

REGULAR MEETING OF THE COUNTY COMMISSION
OCTOBER 16, 1989

Co. Exec. Kerry Killebrew, called the county commission to order at 9:30a.m. Commissioner Johnny Vincent held invocation. Sheriff Mike Wilson opened court and County Clerk Faye Butts called roll with 2 absent, they being David McAlpin and Gene Harris. Eighteen present.

A moment of silence was held for Comm. David McAlpin and his family. Comm. Roger Van Cleave reported to the court about the work of the Woodmen of the World and the work they do and presenting flags to different places. The Association presented the court with a Tennessee state flag and an American flag.

RECOGNITION OF EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT OF TEACHERS: Supt. of Schools, Ernestine McWherter, recognized four (4) outstanding teachers in Weakley County. They being, Dee House, Outstanding Voc. Adm., 2. Ray Griffith, Outstanding Ag. teacher, 3. Linda Pruitt and 4. Becky Brigrance, outstanding teachers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF REGULAR SESSION OF COMMISSION JULY 17, 1989: Motion to accept the last minutes was made by Comm. Ronnie Bates and seconded by Comm. V. J. Shanklin. After a voice vote, motion carried.

TRUSTEES REPORT: Motion to accept the Trustees report was made by Comm. Vernon Dunn and seconded by Comm. James H. Bell. After a voice vote, motion carried.

GENERAL FUND REPORT: Motion to accept the General Fund report was made by Comm. James Harold Bell and seconded by Comm. John Bucy. After a voice vote, motion carried.

HIGHWAY DEPT REPORT: Motion to accept the highway report was made by Comm. Earl Wright and seconded by Comm. Roger VanCleave. After a voice vote, motion carried.

SCHOOL DEPT REPORT: Motion to accept to the school report was made by Comm. James Harold Bell and seconded by Comm. Joe White. After a voice vote, motion carried.

AMBULANCE COMMITTEE REPORT: Comm. Earl Wright, chairman of the Amb. committee, reported that everything is good, and service is running well. Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. Ronnie Bates and seconded by Comm. John Salmon. After being put to a voice vote, motion carried.

HEW REPORT: Comm. Johnny Vincent, chairman, talked on the Rural Sant. Service, and how well everything was going. He also reminded everyone of the big Veterans Day Affair Nov. 11, 1989 and that all was invited. E911 was also mentioned. If it is decided in April term of court then it can still be put on the ballot in the August election. Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. Roger VanCleave and seconded by Comm. Earl Wright. After a voice vote, motion carried.

LAW ENFORCEMENT REPORT: Comm. Gerald Caldwee, chairman, reported to the court they had voted unanimously on the resolution later in the agenda. Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. James Harold Bell and seconded by Comm. George Brossard. After a voice vote, motion carried.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT REPORT: Comm. Vernon Dunn, Chairman, reported that everything is going fine with no problems. Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. Joe White and seconded by Comm. J. T. Walker. After a voice vote, motion carried.

NURSING HOME REPORT: Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. Wayne McCreight and seconded by Comm. Joe White. After a voice vote, motion carried.

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE REPORT: Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. Ronnie Bates and seconded by Comm. Roger VanCleave. After a voice vote, motion carried.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSION: Comm. Joe White nominates Co. Exec. Kerry Killebrew as chairman and Comm. James H. Bell seconded the motion. After a voice vote, motion carried.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN PROTEMPORE: Comm. Vernon Dunn made the motion to nominate Comm. Johnny Vincent as Chairman Protempore. Comm. James H. Bell seconded the motion. After a voice vote, motion carried.

APPROVAL OF STANDING COMMITTEES: Comm. Earl Wright made a motion to accept the committees as is. Comm. Lewis Garner seconded the motion. After a voice vote, motion carried. (p.719)

RESIGNATION OF DEE WRIGHT, SBM, AND APPROVAL OF REPLACEMENT: Comm. John Bucy nominates Barbara Tretham as new school board member. Comm. Sam Sinclair seconds the motion. After a voice vote, motion carried.