

STATE OF TENNESSEE  
COUNTY OF GREENE

GREENE COUNTY LEGISLATIVE BODY  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2010  
10:00 A.M.

The Greene County Legislative Body met in regular session on, Monday, December 20, 2010 at the Greene County Courthouse for the regular monthly meeting of the County Commission. Mayor Broyles called the meeting to order to transact business that is to lawfully come before this Honorable Body. Commissioner Hilton Seay led the Pledge to the Flag, followed by Prayer led by Commissioner Rollins. The Commissioners signed in on their key pads and the following Commissioners were present: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White. There were 21 Commissioners present.

## APPROVAL OF PRIOR MINUTES

A motion was made by Commissioner Greenway and seconded by Commissioner Sauceman to approve prior minutes. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the prior minutes.

## PUBLIC HEARING

Mayor Broyles recognized members of the Greeneville High School Football Team, Coaches and the Greeneville High School Girls Cross Country Team and congratulated them on winning state championships noting that we will have more for them next month.

The Mayor noted that the Commission meetings in January and February will be on Tuesday, Jan. 18 and Feb. 22 due to holidays during those months.

Mr. Bill Guinn spoke in favor of the Bottle Bill saying the bill would create jobs, make strong solid waste departments and clean up roads and waterways. Dr. Davis, coordinator and lobbyist for the bill said that 16 counties have endorsed it and one is re-voting. The program would be overseen by TDEC and all funds would be from the program.

Mr. Mark Freshour was called on by Commissioner Hopson and spoke in opposition to the "bottle bill" saying it puts a burden on retailers, costs more money and will undermine current recycling efforts. He is doubtful that funds taken in will cover the cost of operation.

Mr. John Cox was called on by Commissioner Seay. He spoke saying that the Commissioners do not know enough about the "bottle bill" to vote either way. He also noted that a different authority should be used dealing with speed limits in Greene County and that signs may be required on all roads anyway. He recommended tabling the resolution and getting CTAS here to speak to the Commission. Later during the meeting Attorney Woolsey noted that he has spoken to CTAS and it is their opinion that the County Commission can set speed limits and that a notice should be given in some

manner to every citizen who drives the roads. Commissioner Bird asked that a lower limit be put on the roads and that the resolution be pulled and studies more and do the second reading later.

Dr. Kirk spoke on the Beliefs, Vision and Mission statement of the County School System.

## REPORTS

There were reports from the Solid Waste Dept. and Committee minutes in the package.

**RESOLUTION TO BUDGET MAINTENANCE OF  
CIVIL WAR TRAILS SIGNS IN  
THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUND**

- WHEREAS,** the Civil War Trails program is a multi-state project to promote tourism of Civil War sights and to provide a variety of program and marketing efforts to enhance tourism in the States and that does include Greene County ; and
- WHEREAS,** funding to erect six Civil War markers was provided by other sources and were erected during August of 2009; and
- WHEREAS,** the Greene County Commission voted on September 15, 2008 to fund a portion of the annual maintenance/membership fee in the amount of \$600 to insure the maintenance of the historical and directional signs and that said funding be derived and taken from the portion of the hotel/motel tax allocated for the performing arts for Greene County; and

**THEREFORE,** let the Economic Development Fund budget be amended as follows:

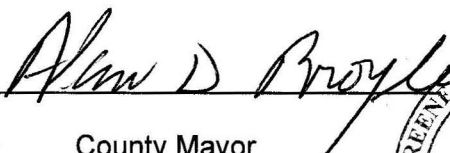
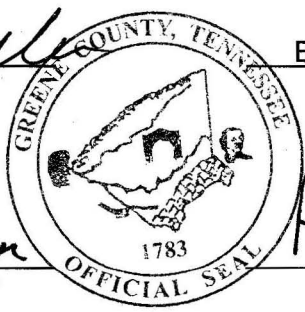
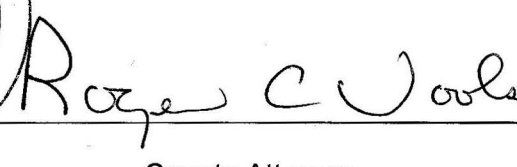
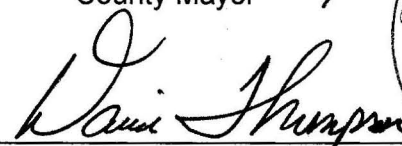
**INCREASE BUDGETED FUND BALANCE**

