

**Cheatham County
Municipal Solid Waste Planning Region
387 E Kingston Springs Road
Kingston Springs, TN 37082**

December 18, 1996

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Mr. Paul Evan Davis *PEA 12/20*
Director
Division of Solid Waste Assistance
Department of Environment and Conservation
401 Church Street
Nashville, TN 37243

TN SOLID WASTE ASSISTANCE

RE: Cheatham County Municipal Solid Waste Regional Plan

Dear Mr. Davis:

The Cheatham County Solid Waste Planning Region is pleased to submit a response to the comments on the regional plan. Comments regarding the plan were submitted to the region by the Division of Solid Waste Assistance (DSWA) in a letter dated March 13, 1996. The letter identified seven areas of deficiency requiring immediate attention. These seven areas of deficiency include the following: 1) Budget and Funding, 2) Disposal capacity assurance, 3) Implementation schedule, 4) County commission approval, 5) Confirmation letters, 6) Uniform financial accounting, and 7) Public hearing. The areas of deficiency have been addressed and the appropriate information has been bound in the enclosed document entitled, "Addendum I: Solid Waste Plan Revisions, Municipal Solid Waste Regional Plan for the Cheatham County Solid Waste Planning Region." Addendum I has been prepared by Draper Aden Associates on behalf of the planning region. The information provided in Addendum I supersedes any parts of the regional plan which may be affected by this addendum.

The addendum has been divided into eight sections containing the information required by the comments from the DSWA. Section One of the Addendum contains a copy of the comment letter from the DSWA. The letter and its attachments will become part of the regional plan.

Budget and funding information for all localities within the region is included in Section Two of Addendum I. Budget and funding plans have been prepared based on the goals of the solid waste regional plan. In the event that a locality is implementing a different program to meet the goals as specified in the plan, the revised budget information has been included in the budget and funding plan. A budget has not been prepared for localities which do not provide any solid waste services. Finally, budget and funding information has been projected for the ten year duration of the plan.

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Disposal capacity issues have been resolved. A schedule for implementing disposal programs is included in Section Three of the Addendum. This schedule has also been incorporated into the comprehensive schedule included in Section Four of the Addendum. Also a letter has been provided by BFI stating the Middlepoint Landfill has the disposal capacity to accommodate the wastestream generated by the region for a ten year period. The awarded contract will be submitted along with the annual progress report.

A comprehensive implementation schedule for the region has been developed and is included in Section Four of the Addendum. This schedule contains specific milestones for the implementation of all solid waste programs. Additionally, milestones are identified by the locality responsible for implementing each portion of the program.

The county commission has not approved the plan. Copies of resolutions regarding plan approval or disapproval are included in Section Five of Addendum I. Upon county commission approval, a copy of the resolution will be forwarded to the DSWA.

A copy of the resolution affirming the appointees to the regional board is included in Section Six of Addendum One.

Evidence of local compliance with uniform financial accounting requirements is provided in Section Seven of Addendum One.

The region held a public hearing regarding the solid waste plan on June 16, 1994. A copy of the comments received at the public hearing is included in Section Eight of Addendum One.

The enclosed information constitutes the full response by the Cheatham County Solid Waste Regional Board to the comments provided in the letter by the DSWA dated March 13, 1996. Should you have any questions or need further information, please call me or Ilia C. Jefferson of Draper Aden Associates at (615)259-3996.

Sincerely,
Cheatham County
Regional Solid Waste Board



Mike Burton
Chairman

Enclosure

cc: Cheatham County Solid Waste Planning Region, Members
Ms. Linda Fizer, County Executive, Cheatham County
Ms. Ilia C. Jefferson, Planner, Draper Aden Associates

ADDENDUM I:
SOLID WASTE PLAN REVISIONS
Municipal Solid Waste Regional Plan
for the
Cheatham County
Solid Waste Planning Region

Prepared for:

The
Cheatham County
Solid Waste Planning Region

Prepared by:



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ADDENDUM I

SECTION ONE

Comments Provided by
Division of Solid Waste Assistance
on March 13, 1996



STATE OF TENNESSEE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

Division of Solid Waste Assistance
401 Church Street, 14th Floor
Nashville, TN 37243-0455

CERTIFIED MAIL

March 13, 1996

Mr. Mike Burton, Chairman
Cheatham County Municipal Solid Waste
Planning Region
387 E. Kingston Springs Rd.
Kingston Springs, TN 37082

Dear Mr. Burton:

Thank you for the submission of the Cheatham County Solid Waste Management Plan. I regret our delay in responding to your region's solid waste plan. The purpose of our review is to provide constructive comments that will assure your regional solid waste plan is complete and complies with the Solid Waste Management Act of 1991. The plan is a commendable effort and the information provided is both complete and adequate in most cases. However, the Department cannot grant final approval to the plan in its present form. The plan evaluation committee has recommended that the following deficiencies be addressed prior to approval:

- **BUDGET AND FUNDING** - The budget and funding information is not adequate or complete. The region must clarify specific budget information, provide additional budget information, expand discussion of potential revenues to implement the plan, and revise the ten-year budget. Please refer to the attached review comments under Chapter XI. For additional information regarding budget requirements, please note review comments regarding the budget and funding information in Chapters II, VI, VIII and IX.
- **DISPOSAL CAPACITY ASSURANCE** - The region has not adequately assured disposal capacity. The region must show evidence that the region will assure disposal capacity for the ten-year planning period. Please refer to the attached review comments in Chapter VIII.
- **IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE** - A complete implementation schedule is lacking in the plan. A comprehensive schedule for all solid waste programs in the region extending through the year 2003 is needed. The plan also does not provide a complete implementation schedule for assuring disposal capacity. The plan must provide an implementation schedule for the ten-year planning period as it describes disposal capacity, along with specific milestones that can be used to document progress toward achieving regional goals and objectives. Please refer to the attached review comments in Chapters VIII and XI.

