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Title: Repealing and recreating Section 15.02 of the Madison General Ordinances entitled "Wards and Ward Boundaries" to update existing Aldermanic Ward Boundaries.

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CC Agenda Date: 08/02/2011

Agenda Number:

Sponsors: Steve King, Lauren Cnare, Tim Bruer and Satya V. Rhodes-Conway

Effective Date:

Attachments: Current Sec. 15.02, Map, BODY, Registration Forms 7-19-2011.pdf, Proposed Amendments to Ald Dist Plan 14A & Ward Plan 14b by CC Members.pdf, Amendments to Ald Dist Plan 14A & Ward Plan 14b by CC Members 080211.pdf

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History of Legislative File

Ver- sion:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Attorney's Office/Approval Group	06/28/2011	Referred for Introduction				
	Action Text:	This Ordinance was Referred for Introduction					
	Notes:	7/9/11 Common Council meeting for public hearing; 8/2/11 Common Council meeting for adoption					
1	COMMON COUNCIL	07/05/2011	Referred for Public Hearing	COMMON COUNCIL			
	Action Text:	This Ordinance was Referred for Public Hearing to the COMMON COUNCIL.					
	Notes:	Public Hearing 7/19/2011, Adoption 8/2/2011.					
1	COMMON COUNCIL	07/19/2011	Re-refer for Recessed Public Hearing	COMMON COUNCIL			Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Cnare, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Re-refer for Recessed Public Hearing to the COMMON COUNCIL. The motion passed by voice vote/other.					
	Notes:	Re-refer to the Common Council meeting on 8-2-2011.					
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Adopt the Following Amendment(s)				Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Adopt the Following Amendment: Amendment 1: Split ward 05-C would continue to vote at West High School. Woard 05-C1 would vote at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church which is where the area in the new ward currently votes. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011 Adopt the Following Amendment(s) Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Adopt the Following Amendment: Amendment 2: Modify the boundary between Districts 1 and 20 and adjust the wards and polling places. The population in District 1 would be 11,960. The population in District 20 would be 11,457. This amendment would require creation of an additional ward in District 1(01-F) that would contain 999 people and vote at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. The northern part of Ward 01-A would be added on to Ward 20-D and would contain 2,755 people and vote at Huegel Elementary School. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011 Place the Following Amendment on File Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File: Amendment 3: Modify the boundary of District 15. District 15 would extend further north and have a population on 11,957. District 12 would have a different configuration and have a population of 11,397. District 6 would extend further east and have a population of 11,609. Some of the wards would remain the same and several would be reconfigured. In terms of neighborhood association boundaries, this proposal remove new neighborhood association splits (Eken Park, Schenk-Atwood-Startkweather-yahara, Eastmorland... The motion passed by the following vote:

Notes:

Excused: 1 Tim Bruer

Ayes: 13 Bridget R. Maniaci; Michael E. Verveer; Shiva Bidar-Sielaff; Marsha A. Rummel; Steve King; Paul E. Skidmore; Chris Schmidt; Satya V. Rhodes-Conway; Sue Ellingson; Joseph R. Clausius; Anita Weier; Mark Clear and Matthew J. Phair

Noes: 6 Lisa Subeck; Lauren Cnare; Scott J. Resnick; Brian L. Solomon; Larry Palm and Jill Johnson

