

**MINUTES OF THE
2007 VALUE ADJUSTMENT BOARD
ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING
THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 2007
9:30 A.M.**

The 2007 Bradford County Value Adjustment Board met for their Organizational Meeting on Thursday, August 23, 2007, at 9:30 a.m. in the County Commissioners' Meeting Room, 945 North Temple Avenue, Starke, Florida.

Present were: Commissioner John Cooper, Commissioner Doyle Thomas, School Board Member Jesse Moore, School Board Member David Smith and Commissioner Eddie Lewis.

Also present were: Jimmy Alvarez, Property Appraiser; Al Coston, Chief Deputy Property Appraiser; Marlene Stafford, Deputy Clerk; Terry Brown, County Attorney.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 9:34 a.m.

BOARD ORGANIZATION

ELECT CHAIRMAN and VICE-CHAIRMAN

--**School Board Member Moore Nominated** School Board Member Smith as the 2007 Chairman for the Value Adjustment Board.

There being no further nominations, **Commissioner Cooper MOVED** to close the nominations.

School Board Member Smith will serve as the 2007 Chairman.

--**Commissioner Thomas Nominated** School Board Member Moore as the 2007 Chairman for the Value Adjustment Board.

There being no further nominations, **Commissioner Cooper MOVED** to close the nominations.

School Board Member Moore will serve as the 2007 Vice-Chairman.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Alvarez said that the Board members might wish to consider what stance will be taken as to whether or not the Board will hear petitions filed after the September 7, 2007 deadline.

There was brief discussion after which Mr. Brown advised that that issue will need to be addressed at the hearings based on the merits of each petition.

There was general discussion concerning hearing procedures.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:47 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Marlene Stafford, Deputy Clerk