34535	Restricted for Social, Cultural, and Recreational Services	\$	600
	Total adjustment to budgeted fund balance	\$	600

**INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS**

91150	Social, Cultural, and Recreational Services		
316	Contributions	\$	600
	Total increase in appropriations	\$	600

**NOW, THEREFORE;** be it resolved by the Greene County Legislative Body meeting in regular session this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that the budget be amended as above.

		
County Mayor	Budget and Finance Committee	Sponsor
 12-20-2010		
County Clerk		County Attorney

A RESOLUTION TO BUDGET MAINTENANCE OF CIVIL WAR TRAILS SIGNS IN  
THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUND

A motion was made by Commissioner Grogan and seconded by Commissioner Kiker to approve a resolution to budget maintenance of Civil War Trails signs in the Economic Development Fund. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Holt, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Seay, Waddle and White voted aye. Commissioners Hopson, Hensley, and Sams voted no. The vote was 18 – aye; 3 no. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the resolution.

Prior to the vote Tammy Kinser with the Greene County Partnership explained the need for the signs and that the maintenance fee is also a marketing fee.

**A RESOLUTION TO SET SPEED LIMITS  
ON ALL COUNTY ROADS  
(Second Reading)**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to *Tennessee Code Annotated §55-8-152(d)(1)(A)*, counties and municipalities are authorized to establish speed limits upon any highway or public road in the State of Tennessee within their jurisdiction, except that in school zones and at entrances and exits to and from controlled access highways which are already established; and

**WHEREAS**, unless otherwise posted, the speed limit on all highways and roads within the State of Tennessee is 65 miles per hour except on controlled access highways with four or more lanes (interstate highways) where the speed limit is 70 miles per hour; and

**WHEREAS**, from time to time the Greene County Legislative Body has exercised its jurisdiction in establishing speed limits on various county roads within Greene County; and

**WHEREAS**, after further consideration and in an attempt to provide some uniformity and consistency in establishing speed limits on county roads and to increase public safety, the Road Committee for the Greene County Legislative Body has determined that it would be advantageous to establish a maximum speed limit on all county roads that is within the jurisdiction of the Greene County Legislative Body; and

**WHEREAS**, after further study and deliberation the Road Committee is recommending that the speed limits be set on all marked county roads (marked being defined as a county road with the centerline marked or identified) of 45 miles per hour and all unmarked county roads shall have a speed limit of 30 miles per hour; and

**WHEREAS**, the speed limits above designated, that is 45 miles per hour for marked county roads and 30 miles per hour for unmarked county roads shall be established for all county roads except those county roads or portions thereof that are clearly marked with a lower speed limit than above stated (for instances a at school zone, dangerous intersection, or curve.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Greene County Legislative Body, meeting in regular session on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that, pursuant to, *Tennessee Code Annotated §55-8-152(d)(1)(A)*, the speed limits for all county roads that are marked with a center dividing line or lines be 45 miles per hour and that all unmarked county roads be 30 miles per hour with the exception that any

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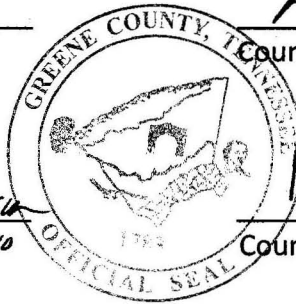
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County Attorney  
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Greeneville, TN 37745  
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posted speed limits denoting a lower speed limit such as for school zones, dangerous intersections, etc. shall remain as established and posted.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the effective date of this Resolution shall be January 1, 2011.

