HOUSE BILL No. 1032

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 3-3; IC 3-11-1.5.

Synopsis: Redistricting. Allows the general assembly to amend congressional districts at a time other than the first regular session of the general assembly convening immediately following the United States decennial census. Specifies requirements that apply to any action challenging the apportionment of congressional districts or general assembly districts. Establishes new Indiana congressional districts. Provides for expiration of the current congressional districts on the date of the 2026 general election. Specifies that for purposes of the 2026 primary and general election, a precinct may cross the boundary of a congressional district. Requires the election division to assist each county voter registration office with the implementation of this act. Makes technical and necessary changes in related statutes.

Effective: Upon passage.

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December 1, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Elections and Apportionment.



Second Regular Session of the 124th General Assembly (2026)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2025 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

HOUSE BILL No. 1032

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 3-3-2-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
[EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 1. (a) Except as provided in
subsection (b), congressional districts shall be established by law at
the first regular session of the general assembly convening immediately
following the United States decennial census.

(b) The general assembly may amend the congressional districts established under subsection (a) at a time other than the first regular session of the general assembly convening immediately following the United States decennial census.

SECTION 2. IC 3-3-2-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.133-2021, SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 2. (a) This subsection applies only to the first regular session of the one hundred twenty-second general assembly. If the general assembly adjourns sine die before November 15, 2021, without having complied with the requirements of section 1 of this chapter, a redistricting commission is established. The redistricting commission consists of the speaker of the house, the president pro tem



of the senate, the chairpersons of the senate and house committees responsible for legislative apportionment, and a fifth member appointed by the governor from the membership of the general assembly.

- (b) (a) This subsection applies to a session of the general assembly beginning after November 15, 2021. If a session of the general assembly adjourns without having complied with the requirements of section 1 1(a) of this chapter or if for any other reason at any time the state finds itself without a valid congressional district law, a redistricting commission shall be established which shall consist of the speaker of the house, the president pro tem of the senate, the chairman of the senate and house committees responsible for legislative apportionment and a fifth member who shall be appointed by the governor from the membership of the general assembly.
- (c) (b) The redistricting commission shall meet within thirty (30) days after adjournment of the general assembly at a time and place designated by the president pro tem of the senate and shall adopt a congressional redistricting plan in accordance with this chapter.
- (d) (c) Any plan so adopted shall be signed by a majority of the redistricting committee and submitted to the governor who forthwith shall issue and publish the governor's executive order establishing congressional districts in accordance with the plan so adopted and directing the commission to place such congressional districts in effect for the primary and general elections next succeeding such general assembly. Congressional districts so established shall continue in effect until changed by statute.

SECTION 3. IC 3-3-2-3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 3. (a) This section applies to any action challenging the apportionment of congressional districts or general assembly districts.

- (b) The general assembly makes the following findings with respect to actions to which this section applies:
 - (1) The state has a compelling interest in preserving the integrity of its elections and ensuring elections are fair, orderly, and free from chaos and confusion.
 - (2) Actions challenging the apportionment of congressional or general assembly districts can have statewide impacts on the electoral process and disrupt the orderly conduct of elections.
 - (3) Judicial alterations to election laws can interfere with the orderly administration of an election, cause unanticipated consequences, and undermine voter confidence in the electoral



1	process.
2	(4) A prompt, orderly determination of apportionment issues
3	by a court of last resort is critical for preserving election
4	integrity, protecting voter confidence, and preventing chaotic
5	disruption of the electoral process.
6	(c) The following apply in any action to which this section
7	applies:
8	(1) A temporary restraining order may not be sought or
9	issued.
10	(2) The supreme court has mandatory and exclusive
11	jurisdiction over any appeal from an order granting,
12	extending, modifying, or refusing to dissolve an injunction.
13	However, this subdivision does not apply to an appeal from an
14	order refusing to grant or dissolving an injunction.
15	(3) The supreme court has mandatory and exclusive
16	jurisdiction over any appeal from a final judgment or any
17	other appealable order holding the apportionment
18	unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, either in whole or in
19	part.
20	(4) If an appeal is taken from an order, injunction, or
21	judgment concerning the apportionment of congressional
22	districts or general assembly districts, the order, injunction,
23	or judgment is automatically stayed by operation of law
24	pending disposition of the appeal by the supreme court. Any
25	party may seek relief from the stay in the supreme court, and
26	relief from the stay may be sought only in the supreme court.
27	(5) Any action or appeal of an action to which this section
28	applies must be given priority over ordinary matters.
29	SECTION 4. IC 3-3-4-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.221-2021,
30	SECTION 19, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
31	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "district" refers to
32	a district described in:
33	(1) IC 3-3-5, before November 8, 2022; and
34	(2) (1) IC 3-3-6, after November 7, 2022. before November 3,
35	2026 ; and
36	(2) IC 3-3-7, after November 2, 2026.
37	SECTION 5. IC 3-3-4-5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.221-2021,
38	SECTION 21, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
39	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 5. (a) Any part of Indiana that has not been
40	described as included in a district is included within the district that:
41	(1) is contiguous to the part; and



