

PETITION FOR REDISTRICTING THE DISTRICTS FOR ELECTION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Come now E. E. Eikenbary et al and present their petition to redistrict the districts for the election of Commissioners of Wabash County, State of Indiana, which petition is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners:-

Gentlemen:-

The undersigned tax payers and citizens of Wabash County, Indiana, hereby desire to inform you that Wabash County has not been districted for purpose of establishing Commissioner's Districts, for more than fifty years.

That Northern District as at present comprised of Chester, Paw Paw, and Pleasant Townships, cast at the last election a total of 3785 votes, and has at present a Taxable valuation of 20,489,525.00, or 32% of the total vote of the County, and 37% of the taxable wealth of the County.

That the middle District composed of LaGro and Noble townships cast at the last election a total of 6686 votes and has a taxable valuation of \$27,892,010.00; or 45% of the total vote of the County and 49% of the taxable wealth of the County.

That the Southern District composed of Liberty and Waltz Townships cast at the last election 1494 votes and has a taxable valuation of \$7,932,120.00, or 12% of the total vote of the county and 14% of the taxable wealth of the County.

This inequality should be corrected to the extent that correction is possible, and therefore we ask that you at this time re-district the County, leaving the Northern District as now composed, but making Noble Township alone a district known as the Middle District and add LaGro township to the Southern District, thereby reducing the vote of the Middle District and its taxable valuation and increasing that of the Southern District, and thus more nearly equalizing the three Districts and thus give the citizens of each District more nearly equal representation on the Board of Commissioners than they now have.

Respectfully submitted,

E. E. Eikenbary
Chas. E. Bradley
G. H. LaBelle
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And the Board being fully advised now grants such petition and by unanimous vote changes the districts from which the commissioners of Wabash County shall be elected as follows:

Northern District:-Pleasant, Paw Paw, and Chester Townships.

Middle District:- Noble Township

Southern District:-Liberty, LaGro, and Waltz Townships.

It is therefore ordered that such districts shall be and are hereby changed as herein-
that the said districts be fixed as herein ordered from this date.

Commissioner Districts

VOTING PRECINCTS OF WABASH COUNTY, INDIANA

