RESOLUTION 2011-28

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE MONROE COUNTY PRECINCT AND DISTRICT BOUNDARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the Monroe County Commissioners are empowered to established Voting Precincts and Voting Districts in Monroe County, Indiana; and,

WHEREAS, the Monroe County Commissioners must follow the Statutory guidelines, found in IC 3-11-1.5 et al, when establishing voting precincts; and,

WHEREAS, criteria include population criteria based upon the US Census data; and,

WHEREAS, the data from the 2010 Census must be incorporated in the Precinct Boundaries; and,

WHEREAS, the State of Indiana will issued a proposed districting plan for Monroe County precincts that will need review and may need changes; and,

WHEREAS, the County districts will need to be examined with regards to the new Precincts and Census data; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners believe a three member advisory body, with at least one representative from each of the two major political parties, would be very useful in reviewing the State of Indiana plan and recommending changes, if any, to the boundaries for both Precincts and Districts; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners have determined that a Precinct and District committee should be established for review of the State issued plan and for recommending changes, if any, to the boundaries for both Precincts and Districts.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that Monroe County Board of Commissioners hereby establishes the Precinct and District Boundary Advisory Committee

The Precinct and District Boundary Advisory Committee shall have three (3) members with at least one representative from: each of the two major political parties. The Monroe County Board of Commissioners shall appoint all members. Monroe County Precinct and District Boundary Advisory Committee members may be removed from the Committee by the Board of Commissioners at any time for any reason.

The Precinct and District Boundary Advisory Committee shall study the State of Indiana proposal regarding precincts and recommend changes, if any, that will better serve the citizens of Monroe County.

The Precinct and District Boundary Advisory Committee shall review the Monroe County Districts, including the Board of Commissioners and County Council Districts, and recommend any changes that are appropriate due to the new precinct boundaries or otherwise, to the Board of Commissioners.

The Precinct and District Boundary Advisory Committee shall forward its findings and recommendations to the Board of Commissioners and the Monroe County Election Board.

Approved this Lad day of July 2011, by the Board of Commissioners of Monroe County, Indiana.

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