Highway Committee  
Sponsor

Chris Thompson  
County Clerk 12-20-2010



Alan D. Proyle  
County Mayor

Rog C. Vandy  
County Attorney

A RESOLUTION TO SET SPEED LIMITS ON ALL COUNTY ROADS (SECOND  
READING)

A motion was made by Commissioner Holt and seconded by Commissioner Quillen to approve a resolution to set speed limits on all county roads (second reading).

Commissioner Holt then made a motion to amend the resolution to say 40 mph on marked roads instead of 45 mph. The motion died due to lack of a second.

Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bowers, Carter, Greenway, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Waddle and White voted aye. Commissioners Bird, Seay, Grogan, Crum, and Sams voted no. The vote was 16 – aye; 5 - no. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the resolution.

## ELECTION OF NOTARIES

Mayor Broyles asked the Clerk to read a list of names requesting to be notaries to the Commission. Clerk, David Thompson, read the list. A motion was made by Commissioner Waddle and seconded by Commissioner Moss to approve the list. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the notaries.

# **ELECTION OF NOTARIES**

December 20, 2010

BRIAN ALLEN	RENEWAL
ROSALIE BROOKS	RENEWAL
THOMAS COBBLE	RENEWAL
LORI DUNN	RENEWAL
BRIAN HACKETT	RENEWAL
REBECCA HETRICK	RENEWAL
EDWARD HORTON	NEW
SANDRA JENNINGS	NEW
JESSICA JOHNSON	NEW
KAREN KNIGHT	RENEWAL
CALLIE LINDAAS	NEW
TARA RENNER	NEW
RALPH RODERICK	NEW
TERRY SHELTON	RENEWAL
BRENDA WEST	NEW
TAMERA WILDS	RENEWAL

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE GENERAL FUND BUDGET FOR  
REVENUES RECEIVED BY THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

**WHEREAS,** the Greene County Sheriff's Dept. has received donations totaling \$600 from J & N Calendars ; and

**WHEREAS,** the Sheriff wishes to expend those funds during the current fiscal year and

**WHEREAS,** the Greene County Sheriff's Department received \$21,062 from a paving company for cruiser services provided while work was being performed on Interstate 81; and

**WHEREAS,** the Sheriff now wishes to expend these amounts in a different department than originally budgeted in November, 2010;

**THEREFORE,** let the General Fund Budget be amended as follows:

**INCREASE BUDGETED REVENUES**

48610	Donations	\$ 600
<b>Total adjustment to budgeted revenue</b>		<b>\$ 600</b>

**DECREASE APPROPRIATIONS**

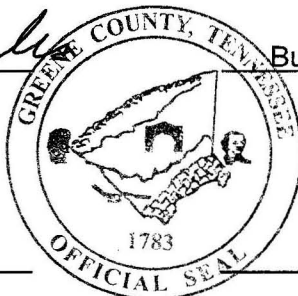
54120	Special Patrols	
425	Gasoline	\$ 21,062
<b>Total decrease to appropriations</b>		<b>\$ 21,062</b>

**INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS**

54110	Sheriff	
316	Contributions	\$ 600
425	Gasoline	21,062
<b>Total increase to appropriations</b>		<b>\$ 21,662</b>


**NOW, THEREFORE;** be it resolved by the Greene County Legislative Body meeting in regular session this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that the budget be amended as above.

  
County Mayor



Budget and Finance Committee

Sponsor

  
12-20-2010  
County Clerk

  
County Attorney

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A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE BUDGET FOR REVENUES RECEIVED BY THE  
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

A motion was made by Commissioner Bowers and seconded by Commissioner Greenway to approve a resolution to amend the budget for revenues received by the Sheriff's Department. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the resolution.

