

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF
ROWAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NOVEMBER 25, 1996 - 4:00 P.M.
COMMISSIONER'S MEETING ROOM, ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

PRESENT: J. Newton Cohen, Chairman
Jim Neely, Vice-Chairman
Todd Arey, Member
Steve Blount, Member
5th Seat, Vacant

Chairman Cohen called the meeting to order and gave the invocation. He welcomed members of boy scout troop 476 from St. Mark's Lutheran Church and thanked them for coming.

Chairman Cohen stated that at its last meeting the Board had sent a letter to the republican party central committee requesting a recommendation to fulfill the term of Tom Webb. He then recognized Ms. Faye Porter, chairman to present the party's recommendation to the Board. Ms. Porter read a letter which read as follows:

*Mr. J. Newton Cohen, Chairman
Rowan County Board of Commissioners
130 West Innes Street
Salisbury, NC 28144*

Dear Mr. Cohen,

In response to your request of November 15, 1996 the Central Committee of the Rowan County Republican Party recommends Mr. Frank Tadlock to be appointed to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Thomas Webb. With fourteen of sixteen members present, the vote was unanimous, at a called meeting of our Central Committee on November 19, 1996.

It is our understanding that Mr. Webb resigned from the Rowan County Board of Commissioners effective November 13, 1996 and the unexpired term is through December 6, 1998.

The Central Committee feels honored to be part of this process. We are hopeful of a smooth transition and truly feel the citizens of Rowan County will be the benefactors of these combined efforts.

Sincerely,

Faye Porter, Chairman

Commissioner Blount stated it was an honor and a pleasure to make a motion to appoint Frank Tadlock as a County Commissioner effective December 2, 1996. Chairman Cohen seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Commissioner Arey moved to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Neely seconded and the motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kelly Dickinson,
Clerk to the Board