

House Bill 1070 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Holmes of the 129th and Mathis of the 144th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the Jones County Board of Education, approved March 21, 1984
2 (Ga. L. 1984, p. 4459), as amended, particularly by an Act approved February 15, 2012
3 (Ga. L. 2012, p. 3536), so as to change the description of the districts from which members
4 of such board are elected; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for
5 continuation in office of current members; to provide for related matters; to provide for
6 effective dates; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act creating the Jones County Board of Education, approved March 21, 1984 (Ga. L.
10 1984, p. 4459), as amended, particularly by an Act approved February 15, 2012 (Ga. L. 2012,
11 p. 3536), is amended by revising subsections (b) and (c) of Section 2 as follows:

12 "(b) For purposes of electing members of the board of education, the Jones County School
13 District shall be divided into four education districts. One member of the board shall be
14 elected from each such district by the voters of such district. Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4 shall
15 be and correspond to those four numbered districts described in Appendix A attached to

16 and made a part of this Act and further identified as 'User: Jones Co. Plan Name:
17 JonesCCSB-2022 Plan Type: Local'.

18 (c)(1) For the purposes of such plan:

19 (A) The term 'VTD' shall mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as
20 provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial
21 census of 2020 for the State of Georgia. The separate numeric designations in a district
22 description which are underneath a VTD heading shall mean and describe individual
23 Blocks within a VTD as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the
24 United States decennial census for 2020 for the State of Georgia; and

25 (B) Except as otherwise provided in the description of any district, whenever the
26 description of any district refers to a named city, it shall mean the geographical
27 boundaries of that city as shown on the census maps for the United States decennial
28 census of 2020 for the State of Georgia.

29 (2) Any part of the Jones County School District which is not included in any district
30 described in subsection (b) of this section shall be included within that district contiguous
31 to such part which contains the least population according to the United States decennial
32 census of 2020 for the State of Georgia.

33 (3) Any part of the Jones County School District which is described in subsection (b) of
34 this section as being included in a particular district shall nevertheless not be included
35 within such district if such part is not contiguous to such district. Such noncontiguous
36 part shall instead be included within that district contiguous to such part which contains
37 the least population according to the United States decennial census of 2020 for the State
38 of Georgia."

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SECTION 2.

40 (a) Those members of the Jones County Board of Education who are serving as such on the
41 effective date of this Act and any person selected to fill a vacancy in any such office shall

42 continue to serve as such members until the regular expiration of their respective terms of
43 office and upon the election and qualification of their respective successors.

44 (b) Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4, as they exist immediately prior to the effective date of this Act,
45 shall continue to be designated as Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4, respectively, but as newly described
46 under this Act, and on and after the effective date of this Act, such members of the board
47 serving from those former districts shall be deemed to be serving from and representing their
48 respective districts as newly described under this Act.

49 **SECTION 3.**

50 The provisions of this Act necessary to conduct elections for the members of the Jones
51 County Board of Education in 2022 shall become effective upon the approval of this Act by
52 the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval. The remaining provisions
53 of this Act shall become effective on January 1, 2023.

54 **SECTION 4.**

55 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.

56 APPENDIX A

57 User: Jones Co.

58 Plan Name: JonesCCSB-2022

59 Plan Type: Local

60 District 001

61 County Jones GA

62 VTD BARRON

63 Block 030200:

64 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1006 1008 1009 3053 3054 3055 3056

65 3057 3058 4000 4001 4002 4003 4004 4005 4007 4008 4032 4033

66 4034 4035 4036 4042 4043 4044 4051 4054 4055

67 VTD CLINTON

68 Block 030103:

69 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011

70 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020

71 Block 030200:

72 1005 3059

73 Block 030306:

74 1000 1005 1007 1008 1009 1010 1012 1013 1014 1015 1016 1017

75 1018 1019 1020 1021 1022 1023 1024 2001 2039 2040 2042 2043

76 VTD FINNEY

77 VTD SANDERS

78 District 002

79 County Jones GA
80 VTD BARRON
81 Block 030200:
82 3008 3009 3010 3011 3012 3013 3014 3015 3016 3017 3018 3019
83 3020 3021 3022 3023 3024 3025 3026 3027 3028 3029 3030 3031
84 3032 3033 3039 3040 3041 3042 3043 3044 3045 3046 3047 3048
85 3049 3050 3051 3052 4006
86 Block 030306:
87 3000 3001 3002 3003 3004 3005 3006 3007 3008 3009
88 VTD CLINTON
89 Block 030306:
90 1001 1002 1003 1004 2000 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008
91 2009 2010 2011 2017 2025 2026 2027 2031
92 VTD DAVIDSON
93 Block 030303:
94 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030
95 VTD ETHRIDGE
96 Block 030305:
97 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1010 1011 1012 1013 2001 2003 2004
98 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016
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100 Block 030306:
101 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024
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104 VTD GRAY
105 Block 030304:

106 1017 1018 1019 1020 1021 1022 3003 3004 3005 3006 3007 3008
 107 Block 030305:
 108 1000 2017 2018 2019 2020 3000 3001 3002 3003 3004 3005 3018
 109 3019 3020
 110 Block 030306:
 111 1006 1011 2038 2046 3016 3017 3021
 112 VTD POPE

113 District 003
 114 County Jones GA
 115 VTD DAVIDSON
 116 Block 030303:
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131 Block 030305:
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135 VTD HAWKINS
136 Block 030105:
137 3002 3003 3004 3006 3007
138 Block 030304:
139 2016 2017 2019 2020
140 VTD ROBERTS
141 Block 030103:
142 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011 1012 1013 1014 1015
143 1016 1017 1018 1019 1020 1021
144 Block 030105:
145 3000 3001
146 Block 030106:
147 3000 3001 3002 3003 3004 3005

148 District 004
149 County Jones GA
150 VTD DAVIDSON
151 Block 030303:
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154 VTD HAWKINS
155 Block 030105:

156 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011
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 163 Block 030303:
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 166 VTD ROBERTS
 167 Block 030106:
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 169 1012 1013 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009
 170 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 3006
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