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- **COUNTY COMMISSION APPROVAL** - The plan does not contain evidence that the Cheatham County Commission has approved the plan. The region must provide clear evidence of the plan's adoption by the County Commission to acknowledge the county's commitment to support and fund the plan. Please refer to the attached review comments under Chapter XII.
- **CONFIRMATION LETTERS** - There is no evidence of appointment or confirmation of members of the solid waste regional planning board representing Cheatham County and the Cities of Ashland City, Kingston Springs and Pegram in the plan. The region must submit evidence of their appointment and confirmation from the county executive and mayors. Please refer to the attached review comments under Appendix A.
- **UNIFORM FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING** - There is no evidence that the local governments within the region have adopted the financial accounting requirements that are mandated in the Solid Waste Management Act of 1991. Letters of compliance with these requirements are required of any county, municipality or solid waste authority that operates a landfill or provides collection services, recycling services, and other solid waste processing activities. Please refer to the attached review comments under Appendix A.
- **PUBLIC HEARING** - There is no evidence of a public hearing on the Cheatham County Solid Waste Management Plan. In addition to the legal requirements for a public hearing, a summary of the public hearing is recommended because it will be useful to document comments on contentious issues. Please refer to the attached review comments under Appendix C.

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In accordance with the Solid Waste Management Act of 1991, T.C.A. Section 68-211-814, the deficiencies identified above are to be corrected within thirty (30) calendar days from the receipt of this letter. These deficiencies are detailed under the respective IMMEDIATE ATTENTION review comments. If you need any further clarification on these deficiencies, please contact our office.

In addition to the issues raised above, the plan evaluation committee has identified an issue that should be resolved in the region's Annual Report. Specifically, the report to be submitted in March of 1996 should address:

- **WASTE REDUCTION GOAL** - The region has not adequately described waste reduction activities designed to attain the twenty-five percent (25%) waste reduction mandated by the Solid Waste Management Act of 1991. The region should revise its calculations and resolve and revise the discrepancies, or explain the reasons for such discrepancies. Please refer to the attached review comments in Chapter IV.

However, due to the delay in your region receiving the review comments, the following Annual Report issue(s) may be resolved when the region submits the 1997 Annual Report:

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- **PLANNING COMMISSION REVIEW** - The plan does not include evidence that the municipal planning commissions of Ashland City, Kingston Springs and Pegram or the Cheatham County Planning Commission have been advised of the development of the plan. Both regional and municipal planning commissions should be made aware of plans affecting the future of their respective areas. Please refer to the attached review comments under Chapter XII and Appendix E.

Chapter-by-chapter comments submitted by the plan evaluation committee along with recommendations for action have also been included. Comments on issues other than those specifically detailed above are provided solely for your information, and may be useful as you review your implementation progress and as you update the plan. This letter and attachments should be kept with and become part of the plan.

Our goal is to develop practical, effective, complete regional solid waste plans. I invite you to call our office at 615-532-0091 for more information regarding modifications to correct your specific plan deficiencies.

Please let us know how the Department can assist you in moving toward the important task of attaining final approval of your region's solid waste plan.

Sincerely,



Paul Evan Davis
Director
Division of Solid Waste Assistance

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Attachments

cc: Ms. Linda Fizer, Cheatham County Executive
Mr. Phil Armor, Greater Nashville Regional Council

ADDENDUM I

SECTION TWO

Budget and Funding

Note:

1. The budget and funding tables provided in this section represent the comprehensive budget and funding plans required for implementation of the programs described in the regional plan. As such, the tables provided in this section replace all budget tables provided in the regional plan.

2. All expenditures provided in the budgets have been escalated using an inflation factor of 5% for the years subsequent to the initial program implementation.

