

the five facilities mentioned are owned by Pruitt Health, Mr. Tye answered yes. Commissioner Smith asked if these generators would be installed before hurricane season, Mr. Tye answered no, possibly the transfer switches could be installed by August.

At 9:03 a.m. Commissioner Wisenbaker made a motion to adjourn the work session to enter into a scheduled public hearing regarding House Bill 581, second by Commissioner Marshall. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

The Crescent Place of Historic Interest Tax Exemption

At 9:39 a.m. Vice Chairperson Evans made a motion to reconvene the work session, second by Commissioner Orenstein. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the item. Mrs. Dukes stated staff has become aware of the attached 1975 local constitutional amendment and 1978 Board of Commissioners Resolution regarding the exemption from ad valorem taxation for places of historic interest meeting specified criteria and that applies to the Garden Center, Inc. located at 904 North Patterson Street known as the Crescent. The attached proposed Resolution recites that the Board continues to be satisfied that the subject property and the Garden Center, Inc. meet the criteria specified in the attached 1978 Resolution and affirms that the subject property continues to be a place of historic interest exempt from ad valorem taxation. Commissioner Wisenbaker asked if there were any other properties in this situation, Mrs. Dukes responded one other which the attorneys are still working on. Commissioner Smith stated this is very good and important since there has been much expense related to the repair and upkeep of the Crescent.

Rules and Regulations for Claims for Refunds of Taxes

County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the item. Mrs. Dukes stated in 2017, the Commission adopted Rules and Regulations for the administration of claims for refunds of taxes and license fees and this is an update of those rules to go along with the state statute.

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There was no additional information reported.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Marshall made a motion to adjourn the work session meeting, second by Commissioner Wisenbaker. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Chairman Slaughter adjourned the meeting at 9:42 a.m.