

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. 21-1066

**RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE CHANGING  
OF CERTAIN POLLING PLACES  
FROM CURRENT LOCATIONS TO NEW LOCATIONS  
AS IDENTIFIED IN RESOLUTION No. 20-1027**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to La. R.S. 29:721, et seq. and La. R.S. 29:761, the Governor declared a public health emergency on March 11, 2020 by proclamation in response to the threat posed by COVID-19; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 17, 2020, the Louisiana Secretary of State issued the Emergency Election Plan for the November 3, 2020 and December 5, 2020 elections in the State of Louisiana; and

**WHEREAS**, the threat posed by COVID-19 continues to exist; and

**WHEREAS**, the need for the public health proclamations of the State of Louisiana and the Emergency Election Plan of the Louisiana Secretary of State in providing for the social distancing and other safety guidelines of the Emergency Election Plan for the safety of polling commissioners and voters continues to exist for elections to be held in 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, La. R.S. 18:534 authorizes a Parish governing authority to change polling places; and the Washington Parish Clerk of Court has requested changes of polling places for the health and safety of polling commissioners and voters; and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution No. 20-1027 dated September 28, 2020, the polling places stated therein were changed to new locations which were also stated therein for the elections held on November 3, 2020 and December 5, 2020.

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the polling places stated in Resolution No. 20-1027 will continue to be at the new locations also stated in Resolution No. 20-1027 and further stated herein below for all elections to be held through December 31, 2021.

<i><b>Ward/Precinct</b></i>	<i><b>OLD LOCATION</b></i>	<i><b>NEW LOCATION</b></i>
Ward 3, Precinct 2	Courthouse Annex	Franklinton Jr. High
Ward 3, Precinct 3A	104 Bene St.	617 Main St.
Ward 3, Precinct 3B	Franklinton, LA 70438	Franklinton, LA 70438
Ward 4, Precinct 4	Superior Ave. School 625 Superior Ave. Bogalusa, LA 70427	Bogalusa Girls Gym 100 M J Israel Drive Bogalusa, LA 70427
Ward 4, Precinct 5	Senior Citizens Center	Bogalusa High School Boys' Gym
Ward 4, Precinct 5B	603 Willis Ave.	100 M J Israel Drive
Ward 4, Precinct 6	Bogalusa, LA 70427	Bogalusa, LA 70427

<i>Ward/Precinct</i>	<i>OLD LOCATION</i>	<i>NEW LOCATION</i>
Ward 4, Precinct 10 Ward 4, Precinct 10A Ward 4, Precinct 11	Rio Fire Station 12022 Hwy. 1075 Bogalusa, LA 70427	Palestine Baptist Church Hall 59369 Palestine Church Road Bogalusa, LA 70427
Ward 6, Precinct 4	Plainview Voting Bldg. 55241 Hwy. 60 Bogalusa, LA 70427	Plainview Baptist Church Hall 55179 Hwy. 60 Bogalusa, LA 70427
Ward 8, Precinct 2	District 3 Fire Station 28128 Winfred Bateman Rd. Franklinton, LA 70438	New Jerusalem Baptist Church Hall 44030 Max Brumfield Rd. Franklinton, LA 70438

The above and foregoing having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereupon resulted as follows:

YEAS: (6) Fornea, McMasters, King, Rice, Wagner and Harry

NAYS: (0)

ABSENT: (1) Culpepper

ABSTAIN: (0)

The resolution was declared adopted on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021

WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

By: Reginald McMasters  
Reginald McMasters, Chairman

WASHINGTON PARISH GOVERNMENT

By: Richard N. Thomas, Jr.  
Richard N. Thomas, Jr., President

#### CERTIFICATION

**I, SARAH COOK, CLERK TO THE WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL,** do hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of the Ordinance adopted by the Washington Parish Council, in regular session convened on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021, at which meeting a quorum was present.

**GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE,** this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021, Franklinton, Louisiana.

Sarah Cook  
Clerk  
Washington Parish Council