

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-07

**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A REAPPORTIONMENT/REDISTRICTING
PLAN FOR WEAKLEY COUNTY**

WHEREAS, *Tennessee Code Annotated* (T.C.A.) Section 5-1-111, requires that, at least every ten (10) years, county legislative bodies shall change the boundaries of districts or redistricts a county entirely if necessary to apportion the county legislative body so that the members represent substantially equal populations; and

WHEREAS, Weakley County has prepared a plan consistent with the provisions of T.C.A. § 5-1-111, which provides for a county legislative body composed of 18 members and which creates (9) districts as depicted on the official redistricting map for Weakley County prepared pursuant to T.C.A. § 5-1-110; and

WHEREAS, Weakley County has prepared a plan consistent with the provision of T.C.A. § 5-1-111, which provides for a county board of education composed of nine (9) members and which creates (9) districts as depicted on the official redistricting map for Weakley County prepared pursuant to T.C.A. § 5-1-110.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Weakley County Legislative Body meeting in regular session in Dresden, Tennessee on this 19th day of September, 2011, that:

SECTION 1. There is hereby adopted a reapportionment plan for Weakley County which provides for two (2) commissioners in each of the nine (9) districts for a total county legislative body of 18 members. The districts for members of the county legislative body are depicted on the official redistricting map for Weakley County prepared pursuant to T.C.A. § 5-1-110. A copy of the redistricting map is attached as Exhibit A to the resolution and is incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. All members of the county legislative body shall be elected at large within the district wherein the candidate seeks election. The candidates receiving the greatest number of votes in each district shall be elected.

SECTION 3. There is hereby adopted a reapportionment plan for the Weakley County board of education which provides for one (1) member from each of the nine (9) districts for a total county board of education of nine (9) members to be elected as provided by Chapter 80, Private Acts of 2002. The districts for members of the county board of education are depicted on the official redistricting map from Weakley County prepared pursuant to T.C.A. § 5-1-110. A copy of the districting map is attached as Exhibit A to the resolution and is incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 4. A member of the county board of education shall be elected at large within the district wherein the candidate seeks election. The candidate receiving the greatest number of votes in each district shall be elected.

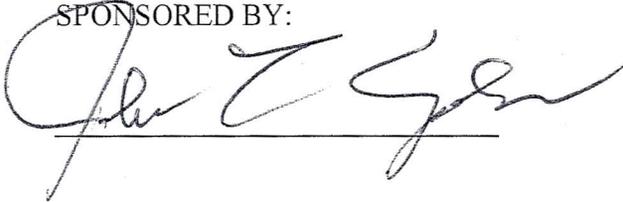
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, this plan shall take effect upon passage, the public welfare requiring it, provided that vacancies shall be filled in accordance with T.C.A. § 5-1-104.

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 rescinded.

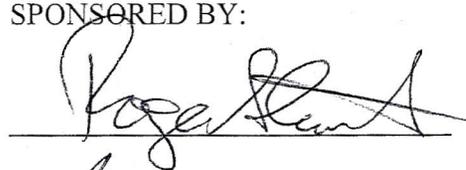
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution take effect immediately from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it. This resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners.

Pursuant To The Rules Of The Commission, This Resolution Is Sponsored By The Following Members Of The Weakley County Board Of County Commissioners:

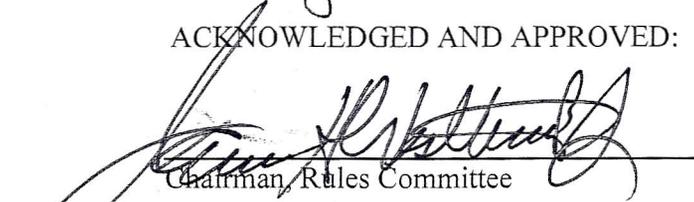
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ACKNOWLEDGED AND APPROVED:



Chairman, Rules Committee

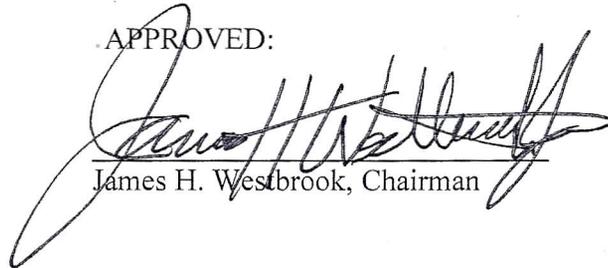
Motion made by Commissioner Jones that the foregoing resolution be adopted: Motion seconded by Commissioner Farmer.

Upon being put to a roll call vote, Motion carried by a vote of 14 Yeas, 4 Nays, 0 Passed and 0 Absent.

ATTESTED:

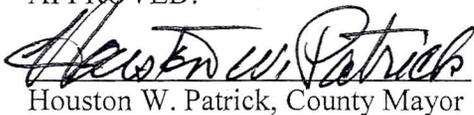

Pat Scarbrough, County Clerk

APPROVED:


James H. Westbrook, Chairman

THIS THE 19th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2011.

