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ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS

The Town of Mount Carmel believes that an active RC&D program in this area will impact positively on the present environment as follows:

1. An active RC&D program can assist local communities and towns in attracting industrial and small business area wide. Committee and councils can be organized and developed to assist local people to create small business interest that will promote job opportunities and economic growth.
2. RC&D program measures will result in the protection of all natural resources area-wide. Erosion will be reduced, resulting in improved water quality and quantity and an overall improvement in the quality of life for area residents.
3. An RC&D area can assist our local governments in obtaining financial and technical assistance to enhance sewer and water systems in the area.
4. An RC&D program will aid the people of the area make intelligent land use decisions within the capabilities of the soil resources and with consideration of existing hazards.

Overall an RC&D area program will improve the quality of life for all people area wide by controlling erosion and sedimentation; increasing tourism and recreation opportunities; increasing job opportunities and local economics and by improving community and transportation facilities area-wide.

TOWN OF Mount Carmel

By: Nancy Lamon

Date: February 23, 1989

ATTEST: Rita Jones

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Mount Carmel, Tn. 37645

This action authorized
at an official meeting of
City Board on 2-23-89

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G. Douglas Price, County Executive

February 13, 1989

The Honorable Gary Lawson
Mayor, City of Mt. Carmel
P. O. Box 1421
Mt. Carmel, TN 37645

Dear Mayor Lawson:

Gary
I am enclosing a resolution asking for your city's approval of the Clinch-Powell Conservation and Development Area Program. The cities and Hawkins County are to be included in this project. The main activities are co-ordinated by the County Soil Conservation Districts. All funding will be by grants.

The following counties and their cities are members of this project:
Claiborne - Grainger - Hawkins - Hancock and Union.

This group can be a useful tool to each of us. I hope that you will pass this resolution at your next meeting.

Please return to me as soon as possible. Thanks for your help on this important project.

Sincerely,

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G. Douglas Price
County Executive

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Enclosure