



# Commonwealth of Kentucky

## County Election Planning Report

<b>County Name</b>	
MEADE	
<b>Election</b>	
2026 PRIMARY ELECTION	
<b>Person Completing this Form</b>	
Name	SUSAN MASTERSON
Title	MEADE COUNTY CLERK
Phone	270-422-2152

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):

IN THE LOBBY OF OUR COURTHOUSE ACROSS THE HALL FROM THE CLERK'S OFFICE.

WE CAN SEE THE DROP-BOX AT ALL TIMES.

I have attached:

- ☒ All required Form SBE 74 sheets
- ☒ Relevant Maps
- ☒ Supplemental Narrative

 1/12/26  
Signature Date

**Muldraugh City Hall**

**206 Wendell St., Muldraugh, 40155**

- This location will remain a precinct location for the Precinct of A101 (Muldraugh) only.

**Ekron Elementary School**

**2500 Haysville Rd., Ekron, 40117**

- This location will remain a consolidated voting location for the Precincts of E101 (Ekron), E102 (Buck Grove), F105 (Guston) only.

**Payneville Elementary School**

**520 Rhodelia Rd., Payneville 40157**

- This location will remain a consolidated voting location for the Precincts of F101 (Wolf-Creek Concordia), F102 (Battletown) and F103 (Payneville).

**Flaherty Elementary School**

**2615 Flaherty Rd., Ekron 40117**

- This location will be a County-wide Voting Center. All precincts may vote at this location.

**Stuart Pepper Middle School**

**1085 Old Ekron Rd., Brandenburg 40108**

- This location will be a County-wide Voting Center. All precincts may vote at this location.

**Meade County Public Library**

**996 Old Ekron Rd., Brandenburg, KY 40108**

- This location will be used for the 3 day No Excuse Early Voting. All eligible voters can vote at this location during early voting.



516 Hillcrest Drive  
P.O. Box 614  
Brandenburg, KY 40108

**Susan Masterson**  
**Meade County Clerk**

Office (270) 422-2152  
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January 12, 2026

To the Honorable members of the State Board of Elections:

Attached is the 2026 Election plan for Meade County for your approval.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Thank you,

Susan Masterson  
Meade County Clerk

Virginia Delano  
Republican Member

Tom Siewert  
Democratic Member

Pam Knott  
Replacement for Sheriff



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## Petition to Consolidate Precincts and Precinct Election Officers

<b>County Name</b>	
MEADE	
<b>Election</b>	<b>Dates of Voting</b>
2026 PRIMARY EARLY VOTING	
<b>Person Completing this Form</b>	
Name	SUSAN MASTERSON
Title	MEADE COUNTY CLERK
<b>About Voting Location</b>	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	MEADE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
Address	996 OLD EKRON RD BRANDENBURG, KY 40108
Type	LIBRARY
Number of Parking Spaces	Sufficient Parking Spaces?
105	YES
<b>Voting Equipment to be Used</b>	
Number	Type of equipment
3	E-POLL BOOKS
3/3	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL PRECINCTS	22,121

<b>Narrative Plan</b> <i>(please attach additional sheets if needed)</i>
<b>1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election  ONE COUNTY-WIDE VOTING CENTER FOR ALL VOTERS DURING EARLY VOTING
<b>2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials  3 CLERKS - 3 JUDGES - 1 SHERIFF
<b>3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"</b>  RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
<b>4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?</b>  THIS VOTING LOCATION IS LOCATED IN A CENTRALIZED AREA OF THE COUNTY AND OFFERS A LARGE ANNEX FOR OUR VOTING AREA AS WELL AS ADEQUATE PARKING. A PUBLIC FACILITY TO BE OFFERED TO THE COMMUNITY IN ADDITION TO THEIR EVERY DAY SERVICES.



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Name	SUSAN MASTERSON
Title	MEADE COUNTY CLERK
<b>About Voting Location</b>	
Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School	
Name	STUART PEPPER MIDDLE SCHOOL
Address	1085 OLD EKRON RD BRANDENBURG, KY 40108
Type	SCHOOL
Number of Parking Spaces	Sufficient Parking Spaces?
40	YES
<b>Voting Equipment to be Used</b>	
Number	Type of equipment
6	E-POLL BOOKS
5/5	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL PRECINCTS	22,121

<b>Narrative Plan</b> (please attach additional sheets if needed)
<b>1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election
This will be one of our county-wide vote centers. Due to our primary vote center not being available due to construction, we will make this the primary vote center as it is centrally located in our county seat and has the adequate space and accommodations to provide for a larger vote
<b>2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials
6 - CLERKS 5 - JUDGES 2 - SHERIFFS
<b>3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"</b>
RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
<b>4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?</b>
The location and space allows for a larger vote center and will accommodate large crowds. It is centrally located in an area that voters are familiar with and travel this area often.



