



INDIANA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

To: Indiana State Board of Education

From: William Ottensmeyer, Staff Attorney

Date: July 12, 2023

RE: Approval of Governing Body Change – Lafayette School Corporation

Recommendation: Approve the proposed governing body plan change

Pursuant to IC 20-23-8, the Board of School Trustees of Lafayette School Corporation (“LSC”) adopted a resolution to initiate a change to LSC’s governing body plan. After adopting the resolution, LSC submitted the attached materials for the Indiana State Board of Education’s (“Board”) review and consideration, in accordance with the requirements set forth in IC 20-23-8-15.

Indiana Department of Education (“Department”) staff reviewed the attached material and determined that LSC’s plan and the manner in which it was initiated satisfy the requirements set forth in IC 20-23-8. As such, LSC’s new governing body plan is recommended for approval.

RESOLUTION APPROVING PLAN OF REDISTRICTING

WHEREAS, IC 3-5-10-7 directs that school corporations redistrict decennially and it is the proper time to fulfill this statutory obligation; and,

WHEREAS, IC 20-23-8-9 grants the Board of School Trustees (the "Board") of Lafayette School Corporation (the "School Corporation") the authority to change the organization of the governing body; and

WHEREAS, IC 3-5-10-5 directs that the Board shall set forth a plan for the districts the Board establishes, and,

WHEREAS, IC 20-23-8-7 and IC 20-23-8-8 provide that the governing body of a school corporation may be organized with four (4) members elected from districts with one member serving each of the four districts, and three (3) members elected at large serving a district that is at large, that is, a district that is the whole of the school corporation, and,

WHEREAS, the Board finds it prudent to redistrict in this manner, finding that such

1. Provides greater representation for our patrons. Each patron shall be served by a district trustee and three at-large trustees.
2. Provides a better opportunity for balance of representation based on district concerns and that of corporation-wide concerns.
3. Provides greater opportunity for qualified individuals to serve as trustee without district limitations.

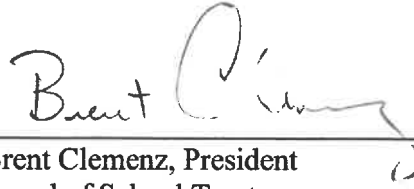
and,

WHEREAS, the Board by virtue of IC 20-23-8-10(2) wishes to resolve and set a new plan,

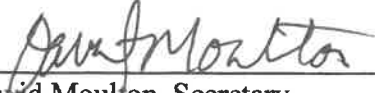
BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Lafayette School Corporation that the manner of election of Trustees shall be as follows:

1. There shall be seven (7) trustees.
2. There shall be four (4) districts from which one trustee shall be elected in the several districts.
 - a. These shall be known as District A, District B, District C, and District D.
 - b. These seats shall be first elected at the General Election in 2026 to commence a term of office of four (4) years from January 1, 2027.
 - c. These districts shall be defined by precincts, specifically, those presently on file with the Tippecanoe County Board of Elections & Registration as of the date of this resolution, the metes and bounds of which are described in the minutes of said Board.
 - d. District A shall be defined as those portions of Fairfield 01 and 04 within the corporation, Fairfield 05, 09, 10, 12, 15, 16.