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(2) contains the least population of districts contiguous to that

1	part according to the 2020 decennial census of Indiana.
2	(b) If any part of Indiana is described as being in more than one (1)
3	district, the part is included within the district that:
4	(1) is one (1) of the districts in which the part is listed in:
5	(A) IC 3-3-5, before November 8, 2022; and
6	(B) (A) IC 3-3-6, after November 7, 2022; before November
7	3, 2026; and
8	(B) IC 3-3-7, after November 2, 2026;
9	whichever is applicable;
10	(2) is contiguous to the part; and
11	(3) contains the least population according to the 2020 decennial
12	census of Indiana.
13	(c) If any part of Indiana:
14	(1) is described in:
15	(A) IC 3-3-5, before November 8, 2022; and
16	(B) (A) IC 3-3-6, after November 7, 2022; before November
17	3, 2026; and
18	(B) IC 3-3-7, after November 2, 2026;
19	as being in one (1) district; and
20	(2) is entirely surrounded by another district;
21	the part shall be incorporated into the district that surrounds the part.
22	(d) If any part of Indiana:
23	(1) is described as being in one (1) district; and
24	(2) is not contiguous to another part of the district that contains
25	the majority of the population in the district;
26	the part is included with the contiguous district that contains the least
27	population according to the 2020 decennial census of Indiana.
28	SECTION 6. IC 3-3-6-10 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
29	AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
30	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 10. This chapter expires November 3, 2026.
31	SECTION 7. IC 3-3-7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS
32	A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON
33	PASSAGE]:
34	Chapter 7. Congressional Districts; 2026 Plan
35	Sec. 1. The First Congressional District consists of the following:
36	COUNTIES:
37	Cass County, Fulton County, Lake County, Marshall County,
38	Miami County, Pulaski County, Starke County, Wabash
39	County
40	LaPorte County TOWNSHIPS:
41	Cass Township, Dewey Township, Hanna Township, Prairie
42	Township



1	Porter County TOWNSHIPS:
2	Boone Township, Morgan Township, Pleasant Township,
3	Porter Township, Union Township
4	Porter County PRECINCTS:
5	CENTER 18, CENTER 23, CENTER 24, CENTER 31,
6	CENTER 32
7	Porter County CENSUS BLOCKS:
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30	Sec. 2. The Second Congressional District consists of the
31	following:
32	COUNTIES:
33	Kosciusko County, Noble County, St. Joseph County, Whitley
34	County
35	Elkhart County TOWNSHIPS:
36	Baugo Township, Benton Township, Cleveland Township,
37	Harrison Township, Jackson Township, Locke Township,
38	Olive Township, Osolo Township, Union Township
39	Elkhart County PRECINCTS:
40	WASHINGTON 02
41	Elkhart County CENSUS BLOCKS:
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27	LaPorte County TOWNSHIPS:
28	Center Township, Clinton Township, Coolspring Township,
29	Galena Township, Hudson Township, Johnson Township,
30	Kankakee Township, Lincoln Township, Michigan Township,
31	New Durham Township, Noble Township, Pleasant Township,
32	Scipio Township, Springfield Township, Union Township,
33	Washington Township, Wills Township
34	Porter County TOWNSHIPS:
35	Jackson Township, Liberty Township, Pine Township,
36	Portage Township, Washington Township, Westchester
37	Township
38	Porter County PRECINCTS:
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          COUNTIES:
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            LaGrange County, Steuben County
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          Delaware County TOWNSHIPS:
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          Sec. 4. The Fourth Congressional District consists of the
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            Benton County, Boone County, Clay County, Fountain
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            County, Hendricks County, Jasper County, Montgomery
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            County, Newton County, Owen County, Parke County,
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            Putnam County, Vermillion County, Warren County, White
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            County
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          Greene County TOWNSHIPS:
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            Jefferson Township, Smith Township, Stafford Township,
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            Stockton Township, Washington Township, Wright Township
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Marion County CENSUS BLOCKS:



