

"WHEREAS, the approaches to and the bridge spanning the Roanoke, Middle, and Cashie Rivers in the vicinity of Plymouth, and connecting Bertie and Washington Counties, have been completed, and,

"WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Bertie and Washington Counties have unanimously requested that this bridge be named the 'Zeb Vance Norman Bridge', and,

"WHEREAS, in recognition of Mr. Norman's many years of untiring efforts directed towards improving the surrounding communities,

"BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that this newly constructed bridge be known as the 'Zeb Vance Norman Bridge.'

"This the 4th day of October, 1968."

Chairman Hunt's Expression of Thanks

Chairman Hunt, on behalf of the entire Commission and Staff, thanked the citizens of Catawba County and the Hickory Chamber of Commerce for the very generous hospitality extended during the meeting in Hickory. He also stated how pleased they were for having the opportunity of becoming better acquainted with the people and of having a better understanding of the highway problems in the area.

Mayor Julian Cline's Remarks

Mayor Cline expressed his joy and that of the Chamber of Commerce in having the Highway Commission meet in Hickory. He added that the hopes of Catawba County have been realized in that the contract for the Hickory Eastern Access Route has been awarded (Project was let in September Letting and approved by the Commission on this date). He also expressed their gratitude for every effort put forth in making this road a reality.