

**Millersville Board of Commissioners
Work Session Agenda**

Monday, April 1, 2019 at 5:00 P.M. at City Hall

1. Call to Order.
2. City Hall Renovation update – Bob Pelosi, OHM
3. Stormwater Program update – Bob Pelosi, OHM
4. **Ordinance 19-719**, an ordinance to amend the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 90, Zoning, Article III, Districts, Division 11, Supplementary Provisions Applying to Specific Districts, Subdivision V, Transmission and Communication Towers and Stations, Section 90-551, Intent of Subdivision. (Passed 1st Reading 3/19/19)
5. **Ordinance 19-720**, to amend Ordinance 18-697, the 2018-19 Fiscal Year Budget, to provide funding to purchase property. (Passed 1st Reading 3/19/19)
6. Discussion on **Resolution 19-R-04**, to adopt a refund policy for building permits, inspections and other related services and activities.
7. Discussion on **Resolution 19-R-05**, to declare items as surplus and authorize the sale or disposal of the surplus property.
8. Discussion on the Mayor's recommendation to appoint Sierra Munday to fill the vacancy on the Board of Zoning Appeals.
9. Discussion on Mayor Lassiter replacing Commissioner Coleman as the City Commissioner on the Board of Zoning Appeals.
10. Proclamation for National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week April 14-20, 2019.
11. General discussion.
12. Citizen comments.
13. City Manager comments.
14. Commissioner comments.
15. Adjournment.

Special Called Meeting to follow (Agenda attached)

**Millersville Board of Commissioners
Special Meeting Agenda
Immediately Following 5:00 P.M. Work Session**

1. Call to Order.
2. **PUBLIC HEARING on Ordinance 19-720**, to amend Ordinance 18-697, the 2018-19 Fiscal Year Budget, to provide funding to purchase property. (Passed 1st Reading 3/19/19)
 1. Open Public Hearing.
 2. Close Public Hearing.
3. **Second Reading of Ordinance 19-720**, to amend Ordinance 18-697, the 2018-19 Fiscal Year Budget, to provide funding to purchase property. (Passed 1st Reading 3/19/19)
4. Approve Mayor's appointment of Sierra Munday to fill the vacancy on the Board of Zoning Appeals.
5. Approve Mayor Lassiter as Bonnie Coleman's replacement for the City Commissioner seat on the Board of Zoning Appeals.
6. Approve a Proclamation for National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week April 14-20, 2019.
7. Adjournment.

**CITY OF MILLERSVILLE, TENNESSEE
ORDINANCE 19-719**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MILLERSVILLE CODE OF
ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 90 - ZONING, ARTICLE III - DISTRICTS,
DIVISION 11 - SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS APPLYING TO
SPECIFIC DISTRICTS, SUBDIVISION V - TRANSMISSION AND
COMMUNICATION TOWERS AND STATIONS, SECTION 90-551 -
INTENT OF SUBDIVISION.**

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the City of Millersville reviews its Code of Ordinances from time to time to ensure that the laws of the City meet the requirements of the local, state and federal laws and the desires of the City Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City may cooperate with other municipal and governmental agencies for certain public safety improvements for the benefit of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body for the City of Millersville has identified the need to amend Sec. 90- 551 related to Transmission and Communications Towers and Stations.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Millersville, that this amendment to Chapter 90 of the Code of Ordinances shall be made in accordance with *Exhibit A* attached and made part of this Ordinance as if copied verbatim.

**THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY UPON
PASSAGE, THE PUBLIC WELFARE REQUIRING IT.**

Passed First Reading: March 19, 2019

Public Hearing: March 19, 2019

Passed Second Reading: _____

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

By: _____
Timothy F. Lassiter, Mayor

Attest:

By: _____
Holly L. Murphy, City Recorder

Approved as to Form and legality:

By: _____
Robert G. Wheeler, Jr., City Attorney

Exhibit A

Chapter 90 - ZONING

ARTICLE III. - DISTRICTS

DIVISION 11. - SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS APPLYING TO SPECIFIC DISTRICTS

Subdivision V. - Transmission and Communications Towers and Stations

Sec. 90-551. - Intent of subdivision.

It is the intent of this subdivision to avoid potential damage to property caused by towers and telecommunications facilities by ensuring such structures are soundly and carefully designed, constructed, modified, and maintained, while ensuring such towers are compatible with the surrounding land uses. The purpose of this subdivision is also to promote and encourage shared use/collocation of such towers and antenna support structures as a primary option, rather than the construction of single-use towers. The standards of this subdivision exclude amateur and ham radio operators.

