

ORDINANCE NO. 172

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND DIVISIONS FOR THE FISCAL PERIOD JULY 1, 1996, THROUGH JUNE 30, 1997, ESTABLISHING A PROPERTY TAX RATE, AND TO FIX THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, as follows:

SECTION I. That the revenue received from the sources of income shown in the detailed budget headed "Estimated Total Revenue and Available Funds" including appropriation from General Fund surplus and fund transfers aggregating \$1,625,271 received or accruing during the fiscal period ending June 30, 1997, or any other revenues or income accruing, or available for this appropriation, be and the same are hereby appropriated for the various purposes set out in the budget detail on file in the offices of the Mayor and the Recorder, and the same made a part of and incorporated in this ordinance by specific reference as if fully copied herein, in the aggregate of \$1,429,866 for the payment of expenses and obligations for the fiscal period aforesaid which are payable from the general funds of the Town.

The books, accounts, orders, vouchers, or other official documents relating to the items of appropriation covered shall indicate the items involved either by name as given or by the symbol or code number as prefixed in the detailed budget and by department as listed below:

DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL PERIOD
JULY 1, 1996, THROUGH JUNE 30, 1997

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Debt Service	0
Sewer	252,637
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$1,429,866

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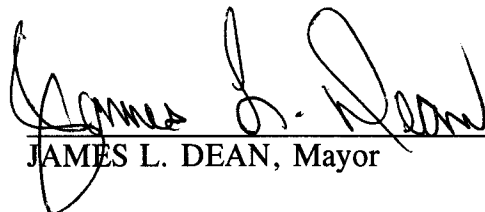
SECTION III. There is hereby levied a total of \$1.58 per \$100.00 assessed value of real, personal, and mixed property within the corporate limits, not exempt from taxation, for the purpose of funding municipal services, payment of bonded debt and other disbursements which are legal obligations.

SECTION IV. That authority be and the same is hereby given to the Mayor and the Recorder to jointly issue vouchers in payment of the items of appropriations or expenditures, as they become due or necessary covered by the foregoing sections, and to make expenditures for items exceeding an aggregate cost of \$5,000.00 when such items are explicitly listed as individually budgeted items in the budget detail.

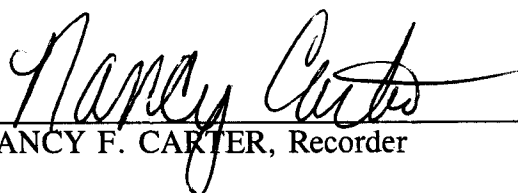
SECTION V. That authority be and the same is hereby given to the Mayor and the Recorder to transfer the unused portion of any item or appropriation within the same department, other than Capital Improvements. Further appropriations and expenditures including be not limited to those from the General Fund Contingency or Capital Outlay and transfers from Capital Outlay, Unappropriated, or from one department to another shall be made by Resolution of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen as the necessity and advisability shall become apparent.

SECTION VI. That the Mayor and Recorder are authorized to borrow money approved by the State Director of Local Finance, to pay for the expenses herein authorized until the taxes and other revenue for the fiscal year 1996-1997 have been collected, not to exceed fifty (50%) per cent for the appropriation of each individual fund. The proceeds of loans for each individual fund shall be used only to pay the expenses and other requirements of that fund for which the loan is made and the loan shall be paid out of revenue of the fund for which it is borrowed. The notes evidencing the loans authorized under this section shall be used under the authority of Title 9, Chapter 21, Tenn. Code Anno. Said notes shall be signed by the Mayor and counter-signed by the City Recorder and shall mature and be paid in full without renewal not later than June 30, 1997.

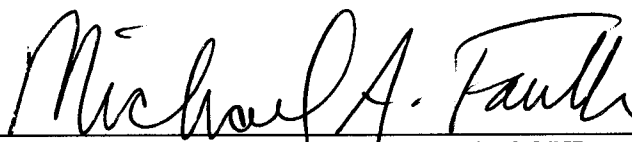
SECTION VII. That this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage as the law directs, the public welfare requiring it.


