

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE 2021 REPRECINCTING PLAN

SECTION 1: PURPOSE. After a Federal Decennial Census, each County must review its precinct boundaries and see whether the existing boundaries comply with current laws, following population changes from the census. As provided by Iowa Code Chapter 331.210A, the Board of Supervisors shall establish a Temporary Reprecincting Commission, being Pocahontas County is a Plan Three County. The Temporary Reprecincting Commission shall draw and adopt the county's precinct plan in accordance with Iowa Code Sections 49.3, 49.4, and 49.6. Upon completion, the Temporary Reprecincting Commission shall submit the plan to the County Board of Supervisors.

SECTION 2: PRECINCT ESTABLISHMENT. The following seven (7) precincts shall become effective on January 15, 2022, and shall be used for all subsequent elections:

Precinct 1:

North Swan Lake

City of Laurens, Swan Lake Township Sections 1-30

Precinct 2:

Cummins, Powhatan, Sherman, Part Center

Cities of Havelock & Plover, Cummins Township, Powhatan Township, Sherman Township, Part of Center Township described as Census Block #'s: 191517802001140, 191517802001200 & 191517802001201.

Precinct 3:

Des Moines, Roosevelt, North Garfield, Part Center

City of Rolfe, Des Moines Township, Roosevelt Township, Garfield Township except Gilmore City, & Part of Center Township described as Census Block #'s: 191517802001174, 191517802001169, 191517802001153, 191517802001152, 191517802001151, 191517802001139, 191517802002000, & 191517802001156.

Precinct 4:

Pocahontas #1, Part Center Township

Pocahontas #1 is that part of the City of Pocahontas further described as: All of Pocahontas City Limits EXCEPT that part of the City of Pocahontas South of Highway 3 lying East of Highway 4 but West of Main Street, but INCLUSIVE of Census Blocks 191517802002063 & 191517802002064. Part of Center Township described as Census Block #'s 191517802002001, 191517802001179, & 191517802001232.

Precinct 5:

South Swan Lake, Marshall, Dover, Cedar, Grant, Colfax

Cities of Fonda & Varina, Swan Lake Township Sections 31-36, Marshall Township, Dover Township, Grant Township, Cedar Township, Colfax Township

Precinct 6:

North Lincoln, North Lake, Pocahontas #2, Part Center

Pocahontas #2 which is fully described as: That part of the City of Pocahontas South of Highway 3 lying East of Highway 4 but West of Main Street EXCEPT Census Blocks 191517802002063 & 191517802002064, City of Gilmore City, Lincoln Township Sections 1-18, Lake Township Sections 1-6, Part of Center Township described as Census Block #'s: 191517802002084, 191517802001177, 191517802001178, & 191517802001197.

Precinct 7:

South Lincoln, South Lake, Bellville, Lizard

City of Palmer, Lincoln Township Sections 19-36, Lake Township Sections 7-36, Bellville Township, Lizard Township

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This ordinance shall be passed by the Board of Supervisors of Pocahontas County on this 7th day of December, 2021, with an effective date of January 15, 2022, after its final passage, approval, and publication as provided by law with the caveat and condition that the reprecincting plan be approved by the Iowa Secretary of State upon submission to that office.

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