Antennas or towers for municipal services located on property owned, leased or otherwise controlled by the city shall be exempt from the requirements of this subdivision, provided a license or lease authorizing such antennas for the governing authority on an approved tower. The antenna and tower and associated authorizing license or lease shall be approved by the board of commissioners.

**CITY OF MILLERSVILLE, TENNESSEE
ORDINANCE 19-720**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MILLERSVILLE, TENNESSEE TO AMEND
ORDINANCE 18-697, THE 2018-2019 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET, AS PREVIOUSLY
AMENDED BY ORDINANCE 18-704, 18-711, AND 18-712.**

WHEREAS, the City of Millersville adopted the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year Budget by passage of Ordinance 18-697 on June 28, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body approved a contract on March 4, 2019 to purchase property for \$220,000 that was not included in the original budget; and

WHEREAS, a budget amendment is necessary to the Appropriation Ordinance in order to reflect the actual finances of the City; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated Title 6, Chapter 56, Section 208 allows the governing body to amend the annual budget ordinance in the same manner as any other ordinance may be amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF MILLERSVILLE, TENNESSEE that Ordinance 18-697, the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year Budget, as previously amended by Ordinance 18-704, 18-711, and 18-712 shall be amended as follows:

SECTION 2 - APPROPRIATIONS: General Fund - Appropriations Proposed for the General Government will increase by \$220,000 and change from \$1,060,639 to \$1,280,639. The Total Appropriations will change from \$3,067,429 to \$3,287,429. (Line Item detail attached.)

SECTION 3 - ESTIMATED FUND BALANCE: General Fund - The Estimated Fund Balance for the General Fund will decrease by \$220,000 and change from \$1,160,339 to \$940,339. (Line Item detail attached.)

THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY UPON PASSAGE, THE PUBLIC WELFARE REQUIRING IT.

Passed First Reading: March 19, 2019

Public Hearing: April 1, 2019

Passed Second Reading: _____

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

By: _____
Timothy Lassiter, Mayor

Attest:

Approved as to Form and Legality:

By: _____ By: _____
Holly Murphy, City Recorder Robert Wheeler, Jr., City Attorney

Ordinance 19-720

2018-19 Budget Amendment
General Fund

OPERATING EXPENSES:

Account #	Budget Line Item	Amount Budgeted	Projected year-end	Increase (+) Decrease (-)	
10-410-6016	Property Purchase	\$0.00	\$220,000.00	\$220,000.00	-
Total Expense: General Fund		\$0.00	\$220,000.00	\$220,000.00	\$220,000.00

REVENUE SOURCE		Amount Budgeted	Projected year-end	Increase (+) Decrease (-)	
10-3710	From Fund Balance-General	\$481,288.00	\$701,288.00	\$220,000.00	-
Total Revenue Source: General Fund		\$481,288.00	\$701,288.00	\$220,000.00	\$220,000.00

Expense - Revenue = Net Effect \$0.00 \$0.00

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MILLERSVILLE, TENNESSEE,
ADOPTING THE ANNUAL BUDGET AND TAX RATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING
JULY 1, 2018 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2019**

- Whereas, *Tennessee Code Annotated* Title 9 Chapter 1 Section 116 requires that all funds of the State of Tennessee and all its political subdivisions shall first be appropriated before being expended and that only funds that are available shall be appropriated; and
- Whereas, the Municipal Budget Law of 1982 requires that the governing body of each municipality adopt and operate under an annual budget ordinance presenting a financial plan with at least the information required by that state statute, that no municipality may expend any moneys regardless of the source except in accordance with a budget ordinance and that the governing body shall not make any appropriation in excess of estimated available funds; and
- Whereas, the governing body has published the annual operating budget and budgetary comparisons of the proposed budget with the prior year (actual) and the current year (estimated) in a newspaper of general circulation not less than ten (10) days prior to the meeting where the governing body will consider final passage of the budget.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF MILLERSVILLE, TENNESSEE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: That the governing body estimates anticipated revenues of the municipality from all sources to be as follows:

General Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Local Taxes	\$ 1,406,258	\$ 1,496,888	\$ 1,508,241
Licenses & Permits	\$ 38,302	\$ 37,435	\$ 36,450
Intergovernmental Revenue	\$ 645,667	\$ 663,482	\$ 656,400
Charges for Services	\$ 28,672	\$ 30,500	\$ 31,500
Fines and Forfeitures	\$ 365,569	\$ 255,000	\$ 287,000
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$ 171,366	\$ 48,001	\$ 66,550
Other Financing Sources	\$ 390,782	\$ -	\$ -
Total Revenue	\$ 3,046,616	\$ 2,531,306	\$ 2,586,141
Fund Balance	\$ 1,470,615	\$ 2,177,774	\$ 1,641,627
Total Available Funds	\$4,517,231	\$4,709,080	\$4,227,768

