

A RESOLUTION MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE VARIOUS FUNDS,  
DEPARTMENTS, INSTITUTIONS, OFFICES AND AGENCIES  
OF STEWART COUNTY, TENNESSEE,  
FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2026 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2027

SECTION 1. BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Stewart County, Tennessee, assembled in regular session on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June 2026, that the amounts hereafter set out are hereby appropriated for the purpose of meeting the expenses of the various funds, departments, institutions, offices and agencies of Stewart County, Tennessee, for the capital outlay, and for meeting the payment of principal and interest on the county's debt maturing during the year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027, according to the following schedule:

GENERAL FUND

51100 County Commission	\$	46,734
51300 County Mayor/Executive		296,653
51500 Election Commission		271,345
51600 Register of Deeds		229,886
51800 County Buildings		603,830
51900 Other General Administration		65,350
51910 Preservation of Records		3,203
52100 Accounting and Budgeting		207,573
52300 Property Assessor's Office		295,081
52400 County Trustee's Office		338,985
52500 County Clerk's Office		373,850
52600 Data Processing		82,928
53100 Circuit Court		279,788
53310 General Sessions Judge		199,267
53320 General Sessions Court Clerk		134,765
53400 Chancery Court		230,263
53500 Juvenile Court		317,634
53600 District Attorney General		2,585
54110 Sheriff's Department		2,407,925
54210 Jail		2,474,333
54310 Fire Prevention and Control		125,000
54490 Other Emergency Management		826,996
54610 County Coroner/Medical Examiner		67,565
55110 Local Health Center		32,000
55120 Rabies and Animal Control		10,000
55130 Ambulance/Emergency Medical Service		2,273,876
55731 Waste Pickup		44,200
55900 Other Public Health and Welfare		701,600
56300 Senior Citizens Assistance		25,000
56500 Libraries		296,659
56700 Parks and Fair Boards		4,500
56900 Other Social, Cultural and Recreational		90,000
57100 Agricultural Extension Service		101,418

GENERAL FUND (continued)

57500	Soil Conservation		62,915
58110	Tourism		20,000
58111	Tourism – Resort District		160,644
58190	Other Economic and Community Development		4,000
58300	Veterans’ Services		102,540
58400	Other Charges		545,000
58900	Miscellaneous		107,200
	Total General Fund	\$	14,463,090

DRUG CONTROL FUND

54150	Drug Enforcement	\$	25,680
58400	Other Charges		300
	Total Drug Control Fund	\$	25,980

OTHER GENERAL GOVERNMENT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (ARPA)

99100	Transfers Out	\$	0
	Total Other General Government Fund	\$	0

HIGHWAY/PUBLIC WORKS FUND

61000	Administration	\$	270,009
62000	Highway and Bridge Maintenance		1,969,800
63100	Operation and Maintenance of Equipment		412,100
65000	Other Charges		186,300
66000	Employee Benefits		570,800
68000	Capital Outlay		226,950
	Total Highway/Public Works Fund	\$	3,635,959

GENERAL PURPOSE SCHOOL FUND

71100	Regular Instruction Program	\$	9,364,000
71150	Alternate Instruction Program		108,850
71200	Special Education Program		1,145,950
71300	Career and Technical Education Program		917,300
72110	Attendance		106,625
72120	Health Services		330,000
72130	Other Student Support		539,450
72210	Regular Instruction Program		608,250
72220	Special Education Program		334,600
72230	Career and Technical Education Program		1,000
72250	Technology		457,350
72310	Board of Education		366,285
72320	Director of Schools		334,900
72410	Office of the Principal		1,506,050
72510	Fiscal Services		271,125

GENERAL PURPOSE SCHOOL FUND (continued)

72610	Operation of Plant		1,828,250
72620	Maintenance of Plant		756,750
72710	Transportation		1,996,000
73100	Food Service		20,000
73300	Community Services		34,230
73400	Early Childhood Education		538,700
76100	Regular Capital Outlay		230,000
82300	Debt Service		152,318
	Total General Purpose School Fund	\$	21,947,983

FEDERAL PROJECTS FUND

71100	Regular Instruction Program	\$	423,000
71200	Special Education Program		547,770
71300	Career and Technical Education Program		21,109
72130	Other Student Support		36,227
72210	Regular Instruction Program		293,618
72220	Special Education Program		12,972
72230	Career and Technical Education Program		3,000
	Total Federal Projects Fund	\$	1,337,696

CENTRAL CAFETERIA FUND

73100	Food Service	\$	1,707,859
	Total Central Cafeteria Fund	\$	1,707,859

GENERAL DEBT SERVICE FUND

82110	Principal on Debt – General Government	\$	576,901
82130	Principal on Debt – Education		873,077
82210	Interest on Debt – General Government		165,824
82230	Interest on Debt – Education		77,007
82310	Other Debt Service – General Government		30,600
	Total General Debt Service Fund	\$	1,723,409

GENERAL CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

91110	General Administration Projects	\$	50,000
91130	Public Safety Projects		160,000
91140	Public Health and Welfare Projects		110,000
91200	Highway and Street Capital Projects		250,000
	Total General Capital Projects Fund	\$	570,000

EDUCATION CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

72310	Board of Education	\$	6,000
91300	Education Capital Projects		175,000

EDUCATION CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND (continued)

