

House Bill 63

By: Representative Channell of the 120<sup>th</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the Board of Commissioners of Greene County, approved August  
2 11, 1925 (Ga. L. 1925, p. 653), as amended, particularly by an Act approved October 1, 2001  
3 (Ga. L. 2001, Ex. Sess., p. 698), and by an Act approved September 21, 2011 (Ga. L. 2011,  
4 Ex. Sess., p. 411), so as to change the description of the commissioner districts; to provide  
5 for definitions and inclusions; to provide for continuation in office of current members; to  
6 provide for election of subsequent members; to provide for submission of this Act for  
7 approval under the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to provide for an  
8 effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

10 **SECTION 1.**

11 An Act creating the Board of Commissioners of Greene County, approved August 11, 1925  
12 (Ga. L. 1925, p. 653), as amended, particularly by an Act approved October 1, 2001 (Ga. L.  
13 2001, Ex. Sess., p. 698), and by an Act approved September 21, 2011 (Ga. L. 2011,  
14 Ex. Sess., p. 411), is amended by revising subsection (b) of Section 2 as follows:

15 "(b)(1) Those members of the Board of Commissioners of Greene County who are  
16 serving as such on December 31, 2013, and any person selected to fill a vacancy in any  
17 such office shall continue to serve as such members until the regular expiration of their  
18 respective terms of office and upon the election and qualification of their respective  
19 successors. Commissioner Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4, as they exist on December 31, 2013,  
20 shall continue to be designated as Commissioner Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4, respectively, but  
21 as newly described under this Act, and on and after January 1, 2014, any members of the  
22 board serving from those former commissioner districts shall be deemed to be serving  
23 from and representing their respective districts as newly described under this section.

24 (2) For purposes of electing members of the board of commissioners, other than the  
25 chairperson, Greene County is divided into four commissioner districts. One member of  
26 the board shall be elected from each such district. The four commissioner districts shall

be and correspond to those four numbered districts described in and attached to and made a part of this Act and further identified as 'Plan: greene-p3-2013 Plan Type: Local Administrator: Greene Co. User: bak'.

(3)(A) When used in such attachment, the term 'VTD' (voting tabulation district) shall mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

(B) The separate numeric designations in a district description which are underneath a VTD heading shall mean and describe individual Blocks within a VTD as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia. Any part of Greene County which is not included in any such district described in that attachment shall be included within that district contiguous to such part which contains the least population according to the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

(C) Any part of Greene County which is described in that attachment as being in a particular district shall nevertheless not be included within such district if such part is not contiguous to such district. Such noncontiguous part shall instead be included within that district contiguous to such part which contains the least population according to the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

(D) Except as otherwise provided in the description of any commissioner district, whenever the description of such district refers to a named city, it shall mean the geographical boundaries of that city as shown on the census map for the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia."

## SECTION 2.

Said Act is further amended by repealing the attachment thereto containing the former descriptions of commissioner districts which is identified as "Plan: greenecsb-2011 Plan Type: Local User: bak".

## SECTION 3.

The Board of Commissioners of Greene County shall through its legal counsel cause this Act to be submitted for preclearance under the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; and such submission shall be made to the United States Department of Justice or filed with the appropriate court no later than 45 days after the date on which this Act is approved by the Governor or otherwise becomes law without such approval.

60 **SECTION 4.**

61 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law  
62 without such approval.

63 **SECTION 5.**

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

Plan: greene-p3-2013  
Plan Type: Local  
Administrator: Greene Co.  
User: bak

District 001  
Greene County  
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VTD: 133007 - LIBERTY  
VTD: 133008 - OLD SALEM  
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Greene County  
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Greene County  
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District 004  
Greene County  
VTD: 133001 - GREENSBORO

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VTD: 133008 - OLD SALEM  
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