

## **CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Memphis has policies and good practices in place to improve the environment and overall quality of life in Memphis; and

**WHEREAS**, our citizenry need to be aware of and implement these measures at home and at work and we at City Hall have a duty to lead by example; and

**WHEREAS**, recycling is the responsible way to manage waste, help preserve natural resources, conserve energy and avoid unnecessary landfill costs.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Hall Recycling Committee is hereby re-instated, shall be comprised of one employee per division and is charged with expanding the recycling efforts and program participation at all city government locations as well as developing environmentally sound purchasing policies and improving solid waste management and reduction.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that each city division director shall appoint one person to serve on the committee and the first meeting shall take place on Friday, September 26, 2008 at 10:00 am in the city council conference room on the 5<sup>th</sup> floor of City Hall at which time a meeting schedule will be established and a committee chair elected or appointed who shall update the Parks and Environment Committee on a quarterly basis.

Jim Strickland  
Memphis City Councilman