

RESOLUTION NO. 1994-12

TO URGE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ENACT A PRIVATE ACT
PROVIDING FOR A NEWLY-CONSTITUTED BOARD OF EDUCATION

WHEREAS, the Education Improvement Act of 1992 requires that members of the Weakley County Board of Education be popularly elected on a non-partisan basis to staggered four (4) year terms from districts of substantially equal population; and

WHEREAS, members of the Weakley County Board of Education currently are elected on a partisan basis to staggered six (6) year terms; and

WHEREAS, the present Board of Education is constituted by private act and can be repealed by private act; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Weakley County have determined it to be in the best interest of Weakley County to provide for the number, election and terms of the members of the Weakley County Board of Education by private act, with all other matters being governed by general law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the county legislative body of Weakley County, Tennessee in regular session on this 24th day of January, 1994, that the members of the General Assembly representing Weakley County are urged to introduce and work for the passage of the private act attached hereto which would divide Weakley County into ten (10) school districts identical to the county commissioner districts established by resolution of the county legislative body; provide for one (1) member of the Board of Education to be elected from each of the ten (10) school districts to staggered four (4) year terms; provide for the transition from the present six (6) year terms to the new staggered four (4) year terms; and repeal all other private acts regarding the Weakley County Board of Education so that Weakley County falls under the provisions of general law; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be mailed by the County Clerk to the members of the General Assembly representing Weakley County.

PURSUANT TO THE RULES OF THE WEAKLEY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS THIS RESOLUTION IS SPONSORED BY THE FOLLOWING COMMISSIONERS:

Paul Flehm *David M. Alper*

Motion was made by Commissioner George Broussard that the foregoing and hereto attached Resolution be approved. Seconded by Commissioner Jerry Carpenter. Upon being put to a roll call vote, motion carried.

ATTESTED TO:

APPROVED:

Faye Butts
Faye Butts, County Clerk

Kerry Killebrew
Kerry Killebrew, County Executive