- e. District B shall be defined as those portions of Fairfield 19, 22 and 23 within the corporation, Fairfield 13, 17, 20, 21.
 - f. District C shall be defined as those portions of Fairfield 25 and 27 within the corporation, Fairfield 26, those portions of Wea 02, 05, 07, 09, 10 within the corporation, and Wea 03, 06.
 - g. District D shall be defined as That portion of Fairfield 24 within the corporation, Fairfield 03, 06, 07, 08, 11, 14, 18.
3. There shall be one district consisting of the whole of the school corporation, the boundaries of this district and the corporation being coterminous. There shall be three (3) trustees elected from this district.
 - a. This District shall be known as the “at large” district.
 - b. Three trustees shall be elected at large, with those receiving the three highest vote totals deemed elected.
 - c. These seats shall be first elected at the General Election in 2024 to commence a term of office of four (4) years from January 1, 2025.
4. The map attached hereto as Exhibit A, sets out the districts as delineated above.
5. All trustees are elected for a term of four (4) years, may succeed themselves, and serve until a successor is duly elected, appears, and qualifies.
6. Trustees sitting and trustees-elect shall serve their full terms.
 - a. The present districts are deemed expired upon passage and approval of this plan.
 - b. Those trustees whose terms expire December 31, 2024 or December 31, 2026 shall be eligible to be elected under this new plan.
7. The plan complies with the provisions of Section 8 of IC Title 20, Article 23.
8. The Secretary of the Board is directed to file a copy of this resolution with the Clerk of the Circuit Court and the Tippecanoe County Board of Elections in compliance with IC 20-23-4-35.5 immediately upon passage.
9. The Secretary of the Board is directed to publish a notice in a newspaper of general circulation in Tippecanoe County, one time, that a resolution adopting a plan changing the composition of the Lafayette School Corporation Board of School Trustees has been adopted, and such notice shall be published within ten (10) days of the adoption of this resolution.
10. There shall be a period of one hundred and twenty (120) days from the date of publication of the notice wherein a voter or voters living in the corporation may initiate an objection or submit alternatives, so long as they comply with IC 20-23-8-14.
11. Upon expiration of the one hundred and twenty (120) day period during which voter(s) may object to the pan or submit an alternative plan, but not more than thirty (30) days after the expiration of the time to object the plan or petition under IC 20-23-8-14, the Secretary of the Board shall cause the plan to be submitted to the State Board of Education for approval. Upon approval of the Indiana Board of Education, this plan shall take effect. If disapproved, the Board of Trustees shall resubmit a plan under the provisions of statute.



**Brent Clemenz, President
Board of School Trustees**



**David Moulton, Secretary
Board of School Trustees**

December 12, 2022

1) Call to Order

The regular meeting of the Board of School Trustees of the Lafayette School Corporation was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Vice President Steve Bultinck. Those present were invited to stand and join with the Board in the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

2) Roll Call

On call of the roll board members present were Dave Moulton, Allison McKay, Kay Walton, Dr. Robert Stwalley, Brian Wagner and Steve Bultinck. Absent was Brent Clemenz. Also present was Counsel Bob Laszynski.

3) Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the November 14, 2022 Executive Session, the November 14, 2022 Regular Meeting, the December 5, 2022 Special Board Meeting, the December 5, 2022 Executive Session, and the December 5, 2022 Work Session were presented for approval.

Mr. Wagner made the motion, seconded by Dr. Stwalley, to approve the minutes as presented. There were no additions or corrections to these minutes.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

4) Staff & Student Recognition

Presented by Dr. Alicia Clevenger, Assistant Superintendent of Elementary Curriculum & Instruction

Earhart Elementary School

- Due to various community programs like Shop with a Firefighter, Crestview Community Church, and Primient they were able to offer 45 different Earhart students with holiday gifts and necessities this year!

Edgelea Elementary School

- Edgelea had 76 students participate in an optional Purdue Reading Club. All 76 students received free Purdue basketball tickets and a certificate for participating. The goal was to increase the amount of time spent reading outside of the classroom.

Miami Elementary School

- Kindergarten teacher Megan Tentler was named WAZY's teacher of the month/excellent educators for November. She is always going above and beyond. She recently organized a fundraiser to raise money for her students to have hats/gloves. Her students will receive a Subway party.

Miller Elementary School

- Maci Webster was recognized for her outstanding work and support for all of the Miller students.

Oakland Elementary School

- One of the 4th graders was named LPD student of the month. Students that earn this honor have strong character traits. A student is nominated for this honor by teachers across the building. The student of the month is someone who is hardworking, honest, and kind. This student perseveres to always do his best. Nasean Quin stands out as a student who always works hard. He shows respect and kindness to peers and teachers. Oakland is very proud of Nasean and his hard work!

