

RESOLUTION NO. 2001-44

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF LEGISLATIVE  
AMENDMENT OF TENNESSEE CODE ANNOTATED 65-12-108

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated 65-12-108(1) requires a railroad crossing sign on every public road crossed by a railroad; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated 65-12-108(1) also requires the County Legislative Body to appropriate money to defray the expenses of the signs regardless of whether the public road in question is a county road or a road within a municipality of the County; and

WHEREAS, Weakley County has submitted a Resolution requesting Legislative amendment of Tennessee Code Annotated 65-12-108 providing that either the railroad companies be responsible for the costs of placing crossing signs at every public road crossed by a railroad or that each city or municipality within the State be responsible for the signs placed at public crossings within the city limits of each municipality and that the county be responsible only for signs erected on roads which are the responsibility of the county.

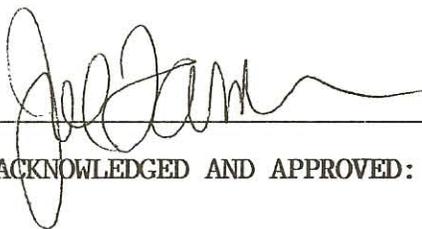
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Weakley County Board of Commissioners assembled in regular session on this the 26th day of March, 2001, in Dresden, Tennessee, that it supports the requested Legislative amendment of Tennessee Code Annotated 65-12-108.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Clerk send a copy of this Resolution to the State Senator and State Representative for Weakley County, Tennessee, and to the other Counties of the State evidencing the action taken by the Board of Commissioners for Weakley County, Tennessee.

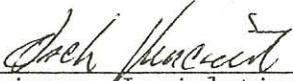
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions of the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County, Tennessee, which are in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it. This resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners.

Pursuant to the Rules of the Commission, this Resolution is sponsored by the following members of the Weakley County Board of County Commissioners:

  
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ACKNOWLEDGED AND APPROVED:

  
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Chairman, Legislative Committee

Motion made by Commissioner Westbrook that the foregoing resolution be adopted. Motion seconded by Commissioner Vincent. Upon being put to a roll call vote, Motion carried by a vote of:  
YEAS 18, NAYS 0, PASSED 0, ABSENT 2.

ATTESTED:  
  
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Pat Scarbrough, County Clerk

APPROVED:  
  
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Ron Gifford, County Executive

THIS THE 26TH DAY OF MARCH, 2001