State Street Aid Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
State Gas Tax Revenue	\$ 179,480	\$ 203,600	\$ 205,000
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$ 10,024	\$ 5,531	\$ 7,450
Transfer from General Fund	\$ 27,883	\$ 44,295	\$ -
Total Revenue	\$ 217,387	\$ 253,426	\$ 212,450
Fund Balance	\$ 298,251	\$ 422,794	\$ 298,160
Total Available Funds	\$ 515,638	\$ 676,220	\$ 510,610

Drug Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Drug Fines & Revenue	\$ 43,532	\$ 15,660	\$ 24,080
Total Revenue	\$ 43,532	\$ 15,660	\$ 24,080
Fund Balance	\$ 24,583	\$ 51,326	\$ 57,772
Total Available Funds	\$ 68,115	\$ 66,986	\$ 81,852

Solid Waste Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Service Fees	\$ 421,590	\$ 420,000	\$ 420,000
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$ 18,891	\$ 2,840	\$ 2,850
Total Revenue	\$ 440,481	\$ 422,840	\$ 422,850
Fund Balance	\$ 433,237	\$ 475,920	\$ 344,927
Total Available Funds	\$ 873,718	\$ 898,760	\$ 767,777

Stormwater Utility Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Stormwater Utility Fees	\$ 154,018	\$ 154,000	\$ 154,000
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$ 1,853	\$ 559	\$ 550
Total Revenue	\$ 155,871	\$ 154,559	\$ 154,550
Fund Balance	\$ 40,303	\$ 36,678	\$ 88,432
Total Available Funds	\$ 196,174	\$ 191,237	\$ 242,982

Sewer Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Sewer User Fees	\$ 897,748	\$ 928,000	\$ 930,000
Sewer Tap Fees	\$ 25,925	\$ 15,000	\$ 25,000
Other Fees	\$ 77,724	\$ 82,000	\$ 45,000
Non-Operating Revenue	\$ 8,258	\$ 8,284	\$ 3,500
Other Financing Sources	\$ -	\$ 518,000	\$ -
Total Revenue	\$ 1,009,655	\$ 1,551,284	\$ 1,003,500

SECTION 2: That the governing body appropriates from these anticipated revenues and unexpended and unencumbered funds as follows:

General Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed	Amendment#2 Ord 18-711 12/18/18	Amendment#3 Ord 18-712 12/18/18	Amendment#4 Ord 19-720 4/1/19
General Government (Inc.Dev&Codes)	\$ 628,920	\$ 780,841	\$ 852,289	-14,650 = 837,639	+223,000 = 1,060,639	+220,000 = 1,280,639
Police Department (& City Court)	\$ 1,198,212	\$ 1,221,298	\$ 1,302,234			
Fire Department	\$ 214,424	\$ 733,763	\$ 328,925			
Parks and Recreation	\$ 102,758	\$ 106,918	\$ 159,860			
Debt Service	\$ 167,260	\$ 180,338	\$ 215,771			
Transfer to Street	\$ 27,883	\$ 44,295	\$ -			
Capital	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -			
Total Appropriations	\$ 2,339,457	\$ 3,067,453	\$ 2,859,079	-14,650 = \$2,844,429	+223,000 = \$3,067,429	+220,000 = 3,287,429

State Street Aid Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Street Expenditures	\$ 85,791	\$ 116,353	\$ 76,993
Capital	\$ 7,053	\$ 261,707	\$ 200,000
Total Appropriations	\$ 92,844	\$ 378,060	\$ 276,993

Drug Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Police Dept Drug Expenditures	\$ 16,789	\$ 9,214	\$ 81,852
Total Appropriations	\$ 16,789	\$ 9,214	\$ 81,852

Solid Waste Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed
Operating Expenditures	\$ 395,783	\$ 411,293	\$ 462,910
Capital	\$ 2,016	\$ 142,540	\$ 7,600
Total Appropriations	\$ 397,799	\$ 553,833	\$ 470,510

Stormwater Utility Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed	Amendment#2 Ord 18-711
Operating Expenses	\$ 144,902	\$ 97,805	\$ 98,246	- 4,372 = \$93,874
Capital	\$ 14,595	\$ 5,000	\$ 12,000	
Total Appropriations	\$ 159,497	\$ 102,805	\$ 110,246	- 4,372 = \$105,874