Vinton Elementary School

- The students and staff at Vinton celebrated World Kindness Week from November 7-11. Each day was a different dress up day and theme (Bee Kind, Peace, Love & Kindness, Kindness is a Dream, Joint Team Kindness, Be a Kindness Hero). Students and staff were given daily challenges to spread kindness, books and videos were shared that showed kindness amongst others. They also shared their kindness with a monetary donation for Tricia's Hope (a community non-profit that supports those going through cancer treatments with gift cards). They raised close to \$1,000 for Tricia's Hope! Since they surpassed their fundraising goal of \$300, Mrs. Cree had her head shaved in front of the whole school. At that time, they let them know that Mrs. Cree is one of those people that Tricia's Hope is supporting. She is currently going through chemo treatments.

Sunnyside Intermediate

- The English Language students of Eliza Talamantes are currently being showcased on the Indiana Department of Natural Resource's website. Students researched various wildlife native to Indiana and created infographics that the DNR is showcasing on their website.

Presented by Dr. Laurie Rinehart, Assistant Superintendent of Secondary Curriculum & Instruction

Tecumseh Junior High School

- From Tecumseh Junior High School, Mr. Meyer would like to recognize 7th grade student Marlen Espinoza. Marlen struggled with the transition to TJHS academically first quarter, but she has worked hard to turn things around by passing all of her classes 2nd quarter. Assistant Principal Rodibaugh states she has demonstrated the most improvement of all 7th graders he has worked with. Mr. Meyer would also like to recognize 8th grade math teacher, Natalie McCoy. Ms. McCoy started an after-school walking group twice a week for all TJHS staff that want to participate. Ms. McCoy goes above and beyond to improve the culture and wellness of both staff and students, and we are lucky to have her at TJHS.

Jefferson High School

- From Jefferson High School, we have several items to mention! First, Mr. Preston would like to recognize ETE teacher, Josh White, who was awarded an SIA foundation grant. Mr. White was 1 of only 11 out of 393 applicants that were chosen. Also, W-J-E-F celebrated its 50th Anniversary with a well-attended Open House in the RTV studio on 12/9. Additionally, the JHS jazz band was a part of the opening celebration for the "Lafayette

Shop Small” party at Reihlee Plaza on 11/26, and both the Marching Bronchos and First Edition were a part of the annual Lafayette Christmas parade. And finally, we had over 800 tickets sold for all three Holiday show performances for our choirs. It was great for our students to be back in front of three full houses for this community event, and as always, the students put on a delightful and entertaining show.

Oakland Academy

- From Oakland Academy, Mrs. Parthun would like to recognize a few students that are taking advantage of extracurricular opportunities through Jeff: Judas Trinity Hays was a part of the LSC dance recital through her enrollment in a JHS dance class. DeMarion Chioke has been a part of the JHS wrestling team this winter season. Lexi Cope and Allie Kuebler were able to showcase their vocal skills in Expressions and Acapella this past weekend at the JHS Holiday show. We are so proud when we see our students take advantage of these LSC opportunities!

Greater Lafayette Career Academy

- Lastly, from the Greater Lafayette Career Academy, Mrs. Hutcheson would like to recognize our Medical Assisting students. CCMA students held their first blood drive and their goal was 27 donors. They exceeded that goal and were able to get 35 donations! They have already started making plans for their spring blood drive. Students were able to earn anywhere from 1-6 hours of community service hours through the planning, advertising, and coordination the day which will count towards their Governor’s Work Ethic Certificates. In addition, this month all CCMA students completed and passed their skills and written components of the Basic Life Support Certification (CPR for healthcare providers).

7) Public Participation

No one from the public addressed the Board.

8) Recommendations

A) 2023 Summer School Course Proposal

Administration recommend approval of the 2023 Summer School Course Proposal that was presented and discussed at the December 5, 2022 Work Session.

