

August 17th, 1926.

The Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida, met on this Tuesday, August 17th, 1926, pursuant to a recess of August 10th, 1926, with the following members present and participating,- R L Jones, W M Infinger, G M Bishop, E B Mitchell and W I Stinson, Chairman and M T Fountain, Clerk.

The following letter from Fons A Hathaway, Chairman, State Road Department was received and filed by the Clerk.

FLORIDA STATE ROAD DEPARTMENT

Tallahassee

August 16, 1926.

Hon. M T Fountain,  
Clerk Circuit Court, Walton County,  
DeFuniak Springs, Fla.

Dear Mr. Fountain:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of August 10th enclosing copy of resolution adopted by your Board of County Commissioners, and to state that a locating party will be placed in your county as soon as possible, for the purpose of locating the roads as outlined in your request, and in accordance with an agreement between Chairman W L Stinson and myself covering the same matter. I shall be glad if you will communicate this information to your Board.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

F A Hathaway,  
Fons A Hathaway, Chairman.

Moved by G M Bishop, seconded by W M Infinger and duly carried, it was ordered that the former order of this Board dated April 14th, 1926, appointing O A Bray as Road Overseer on road from German Lane to Walden Bridge on road known as Argyle and Euchanna road be and the same is hereby revoked, and further ordered that A O Bray be and he is hereby appointed as Road Overseer on road from German lane on Argyle and Red Bay road to Red Hill Bridge on Bruce Creek, road known as Argyle and ~~///~~ <sup>Eucheanna</sup> road, and further

Ordered that Friley Robinson be and he is hereby appointed as Road Overseer on road from Argyle to Valley Church on Argyle and Red Bay Road.

Upon motion of Mr G M Bishop, seconded by Mr R L Jones, it was ordered that the proposed bond issue for Walton County Special Road and Bridge District No.3 be validated in the Courts and that D. Stuart Gillis be and he is hereby employed for that purpose upon the terms and conditions contained in his written proposal filed with the Board.

Mr A S Jones was before the Board in regard to declaring the road passing by his place as a public road and after considerable discussion, upon motion made by R L Jones, seconded by E B Mitchell and duly carried by unanimous vote, it was ordered that the road beginning about 100 yards West of Steel bridge on DeFuniak Springs and Florala road and running on present settlement road via A S Jones and W R Turner places and intersecting the old Crestview and DeFuniak Springs road at or near old Bullard Stockade, and further

Ordered that A S Jones be and he is hereby appointed as Road Overseer on said road for the year 1926, or until his successor is appointed and qualified, and further

Ordered that Barney Bell be and he is hereby appointed as Road Overseer on road from Florala and DeFuniak Springs road near the Will Meigs old place, thence via Bell's old Mill to District line near Dock Bell's place, on

Due notice having been published as required by law in the publication of the DeFuniak Herald that the Board would receive sealed bids on this day for the purpose a bridge and fills over and across Gum Creek near Henry Collinsworth place and for the building of a fill over and across Brown Branch on Mossy Head--Turner Bridge road, and pursuant thereto, the following bids were received and considered by the said Board.

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GUM CREEK BRIDGE AND FILLS.

DeFuniak Springs, Aug 17th, 1926.

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners,  
City.

Dear Sirs:-

I herewith submit you the following bid I will build the fill on the Brown Branch on road leading from Mossy Head to Florala for 33 1/3 cts. per yd as per Specifications now on file in the Clerks office.

And I agree to build bridge and fill on Gum Creek known as the Collinsworth bridge for the sum of \$225.00 complete as per specifications on file in the Clerks office.

Respectfully submitted,  
Wily Adams.

DeFuniak Springs, Fla. Aug. 17, 1926.

Hon Board of County Commissioners, Walton County, Fla.  
Gentlemen:-

In reply to your request for bids on the Collinsworth bridge and fill on Gum Creek, I make the following bid:- I will furnish everything and build the bridge according to your specifications for the sum of Two Hundred Forty-Eight Dollars (\$248.00) I will also build the fill as per your specifications the County to furnish the dirt not over 200 yards haul at 45 cents per cubic yard of dirt.

Yours respectfully,  
I M Strickland.

Florala, Ala. Stella Rte. August \_\_\_\_, 1926.

Hon. Board of County Commissioners, Walton County, Florida.

I hereby submit the following bid to build bridge and fills over and across Gum Creek near Henry Collinsworth's place according to plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office.

I hereby agree to build bridge and fills according to plans and specifications for the sum of \$490.00.

Enclosed herewith cashier's check for the sum of \$50.00.

Respectively submitted,

G D Adams.

DeFuniak Springs, Florida, Aug. 17th, 1926.

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners, Walton County.

I hereby present my bid on building bridge and fill on Gum Creek near Henry Collinsworth \$321.00 according to specifications, with dirt furnished within two hundred feet within the fill.

Respectfully submitted,  
S. M. Mitchem.

DeFuniak Springs, Florida, Aug. 17th, 1926.