JAMES L. DEAN, Mayor

ATTEST:


NANCY F. CARTER, Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


LAW OFFICES OF FAULK, MAY & COUP

PASSED 1ST READING: 5-23-96 Ayes 5 Nays 0 Other 0
PASSED 2ND READING: 6-27-96 Ayes 5 Nays 0 Other 0
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MOUNT CARMEL
PROPOSED BUDGET FY-97
GENERAL FUND - FUND #110

DATE 6/29/96

ESTIMATED REVENUES			ACTUAL FY-95	PROPOSED FY-96	FY-96 PROJ.	PROP. FY-97	APPROVED FY-97
31100	Property Taxes			\$430,000	\$440,000	\$444,400	
31200	Delinq. Prop. Tax				0	7,500	
31610	Local Sales Tax, Co. Trust		\$281,245	306,701	291,680	300,430	
31800	Business Tax		15,091	16,000	15,966	16,000	
31912	Cable TV Franchise		19,292	20,000	23,000	23,690	
32610	Permits		7,899	1,200	10,000	10,000	
33191	Postal Contract		17,389	19,332	19,332	20,000	
33430	State Supplement Pay		2,400	3,000	2,400	3,600	
33450	Other State Grants				0	10,000	
33510	State Sales Tax		208,043	227,795	223,239	229,936	
33520	State Income Tax		4,517	4,500	4,673	4,673	
33530	State Beer Tax		2,018	2,125	2,280	2,280	
33551	Gas and Motor Fuel Tax		110,201	92,000	117,580	119,932	
33552	State Streets & Transp.		10,625	10,450	9,829	9,800	
33591	TVA-Gross Receipts Tax		22,183	22,100	21,854	22,000	
33710	Local Grant-Fire Dept			1,000	0		
33720	Hawkins County Donation				6,000	6,000	
34310	State-Highway Contract		11,117	10,500	25,000	21,000	
34510	Animal Control			1,500	1,000	1,000	
34740	Park and Pool			0	0		
34751	Auditorium Rental			1,000	1,000	1,000	
35110	City Court Fines and Costs		42,649	30,000	25,000	35,000	
35160	Court Fines/Cost-County			7,500	16,000	15,000	
36100	Interest		3,228	2,000	2,000	3,000	
36350	Insurance Recovery				33,250		
36711	Contributions & Donations		4,288	9,000	0		
36930	Sale of Notes		100,000		0	100,000	
36990	Misc Revenues		6,718	1,000	1,100	1,000	
					0		
Total Estimated Revenue			\$868,903	\$1,218,703	\$1,292,183	\$1,407,241	
Begin Avail Funds *1				5,685	(35,721)	132,766	172,796
Beg. St Street Aid Res.					45,905	49,369	22,609
Beg. Other Reserves					35,895	35,895	
C/O Note Reserve						0	
Total Available Funds			\$868,903	\$1,224,388	\$1,338,262	\$1,625,271	

52 MOUNT CARMEL, TN.
53 FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS
54 GENERAL FUND - FUND #110
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57			ACTUAL	FY-96	PROP.	APPROVED
58	APPROPRIATIONS		FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
59						
60	41100	LEGISLATIVE	\$51,810	\$32,400	\$23,700	
61	41210	JUDICIAL	1,800	5,450	5,570	
62	41340	CITY ADMINISTRATOR	0	36,685	0	
63	41400	ELECTIONS	2,214	0	3,000	
64	41500	FINANCE ADMINISTRATION	81,899	97,932	157,751	
65	41810	CITY HALL	6,882	12,273	23,696	
66	41990	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	137,629	139,693	168,487	
67	42100	POLICE	158,911	178,526	175,914	
68	42200	FIRE	18,328	38,619	30,140	
69	42400	ANIMAL CONTROL	13,373	20,077	13,330	
70	42420	BUILDING INSPECTION	400	5,111	5,700	
71	43100	HIGHWAYS & STREETS	177,936	123,111	248,792	
72	43190	STATE STREET AID	100,275	114,116	146,692	
73	43200	SANITATION	30,571	121,876	90,999	
74	44440	POOL/RECREATION	17,765	32,245	83,459	
75	52200	SEWER	0	162,118	252,637	
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78	Proj. Exp.-Existing Levels		\$799,793	\$1,120,232	\$1,429,866	

