

AGENDA

SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

GADSDEN COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD  
MAX D. WALKER ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
35 MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. BLVD.  
QUINCY, FLORIDA

January 30, 2024

4:30 P.M.

THIS MEETING IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. OPENING PRAYER
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

4. RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING NEW BOUNDARIES FOR THE SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER RESIDENCE AREAS - ORDINANCE 2024-01

ACTION REQUESTED: THE SUPERINTENDENT RECOMMENDS APPROVAL.

5. THE MARZANO INSTRUCTIONAL PERSONNEL EVALUATION TEMPLATE
6. EDUCATIONAL ITEMS BY THE SUPERINTENDENT
7. SCHOOL BOARD REQUESTS AND CONCERNS
8. ADJOURNMENT

SCHOOL BOARD OF GADSDEN COUNTY, FLORIDA  
Resolution No. - \_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF GADSDEN COUNTY, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING NEW BOUNDARIES FOR THE  
SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER RESIDENCE AREAS.

WHEREAS, Section 1001.36(2), Florida Statutes, authorizes school boards to change the boundaries of any district school board member residence area as it deems necessary;

WHEREAS, the authorization under Section 1001.36(2), Florida Statutes, states that the School Board may change the district school board member residence areas provided such changes are made in the 270 days before a general election;

WHEREAS, the School Board has been made aware that the Gadsden County Board of County Commissioners has engaged in the redistricting process in accordance with all applicable laws creating new boundaries for the five county commission districts;

WHEREAS , the School Board was invited to participate in this process and has reviewed the map containing the changed residence boundaries, the legal descriptions thereof, and Ordinance 2024-01 adopted by the Gadsden County Board of County Commissioners on January 23, 2024;

WHEREAS , it is in the best interest of the citizens of Gadsden County for the residence area boundaries of the School Board members to mirror the residence area boundaries of the members of the Gadsden County Board of County Commissioners attached hereto as Exhibit "A";

WHEREAS, all prior School Board Member residence boundary areas are superseded;

WHEREAS, this Resolution is hereby spread on the minutes of the District School Board during its special meeting held on January 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, this resolution shall be recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court and published at least once in a newspaper published in the district within 30 days after its adoption. If there is no newspaper published in the district, this resolution shall be posted at the county courthouse door for 4 weeks after its adoption and a certified copy transmitted to the Department of State.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the School Board of Gadsden County, Florida adopts the member residence boundaries as found in Exhibit "A" as the new residence area boundaries for the members of the School Board of Gadsden County Florida.

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2024 by the members of the School Board of Gadsden County, Florida, at a publicly held meeting.

ATTEST:

SCHOOL BOARD OF GADSDEN COUNTY,  
FLORIDA

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Elijah Key, Superintendent

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Karema Dudley, Board Chair

**ORDINANCE 2024-01**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GADSDEN COUNTY, FLORIDA, REPEALING ALL PRIOR COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT BOUNDARIES AND ESTABLISHING NEW BOUNDARIES OF THE FIVE COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICTS; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION; PROVIDING FOR MINUTES; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF LAWS IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF ORDINANCES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, Article VIII Section 1(e), of the Florida Constitution requires that after each decennial census, the Board of County Commissioners shall apportion the existing districts accordingly; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2020 census has been completed and the population information has been tabulated; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners, in accordance with the Constitution of the United States, the Constitution of the State of Florida, applicable State Law, the Federal Voting Rights Act, seeks to revise its five commission districts.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GADSDEN COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:**

**SECTION 1. – Commission District Boundaries**

The boundaries of the five County Commission districts are hereby changed to conform to the legal descriptions attached hereto and incorporated as though fully set forth herein as Exhibit “A”.

**SECTION 2. – Publication**

Pursuant to §124.02, Florida Statutes, a certified copy of this Ordinance, including an accurate description of the boundaries of the districts, shall be published once each week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper published in Gadsden County, and proof of such publication shall be entered on the minutes of the Board.

**SECTION 3. – Minutes**

Pursuant to Florida Statutes §124.03, Florida Statutes, the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners shall forthwith furnish to the Department of State a certified copy of the Minutes of the Board of County Commissioners meeting reflecting the description of the boundaries of the districts as set forth in this Ordinance.

