty appeared before the Board stating that there was a portion of the town lying beyond Pittsboro St., and the railroad that did not have sewage connection. He presented a plan of construction for possible use in conjunction with the town sewer system, and stated that he and Mr. Page had gone over the situation very carefully and found that there were forty-three houses to come in on it, fourteen of which are in town. The board asked that Mr. Thompson and Mr. Burch go over the sewer situation with Mr. Prouty and Mr. Page and report to the next meeting of the Board.

Subject: N. R. A.

The City Manager read several letters that he had received from various City Managers that he had written to in regard to the N. R. A. All of which stated they were not working under the N. R. A., as they understood it was not intended for cities. After discussion, the Board decided to work on the old schedule until further notified.

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