

**HAMILTON COUNTY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 19, 2017**

STATE OF TENNESSEE) Regular Meeting
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) April 19, 2017

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 19th day of April, 2017, a Regular 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:--

0:17

Present and presiding was the Honorable Chester Bankston, Chairman. County Clerk Bill Knowles called the roll of the County Commission and the following, constituting a quorum, answered to their names: Commissioner Beck, Commissioner Boyd, Commissioner Fairbanks, Commissioner Fields, Commissioner Graham, Commissioner Mackey, Commissioner Martin, Commissioner Smedley, and Chairman Bankston. Total present – 9. Total absent – 0.

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

Attached hereto is a copy of the Public Notice of this meeting, which was published in a local newspaper and made a matter of record of this meeting.

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0:35 Commissioner Fields introduced Director Fred Bennett, Titus International, who gave the invocation. Commissioner Fields led in the pledge to the flag.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ON MOTION of Commissioner Fields, seconded by Commissioner Graham, that the minutes of the Recessed Meeting of March 29, 2017, the Agenda Preparation Session of March 29, 2017, and the Regular Meeting of April 5, 2017, be approved, treat same as read, made a matter of record and filed. The foregoing Motion was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

2:47 **CRIMINAL COURT CLERK'S REPORTS**

The Criminal Court Clerk's reports for December 2016, January 2017, and February 2017 were submitted and made a matter of record.

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ORDER OF DESIGNATION

An order was recorded designating Todd Leamon to sit as the County Mayor's representative on the Planning Commission for the meeting of April 10, 2017.

3:28

RESOLUTION NO. 417-19 A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR NOTARY PUBLIC POSITIONS, THE BONDS AND OATHS OF NOTARIES PREVIOUSLY ELECTED, AND THE BOND OF DEPUTY SHERIFF.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Graham, seconded by Commissioner Fields, to adopt Resolution No. 417-19. The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

Chairman Bankston reported Resolution Nos. 417-20 through 417-26 were heard by a Committee of the Whole.

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4:04

RESOLUTION NO. 417-20 A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURE OF \$2,577.57 FROM DISCRETIONARY BOND FUNDS TO ASSIST WITH THE PURCHASE OF A SECURITY SYSTEM FOR DALEWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Beck, seconded by Commissioner Mackey, to adopt Resolution No. 417-20. The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

4:43

RESOLUTION NO. 417-21 A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE OF UP TO FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000.00) FROM DISCRETIONARY MONIES FOR THE CITY OF EAST RIDGE TO ASSIST WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC RESTROOMS AT RAYMOND JAMES FOOTBALL STADIUM.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Boyd, seconded by Commissioner Beck, to adopt Resolution No. 417-21.

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5:07 Commissioner Martin reported he would not be supporting Resolution No. 417-21. He reiterated concerns he presented at last week's Agenda Session. His concerns related to the City of East Ridge, who recently took ownership of the property, asking Hamilton County to fund a project at the stadium site.

6:26 Commissioner Boyd responded to Commissioner Martin's comments. He stated the discretionary funds for the project were allotted to District 8 during fiscal year 2015 and 2016. He encouraged support of the project.

In response to Commissioner Smedley's question, Commission Boyd noted the funds were not banked specifically for the public restroom facility.

8:40 Commissioner Martin echoed his earlier comments. He emphasized his opposition is directed at the process rather than the project itself.

The foregoing Resolution was adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows:
Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Nay", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 8. Total "Nay" votes – 1.

