

**Minutes
Joint Meeting
Anson County Commissioners
Anson County Board of Education
Tuesday, March 4, 2008, 6:00 p.m.**

The Anson County Board of Commissioners hosted a joint meeting with the Anson County Board of Education on Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. The meeting was held at the Anson County Cooperative Extension Office. Members of the school board present were Lisa Davis, Lannie Allen, Michael Livingston, Russell Sikes, M. R. Bell, Jackie Huntley, Rob Rollins and Lorenzo Steele. There was an excused absence by Altheria Patton. Other school personnel present were Greg Firn, Superintendent and Anne Hyatt, Clerk to the Board.

Members present from the Anson County Commissioners' Board were Andy Lucas, County Manager and Commissioners Anna Baucom, Jim Sims, Ross Streater, Bobby Sikes, Claude Spencer and Jarvis Woodburn. Mr. Harold Smith was absent. Other members from the County Government were Rita James, Data Processing Manager and Bonnie Huntley Clerk to the Board.

Mrs. M. R. Bell gave the invocation. After a delicious meal prepared by the Cooperative Extension staff members, Lisa Davis called the meeting to order.

County Manager Lucas initiated the meeting by giving a presentation concerning promoting public education and detailing goals and strategies of fiscal implications and planning.

Superintendent Firn likewise spoke to the group concerning the direction in which he believes Anson County Schools are headed towards, the innovative programs being implemented and about the encouraging facets of the system altogether.

Chair Davis thanked the commissioners for their hospitality and again for the appetizing meal.

A motion to adjourn was made by Michael Livingston and seconded by Russell Sikes. There was no discussion. The motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:53 p.m.

Lisa G. Davis, Chairperson

Dr. Gregory Firn, Secretary