

Be it remembered that the Bedford County Commissioners, acting as the County Legislative Body, met in a regular session in the Bedford County Courthouse in Shelbyville, Tennessee on Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 7:00 PM. Chairman Chad Graham called the meeting to order. Prayer was led by Commissioner Jeff Sweeney. Graham led the Pledge of Allegiance and Sheriff Austin Swing opened the meeting. County Clerk Donna Thomas called the roll.

BRENT SMITH
CHASITY GUNN
JANICE BROTHERS
ED CASTLEMAN
SYLVIA PINSON
MARK THOMAS

BRIAN FARRIS
JULIE SANDERS
JEFF SWEENEY
GREG VICK
LINDA YOCKEY
JASON SANDERS

TONY SMITH
DON GALLAGHER
PHILIP FARRAR
BILL ANDERSON
ANITA EPPERSON

There were 17 commissioners present. Commissioner John Brown was absent.

APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 13, 2021 COMMISSION MINUTES – *Placed on the agenda by Rules and Legislative Committee.*

Motion to approve by Thomas. Second by Brent Smith. Passed by voice vote.

ELECTIONS & CONFIRMATIONS

1. Elect Notaries - *Placed on the agenda by Rules and Legislative Committee.*

Motion to approve by Epperson. Second by Castleman. Passed by voice vote.

**BEDFORD COUNTY CLERK
DONNA THOMAS COUNTY CLERK
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Notaries to be elected May 11, 2021

DAVID GLEN BRADFORD
TAMMY COOK
CHRISTIAN EDMONDSON
HOLLY DIANE EVANS
KEELEY GRAVES
NATASHA HUNTINGTON

RALPH MCBRIDE JR
PAULA G RODDY
DAWN ROGERS
JUDY KALINE SMITH

2. Appointments

None

PRESENTATIONS

None

RESOLUTIONS

Resolution 21-26 A Resolution of Support for Specific Designation of Certain State Highways within Bedford County to be included in Tennessee Parkways by the Commissioner of Transportation with the State of Tennessee – *Referred by the Rules and Legislative Committee.*

Motion to approve by Anderson. Second by Brent Smith. Passed by voice vote.

Resolution 21-26 Support for Specific Designation of Certain State Highways (continued)



Bedford County Board of Commissioners
Resolution No. 21-26

BEDFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Resolution No. 21-26

RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR SPECIFIC DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN STATE HIGHWAYS WITHIN BEDFORD COUNTY TO BE INCLUDED IN TENNESSEE PARKWAYS BY THE COMMISSIONER OF TRANSPORTATION WITH THE STATE OF TENNESSEE

WHEREAS, The Scenic Highway Act of 1971 was established to preserve and protect historic, scenic, and natural qualities, and to further furnish travelers with safe and attractive routes to experience the beauty of Tennessee and;

WHEREAS, Tennessee Parkways are routes designated at the direction of the Commissioner of Transportation and;

WHEREAS, eligibility for Tennessee Parkways is limited to state routes that intersect with designated scenic routes and as an enhancement to the Scenic Highway Program and;

WHEREAS, Bedford County offers many scenic highways and roads that enhance the beauty of our rural county and promotes our agricultural activities and;

WHEREAS, SR 82 to Flat Creek is already a Tennessee Parkway and intersects with SR 55 to Lynchburg, also a Tennessee Parkway/Scenic Highway and;

WHEREAS, Bedford County within the 5th District also has historic landmarks such as the Shofner Lutheran Church and areas of Thompson Creek Road that would benefit from such distinction and;

WHEREAS, the Bedford Board of Commissioners have a desire to continue to preserve landmarks and promote economic growth within our county and;

WHEREAS, a distinction into the Tennessee Parkways Program and Scenic Highway Act would provide an opportunity to apply for grant funding for the purpose of biking, running/walking trails and other means of experiencing rural aesthetics of the area.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BEDFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS THE FOLLOWING:

1. That this Resolution be submitted to the State of Tennessee Commissioner of Transportation for the designation of highways and roads which originate from the Bedford County Courthouse for the Tennessee Parkways Program to include the following:
 - SR 41 A South from the Wartrace Pike intersection
 - SR 64 East from the Courthouse to SR 41 A intersection
 - SR Hwy 130 East, Thompson Creek Rd, SR 276
 - Bypass from SR 231 to the intersection of SR 41 A South
 - Possibly an extension of SR 64 East to I-24 and SR 82 East from SR Hwy 231 to SR 64 East
2. That letters of support from the community be included with the proposal.