Mrs. Walton made the motion, seconded by Mr. Moulton, to approve the 2023 Summer School Course Proposal as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

B) Administrator Appreciation Funds

The Administration is requesting a total of \$32,001.55 to distribute to administrators who qualify for the Teachers’ Appreciate Grant. In previous years, the Board has allocated funds for qualifying administrators to mirror the Tag funds for teachers. Administration is recommending

that this continue with the same guidelines outline in the Board Policy D1340. This is a one-time payment for the school year 2022-2023.

Mr. Moulton made the motion, seconded by Mr. Wagner, to approve the TAG Dollars for Administrators as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

C) MOU with Department of Health and Kinesiology

Mr. Huddle presented the Board with the MOU between LSC/JHS and Purdue University Department of Health and Kinesiology. It was administrations recommendation for approval.

Dr. Stwalley made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Walton, to approve the MOU between LSC/JHS and Purdue University Department of Health and Kinesiology as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

D) Final Reading of Board Policies: B113 Board Compensation, J350 Disclosure of Student Lists, I800 Homework Policy, I441 Least Restrictive Environment, J320 Retention and Redshirting, J200 Suicide Awareness and Prevention and J230 Withdrawal from School.

Revised and New policies B113 Board Compensation, J350 Disclosure of Student Lists, I800 Homework Policy, I441 Least Restrictive Environment, J320 Retention and Redshirting, J200 Suicide Awareness and Prevention and J230 Withdrawal from School were presented and discussed at the October School Board Work Session. The first reading took place at the November 14, 2022 Regular School Board Meeting. The administration had not received any additional revision since the discussion. Therefore, the administration recommended approval of the revised policies as presented.

Mr. Moulton made the motion, seconded by Dr. Stwalley, to approve the Final Reading of Board Policies: B113 Board Compensation, J350 Disclosure of Student Lists, I800 Homework Policy, I441 Least Restrictive Environment, J320 Retention and Redshirting, J200 Suicide Awareness and Prevention and J230 Withdrawal from School as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

E) Wave of the 1st Reading of Board Policies J810 Display of Flag and Pledge of Allegiance, I440 Educational Surrogate Parent Policy, E230 Food Service Staff Conduct, D1330 Internal Controls, J800 Moment of Silence and J211 Student Mental and Behavioral Services Record.

Dr. Stwalley made the motion to suspend the 1st Reading of Board Policies J810 Display of Flag and Pledge of Allegiance, I440 Educational Surrogate Parent Policy, E230 Food Service Staff Conduct, D1330 Internal Controls, J800 Moment of Silence and J211 Student Mental and Behavioral

Services Record, Mr. Moulton seconded the motion to approve the suspension of first reading and approve as final reading.

Dr. Stwalley made the motion, seconded by Mr. Moulton, to approve the suspension of 1st reading as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

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Dr. Stwalley made the motion, seconded by Mr. Moulton, to approve the Final Reading of Board Policies J810 Display of Flag and Pledge of Allegiance, I440 Educational Surrogate Parent Policy, E230 Food Service Staff Conduct, D1330 Internal Controls, J800 Moment of Silence and J211 Student Mental and Behavioral Services Record.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

G) Board Member Districts

The Administration recommended approval of the new Board Member Districts that have been presented multiple times at previous Work Session and Regular School Board Meetings. The administration recommending 4-member districts and 3 at large districts in 2024.

Mrs. Walton made the motion, seconded by Mr. Wagner, to approve the Board Member Districts as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried

H) Proposed 2023 Board Meeting and Work Session Dates

The Administration recommended approval of the proposed 2023 regular school board meeting and work session dates that were presented at the December 5, 2022 Work Session.

Dr. Stwalley made the motion, seconded by Mr. Moulton, to approve the 2023 Board Meeting and Work Session Dates as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Stwalley, Wagner.

Abstain: Walton, Bultinck.

Nays: None.
The motion carried.

I) 2601 CBA

It is the administration recommendation that the board approve the financial settlements of the collective bargaining agreement with the local 2601 (Buildings, Grounds and Maintenance Employees) as presented.