ESTIMATED 10 YEAR BUDGET

CHEATHAM COUNTY	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05
Chapter IV: Waste Reduction:											
Class III/IV Landfill	\$30,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Permitting	\$0	\$29,877	\$31,371	\$32,939	\$34,586	\$36,316	\$38,131	\$40,038	\$42,040	\$44,142	\$46,349
Construction/Operations											
Subtotal - Waste Reduction	\$30,000	\$29,877	\$31,371	\$32,939	\$34,586	\$36,316	\$38,131	\$40,038	\$42,040	\$44,142	\$46,349
Chapter V: Waste Collection and Transportation											
Convenience Centers											
Operations	\$77,670	\$81,554	\$85,631	\$89,913	\$94,408	\$99,129	\$104,085	\$109,289	\$114,754	\$120,492	\$126,516
Equipment Maintenance/Replacement											
Trucks	\$141,536	\$148,613	\$156,043	\$163,846	\$172,038	\$180,640	\$189,672	\$199,155	\$209,113	\$219,569	\$230,547
Subtotal - Waste Collection	\$219,206	\$230,166	\$241,675	\$253,758	\$266,446	\$279,769	\$293,757	\$308,445	\$323,867	\$340,060	\$357,063
Chapter VI: Recycling											
Operations											
Staff	\$30,000	\$31,500	\$33,075	\$34,729	\$36,465	\$38,288	\$40,203	\$42,213	\$44,324	\$46,540	\$48,867
Maintenance	\$7,000	\$7,350	\$7,718	\$8,103	\$8,509	\$8,934	\$9,381	\$9,850	\$10,342	\$10,859	\$11,402
Capital - Bins	\$9,582	\$10,061	\$10,564	\$11,092	\$11,647	\$12,229	\$12,841	\$13,483	\$14,157	\$14,865	\$15,608
Program - Trucks	\$22,464	\$23,587	\$24,767	\$26,005	\$27,305	\$28,670	\$30,104	\$31,609	\$33,190	\$34,849	\$36,591
Subtotal - Recycling	\$39,046	\$40,998	\$43,048	\$45,201	\$47,461	\$49,834	\$52,325	\$54,942	\$57,689	\$60,573	\$63,602
Chapter VII: Composting, Processing, WTE											
Permitting	\$0	\$9,305	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Operations	\$0	\$5,695	\$5,980	\$6,279	\$6,593	\$6,923	\$7,269	\$7,632	\$8,014	\$8,414	\$8,835
Subtotal - Composting, Processing, WTE	\$0	\$15,000	\$5,980	\$6,279	\$6,593	\$6,923	\$7,269	\$7,632	\$8,014	\$8,414	\$8,835
Chapter VIII: Disposal											
Post Closure Care Existing LF											
Maintenance	\$50,000	\$20,000	\$21,000	\$22,050	\$23,153	\$24,310	\$25,526	\$26,802	\$28,142	\$29,549	\$31,027
Waste to Bi-County Landfill											
Tipping Fee @ \$30/ton	\$398,044	\$417,946	\$438,843	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Hauling @ \$10/ton	\$132,681	\$139,315	\$146,281	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Contractual Fees											
Tipping Fees @ 40.41/ton	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$968,507	\$1,017,982	\$1,068,881	\$1,122,325	\$1,178,441	\$1,237,363	\$1,299,232	\$1,364,193
Subtotal - Disposal	\$580,725	\$577,261	\$606,124	\$991,557	\$1,041,134	\$1,093,191	\$1,147,851	\$1,205,243	\$1,265,505	\$1,328,781	\$1,395,220

ESTIMATED 10 YEAR FUNDING PLAN

CHEATHAM COUNTY	1994/95	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05
Chapter IV: Waste Reduction:											
Solid Waste Fund	\$30,000	\$13,212	\$14,706	\$16,274	\$17,921	\$19,651	\$21,466	\$23,373	\$25,375	\$27,477	\$29,684
Tipping Fees @ \$15/ton, First year of operation	\$0	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665	\$16,665
Subtotal - Waste Reduction	\$30,000	\$29,877	\$31,371	\$32,939	\$34,586	\$36,316	\$38,131	\$40,038	\$42,040	\$44,142	\$46,349
Chapter V: Collection and Transportation											
General Fund	\$219,206	\$105,166	\$241,675	\$253,758	\$266,446	\$279,769	\$293,757	\$308,445	\$323,867	\$340,060	\$357,063
Grants		\$125,000	\$0	\$1	\$2	\$3	\$4	\$5	\$6	\$7	\$8
Subtotal - Collection and Transportation	\$219,206	\$230,166	\$241,675	\$253,758	\$266,446	\$279,769	\$293,757	\$308,445	\$323,867	\$340,060	\$357,063
Chapter VI: Recycling											
General Fund	\$39,046	\$40,998	\$43,048	\$45,201	\$47,461	\$49,834	\$52,325	\$54,942	\$57,689	\$60,573	\$63,602
Subtotal - Recycling	\$39,046	\$40,998	\$43,048	\$45,201	\$47,461	\$49,834	\$52,325	\$54,942	\$57,689	\$60,573	\$63,602
Chapter VII: Composting											
General Fund	\$0	\$15,000	\$5,980	\$6,279	\$6,593	\$6,923	\$7,269	\$7,632	\$8,014	\$8,414	\$8,835
Subtotal - Composting	\$0	\$15,000	\$5,980	\$6,279	\$6,593	\$6,923	\$7,269	\$7,632	\$8,014	\$8,414	\$8,835
Chapter VIII: Disposal											
Solid Waste Fund	\$580,725	\$577,261	\$308,623	\$497,764	\$497,764	\$497,764	\$557,199	\$557,199	\$557,199	\$557,199	\$557,199
Subtotal - Disposal	\$580,725	\$577,261	\$606,124	\$991,557	\$1,041,134	\$1,093,191	\$1,147,851	\$1,205,243	\$1,265,505	\$1,328,781	\$1,395,220
Chapter IX: Education Included in Waste Reduction											
Subtotal - Education											
7. Problem Waste											
General Fund	\$4,250	\$4,463	\$4,686	\$4,920	\$5,166	\$5,424	\$5,695	\$5,980	\$6,279	\$6,593	\$6,923
Grants	\$2,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Subtotal - Problem Wastes	\$6,250	\$4,463	\$4,686	\$4,920	\$5,166	\$5,424	\$5,695	\$5,980	\$6,279	\$6,593	\$6,923
TOTAL	\$875,227	\$897,765	\$932,883	\$1,334,654	\$1,401,387	\$1,471,456	\$1,545,029	\$1,622,280	\$1,703,394	\$1,788,564	\$1,877,992

ADDENDUM I

SECTION THREE

Disposal Capacity Assurance

Note:

The tables provided in Section Three replace any disposal schedules provided in Chapters VIII and XI of the regional plan.

