

### **County Election Planning Report**

# County Name Election Person Completing this Form Name Title Phone

### For in-person voting on Election Day, the County Board of Elections will (check one):

- \_\_\_\_\_ Consolidate precincts and precinct election officers (Requires Form SBE 74);
- \_\_\_\_\_ Utilize the same consolidation plan that was used in a previous election (Requires previous Form SBE 74); or
- \_\_\_\_\_ Open all existing precincts.

### Excused in-person absentee voting will occur (check one):

- \_\_\_\_\_ Within the County Clerk's office; or
- In another location within the county (Requires Form SBE 74).

### No-excuse in-person absentee voting will occur (check one):

- \_\_\_\_\_ Within the County Clerk's office; or
- \_\_\_\_\_ In another location within the county (Requires Form SBE 74).

### Absentee ballot drop-boxes will be located (minimum of one location required):

### I have attached:

- \_\_\_\_\_ All required Form SBE 74 sheets
- \_\_\_\_\_ Relevant Maps
- \_\_\_\_\_ Supplemental Narrative

### Carolyn Willis

Signature

Carolyn Willis Whitley County Clerk PO Box 8 Williamsburg, KY 40769 Phone: 606-549-6002 Email: <u>carolyn.willis@ky.gov</u>

### Narrative Plan

We plan on having 8 Voting Center's placed throughout the county that will be available to all voters with reasonable mileage. We have worked with the Sheriff and sheriff's deputy making sure that driving distances were anywhere from 8 to 10 miles so no one is driving a long distance.

Registered voters in the Pine Mountain Precinct will be the only individuals who will need to travel further than 8 to 10 miles. However, this precinct has voted at Whitley East Elementary School for numerous years and are accustomed to driving the further distance to vote. Whitley East Elementary is one of the 8 voting centers.

Corbin City Hall voting center is the same location as the three-day Early Voting. Early Voting will also be held at the Whitley County Courthouse.

The 6-Day Walk-In Absentee Excused will be held at the Whitley County Courthouse.

Being able to have Voting Centers is going to make voting more accessible to all voters. Those that leave for work before the polls open in the morning will now be able to go to their local Voting Center and vote instead of having to take off half a day of work to go vote.

This plan also allows our county to have fewer precinct workers, which does not only save money for our county, but relieves the burden of not being able to find enough workers. Since the Pandemic, we are finding it very hard to keep workers, people will sign up to be a precinct worker but never show up for training. We also experience the precinct worker showing up for training and not on Election Day. People do not want to work 12 to 14 hours anymore.

2022 Primary and General Elections went very smoothly. Whitley County Voters were very pleased with being able to <u>Early Vote</u> and having 8 different polling locations to cast their vote on Election Day. Many wonderful comments from our voters with the new ways to vote, less confusion, more options and saving our county money.

### **Drop Box Locations:**

### Location of 6-Day Excused In-Person Voting:

Whitley County Courthouse 200 Main St Williamsburg, Ky 40769 Whitley County Courthouse 8:00 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

<u>3-Day Early Voting</u> Times: 8:00 A.M – 8:00 P.M. – Thursday and Friday 8:00 A.M – 4:00 P.M. - Saturday Locations: Corbin City Hall Whitley County Courthouse



**Petition to Consolidate Precincts and Precinct Election Officers** 

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Dates of Voting		
General Ele	ction Early Voting	
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Carolyn Willis and Nancy Willis		
County Clerk and Deputy Clerk		
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Whitley County Courthouse		
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Williamsburg, Ky 40769		
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Person C	Completing this I	Form	
Name	Carolyn Willis and Nancy Willis		
Title	County Clerk and Deputy Clerk		
	oting Location Ilip Poplar High, 123 I	Main Street, County High School	
Name	Corbin City Hall		
Address	805 S Main St		
Туре	Corbin, Ky 40701		
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Person (	Completing this	Form	
Name	Carolyn Willis and Nancy Willis		
Title	County Clerk and Deputy Clerk		
	oting Location ulip Poplar High, 123 I	Main Street, County High School	
Name	Whitley North Elementary School		
Address	460 Letha Petrey Rd		
Туре	Williamsburg Ky 40769		
Number	of Parking Spaces	Sufficient Parking Spaces?	
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Title	County Clerk and Deputy Clerk		
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Name	Williamsburg City School		
Address	1000 Main St		
Туре	Williamsburg Ky 40769		
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Name	Whitley East Elementary School	
Address	13781 Hwy 92 E	
Туре	Williamsburg, Ky 40769	
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Name	Oak Grove Elementary School		
Address	4505 Cumberland Falls Hwy		
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