**SECTION 4. – Repeal the Laws in Conflict**

All county laws and ordinances in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 5. – Severability**

If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this Ordinance is for any reason held by a Court to be unconstitutional, inoperative, invalid or void, such holding shall not affect the remainder of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 6. – Inclusion in the Code of Laws and Ordinances**

The provisions of this Ordinance shall become and made part of the Code of Laws and Ordinances of Gadsden County Florida. The sections of this Ordinance may renumbered or relettered to accomplish to accomplish such, and the word “ordinance” may be changed to “section”, “article”, or any other appropriate word.

**SECTION 7. – Effective Date**

The provisions of this Ordinance shall become effective upon filing with the Department of State.

**SECTION 8. – Scrivener’s Errors**

Scrivener’s errors may be corrected by the County Attorney as needed without further action of the Board of County Commissioners.

DULY READ, PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida after proper notice and public hearing, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 2024.


BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
GADSDEN COUNTY, FLORIDA




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RONTERIOUS GREEN, Chairman

ATTEST:



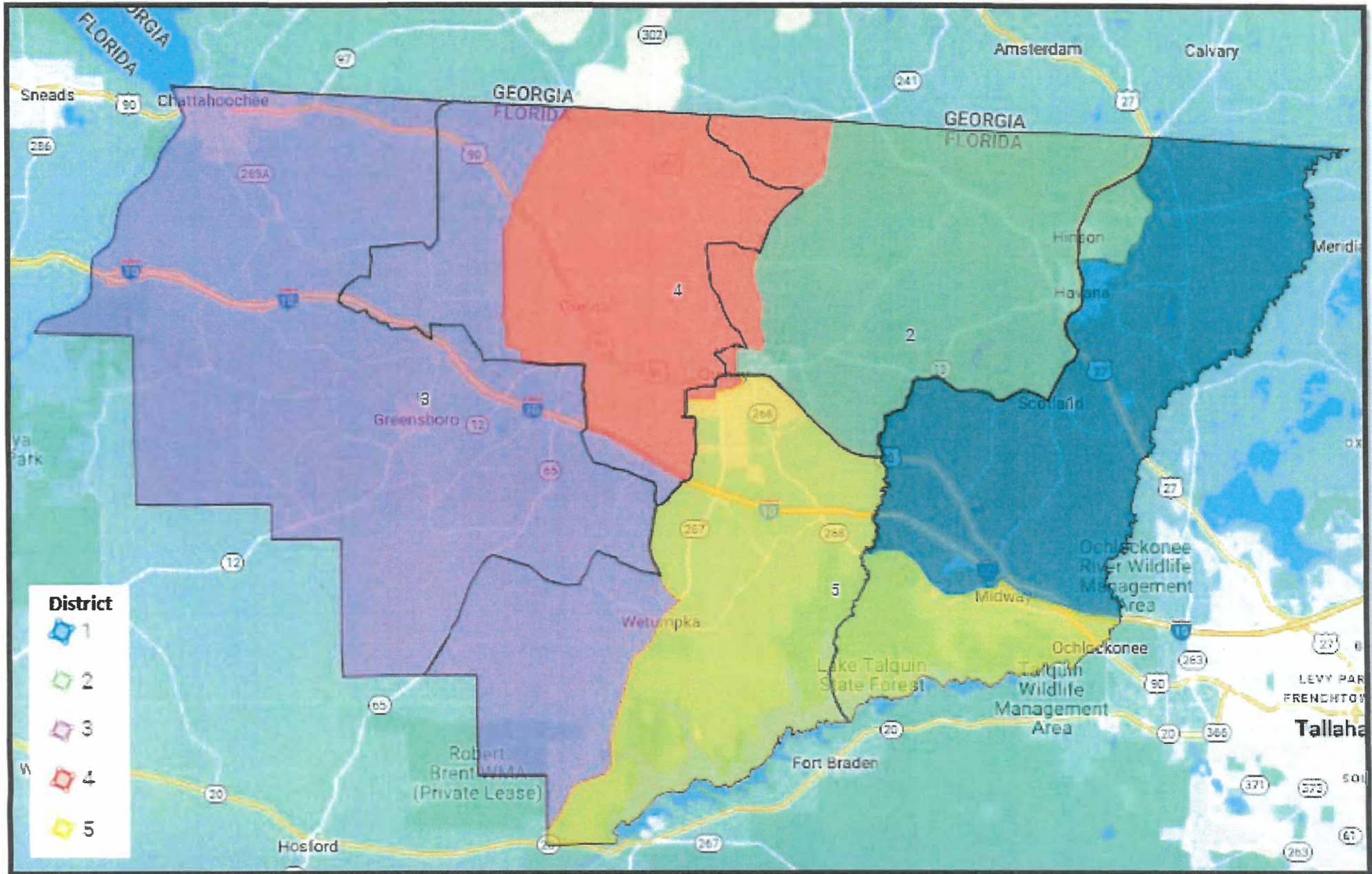
  
DEPUTY CLERK  
NICHOLAS THOMAS,  
Clerk of the Circuit Court

APPROVED AS TO FORM FOR THE  
RELIANCE OF GADSDEN COUNTY,  
FLORIDA ONLY

  
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CLAYTON FORD KNOWLES, ESQ.  
County Attorney

# Map "D"

Submitted by the American Civil Liberties Union of Florida (ACLU)



## ACLU Plan D

The map described with the following metes and bounds can be viewed on Google Maps at this link.

[https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=14XdeJWnvo6RCuvrguKOlaVse0\\_nalfw&usp=sharing](https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=14XdeJWnvo6RCuvrguKOlaVse0_nalfw&usp=sharing)

### **District 1. That part of Gadsden County lying within the following boundary:**

Begin at the intersection of the eastern Gadsden County boundary and I-10,  
Thence west along I-10 to Dover Road,  
Thence south along Dover road to Martin Luther King Boulevard,  
Thence west along Martin Luther King Boulevard/High Bridge Road to the Little River,  
Thence north along Little River to SR 12 (Havana Highway),  
