

Town of Oriental – Board of Commissioner Special Meeting
&
Public Hearing

March 29, 2005

The Oriental Town Board of Commissioners met on Tuesday, March 29, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. at the Southeast Pamlico Fire Station on Straight Road. Present were Mayor Styron, Commissioners Bohmert, Midyette, Moat, and Wagoner.

Mayor Styron opened the meeting and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Moat made a motion to appoint former Commissioner Joseph Harris to the Board (Mr. Harris had resigned from the Board some months earlier due to health reasons). Second by Commissioner Midyette. Vote 3-1 in favor of the appointment with Commissioner Bohmert voting against the appointment (she felt the other candidates had been treated unfairly). Mayor Styron swore in Commissioner Harris.

Mayor Styron opened the public hearing on proposed changes to the Growth Management Ordinance. A large crowd (approx. 75) was in attendance with many asking questions and making comments. The proposed changes in the maximum height allowed generated the most interest.

The Board decided not to vote on the proposals at this meeting. Commissioner Bohmert made motion to continue the public hearing to the regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, April 5, 2005. Second by Commissioner Moat. Vote 5-0.

Mayor

Town Manager