

TAB A-5-1  
Continuity of Government  
RESOLUTION NO. 2003-011

WHEREAS, the Hardin County Fiscal Court deems it necessary to provide for the orderly succession of Office of Judge/Executive in the absence or disability of the Judge/Executive as defined in KRS 67.725 when involving a National or State emergency; and

WHEREAS, under Kentucky Law KRS 63.190, any vacancy in the Office of the Judge/Executive is filled by the Governor. When a vacancy occurs the County Clerk is responsible for notifying the Governor of the vacancy under KRS 63.210. A County Judge/Executive appointed in this manner serves in accordance with Section 152 of the Kentucky State Constitution; and

WHEREAS, the line of succession contained in this RESOLUTION is to insure that a County Governmental Official is available to serve in the absence or disability of the Judge/Executive, Deputy Judge/Executive or any successor.

It is therefore RESOLVED that when the absence or disability of the Hardin County Judge/Executive, Harry L. Berry shall prevent his serving in the office during a National or State emergency, the duties and responsibilities of the County Judge/Executive shall be administered temporarily by the Deputy Judge/Executive, Steve W. Smith as set forth in KRS 67.730 and 67.735.

It is RESOLVED that if neither the County Judge/Executive nor the Deputy Judge/Executive is able to serve in the Office of Judge/Executive by reason of absence or disability, then the duties of the Office of Judge/Executive shall be assumed by a member of the Hardin County Fiscal Court as set forth in KRS 67.740 and 67.745.

It is RESOLVED that in the absence or disability of the County Judge/Executive and Deputy Judge/Executive, the following members of Fiscal Court shall serve in succession in accordance with KRS 67.740 and 67.745:

(1) Bill Branderburg

(2) Tom Jagers

(3) Bill Hay

(4) John A. Wiseman

(5) Garry King

(6) Roy C. Easter, Jr.

(7) Douglas H. Goodman

(8) Philip Crady

APPROVED: January 27, 2003

BY [Signature]  
Judge/Executive

ATTESTED:

BY Kenneth P. Lobb  
Fiscal Court Clerk