

RESOLUTION NO. 02-2022-3

**RESOLUTION TO APPEAL TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO
ESTABLISH A PRIVATE ACT CREATING THE CUMBERLAND
PLATEAU WATER AUTHORITY**

WHEREAS, water is one of our most valuable resources; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to ensure Cumberland Countians have an adequate supply of affordable water for future generations; and

WHEREAS, water and wastewater systems are vital to long term growth and industrial development; and

WHEREAS, there is a need for a sustainable water source for Cumberland County and the region to meet future needs; and

WHEREAS, costs associated with creating a water source are significant; and

WHEREAS, the State of Tennessee encourages a regional approach to new water sources; and

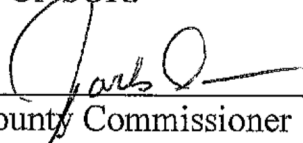
WHEREAS, the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation intends to help fund strategic projects demonstrating a regional approach.

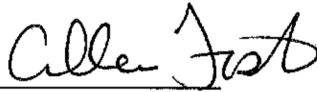
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Cumberland County, Tennessee, meeting in its regular session on this 22nd day of February, 2022, that the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee create a Private Act to establish an Authority for and on behalf of the County of Cumberland, the City of Crossville, and water utility districts in the region, to be known as the "Cumberland Plateau Water Authority" in order to address these issues in accordance with the attached draft titled "AN ACT to create and establish an Authority for and on behalf of the County of Cumberland, the City of Crossville, and water utility districts in the region, to be known as the "Cumberland Plateau Water Authority," and to authorize all necessary powers in connection therewith."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk shall send copies of this resolution to the members of the General Assembly representing Cumberland County.

Approved this 22nd day of February, 2022 by a two-thirds (2/3) majority of the Cumberland County Commission.

SPONSOR:


County Commissioner


County Mayor

APPROVED:

County Mayor

ATTEST:

County Clerk