Passed this the 11th day of May, 2021.

APPROVED:

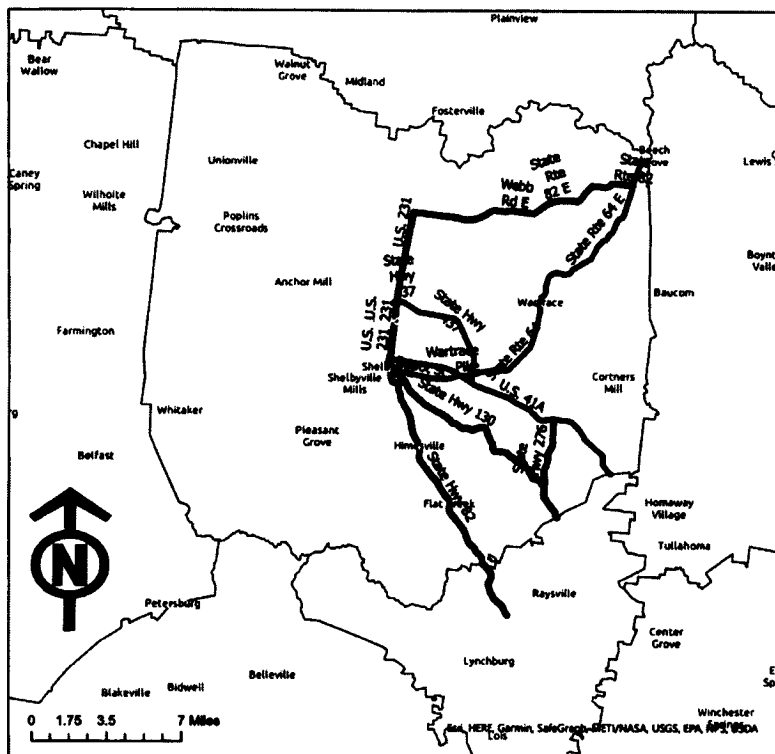
Chad D. Graham, Bedford County Mayor

05-11-2021
Date

ATTEST:

Donna Thomas, Bedford County Clerk

05-11-2021
Date



Proposed scenic parkway and bicycle routes



Resolution 21-27 A Resolution to Establish a Redistricting Committee. – Referred by the Rules and Legislative Committee.

Graham put for the following to serve on the committee: Greg Vick, Linda Yockey, Tony Smith, Diane Neeley, Summer Leverette, Curt Cobb, Chris White. Motion to approve by Thomas. Second by Sweeney. Passed by roll call vote. Passed by voice vote.

Resolution 21-27 Redistricting Committee (continued)



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BEDFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Resolution No. 21-27

RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH A REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, *Tennessee Code Annotated* (T.C.A.) Section 5-1-111 requires that, at least every ten (10) years, county legislative bodies shall change the boundaries of county legislative districts so that members represent substantially equal populations; and

WHEREAS, the Bedford County Legislative Body finds it to be in the best interest of Bedford County to establish a Redistricting Committee to assist the Bedford County Legislative Body with the necessary boundaries changes to county legislative districts so that members represent substantially equal populations;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Bedford County Legislative Body, meeting this 11th day of May 2021, that:

SECTION 1. The Bedford County Legislative Body does hereby establish a Redistricting Committee to prepare suggested redistricting plans to be presented to and voted on by the entire Bedford County Legislative Body.