Non Voting: 1 Paul R. Soglin

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011 Adopt the Following Amendment(s) Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Adopt the Following Amendment: Amendment 4: Modify wards 18-A and 18-E1 (the northern ward) would contain 3,207 people and vote at Black Hawk Middle School. Ward 18-A1 (the southern ward) would contain 1,450 people and vote at the Warner Park Community Recreation Center. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011 Place the Following Amendment on File Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File: Amendment 5: Change the polling place from the West Police District to Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. Under Plan 14b, Ward 01-A and Ward 01-B would vote at the West Police District and ward 20-B would vote at Our Redeemer. This amendment would have ward 01-A vote at Our Redeemer instead. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011 Adopt the Following Amendment(s) Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Cnare, to Adopt the Following Amendment: Amendment 6: Split ward 14E into two wards, using the centerline of the former railroad line and the Beltline, and have the western/northern ard vote at the Arbor Hills-Leopold Community Police Station. The new ward 14-E would contain 1,007 people and continue to vote at Leopold Elementary School. Ward 14-F would contain 2,219 people and would vote at the Arbor Hills-Leopold Community Police Station which is located at 2821 Todd Drive near the intersection of Todd Drive and the Beltline. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice: Amendment 7: Split Ward 20-C using Raymond Road. Ward 20-C1 would have 1,032 people. Ward 20-C2 would have 584 people. Both wards would bstill vote at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. The motion passed by voice vote/other.		
	Notes:			
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice: Amendment 8: Aplit Ward 12-A using Anderson Street and International Lane. Ward 12-A1 would have just 31 people. Ward 12-A2 would have 2,000 people. Both wards would still vote at the MATC Commercial Avenue Eduation Center. The motion passed by voice vote/other.		
	Notes:			
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Adopt the Following Amendment(s)	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Cnare, to Adopt the Following Amendment: Amendment 9: Split Ward 12-C using Vahlen Street. Ward 12-C1 would have 1,467 people and vote at the Packers Townhomes at 1927 Northport Drive. Ward 12-C2 would have 1,134 people an dvote at Sherman Middle School. The motion passed by voice vote/other.		
	Notes:			
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice: Amendment 10: Split Ward 15-F using Fair Oaks Avenue. Ward 15-F1 would have 290 people. War 15-F2 would have 1,427 people. Both wards would vote at the Nation Guard Armory. The motion passed by voice vote/other.		
	Notes:			
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice: Amendment 11: Split Ward 15-A East Dean Avenue and Allis Avenue . Ward 15-A1 would have 725 people. Ward 15-A2 would have 922 people. Both wards would like to vote at LaFollette High School. The motion passed by voice vote/other.		
	Notes:			
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice: Amendment 12: Split Ward 15-F using Vondron Road, Ellen Avenue and Paso Roble Way. Ward 16-D1 would have 810 people. Ward 16-D2 would have 1,247 people. Both wards would vote at Lake City Church. The motion passed by voice vote/other.		
	Notes:			
1	COMMON COUNCIL	08/02/2011	Adopt the Following Amendment(s)	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Schmidt, seconded by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, to Adopt the Following Amendment: Amendment 13: Change the proposed polling place for Ward 10-D from the MGE Innovation Center to the Odana Hills Club House. Currently, the western part of this area votes at MGE and the eastern part votes at Odana Hills. City staff recommended that MGE be used for this proposed ward, because Odana Hills has been cold in the winter months, overnight storage of equipment has not been available and it has not been a good environment. City of Madison Parks Division staff feels that these issue can be resolved. The motion passed by voice vote/other.		
	Notes:			

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011 Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Rhodes-Conway, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Place the Following Amendment on File Without Prejudice: Amendment 14: Modify Wards 16-A and 16-C by using Buckeye Road as the dividing line between the two wards rather than US Highway 12 & 18. Ward 16-A (the northern ward) would contain 1,460 people and would still vote at Lake City Church. Ward 16-C (the southern ward) would contain 2,205 people and would still vote at Glendale Elementary School. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011 Adopt the Following Amendment(s) Pass

Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Maniaci, seconded by Ald. Bidar-Sielaff, to Adopt the Following Amendment: Amendment 15: Change the proposed polling place for Ward 02-D from the Madison College Carroll Street to Lowell Hall. Currently, part of this area votes at Lowell Hall and part of this area votes at Madison College Carroll Street. This proposed amendment would result in two wards voting at Lowell Hall (as is the case now). Madison College Carroll Street would no longer be a polling place. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes:

1 COMMON COUNCIL 08/02/2011

Text of Legislative File 23040

Fiscal Note

This reorganization of boundaries will result in an estimated eight additional polling places. For each of these polling places, \$1,000 will be needed for the purchase of a used vote tabulator, \$2,000 for a used Automark machine, and \$664 for tabulator and Automark maintenance agreements. Total equipment related costs are therefore estimated at \$3,664 per location, or \$29,312 for the entire City.

In additional, voters must be notified of polling location changes. Notification costs per voter are estimated at \$0.40. As one-quarter to one-third of the City's 172,000 registered voters will likely require notification, these costs should be expected to range from \$17,200 to \$22,933.

Total costs can therefore be expected to range from \$46,512 to \$52,245. Funding is not currently available within the Clerk's Office budget, and will be sought as a supplemental appropriation later in the year.

Title

Repealing and recreating Section 15.02 of the Madison General Ordinances entitled "Wards and Ward Boundaries" to update existing Aldermanic Ward Boundaries.

Body

DRAFTER'S ANALYSIS: This ordinance establishes new wards and polling places, effective January 1, 2012. New Sec. 15.03, MGO, combines these wards into aldermanic districts. The ordinance is recommended by the City's Ad Hoc Reapportionment and Redistricting Committee.

The Common Council of the City of Madison do hereby ordain as follows:

Section 15.02 entitled "Wards and Ward Boundaries" of the Madison General Ordinances is hereby repealed and recreated to read as follows:

15.02 WARDS AND WARD BOUNDARIES.

For the purpose of local elections beginning January 1, 2012, wards and ward boundaries are established as follows and as shown on a map entitled "City of Madison Aldermanic Districts and Wards, June 29, 2011" on file in the Office of the City Clerk, and a polling place is designated as follows for each of the wards:"

(Please see BODY in Attachments for complete text.)

EDITOR'S NOTE:

Current Section 15.02 entitled "Wards and Ward Boundaries" reads as follows:
(Please see CURRENT SEC. 15.02 in Attachments for complete text.)