

Resolution 2023-09

A RESOLUTION TO REVISE THE COMMISSIONER DISTRICTS FOR
SAN JUAN COUNTY, COLORADO

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of San Juan County, Colorado is required pursuant to Section 30-10-306, C.R.S. to establish the Commissioner Districts into three compact districts as nearly equal in population as possible, and;

WHEREAS, the Federal Census was taken in 2020; and

WHEREAS, significant delays in the availability of population data from the 2020 Census due to the COVID-19 pandemic made it impossible for counties to conduct the mandated review by the statutory deadline in 2021; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 21-1047 was enacted in the legislative session to amend the deadline to review and complete redistricting by September 30, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Census figures for the 2020 census indicates that the present districting of San Juan County does not reflect nearly equal populations; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners held public hearings on September 13, 2023 and September 27, 2023 to receive public comments concerning the establishment of the Commissioner Districts;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of San Juan County that the three Commissioner District be established as follows:

DISTRICT #1

Commencing at the boundary of La Plata County at the center of US Highway 550, and following the center of US Highway 550 and including 2020 Census Block 1157, to the boundary of the Town of Silverton; thence Southeasterly along the boundary line of the Town of Silverton to the Southerly Corner; thence Northeasterly along the boundary line of the Town of Silverton to the centerline of 10th Street including Census Block 1113; thence Northwesterly to the intersection of Greene Street; thence Northeasterly down the centerline of Greene Street to the intersection of 16th Street; thence Southeasterly down the centerline of 16th Street to the intersection of Mineral Street; thence Northeasterly down the centerline of Mineral Street to 18th Street; thence Southeasterly down the centerline of 18th Street to the intersection of Cement Street; thence Northeasterly down the centerline of Cement Street to the Intersection of 19th Street; thence Northwesterly down the centerline of 19th Street to County Road 2; thence following the centerline of County Road 2 to the boundary of Ouray County; thence along the boundary of San Juan County contiguous with Ouray County, Hinsdale County, and La Plata County to the point of beginning.

DISTRICT #2

Commencing at the boundary of Ouray County at the center of US Highway 550, and following the center of US Highway 550 to the boundary of the Town of Silverton; thence following the boundary of the Town of Silverton Northeasterly to County Road 6; thence Northwesterly along the centerline of County Road 6 to the intersection of Snowden Street and including Census Blocks 1087 and 1092; thence Southwesterly following the centerline of Snowden Street to the intersection of 11th Street and including Census Block 1090; thence Northwesterly following the centerline of 11th Street to the intersection of Bluff Street; thence Southwesterly along the centerline of Bluff Street to the intersection of 10th Street; thence Southeasterly following the centerline of 10th Street to the intersection of Greene Street; thence Northeasterly following the centerline of Greene Street to the intersection of 16th Street; thence Southeasterly following the centerline of 16th Street to the intersection of Mineral Street; thence Northeasterly following the centerline of Mineral Street to the intersection of 18th Street; thence Southeasterly following the centerline of 18th Street to the intersection of Cement Street. thence Northeasterly following the centerline of Cement Street to the intersection of 19th Street; thence Northwesterly following the centerline of 19th Street to the intersection of County Road 2; and following the centerline of County Road 2 to the boundary of Ouray County; thence in a Westerly direction along the San Juan County boundary contiguous with Ouray County to the point of beginning.


DISTRICT #3

Commencing at the boundary line of La Plata County, at the center of US Highway 550 but excluding 2020 Census Block 1157 to the boundary of the Town of Silverton; thence Southeasterly along the boundary line of the Town of Silverton to the Southernly Corner; thence Northeasterly along the boundary line of the Town of Silverton to the centerline of 10th Street but excluding Census Block 1113; thence Northwesterly along the centerline of 10th Street to the intersection of Bluff Street; thence northeasterly along the centerline of Bluff Street to the intersection of 11th Street; thence Southeasterly along the centerline of 11th Street to the intersection of Snowden Street; thence Northeasterly along the centerline of Snowden Street to the intersection with County Road 6 but excluding Census Block 1090; thence following the centerline of County Road 6 to the westerly boundary of Taylors Addition but excluding Census Blocks 1092 and 1087; thence following the boundary of the Town of Silverton to US Highway 550; thence following the centerline of US Highway 550 to the boundary of Ouray County; thence along the San Juan County boundary line contiguous with Ouray County, San Miguel County, Dolores County and La Plata County to the point of beginning.

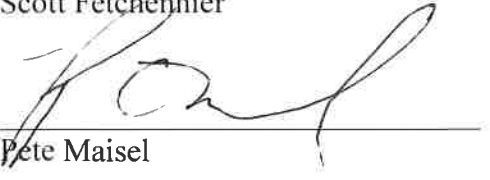
FURTHERMORE, Said Districts are shown on the maps attached hereto and made a part hereof by reference which delineates the boundaries specified above.

AND FURTHERMORE, Said Districts are defined by the 2020 Census Blocks attached hereto and made a part hereof by reference.

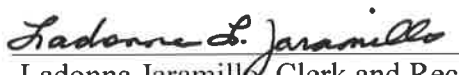
READ, PASSED AND ADOPTED this 27th day of September 2023 by the Board of County Commissioners of San Juan County, Colorado.


Austin Lashley, Chairman


Scott Fetchenier


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Attest:


Ladonna Jaramillo, Clerk and Recorder

