

House Bill 1059

By: Representatives Frazier of the 123<sup>rd</sup>, Jackson of the 142<sup>nd</sup>, and Burns of the 157<sup>th</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the Board of Commissioners of Burke County, approved August  
2 21, 1911 (Ga. L. 1911, p. 390), as amended, particularly by an Act approved April 18, 2002  
3 (Ga. L. 2002, p. 3986), so as to change the description of the commissioner districts; to  
4 define certain terms; to provide for submission of this Act for preclearance under the federal  
5 Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to provide for effective dates; to repeal conflicting  
6 laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act creating the Board of Commissioners of Burke County, approved August 21, 1911  
10 (Ga. L. 1911, p. 390), as amended, particularly by an Act approved April 18, 2002 (Ga. L.  
11 2002, p. 3986), is amended by revising subsections (b) and (c) of Section 1 and adding new  
12 subsections as follows:

13 "(b) For purposes of electing members of the board of commissioners, Burke County is  
14 divided into five commissioner districts. One member of the board shall be elected from  
15 each such district. The five commissioner districts shall be and correspond to those five  
16 numbered districts described in and attached to and made a part of this Act and further  
17 identified as 'Plan: burkeccsb-2012 Plan Type: local Administrator: burke User: bak'.

18 (c) For the purposes of such plan:

19 (1) The term 'VTD' shall mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as  
20 provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census  
21 of 2010 for the State of Georgia. The separate numeric designations in a district  
22 description which are underneath a 'VTD' heading shall mean and describe individual  
23 Blocks within a VTD as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United  
24 States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia; and

25 (2) Except as otherwise provided in the description of any district, whenever the  
26 description of any district refers to a named city, it shall mean the geographical

27 boundaries of that city as shown on the census maps for the United States decennial  
28 census of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

29 (d) Any part of Burke County which is not included in any district described in  
30 subsection (b) of this section shall be included within that district contiguous to such part  
31 which contains the least population according to the United States decennial census of 2010  
32 for the State of Georgia.

33 (e) Any part of Burke County which is described in subsection (b) of this section as being  
34 included in a particular district shall nevertheless not be included within such district if  
35 such part is not contiguous to such district. Such noncontiguous part shall instead be  
36 included within that district contiguous to such part which contains the least population  
37 according to the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia."

38 **SECTION 2.**

39 The Board of Commissioners of Burke County shall through its legal counsel cause this Act  
40 to be submitted for preclearance under the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended,  
41 no later than 45 days after the date on which this Act is approved by the Governor or  
42 otherwise becomes law without such approval.

43 **SECTION 3.**

44 This section and Section 2 of this Act and those provisions of this Act necessary for the  
45 election of members of the Board of Commissioners of Burke County in 2012 shall become  
46 effective upon the approval of this Act by the Governor or upon its becoming law without  
47 such approval. The remaining provisions of this Act shall become effective January 1, 2013.

48 **SECTION 4.**

49 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.

Plan: burkeccsb-2012  
Plan Type: local  
Administrator: burke  
User: bak

District 001

Burke County

VTD: 0330002 - FOUR POINTS

2003

VTD: 0330004 - GOUGH

VTD: 0330006 - KEYSVILLE

1031 1032 1033 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2029  
2030 2035 2037 2038 2039 2040 2041 2042 2043 2044 2045 2046  
2047 2048 2049 2050 2052 2053 2054 2055 2056 2057 2058 2059  
2060 2062 2063 2064

VTD: 0330007 - MIDVILLE

VTD: 0330008 - MUNNERLYN

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1078 1079 1080 1081 1082 1084 1085 1086 1099 1100 1102 1103  
1104 1105 1106 1109 1110 1111 1112 1113 1119 1120 1121 1122  
1123 1124 1125 1126 1127 1128 1129 1130 1131 1134

VTD: 0330010 - SCOTTS CROSSROAD

VTD: 0330012 - ST. CLAIR

VTD: 0330013 - VIDETTE

VTD: 0330014 - NORTH WAYNESBORO

1010 1012 1013 1061 1062 1063 1073 1074 4011 4012 4013 4014  
4015 4016 4020 4021 4022 4023 4024 4030  
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VTD: 0330015 - SOUTH WAYNESBORO

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District 002

Burke County

VTD: 0330005 - GREENSCUT

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VTD: 0330014 - NORTH WAYNESBORO

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VTD: 0330015 - SOUTH WAYNESBORO

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District 003

Burke County

VTD: 0330002 - FOUR POINTS

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VTD: 0330005 - GREENSCUT

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VTD: 0330006 - KEYSVILLE

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District 004

Burke County

VTD: 0330001 - ALEXANDER

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VTD: 0330003 - GIRARD

VTD: 0330005 - GREENSCUT

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VTD: 0330008 - MUNNERLYN

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VTD: 0330009 - SARDIS

VTD: 0330011 - TELFAIR

District 005

Burke County

VTD: 0330001 - ALEXANDER

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VTD: 0330008 - MUNNERLYN

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VTD: 0330014 - NORTH WAYNESBORO

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VTD: 0330015 - SOUTH WAYNESBORO

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