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COUNTY COURT APRIL 16, 1984

On April 16, 1984, the County Court met in Dresden with Co. Executive H. C. Brundige calling court to order. County Clerk called roll with 5 members absent. Sheriff Mike Wilson opened court and Comm. Lewis Garner giving invocation.

Comm Fred Morris presented Mike Snider with a certificate making him an honorary Comm. of the Court. He presented the with 2 songs and received a standing ovation. After Mike's presentation, Comm. Jimmy Brasfield and Comm. William Powers presented the Greenfield basketball team, cheerleaders, coaches, and sponsors with Certificates making them honorary Commissioners also.

Co. Exec. ask for approval of the last Minutes. Comm. Wm. Mansfield made the motion to accept and Comm Lewis Garner seconded the motion. After being put to a voice vote, motion carried.

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RESOLUTION NO. 1984-16

RESOLUTION TO RESCIND CERTAIN PRIOR ACTIONS  
OF THE WEAKLEY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COM-  
MISSIONERS AND TO RETURN TO THE TENNESSEE  
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AGENCY WEAKLEY COUNTY'S  
ALLOCATION OF THE STATE CEILING

WHEREAS, on October 17, 1983 the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County adopted Resolution 1983-3<sup>2</sup> of record in Minute Book #3 at pages 141-147 which appointed Senior Managing Underwriters to develop a mortgage revenue bond program for Weakley County, and

WHEREAS, on January 16, 1984 the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County adopted Resolution 1984-2 of record in Minute Book #3 at pages 160-161A calling for a public hearing on the joint issuance of mortgage revenue bonds, and

WHEREAS, T.C.A. § 13-23-121 provides that any electing county may return its allocation by written notification to the agency (THDA) and thereafter be included in the allocation of the proceeds of any subsequent bond sale by the agency, and

WHEREAS, after consultation with the Senior Managing Underwriters, the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County has concluded that it is in the best interest of Weakley County to return to THDA the Weakley County portion of the State Ceiling.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County, meeting in regular session this 16th day of April, 1984.

SECTION 1. Resolution 1983-3<sup>2</sup> of record in Minute Book #3 at pages 141-147 and Resolution 1984-2 of record in Minute Book #3 at pages 160-161A are hereby rescinded.

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TRUSTEE REPORT:

John Prince presented to the Court the Trustee's report . Comm. William Mansfield made the motion to accept the report and Comm. Lewis Garner seconded it. After a voice vote, motion carried.

GENERAL FUND REPORT:

The general fund report was presented to the Court with Comm. James H. Bell making the motion to accept it, with Comm. Fred Morris seconding it. After a voice vote, motion carried.

HIGHWAY DEPT. REPORT:

Motion to accept the highway department report was made by Comm. Charles Culver with Comm. Wm. Mansfield seconding. After a voice vote, motion carried.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

Motion to accept the Dept. of Education report was made by Comm. Ralph Cooper and seconded by Comm. Bobby Parker. After a voice vote, motion carried;

NURSING HOME REPORT:

Motion to accept the Nursing Home report was made by Comm. Lewis Garner and seconded by Comm. William S. Powers. After a voice vote, motion carried.

LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT:

Comm. Gerald Caldwell said the Committee met with Mr. Bill McClain, head of Civil Defense and decided not to come back to court till July for a recommendation on the flood control problem.

Comm. Gerald Caldwell and Comm. met with Sheriff Mike Wilson to discuss either expanding the present jail to meet State Specification or buliding another jail. Comm. Caldwell then turned the discussion over to the Property Committee chairman, Comm. Ralph Cooper. The Committee had a meeting on 4-12-84 and Comm. Cooper read the minutes. The Jail Inspection Reporting Form, included in folder, tells what the jail is going to have to have. The Property Committee recommends we hold up on spending till a trough study can be done. Hold up 3 months and study the idea of a new jail being built. Sheriff thinks he can pay for the jail by housing state prisoners. If the court does not want to build a new jail, the Property Comm. and Law Enforcement Comm. needs the \$40,000.00 for addition to the present jail.