Mr. Moulton made the motion, seconded by Mrs. McKay, to approve the contract between the Lafayette School Corporation and the local 2601.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.
The motion carried.

J) Roofing Proposal 2023

We plan to pick up roofing work in the corporation again in 2023 and the roofing supply market has increased in recent months. Plans are in place for roof areas at Murdock Elementary and Jefferson High School. Etica Architects provided a proposal for the December 12 regular school board meeting to establish bidding timelines accordingly. Administration recommend approval as presented.

Mr. Wagner made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Walton, to approve the 2023 Roofing Proposal as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.
The motion carried.

K) Fuel Bid for 2023

The Business and Transportation Offices will be working through the bidding process for 2023 fuel purchases including regular unleaded and diesel fuels. The timeline to be followed will include legal ads on December 15 and 22; bid openings on January 4; board award on January 9, 2023. Administration recommended approval of the bid timeline.

Dr. Stwalley made the motion, seconded by Mr. Moulton, to approve the fuel bid for 2023 as presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.
The motion carried.

L) End of Year Appropriation Transfer Information

As part of the closing year-end funds and appropriations, the Business Office wishes for the Board to understand that there could be a small possibility of some type of appropriation transfer needing to occur that could require Board action. The chances of this occurring are very slim. Should such action be needed, it would be our intent to bring a retroactive resolution to a future board meeting accordingly so that proper Board action would be recorded for audit purposes. No action was required by the Board for this item.

9) Employee Recommendations-

The Administration recommended approval of the following employee requests

Resignation

Stephen Asher, Systems Engineer, Technology, effective November 29, 2022
Ja'Shon Burks, Choral Director, JHS, effective November 22, 2022
Aleisha Gillespie, Staff Nurse, JHS, effective December 14, 2022
Julie Harrison, Paraprofessional, Sunnyside, effective August 11, 2022
Sandra Hyland, ELL Interpreter, GLASS, effective December 9, 2022
Kaitlyn Lewis, 8th Grade Language Arts, TJHS, effective January 3, 2022
Beth McAuliffe, School RN, JHS, effective December 7, 2022
Crystal Mendez-Toledo, Admin Assistant, TJHS, effective December 9, 2022
Michelle Ocampo, Paraprofessional, TJHS, effective November 8, 2022
Felicitas Rocha, Title I Aide, Miller, effective November 11, 2022
Citlali Roman, ELL Teacher, GLASS, effective December 19, 2022
Kim Thompson, Custodian, JHS, effective October 17, 2022
Sarah Vanbuskirk, Color Guard Assistant, JHS, effective August 10, 2022

Termination

Linda Bennett, Bus Attendant, Transportation, effective December 1, 2022
Riva Burns, Bus Driver, Transportation, effective November 17, 2022
Aquil Manuel, Bus Attendant, Transportation, effective December 1, 2022

Retirement

Deb Meadows, Teacher, Edgelea, effective June 1, 2023
Rita Shultz, eLearning Specialist, Technology, effective March 3, 2023

Leave

Employment

Jennifer Crowder, Field Trip Coordinator (replacement)
Bobbie Daniels, CDL Sub Bus Driver (replacement)
Tyshia Davis, Lunch Supervisor (replacement)
Michael Fisher, Paraprofessional (replacement)
Elizabeth Franklin, JHS Math Teacher (replacement)
Sylvia Gaeta, Bus Driver (replacement)
Deanna Hershberger, Office Admin Assistant (replacement)
Sam Jensen, Color Guard Director (replacement)
Patricia Lopez, Custodian (replacement)
Kaitlyn Molter, Paraprofessional (replacement)
Nicole Uchman, SLPA (replacement)
Matthew Volpi, Behavior Facilitator (change in wages/salary)
Jenna Wendling, Lunch Supervisor (replacement)
Alexia Wilson, Lunch Supervisor (replacement)
Teresa Wilson, Sub Paraprofessional (replacement)
Carolyn Wright, Sub Paraprofessional (replacement)

Additional Retirement After the Original Agenda was Prepared
Eric Rody, Chief Financial Officer, Hiatt, effective June 30, 2023

Additional Employment After the Original Agenda was Prepared
Kristina Bruce, 7th Grade Language Arts (replacement)
Bailey Catt, Special Education Teacher (new)
Alyssa Willis, 8th Grade Language Arts (replacement)

Additional Resignation After the Original Agenda was Prepared
Dominique Paltier, 8th Grade Math, TJHS, effective December 21, 2022

Mrs. Walton made the motion to approve the employee recommendations as presented, seconded by Dr. Stwalley.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.
Nays: None
The motion carried.