Thence east along SR 12 (Havana Highway) to Shady Rest Road,  
Thence east along Shady Rest Road to Scotland Road,  
Thence north along Scotland Road to US 27,  
Thence north along US 27 to the southern boundary of Subprecinct 20B, which is also Carver Avenue, the Havana town limit, Cecil Butler Lake, and Lewis Creek,  
Thence east along the southern boundary of Subprecinct 20B, which is also Carver Avenue, the Havana city limit, Cecil Butler Lake, and Lewis Creek, to Fairbanks Ferry Road,  
Thence north along Fairbanks Ferry Road to McNair Road,  
Thence north along McNair Road to US 27,  
Thence north along US 27 to the Gadsden County boundary,  
Thence east and south along the Gadsden County boundary to the place of beginning.

### **District 2. That part of Gadsden County lying within the following boundary:**

Begin at the intersection of the northern Gadsden County boundary and Attapulugus Highway,  
Thence south along Attapulugus Highway to Quincy Creek, which is also the Quincy city limit,  
Thence west along Quincy Creek, which is also the Quincy city limit, to SR 267 (North Adams Street),  
Thence south along SR 267 (North Adams Street) to Burmah Drive,  
Thence west along Burmah Drive to North Bellamy Drive,  
Thence west and south along North Bellamy Drive to South Bellamy Drive,  
Thence south along South Bellamy Drive to North 9<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Thence south along North 9<sup>th</sup> Street to West Washington Street,  
Thence west along West Washington Street to South 10<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Thence south along South 10<sup>th</sup> Street to US 90,  
Thence east along US 90 to Little River,  
Thence north along Little River to SR 12 (Havana Highway),  
Thence east along SR 12 (Havana Highway) to Shady Rest Road,  
Thence east along Shady Rest Road to Scotland Road,  
Thence north along Scotland Road to US 27,  
Thence north along US 27 to the southern boundary of Subprecinct 20B, which is also Carver Avenue, the Havana town limit, Cecil Butler Lake, and Lewis Creek,



Thence east along the southern boundary of Subprecinct 20B, which is also Carver Avenue, the Havana City limit, Cecil Butler Lake, and Lewis Creek, to Fairbanks Ferry Road,  
Thence north along Fairbanks Ferry Road to McNair Road,  
Thence north along McNair Road to US 27,  
Thence north along US 27 to the Gadsden County boundary,  
Thence west along the Gadsden County boundary to the place of beginning.

