

ORDINANCE NO. 32-2012

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALPARAISO, INDIANA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 31-2002 ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER ELEVEN OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF VALPARAISO ENTITLED "COUNCILMANIC DISTRICTS."

WHEREAS, the City of Valparaiso, Indiana, is required to establish five (5) Councilmanic Districts that are composed of contiguous territory, are reasonably compact and contain as nearly as possible equal population; and

WHEREAS, the City of Valparaiso's Councilmanic Districts were last modified in 2002 by the Common Council's adoption of Ordinance 31-2002; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council has reviewed and examined the Federal Census Data from the 2010 Census and determined that the Councilmanic Districts must be modified; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council is desirous of adopting this Ordinance in order to modify Councilmanic Districts and amend Ordinance No. 31-2002 and Chapter Eleven of the Municipal Code of the City of Valparaiso.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORAINED by the Common Council of the City of Valparaiso, Indiana, that Ordinance No. 31-2002 and Chapter Eleven of the Municipal Code of the City of Valparaiso are hereby revised and amended to read as follows:

11. COUNCILMANIC DISTRICTS

- 11.1 The City is hereby divided into five (5) Councilmanic Districts and the boundaries of such districts and wards are declared and defined as such districts are declared as set forth in this chapter and as set on the attached council district map, which is attached hereto, incorporated herein and marked as **Exhibit "A."**
- 11.2 The First Councilmanic District shall consist of Center Township election precincts 1, 3, 16, 17, 31 and Washington Township election precinct 2.
- 11.3 The Second Councilmanic District shall consist of Center Township election precincts 2, 5, 9, 27 and 28.
- 11.4 The Third Councilmanic District shall consist of Center Township election precincts 6, 7, 8, 19, 24, 29 and 33.
- 11.5 The Fourth Councilmanic District shall consist of Center Township election precincts 11, 14, 15, 18, 21, 25 and 26.
- 11.6 The Fifth Councilmanic District shall consist of Center Township election precincts 13, 22, 34, 35 and Washington Township election precinct 3.

11.7 That in the event that additional real estate is annexed into the City of Valparaiso subsequent to the adoption of this Ordinance, such annexations shall be added to Councilmanic Districts based on the precincts below.

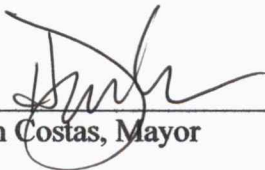
- a) Councilmanic District 1 shall include annexations in Center Township election precincts 16, 17 and 31 and Washington Township election precinct 2.
- b) Councilmanic District 2 is not affected by any future annexations.
- c) Councilmanic District 3 shall include annexations in Center Township election precincts 15 (south of Railroad), 19, 24, 29, and 32.
- d) Councilmanic District 4 shall include annexations in Center Township election precincts 11, 15 (north of Railroad), 18, 20 and 25.
- e) Councilmanic District 5 shall include annexations in Center Township election precincts 34 and 35 and Washington Township election precincts 1 and 3.

Any and all other provisions of Ordinance No. 31-2002 and Chapter Eleven of the Municipal Code of the City of Valparaiso shall remain in full force and effect.

If any portion of this Ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not effect any other portion or provision of this Ordinance.

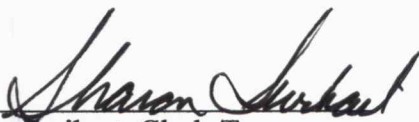
This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and any publication required by law.

PASSED by the Common Council of the City of Valparaiso, Indiana, by a 7-0 vote of all members present and voting this 17th day of December, 2012.

