

## **K.14 CHANGE IN BOUNDARY LINES OF DIVISIONS FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER ELECTIONS**

**BACKGROUND AND RATIONALE:**

The Census Bureau conducts a full population count every 10 years in years ending with a 0 (zero). Based on the results of the census, adjustments to boundary lines may be necessary to ensure that county school board members represent "...divisions as equal in population and containing integral voting precincts insofar as is practical," (KRS 160.210, paragraph 3).

The Fayette County Clerk has indicated that reassigning 13 precincts will accomplish the goal of establishing near equal divisions for purposes of representation by board members. The proposed changes are reflected below.

**PROPOSAL:**

<b>District</b>	<b>Population before Changes</b>	<b>Population after Changes</b>	<b>Precincts Added</b>	<b>Precincts Lost</b>
<b>District 1</b>	<b>60,891</b>	<b>59,029</b>	<b>Triangle Park (+1648) Fairgrounds (+2323)</b>	<b>Beaver Place (-589) Bunker (-1437) Goldon Trophy (-708) Imperial (-2433) Silverbell (-666)</b>
<b>District 2</b>	<b>63,791</b>	<b>59,229</b>		<b>Fairgrounds (-2323) Phoenix Park (-591) Triangle Park (-1648)</b>
<b>District 3</b>	<b>63,432</b>	<b>59,585</b>		<b>Breckinridge (-864) Idle Hour (-573) Julia R. Ewan (-590) Kingswood (-748) Winter Garden (-1072)</b>
<b>District 4</b>	<b>50,659</b>	<b>58,967</b>	<b>Breckinridge (+864) Bunker (+1437) Idle Hour (+573) Imperial (+2433) Julia R. Ewan (+590) Kingswood (+748) Phoenix Park (+591) Winter Garden (+1072)</b>	
<b>District 5</b>	<b>57,032</b>	<b>58,995</b>	<b>Beaver Place (+589) Goldon Trophy (+708) Silverbell (+666)</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>295,805</b>	<b>295,805</b>		

**STAFF CONTACT:** Mary Wright 381-4165

**POLICY REFERENCE:** KRS 160.210

**RECOMMENDATION:** The Superintendent recommends that the Board consider the following motion:

"that the Board of Education adopt the reassignment of precincts as recommended by the Fayette County Clerk to establish near equal population distribution in each District."