COMPLIANCE SCHEDULE FOR CONTRACTING/PROVIDING DISPOSAL CAPACITY

Schedule for Assurance of Disposal Capacity for Cheatham County

	Date to be completed by:
Evaluate the needs for disposal capacity (waste characterization: types and quantities)	<u>July 15, 1994</u>
Develop RFP to Privatize Disposal Services	<u>June 30, 1996</u>
Advertise RFP	<u>July 17 & 24, 1996</u>
Receive Bids	<u>August 8, 1996</u>
Evaluate Proposals	<u>September 16, 1996</u>
Award Contract	<u>January 1, 1997</u>

Note: All the preceding activities should be scheduled to be completed on or before January 1, 1996.

Once the Contract is negotiated and finalized, please inform the division of the length and terms of the contract. If the contract is for a period of time less than the planning period (year 2003), submit a schedule for renewal of the existing contract or negotiation of a new contract.

The preceding schedule is based upon a decision by the county commission to privatize disposal services. A commission voted on this issue on September 30, 1996. The date for awarding the contract is tentative as of the date of submittal of Addendum One of the solid waste plan. Once the contract is awarded, a copy of the contract will be forwarded to the DSWA along with the Annual Progress Report.

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Middle Point Sanitary Landfill

November 22, 1996

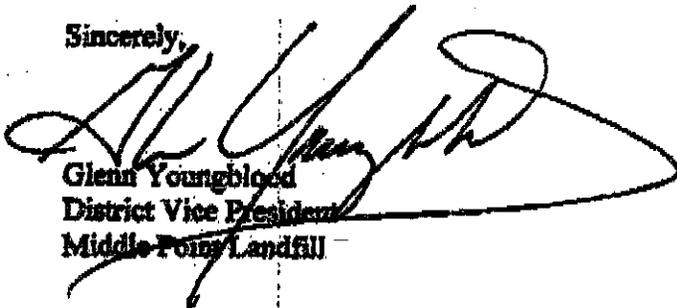
Ms. Linda Fizer
County Executive
Cheatham County Public Square
Ashland City, TN 37015

Dear Ms. Fizer,

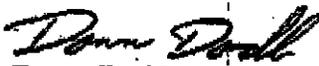
BFI's Middle Point Landfill, located in Walter Hill, Tennessee, currently has sufficient airspace available to accommodate the Solid Waste Disposal needs of Cheatham County for a minimum of ten years.

Should you need any further explanation, or clarification, please feel free to contact BFI at any time.

Sincerely,



Glenn Youngblood
District Vice President
Middle Point Landfill


Donna Dodd
Market Development
BFI of TN, Inc.

ADDENDUM I

SECTION FOUR

Implementation Schedule

Note:

The tables provided in Section Four replace any implementation schedules provided in the regional plan.

**IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE
CHEATHAM COUNTY MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE PLANNING REGION**

MONTH	YEAR											
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003		
Fall	X											
Spring		X										
Summer		X										
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Spring		X										
Summer												
Fall		X										

ACTION ITEM

Chapter IV: Waste Reduction

Permit Class III/IV Landfill

Construct Class III/IV LF

Class III/IV Landfill On-line

Chapter V: Waste Collection

Apply for convenience center grant to upgrade centers

Upgrade Convenience centers

Purchase new collection truck

4 planned maintenance per truck (total of 12)

Purchase new truck (Replacement)

4 planned maintenance per truck (total of 12)

Purchase new truck (Replacement)

4 planned maintenance per truck (total of 12)

Purchase new truck (Replacement)

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Purchase new truck (Replacement)

4 planned maintenance per truck (total of 12)

Chapter VI: Recycling

Provide Recycling at all convenience centers

Provide recycling collection at courthouse

Provide white goods scrap metal recycling at landfill

Hire recycling education manager

Provide school model program at Pleasant Valley Elementary

Expand school program to half of county schools

Upgrade convenience center collection program

Expand school program to include all county schools

Maintain all programs

Chapter VII: Composting, Processing, WTE

Coordinate with DSWA to determine necessity of yard waste composting

Permit yard waste composting facility, if necessary

Implement yard waste composting, if necessary

Chapter VIII: Waste Disposal
 Dispose of waste at Bi-County Landfill
 Evaluate needs for disposal capacity
 Develop RFP to privatize disposal services
 Advertise RFP
 Receive bids
 Evaluate proposals
 Award contract

Chapter IX: Public Information/Education
 Prepare press releases for beginning of all programs
 Work with block leaders for community yard sales
 Work with pilot community for implementing purchasing policy
 Backyard composting program kick-off
 Begin seminars for civic groups
 Begin education in area industries
 Schedule meetings with ministerial alliances
 Begin education programs in the schools
 Begin work with local nurseries
 Begin education in area offices
 Begin education in area stores
 First mass purchase of recycled products

Chapter X: Problem Wastes
 State funded annual HHW collection event
 Maintain tire storage area
 Implement illegal dump investigation
 Develop a waste oil collection center
 Utilize litter grant funds for roadside cleanup

MONTH	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
	X	X	X							
Jul	X									
Jun			X							
Jul			X							
Aug			X							
Sep			X							
Jan				X						
Ongoing	X	X								
Feb	X									
Feb	X									
Mar	X									
Mar	X									
Apr	X									
May	X									
Aug	X									
Sep	X									
Oct	X									
Feb		X								
Feb		X								
Yearly	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ongoing	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ongoing	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Yearly	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

ADDENDUM I

SECTION FIVE

County Commission Approval

Note: The county commission has not approved the Cheatham County Regional Solid Waste Plan. Several resolutions have been passed regarding the plan but these have dealt with deferring approval of the plan until the Public Works Department could review the plan and rejecting the plan. Resolutions regarding the plan have been included in this section.

RESOLUTION: 16
 RESOLUTION TITLE: Defer Solid Waste Plan for Public Works Committee to Review
 DATE: JANUARY 16, 1995
 MOTION BY: Mr. Rick Johnson
 SECONDED BY: Mr. Jim Garrett
 QUESTION: Ms. Ann Jarreau

COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this the 16th day of January, 1995, in the General Sessions Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: Postpone approval of Solid Waste Plan for review by Public Works Committee.

RECORD: Resolution passed by Roll Call Vote, 11 Yes, 1 No, 3 Absent.

Jim Harris	Yes	Ricky Burton	Absent
Rick Johnson	Yes	Jimmy Noe	Yes
Donnie Jordan	Yes	Jim Garrett	Yes
Randy L. Drake	Absent	Gary Jackson	Yes
Ann Jarreau	Yes	Clate Reed	Yes
John Spry	Yes	Karl Francis	Yes
Jerry Carney	Yes	John Haines	Absent
Robert Hand	No		

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:

 Linda S. Fizer, County Executive

CHEATHAM COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT: _____

I, W.J. Hall, do hereby certify that I am the duly authorized and acting County Clerk of Cheatham County, Tennessee. And as such official, I further certify that this resolution was duly passed in open court and offered for signature to the Honorable Linda S. Fizer, County Executive; that this resolution was promptly and fully recorded and is open to public inspection.

Witness, My official signature and seal of said county, this the 16th day of January 1995.



 W. J. Hall, County Clerk

RESOLUTION: 12
RESOLUTION TITLE: Cheatham County Solid Waste Plan
DATE: FEBRUARY 20, 1995
MOTION BY: Mr. Rick Johnson
SECONDED BY: Mr. John Haines
COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this the 20 day of February, 1995, in the General Sessions Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee:

A Resolution Regarding the Cheatham County Solid Waste Plan

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEATHAM COUNTY COMMISSION THAT:

Cheatham County continue its solid waste operations as currently implemented until the Cheatham County Regional Solid Waste Plan is approved and implemented;

Cheatham County officially request some form of assurance from the Bi-County Landfill that Cheatham County may continue to use their facilities until our own plan is fully implemented;

The County Commission requests and authorizes joint meetings of the Cheatham County Solid Waste Regional Planning Board and the Commission's Public Works Committee as often as necessary in order to agree on a plan to submit to the State no later than 90 days from the date of passage of this Resolution.

RECORD: Resolution passed by Roll Call vote, 13 Yes, 2 No.

Jim Harris	Yes	Ricky Burton	Yes
Rick Johnson	Yes	Jimmy Noe	Yes
Donnie Jordan	Yes	Jim Garrett	Yes
Jack S. McCanness, Jr.	Yes	Gary Jackson	Yes
Ann Jarreau	Yes	Glate Reed	Yes
John Spry	Yes	Karl Francis	Yes
Jerry Carney	No	John Haines	Yes
Robert Hand	No		

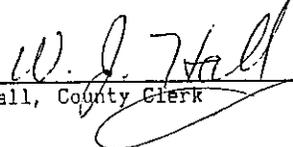
COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:

Please see attached memo.

CHEATHAM COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT: _____

I, W.J. Hall, do hereby certify that I am the duly authorized and acting County Clerk of Cheatham County, Tennessee. And as such official, I further certify that this resolution was duly passed in open court and offered for signature to the Honorable Linda S. Fizer, County Executive; that this resolution was promptly and fully recorded and is open to public inspection.

Witness, My official signature and seal of said county, this the 20th day of February 1995.



W. J. Hall, County Clerk

RESOLUTION: 13
 RESOLUTION TITLE: Amend Cheatham County Solid Waste Plan
 DATE: FEBRUARY 20, 1995
 MOTION BY: Mr. Donnie Jordan
 SECONDED BY: Mr. Jim Harris

COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this the 20 day of February, 1995, in the General Sessions Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: RESOLVED, That the paragraph three of the Original Motion be amended as follows:

The County Commission requests and authorizes joint meetings of the Cheatham County Solid Waste Regional Planning Board and the Commission's Public Works Committee as often as necessary in order to agree on a plan to submit to the State no later than 90 days from the date of passage of this Resolution.

RECORD: Resolution passed by Roll Call Vote, 12 Yes, 2 No and 1 Abstain.

Jim Harris	Yes	Ricky Burton	Yes
Rick Johnson	No	Jimmy Noe	Yes
Donnie Jordan	Yes	Jim Garrett	Pass/Abstain
Jack S. McCanless, Jr.	Pass/Yes	Gary Jackson	Yes
Ann Jarreau	Yes	Clate Reed	Yes
John Spry	Yes	Karl Francis	Yes
Jerry Carney	No	John Haines	Yes
Robert Hand	Yes		

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:



 Linda S. Fizer, County Executive

CHEATHAM COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT: _____

I, W.J. Hall, do hereby certify that I am the duly authorized and acting County Clerk of Cheatham County, Tennessee. And as such official, I further certify that this resolution was duly passed in open court and offered for signature to the Honorable Linda S. Fizer, County Executive; that this resolution was promptly and fully recorded and is open to public inspection.

Witness, My official signature and seal of said county, this the 20th day of February 1995.

RESOLUTION: 10
RESOLUTION TITLE: Rejection of Ten Year Solid Waste Plan
DATE: MARCH 20, 1995
MOTION BY: Mr. Rick Johnson
SECONDED BY: Mr. Jerry P. Carney
QUESTION BY: Mr. Jimmy Noe

COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this the 20 day of March, 1995, in the General Sessions Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: Rejection of Ten Year Solid Waste Plan.

RECORD: Resolution passed by Roll Call Vote, 8 Yes, 5 No, 1 Abstain, 1 Absent.

Jim Harris	No	Ricky Burton	Pass/Yes
Rick Johnson	Yes	Jimmy Noe	Yes
Donnie Jordan	No	Jim Garrett	Yes
Jack S. McCanless, Jr.	Yes	Gary Jackson	Yes
Ann Jarreau	No	Clate Reed	Absent
John Spry	No	Karl Francis	Yes
Jerry Carney	Yes	John Haines	Pass/Abstain
Robert Hand	No		

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:

Linda S. Fizer, County Executive

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W. J. Hall, County Clerk

ADDENDUM I

SECTION SIX

Confirmation Resolutions

RESOLUTION NO. 3

RESOLUTION TITLE AFFIRMATION OF APPOINTEES TO SOLID WASTE REGIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE

DATE APRIL 19th, 1993

MOTION BY ROBERT L. HAND

SECOND BY J.M. McLAUGHLIN

COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in regular session this 19th day of April, 1993 at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: MOVED TO AFFIRM THE FOLLOWING APPOINTEES TO THE CHEATHAM COUNTY SOLID WASTE REGIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE:

<u>FIRST DISTRICT</u>	Paul Ford & Faye Browning
<u>SECOND DISTRICT</u>	Ann Jarreau & Gloria Buehler
<u>THIRD DISTRICT</u>	Wayne Morris & Janet Tabor
<u>FOURTH DISTRICT</u>	Jimmy Noe & Debbie Morrison
<u>FIFTH DISTRICT</u>	Grover Anderson & Gary Wood
<u>SIXTH DISTRICT</u>	Michael Burton & Art Hummel

The Mayors' Appointments are:
ASHLAND CITY-Jerry Hunt, KINGSTON SPRINGS-Ron McClanahan, and
PEGRAM-Scott Hiatt

RECORD: VOICE VOTE 12-AYE 3-ABSTENTIONS

Richard Johnson-ABSTAIN	J.M. McLaughlin
Steven J. Smith	Jimmy Noe
Paul Ford	Grover Anderson
Ann Jarreau	Thomas L. Stuart
Riley Binkley	Jim Garrett-ABSTAIN
S.O. Henley	Karl Francis
Robert L. Hand	Gary Petty-ABSTAIN
Wayne Morris	

CHAIRMAN, KARL FRANCIS DECLARED THE AFFIRMATIONS PASSED.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:

Linda S. Fizer
Linda S. Fizer, County Executive

CHEATHAM COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

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signature and seal of said county, this 23rd day of



RESOLUTION: 3

RESOLUTION TITLE: Confirm Appointment of Mr. Charley Edens to Solid Waste Board

DATE: July 17, 1995

MOTION BY: Mr. Gary Jackson

SECONDED BY: Mr. Jim Garrett

COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this the 17th day of July 1995, in the General Sessions Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: WHEREAS, The appointment of Mr. Charley Edens to the Solid Waste Board is confirmed as recommended by Pegram Mayor, Mr. Aubrey Chambers.

RECORD: Resolution Approved by Unanimous Voice Vote, 15 Yes

Jim Harris	Yes	Ricky Burton	Yes
Rick Johnson	Yes	Jimmy Noe	Yes
Donnie Jordan	Yes	Jim Garrett	Yes
Jack S. McCanless, Jr.	Yes	Gary Jackson	Yes
Ann Jarreau	Yes	Clate Reed	Yes
John Spry	Yes	Karl Francis	Yes
Jerry Carney	Yes	John Haines	Yes
Robert Hand	Yes		

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:



Linda S. Fizer
 Linda S. Fizer, County Executive

CHEATHAM COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT: _____

I, W. J. Hall, do hereby certify that I am the duly authorized and acting County Clerk of Cheatham County, Tennessee. And as such official, I further certify that this resolution was duly passed in open court and offered for signature to the Honorable Linda S. Fizer, County Executive; that this resolution was promptly and fully recorded and is open to public inspection.

Witness, My official signature and seal of said county, this the 31 day of July, 1995.

W. J. Hall
 W. J. Hall, County Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO. 18

RESOLUTION TITLE AMENDMENT TO THE RESOLUTION CREATING A SINGLE-COUNTY SOLID WASTE PLANNING REGION FOR CHEATHAM COUNTY

DATE JULY 19, 1993

MOTION BY THOMAS L. STUART

SECOND BY GROVER ANDERSON

COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this 19th day of July, 1993 in the Criminal Justice Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: motion to amend the resolution creating a Single-County Solid Waste Planning Region for Cheatham County.

SECTION 5 The County Executive shall appoint subject to confirmation of County Commission a minimum of six (6) and maximum of eight (8) members who are residents of Cheatham County. In addition, the cities/towns of Ashland City, Kingston Springs, and Pegram shall each have a member appointed by that cities'/town's Mayor.

SECTION 6 That one third of the members of the Board of The Municipal Solid Waste Region shall serve six (6) year terms, another one third will be a four (4) year term and the remaining one third will be a two (2) year term. A member of the Municipal Solid Waste Region serving as a representative from a Cheatham County Legislative District shall relinquish his or her position on the Municipal Solid Waste Region in the event he or she is no longer a member of the Cheatham County Commission.

RECORD: ROLL CALL VOTE 14 YES 1 ABSTENTION

Richard Johnson	YES	J.M. McLaughlin	YES
Steven J. Smith	YES	Jimmy Noe	YES
Rose Ford	YES	Grover Anderson	YES
Ann Jarreau	YES	Thomas L. Stuart	YES
Riley Binkley	YES	Jim Garrett	YES
S.O. Henley	YES	Karl Francis	YES
Robert L. Hand	YES	Gary Petty	YES/ABSTAIN
Wayne Morris	YES		

CHAIRMAN, KARL FRANCIS DECLARED THE MOTION PASSED.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:

Linda S. Fizer, County Executive

CHEATHAM COUNTY COMMISSION CHAIRMAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT: _____



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W.J. Hall, County Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. 10

RESOLUTION TITLE MOTION TO AMEND RESOLUTION 18. ALL 9 MEMBERS ON THE SOLID WASTE COMMITTEE TO BE CONFIRMED BY THE FULL COMMISSION

DATE JULY 19, 1993

MOTION BY JIM GARRETT

SECOND BY RICHARD JOHNSON

COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this 19th day of July, 1993 in the Criminal Justice Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: motion to amend resolution 18. For appointment of the 9 member Cheatham County Solid Waste Committee, members to be confirmed by the full Commission.

RECORD: VOICE VOTE 15 AYE

Richard Johnson	J. M. McLaughlin
Steven J. Smith	Jimmy Noe
Rose Ford	Grover Anderson
Ann Jarreau	Thomas L. Stuart
Riley Binkley	Jim Garrett
S.O. Henley	Karl Francis
Robert L. Hand	Gary Petty
Wayne Morris	

CHAIRMAN, KARL FRANCIS DECLARED MOTION PASSED.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:

Linda S. Fizer, County Executive

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W.J. Hall, County Clerk



RESOLUTION TITLE: Election and Confirmations

DATE: MARCH 20, 1995

MOTION BY: Mr. Robert Hand

SECONDED BY: Mr. Donnie Jordan

QUESTION BY:

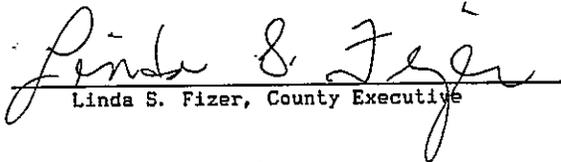
COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this the 20 day of March, 1995, in the General Sessions Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: Affirm the appointments, made by County Executive Linda Fizer, of Mr. Gary Lide to the Solid Waste Board, and Mr. Gary Jackson to the Nursing Home Committee. Also Affirm the appointment of Mr. Steve Stewart to the Solid Waste Board to replace Mr. Ron McClanahan, upon recommendation of Kingston Springs Mayor, Anthony J. Campbell.

RECORD: Resolution passed by unanimous Voice Vote, 14 Yes, 1 Absent.

Jim Harris	Yes	Ricky Burton	Yes
Rick Johnson	Yes	Jimmy Noe	Yes
Donnie Jordan	Yes	Jim Garrett	Yes
Jack S. McCanless, Jr.	Yes	Gary Jackson	Yes
Ann Jarreau	Yes	Clate Reed	Absent
John Spry	Yes	Karl Francis	Yes
Jerry Carney	Yes	John Haines	Yes
Robert Hand	Yes		

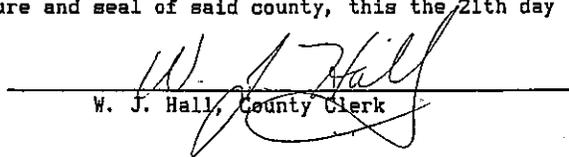
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W. J. Hall, County Clerk



RESOLUTION: 16
 RESOLUTION TITLE: Confirm Appointment of Mr. Victor Sparks to Solid Waste Board
 DATE: MAY 15, 1995
 MOTION BY: Mr. Robert Hand
 SECONDED BY: Mr. Jerry Carney
 COMPLETE RESOLUTION:

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That the Cheatham County Legislative Body meeting in Regular Session this the 15th day of May, 1995, in the General Sessions Courtroom at the Courthouse in Ashland City, Tennessee: WHEREAS, The appointment of Mr. Victor Sparks to the Solid Waste Board is confirmed.

RECORD: Approved by Voice Vote 13, Yes, 1 Absent, 1 Abstaining.

