

February 6, 1969 Meeting

B. Cameron  
Langston Bridge

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plus 10% for engineering, et cetera, be approved. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Harrington, and unanimously carried.

Pender County - The Superintendent of Schools in Pender County requests that 2 service driveways to the Pender County Board of Education Maintenance Shop be paved on a reimbursable basis. Estimated cost \$3,000.00.

Craven County - Simmons-Nott Airport Authority, New Bern, requests that certain pavement marking work at the airport be performed. Estimated cost \$391.34.

Moore County - Town of Carthage requested the Highway Commission to furnish fill material for the straightening of NC 22 and to construct certain ditching and work for the improvement of the Reservoir for the Carthage water supply. This was necessary to maintain water for the State Highway Commission and the residents of Moore County, as requested by the State Civil Defense Agency.

The cost of furnishing highway equipment to the Town of Carthage is \$6,600, which amount is to be repaid to the Commission in that all future charges or bills for water supplied to the State Highway Commission Maintenance Department will be applied against the \$6,600 until the charges for water supplied by the Town of Carthage reaches amount to equal said sum.

34 Approval - Resolution Naming Swansboro-Emerald Isle Bridge the "B. Cameron Langston Bridge"

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Exum, seconded by Commissioner Garrison, and upon being put to a vote was unanimously carried:

"WHEREAS, the State of North Carolina and its agency, the North Carolina State Highway Commission, has long recognized the necessity for a bridge across the Bogue Sound connecting Onslow and Carteret Counties in order to facilitate the continued growth of these counties and the attractive beach resorts located there; and

"WHEREAS, in 1966, the State of North Carolina and the State Highway Commission lost an able public servant in the passing of B. Cameron Langston, Sr.; and

"WHEREAS, Mr. Langston, not only, ably served his State as a member of the Highway Commission, but also, served his community as a successful farmer, board member of the Sharon Methodist Church, member of the Lenoir County Board of Commissioners, President of the Lenoir County Farm Bureau, and as an active participant in the Elks, Masons, and Ruritan Clubs; and

"WHEREAS, Mr. Langston, as a member of the North Carolina State Highway Commission, worked long and hard to make the Swansboro-Emerald Isle Bridge a reality; and

"WHEREAS, the State of North Carolina and its agency, the North Carolina State Highway Commission, desires to commemorate the outstanding qualities and service given to this State by B. Cameron Langston, Sr.

"THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Swansboro-Emerald Isle Bridge is hereby named the 'B. Cameron Langston Bridge' in honor of the memory of B. Cameron Langston who has given so much to his State and community.

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the official minutes of the State Highway Commission and that a copy be forwarded to the family of B. Cameron Langston and to the Chairmen of the Boards of County Commissioners of Onslow and Carteret Counties and that an appropriate plaque be placed upon the bridge upon the completion."