REGULAR SESSION **JUNE 3rd, 2019**

The Bradley County Commission meets in REGULAR SESSION at 7:00 P.M. EDST on June 3rd, 2019, at the Bradley County Courthouse in Cleveland, Tennessee. D. Gary Davis, County Mayor; Donna A. Simpson, County Clerk; and Crystal Freiberg, County Attorney are present. On roll call the following Commissioners are present: DENNIS EPPERSON, LOUIE ALFORD, THOMAS L. CRYE, MILAN M. BLAKE, JOHNNY MULL, CHARLOTTE PEAK, BOBBY GOINS, JEFF YARBER, TIM MASON, ERICA DAVIS, KEVIN RAPER and BILL WINTERS. Commissioners MIKE HUGHES and HOWARD LEWIS THOMPSON are absent. TOTAL PRESENT: 12; ABSENT: 2. There is a quorum present and Chairman Johnny Mull calls the meeting to order.

Commissioner Bobby Goins moves that the Minutes of the May 20th, 2019, REGULAR SESSION be approved; Commissioner Jeff Yarber seconds the motion. On roll call the Commissioners vote as follows: Epperson, aye; Alford, aye; Crye, aye; Blake, aye; Mull, aye; Peak, aye; Goins, aye; Yarber, aye; Mason, aye; Davis, aye; Raper, aye; and Winters, aye. TOTAL FOR: 12; OPPOSES: NONE; ABSENT: 2. The motion passes.

Commissioner Jeff Yarber moves to approve the Consent Agenda; Commissioner Bill Winters seconds the motion. On roll call the Commissioners vote as follows: Epperson, aye; Alford, aye; Crye, aye; Blake, aye; Mull, aye; Peak, aye; Goins, aye; Yarber, aye; Mason, aye; Davis, aye; Raper, aye; and Winters, aye. TOTAL FOR: 12; OPPOSES: NONE; ABSENT: 2. The motion passes.

CONSENT AGENDA RECORDED AS AN ATTACHMENT

Commissioner Jeff Yarber moves that we encourage Department Heads to apply stair step raises starting with the lower salaries and up; Commissioner Charlotte Peak seconds the motion. Ten votes are required since this is not an Agenda Item. On roll call the Commissioners vote as follows: Epperson, aye; Alford, aye; Crye, aye; Blake, aye; Mull, aye; Peak, aye; Goins, aye; Yarber, aye; Mason, aye; Davis, aye; Raper, aye; and Winters, aye. TOTAL FOR: 12; OPPOSES: NONE; ABSENT: 2. The motion passes.

Commissioner Jeff Yarber moves that the Meeting Agenda be approved; Commissioner Charlotte Peak seconds the motion. On roll call the Commissioners vote as follows: Epperson, aye; Alford, aye; Crye, aye; Blake, aye; Mull, aye; Peak, aye; Goins, aye; Yarber, aye; Mason, aye; Davis, aye; Raper, aye; and Winters, aye. TOTAL FOR: 12; OPPOSES: NONE; ABSENT: 2. The motion passes.

MEETING AGENDA RECORDED AS AN ATTACHMENT

Commissioner Thomas Crye puts in the form of a motion to direct the County Commission to publish notice of our intent to exceed the certified tax rate and to announce a public hearing at noon on July 8, 2019, in the County Commission room as part of the Work Session; Commissioner Bill Winters seconds the motion. On roll call the Commissioners vote as follows: Epperson, nay; Alford, aye; Crye, aye; Blake, aye; Mull, aye; Peak, nay; Goins, aye; Yarber, aye; Mason, nay; Davis, aye; Raper, aye; and Winters, aye. The Clerk asks if anyone would like to change their vote. TOTAL FOR: 9; OPPOSES: 3; ABSENT: 2. The motion passes.

There is no further business to come before the Commission and on a motion by Commissioner Jeff Yarber, the Commission adjourns at 8:47 P.M. EDST.

Johnny Mull, Chairman
Bradley County Commission

Donna A. Simpson
Bradley County Clerk