

HOUSE BILL No. 4779

June 16, 2011, Introduced by Rep. Lund and referred to the Committee on Redistricting and Elections.

A bill to amend 2001 PA 116, entitled

"An act to divide this state into 110 representative and 38 senatorial districts; and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments and officers,"

by amending the title and sections 3 and 6 (MCL 4.2003 and 4.2006) and by adding sections 1a, 2a, and 5a; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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TITLE

An act to divide this state into 110 representative and 38 senatorial districts; **TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS;** and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments and officers.

SEC. 1A. THIS STATE IS DIVIDED INTO 110 REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS. FOR TERMS OF OFFICE BEGINNING ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2013, THE DISTRICTS ARE CONSTITUTED AND NUMBERED AS FOLLOWS:

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3 SEC. 2A. THIS STATE IS DIVIDED INTO 38 SENATORIAL DISTRICTS.

4 FOR TERMS OF OFFICE BEGINNING ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2015, THE

5 DISTRICTS ARE CONSTITUTED AND NUMBERED AS FOLLOWS:

6 DISTRICT 001

7 DISTRICT 002

8 DISTRICT 003

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17 Sec. 3. (1) The secretary of state shall prepare a map and a
18 legal description of each district constituted under this act. The
19 legal description shall be in terms of political subdivisions, such
20 as counties, cities, and townships; man-made features, such as
21 streets, roads, highways, and railroads; and natural features, such
22 as waterways, which political subdivisions and man-made and natural
23 features form the boundaries of the district. The secretary of
24 state shall convey the map and legal description of each district
25 to the legislature and the governor.

26 (2) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2012, THERE IS
27 APPROPRIATED FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE THE SUM OF \$30,000.00 FOR

1 THE COSTS INCURRED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE IN COMPLYING WITH
2 SUBSECTION (1).

3 SEC. 5A. ALL OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY TO THE REDISTRICTING PLANS
4 IN SECTIONS 1A AND 2A:

5 (A) THE NUMBER OF COUNTY BREAKS IN THE REDISTRICTING PLANS IS
6 DETERMINED BY THE FOLLOWING PRINCIPLES:

7 (i) BREAKING A COUNTY LINE MEANS ASSIGNING PART OF THE
8 POPULATION OF A COUNTY TO 1 OR MORE COUNTIES IN THE FORMATION OF A
9 DISTRICT.

10 (ii) IF POPULATION IS SHIFTED FROM A COUNTY TO A SINGLE
11 ELECTION DISTRICT, INCLUDING A DISTRICT FROM 2 GEOGRAPHICALLY
12 SEPARATE WHOLE CITIES OR WHOLE TOWNSHIPS, THERE IS 1 BREAK. EXCEPT
13 AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (iii), IF POPULATION FROM A COUNTY IS
14 SHIFTED TO 2 OR MORE ELECTION DISTRICTS, THERE ARE 2 OR MORE
15 BREAKS.

16 (iii) IF 1 PART OF A COUNTY IS SHIFTED TO A DISTRICT AND THE
17 REST OF THE COUNTY IS SHIFTED TO ANOTHER DISTRICT, THERE IS 1
18 BREAK.

19 (B) THE NUMBER OF MUNICIPAL BREAKS IN THE REDISTRICTING PLANS
20 IS DETERMINED BY THE FOLLOWING PRINCIPLES:

21 (i) BREAKING A MUNICIPAL LINE MEANS ASSIGNING PART OF THE
22 POPULATION OF A MUNICIPALITY TO 1 OR MORE MUNICIPALITIES OR
23 COUNTIES IN THE FORMATION OF A DISTRICT.

24 (ii) IF POPULATION IS SHIFTED FROM A MUNICIPALITY TO A SINGLE
25 ELECTION DISTRICT, THERE IS 1 BREAK. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN
26 SUBPARAGRAPH (iii), IF POPULATION FROM A MUNICIPALITY IS SHIFTED TO 2
27 OR MORE ELECTION DISTRICTS, THERE ARE 2 OR MORE BREAKS.

1 (iii) IF 1 PART OF A MUNICIPALITY IS SHIFTED TO A DISTRICT AND
2 THE REST OF THE MUNICIPALITY IS SHIFTED TO ANOTHER DISTRICT, THERE
3 IS 1 BREAK.

4 (iv) IF THE BOUNDARY OF A CITY, WHICH IS LOCATED IN MORE THAN 1
5 COUNTY, IS BROKEN IN ORDER TO PRESERVE A COUNTY BOUNDARY, THAT DOES
6 NOT COUNT AS A MUNICIPAL BREAK.

7 (C) THE REDISTRICTING PLANS WERE DESIGNED TO COMPLY FULLY WITH
8 BOTH SECTION 2 OF THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT OF 1965, 42 USC 1973, AND
9 THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE EQUAL PROTECTION CLAUSE OF AMENDMENT XIV OF
10 THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES. HOWEVER, THE PLANS DO NOT
11 SACRIFICE TRADITIONAL NEUTRAL PRINCIPLES, SUCH AS, MOST
12 IMPORTANTLY, THE MICHIGAN CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES OF PRESERVATION
13 OF COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENGAGING IN
14 A GERRYMANDER THAT UNNECESSARILY FAVORS 1 RACIAL GROUP OVER OTHERS.

15 (D) THE PLANS FURTHER THE UNDERLYING PURPOSE OF THE STATE
16 CONSTITUTION OF 1963 BY FACILITATING EFFECTIVE REPRESENTATION IN
17 THE LEGISLATURE WHERE ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES CAN ADVANCE THE
18 SHARED INTERESTS OF UNIFIED MUNICIPALITIES OR COUNTIES. THEY DO SO
19 WITHOUT SACRIFICING VOTING RIGHTS ACT OF 1965 PRINCIPLES, EQUAL
20 ELECTORAL OPPORTUNITIES, OR RACIAL FAIRNESS.

21 (E) THE REDISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
22 CONSISTS OF 110 SINGLE-MEMBER DISTRICTS COMPOSED OF CONVENIENT
23 TERRITORIES CONTIGUOUS BY LAND.

24 (F) THE REDISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE SENATE CONSISTS OF 38
25 SINGLE-MEMBER DISTRICTS COMPOSED OF CONVENIENT TERRITORIES
26 CONTIGUOUS BY LAND.

27 Sec. 6. As used in this act:

1 (a) "Block" means block as that term is used by the United
2 States department of commerce, bureau of the census in conducting
3 the ~~2000~~—2010 decennial census.

4 (b) "Tract" means tract as that term is used by the United
5 States department of commerce, bureau of the census in conducting
6 the ~~2000~~—2010 decennial census.

7 Enacting section 1. Sections 1 and 2 of 2001 PA 116, MCL
8 4.2001 and 4.2002, are repealed.