

**RECESSED MEETING
HAMILTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MARCH 25, 2015**

STATE OF TENNESSEE)	Recessed Meeting
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)	March 25, 2015

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 25th day of March, 2015, a Recessed Meeting of the Hamilton County Board of Commissioners was begun and held at the Courthouse, in the City of Chattanooga, in the County Commission Room, when the following proceedings were held, to wit:--

0:12

Present and presiding was the Honorable Jim Fields, Chairman, Chief Deputy Clerk Debbie Rollins called the roll of the County Commission and the following, constituting a quorum, answered to their names: Commissioner Bankston, Commissioner Beck, Commissioner Fairbanks, Commissioner Graham, Commissioner Haynes, Commissioner Mackey, Commissioner Smedley, and Chairman Fields. Commissioner Boyd was absent. Total present – 8. Total absent -1.

Chairman Fields reported Commissioner Boyd was in the hospital and he would not be in attendance today.

Also in attendance were County Mayor Jim Coppinger, members of his administrative staff, County Attorney Rheubin Taylor, and County Auditor Bill McGriff.

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Commissioner Fields introduced County Attorney Rheubin Taylor, who gave the invocation. Commissioner Fields led in the pledge to the flag.

Chairman Fields announced that there was not any scheduled business for the Recessed Meeting and asked if anyone had any announcements.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2:08

Commissioner Graham spoke about recent news articles regarding County school officials presenting to the School Board a proposed budget that would require a forty cent tax increase. He announced that he would not support a property tax increase. If a property tax increase is approved, he asked the Commission to consider implementing a senior tax freeze.

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Being no further business Chairman Fields declared the recessed meeting
adjourned.

Respectfully submitted:



William F. (Bill) Knowles, County Clerk

Approved:

04-15-15
Date

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Clerk's Initials