

Resolution No. 1977-20- Attached.

RESOLUTION NO. 1977-20:

RESOLUTION OF THE QUARTERLY COUNTY COURT OF WEAKLEY COUNTY, TENNESSEE, RELATIVE TO THE ASSESSMENT OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

WHEREAS, the Assessor of Property of Weakley County has been instructed by the State Division of Property Assessments to assess tangible personal property in Weakley County; and

WHEREAS, the Assessor was instructed to send these assessment forms exclusively to business and professional firms; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 262, Public Acts of 1977, attempts to exclude farm personal property and other personal property from taxation; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 262, Public Acts of 1977 is in obvious violation of Article 2, Section 28 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee and of the 14th Amendment of the Constitution of the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Quarterly County Court of Weakley County meeting in special session this 2nd day of June, 1977, that the Assessor of Property of Weakley County is instructed to defer the assessment of commercial tangible personal property for such businesses now paying gross receipts taxes as required by Section 67-5807, Tennessee Code Annotated, until such time as a Court with competent jurisdiction shall have ruled on the constitutionality of Chapter 262, Public Acts of 1977, and the authority of the State Board of Equalization and the State Division of property Assessments to arbitrarily exclude property from taxation as required by Article 2, Section 28 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee.

Pursuant to the rules of the Weakley County Quarterly Court, this Resolution is sponsored by the following Magistrates:

/s/ John S. Harris, Jr.

/S/ James Porter

ATTESTED TO:

APPROVED:

/S/ James T. Omer

/S/ Charles T. Butts

JAMES T. OMER
COUNTY COURT CLERK

CHARLES T. BUTTS
COUNTY JUDGE

Motion made by Esq. Joe C. Hunt that Resolution No. 1977-20 be Recended, seconded by Esq. Fred Clement. Upon being put to a voice vote motion carried.

TO: WEAKLEY COUNTY QUARTERLY COURT BUDGET COMMITTEE

FROM: CHARLES T. BUTTS, COUNTY JUDGE

SUBJECT: BUDGET TRANSFERS, COUNTY GENERAL FUND

DATE: OCTOBER 3, 1977

<u>CODE</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>INCREASE</u>	<u>DECREASE</u>
110-42611.816	Vehicle Insurance (Automobiles)	\$184.00	
110-42611.905	Automobiles	\$788.72	
110-42611.165	Chief Deputy		\$972.72
110-41563.547	Book Printing and Binding		70.00
110-41563.901	Office Equipment	70.00	
110-42611.368	Dispatcher's Salary		\$750.00
110-42611.641	Office Supplies	\$750.00	

APPR VED"

/S/ James H. Westbrook, Jr.

JAMES H. WESTBROOK, JR.
CHAIRMAN, BUDGET COMMITTEE