

RESOLUTION NO. 1999-17

RESOLUTION REQUESTING
THAT TENNESSEE CODE
SECTION 5-2-104 BE AMENDED

WHEREAS, Tennessee law presently allows the State Legislature to modify county boundary lines without the district of the county legislative bodies or the county residents of the county; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the County Legislative Body of Weakley County, and hopefully the desire of all county legislative bodies of Tennessee, that a county commission have a statutory right to take part in any decision regarding its county boundary lines.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the county legislative body of Weakley County, Tennessee assembled in regular session on this the 21st day of September, 1998 in Dresden, Tennessee that:

SECTION 1. It Is the desire of the County Legislative Body of Weakley County that *Tennessee Code Section 5-2-104* be amended to read as follows:

5-2-104. Boundary changes – plats and surveys -

(a) All applications for legislation changing county lines shall be accompanied by an accurate survey and plat, showing the changes asked for, and giving courses and distances of the county line as it will be left after such change should be made.

(b) No bill providing for such change shall be in order unless first approved by two thirds (2/3) or more of the county commissioners of all counties affected by such boundary line change.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution shall be immediately forwarded to Senator Roy Herron and Representative Mark Maddox and it is requested that each of them prepare the necessary bills to submit to the Senate and House of Representatives in the next Legislative session.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all resolutions of the Board of County Commission of Weakley County, Tennessee, which are in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution take effect from and its passage, the public welfare requiring it. This resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners.

SECTION 5. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution shall take effect upon adoption, the general welfare requiring it.

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:

Roger Stewart

SPONSORED BY:

Bennie Castleman

ACKNOWLEDGED AND APPROVED:

Pat Scarbrough

Chairman, Legislative Committee

Motion made by Commissioner Vincent that the foregoing resolution be adopted:
Motion seconded by Commissioner Farmer.

Upon being put to a roll call vote, Motion carried by a vote of 20 Yeas, no Nays,
no Passed and no Absent.

Attested:

Pat Scarbrough
Pat Scarbrough, County Clerk

Approved:

Ron Gifford
Ron Gifford, County Executive

THIS THE 21 DAY OF September, 1998.