

House Bill 951

By: Representative Leverett of the 33rd

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act providing for a board of commissioners of Elbert County, approved
2 February 27, 1875 (Ga. L. 1875, p. 253), as amended, particularly by an Act approved
3 February 13, 1986 (Ga. L. 1986, p. 3598), so as to change the description of the
4 commissioner districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for continuation
5 in office of current members; to provide for related matters; to provide for effective dates;
6 to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act providing for a board of commissioners of Elbert County, approved February 27,
10 1875 (Ga. L. 1875, p. 253), as amended, particularly by an Act approved February 13, 1986
11 (Ga. L. 1986, p. 3598), is amended by revising subsections (c) and (d) of Section 1 as
12 follows:

13 "(c) For the purpose of electing members of the board of commissioners other than the
14 chairperson, Elbert County shall be divided into five commissioner districts.
15 Commissioner Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 shall be and correspond to those five numbered

16 districts described in Appendix A attached to and made a part of this Act and further
17 identified as 'User: Elbert Plan Name: ElbertCCSB-2022 Plan Type: Local'.

18 (d)(1) For the purposes of such plan:

19 (A) 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
21 census of 2020 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
24 United States decennial census of 2020 for the State of Georgia; and

25 (B) 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 2020 for the State of Georgia.

29 (2) Any part of Elbert County which is not included in any district described in
30 subsection (c) 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
32 2020 for the State of Georgia.

33 (3) Any part of Elbert County which is described in subsection (c) of this section as
34 being included in a particular district shall nevertheless not be included within such
35 district if such part is not contiguous to such district. Such noncontiguous part shall
36 instead be included within that district contiguous to such part which contains the least
37 population according to the United States decennial census of 2020 for the State of
38 Georgia."

39 **SECTION 2.**

40 (a) Those members of the Board of Commissioners of Elbert County who are serving as
41 such on the effective date of this Act and any person selected to fill a vacancy in any such

42 office shall continue to serve as such members until the regular expiration of their respective
43 terms of office and upon the election and qualification of their respective successors.

44 (b) Commissioner Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, as they exist immediately prior to the effective
45 date of this Act, shall continue to be designated as Commissioner Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5,
46 respectively, but as newly described under this Act, and on and after the effective date of this
47 Act, such members of the board serving from those former commissioner districts shall be
48 deemed to be serving from and representing their respective districts as newly described
49 under this Act.

50 **SECTION 3.**

51 The provisions of this Act necessary to conduct elections for the members of the board
52 in 2022 shall become effective upon the approval of this Act by the Governor or upon its
53 becoming law without such approval. The remaining provisions of this Act shall become
54 effective on January 1, 2023.

55 **SECTION 4.**

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

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APPENDIX A

58 User: Elbert

59 Plan Name: ElbertCCSB-2022

60 Plan Type: Local

61 District 001

62 County Elbert GA

63 VTD ELBERTON

64 Block 000300:

65 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011
 66 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023
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69 Block 000400:

70 1013 1014 1028 1029 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007
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77 Block 000501:

78 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011
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80 District 002

81 County Elbert GA

82 VTD ELIAM

83 VTD LONGSTREET

84 Block 000502:

85 3037 3038 3039 3040 3041 3042 3043 3044 3045 3046 3047 3048

86 3049 3050 3051 3052 4005 4006 4007

87 VTD PETERSBURG

88 VTD WEBBSBORO

89 Block 000300:

90 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011

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93 1060 1061 1062 1063 1064 1065 1066 1071

94 VTD WYCHE

95 District 003

96 County Elbert GA

97 VTD CENTERVILLE

98 VTD GAINES

99 VTD LONGSTREET

100 Block 000200:

101 2070

102 Block 000502:

103 1000 1001 1002 1003 2000 2001 2003 2005 2006 3000 3001 3002

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107 VTD MOSS-RUCKERSVILLE

108 District 004

109 County Elbert GA

110 VTD GOSHEN

111 VTD PIKE

112 Block 000100:

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115 Block 000300:

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119 VTD WEBBSBORO

120 Block 000100:

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122 Block 000300:

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124 District 005

125 County Elbert GA

126 VTD ELBERTON

127 Block 000400:

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146 Block 000300:
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