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148	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES		FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
149						
150	41112 LEGISLATIVE					
151	161 Mayor & Board Fee		\$4,430	\$2,400	\$3,200	
152	252 Legal		47,380	30,000	18,000	
153	280 Travel				2,500	
154						
155	Total Legislative		\$51,810	\$32,400	\$23,700	
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157						
158	41210 CITY JUDGE					
159	121 Wages			\$3,000	\$3,120	
160	252 Legal Services		1,800	1,800	1,800	
161	City Court Clerk 1/2 Time Position			0		
162	320 Operating Supplies			650	650	
163						
164	Total City Judges Office		\$1,800	\$5,450	\$5,570	
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167	41340 CITY ADMINISTRATOR					
168	121 Wages			\$36,685		
169	Other Costs			0		
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172	Total City Administrator		\$0	\$36,685	\$0	
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174	41400 ELECTIONS					
175	172 Election expense		\$2,214	\$0	\$3,000	
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177	Total Elections		\$2,214	\$0	\$3,000	
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			FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
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184	41500	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION				
185	121	Wages	\$48,545	\$59,098	\$107,366	
186	122	Overtime		0	5,000	
187	148	Employee Ed		1,465	800	
188	231	Publication-Public Notices		1,300	1,400	
189	235	Membership		2,246	2,600	
190	245	Telephone	6,462	2,043	2,600	
191	253	Accounting/Auditing	14,710	10,400	6,500	
192	255	Data Processing Services	2,617	2,339	2,400	
193	260	Repairs and Maintenance		589	1,000	
194	280	Travel		0	1,000	
195	298	Col Fee OR Prop. Tax Records		6,000	2,000	
196	310	Office Supplies	7,880	7,852	6,000	
197		Other City Mgr. Exp.			6,685	
198	940	Capital Outlay	1,685	4,600	2,400	
199		C/O Additional Computers			10,000	
200						
201		Total General Administration	\$81,899	\$97,932	\$157,751	
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204	41810	PUBLIC BUILDINGS				
205	121	Wages		\$1,593	\$5,096	
206	122	Overtime		0		
207	241	Electricity		3,300	3,500	
208	242	Water & Sewer		1,200	1,300	
209	244	Natural Gas		80	100	
210	260	Repair & Maint. Serv.	5,721	5,000	5,000	
211	324	Janitorial Supplies	1,161	1,100	1,200	
212	920	Building Improvements			7,500	
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214		Total Public Bldg.	\$6,882	\$12,273	\$23,696	
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			FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
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221	41990	OTHER GENERAL GOVERNMENT				
222	134	Emp. Christmas Gifts		\$0	\$2,200	
223	141	FICA Employer Taxes	21,095	30,727	29,272	
224	142	Hospital/Health Insurance	26,705	24,100	21,793	
225	143	Retirement	2,805	4,218	28,401	
226	146	Workers Compensation		14,514	15,053	
227	147	Unemployment Insurance		579	579	
228	235	Memberships/Dues	2,476	20	20	
229	236	Public Relations		3,100	3,100	
230	254	Architectural/Engineering		0	1,000	
231	257	Tenn State Planning	4,483	4,468	4,500	
232	510	Insurance	60,785	32,179	33,179	
233	520	Surety Bond		332	350	
234	721	Donation-library	6,495	6,500	10,500	
235	722	First Tenn human Resources		2,116	2,200	
236	723	Donat-Senior Citizens	12,785	11,740	11,740	
237	299	Other		0		
238	910	land		5,100	4,600	
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240		Total Other Gen Govt.	\$137,629	\$139,693	\$168,487	
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242	42100	POLICE				
243	121	Wages	\$131,497	\$130,131	\$128,647	
244	122	Overtime		0	7,000	
245	148	Employee Ed. & Training	1,639	1,200	3,600	
246	235	Memberships & Regist.	190	500	450	
247	245	Telephone	3,140	3,000	4,650	
248	251	Medical Services	134	1,000	1,050	
