

Senate Bill 387

By: Senator Robertson of the 29th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act to reconstitute the Meriwether County Board of Education, approved
2 March 28, 1985 (Ga. L. 1985, p. 4611), as amended, so as to change the description of the
3 education districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for continuation in
4 office of current members; to provide for related matters; to provide effective dates; to repeal
5 conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 An Act to reconstitute the Meriwether County Board of Education, approved March 28, 1985
9 (Ga. L. 1985, p. 4611), as amended, is amended by revising Section 4 as follows:

10 "SECTION 4.

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

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

17 (A) The term 'VTD' shall mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as
18 provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial
19 census of 2020 for the State of Georgia. The separate numeric designations in a district
20 description which are underneath a VTD heading shall mean and describe individual
21 Blocks within a VTD as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the
22 United States decennial census of 2020 for the State of Georgia; and

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

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

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

37 **SECTION 2.**

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

42 (b) Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, as they exist immediately prior to the effective date of this Act,
43 shall continue to be designated as Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, respectively, but as newly
44 described under this Act, and on and after the effective date of this Act, such members of the
45 board serving from those former districts shall be deemed to be serving from and
46 representing their respective districts as newly described under this Act.

47 **SECTION 3.**

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

52 **SECTION 4.**

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

54 APPENDIX A
55 User: Meriwether
56 Plan Name: MeriwetherCCSB-2022
57 Plan Type: Local

58 District 001
59 County Meriwether GA
60 VTD 8TH-GREENVILLE
61 Block 970801:
62 1000 1018 1019 1022 1025 1032 1033 1034 1035 1036 1039 1041
63 1042 1043 2002 2003 2004 2005
64 VTD LONE OAK
65 Block 970701:
66 1015 1016 1017 1019 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2008
67 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020
68 2021 2022 2023 2027 2028 2031 2032
69 VTD LUTHERSVILLE
70 Block 970701:
71 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1014
72 1018 1047
73 Block 970702:
74 1000 1001 1002 1003 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1013 1014
75 1019 2004 2005 2006 2007 2016 2017 2042 2047 2054 2055
76 VTD MIDDLE 9TH-GAY
77 VTD UPPER 9TH -ALVATON

78 District 002

79 County Meriwether GA
80 VTD 7TH-ODESSADALE
81 Block 970701:
82 2053 2054 2055 2056
83 Block 970802:
84 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1022 1023 1024 1026 1029
85 1031 1032
86 VTD 8TH-GREENVILLE
87 Block 970801:
88 1004 1005 1006 1008 1009 1010 1011 1012 1013 1014 1015 1026
89 1048 1049 1050 1051 1052 1053 1054 1055 1056 1057 1065 1069
90 Block 970802:
91 1008 1009 1010 1011 1012 1013 1014 1015 1016 1017 1019 1025
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93 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032
94 2033 2034 2035 2036 2037 2038 2041 2053 2054 2055
95 VTD LONE OAK
96 Block 970701:
97 1026 1027 1028 1032 1033 1037 1039 1046 2007 2024 2025 2026
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100 VTD LUTHERSVILLE
101 Block 970701:
102 1011 1012 1013 1020 1021 1022 1023 1024 1025 1029 1030 1031
103 1034 1035 1036 1038 1040 1041 1042 1043 1044 1045
104 Block 970702:
105 1011 1012 1025

106 District 003
 107 County Meriwether GA
 108 VTD 8TH-GREENVILLE
 109 Block 970801:
 110 1002 1003 1007 1016 1017 1023 1024 1037 1038 1040 1044 1045
 111 1046 1047 1058 1059 1060 1061 1062 1063 1064 1066 1067 1068
 112 2006 2007 2008 2009 2016 2017
 113 Block 970802:
 114 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2012
 115 2013 2042 2043 2044 2045 2047 2048 2049 2050 2051 2052
 116 VTD COVE
 117 VTD LOWER 9TH-WOODBURY
 118 VTD LUTHERSVILLE
 119 Block 970702:
 120 1004 1015 1016 1017 1018 1020 1021 1022 1023 1024 1026 1027
 121 1028 1029 1030 1031 1032 1033 1034 1035 1036 2015 2018 2019
 122 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2030 2031 2032
 123 2033 2034 2035 2036 2037 2038 2039 2041 2071 2072 2073 2074
 124 2082
 125 Block 970801:
 126 1001
 127 VTD RALEIGH
 128 Block 970501:
 129 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2013 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023
 130 2024 2025 2037 2041 2042 2043 2044 2045 2046 2073

 131 District 004

132 County Meriwether GA
133 VTD CHALYBEATE
134 VTD GILL I
135 Block 970501:
136 1035 1036 1037 1038 1039 1049 3020 3023 3027 3028 3029
137 Block 970502:
138 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011
139 1012 1013 1014 1015 1016 1017 1018 1019 1020 1021 1022 1023
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148 VTD GILL II
149 Block 970501:
150 1032 1033 1040 2018 2047 2055 2056 2057 2066 2067 3000 3001
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152 3014 3015 3016 3017 3018 3019 3021 3022 3024 3025 3026
153 Block 970502:
154 3002 3003 3004 3005 3006 3007 3008 3009 3010 3011 3012 3013
155 3014 3015 3016 3017 3021 3024 3029 3031 3042 3050

156 District 005
157 County Meriwether GA

158 VTD 2ND-WARM SPRING
159 VTD 7TH-ODESSADALE
160 Block 970600:
161 3006 3007 3009 3010
162 Block 970802:
163 1027 1028 1030 1035 1036 1037 1038 1039 1040 1041 1042 1043
164 1044 1055 1056 1057 1058 1059 1060
165 VTD 8TH-GREENVILLE
166 Block 970600:
167 3003 3004
168 Block 970802:
169 1007 1018 1020 1021 1033 1034 1045 1046 1047 1048 1049 1050
170 1051 1052 1053 1054 2039 2040 2046
171 VTD GILL I
172 Block 970501:
173 2061 2062 2076
174 VTD GILL II
175 Block 970501:
176 2048 2052 2053 2054 2063 2064 2065 2069 2070 2071 2075
177 VTD RALEIGH
178 Block 970501:
179 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032 2033 2034 2035 2036 2038
180 2039 2040 2049 2068
181 Block 970600:
182 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007
183 Block 970801:
184 2034

185 VTD THIRD-DURAND