

JANUARY 21, 1985
Quarterly Court

Regular meeting of the Weakley County Legislative Body met on January 21, 1985 at 9:30 A. M. in the County Courtroom in Dresden. Co. Exec. H. C. Brundige called the meeting to order and County Clerk Faye Butts called the roll with all 20 Commissioners answering. Ron Powers of the Sheriffs office opened court and Bro. Fred Morris had invocation.

Motion to accept the minutes of the regular meeting of October 15, 1984 was made by Comm. Charles Culver and seconded by Comm. Joe White. After a show of hands, motion carried.

TRUSTEES REPORT :

Motion to accept the trustees report was made by Comm. Chris Mathis and seconded by Comm. Charles Culver. After a roll call vote of 18 for and 2 against, motion carried.

GENERAL FUND REPORT:

Motion to accept the General Fund report was made by Comm. James H. Bell and seconded by Comm. Lewis Garner. After a roll call vote, 20 for, motion carried.

HIGHWAY REPORT:

Motion to accept the Highway Dept. report was made by Comm. Bobby Parker and seconded by Comm. Wm. Mansfield. After a roll call vote, 20 for, motion carried.

SCHOOL DEPT. REPORT:

Motion to accept the school dept report was made by Comm. Charles Culver and seconded by Comm. Earl Wright. After a roll call vote, 20 for, motion carried.

NURSING HOME REPORT:

Nursing Home Administrator Kenneth Wainscott gave a report to the Comm. reporting that all 139 beds are full and the Home is in good financial shape. Motion to accept his report was made by Comm. Lewis Garner and seconded by Comm. V. J. Shanklin. After a show of hands vote, motion carried.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT:

We met with the Nursing Home Administrator and worked on the Handbook and we will deal with this under New Business.

LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT:

Met with Sheriff Mike Wilson on January 14, 1985 and he reported that he is not housing as many state prisoners as he thought he would and this might cause problems with staying in line with his budget. He has off set this by not hiring the deputies that he could have. Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. Joe White and seconded by Comm. James H. Bell. After a show of hands vote, motion accepted.

AMBULANCE COMMITTEE REPORT:

We met and discussed several topics, one which is the service, which is still very good and the other is a slight possibility of an increase in the rates for Weakley County and the surrounding area, but not right now, maybe at a later date. Motion to accept this report was made by Comm. Joe White and seconded by Comm. Charles Culver. After a show of hands vote, motion carried.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT:

Comm. Fred Morris said they had no report and there would be a discussion later on in new business.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT:

Comm. Westbrook informed the commission that on these wheel tax sticker, that he talked to Speaker McWherter concerning exempting Weakley County from giving the sticker. McWherter said he would gladly exempt us from the sticker if the Commission would put this in a letter and send it to him. ^(displaying) Comm. Mansfield makes a motion to this with Comm. Sherman Powers After a roll call vote, motion carried.