249	280	Travel	343	500	1,500	
250	292	Board Bill		700	500	
251	296	Litigation Tax		0		
252	298	NCIC		694	700	
253	320	Supplies	4,926	2,500	2,600	
254	326	Clothing & Uniforms	2,790	3,000	3,000	
255	327	Fire Arm Supplies		1,000	1,050	
256	331	Gas, Oil, & Etc.	6,627	5,600	5,600	
257	333	Machinery & Equip Parts	3,986	9,000	800	
258	334	Vehicle Maintenance		0	2,400	
259	335	Vehicle Repair		0	4,800	
260	336	Radio Rep & Maint		0	500	
261	513	Insurance-Reserve Officers		120	400	
262	940	C/O Machinery & Equip	3,639	19,581	2,167	
263	940	C/O Camcorders			4,500	
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265		Total Police	\$158,911	\$178,526	\$175,914	
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			FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
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270	42200	FIRE				
271	121	Wages		\$2,450	\$2,400	
272	148	Education & Training	1,164	1,464	2,000	
273	235	Memberships/Dues	275	315	2,100	
274	245	Telephone	642	1,100	1,200	
275	251	Medical-Hepit. B		500	1,500	
276	266	Building Rep. & Maint.		500	300	
277	280	Travel		0	300	
278	320	Operating Supplies	2,666	700	1,000	
279	331	Gas, Oil, & Etc.	2,174	500	500	
280	333	Machiner & Equip Parts	5,056	2,250	1,500	
281	334	Vehicle Maintenance		0	500	
282	335	Vehicle Repair		0	1,000	
283	513	Liability Insurance	858	840	840	
284	920	Building Addition		28,000	10,000	
285	940	C/O Machinery & Equip	5,493	0	5,000	
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288		Total Fire	\$18,328	\$38,619	\$30,140	
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290	42400	ANIMAL CONTROL				
291	121	Wages	\$9,239	\$15,513	\$6,760	
292	235	Memberships, reg fees		25	100	
293	241	Electric		0	120	
294	245	Telephone	600	36	600	
295	266	Building Rep. & Maint.		0	200	
296	291	Ambulance/Hospital Servcie		1,000	1,000	
297	320	Operating Supplies	1,929	2,000	1,000	
298	323	Food (Animals)		0	600	
299	326	Clothing & Uniforms		0	500	
300	331	Gas, Oil, & Etc.		400	450	
301	333	Machinery & Equip Parts	1,605	723	400	
302	334	Vehicle Maintenance		0	100	
303	335	Vehicle Repair		0	1,000	
304	940	C/O Machinery & Equip		380	500	
305						
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307	0	Total Animal Control	\$13,373	\$20,077	\$13,330	
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310	42420	BUILDING INSPECTION				
311	121	Wages	\$400	\$4,851	\$5,000	
312	148	Employee Ed. & Training		260	200	
313	236	Public Relations		0	100	
314	320	Operating Supplies		0	100	
315	331	Gas & Oil		0	300	
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317		Total Building Inspection	\$400	\$5,111	\$5,700	
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320			ACTUAL	FY-96	PROP.	APPROVED
321			FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
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323	43100	HIGHWAYS & STREETS				
324	121	Wages	\$62,327	\$71,051	\$41,692	
325	122	Overtime			8,000	
326	241	Electric	1,500	2,332	4,000	
327	242	Water	600	806	850	
328	244	Natural Gas	1,500	1,411	1,450	
329	245	Telephone	545	705	800	
330	266	Bldg. Garage Repair		0	3,000	
331	268	Repair & Maint-Streets		16,577	16,000	
332	320	Operating Supplies	4,100	3,100	3,300	
333	326	Clothing & Uniforms	1,062	1,200	1,200	
334	330	Repairs and Maintenance	3,088	0	0	
335	331	Gas, Oil, & Etc.	2,413	6,402	6,500	
336	333	Machinery & Equip Parts		7,000	1,000	
337	334	Vehicle Maintenance		0	2,000	
338	335	Vehicle Repair		0	5,500	
339	342	Street Signs		1,000	6,500	
340	611	Note Principal		0		
341	631	Interest on Note		0		
342	931	Street Improvements	100,000		75,000	
343	940	C/O Machinery & Equip	801	11,527	3,000	
344	940	C/O (See List)			69,000	
345						
346		Total Highways & Streets	\$177,936	\$123,111	\$248,792	
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349	43190	STATE STREET AID				
350	121	Wages	\$20,114	\$20,927	\$41,692	
351	122	Overtime		0	4,000	
