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MEMORANDUM

TO: Commission Members

FROM: Cliff Lippard *Cliff*
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DATE: 13 December 2017

SUBJECT: Public Chapter 1101 of 1998 Guidebook Update—Information Presentation

As part of the Commission's statutory requirement under Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 6-58-113, to monitor implementation of the Tennessee's growth planning law, staff, with input from the County Technical Assistance Service and the Municipal Technical Advisory Service, has updated the staff report, *Growth Policy, Annexation, and Incorporation Under Public Chapter 1101 of 1998: A Guide for Community Leaders*. The update reflects the significant changes to the state's growth planning and annexation laws caused by the passage of Public Chapter 707 in 2014.

The guide, first published in 1998 to provide a succinct summary of Tennessee's then new growth planning act, Public Chapter 1101, was a collaborative effort of the Commission and the University of Tennessee's Institute for Public Services and three of its agencies, the Center for Government Training, the County Technical Assistance Service, and the Municipal Technical Advisory Service. It was reprinted in May 1999 but has not been updated since its initial publication.

A draft of the updated guide is attached for your information.