



Commonwealth of Kentucky County Election Planning Report

County Name	
MEADE	
Election	
2026 PRIMARY ELECTION	
Person Completing this Form	
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.



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Brandenburg, KY 40108

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Meade County Clerk

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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

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Name	SUSAN MASTERSON
Title	MEADE COUNTY CLERK
About Voting Location	
<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
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
3	E-POLL BOOKS
3/3	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Narrative Plan <i>(please attach additional sheets if needed)</i>
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?
<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
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials
3 CLERKS - 3 JUDGES - 1 SHERIFF
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"
RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?
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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About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	STUART PEPPER MIDDLE SCHOOL
Address	1085 OLD EKRON RD BRANDENBURG, KY 40108
Type	SCHOOL
Number of Parking Spaces	Sufficient Parking Spaces?
40	YES
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
6	E-POLL BOOKS
5/5	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Narrative Plan (please attach additional sheets if needed)
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?
<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
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials
6 - CLERKS 5 - JUDGES 2 - SHERIFFS
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"
RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?
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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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
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
4	E-POLL BOOKS
3/3	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Narrative Plan (please attach additional sheets if needed)

1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?

▣ 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.

2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?

■ This location will be fully staffed with election officials

3 CLERKS - 2 JUDGES - 1 SHERIFF

3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"

RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA

4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?

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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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
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	E-POLL BOOKS
2/2	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

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



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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
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	E-POLL BOOKS
2/2	VERITY SCAN/BALLOT PRINTERS
1	VERITY TOUCH WRITER

Narrative Plan (please attach additional sheets if needed)
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?
<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.
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials
2 CLERKS - 2 JUDGES - 1 SHERIFF
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"
RADIO, LOCAL NEWSPAPER, SOCIAL MEDIA
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?
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

Hardin County

Breckinridge County



Legend

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