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE HIGHWAY FUND  
2010-2011 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET  
FOR REIMBURSEMENTS RECEIVED FROM  
THE TOWN OF BAILEYTON**

**WHEREAS** the Greene County Highway Department has received a reimbursement for work performed for the Town of Baileyton totaling \$14,779; and

**WHEREAS** this amount was not included in the original budget for the current year; and

**WHEREAS** the Greene County Highway Superintendent wishes to have the budget amended for these additional revenues; and

**THEREFORE,** let the Highway Fund Budget be amended as follows:

**INCREASE ESTIMATED REVENUE:**

48120	Paving & Maintenance	<u>\$ 14,779</u>
Total increase to estimated revenues		<u><u>\$ 14,779</u></u>

**INCREASE IN APPROPRIATIONS:**

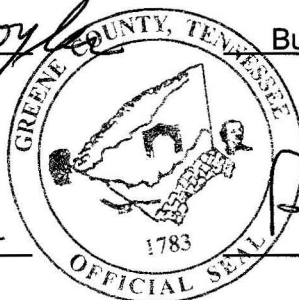
68000	Capital Outlay	
714	Highway Equipment	<u>\$ 14,779</u>
Total increase in appropriations		<u><u>\$ 14,779</u></u>

**NOW, THEREFORE;** be it resolved by the Greene County Legislative Body meeting in regular session this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that the budget be amended as above.

Alan D. Broyles Budget and Finance Committee  
County Mayor

Sponsor

Dana Thompson  
12-20-2010  
County Clerk



Roy C. Woolley  
County Attorney

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A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE HIGHWAY FUND 2010-2011 FISCAL YEAR  
BUDGET FOR REIMBURSEMENTS RECEIVED FROM THE TOWN OF  
BAILEYTON

A motion was made by Commissioner Greenway and seconded by Commissioner Quillen to approve a resolution to amend the Highway Fund 2010-2011 fiscal year budget for reimbursements received from the Town of Baileyton. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the resolution.

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE HIGHWAY FUND 2010-2011  
FISCAL YEAR BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS  
EQUIPMENT AND TO INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE  
EXPENDITURE OF THE FUNDS RECEIVED**

**WHEREAS** the Greene County sold various highway equipment on November 13, 2010; and

**WHEREAS** the amount received from the sale was not included in the original budget for the current year; and

**WHEREAS** the Greene County Highway Superintendent wishes to have the budget amended for these additional revenues and expenditures; and

**THEREFORE,** let the Highway Fund Budget be amended as follows:

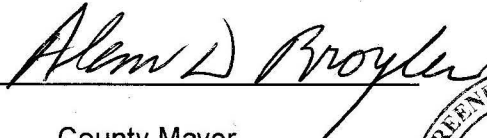
**INCREASE ESTIMATED REVENUE:**

44530	Sale of Equipment	\$ 6,907
Total increase to estimated revenues		<u>\$ 6,907</u>

**INCREASE IN APPROPRIATIONS:**

61000	Administration	
599	Other Charges	\$ 158
68000	Capital Outlay	
714	Highway Equipment	<u>6,749</u>
Total increase in appropriations		<u>\$ 6,907</u>


**NOW, THEREFORE;** be it resolved by the Greene County Legislative Body meeting in regular session this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December 2010, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that the budget be amended as above.



County Mayor

Budget and Finance Committee

Sponsor

  
12-20-2010

County Clerk





County Attorney

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE HIGHWAY FUND 2010-2011 FISCAL YEAR  
BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS EQUIPMENT AND TO  
INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF THE  
FUNDS RECEIVED**

A motion was made by Commissioner Hopson and seconded by  
Commissioner Bowers to amend the Highway Fund 2010-2011 fiscal year budget for  
revenues from the sale of surplus equipment and to increase appropriations to allow for  
the expenditure of the funds received. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to  
vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners  
Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King,  
Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White  
voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to  
approve the resolution.