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33	Sheffield Township, Shelby Township, Union Township,
34	Wayne Township, Wea Township
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22	COUNTIES:
23	Blackford County, Carroll County, Clinton County, Gran
24	County, Hamilton County, Howard County, Huntington
25	County, Tipton County, Wells County
26	Tippecanoe County TOWNSHIPS:
27	Fairfield Township, Perry Township, Tippecanoe Township
28	Washington Township
29	Tippecanoe County PRECINCTS:
30	WABASH 06, WABASH 14, WABASH 17, WABASH 21
31	WABASH 22, WABASH 23, WABASH 24, WABASH 25
32	WABASH 26, WABASH 27
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             Bartholomew County, Decatur County, Fayette County,
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             Jennings County, Johnson County, Rush County, Shelby
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             County
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           Marion County TOWNSHIPS:
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             Franklin Township, Perry Township, Warren Township
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24	following:
25	COUNTIES:
26	Dearborn County, Franklin County, Hancock County, Henry
27	County, Jefferson County, Madison County, Ohio County
28	Randolph County, Ripley County, Switzerland County, Union
29	County, Wayne County
30	Delaware County TOWNSHIPS:
31	Hamilton Township, Harrison Township, Monroe Township
32	Perry Township, Salem Township, Union Township
33	Washington Township
34	Delaware County PRECINCTS:
35	PRECINCT 05, PRECINCT 29, PRECINCT 44, PRECINCT
36	53, PRECINCT 54, PRECINCT 55, PRECINCT 71
37	PRECINCT 74, PRECINCT 81, PRECINCT 87, PRECINCT
38	88, PRECINCT 95, PRECINCT 98
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6	COUNTIES:
7	Daviess County, Dubois County, Gibson County, Knox
8	County, Martin County, Monroe County, Perry County, Pike
9	County, Posey County, Spencer County, Sullivan County,
0	Vanderburgh County, Vigo County, Warrick County
1	Greene County TOWNSHIPS:
2	Beech Creek Township, Cass Township, Center Township,
3	Jackson Township, Taylor Township
4	Greene County PRECINCTS:
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2	Sec. 9. The Ninth Congressional District consists of the
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5	Brown County, Clark County, Crawford County, Floyd
6	County, Harrison County, Jackson County, Lawrence
7	County, Morgan County, Orange County, Scott County,
8	Washington County
9	Marion County TOWNSHIPS:
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1	(1) in accordance with the exemption granted by the commission,
2	and
3	(2) that comply with all other requirements established by this
4	chapter.
5	(e) The proposed precinct establishment order described in
6	subsection (d) must include a description in metes and bounds of the
7	boundaries authorized by the exemption granted under this section.
8	SECTION 10. IC 3-11-1.5-35, AS AMENDED BY P.L.2-2005,
9	SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
10	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 35. (a) This section applies to a county that
11	has a precinct that crosses a boundary in violation of section $\frac{4(4)}{}$,
12	$4(a)(4), \frac{4(5)}{3}, 4(a)(5), \text{ or } \frac{4(6)}{3}, 4(a)(6) \text{ of this chapter.}$
13	(b) Notwithstanding section 25 of this chapter, if the county does
14	not issue a precinct establishment order that establishes precincts in
15	compliance with section $\frac{4(4)}{4(a)}$, $\frac{4(a)}{4(a)}$, $\frac{4(5)}{4(a)}$, $\frac{4(a)}{5(a)}$, and $\frac{4(6)}{5(a)}$
16	of this chapter by the January 31 following the last effective date
17	described in section 25(2) of this chapter, the commission may issue an
18	order establishing precincts as provided under subsection (c).
19	(c) An order issued by the commission under this section must
20	comply with section $\frac{4(4)}{4(a)}$, $\frac{4(a)}{4(a)}$, $\frac{4(5)}{4(a)}$, and $\frac{4(6)}{4(a)}$, $\frac{4(6)}{6(a)}$ of this
21	chapter.
22	(d) The co-directors shall send a copy of the commission's order to
23	the office.
24	SECTION 11. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) The definitions
25	in IC 3-5-2.1 apply throughout this SECTION.
26	(b) The election division shall assist each county voter
27	registration office with the implementation of this act.
28	(c) This SECTION expires July 1, 2027.
29	SECTION 12. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) The districts
30	described by IC 3-3-7, as added by this act, apply to an election to
31	the office of United States Representative beginning with the
32	primary and general elections in 2026 for members of the 120th
33	Congress. This act does not affect the membership or the
34	congressional districts of the 119th Congress.
35	(b) This SECTION expires July 1, 2027.
36	SECTION 13. An emergency is declared for this act.

