

MINUTES
LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
JOINT MEETING WITH BOARD OF EDUCATION
MONDAY, MARCH 10, 2003

The Lincoln County Board of County Commissioners met with the Lincoln County Board of Education on Monday, March 10, 2003 at 6:00 P.M. This meeting was held at the Lincoln Senior Center, Room 320.

Commissioners Present:

Jerry W. Cochrane, Chairman
Larry S. Craig, Vice Chair
Thomas R. Anderson, PE
Buddy Funderburk
Carrol D. Mitchem

Call to Order: Chairman Cochrane called the March 10, 2003 meeting to order, welcomed everyone, and gave the Invocation.

Leon Harmon gave a Power Point presentation on county funding to the schools and per pupil expenditure.

Dr. Jim Watson gave a Power Point presentation on funding, current needs, facility needs, and growth.

Dr. Watson presented a list of cost shortages and construction overages at North Lincoln and St. James Elementary. These included \$457,504 for 8 additional classrooms at North Lincoln and \$375,000 for 6 additional classrooms at St. James Elementary.

Chairman Cochrane asked the schools to work with Commissioner Anderson since it is such an unusual budget year and come up with something that is workable.

Chairman Cochrane thanked the School Board for attending the meeting and for their input.

Being no additional business, the meeting was adjourned.