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9:55

RESOLUTION NO. 417-22 A RESOLUTION FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PROPOSAL BY THE TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENT AT SR-312 ROUTE: SR-58 IN HAMILTON COUNTY.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Fields, seconded by Commissioner Graham, to adopt Resolution No. 417-22. The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

10:34

RESOLUTION NO. 417-23 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO APPLY FOR A THREE YEAR FY2018-JAG-1008 EDWARD BYRNE JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) AND APPROVING THE USE OF THIS GRANT BY THE HAMILTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Graham, seconded by Commissioner Boyd, to adopt Resolution No. 417-23. The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and

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voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

11:12

RESOLUTION NO. 417-24 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING HAMILTON COUNTY TO CONTRACT FOR THE SERVICES OF A MEDICAL DIRECTOR FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO SIGN ANY CONTRACTS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS RESOLUTION.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Graham, seconded by Commissioner Boyd, to adopt Resolution No. 417-24. The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

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11:48 **RESOLUTION NO. 417-25 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO SIGN AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT WITH CORECIVIC, FORMERLY CORRECTIONS CORPORATION OF AMERICA, (CCA) FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE SILVERDALE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.**

ON MOTION of Commissioner Boyd, seconded by Commissioner Graham, to adopt Resolution No. 417-25.

12:12 Commissioner Graham thanked Mayor Coppinger and his staff for their work in providing additional time for the jail study to be completed. He also thanked CoreCivic (formerly CCA) for allowing the contract to be extended with the same rates and provisions.

 The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

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RESOLUTION NO. 417-26 A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE HIGHEST AND BEST BID FOR CERTAIN PARCELS OF PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY HAMILTON COUNTY THROUGH PREVIOUS DELINQUENT TAX SALES AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND EXECUTE DEEDS CONVEYING SAID PARCELS TO INDIVIDUALS LISTED HEREIN BELOW.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Fields, seconded by Commissioner Boyd, to adopt Resolution No. 417-26.

Commissioner Boyd thanked Real Property Manager Paul Parker and his staff for their hard work in placing the properties back on the property tax rolls. It was noted 98 parcels were sold for an amount of \$1,027,440.00.

14:05

Commissioner Graham echoed Commissioner Boyd's comments. He clarified the revenue generated was split between Hamilton County and the City of Chattanooga.

The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and

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Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9.

Total "Nay" votes – 0.

14:41

Chairman Bankston asked that Resolutions No. 417-27 through 417-33, 417-34A, 417-34B, and 417-35 be considered together at this time.

RESOLUTION NO. 417-27 A RESOLUTION GRANTING A SPECIAL PERMIT FOR A SHORT TERM VACATION RENTAL ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 7808 HIXSON PIKE.

RESOLUTION NO. 417-28 A RESOLUTION GRANTING A SPECIAL PERMIT FOR A SHORT TERM VACATION RENTAL FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 16112 LAKEWOOD DRIVE.

RESOLUTION NO. 417-29 A RESOLUTION GRANTING A SPECIAL PERMIT FOR A SHORT TERM VACATION RENTAL OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 9816 OOLTEWAH-GEORGETOWN ROAD.

RESOLUTION NO. 417-30 A RESOLUTION GRANTING A SPECIAL PERMIT FOR A SHORT TERM VACATION RENTAL FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 815 SOUTH SCENIC HIGHWAY.

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**RESOLUTION NO. 417-31 A RESOLUTION GRANTING A SPECIAL PERMIT FOR A
SHORT TERM VACATION RENTAL FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 7029
MAPLEWOOD LANE.**

**RESOLUTION NO. 417-32 A RESOLUTION GRANTING A SPECIAL PERMIT FOR A
SHORT TERM VACATION RENTAL FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 3073
BAGGETT TRAIL.**

**RESOLUTION NO. 417-33 A RESOLUTION TO REZONE FROM R-2A RURAL
RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT TO R-1 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT,
PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 7767, 7801 KITTRELL LANE AND 8158 SAVANNAH
HILLS DRIVE.**

**RESOLUTION NO. 417-34A A RESOLUTION TO REZONE FROM R-2 RESIDENTIAL
DISTRICT TO 0-1 OFFICE DISTRICT, PROPERTY LOCATED AT 9501 CHURCH
STREET.**

**RESOLUTION NO. 417-34B A RESOLUTION TO REZONE FROM R-2 RESIDENTIAL
DISTRICT TO 0-1 OFFICE DISTRICT, PROPERTY LOCATED AT 9501 CHURCH
STREET.**

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RESOLUTION NO. 417-35 A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE "MASTER LIST OF ROADS AND SPEED LIMITS" SO AS TO ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING DISTRICT ROADS AND TO ESTABLISH SPEED LIMITS THEREFORE: RIVER WATCH DRIVE, SHORT RIVER COURT, HIGH RIVER DRIVE, AND AUTUMN RIVER DRIVE.

