

RESOLUTION

NO. 2018 / 05 / 01
OUT OF ORDER

To the HONORABLE MELVILLE BAILEY, Chairman, and Members of the Hawkins County Board of Commissioners in Regular Session, met this 21th day of May 2018.

RESOLUTION OF REF: APPROVAL TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF COMMISSIONERS FOR ALL SEVEN COMMISSION DISTRICTS IN HAWKINS COUNTY FROM (21) TWENTY-ONE TO (14) FOURTEEN TO TAKE EFFECT IN THE 2018 GENERAL ELECTION IN HAWKINS COUNTY

WHEREAS, in the redistricting plans adopted in 2011, the total number of Commissioners is (21) twenty-one, (3) commissioners representing each of the (7) districts, elected to serve the citizens of Hawkins County; and

WHEREAS, reducing the number of members on the Hawkins County Commission will save in compensation fees, as well as expenses for travel, meetings and educational programs; and

WHEREAS, current technology allows for the unencumbered access to all commissioners; and

WHEREAS, this change would streamline the work of the legislative body and make it more efficient and effective, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the total number of commissioners for Hawkins County, Tennessee be reduced to (14) fourteen, requiring (2) two commissioners from each of the (7) seven Commission Districts apportioning the county legislative body to ensure all districts maintain equal representation. This being effective for the 2018 elections held in Hawkins County, Tennessee. The Resolution may be amended or rescinded if the 2022 redistricting requires such action.

INTRODUCED BY: MIKE HERRELL & DAWSON FIELDS

SECONDED BY _____

DATE SUBMITTED: 5-11-18


HAWKINS COUNTY CLERK

BY: _____

CHAIRMAN: MELVILLE BAILEY

ACTION: AYE NAY PASSED

ROLL CALL: _____

VOICE VOTE _____

ABSENT _____

COMMITTEE ACTION: _____