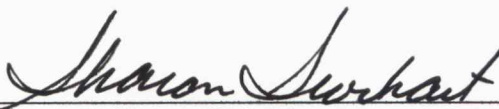


Jon Costas, Mayor

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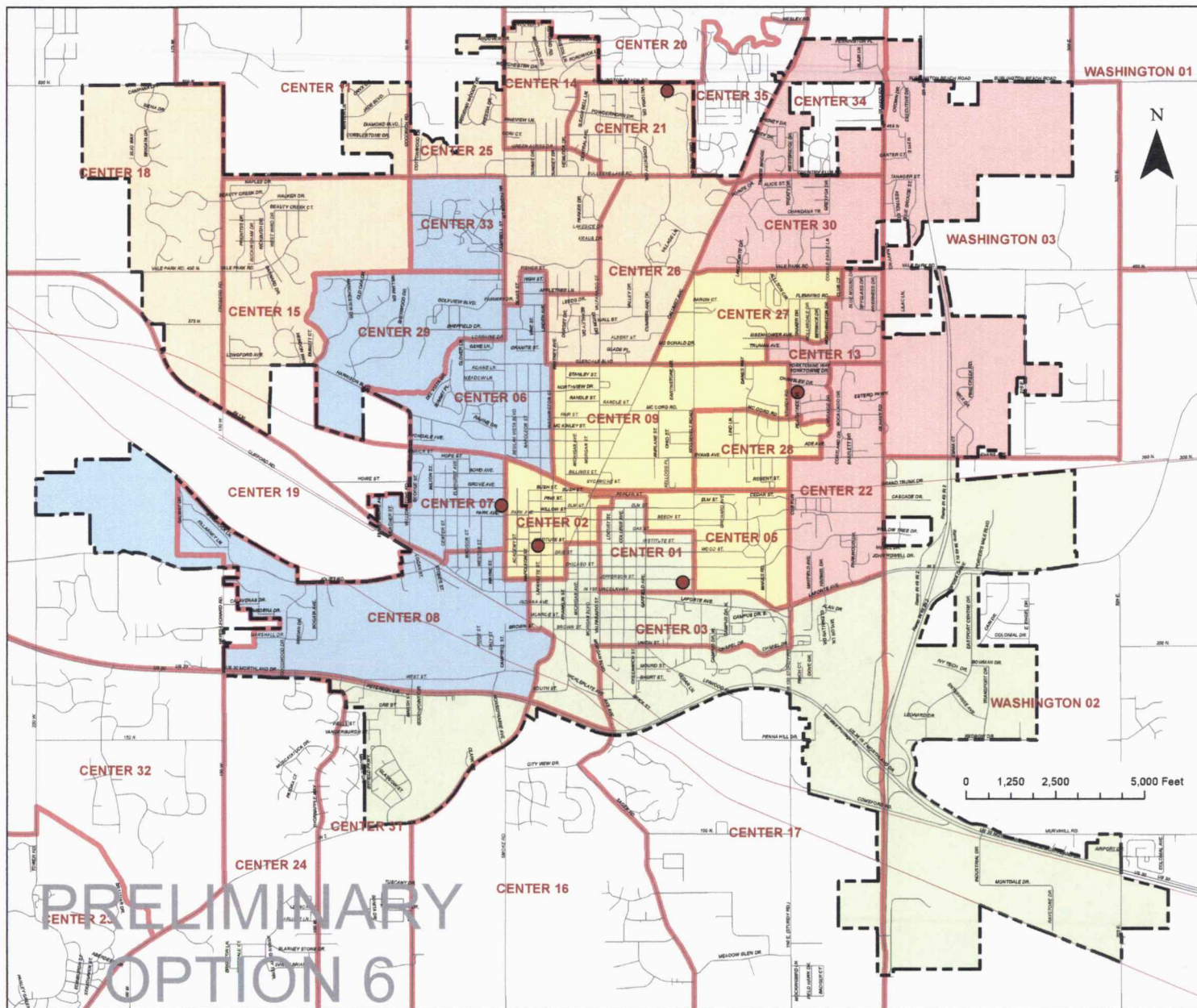

Sharon Swihart, Clerk-Treasurer

Presented to me by the Mayor of the City of Valparaiso, Indiana, this 17th day of December, 2012, at 10:00 o'clock p.m.


Sharon Swihart, Clerk-Treasurer

This Ordinance approved and signed by me this 17th day of December, 2012, at 10:00 o'clock p.m.


Jon Costas, Mayor



VALPARAISO COUNCIL DISTRICTS

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- COUNCIL DISTRICT 1
- COUNCIL DISTRICT 2
- COUNCIL DISTRICT 3
- COUNCIL DISTRICT 4
- COUNCIL DISTRICT 5
- PRECINCT BOUNDARIES
- CITY LIMITS

FUTURE ANNEXATIONS WILL BE ADDED
TO CITY COUNCIL DISTRICTS BASED ON
THE TOWNSHIP PRECINCTS LISTED BELOW

C.D.#1: C-16, C-17, C-31, W-2
C.D.#2: NOT APPLICABLE
C.D.#3: C-15 (S.of R.R.), C-19, C-24, C-29, C-32
C.D.#4: C-11, C-15 (N.of R.R.), C-18, C-20, C-25
C.D.#5: C-34, C-35, W-1, W-3

OFFICIAL PRECINCT BOUNDARIES
MAINTAINED BY PORTER COUNTY.

PRECINCT BOUNDARIES BASED ON PORTER
COUNTY SURVEYOR OFFICE MAPS PREPARED
FOR PORTER COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION
OFFICE. PRECINCT LINES ARE BASED ON 2010
US CENSUS DATA PROVIDED BY THE INDIANA
ELECTION DIVISION AND COUNTY ELECTION
OFFICIALS.

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