Total Education Capital Projects Fund       \$       181,000

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the budget for the School Federal Projects Fund shall be the budget approved for separate projects within No Child Left Behind (NCLB), Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA-Part B and Preschool), Carl Perkins Vocational fund and other federal grants by the Stewart County Board of Education.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that there are also hereby appropriated certain portions of the commissions and fees for collecting taxes and licenses and for administering other funds which the trustee, county clerk, circuit court clerk, clerk and master, register, and the sheriff and their officially authorized deputies and assistants may be entitled to receive under state laws heretofore or hereafter enacted. Expenditures out of commissions and/or fees collected by the trustee, county clerk, circuit court clerk, clerk and master, register and sheriff may be made for such purposes and in such amounts as may be authorized by existing law or by valid order of any court having power to make such appropriations. Any excess commissions and/or fees collected over and above the expenditures duly and conclusively authorized shall be paid over to the trustee and converted into the General Fund as provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any fee officials, as enumerated in Section 8-22-101, Tennessee Code Annotated, operate under provisions of Section 8-22-104, Tennessee Code Annotated, provisions of the preceding paragraph shall not apply to those particular officials.

SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any amendment to the budget, except for amendments to the budget for funds under supervision of the director of schools, shall be approved as provided in Section 5-9-407, Tennessee Code Annotated. The director of schools must receive approval of the Board of Education for transfers within each major category of the budget and approval of both the Board of Education and Board of County Commissioners for transfers between major categories as required by law.

One copy of each amendment shall be filed with the county clerk, one copy with the chairman of the Budget Committee, and one copy with each divisional or departmental head concerned. The reason(s) for each transfer shall be clearly stated; however, this section shall in no case whatsoever be construed as authorizing transfer from one fund to another.

SECTION 5. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any appropriations made by this resolution which cover the same purpose for which a specific appropriation is made by statute is made in lieu of but not in addition to said statutory appropriation. The salary, wages, or remuneration of each officer, employee, or agent of the county shall not be in excess of the amounts authorized by existing law or as set forth in the estimate of

expenditures which accompanies this resolution. Provided, however, that appropriations for such salaries, wages, or other remuneration hereby authorized shall in no case be construed as permitting expenditures for an office, agency, institution, division or department of the county. Such appropriation shall constitute the limit to the expenditures of any office, agency, institution, division or department for the year ending June 30, 2027. The aggregate expenditures for any item of appropriation shall in no instance be more than the amount herein appropriated for such item.

SECTION 6. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any resolution which may hereafter be presented to the Board of County Commissioners providing for appropriations in addition to those made by this Budget Appropriation Resolution shall specifically provide sufficient revenue or other funds actually to be provided during the year in which the expenditure is to be made to meet such additional appropriation. Said appropriating resolution shall be submitted to and approved by the state director of Local Finance after its adoption as provided by Section 9-21-403, Tennessee Code Annotated.

SECTION 7. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Mayor and County Clerk are hereby authorized to borrow money on revenue anticipation notes, provided such notes are first approved by the state director of Local Finance, to pay for the expenses herein authorized until the taxes and other revenue for the year 2026-2027 have been collected. The proceeds of loans for each individual fund shall not exceed 60% of the appropriations of each fund and shall be used only to pay the expenses and other requirements of the fund for which the loan is made. The loan shall be paid out of revenue from the fund for which money is borrowed. The notes evidencing the loans authorized under this section shall be issued under the applicable sections of Title 9, Chapter 21, Tennessee Code Annotated. Said notes shall be signed by the county mayor and countersigned by the county clerk and shall mature and be paid in full without renewal not later than June 30, 2027.

SECTION 8. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the delinquent county property taxes for the year 2025 and prior years and the interest and penalty thereon collected during the year ending June 30, 2027, shall be apportioned to the various county funds according to the subdivision of the tax levy for the year 2025. The clerk and master and the trustee are hereby authorized and directed to make such apportionment accordingly.

SECTION 9. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any grants received by the county for personnel positions and/or wage increases for any county-wide department, shall be excluded from any Tennessee Code Annotated maintenance of effort obligation to that respective department.

SECTION 10. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that interest on county investments be distributed as follows:

The Central Cafeteria Fund shall receive interest on all investments first based on the formula provided the Trustee of Stewart County by the State Comptroller's Office.

In the event any grant and/or settlement monies are deposited into a County Fund, with a requirement of said monies being placed in an interest-bearing account to be used

on the specific grant project, that Fund shall receive the accrued interest from the deposited funds.

The General Purpose School Fund shall receive \$12,000 in interest after the distribution of the interest to the Central Cafeteria Fund and after the distribution to any Fund with a grant and/or settlement requirement of monies being placed in an interest bearing account.

All remaining interest shall then be distributed to the Stewart County General Fund.

SECTION 11. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all unencumbered balances of appropriations remaining at the end of the year shall lapse and be of no further effect at the end of the year at June 30, 2027.

SECTION 12. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any resolution or part of a resolution which heretofore has been passed by the Board of County Commissioners which is in conflict with any provision in this resolution be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECTION 13. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall take effect from and after its passage and its provisions shall be in force from and after July 1, 2026. This resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of the Board of County Commissioners.

Passed this 1<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2026 by the Stewart County Commission in Regular Session.

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Certified by the Stewart County Court Clerk