

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-04

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF NEW BUILDING FOR THE CARL PERKINS CENTER FOR THE PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE AND TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE PROJECT

WHEREAS, The Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is a multi-function organization that focuses on the health and welfare of abused and neglected children; and

WHEREAS, The Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is located in Martin, Tennessee, and provides services such as counseling, parenting classes, education, employment search assistance, and low income food pantry services for children, adults, families, and caregivers all across Weakley County; and

WHEREAS, The Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is an essential service that benefits the welfare of the citizens and residents of Weakley County; and

WHEREAS, The Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is located in a building with substantial structural deficiencies, including roof leaks, damage to the walls, ceilings and carpeting, lack of privacy, inadequate space, that has created significant health and safety hazards to both staff and clients, and

WHEREAS, the costs of renovation at the current location are both impractical and far exceed the value of the building; and

WHEREAS, The Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse Board of Directors has submitted a proposal for the construction of a new operations facility to provide services for the citizens of Weakley County; and

WHEREAS, whereas the Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse Board of Directors have requested Weakley County to assist in the fundraising effort for the project by contributing \$100,000 to be spread over the next five years: \$10,000 for the first year (17-18 FY) and \$22,500 each year for the next four year (2018-19 FY, 2019-20 FY, 2020-21 FY, and 2021-22 FY.)

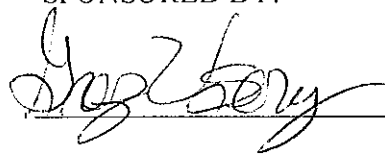
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the county legislative body of Weakley County, Tennessee, assembled in regular session on this the 27th day of July, 2017 in Dresden, Tennessee, does hereby affirm its support of the building project for Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse and participation in assisting with its funding.

NOW, THEREFORE 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.

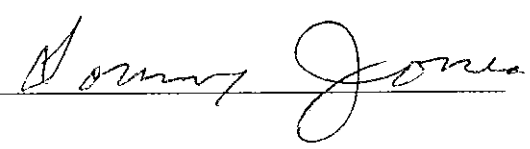
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it. This resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners.

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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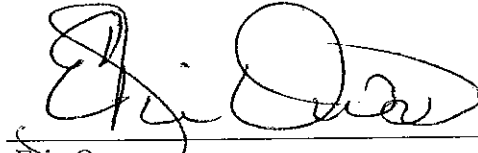


ACKNOWLEDGED AND APPROVED:



Scott Fortner
Chairperson, Public Safety Committee

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Eric Owen
Chairperson, Finance, Ways and Means Committee

Motion made by Commissioner Donaldson that the foregoing resolution be adopted:

Motion seconded by Commissioner Fortner.

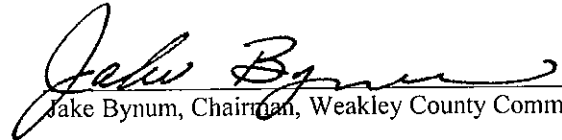
Upon being put to a voice vote, motion carried by a vote of

15 Yeas, 1 Nays, 0 Passed and 2 Absent.

ATTESTED:


Kim Hughey, Weakley County Court Clerk

APPROVED:


Jake Bynum, Chairman, Weakley County Commission

This the 27th day of July, 2017.