SECTION 2. The Redistricting Committee shall consist of the following members:

1. Commissioner Greg Vick
2. Commissioner Linda Yockey
3. Commissioner Tony Smith
4. School Board Chair Diane Neeley
5. Administrator of Elections Summer Leverette
6. Clerk & Master Curt Cobb
7. Planning & Zoning Director Chris White

SECTION 3. At its first meeting, the Redistricting Committee shall elect a chairman, vice-chairman, and secretary.

SECTION 4. Meetings of the Redistricting Committee shall be subject to the open meetings provisions of T.C.A. Title 8, Chapter 44. The secretary of the Redistricting Committee shall prepare the minutes of each meeting.

SECTION 5. The Redistricting Committee shall meet from time to time as necessary in order to prepare suggested redistricting plans. The chair of the Redistricting Committee shall report to the Bedford County Legislative Body at each regular meeting of the Bedford County Legislative Body on the status of suggested redistricting plans.

Adopted this 11th day of May, 2021.

APPROVED:

Chad D. Graham, Bedford County Mayor

ATTEST:

Donna Thomas, Bedford County Clerk

Resolution 21-28 A Resolution to Authorize the Bedford County Highway Department to perform work for all city/county governmental entities in Bedford County – Referred by the Rules and Legislative Committee.

Motion to approve by Sweeney. Second by Julie Sanders. Passed by voice vote.



BEDFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION No. 21-28

TO AUTHORIZE THE BEDFORD COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT TO PERFORM WORK FOR ALL CITY/COUNTY GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES IN BEDFORD COUNTY

WHEREAS, *Tennessee Code Annotated*, Section 54-7-202 (d) (2), empowers the county governing body (Board of County Commissioners) to authorize the county road department to perform work for other governmental entities so long as the cost of the projects so authorized is reimbursed to the county road department, and

WHEREAS, Numerous Governmental Entities in Bedford County have requested that the Bedford County Highway Department perform certain work for these entities, and

WHEREAS, the Bedford County Superintendent of Highways advises that such work can be performed by the county highway department without any adverse effects upon the county work:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Bedford County, that the Bedford County Highway Department under the direction of the Superintendent of Highways of Bedford County, is authorized to perform work for Governmental Entities in Bedford County during the 2021-2022 fiscal year. The said Superintendent of Highways shall itemize the costs to the full amount of such costs incurred by the Bedford County Highway Department and bill these entities for the full amount of such costs incurred by the Bedford County Highway Department, which shall be paid immediately upon completion of said work to the Bedford County Trustee. The County Trustee shall deposit all funds received from these entities by reason of this authorization to the county highway fund. This authorization shall be effective upon adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

Approved at the regularly scheduled meeting held on the 11th day of May, 2021.

APPROVED:
Chad D. Graham, Bedford County Mayor

ATTEST:
Donna Thomas, Bedford County Clerk

ADDITIONAL ITEMS BY STANDING COMMITTEES

Rules and Legislative Committee

None

Law Enforcement Committee

None

Courthouse and Property Committee

- Surplus: County Clerk's Office – Dell Power Edge T610 Server to IT for destruction

Motion to approve by Yockey. Second by Julie Sanders. Passed by voice vote.

ITEMS SENT TO BEDFORD COUNTY SURPLUS TO BE TRANSFERRED OR SOLD

Sent From: _____ County Clerk _____ Site: _____ Date: 3/31/2021

Surplus Scrap Transfer to IT Dept. for destruction

*Status Code: (O)=Operable, (N)=Not Operable, (UKN)=Operating Condition Unknown
Can be divided in: 15 items could be: 10-O, 1-N, 2-UNK

Gov Deals	Label #	Item Description	Quantity	MFR	Model	Serial No.	Barcode #	*Status
		Power Edge T610 Server	1	Dell		2606KNI		O

I certify the above described equipment has been transferred, stolen/lost, declared surplus, scrapped or disposed of by other means as indicated above. If the item was declared surplus, it is available for use by other County Offices or can be sold in the prescribed manner as surplus. If stolen, a stolen property report has been filed with the Police/Sheriff Dept.

