



**APPROVAL AND CERTIFICATION**

SECTION I. (Applicable to all County Officials Bonds except County Executive/Mayor and Clerks of all Courts)

Bond and Sureties approved by \_\_\_\_\_ County Executive/Mayor of \_\_\_\_\_ County, on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_.

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Executive/Mayor

**CERTIFICATION:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, County Clerk of \_\_\_\_\_ County hereby certify that the foregoing blanket bond with riders or attachments hereto, except for County Executive/Mayor and Clerks of all Courts, was approved by the County Executive/Mayor of said county, on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_.

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk

SECTION II. (Applicable if County Executive/Mayor is included on the bond)

Bond and Sureties approved by \_\_\_\_\_, Judge of the General Sessions Court (First Division) of \_\_\_\_\_ County, on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_.

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge of the General Sessions Court (First Division)

**CERTIFICATION:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, County Clerk of \_\_\_\_\_ County hereby certify that the foregoing blanket bond with riders or attachments hereto, for County Executive/Mayor, was approved by the Judge of the General Sessions Court (First Division) of said county, on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_.

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk

SECTION III. (Applicable if Clerks of any Courts are included on the bond)

**CERTIFICATION:**

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing blanket bonds with riders or attachments and found the same to be sufficient and in conformity to law, that the sureties on the same are good and worth the penalty thereof and that the same has been entered upon the minutes of said court.

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge of the \_\_\_\_\_ Court  
of and for said County on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_.

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SECTION IV. (Applicable to all County Officials' Bonds)  
**FOR USE BY THE REGISTER OF DEEDS**

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SECTION V. (Applicable to all County Officials' Bonds)  
**ENDORSEMENT:**

Filed with the Office of the County Clerk, County of \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_.

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk

**STATE OF TENNESSEE**  
**COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_**  
**RIDER OR ATTACHMENT**  
**FOR**  
**OFFICIAL STATUTORY BLANKET BOND FOR**  
**COUNTY PUBLIC OFFICIALS, SURETY'S BOND NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:**

That \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (City or Town), County of \_\_\_\_\_ Tennessee, as Principal, and \_\_\_\_\_ as Surety are held and firmly bound unto **THE STATE OF TENNESSEE** in full amount of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_) lawful money of the United States of America for the full and prompt payment whereof we bind ourselves, our representatives, successors and assigns, each jointly and severally, firmly and unequivocally by these presents.

WHEREAS, The said Principal was duly \_\_\_\_\_ elected \_\_\_\_\_ appointed to the office of \_\_\_\_\_ of and for \_\_\_\_\_ County for the \_\_\_\_\_ year term beginning on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_ and ending on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH:**

That if the said \_\_\_\_\_, Principal, shall:

1. Faithfully perform the duties of the office of \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ County during such person's term of office or continuance therein; and,
2. Pay over to the persons authorized by law to receive them, all moneys, properties, or things of value that may come into such Principal's hands during such Principal's term of office or continuance therein without fraud or delay, and shall faithfully and safely keep all records required in such Principal's official capacity, and at the expiration of the term, or in case of resignation or removal from office, shall turn over to the successor all records and property which have come into such Principal's hands, then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

WITNESS our hands and seals this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_.

WITNESS – ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_

COUNTERSIGNED BY:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Tennessee Resident Agent

PRINCIPAL:

\_\_\_\_\_

SURETY:

by: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Attach evidence of authority to execute bond)

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PRINCIPAL**

STATE OF TENNESSEE  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

Before me, a Notary Public, of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_  
to me known (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the individual described in the foregoing bond  
as Principal, and who, upon oath, acknowledged that such individual executed the foregoing bond as such individual's  
free act and deed.

Witness my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_.  
My Commission Expires:  
\_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF SURETY**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

Before me, a Notary Public, of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_  
with whom I am personally acquainted and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself/herself to be the individual who  
executed the forgoing bond on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_, the within named Surety, a  
corporation duly licensed to do business in the State of Tennessee, and that he/she as such individual being authorized so  
to do, executed the forgoing bond, by signing the name of the corporation by himself/herself as such individual.

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_.  
My Commission Expires:  
\_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

Form Prescribed by the Comptroller of the Treasury, State of Tennessee  
Form Approved by the Attorney General, State of Tennessee