Commissioner Smedley, Chairman of the Zoning Committee, provided details regarding Resolutions No. 417-27 through 417-32, and stated the Zoning Committee reviewed and recommended approval. She clarified Resolution Nos. 417-27, 417-28, and 417-30-417-32 were deferred at the November 16, 2016 meeting pending Commission action regarding clawback provisions. It was noted no opposition was present.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Smedley, seconded by Commissioner Mackey, to adopt Resolutions No. 417-27 through 417-32. The foregoing Resolutions were unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

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Commissioner Smedley, Chairman of the Zoning Committee, provided details regarding Resolution No. 417-33, and stated the Zoning Committee reviewed and recommended denial. It was noted the applicant nor the opposition were present.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Smedley, seconded by Commissioner Mackey, to deny Resolution No. 417-33.

19:09

Regional Planning Agency Executive Director John Bridger stated the Planning Commission recommended denial after hearing a large number of opposition from the community.

In response to Commissioner Mackey's question, Chairman Bankston stated the recommendation was to deny Resolution No. 417-33.

The foregoing Motion to deny was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

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Commissioner Smedley, Chairman of the Zoning Committee, provided details regarding Resolution Nos. 417-34A and 417-34B, and stated the Zoning Committee recommended Commission action on Resolution No. 417-34B, which includes certain conditions as recommended by the Planning Commission.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Smedley, seconded by Commissioner Fields, to deny Resolution No. 417-34B.

21:43

Regional Planning Agency Executive Director John Bridger provided additional information regarding Resolution No. 417-34B, and stated the Planning Commission recommended approval subject to certain conditions.

Karl and Nina Vogel, the applicants and property owners at 9501 Church St. Ooltewah, TN 37363, addressed the Commission regarding this item. Mr. Vogel detailed renovations and upgrades made to the property. He added the business is a low impact business with no activity at the office.

In response to Commissioner Smedley's question, Mr. Vogel stated his wife, son, and himself are manufacturers' representatives.

At this time, Commissioner Smedley asked if there was any opposition.

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26:45 John "Buckey" McCulley residing at 5503 Hickory St. Ooltewah, TN 37363, Marsha Williams residing at 9407 Church St. Ooltewah, TN 37363, and Kathy Barfield residing at 5519 Mulberry St. Ooltewah, TN 37363 spoke in opposition of Resolution No. 417-34B. They each emphasized their desire for the community to remain residential.

In response to Commissioner Martin's question, County Attorney Rheubin Taylor stated the County does not have authority to create a historical preservation area.

31:00 In response to Commissioner Fields's question, Mr. Vogel explained traffic will not be an issue as no goods are exchanged at the office and most business is done via telephone and computer.

32:37 Commissioner Graham questioned the current condition of the home. At this time, a brief debate between Commissioner Graham and Mr. McCulley took place.

34:40 Charles Lawson, 5519 Hickory St. Ooltewah, TN37363, spoke in opposition of Resolution No. 417-34B. He noted the community does not have a homeowner's association and must maintain the community themselves.

Chairman Bankston clarified the applicants will not be residing in the home.

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The foregoing Motion to deny was adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows:

Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Nay", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 8. Total "Nay" votes – 1.

Commissioner Smedley, Chairman of the Zoning Committee, provided details regarding Resolution No. 417-35, and stated the Zoning Committee reviewed and recommended approval.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Smedley, seconded by Commissioner Graham, to adopt Resolution No. 417-35. The foregoing Resolution was unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

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39:12 Chairman Bankston asked that Resolutions No. 417-36 through 417-39 be considered together at this time.

RESOLUTION NO. 417-36 A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE BIDS OF ENNIS PAINT, INC., AND SHERWIN WILLIAMS COMPANY FOR ONE (1) YEAR CONTRACT UNIT PRICING, BEGINNING MAY 1, 2017, THROUGH APRIL 30, 2018, FOR WATERBORNE HIGHWAY TRAFFIC PAINT AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO SIGN ANY CONTRACTS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS RESOLUTION.

