

SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF ALDERMEN  
TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL  
APRIL 5, 1946; 4:00 P. M.

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Mayor Madry presided, all members being present except Alderman Stowd. Mr. Hoffman, President of Carolina Coach Company and Mr. Johnson, General Manager, were present to discuss the problems confronting them in the construction of the bus station. Mr. Hoffman stated that they had met with many obstacles in the construction, and had found that it would be absolutely necessary to lower Kenan Street so as to eliminate the dip at the intersection of Kenan and Franklin Streets. He was of the opinion they could have the necessary work done in lowering Kenan Street eighteen inches for approximately \$800. They requested this cost be absorbed by the town, either by paying for the work outright, or by letting the taxes of the bus company property absorb the cost. The members of the Board were not in favor of the tax proposition and they were of the opinion that the Town's finances could not stand the expense. After much discussion it was decided that the Board would take the matter under consideration and if it was at all possible, the Town would make a contribution towards this cost.

Mr. Collier Cobb came before the Board to ask that the Town construct a sewer line for property at the extension of Pritchard Avenue which he and Mr. Hornaday expect to begin developing. He stated they were going to start construction of six homes immediately and ask that this line be put in as soon as possible. Mr. Thomas Rose, Engineer, was present and he estimated the cost of the construction would be approximately twenty five hundred dollars.

After much discussion, Alderman Hobbs made the following motion:

That we authorize the borrowing of approximately \$2500., or use an equivalent amount from the surplus funds of the Town to construct a sewer line from a manhole situated in Church Street 230 feet east to the property line of the Noble Heights property; thence 130 feet east to a point in the center of Pritchard Avenue; thence, continuing east on a street at present unnamed, a distance of 280 feet. Then also to construct a sewer line in the center of Pritchard Avenue extended, 210 feet south to a point in the center of Pritchard Avenue; there being five manholes in the total construction according to the map plan of Thomas D. Rose, Engineer, Chapel Hill, N. C. made February, 1946; a copy of said map to be filed with the City Manager of the Town of Chapel Hill.

Seconded by Alderman Bowman and unanimously passed.  
The meeting adjourned.

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Clerk *Mac Wickett*