

The following resolution was presented to the Court by Judge Thomas and County Attorney Homer Bradberry:

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE POLICY AND PURPOSE OF THE COUNTY OF WEAKLEY, TENNESSEE, TO EXTEND TO THE EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS OF SAID COUNTY, NOT EXCLUDED BY LAW OR THIS RESOLUTION, WHETHER EMPLOYED IN CONNECTION WITH A GOVERNMENTAL OR PROPRIETARY FUNCTION OF SAID COUNTY, THE BENEFITS OF THE SYSTEM OF FEDERAL OLD AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE, AS AUTHORIZED BY THE FEDERAL SOCIAL SECURITY ACT, AND AMENDMENTS THERETO, UPON THE BASIS OF APPLICABLE STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS OR REGULATIONS: AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE COUNTY JUDGE TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS AND AMENDMENTS THERETO WITH THE STATE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF OLD AGE INSURANCE, AS AGENT OR AGENCY, FOR COVERAGE OF SAID EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS: PROVIDING FOR WITHHOLDINGS FROM SALARIES AND WAGES OF EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS OF SAID COUNTY SO COVERED TO BE MADE AND PAID OVER AS PROVIDED BY APPLICABLE STATE OR FEDERAL LAWS OR REGULATIONS: PROVIDING THAT SAID COUNTY SHALL APPROPRIATE AND PAY OVER EMPLOYER'S CONTRIBUTIONS AS PROVIDED BY APPLICABLE STATE OR FEDERAL LAWS OR REGULATIONS: PROVIDING THAT SAID COUNTY SHALL KEEP RECORDS AND MAKE REPORTS AS REQUIRED BY APPLICABLE STATE OR FEDERAL LAWS OR REGULATIONS: EXCLUDING FROM THIS TO ANY POSITION EMPLOYEE OR OFFICIAL NOW COVERED OR AUTHORIZED TO BE COVERED BY ANY OTHER RESOLUTION CREATING ANY RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR ANY EMPLOYEE OR OFFICIAL OF SAID COUNTY: OR ANY POSITION, EMPLOYEE OR OFFICIAL NOT AUTHORIZED TO BE COVERED UNDER APPLICABLE STATE OR FEDERAL LAWS OR REGULATIONS. AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY .

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHAIRMAN AND COUNTY COURT OF THE COUNTY OF WEAKLEY, TENNESSEE.

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared to be the policy and purpose of the County of Weakley, Tennessee, to extend, at the earliest date, to the employees and officials thereof, not excluded by law or this resolution, and whether employed in connection with a governmental or proprietary function, the benefits of the System of Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance as authorized by the Federal Social Security Act and amendments thereto, including Public Law 81st Congress. In pursuance of said policy, and for that purpose, the County shall take such action as may be required by applicable state or federal laws or regulations.

SECTION 2. The Chairman of the County of Weakley, Tennessee is hereby authorized and directed to execute all necessary agreements and amendments thereto with the State Executive Director of Old Age Insurance, as agent or agency, to secure coverage of employees and officials as provided in Section 1, hereof.

SECTION 3. Withholdings from salaries or wages of employees and officials for the purpose provided in Section 1, hereof, are hereby authorized to be made in the amounts and at such times as may be required by applicable State or Federal laws or regulations, and shall be paid over to the State or Federal Agency designated by said laws or regulations.

SECTION 4. There shall be appropriated from available funds such amounts at such times as may be required by applicable State or Federal laws or regulations for employer's contributions; which shall be paid over to the State or Federal Agency designated by said laws or regulations.

SECTION 5. The County shall keep such records and make such reports as may be required by applicable State and Federal laws or regulations.

SECTION 6. There is hereby excluded from this Resolution any authority to make any agreement with respect to any position or any employee or official now covered or authorized to be covered by any other resolution creating any retirement system for any employees or officials of the county.

SECTION 7. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof, this Resolution shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval and publication as required by law, and should be retroactive to July 1st, 1954. This resolution not to include elected county officials, if possible.

Passed and approved this 5th day of July, 1954.

Motion made by Esq. John Hatler to extend to the employees, excluding the County officials, if possible, of Weakley County, Tennessee, the benefits of the system of Federal Old Age and Survivors insurance, as authorized by the Federal Social Security Act, seconded by Esq. Barney Bailey. Unanimously adopted.

Motion made by Esq. Dalton Glover that County Supt. Miles be allowed to revise his budget so as to take care of the social security benefits, seconded by Esq. Horace McWherter. Unanimously adopted.