Mr. Moulton made the motion to approve the Conflict of Interests as presented, seconded by Mrs. Walton.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, Walton, Stwalley, Bultinck, Clemenz.
Nays: None
The motion carried.

10) Acceptance of Gifts

The Administration recommended the acceptance of the following gifts for the month of November:

It's My Closet- received donations of New Bed Sheets and Blankets totaling \$1,588.99 from an anonymous donor.

Jefferson HS Extra-Curricular accounts received monetary donations totaling \$ 750.00. A complete list of all donations:

Summary of Jeff HS donations:

It's My Closet- \$500.00 - anonymous donor

It's My Closet- \$100.00- Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias

It's My Closet- \$100.00- Eleanor Wang

Broncho Broadcasters- \$50.00- Mr. & Mrs. Anson

Mr. Moulton made the motion, seconded by Dr. Stwalley, to approve acceptance of gifts presented.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.
Nays: None.
The motion carried.

11) Treasurer

A) The Financial Reports will be filed for audit.

B) The Administration recommended approval of the vendor claims and ratification of payrolls.

Dr. Stwalley and Mr. Rody received and reviewed all dockets prior to the Regular Board Meeting.

Dr. Stwalley made the motion, seconded by Mr. Moulton, to approve vendor claims and ratify payrolls.

Roll Call: Ayes: Moulton, McKay, Walton, Stwalley, Wagner, Bultinck.

Nays: None.

The motion carried.

12) Information Only

Mr. Huddle stated that cabinet members met with Michael Davids this morning to discuss Pathway to Excellence. The meeting consisted of talking through questions. He also stated that in January they will begin discussion on mission and value statement.

Dr. Clevenger gave an update on the strategic plans. She stated that all FOCUS Groups and Listening Posts have concluded. She is currently working on the strategic plan.

Dr. Rinehart stated that Cindy Gerlach is working on social media positive stories along with working on a paper newsletter in February.


Dr. Reckard is in the middle of policy review. She informed the board that she will be bringing another 30-40 policies in January-February.

13) Board Reports

Dr. Stwalley stated that at the last COSSBA meeting they finished up the bylaws. On January 1st the Budget and Dues will be set for the 1st 5 years. This will be a new National Organization for School Boards.

14) Adjournment

There being no further business to present, Board President Clemenz called for a motion to adjourn. On motion duly made by Mr. Wagner, seconded by Dr. Stwalley and carried, the meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.


Brent Clemenz, President


Dave Moulton, Secretary

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Newspaper has a website and this public notice was posted in the same day as it was published in the newspaper.

Pursuant to the provisions and penalties of Ch. 155, Acts 1953, I hereby certify that the foregoing account is just and correct, that the amount claimed is legally due, after allowing all just credits, and that no part of the same has been paid.

Date: Dec 23, 2021 Title: Clerk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 2022