APPROVED:


Houston W. Patrick, County Mayor

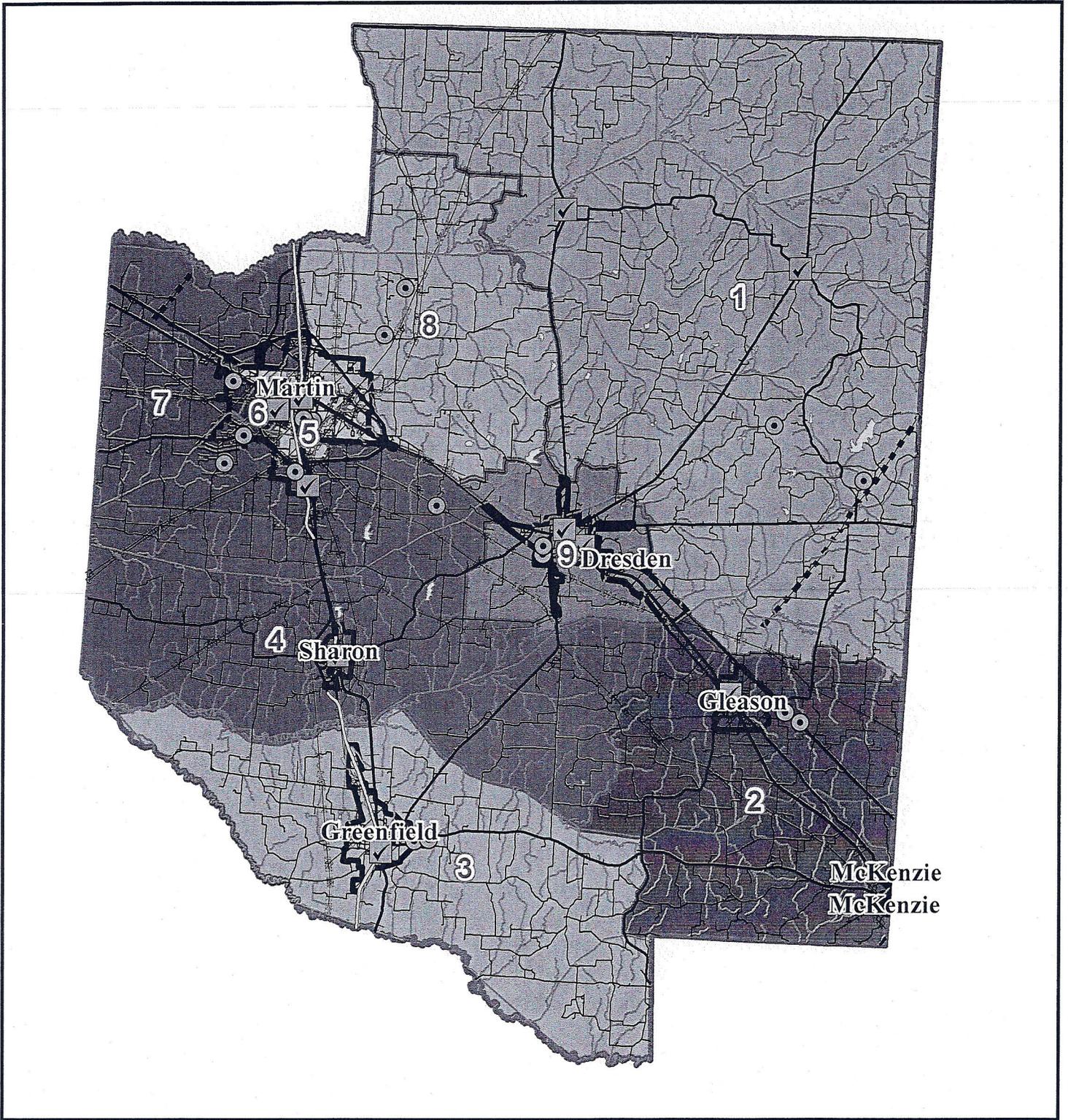
VETOED:

Houston W. Patrick, County Mayor

DATE: 09-22-11

DATE: _____

Weakley Proposed Commissioner Districts



DIST	COMS	TOTAL	DEV	% DEV	WHPOP	% WHPOP	BLPOP	% BLPOP	OTHER	% OTHER	HISPOP	% HISPOP
1	2	3971	79.78	2.05	3877	97.63%	11	0.28%	83	2.09%	52	1.31%
2	2	4012	120.78	3.1%	3849	95.94%	90	2.24%	73	1.82%	67	1.67%
3	2	3710	-181.2	-4.66	3447	92.91%	207	5.58%	56	1.51%	32	0.86%
4	2	3716	-175.2	-4.5%	3490	93.92%	159	4.28%	67	1.8%	51	1.37%
5	2	3920	28.78	0.74	3185	81.25%	525	13.39%	210	5.36%	96	2.45%
6	2	4006	114.78	2.95	3027	75.56%	679	16.95%	300	7.49%	82	2.05%
7	2	3822	-69.22	-1.78	3431	89.77%	283	7.4%	108	2.83%	154	4.03%
8	2	4080	188.78	4.85	3313	81.2%	614	15.05%	153	3.75%	119	2.92%
9	2	3784	-107.2	-2.76	3505	92.63%	168	4.44%	111	2.93%	47	1.24%