

WEAKLEY COUNTY, TENNESSEE
RULES COMMITTEE
August 22, 2012

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Members Present: Commissioners Tommy Jones, Eric Owen, Roger Stewart, James H. Westbrook, Jr., John Salmon, Larry Taylor, Sam Sinclair, and Earl Wright.

Members Absent: Commissioner Bob Bell.

The Rules Committee met on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at the Weakley County Department of Finance in the conference room. Others present included Houston Patrick-County Mayor, Commissioners James Bynum and David Hawks along with a representative from WCMT Radio.

Chairman Westbrook called the Rules Committee meeting to order.

OLD BUSINESS:

Commissioner Owen made the motion to approve the March 19, 2012 Rules Committee minutes and with a second by Commissioner Stewart the motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

Rules of Commission

Chairman Westbrook asked of any proposed changes to the commission rules. No committee member or audience members requested any change to the commission rules. Chairman Westbrook explained if two commissioners sponsor a resolution that a subcommittee cannot "kill" or remove the resolution from the commission agenda without the two same sponsors removing the resolution from the commission agenda.

County Commission Chairman

Vice-Chairman Wright presided over the nomination of the county commission chairman. Commissioner Stewart made the motion nominating Commissioner Westbrook to serve as County Commission Chairman and with a second by Commissioner Owen the motion passed unanimously.

County Commission Pro-Tempore

Commissioner Salmon made the motion nominating Commissioner Wright to serve as County Commission Pro-Tempore and with a second by Commissioner Sinclair the motion passed unanimously.

Standing Committees

The committee was provided a listing of the proposed standing committees. There are no changes from the prior fiscal year. Commissioner Jones made the motion to approve the standing committees and with a second by Commissioner Stewart the motion passed unanimously.

Other Boards & Appointments.

The committee was provided a listing of the proposed other boards and committees. There are no changes from the prior fiscal year. Commissioner Owen made the motion to place the proposed standing committees on the floor and with a second by Commissioner Salmon the motion passed.

County Safety Officer

Commissioner Wright made the motion for Jamison Peevyhouse to serve as the County Safety Officer and with a second by Commissioner Owen the motion passed.

County Service Officer

Commissioner Salmon made the motion for Ron Cheatman to serve as the County Safety Officer and with a second by Commissioner Taylor the motion passed.

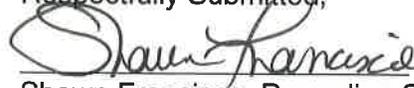
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Other Business

Chairman Westbrook recently distributed a letter to all commissioners regarding the economic state of the county. Discussion continued on various ways to improve the county financially.

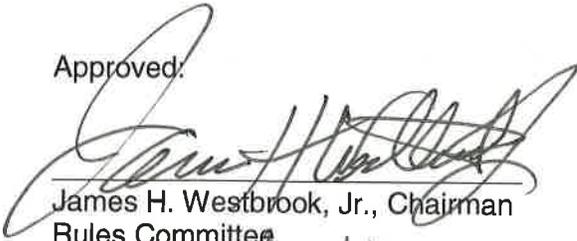
Commissioner Owen made the motion to adjourn and with a second by Commissioner Stewart the meeting adjourned at 4:16 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Shawn Francisco, Recording Secretary
Rules Committee

Approved:



James H. Westbrook, Jr., Chairman
Rules Committee

Date: 9/17/12