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE HIGHWAY FUND  
2010-2011 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET  
FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SCRAP METAL**

**WHEREAS** the Greene County Highway Department has received \$4733 from the sale of scrap metal from old equipment; and

**WHEREAS** this amounts was not included in the original budget for the current year; and

**WHEREAS** the Greene County Highway Superintendent wishes to have the budget amended for these additional revenues; and

**THEREFORE,** let the Highway Fund Budget be amended as follows:

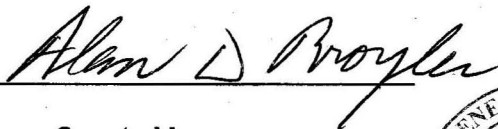
**INCREASE ESTIMATED REVENUE:**

44145	Sale of Recycled Materials	\$ 4,738
Total increase to estimated revenues		<u>\$ 4,738</u>

**INCREASE IN APPROPRIATIONS:**

68000	Capital Outlay	
714	Highway Equipment	<u>\$ 4,738</u>
Total increase in appropriations		<u>\$ 4,738</u>

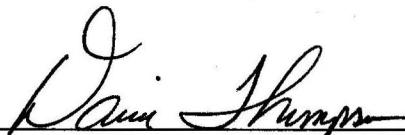
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County Mayor

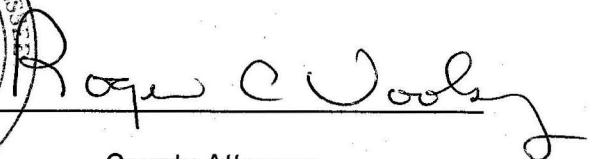
Budget and Finance Committee

Sponsor

  
12-20-2010

County Clerk





County Attorney

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**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE HIGHWAY FUND 2010-2011 FISCAL YEAR  
BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SCRAP METAL**

A motion was made by Commissioner Sauceman and seconded by Commissioner Quillen to amend the Highway Fund 2010-2011 fiscal year budget for revenues from the sale of scrap metal. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the resolution.

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE SOLID WASTE FUND 2010-2011  
FISCAL YEAR BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS  
EQUIPMENT AND TO INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE  
EXPENDITURE OF THE FUNDS RECEIVED**

**WHEREAS** the Greene County sold various solid waste equipment on November 13, 2010; and

**WHEREAS** the amount received from the sale was not included in the original budget for the current year; and

**WHEREAS** the Greene County Solid Waste Director wishes to have the budget amended for these additional revenues and expenditures; and

**THEREFORE,** let the Solid Waste Fund Budget be amended as follows:

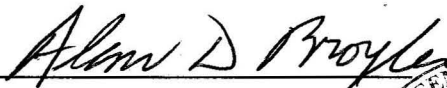
**INCREASE ESTIMATED REVENUE:**

44530	Sale of Equipment	\$ 4,350
Total increase to estimated revenues		<u>\$ 4,350</u>

**INCREASE IN APPROPRIATIONS:**

55710	Administration	
599	Other Charges	\$ 99
418	Equipment & Machinery Parts	<u>\$ 4,251</u>
Total increase in appropriations		<u>\$ 4,350</u>

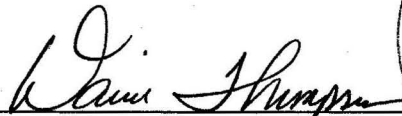
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County Mayor

Budget and Finance Committee

Sponsor

  
12-20-2010

County Clerk





County Attorney

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE SOLID WASTE FUND 2010-2011 FISCAL  
YEAR BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS EQUIPMENT  
AND TO INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE EXPENDITURE  
OF THE FUNDS RECEIVED

A motion was made by Commissioner Carter and seconded by  
Commissioner Greenway to approve a resolution to amend the Solid Waste Fund 2010-  
2011 fiscal year budget for revenues from the sale of surplus equipment and to increase  
appropriations to allow for the expenditure of the funds received. Mayor Broyles called  
for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was  
taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt,  
Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay,  
Waddle and White voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor  
of the motion to approve the resolution.

