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Districts - Reapportionment

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SECTION 1. That there be and are hereby created and established for and within the county of Wayne in this State and in lieu of the fourteen districts therein as now laid out eight civil districts only.

SECTION 2. That the boundaries of said civil districts shall be as follows:

1. The territory embraced in the First District to include the Fourth and Fifth Districts as now laid out.
2. The territory in the Second Civil District shall include the territory embraced in the Second Civil District as laid out by the County Court of Wayne County in the year 1866.
3. The territory in the Third Civil District shall include the territory embraced in the First and Third Districts as laid out by the County Court of Wayne County in the year 1866.
4. The Fourth District shall embrace the territory which is now embraced in the Seventh and Eighth Districts as now laid out.
5. The Fifth District shall consist of the territory now embraced in the Ninth and Tenth Districts as now laid out.
6. The Sixth District shall be composed of the same territory now included in the Sixth District as now laid out.
7. The Seventh District shall embrace the territory that is included in the Eleventh and Thirteenth Districts as now laid out.
8. That the Eighth District shall embrace the territory now included in the Fourteenth District excluding any part thereof included in the Tenth District as herein created.
9. That the Ninth Civil District shall remain as established by the Quarterly Court of Wayne County.
10. The Tenth District shall include the territory embraced in the following boundaries: Beginning at the Tennessee Electric Power Company's tower No. 481 which stands on the east side of the Natchez Trace road about two and one half miles south from U. S. Highway No. 64; running thence east to the Wayne and Lawrence County line; thence south with the Wayne-Lawrence County line to the line of District No. 7; thence in a westward direction with the line of said District to the east boundary of District No. 4; thence North with said east boundary and continuing with the east boundary of District No. 1 to the dividing ridge between the waters of Forty Eight Mile Creek and the waters of Factors Fork of Shoal Creek; thence with said dividing ridge eastward to the beginning.

As amended by: Private Acts of 1909, Chapter 53
Private Acts of 1937, Chapter 398

SECTION 3. [Repealed by Private Acts of 1909, Chapter 53.]

SECTION 4. That all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. That this Act take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it. Provided, that this Act shall in no way interfere with the right and tenure of office of the present acting Justices of the Peace of said county.

Passed: April 10, 1903.

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