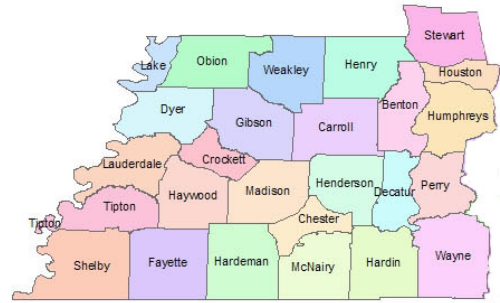




**Tipton County**  
**Region IV**  
**Shannon Reed**

*Director of Public Works*  
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 shannon@tcpw.net  
 Appointed 2008



Tipton County Seat - Covington

*Created 1823 from Indian lands; named in honor of Jacob Tipton (?-1791), organizer for the defense of the Northwest Territory against hostile Indians who was killed leading an attack in 1791.*

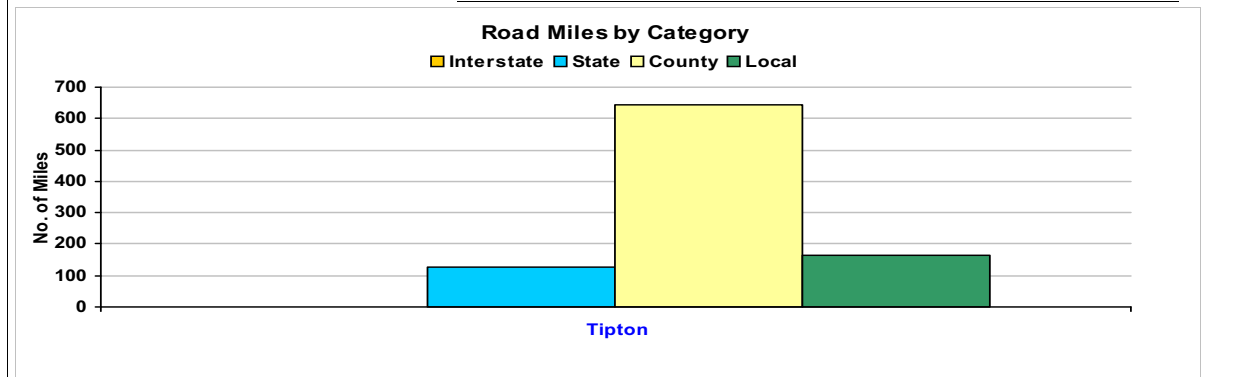
**General Information and Contacts**

**Year Founded:** 1823      **Area:** Kilometers: 1,189.83      **SquareMiles:** 459.39      **Acres:** 294,011  
**Highway Chief** Shannon Reed - (901) 837-5900 - shannon@tcpw.net      **No. of Commissioners** 18  
**Development District** Memphis Area Association of Governments      **Grand Division** West  
**State Senate District(s)** Sen. Mark Norris      R - 32  
**State House District(s)** Rep. Barrett Rich R - 94      **Speaker Emeritus** Jimmy Naifeh

**Highway Officials and Road Miles**

Source: TN Department of Transportation

Elect/Appt. Hwy Supt.	Next Elect. Year	TDOT Region	No. Regis. Vehicles	Inter. Road Miles	State Road Miles	County Road Miles	City Road Miles	Total Road Miles
Appointed	N/A	Region IV	53,643	0	125	641	162	929



**Bridge Condition**

Source: TN Department of Transportation

Bridges over 20' in length inspected by the TN Department of Transportation

Total Bridges 2007	No. Structurally Deficient	No. Functionally Obsolete	No. Deficient/Obsolete	PCT Deficient/Obsolete
138	20	16	36	26.1%

**Local Taxes**

Source: TN Department of Revenue

Property Tax Rate	Revenue Per Penny	Local Option Sales Tax	Wheel Tax
\$2.34	\$75,190	2.25%	\$60.00