SCHOOLS

The remodeling and repairing of schools, with an estimated cost of \$300,000.00 needed. 1. Roof repair, 2. Kitchen, MES, 3. A/C and Heating in schools, 4. Gym floor repairs, 5. Floor Coverings, and 6. Paint work. The Committee said we need to get to work and getting bids rather than waiting till July Court to this going. There would be no way to be nearly completed by the time school will start this fall. Comm. Cooper said they the Committee are recommending that we spend \$300,000.00 for remodeling. After an informal vote, Comm. Westbrook ask Co. Attorney Mark Gallien to draft a resolution for the money.

JUVENILE OFFICER:

David Williams, Juvenile Officer ask the court for the go ahead with a grant for renovation for some rooms at the Health Dept. for Juveniles. Motion made by Comm. Charles Culver and seconded by Comm. Sam Sinclair. After a voice vote, motion carried.

JAIL BUSINESS:

Comm. Gerald Caldwell makes a motion that Sheriff Wilson look into the cost of a new jailand work with the Property Committee and the Law Enforcement Committee and come back in July with a recommendation. Comm. Gene Harris seconded the motion and after a show of hands vote, motion carried.

DELIQUENT TAXES :

Motion to relieve the Trustees of Deliquesnt Taxes was made by Comm. Lewis Garner and seconded by Comm. Charles Culver. After a voice vote, motion carried.

WEAKLEY COUNTY LEGISLATIVE MEETING

Board Appointment

I, H. C. Brundige, Chairman of the Weakley County Legislative Body, recommend the following to be re-appointed and to serve on the Weakley County Equalization Board for a two-year-term beginning April 1984:

Leonard S. Miles, 323 Summer St., Martin, TN 38237

Wayne Stoker, Gleason, TN 38229

Audrey Alderdice, Palmersville, TN 38241

Lewis Garner, Route 1, Dresden, TN 38225

Herschell Williams, Route 1, Sharon, TN 38225

Motion was made by Commissioner Charles Culver  
that the foregoing recommendation be approved.

Motion seconded by Commissioner William Powers.

Upon being put to a voice vote, motion carried.

This the 16th day of April, 1984.

APPROVED:

H. C. Brundige  
H. C. Brundige, County Executive

ATTESTED TO:

Faye Butts  
Faye Butts, County Clerk

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DISCUSSION OF THE NEW BY PASS ACCESS:

The County Commissioners went on record in opposition to the limited access by pass around the city of Martin after Marvin Alexander appeared before them to tell how such a highway would be detrimental to the growth of Martin and Weakley County. A unanimous vote instructed County Attorney Mark Gallien to draw up a resolution protesting the closing or cutting off any county roads and requesting that the route be full access. Comm. Sam Sinclair made a motion that the resolution be drawn relative to the roads with Comm. Larry Jolley seconding. After a show of hands vote, motion carried. Comm. Larry Jolley made an amendment to the motion to state that the roads will be full access. Comm. James Harold Bell seconded. After a show of hands, motion carried.

DISCUSSION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF HIGHWAY 22;

Commissioners by a vote of 2-16 rejected a request by Roger Van Cleve that the county ask the state DOT for an extension of 90 days to comment on the Environmental Impact Statement Supplement regarding the proposed highway between Martin and Union City. Comm. William Powers said he feared holding up the project would result in its being dropped altogether.

FLOOD CONTROL IN WEAKLEY COUNTY:

There was a request to appoint a committee on Flood Control in Weakley County and to have a report for the April term of court. It was suggested that the Civil Defense and the Law Enforcement Committee do this. After a show of hands vote, same carried.

SICK LEAVE AT THE HIGHWAY DEPT.

Comm. Sam Sinclair ask about the procedure for sick leave payments for highway department employees who have days accrued from the time the policy was in effect. Co. Exec. Brundige suggested the Road Board take care of this matter and have it ready by April term of Court. Comm. Charles Culver as the Road Board to have this ready by April Court and Comm. Ralph Cooper seconded it. After a show of hands vote, motion carried.

VOTION BOXES:

Comm. James Harold Bell expressed his disappointment of the turning down of the new voting boxes in different districts. Comm. Robin Moore says he goes on record stating that the peoples in his district wants the boxes back and they are prepared to circulate a petition. Also Comms. Parker, Powers, and Caldwell goes on record saying the same. After that all commissioners went on record.

ADJOURNMENT:

Comm. Charles Culver made the motion to adjourn and Comm. Ralph Cooper seconded the motion. After a show of hands vote, motion carried.

  
H. C. BRUNDIGE, CO. EXEC.