

**RECESSED MEETING
HAMILTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
SEPTEMBER 12, 2018**

STATE OF TENNESSEE) Recessed Meeting
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) September 12, 2018

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 12th day of September, 2018, 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:--

0:16 Present and presiding was the Honorable Sabrena Smedley, Chairman. County Clerk Bill Knowles called the roll of the County Commission and the following, constituting a quorum, answered to their names: Commissioner Baker, Commissioner Bankston, Commissioner Boyd, Commissioner Fairbanks, Commissioner Geter, Commissioner Mackey, Commissioner Martin, Commissioner Sharpe, and Chairman Smedley. 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.

0:35 Commissioner Mackey introduced Dr. Joey Harris, Harmony Baptist Church, who gave the invocation. Commissioner Mackey led in the pledge to the flag.

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2:19 Commissioner Sharpe, Chairman of the Security and Corrections Committee, provided an overview of the Security and Corrections Committee meeting that took place prior to today's Commission Meeting. He reported based on new information provided by Chief Judicial Magistrate Lorrie Miller, it was recommended to terminate the employment of Owen Stuart Brown as Judicial Commissioner.

ON MOTION of Commissioner Sharpe, seconded by Commissioner Bankston, to terminate the employment of Owen Stuart Brown as Judicial Commissioner.

3:18 In response to Commissioner Martin's question, Attorney Taylor stated it is the Chairman's discretion whether a matter should be considered in committee before being brought before the Commission as a whole.

In response to Clerk Knowles' request for clarification, Chairman Smedley reported the termination date should be today's date.

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 Baker, "Aye", Commissioner Bankston, "Aye", Commissioner Boyd, "Aye", Commissioner Fairbanks, "Aye", Commissioner Geter, "Aye", Commissioner Mackey, "Aye", Commissioner Martin, "Aye", Commissioner Sharpe, "Aye", and

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

Total "Nay" votes – 0.

Attorney Taylor stated his office will prepare a formal Resolution indicating the Commission's action; the item will be numbered Resolution No. 918-32.

Being no further business Chairman Smedley declared the Recessed Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted:



William F. (Bill) Knowles, County Clerk

Approved

10-03-18
Date

W.F.K.
Clerk's Initials