

**MINUTES**  
**LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2001**

The Lincoln County Board of County Commissioners met for a budget work session on Thursday, May 31, 2001 at 6:30 PM, which was recessed from Tuesday, May 29, 2001 at 3:30 PM at the Citizens Center, Commissioner's Room, Third Floor, 115 West Main Street, Lincolnton, North Carolina, the regular place of meeting.

**Commissioners Present:**

Jerry W. Cochrane, Chairman  
Beth H. Saine, Vice Chair  
Thomas R. Anderson, PE  
Larry S. Craig  
David P. Choate

**Call to Order:** Chairman Cochrane called the May 31, 2001 work session to order.

Commissioner Craig suggested a 10% across the board cut, letting the department heads decide what they would cut.

The Board agreed on a 2.5% across the board cut, allowing the department heads to decide what should be cut.

Commissioner Anderson suggested taking the water loop project out the water budget.

Commissioner Anderson stated that after talking with EDA, \$2,000 can be taken out of their budget for supplies.

It was the consensus of the Board to take UDC funding back to \$5000.

Chairman Cochrane set the budget public hearing for June 18, 2001 at 8:15 PM.

**Adjourn:** **UPON MOTION** by Commissioner Craig, the Board voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting.