

SPECIAL SESSION

On the 15th of March, 1985 a special session of court was call. H. C. Brundige called the meeting to order and Sheriff Mike Wilson opened court. Comm. Sam Sinclair had invocation and County Clerk Faye Butts had roll call with 3 absent, being Comm. Wm. Mansfield, Comm. Bobby Parker and Comm. Fred Morris.

RESOLUTION NO. 1985-11

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONTRACT BETWEEN THE
STATE OF TENNESSEE, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
AND WEAKLEY COUNTY, TENNESSEE, FOR THE
HOUSING OF STATE PRISONERS

WHEREAS, TENNESSEE CODE ANNOTATED SECTION 4-3-603, provides that when it appears to the State Commissioner of Correction, in his sole discretion, that the available facilities and institutions of the State Department of Correction which are designed for the custody of prisoners are overcrowded, he shall endeavor to alleviate such overcrowded conditions by contracting with local government entities, when possible, for the care, custody, and control in local jails, workhouses, penal farms or other such facilities, of prisoners who have been committed to the State Department of Correction, or by any other means permitted by law; and,

WHEREAS, the State Commissioner of Correction has determined that such overcrowded conditions exist; and,

WHEREAS, accordingly, the State Commissioner of Correction has proposed to contract with Weakley County for the housing of State prisoners, as more fully set out in the proposed contract attached hereto; and,

WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Committee of the Weakley County Commission, and the Sheriff of Weakley County, after much study and consideration, have recommended to this legislative body that Weakley County enter into said contract with the State Department of Correction; and,

WHEREAS, the recommendation of the Law Enforcement Committee and the Sheriff, in all things, appears to be in the best interest of Weakley County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County, Tennessee, assembled in special session on the 15th day of March, 1985, that:

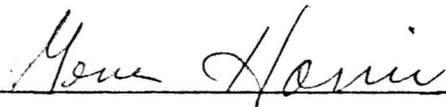
Section 1. The proposed contract, attached hereto, between The State of Tennessee, Department of Correction, and Weakley County, Tennessee, is, in all things, approved, and the County Executive and Sheriff of Weakley County are hereby authorized to execute the same for and on behalf of Weakley County, Tennessee.

Section 2. All resolutions in conflict herewith be and the same are rescinded insofar as such conflict exists.

Section 3. This resolution shall become effective immediately, the public welfare requiring it.

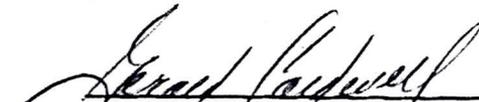
PURSUANT TO THE RULES OF THE WEAKLEY COUNTY LEGISLATIVE BODY, THIS RESOLUTION IS SPONSORED BY THE FOLLOWING COMMISSIONERS:





Duly passed and approved this 15th day of March, 1985.

APPROVED:


CHAIRMAN, LAW ENFORCEMENT
COMMITTEE

APPROVED:


County Executive

ATTESTED:


County Clerk

Upon being put to a roll call vote, motion passed. 16 yes, and 1 no, with Comm. Joe White the only no vote.

Comm. Gerald Caldwell made the motion to adjourn and Comm. James H. Bell seconded the motion.