Sewer Fund	FY 2016-17 Actual	FY 2017-18 Estimated	FY 2018-19 Proposed	Amendment#1 Ord 18-704 8/21/18
Operating Expenses	\$ 995,367	\$ 1,064,168	\$ 1,069,964	
Non-Operating Expenses	\$ 24,495	\$ 29,000	\$ 29,200	
Debt Service	\$ -	\$ 23,971	\$ 23,971	
Capital	\$ 270,085	\$ 703,416	\$ 70,000	+30,000 = \$100,000
Total Appropriations	\$ 1,289,947	\$ 1,820,555	\$ 1,193,135	+30,000=\$1,223,135

SECTION 3. At the end of the 2019 fiscal year, the governing body estimates fund balances/deficits as follows:

		Amendment#2 Ord 18-711	Amdmnt#3 Ord 18-712	Amdmnt#4 Ord 19-720
General Fund	\$ 1,368,689	+14,650 = \$1,383,339	-223,000 = \$1,160,339	-220,000 = \$940,339
State Street Aid Fund	\$ 233,617			
Drug Fund	\$ -			
Solid Waste Fund	\$ 297,267			
Stormwater Fund	\$ 132,736	+4,372 = \$137,108		
Sewer Fund	\$ -			

SECTION 4. That the governing body recognizes that the municipality has bonded and other indebtedness as follows:

Bonded or Other Indebtedness	Principal (current yr)	Interest (current yr)	Principal outstanding @ 6/30/19
Bonds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
State Revolving Loan	\$ 22,695	\$ 1,276	\$ 420,810
Loan Agreements	\$ 162,581	\$ 17,467	\$ 735,290
Capital Leases	\$ 33,093	\$ 1,147	\$ -
Other Debt	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total	\$ 218,369	\$ 19,890	\$ 1,156,100

SECTION 5. No appropriation listed above may be exceeded without an amendment of the budget ordinance as required by the Municipal Budget Law of 1982 T.C.A. Section 6-56-208. In addition, no appropriation may be made in excess of available funds except to provide for an actual emergency threatening the health, property or lives of the inhabitants of the municipality and declared by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of at least a quorum of the governing body in accordance with Section 6-56-205 of the *Tennessee Code Annotated*.

SECTION 6. Money may be transferred from one appropriation to another in the same fund only by appropriate ordinance by the governing body, subject to such limitations and procedures as it may describe as allowed by Section 6-56-209 of the *Tennessee Code Annotated*. Any resulting transfers shall be reported to the governing body at its next regular meeting and entered into the minutes.

SECTION 7. A detailed financial plan will be attached to this budget and become part of this budget ordinance.

SECTION 8. If for any reason a budget ordinance is not adopted prior to the beginning of the next fiscal year, the appropriations in this budget ordinance shall become the appropriations for the next fiscal until the adoption of the new budget ordinance in accordance with Section 6-56-210 of the *Tennessee Code Annotated*, provided sufficient revenues are being collected to support the continuing appropriations. Approval of the Director of the Division of Local Finance for a continuation budget will be requested if any indebtedness is outstanding.

SECTION 9. There is hereby levied a property tax of \$1.00 per \$100 of assessed value on all real and personal property in Robertson County.

There is hereby levied a property tax of \$1.00 per \$100 of assessed value on all real and personal property in Sumner County.

SECTION 10. All unencumbered balances of appropriations remaining at the end of the fiscal year shall lapse and revert to the respective fund balances.

SECTION 11. This ordinance shall take effect on July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed First Reading: May 24, 2018

Public Hearing: June 19, 2018

Passed Second and Final Reading: June 28, 2018

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Timothy F. Lassiter, Mayor
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Attest:

Holly L. Murphy, City Recorder
Holly L. Murphy, City Recorder

Approved as to Form and Legality:

Robert G. Wheeler, Jr., City Attorney
Robert G. Wheeler, Jr., City Attorney

CITY OF MILLERSVILLE

RESOLUTION 19-R-04

**A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A REFUND POLICY FOR
BUILDING PERMITS, INSPECTIONS AND OTHER RELATED
SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES.**

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the City of Millersville provides and performs certain Building Permit Services and Inspections; and

WHEREAS, the City of Millersville has adopted Resolution 19-R-03 setting building permit and inspection fees; and

WHEREAS, building permit and inspection applicants occasionally cancel their projects and request a refund of fees paid to the city; and

WHEREAS, the city incurs expenses and costs associated with the building permit and inspection reviews, processing, services and other activities.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Millersville Board of Commissioners that the city, when requested in writing by the applicant, shall refund 50% of the building permit and inspection fees provided the request is made no later than 180 days following issuance of the permit and when no site or project construction activity has commenced. No refunds shall be made after 180 days or when any construction activities have begun.