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE DRUG CONTROL FUND 2010-2011  
FISCAL YEAR BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS  
EQUIPMENT AND TO INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE  
EXPENDITURE OF THE FUNDS RECEIVED**

**WHEREAS** the Greene County sold various equipment owned by the Drug Control Fund on November 13, 2010; and

**WHEREAS** the amount received from the sale was not included in the original budget for the current year; and

**WHEREAS** the Greene County Sheriff wishes to have the budget amended for these additional revenues and expenditures; and

**THEREFORE,** let the Drug Control Fund Budget be amended as follows:

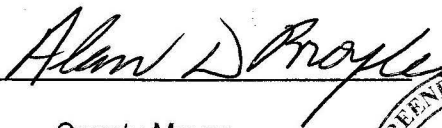
**INCREASE ESTIMATED REVENUE:**

44530	Sale of Equipment	\$ 3,050
Total increase to estimated revenues		<u>\$ 3,050</u>

**INCREASE IN APPROPRIATIONS:**

54110	Sheriff's Department	
599	Other Charges	\$ 70
716	Law Enforcement Equipment	<u>\$ 2,980</u>
Total increase in appropriations		<u>\$ 3,050</u>

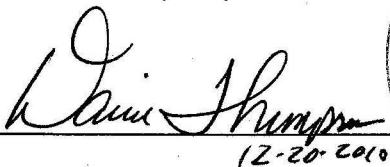
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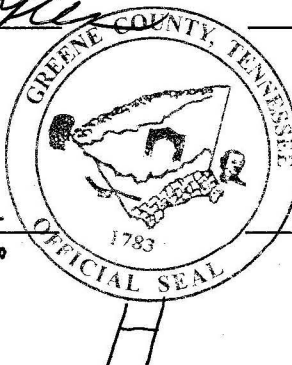
County Mayor

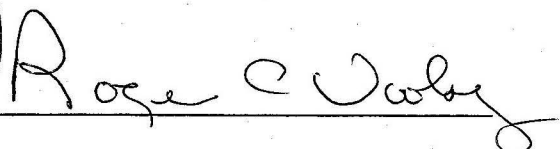
Budget and Finance Committee

Sponsor

  
12-20-2010

County Clerk





County Attorney

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE DRUG CONTROL FUND 2010-2011 FISCAL  
YEAR BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS EQUIPMENT  
AND TO INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE EXPENDITURE  
OF THE FUNDS RECEIVED

A motion was made by Commissioner Bowers and seconded by  
Commissioner Bird to amend the Drug Control Fund 2010-2011 fiscal year budget for  
revenues from the sale of surplus equipment and to increase appropriations to allow for  
the expenditure of the funds received. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to  
vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners  
Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King,  
Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White  
voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to  
approve the resolution.

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE GENERAL FUND 2010-2011  
FISCAL YEAR BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS  
EQUIPMENT AND TO INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE  
EXPENDITURE OF THE FUNDS RECEIVED**

**WHEREAS** the Greene County sold various items of General Fund equipment on November 13, 2010; and

**WHEREAS** the amount received from the sale was not included in the original budget for the current year; and

**WHEREAS** the elected officials and various department supervisors of Greene County General Fund wish to have the budget amended for these additional revenues and expenditures; and

**THEREFORE,** let the General Fund Budget be amended as follows:

**INCREASE ESTIMATED REVENUE:**

44530	Sale of Equipment	<u>\$ 40,075</u>
<b>Total increase to estimated revenues</b>		<b><u>\$ 40,075</u></b>

**INCREASE IN APPROPRIATIONS:**

52300	Property Assessor's Office	
435	Office Supplies	\$ 879
599	Other Charges	21
54120	Special Patrols	
599	Other Charges	734
718	Motor Vehicles	31,391
55120	Rabies & Animal Control	
599	Other Charges	115
718	Motor Vehicles	4,935
55130	Emergency Medical Services	
338	Maintenance & Repair Services Vehicles	977
418	Equipment & Machinery Parts	978
599	Other Charges	<u>45</u>
<b>Total increase in appropriations</b>		<b><u>\$ 40,075</u></b>

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**NOW, THEREFORE;** be it resolved by the Greene County Legislative Body meeting in regular session this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December 2010, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that the budget be amended as above.