**District 3. That part of Gadsden County lying within the following boundary:**

Begin at the intersection of the northern Gadsden County boundary and Mount Pleasant Road,  
Thence south along Mount Pleasant Road to Hardaway Highway,  
Thence west along Hardaway Highway to the Gretna city limit,  
Thence south and west along the Gretna city limit to Pittman Branch,  
Thence south along Pittman Branch to the Gretna city limit,  
Thence south along the Gretna city limit to Hanna Mill Pond Road,  
Thence east along Hanna Mill Pond Road to Bassett Road,  
Thence south along Bassett Road to Flat Creek Road,  
Thence east along Flat Creek Road to Greensboro SR 12 (Greensboro Highway),  
Thence east along SR 12 (Greensboro Highway) to Rocky Comfort Creek,  
Thence south along Rocky Comfort Creek to I-10,  
Thence east along I-10 to Cox Creek,  
Thence south along Cox Creek to SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway),  
Thence south along SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway) to the Gadsden County boundary,  
Thence northwest, north, and east along the Gadsden County boundary to the place of beginning.

**District 4. That part of Gadsden County lying within the following boundary:**

Begin at the intersection of the northern Gadsden County boundary and Mount Pleasant Road,  
Thence south along Mount Pleasant Road to Hardaway Highway,  
Thence west along Hardaway Highway to the Gretna city limit,  
Thence south and west along the Gretna city limit to Pittman Branch,  
Thence south along Pittman Branch to the Gretna city limit,  
Thence south along the Gretna city limit to Hanna Mill Pond Road,  
Thence east along Hanna Mill Pond Road to Bassett Road,  
Thence south along Bassett Road to Flat Creek Road,  
Thence east along Flat Creek Road to Greensboro SR 12 (Greensboro Highway),  
Thence east along SR 12 (Greensboro Highway) to Rocky Comfort Creek,  
Thence south along Rocky Comfort Creek to I-10,  
Thence east along I-10 to Cox Creek,  
Thence north along Cox Creek to the Quincy city limit,  
Thence west and north along the Quincy city limit, which is also Krausland Road and Barack Obama Boulevard, to Martin Luther King Boulevard,  
Thence east along Martin Luther King Boulevard to South Cleveland Street,  
Thence north along South Cleveland Street to Elm Street,  
Thence east along Elm Street to SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway),

Thence north along SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway) to Live Oak Street,  
Thence east along Live Oak Street to Cooper Street,  
Thence south along Cooper Street to 4<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Thence east along 4<sup>th</sup> Street to Station Street,  
Thence northeast and east along Station Street to South Key Street,  
Thence north along South Key Street to West Crawford Street,  
Thence west along West Crawford Street to South Key Street,  
Thence north along South Key Street to US 90,  
Thence west along US 90 to North 10<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Thence north along North 10<sup>th</sup> Street to West Washington Street,  
Thence east along West Washington Street to North 9<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Thence north along North 9<sup>th</sup> Street to South Bellamy Drive,  
Thence north along South Bellamy Drive to North Bellamy Drive,  
Thence north and east along North Bellamy Drive to Burmah Drive,  
Thence east along Burmah Drive to SR 267 (North Adams Street),  
Thence north along SR 267 (North Adams Street) to Quincy Creek, which is also the Quincy city limit,  
Thence east along Quincy Creek, which is also the Quincy city limit, to Attapulgus Highway,  
Thence north along Attapulgus Highway to the Gadsden County boundary,  
Thence west along the Gadsden County boundary to the place of beginning.

**District 5. That part of Gadsden County lying within the following boundary:**

Begin at the intersection of the eastern Gadsden County boundary and I-10,  
Thence west along I-10 to Dover Road,  
Thence south along Dover road to Martin Luther King Boulevard,  
Thence west along Martin Luther King Boulevard/High Bridge Road to the Little River,  
Thence north along Little River to US 90,  
Thence west along US 90 to South Key Street,  
Thence south along South Key Street to West Crawford Street,  
Thence east along West Crawford Street to South Key Street,  
Thence south along South Key Street to Station Street,  
Thence west and southwest along Station Street to 4<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Thence west along 4<sup>th</sup> Street to Cooper Street,  
Thence north along Cooper Street to Live Oak Street,  
Thence west along Live Oak Street to SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway),  
Thence south along SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway) to Elm Street,  
Thence west along Elm Street to South Cleveland Street,  
Thence south along South Cleveland Street to Martin Luther King Boulevard,  
Thence west along Martin Luther King Boulevard to the Quincy city limit,  
Thence south and east along the Quincy city limit, which is also Krausland Road and Barack Obama Boulevard, to Cox Creek,  
Thence south along Cox Creek to SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway),  
Thence south along SR 267 (Pat Thomas Parkway) to the Gadsden County boundary,  
Thence south, east, and northeast along the Gadsden County boundary to the place of beginning.