CUMBERLAND COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FEBRUARY 17, 2014 – 4:30 PM 117 DICK STREET, 5TH FLOOR, ROOM 564 SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

PRESENT: Commissioner Jeannette Council, Chair

Commissioner Kenneth Edge, Vice Chair

Commissioner Marshall Faircloth Commissioner Jimmy Keefe Commissioner Ed Melvin

James Lawson, Assistant County Manager Julean Self, Human Resources Assistant Director John Holmes, Human Resources Consultant Laura Blackley, Human Resources Consultant

Candice White, Clerk to the Board

ABSENT: Commissioner Charles Evans

Commissioner Billy King

Commissioner Council called the meeting to order and requested a motion to go in to closed session.

MOTION: Commissioner Edge moved to go into closed session for Privileged or

Confidential Matter(s) pursuant to NCGS §143-318.11(a)(1) and §143-131(a).

SECOND: Chairman Council VOTE: UNANIMOUS (5-0)

MOTION: Commissioner Keefe moved to reconvene in open session.

SECOND: Commissioner Edge VOTE: UNANIMOUS (5-0)

NOTION: Commissioner Edge moved to hire The Mercer Group to conduct the county

manager search.

SECOND: Commissioner Keefe

VOTE: PASSED (4-1) (Commissioners Keefe, Edge, Council and Faircloth voted in

favor; Commissioner Melvin voted in opposition)

MOTION: Commissioner Edge moved to adjourn.

SECOND: Commissioner Keefe VOTE: UNANIMOUS (5-0)

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:48 p.m.
Approved with/without revision:
Respectfully submitted,
Candice White Clerk to the Board