Alan D. Boyles

County Mayor

Budget and Finance Committee

Sponsor

Chris Thompson

County Clerk

12-20-2010



Roger C. Walsh

County Attorney

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE GENERAL FUND 2010-2011 FISCAL YEAR  
BUDGET FOR REVENUES FROM THE SALE OF SURPLUS EQUIPMENT AND TO  
INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS TO ALLOW FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF THE  
FUNDS RECEIVED

A motion was made by Commissioner Sauceman and seconded by Commissioner Greenway to amend the General Fund 2010-2011 fiscal year budget for revenues from the sale of surplus equipment and to increase appropriations to allow for the expenditure of the funds received. Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Grogan, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Moss, Quillen, Rollins, Sauceman, Sams, Seay, Waddle and White voted aye. The vote was 21 – aye. The Commissioners voted in favor of the motion to approve the resolution.

Failed

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF TENNESSEE BEVERAGE CONTAINER DEPOSIT LEGISLATION  
("BOTTLE BILL")**

WHEREAS, Tennessee as a whole and Greene County in particular have a chronic litter problem that is detrimental to civic pride. Tourism, farming, recreation, economic growth, environmental quality and numerous other public and private interests; and

WHEREAS, a number of states have eliminated most beverage-container litter, and reduced litter from other sources, by placing a refundable deposit on glass, plastic and aluminum beverage containers; and

WHEREAS, Tennesseans consume more than 4 billion beverages a year but recycle only an estimated 10 percent of the empty containers, disposing of the rest in landfills or on roadsides; and

WHEREAS, a beverage-container deposit will increase the recycling of Tennessee's beverage containers to a projected 80 percent or higher encourage greater recycling of other commodities such as newspaper and cardboard; increase recycling access in every county at no cost to the local government; reduce county and municipal landfill costs and solid-waste expenditures; and help achieve the recycling and waste-diversion goals mandated by the Tennessee Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Act of 1991 and its subsequent revisions; and

WHEREAS, the beverage-container deposit legislation that was considered by the 106th Tennessee General Assembly(SB3469/HB3429)establishes a system of independent, voluntary redemption centers funded by scrap value and unclaimed deposits; and

WHEREAS, the proposed beverage-container deposit program will create green jobs, attract new business investment, generate new business revenue, strengthen recycling markets, boost manufacturing, create fundraising opportunities for schools and community projects, and provide income, training and employment opportunities for social-service programs; and

WHEREAS, a growing number of manufacturers, scrap processors and industry trade groups, including the Aluminum Association. the Glass Packaging Institute and the Association of Postconsumer Plastic Recyclers, now support beverage-container deposits as an effective way to meet their recycling and sustainability goals; and

WHEREAS, this legislation provides for the uninterrupted and undiminished funding of the county litter grants program; and

WHEREAS, numerous public-opinion surveys, including the Fall 2009 MTSU Poll and the March 2008 Recycling Survey by UT's Social Science Research Institute, show that more than 80 percent of Tennesseans support a 5-cent deposit on beverage containers with returns to

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redemption centers;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Legislative Body, meeting in regular session on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010 a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that the Greene County Commission supports, and encourages the Tennessee General Assembly to enact, beverage-container deposit legislation similar to that proposed in the 106th General Assembly.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Commission requests that all legislators representing Greene County support the beverage-container deposit legislation similar to that proposed in the 106<sup>th</sup> General Assembly

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the State Legislators representing Greene County.