Supervisor/Principal: Jonna Thomas Contact Number: 684-1921

Financial Management Committee

- Quarterly Financial Report

Motion to approve by Brothers. Second by Castleman. Passed by voice vote.

Copy of report is on file in Clerk's office.

- BCEMS Write-offs

Motion to approve by Yockey. Second by Epperson. Passed by voice vote.

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Ticket List – Uncollectable

DOS:	Ticket #	Charge	Payments	W/O and Adj	Balance
03/20/14	BD-S1 5614001888:1	\$566.80	(\$647.49)	\$0.00	\$18.40
08/05/14	BD-MAD0214022489:1	\$524.66	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$524.66
03/01/14	BD-CAS041404089:1	\$904.75	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$904.75
06/19/14	BD-MAD0214022108:1	\$632.39	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$632.39
07/19/14	BD-TABS114001854:1	\$589.54	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$589.54
04/05/14	BD-TABS114001309:1	\$592.49	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$592.49
04/07/14	BD-TABS114001316:1	\$692.24	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$692.24
02/13/14	BD-TAB0814001258:1	\$612.15	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$612.15
01/12/14	BD-TABS114001236:1	\$673.62	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$673.62
01/15/14	BD-S1 0114001078:1	\$562.94	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$562.94
01/17/14	BD-S1 5214001747:1	\$525.99	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$525.99
04/26/14	BD-TABS114001409:1	\$724.16	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$724.16
04/16/14	BD-TABS114001360:1	\$491.41	(\$393.13)	\$0.00	\$98.28
09/02/14	BD-UN0314031456:1	\$1,018.68	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,018.68
04/02/14	BD-UN0314031201:1	\$1,036.22	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,036.22
01/25/14	BD-S1 5214001767:1	\$658.99	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$658.99
05/10/14	BD-MAD0214022069:1	\$638.75	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$638.75
02/05/14	BD-S1 5214001795:1	\$652.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$652.05
01/13/14	BD-TABS114001238:1	\$606.83	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$606.83
05/09/14	BD-MAD0214022500:1	\$638.75	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$638.75
04/02/14	BD-MAD0214021922:1	\$737.17	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$737.17
08/18/14	BD-MAD0214022549:1	\$552.59	(\$181.40)	(\$152.29)	\$218.90
Total Number Tickets: 22		\$14,832.26	(\$1,122.02)	(\$182.29)	\$13,387.96

- Surplus – Animal Control, Schools and County Equipment (old phones)

Motion to approve by Epperson. Second by Anderson. Passed by voice vote.

• **Surplus – Animal Control, Schools and County Equipment (continued)**

Bedford County Surplus Request to Sell

4/27/2021

Bedford County Animal Control (see Attachment 1)

- 5 Paper towel holders
- 1 Printer
- CPU, monitor, and cameras
- Push Mower
- 14 Kennel Bottoms
- 45 elevated kennel panels(approximately)
- Large animal net gun

Bedford County Schools Via IT Department (see Attachment 2)

- Dell Server

Bedford County Finance Department

- Request to transfer 34 used phones to surplus.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Community Clinic – new dental facility – opening May 13, ribbon cutting June 11.
- Wartrace Strawberry Festival – May 15.
- Funding came through for new TCAT campus.

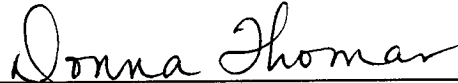
ADJOURN

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made to adjourn and Chairman Graham declared the meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m.



Chairman Chad Graham
Bedford County Board of Commissioners

I certify that the minutes were completed on the 14th of May and delivered to the Bedford County Mayor's Office.



Donna Thomas
Bedford County Clerk

I certify that I received these minutes on the 14 day of May, 2021.



Chad Graham
Bedford County Mayor

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