

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-16**

**RESOLUTION TO URGE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO SUPPORT RESTORATION OF REGISTERS COMMISSION**

**WHEREAS**, the registers of deeds were entitled to retain a five percent (5)% commission for collecting state taxes levied under T.C.A. § 67-4-409 prior to 2006; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2006 T.C.A. § 67-4-409 was amended by Public Chapter 989 to provide that fifty-two percent (52%) of the registers' commission was to be retained by the state and credited to the state general fund; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Officials Association of Tennessee will seek legislation to restore the entire five percent (5%) commission to the registers of deeds.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the county legislative body of Weakley County, Tennessee, assembled in regular session on this the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018, in Dresden, Tennessee, that the Tennessee General Assembly is strongly urged to support this legislation restoring the full five percent (5%) commission to the registers of deeds.

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

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the county clerk shall mail certified copies of this resolution to the members of the Tennessee General Assembly representing the people of Weakley County and send a copy to the executive director of the County Officials Association of 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the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County, Tennessee, which are in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed.

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

**SPONSORED BY:**

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David Hawks

Jack Murrell

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

Motion seconded by Commissioner Westbrook.

Upon being put to a <sup>voice</sup>~~roll-call~~ vote, motion carried by a vote of

18 Yeas, 0 Nays, 0 Passed, and 0 Absent.

**ATTESTED:**

**APPROVED:**

Kim Hughey  
Kim Hughey, County Clerk

Jake Bynum  
Jake Bynum, Chairman, County Mayor

This is the 19<sup>th</sup> Day of November, 2018.