Bill Moss  
Sponsor

*Failed*  
County Mayor

*Failed*  
County Clerk

*Roger C. Vashley*  
County Attorney

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF TENNESSEE BEVERAGE CONTAINER  
DEPOSIT LEGISLATION (“BOTTLE BILL”)

A motion was made by Commissioner Grogan and seconded by Commissioner Moss to approve a resolution in support of Tennessee Beverage Container Deposit Legislation (“Bottle Bill”). Mayor Broyles called for the Commissioners to vote on the motion on their keypads. The following vote was taken: Commissioners Hopson, Rollins, Seay, Waddle, Moss, and Grogan voted aye. Commissioners Bird, Bowers, Carter, Crum, Greenway, Hensley, Holt, Hopson, Kiker, King, Malone, McAmis, Quillen, Sauceman, Sams, and White voted no. The vote was 6 – aye; 15 no. The Commissioners voted against the motion to approve the resolution. The motion failed.

*Filed by  
Sponsor*

**RESOLUTION TO RECOMMEND TO THE STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT  
OF TRASPOTATION THAT THE SPEED LIMIT ON HWY 172 IN NORTHERN  
GREENE COUNTY BE SET AT 55 MPH**

WHEREAS, the State of Tennessee Department of Transportation has the sole authority to determine speed limits on State Highways; and

WHEREAS, presently the speed limit for the majority of highway 172 from the Baileyton Municipal Limits to the Greeneville Municipal Limits is 55 miles per hour except for a portions of Hwy 172 that has posted speed limits of either 35 or 45 miles per hour; and

WHEREAS, many of the citizens who live and travel on Highway 172 are dissatisfied with any portion of Highway 172 having a maximum speed limit of less than 55 miles per hour and have requested that the County Commission recommend to the Department of Transportation that it reevaluate and set the speed limit for highway 172 (Baileyton Road) from the Town of Baileyton Municipal Limits to the Town of Greeneville Municipal Limits at 55 miles per hour; and

WHEREAS, after considering the request and considering the topography and the road conditions on Highway 172 the Road Committee unanimously believes that it would be in the best interest of the citizens of Greene County for the posted speed limit be set at 55 miles per hour for the entirety of Highway 172 from the Baileyton Municipal Limits to the Greeneville Municipal Limits.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Greene County Legislative Body, meeting in regular session on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010, a quorum being present and a majority voting in the affirmative, that recommendation be transmitted to the State of Tennessee

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Department of Transportation requesting that the posted speed limit on State Highway 172 be reevaluated and that after such evaluation absent some valid reason existing that the posted speed limit for State Highway 172 be set at 55 miles per hour from the Municipal Limits of the Town of Baileyton to the Municipal Limits of the Town of Greeneville.

Road Committee

Sponsor

*Pulled by Sponsor*  
County Clerk

*Pulled*

County Mayor

*Roger C. Voolsey*  
County Attorney

A RESOLUTION TO RECOMMEND TO THE STATE OF TENNESSEE  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THAT THE SPEED LIMIT ON HWY. 172  
IN NORTHERN GREENE COUNTY BE SET AT 55 M.P.H.

A motion was made by Commissioner Greenway and seconded by Commissioner Holt to approve a resolution to recommend to the State of Tennessee Department of Transportation that the speed limit on Hwy. 172 in northern Greene County be set at 55 M.P.H. This resolution was pulled by the Chairman of the Highway Committee, Commissioner Rollins.

## OTHER BUSINESS

Commissioner Kiker asked the Sheriff for an explanation of why he gave seven employees raises and how the raises were funded. The Sheriff said that any time he promotes an employee, changes an employees duty or makes adjustments the change in salary is necessary.

Commissioner Quillen asked that departments that mail their monthly reports to each Commissioner, please put them in the mailboxes in the Mayor's office and save postage. She also asked that a Commission workshops be scheduled with each department head at a later time to discuss long-range needs and plans with the Commission. Ms. Grogan asked that these meetings be scheduled as special meetings not during the budget process so that all Commissioners can attend.

Mayor Broyles noted that the employee Christmas Breakfast is Wednesday morning at 8:00 at Asbury Church. He also stated that checks will be ready for Commissioners after lunch on the 28<sup>th</sup>.

## ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned.