

**WASHINGTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

RESOLUTION NO. 18-11-04

**RESOLUTION AMENDING FISCAL YEAR BUDGET 2018-2019
RE: FIRE PREVENTION & CONTROL – PURCHASE AND
INSTALLATION OF TWO FIRE HYDRANTS, ONE AT COPPER HILL
DRIVE, AND ONE AT COPPER COURT**

WHEREAS, the Public Safety Committee requests authorization to utilize \$7,000.00 from expense line item 101-54310-599 (Fire Prevention and Control – Other Charges) to fund the purchase from the City of Johnson City, and installation of two (2) fire hydrants, one (1) at Copper Hill Drive, and one (1) at Copper Court; and

WHEREAS, the Public Safety Committee at its November 1, 2018 meeting recommended consideration and approval of this request to the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the Budget Committee at its November 14, 2018 meeting recommended consideration and approval of this request to the Board of County Commissioners; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE THAT:

SECTION 1. The request to utilize \$7,000.00 from expense line item 101-54310-599 (Fire Prevention and Control – Other Charges) to fund the purchase from the City of Johnson City, and installation of two (2) fire hydrants, one (1) at Copper Hill Drive, and one (1) at Copper Court is hereby approved.

SECTION 2. This Resolution shall take effect from and after the date on which it is approved by the County Mayor or as indicated by certification of the County Clerk, as hereinafter set forth.

Introduced by Commissioner: *Wheeler*

Seconded by Commissioner: *Fitzgerald*

Commissioners Voting FOR: *Matherly, England, Carriger, Williams, McAllister, Tester, Ford, Davenport, Light, Edens, Harris, Fitzgerald, Malone, Jones, Wheeler*

Commissioners Voting AGAINST: *None*

Commissioners Abstaining: *None*

Commissioners Absent: *None*

ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATIVE BODY, in session duly assembled, on this the 26th day of November, 2018.

Kathy Storey
KATHY STOREY, County Clerk

Greg Matherly
GREG MATHERLY, Chair of the Board

REFERRED to County Mayor this the 28 day of November 2018.

Kathy Storey
KATHY STOREY, County Clerk

APPROVED by County Mayor on this the ___ day of _____ 2018.

William J. Grandy
WILLIAM J. GRANDY, County Mayor

The County Mayor having declined to approve this Resolution, the same became effective on the ___ day of _____ 2018, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated § 5-6-107(b)(5).

KATHY STOREY, County Clerk

Approved as to form by the County Attorney this 27th day of November 2018.

Thomas J. Seeley III
THOMAS J. SEELEY III, County Attorney

WATAUGA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

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November 1, 2018

To: Public Safety Committee

Re: Fire Hydrant Request

The Watauga Volunteer Fire Department is requesting at least one fire hydrant, preferably two, be placed on Copper Hill Dr and Copper Ct in Copper Hill Patio Homes, which is located off of S. Austin Springs Rd.

Copper Hill Patio Homes consist of 11 one story structures averaging 1052 sq ft each and 13 two story structures averaging 1130 sq ft each, with an average year built of 1997 located on approximately 6 acres. Most of the homes are in close proximity to each other which would make fire hydrants extremely valuable in the event of a fire.

There is an existing 6" water line on Copper Hill Dr and Copper Ct, Johnson City Water Department is in the process of installing a 12" line on S. Austin Springs Rd which will support the installation of fire hydrants in the area.

This is our first request for fire hydrants as we have not had adequate water supply lines available in the past. We would greatly appreciate any assistance Washington County can provide.

If additional information is needed please contact:

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City of Johnson City
Water and Sewer Services Department
Jeff Harmon
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jeffharmon@johnsoncitytn.org

Thank You for Your Consideration,

Chief Benny Colbaugh
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