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners,  
DeFuniak Springs, Fla.  
Dear Sirs:-

I herewith submit you the following bid of \$305.00 on the Collinsworth bridge on Gum Creek this bid is according to the specifications now on file in the Clerks office providing that I am not to haul the dirt over 300 Yds.

Respectfully submitted,  
B. C. Jones.

The above bids were then considered by the Board and after considerable discussion the Board finding that Wily Adams bid being the lowest and responsible bid, upon motion made by G M Bishop, seconded by W M Infinger and duly carried by unanimous vote, ordered that the bid of Wily Adams be accepted, providing he enter into a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$100.00 with two good and sufficient sureties to be approved by the Clerk of this Board, and when same is approved and accepted by the Clerk of this Board that the check of \$50.00 be returned to the bidder.

And further ordered that all checks attached to all other bids be returned to the

Brown-Branch Fill.

Florala, Ala. Stella Rte. August \_\_\_\_, 1926.

Hon. Board of County Commissioners, Walton County, Fla.  
Gentlemen:-

I hereby submit the following bid to build an earth fill across Brown Branch on Mossy Head--Turner Bridge road according to plans and specifications appearing in the issues of the DeFuniak Herald.

I hereby agree to construct the fill as therein specified for the sum of 27 cts per cubic yard.

Yours very truly,

G. D. Adams.

DeFuniak Springs, Fla. August 17th, 1926.

To the Hon Board of County Commissioners, Walton County.

I hereby present my bid on building fill from the Brown Branch on Florala road three thirty cents per yard, build according to specifications.

Respectfully submitted,  
S. M. Mitchem.

August 17th, 1926.

DeFuniak Springs, Florida, Aug. 17th, 1926.

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners,  
City.

Dear Sirs:-

I herewith submit you the following bid I will build the fill on the Brown Branch on road leacing from Mossy Head to Florala for 33 1/3 cts per yd, as per specifications now on file in the Clerks office.

Respectfully submitted.  
Wily Adams.

DeFuniak Spgs, Fla. August 17, 1926.

Honorable Board of County Commissioners.

I hereby agree to put in said fill across Brown Branch according to Specifications for 34 cts per cubic yd.

Yours Respectfully,  
L M Strickland.

DeFuniak Springs, Florida, Aug. 17th, 1926.

To The Hon. Board of County Commissioners,  
City.

Dear Sirs:--

I herewith submit you the following bid on fill of Brown branch on Mossy Head and Florala Road. I will build said fill as per specifications now on file in the Clerks Office for the sum of 33 1/3 cts. per cubic yd.

Respectfully sbmitted.  
B. C. Jones.

To The Honorable Board of County Commissioners:

I will hereby make a bid on the fill which is on the Brown branch of the Mossy Head Road. I will build this fill for 30 cts per yard, and will clay this fill for 60 cts per yd,if necessary will give a bond, with this bid.

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Ernest Walden.  
DeFuniak Springs, Florida, Aug. 17th, 1926.

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners  
City.

Dear Sirs:--

I herewith submit you the following bid on fill on Brown Branch on road leading from Florala to Mossy Head, I agree to build said fill for the sum of 34 cts per cubic yd. as per Specifications now on file in the Clerks Office.

Respectfully submitted.  
C. M. Flow.

Mossy Head, Fla. Aug. 17, 1926.

To Board of County Commissioners:

I have heard that they was a fill to be put in on the Florala road leading from Mossy Head on Mills Creek, and I am putting in a bid at 40 ¢ per yd and I have got a truck to do the work with and if they will be any Bond to make I will make it Saturday, and start the work as soon as you notify me if I am the lowest bidder.

Yours truly,  
H. G. Neal,  
Mossy Head, Fla.

DeFuniak Spgs. Fla. Aug. 17, 1926.

Board County Commissioners, Walton Co. Fla.  
Gentlemen:-

I hereby submit my bid for building fill on Brown Branch on Mossy Head & Florala Road at 39¢ per yd Thirty nine cents.

Yours truly,  
W. H. Davis.

DeFuniak Springs, Florida,  
August 17th, 1926.

To the Board of County Commissioners,  
Walton County.

I hereby submit a bid of 24 1/2 cts per yard for construction of Fill on Mossy Head and Florala Road as per Schedule on file in the Office of Clerk of Court of Walton County. Enclosed find Check in amount of \$250.00

H. E. Jones.

The above and foregoing bids having been received and filed as required by due notice given by publication, and each bid having been considered by the Board and the Board finding that the bid of H E Jones was the lowest and responsible bidder, upon motion made by Mr G M Bishop, seconded by Mr E B Mitchell and duly carried by unanimous vote, ordered that the bid of H E Jones be and the same is hereby accepted, upon conditions that the said H E Jones enter into a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$250.00 with two good and sufficient sureties to be approved by the Clerk of this Board.

The Clerk was further ordered to return H E Jones check for the sum of \$250.00 Mr F J Link, Branch Engineer of Art Metal Construction Co. agreed to draw up and furnish plans and specifications for equipment for Court House free of charge to County.  
Attest: *M. A. Francis* Clerk *Adams* Chairman