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Name	SUSAN MASTERSON
Title	MEADE COUNTY CLERK
<b>About Voting Location</b>	
Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School	
Name	FLAHERTY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
Address	2615 FLAHERTY RD EKRON, KY 40117
Type	SCHOOL
Number of Parking Spaces	Sufficient Parking Spaces?
96	YES
<b>Voting Equipment to be Used</b>	
Number	Type of equipment
4	E-POLL BOOKS
3/3	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL PRECINCTS	22,121

<b>Narrative Plan</b> (please attach additional sheets if needed)
<b>1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election  MAKING THIS A COUNTY-WIDE VOTING CENTER MAKES THIS LOCATION AVAILABLE AND BENEFICIAL FOR ALL REGISTERED VOTERS. MANY VOTERS TRAVEL THROUGH THIS AREA TO PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT IN THE NEXT COUNTY.
<b>2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials  3 CLERKS - 2 JUDGES - 1 SHERIFF
<b>3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"</b>  RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
<b>4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?</b>  THIS VOTING LOCATION IS LOCATED NEAR THE MEADE/HARDIN COUNTY LINE WHERE MANY TRAVEL FOR EMPLOYMENT AND MEDICAL NEEDS. THIS PROVIDES A GREAT OPPORTUNITY AND CONVENIENCE FOR VOTERS TO ABLE TO VOTE ALONG THEIR COMMUTE.



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Title	MEADE COUNTY CLERK
<b>About Voting Location</b>	
Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School	
Name	EKRON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
Address	2500 HAYSVILLE RD EKRON, KY 40117
Type	SCHOOL
Number of Parking Spaces	Sufficient Parking Spaces?
34	YES
<b>Voting Equipment to be Used</b>	
Number	Type of equipment
2	E-POLL BOOKS
2/2	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
E101	1176
E102	1237
F105	914

<b>Narrative Plan</b> (please attach additional sheets if needed)
<b>1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election  SMALLER LOCATION WITH CONSOLIDATED PRECINTS TO ALLOW FOR LESS CONFUSION IN THE LINES AND FEWER POLL WORKERS AND EQUIPMENT TO BE USED
<b>2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials  2 CLERKS - 2 JUDGES - 1 SHERIFF
<b>3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"</b>  RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
<b>4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?</b>  SMALLER LOCATION WITH CONSOLIDATED PRECINTS TO ALLOW FOR LESS CONFUSION ABOUT LINE PLACEMENT AND DIRECTIONS.



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Name	SUSAN MASTERSON
Title	MEADE COUNTY CLERK
<b>About Voting Location</b>	
Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School	
Name	PAYNEVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
Address	520 RHODELIA RD PAYNEVILLE, KY 40157
Type	SCHOOL
Number of Parking Spaces	Sufficient Parking Spaces?
91	YES
<b>Voting Equipment to be Used</b>	
Number	Type of equipment
2	E-POLL BOOKS
2/2	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
F101	823
F102	581
F103	977

<b>Narrative Plan</b> (please attach additional sheets if needed)
<b>1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election  VOTERS IN THESE PRECINCTS WILL BE GOING TO THEIR REGULAR POLLING LOCATION. THIS WILL ALLOW FOR FEWER POLL WORKERS AND LESS EQUIPMENT.
<b>2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials  2 CLERKS - 2 JUDGES - 1 SHERIFF
<b>3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"</b>  RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
<b>4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?</b>  THESE PRECINCTS ALWAYS VOTE AT THIS BUILDING AND ARE SMALL COMMUNITIES. THIS BUILDING PROVIDES A CENTRAL LOCATION FOR ALL. BY CONSOLIDATING THERE WILL BE LESS AND A BETTER FLOW OF TRAFFIC.



# Meade County Precinct Boundaries (2023)



INDIANA

Jefferson  
County

Bullitt  
County

Hardin  
County

Breckinridge  
County

MULDRAUGH

BRANDENBURG

EKRON

## Legend

- Proposed Precinct
- Magisterial District
- City
- County
- Road



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