352	141	OASI	1,676	0		
353	142	Hospital/Health Insurance	1,863	0		
354	143	Retirement	224	0		
355	247	Street Lighting	19,760	21,492	23,000	
356	268	Repair & Maint-Streets	49,933	52,713	46,000	
357	320	Operating Supplies	2,730	0		
358	326	Clothing & Uniforms	267	0		
359	330	Repairs and Maintenance	949	0		
360	331	Gas, Oil, & Etc.	2,759	1,493		
361	333	Machinery & Equip Parts		0		
362	342	Sign Parts & Supp		0		
363	400	Materials		0		
364	611	Note Principal		0		
365	631	Interest on Note		6,991	7,000	
366	931	Street Improvements			25,000	
367	940	C/O Machinery & Equip		10,500		
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370		Total State Street Aid	\$100,275	\$114,116	\$146,692	
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373			ACTUAL	FY-96	PROP.
374			FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97
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376	43200	SANITATION			FY-97
377	761	Transfer To Sanitation Fd	\$30,571	\$121,876	\$90,999
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380		Total Sanitation	\$30,571	\$121,876	\$90,999
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382	44440	RECREATION & POOL			
383	110	Salary	\$1,600	\$2,400	\$3,000
384	121	Wages	836	3,234	10,868
385	236	Public Relations		0	
386	241	Electric	636	1,313	1,400
387	242	Water		0	
388	245	Telephone	200	231	236
389	297	Recreation Programs	13,582	24,060	14,000
390	299	Miscellaneous		0	
391	320	Supplies	175	7	500
392	330	Repairs and Maint Supp	736	1,000	12,560
393	325	Concessions		0	
394					
395	900	Capital Outlay		0	
396		New Pool		0	35,895
397		Play Ground Equip			5,000
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400		Total Recreation and Pool	\$17,765	\$32,245	\$83,459
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403	52000	SEWER			
404	762	Transfer to Sewer Fund		\$162,118	252,637
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406		Total Sewer	\$0	\$162,118	\$252,637
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409		Total General Fund	\$799,793	\$1,120,232	\$1,429,866
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414	MOUNT CARMEL				
415	PROPOSED BUDGET FY-97				
416	SANITATION FUND				
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419		ACTUAL	FY-96	PROP.	APPROVED
420	ESTIMATED REVENUE	FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
421					
422	34410 Sanitation Charges	\$68,278	\$8,139		
423	34420 Commercial Coll. Charges		6,014		
424	Container Fee		0	3,400	
425	36961 Transfer From General Fund	30,571	121,876	90,999	
426	36990 Misc.			1,000	
427					
428	Total Estimated Revenue	\$98,849	\$136,029	\$95,399	
429	Begin Available Fds		0		
430					
431	Total Available Funds	\$98,849	\$136,029	\$95,399	
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436		ACTUAL	FY-96	PROP.	APPROVED
437	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES	FY-95	PROJ.	FY-97	FY-97
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439	43200 SANITATION & RECYCLING SERVICES				
440	121 Wages	\$57,379	\$56,750	\$14,196	
441	122 Overtime		0	500	
442	141 OASI-Employer's Share	4,180	4,342	1,124	
443	142 Hospital & Health Ins.	7,136	5,994	2,246	
444	143 Retirement Benefits	637	970	1,133	
445	146 Workman's Compensation	1,342	2,385	900	
446	147 Unemployment Ins.		0	500	
447	290 BFI Contract		38,745	58,100	
448	295 Landfill Charges	8,633	6,268	0	
449	320 Operating Supplies	678	4,500	4,500	
450	326 Clothing & Uniforms	1,104	1,500	800	
451	331 Gas and Oil	6,523	3,000	1,000	
452	333 Machinery & Equipment Parts	10,197	4,266	4,500	
453	510 Insurance		0		
454	533 Equip Rental	1,040	0	2,400	
455	596 State Permit		100	100	
456	600 Debt Service		0		
457	940 Capital Outlay		7,209	3,400	
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461	Total Collection & Disposal	\$98,849	\$136,029	\$95,399	
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KINGSPORT TIMES