RESOLVED on this XX day of XXXX, 20XX

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

By: _____
Timothy F. Lassiter, Mayor

Attest:

By: _____
Holly L. Murphy, City Recorder

CITY OF MILLERSVILLE

RESOLUTION 19-R-05

**A RESOLUTION TO DECLARE ITEMS AS SURPLUS PROPERTY
AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO OFFER FOR SALE OR
DISPOSE OF THE PROPERTY DEEMED SURPLUS, OUT OF
SERVICE, SEIZED OR ABANDONED.**

WHEREAS, the City of Millersville (The City) is in possession of property that is no longer in service and/or no longer needed, seized or abandoned; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of The City to dispose of surplus, out of service, seized or abandoned property.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Millersville Board of Commissioners that:

Section 1. The following items are hereby declared surplus, out of service, seized or abandoned property:

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| 1) 2001 Silver Dodge Dakota (Seized) | VIN: 1B7FL26X61S346044 |
| 2) 2005 White Ford F150 (Seized) | VIN: 1FTVX12585NA23634 |
| 3) 1988 Blue Ford F250 (Seized) | VIN: 1FTHX25H6JKA82217 |
| 4) 2004 White Honda Civic (Seized) | VIN: 2HGES16544HS1723340 |
| 5) 2004 Silver Chevrolet Trailblazer (Seized) | VIN: 1GNES116S3466156168 |
| 6) 1999 Blue Chrysler Town&Country (Seized) | VIN: 1C4GP64L8XB617985 |
| 7) 1998 Black Oldsmobile 88 (Seized) | VIN: 1G3HN52K5W4827946 |
| 8) 2000 Blue Dodge Caravan (Seized) | VIN: 1B4GP44G1YB766261 |
| 9) 2002 Silver Volkswagen PGS (Seized) | VIN: 1FTRW08L03KD29553 |
| 10) 1998 Red Dodge Ram 1500 (Seized) | VIN: 1B7HC13Z6WJ259458 |
| 11) 1991 Black Honda Accord (Seized) | VIN: JTHBK262472032311 |

Section 2: The City Manager may dispose of the property in a manner deemed appropriate. As a general rule, items of value shall be offered to the public for sale to the highest bidder. Items offered for sale but not purchased may be discarded.

Section 3: All money received from the sale of said property shall be deposited in the appropriate accounting fund.

RESOLVED, this XX day of April, 2019.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

By: _____
Timothy F. Lassiter, Mayor

Attest:

By: _____
Holly L. Murphy, City Recorder



SUMNER COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Emergency Communications Center

March 27, 2019

Mayor Tim Lassiter
City of Millersville

Dear Mayor Lassiter,

Across the nation in times of intense personal crisis and community-wide disasters, the first point of contact for those seeking all branches of emergency services are Telecommunicators. The local and county emergency communication centers that receive these calls have emerged as the first and single point of contact for persons seeking immediate relief during an emergency.

Sumner County Emergency Communication Center is celebrating National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week the second full week of April (April 14-20, 2019). This week honors the thousands of men and women who respond to emergency calls, dispatch emergency professionals and equipment, and render lifesaving assistance to the citizens of the United States. We are enlisting your support in the form of a Proclamation to honor these men and women in Sumner County for the work that they do every day to protect the citizens of Millersville.

The importance of recognizing and celebrating the hard work of these dedicated professionals is immeasurable on every level. We are confident you will stand behind the commitment and devotion these men and women provide to ensure the safety and security of Millersville citizens. I have enclosed a proposed message for your signature.

Thank you for your attention to this matter and I look forward to your reply.

Respectfully,

Paul Harbsmeier
Director - SCECC Transition Team

CITY OF MILLERSVILLE, TENNESSEE



PROCLAMATION

NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK

April 14-20, 2019

WHEREAS, emergencies can occur at any time that require police, fire or emergency medical services; and,

WHEREAS, when an emergency occurs, the prompt response of police officers, firefighters and paramedics is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and,

WHEREAS, the safety of our police officers and firefighters is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who telephone the Sumner County Emergency Communications Center; and,

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the first and most critical contact our citizens have with emergency services; and,

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the single vital link for our police officers and firefighters by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and insuring their safety; and,

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators of the Sumner County Emergency Communications Center have contributed substantially to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires and treatment of patients; and,

WHEREAS, each dispatcher has exhibited compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year.

NOW THEREFORE, the Millersville Board of Commissioners hereby proclaim **April 14 through 20, 2019 as National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week** in the City of Millersville, Tennessee in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and citizens safe.

Proclaimed this 1st day of April, 2019.

Millersville Board of Commissioners:

Timothy F. Lassiter, Mayor