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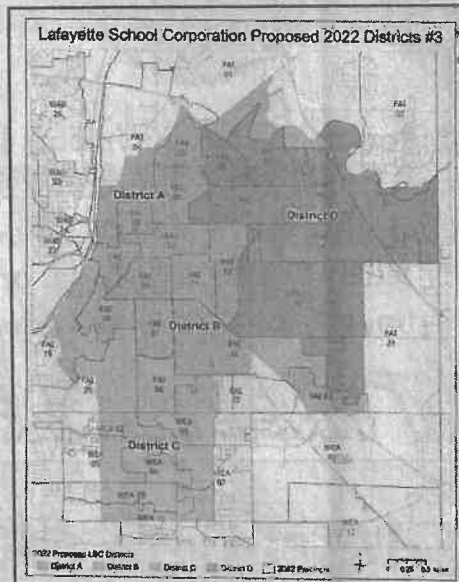
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2. There shall be four (4) districts from which one trustee shall be elected in the several districts.
 - a. These shall be known as District A, District B, District C, and District D.
 - b. These seats shall be first elected at the General Election in 2026 to commence a term of office of four (4) years from January 1, 2027.
 - c. These districts shall be defined by precincts, specifically, those presently on file with the Tippecanoe County Board of Elections & Registration as of the date of this resolution, the metes and bounds of which are described in the minutes of said Board.
 - d. District A shall be defined as those portions of Fairfield 01 and 04 within the corporation, Fairfield 05, 09, 10, 12, 15, 16.
 - e. District B shall be defined as those portions of Fairfield 19, 22 and 23 within the corporation, Fairfield 13, 17, 20, 21.
 - f. District C shall be defined as those portions of Fairfield 25 and 27 within the corporation, Fairfield 26, those portions of Wea 02, 05, 07, 09, 10 within the corporation, and Wea 03, 06.
 - g. District D shall be defined as That portion of Fairfield 24 within the corporation, Fairfield 03, 06, 07, 08, 11, 14, 18.
3. There shall be one district consisting of the whole of the school corporation, the boundaries of this district and the corporation being coterminous. There shall be three (3) trustees elected from this district.
 - a. This District shall be known as the "at large" district.
 - b. Three trustees shall be elected at large, with those receiving the three highest vote totals deemed elected.
 - c. These seats shall be first elected at the General Election in 2024 to commence a term of office of four (4) years from January 1, 2025.
4. The map attached hereto as Exhibit A, sets out the districts as delineated above.
5. All trustees are elected for a term of four (4) years, may succeed themselves, and serve until a successor is duly elected, appears, and qualifies.
6. Trustees sitting and trustees-elect shall serve their full terms.
 - a. The present districts are deemed expired upon passage and approval of this plan.
 - b. Those trustees whose terms expire December 31, 2024 or December 31, 2026 shall be eligible to be elected under this new plan.

Pursuant to the provisions of IC 20-23-8-14, a voter has the right to file a petition with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Tippecanoe County, for alternative plans or a petition protesting the adoption of this plan. Such a petition must be filed within one hundred twenty (120) days after the publication of this notice. A petition protesting this plan shall be signed by at least twenty percent (20%) of the voters of the school corporation or five hundred (500) voters of the school corporation, whichever is less. A petition submitting an alternative plan shall be signed by at least twenty percent (20%) of the voters of the school corporation.

Dated this 13th day of December, 2022.

