

House Bill 1201 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representative Dukes of the 154th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To provide for reapportionment of the election districts for the Baker County Board of
2 Education, so as to change the description of the education districts; to provide for definitions
3 and inclusions; to provide for the continuation in office of current members; to provide for
4 related matters; to provide for effective dates; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other
5 purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 (a) For the purpose of electing members of the Baker County Board of Education, the Baker
9 County School District is divided into five districts. Such districts shall be and correspond
10 to those five numbered districts described in Appendix A attached to and made a part of this
11 Act and further identified as 'User: Baker Co. Plan Name: BakerCCSB-2022 Plan Type:
12 Local'.

13 (b)(1) For the purposes of such plan:

14 (A) The term 'VTD' shall mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as
15 provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial
16 census of 2020 for the State of Georgia. The separate numeric designations in a district

17 description which are underneath a VTD heading shall mean and describe individual
18 Blocks within a VTD as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the
19 United States decennial census of 2020 for the State of Georgia; and

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

24 (2) Any part of the Baker County School District which is not included in any district
25 described in subsection (a) of this section shall be included within that district contiguous
26 to such part which contains the least population according to the United States decennial
27 census of 2020 for the State of Georgia.

28 (3) Any part of the Baker County School District which is described in subsection (a) of
29 this section as being included in a particular district shall nevertheless not be included
30 within such district if such part is not contiguous to such district. Such noncontiguous
31 part shall instead be included within that district contiguous to such part which contains
32 the least population according to the United States decennial census of 2020 for the State
33 of Georgia.

34 **SECTION 2.**

35 (a) Those members of the Baker County Board of Education who are serving as such on the
36 effective date of this Act and any person selected to fill a vacancy in any such office shall
37 continue to serve as such members until the regular expiration of their respective terms of
38 office and upon the election and qualification of their respective successors.

39 (b) Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, as they purportedly exist immediately prior to the effective date
40 of this Act, shall continue to be designated as Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, respectively, but as
41 newly described under this Act, and on and after the effective date of this Act, such members

42 of the board serving from those former districts shall be deemed to be serving from and
43 representing their respective districts as newly described under this Act.

44 **SECTION 3.**

45 The provisions of this Act necessary to conduct elections for the members of the Baker
46 County Board of Education in 2022 shall become effective upon the approval of this Act by
47 the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval. The remaining provisions
48 of this Act shall become effective on January 1, 2023.

49 **SECTION 4.**

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

51 APPENDIX A

52 User: Baker Co.

53 Plan Name: BakerCCSB-2022

54 Plan Type: Local

55 District 001

56 County Baker GA

57 VTD ELMODEL

58 Block 960200:

59 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1052 1069 1074 1075

60 VTD MILFORD

61 Block 960200:

62 1008 1009 1010 1011 1012 1013 1014 1015 1016 1017 1018 1019

63 1020 1022 1023 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028 1029 1030 1031 1032

64 1033 1034 1035 1036 1037 1041 1067 1070 1073

65 VTD NEWTON

66 Block 960100:

67 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011

68 1012 1013 1014 1015 1016 1017 1018 1019 1020 1021 1022 1023

69 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028 1029 1030 1031 1032 1033 1034 1035

70 1036 1037 1038 1039 1040 1041 1043 1044 1045 1046 1047 1048

71 1049 1050 1051 1052 1053 1054 1055 1056 1057 1058 1060 1061

72 1062 1063 1064 1065 1066 1067 1068 1069 1070 1071 1072 1073

73 1074 1075 1076 1077 1078 1079 1082 1083 1084 1085 1086 1087

74 1088 1107 1144 1145

75 District 002
 76 County Baker GA
 77 VTD ANNA
 78 VTD ELMODEL
 79 Block 960100:
 80 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2016 2022 2023 2027
 81 2032 2034 2069
 82 Block 960200:
 83 1049 1050 1053 1054 1057 1058 1079
 84 VTD HOGGARDS MILL
 85 Block 960100:
 86 2013 2014
 87 Block 960200:
 88 2035 2036 2037 2038 2039 2051 2066
 89 VTD MILFORD
 90 Block 960200:
 91 1021 1038 1039 1040 1047 1068

 92 District 003
 93 County Baker GA
 94 VTD ELMODEL
 95 Block 960100:
 96 1098 1099 1100 1106 2003 2004 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021
 97 Block 960200:
 98 1051 1072
 99 VTD NEWTON
 100 Block 960100:

101 1042 1059 1089 1090 1091 1092 1093 1094 1095 1096 1097 1101
 102 1102 1103 1104 1105 1110 1111 1112 1113 1114 1115 1146 1147
 103 1148 1150 1151 2002 2030 2031

104 District 004

105 County Baker GA

106 VTD NEWTON

107 Block 960100:

108 1080 1081 1108 1109 1116 1117 1118 1119 1120 1121 1122 1123
 109 1124 1125 1126 1127 1128 1129 1130 1131 1132 1133 1134 1135
 110 1136 1137 1138 1139 1140 1141 1142 1143 1149 2000 2001 2028
 111 2029 2041 2042 2043 2048 2049 2062

112 District 005

113 County Baker GA

114 VTD HOGGARDS MILL

115 Block 960100:

116 2015 2025 2026 2033 2035 2036 2051 2052 2053 2054 2055 2056
 117 2057 2058 2059 2060 2061 2064 2065 2066 2067 2070

118 Block 960200:

119 2040 2042 2043 2044 2045 2046 2047 2048 2049 2050 2052 2053
 120 2054 2055 2056 2057 2058 2059 2060 2061 2062 2063 2064 2065
 121 2067 2068 2069 2070 2071 2072 2073 2074

122 VTD NEWTON

123 Block 960100:

124 2024 2037 2038 2039 2040 2044 2045 2046 2047 2050 2063 2068