



Bradley County Commission
Johnny Mull, Chairman
VOTING SESSION AGENDA
May 3, 2021, at 7:00p.m.
Bradley County Courthouse

1. Call to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Invocation – Amy Wilson, Director of Family Cornerstone Ministries
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Minutes
6. Report from County Mayor
7. Consent Agenda (see pages 3-4)
8. Reports from Committees and/or Districts
9. Unfinished Business
10. Approval of Agenda
11. Agenda Items
 - A. Motion to send a letter to Governor Bill Lee and the Bradley County Legislative Delegation requesting state aid for counties be included in the fiscal year 2021-2022 budget (see pages 5-6) – Commissioner Milan Blake
12. Communication from the audience
13. Announcements
14. Adjourn

Next meeting: Work Session – Monday, May 10, at 12:00p.m., Bradley County Courthouse

Upcoming Events

*National Day of Prayer, May 6, at 11:00a.m., First Baptist Church

*Legal & Legislative Committee, May 10, at 11:00a.m., Courthouse

*Building & Land Committee, May 10, at 1:00p.m., Courthouse



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CONSENT AGENDA

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REQUESTS TO DISPOSE OF ASSETS

1. Road Department request to dispose of 2013 computer tower asset number 700598 (see page 4)

NOTARIES PUBLIC

2. Notaries public (will be presented at the meeting)

SCRAP AND SURPLUS PROPERTY DISPOSAL AUTHORIZATION FORM

Note: For Vehicle Disposition Use "Change of Vehicle Status Form"

This form is to be completed in accordance with Bradley County general fixed assets policies and procedures for declaring property surplus or scrap and to make the property available for redeployment, sale or disposal.

SALE _____ SCRAP TRANSFER _____ TRADE-IN _____

DEPARTMENT: ROAD

CONTACT PERSON: JORDAN HAYES

DATE: 4/26/21

PHONE NUMBER: 423-728-7006

List and describe each item to be declared scrap/surplus – List only one item per form except for matching items.

Complete Description – Include color, materials, measurements, condition, etc. _____

Computer tower - 2013 model

Serial Number: 20130413

Item Location (Building/Office) Sign Shop

Asset Number: 700598

Original Price: \$ 1,306.00

Current Value: \$ 0

Purchase Date: 5/9/13

Does the item include memory? Yes If memory, date cleaned by department: 4/26/21

Disposition of Property Described Above

Price: \$ _____

Disposal Date: _____

Auctioned/Scraped by _____

If transfer, which department _____

Approved by: [Signature] 4-26-21
Department head/Elected official Date

SUBMIT THIS FORM TO: FINANCE OFFICE/PURCHASING

*Must submit form to Finance Office/Purchasing one week prior to voting session.
County Commission approval is required prior to disposal.*



OFFICE OF THE BRADLEY COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN

May 4, 2021

Honorable Bill Lee
1st Floor, State Capitol
Nashville, TN 37243

Dear Governor Lee:

Our state has been ravaged by tornadoes, flooding, and a global pandemic. We, the Bradley County Commission, are appreciative that your acumen has, and continues to, guide our state through this historic and unprecedented time.

Last year, recognizing the critical need to stabilize our state's economy and to ensure service, you included in the fiscal year 2021 budget timely, vital funding that got all Tennessee counties through the year. Bradley County appreciatively accepted the funds that allowed the continuation of uninterrupted, normal governmental service, and the offset Covid related precipitous declines in revenue. Endeavoring to be prudent stewards of what you entrusted to us, the funds were used for bonus payments to our first responders, bridge construction and repair, road improvement, purchase of a knuckle boom truck, upgrades to the Bradley County Justice Center, Courthouse, and Juvenile Center, two ambulance re-chasses, and body cameras for our Bradley County Sheriff's Deputies. As you can see, we stretched every dollar you provided to address critical governmental needs. We profoundly appreciate the \$1.6 million investment in Bradley County and the flexibility to address some of our most pressing needs.

As we began the budget preparation process earlier this year, we learned of the federal American Rescue Plan to allocate funds to localities focusing on rescue and recovery. To date, we do not yet know the constraints and limitations of the federal funds, but have been led to believe there will be stringent guidelines. The amount earmarked for Bradley County, and many Tennessee counties, is sizable, but the vague restrictions do not ensure they will be used.

Certainly, we appreciate the federal funds and will endeavor to properly utilize them, but hope the promise of federal dollars to localities does not impact your decision to include state grant funds for counties in the next fiscal year budget. We respectfully request you please include state grant funds in the upcoming budget. We fully agree that

infrastructure, safety obligations, and other absolute needs would especially benefit from combining state and local dollars in the next year. We ask that you please continue robust support of counties with state grants and maintain the approach to maintain local control whenever possible and to focus on what we can directly impact. Together, we can indeed traverse the remaining days of this pandemic, maintain our services, improve our facilities, make a difference in the lives of our residents, and maintain the hopeful state of our state.

Sincerely,

Johnny Mull, Chairman

cc: Senator Mike Bell
Senator Todd Gardenhire
Representative Mark Hall
Representative Dan Howell