RESOLUTION NO. 417-37 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ENABLING HAMILTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, THE HEALTH SERVICES DIVISION, OPERATING AS THE CHATTANOOGA-HAMILTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO CONTRACT WITH THE TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATE INSPECTION LAWS AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO HOTELS, BED AND BREAKFAST ESTABLISHMENTS, PUBLIC SWIMMING POOLS, AND FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS WITHIN HAMILTON COUNTY THE CONTRACT IS FOR THE PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2017 THROUGH JUNE 20, 2022, AND IS FUNDED FOR A TOTAL OF THREE MILLION DOLLARS (\$3,000,000.00) FROM STATE FEES COLLECTED FOR THE PERIOD.

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RESOLUTION NO. 417-38 A RESOLUTION APPROVING A SOFTWARE SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE CONTRACT FROM ESRI INC., FOR ONE (1) YEAR BEGINNING JUNE 9, 2017, THROUGH JUNE 8, 2018, FOR THE GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS DEPARTMENT AMOUNTING TO \$78,962.88, AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO SIGN ANY CONTRACTS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS RESOLUTION.

RESOLUTION NO. 417-39 A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE PURCHASE OF GASOLINE AND DIESEL FUEL FOR THE PERIOD OF MARCH 1, 2017, THROUGH MARCH 31, 2017, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY MAYOR TO SIGN ANY CONTRACTS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS RESOLUTION.

Commissioner Boyd, Chairman of the Finance Committee, provided details regarding Resolution Nos. 417-36 through 417-39, and stated the Finance Committee reviewed and recommended approval.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Boyd, seconded by Commissioner Smedley, to adopt Resolutions No. 417-36 through 417-39. The foregoing Resolutions were unanimously adopted on a Roll Call vote, with the following members of the County Commission being present and voting as follows: Commissioner Beck, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Fields, "Aye", Commissioner Graham, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey "Aye", Commissioner

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Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Smedley, "Aye", and Chairman Bankston, "Aye". Total present – 9. Total absent – 0. Total "Aye" votes – 9. Total "Nay" votes – 0.

43:34 In response to Commissioner Graham's question regarding Resolution No. 417-38, Administrator of Finance Al Kiser clarified the County's total cost is \$49,000.00.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chairman Bankston asked for announcements from members of the Commission.

44:36 Commissioner Fields announced the Legal and Legislative Committee will meet immediately after interviews are completed for the vacant Judicial Commissioner position.

Commissioner Graham reminded members of the Commission and audience of the Lookout Valley Neighborhood Association Lions Club golf tournament on April 29th.

Commissioner Martin spoke about attending the 70th anniversary of the Hixson Kiwanis Club meeting last night. He announced Judge Clarence Shattuck was awarded the Howard Sompayrac Distinguished Community Service Award. It was noted that Mr. Sompayrac was a former member of the County Commission.

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44:59 Commissioner Martin invited members of the Commission and audience to attend the Clean and Green event this Saturday to help clean up the community. It was noted those interested should meet at Earth Fare between 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM. Commissioner Martin provided his cell phone number, 423-596-7338, for those with questions.

46:45 Mayor Coppinger announced budget workshops will take place on May 9th and May 16th at 9:00 AM at the McDaniel Building. He noted the focus of the first workshop will be on education.

DELEGATIONS

Chairman Bankston asked for delegations on matters other than zoning.

46:45 Monty Bell, a homeless resident of Hamilton County, addressed the Commission regarding racial disparity in the criminal justice system.

Commissioner Graham commended Chairman Bankston and his fellow Commissioners for treating those who speak before the Commission with respect.

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There being no further business, Chairman Bankston declared the meeting in recess until Wednesday, April 26th at 9:30 AM.

Respectfully submitted:



William F. (Bill) Knowles, County Clerk

Approved:

05-03-17
Date

W.F.K.
Clerk's Initials