PUBLICATION CERTIFICATE

Kingsport, Tenn., June 13, 1996

This is to certify that the Legal Notice hereto attached was published in the Kingsport Times, a daily newspaper published in the City of Kingsport, County of Sullivan, State of Tennessee, beginning in the issue of June 13, 1996, and appearing 1 consecutive weeks—times, as per order of Town of Mount Carmel

Signed Jo Ann Horner

THE MOUNT CARMEL BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON JUNE 27, 1996 AT 7:00 P.M. IN MT. CARMEL CITY HALL FOR ORDINANCE NO. 172 AND 173. AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MT. CARMEL APPROPRIATING FUNDS AND ESTABLISHING A PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 1996 THROUGH JUNE 30, 1997.

THE CITY OF MT. CARMEL PROVIDES CERTAIN FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR THE 1996-97 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF TCA 6-56-206.

GENERAL FUND	ACTUAL FY95	PROJECTED FY96	PROPOSED FY97
(EST. REVENUE)			
LOCAL TAXES	296,336	747,646	768,330
STATE OF TN.	371,104	391,855	402,221
FEDERAL GOVT.	17,389	19,332	20,000
OTHER SOURCES	184,074	318,350	85,690
TOTAL EST. REV.	868,903	1,477,183	1,276,241
(ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES)			
SALARIES	404,220	482,234	567,131
OTHER COSTS	395,573	923,498	767,882
TOTAL EST. EXP.	799,793	1,405,732	1,335,013
EST. BEGINNING BAL.	(23,031)	46,079	117,530
EST. ENDING BAL.	46,079	117,530	58,758
EMPLOYEE POSITIONS	27	26	26

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1996, Jo Ann Horner, Classified Sales Rep.

of the Kingsport Times and in due form of law made oath that the foregoing statement was true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Alvin F. Salyer

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My commission expires March 2 1999



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July 10, 1996

Honorable Jim Dean, Mayor
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Mount Carmel, Tennessee 37645

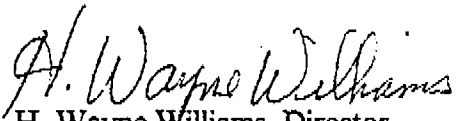
Dear Mayor Dean:

This will acknowledge receipt of a letter from Mr. Vern Haefele dated July 2, 1996, enclosing a certified copy of the Town of Mount Carmel 1996-97 fiscal year budget.

I have reviewed the budget and it appears that estimated revenue for the 1996-97 fiscal year together with fund balances at July 1, 1996, will be sufficient to fund anticipated expenditures for that year.

This letter constitutes approval by this office for the Town of Mount Carmel 1996-97 fiscal year budget as adopted by the Legislative Body on June 27, 1996.

Sincerely,


H. Wayne Williams, Director

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cc: Mr. Vern Haefele