Jim Harris	Yes	Ricky Burton	Yes
Rick Johnson	Yes	Jimmy Noe	Yes
Donnie Jordan	Yes	Jim Garrett	Abstain
Jack S. McCanless, Jr.	Yes	Gary Jackson	Yes
Ann Jarreau	Absent	Clate Reed	Yes
John Spry	Yes	Karl Francis	Yes
Jerry Carney	Yes	John Haines	Yes
Robert Hand	Yes		

COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S REMARKS:



Linda S. Fizer
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I, W. J. Hall, do hereby certify that I am the duly authorized and acting County Clerk of Cheatham County, Tennessee. And as such official, I further certify that this resolution was duly passed in open court and offered for signature to the Honorable Linda S. Fizer, County Executive; that this resolution was promptly and fully recorded and is open to public inspection.

Witness, My official signature and seal of said county, this the 16th day of May 1995

W. J. Hall
 W. J. Hall, County Clerk

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ADDENDUM I

SECTION SEVEN

Uniform Financial Accounting



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LINDA S. FIZER
(615) 792-4316

December 3, 1996

Mr. Paul Evan Davis, Director
Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation
Division of Solid Waste Assistance
401 Church Street
L & C Tower, 14th Floor
Nashville, TN 37243-0455

Dear Mr. Davis:

This is to advise you that the County of Cheatham is in compliance with the Uniform Financial Accounting System required by T.C.A. 68-211-874(a), and has established a special revenue fund called the Sanitation Fund.

Sincerely,

Linda S. Fizer
County Executive

ADDENDUM I
SECTION EIGHT

Public Hearing

Cheatham County Solid Waste Plan

Written Comments From 6/16/94 Public Hearing

1. (Signed by Michael W. Sullivan)

Please explain how we can operate a landfill with only the waste from Cheatham County.

2. (Signed by Charles E. Trimble)

Request Additional time for the Public to be properly Notified of this type of hearing. Most People have not been advised of this Hearing until today. 6/16/94 It is not Prudent, to not give the public at least three weeks Public Notification Prior to this hearing.

3. (Signed by Ann Hiatt)

- 1) How was This Meeting Advertised To The Public and When?
- 2) Have All Meetings Been Advertised To The Public? How Much Notice?
- 3) How many Consultants were Interviewed?
- 4) How Much will The Landfill Cost vs. Transfer stations in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th year?
 - 4A) Were will the Moneys come from in the event the landfill Does not pay for itself? Is every Member willing to stand Behind their individual decision to keep the land fill Open should it cost the taxpayer money?
- 5) Have the Groundwater Test Results come back and what were the Specific Results?

Comment

- 6) I am deeply Concerned that individual efforts to make a decision has not been at it's best. There are members who go along No Matter what is said & are not fully informed and In my opion have been influenced to the point thinking or speaking for Themselves is Not allowed. This is a decision that will effect our County No Matter who you are & No Matter Where in the County You Live.

4. (Signed by Rick Johnson)

Attached in its entirety.

Cheatham County 10-Year Solid Waste Plan

June 16, 1994 Public Hearing

Written Comment Form

These forms can be placed in the comment box at the back of the courtroom during the public hearing or can be mailed to the following address before June 30, 1994:

Draper Aden Associates
Suite 100, 2214 MetroCenter Blvd.
Nashville, Tennessee 37228
Attn: Gary L. Lide, P.E.

I commend the Cheatham County SWPB for their hard work in formulating a solid waste plan for submittal to the Cheatham County Legislative Body. While I agree with some aspects of the proposed plan, I am opposed to the reopening of the landfill. Operation of a landfill is a highly technical and extremely expensive task with the potential for unlimited liability. It is, therefore, a financially impractical project for a county of our size to undertake.

Cheatham County has a poor "track record" when it comes to operation of a landfill. We have been in almost continuous violation of the regulations governing landfill operation and are, to the best of my knowledge, under notice from the State of Tennessee at this time.

The people of Cheatham County have made it quite clear that they are unwilling to accept outside county waste at the landfill. Private industry, on the other hand, is receptive of waste regardless of its origin. Operational costs remain relatively constant while volume increases the profit margin. If good faith negotiations are entered into, private industry would most certainly produce a long term contract that is both profitable to them and less expensive to the county than operation of a landfill.

The cost figures presented to the board on a county operated landfill were at least, to some extent, based on assumptions. We should not base such an important decision on a best case scenario. Even with these "best case figures", Gary Lide, consultant to the board, expects that a transfer station would be less expensive than operation of a county landfill facility. If operation costs increase due to lack of participation, equipment problems, construction failure, etc., these expenses will be passed on directly to the taxpayers.

Private industry will produce a long term contract that can be negotiated to eliminate the above mentioned "surprises". A fixed cost can be depended on regarding disposal expenses. Cheatham County should maintain the current permit to operate a landfill. This could be used as a "bargaining chip" in future negotiations.

With the information provided, it appears that collection, transportation, recycling, and demolition disposal should remain the responsibility of the county. A single department, with one department head should be able to manage these aspects of the program.

Gary Lide said that with 100% participation, the landfill approach will not be cost effective. A county operated landfill will be a long term commitment to economically inefficient government.

Signed

Aden Johnson County Commissioner 1st District

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Signed

Charles E. Trumble 147 Shade Tree Ln. Brentwood
37142

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