David Moulton
Secretary, Board of School Trustees
Lafayette School Corporation



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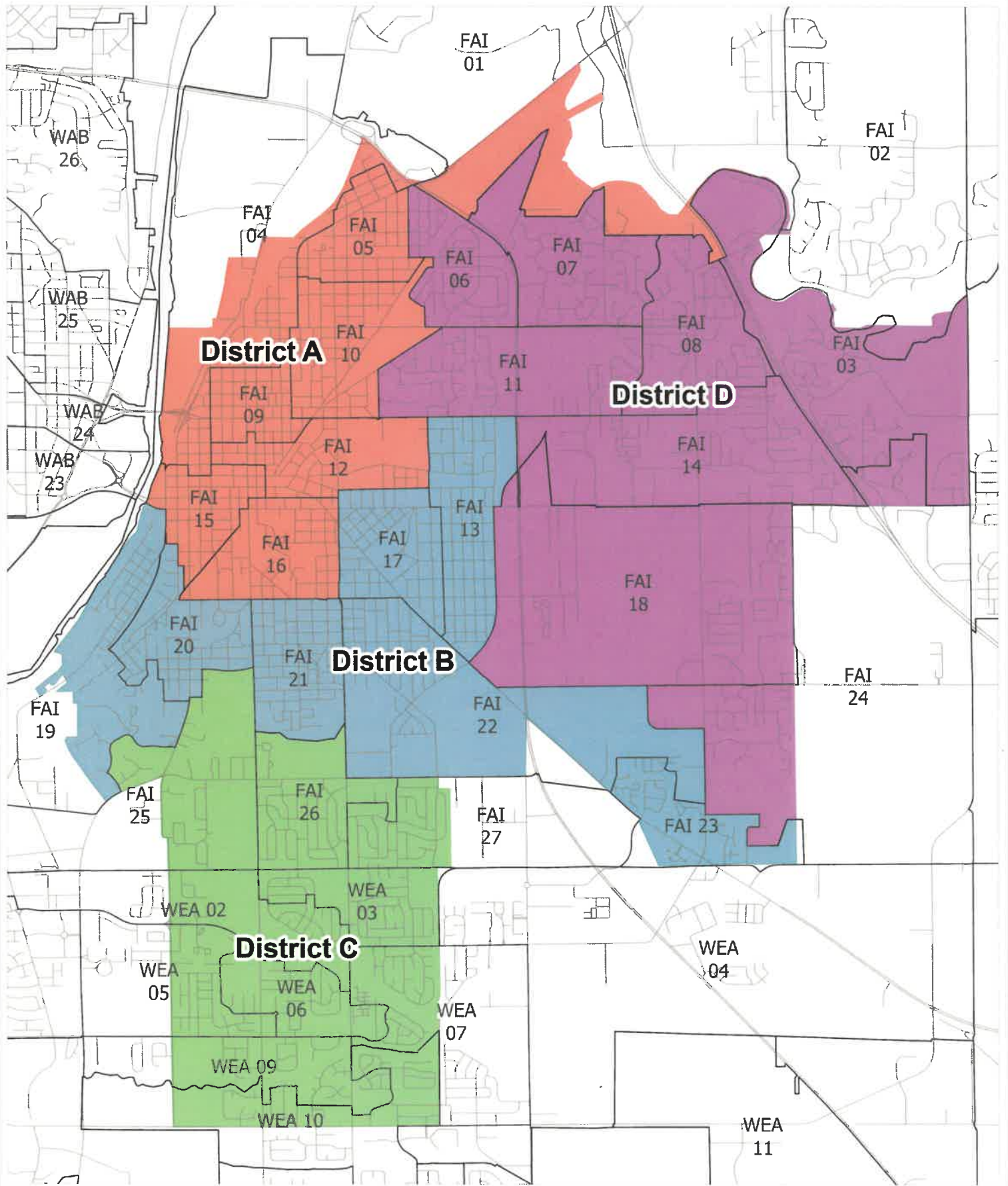
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Lafayette School Corporation Proposed 2022 Districts #3



2022 Proposed LSC Districts

- District A
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- 2022 Precincts



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CERTIFICATE OF NO PETITION

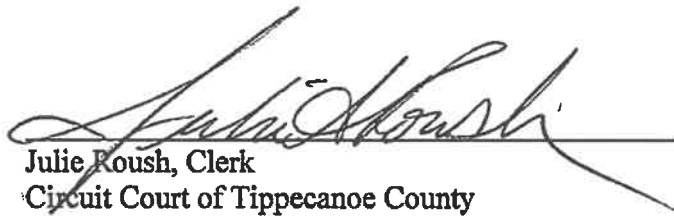
I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Tippecanoe County, Indiana.

I further certify that, as of the 8th day of June, 2023, no petition of protest or petition to initiate an alternative plan for the Lafayette School Corporation's (the "School Corporation") voting district amendments has been filed with my office.

Upon information and belief, the School Corporation's Notice of Plan of Redistricting was published on or before December 23, 2022, and more than one hundred and twenty (120) days have passed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of June, 2023.




Julie Roush, Clerk
Circuit Court of Tippecanoe County