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I think Union County residents will love the flexibility of being able to vote at any of these 8 county-wide voting centers on Election Day.

Especially for the voting locations within the city limits of Morganfield and Sturgis, the number of precincts we currently have are not necessary. They could be consolidated into fewer, larger locations. Also, another reason for consolidation, as the 2020 US Census results will dictate, Union County's overall population is declining.

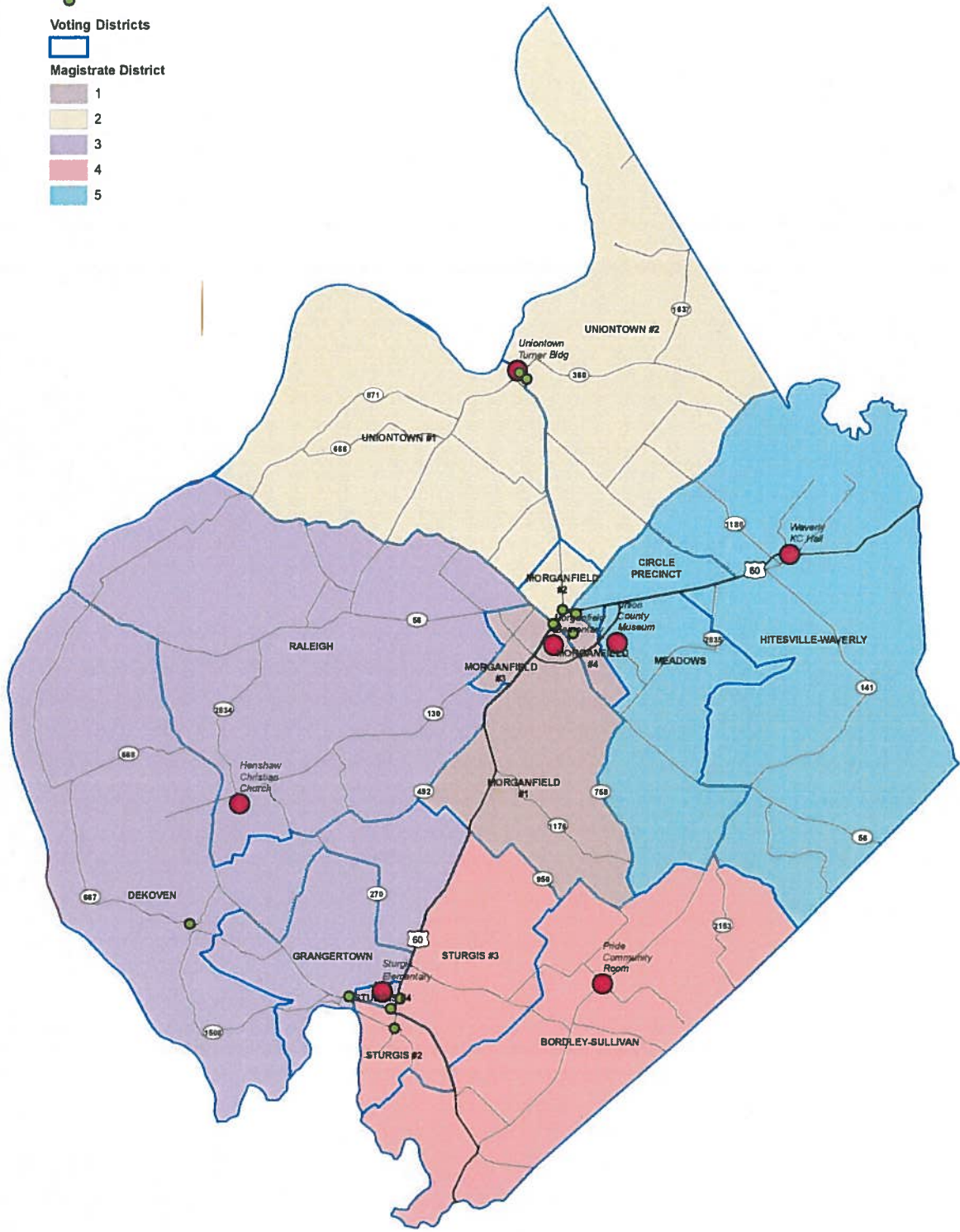
Also, it appears as if COVID is here to stay. Each one of my proposed consolidated facilities are large, spacious buildings. (That cannot be said for all of our current precinct locations). It will be much easier to spread out equipment, and easier to distance people.

Of course, a big bonus of consolidation will be the overall long-term savings to the county. Not as many poll-workers will be needed and, when purchasing election equipment in the future, not as many machines (overall) will need to be purchased.

In Union County, we currently have 5 magisterial districts. There is at least one county-wide voting center in each magisterial district and there are 2 within close proximity to our largest city (Morganfield), and 2 in our most rural, spread-out (largest geographical area) precinct.

Union County Voting Districts Map 2

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Petition to Consolidate Precincts and Precinct Election Officers

County Name	
Union County	
Election	
May 17, 2022 (Primary) Early in-Person Absentee	
Person Completing this Form	
Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Union County Museum
Address	1116 Vilage Square Road
Type	Museum
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
3	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL	10,650 as of 10/13/2021

Narrative Plan <i>(please attach additional sheets if needed)</i>	
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable? <input type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election BIGGER AREA TO SOCIAL DISTANCE, IF NECESSARY; MORE PARKING; MORE SPACE INSIDE OF BUILDING TO ADEQUATELY SET-UP AND SPACE EQUIPMENT	
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned? <input type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign peopel to work at polling locations close to their residence.)	
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?" Newspaper, social media, radio and a post card sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options +	
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community? This location is a place that everyone in the county is familiar with and it's also located just on the outskirts of our most populated city; not even 2 miles from the Union County Courthouse. It is easily accessible by the by-pass and has a large parking lot as well as a ramp for disabled voters. If COVID becomes an issue again, it will be easy to spread voters out and social distance. (This location is where we offered 3-week early voting the last general election in 2020.) If the museum cannot be used, we will use the Morganfield Senior Citizens Center +	



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Person Completing this Form	
Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Union County Museum
Address	1116 Vilage Square Road Morganfield, KY
Type	Museum
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
3	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL	10,650 as of 10/13/2021

Narrative Plan <i>(please attach additional sheets if needed)</i>	
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable? <input type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election <p>BIGGER AREA TO SOCIAL DISTANCE, IF NECESSARY; MORE PARKING; MORE SPACE INSIDE OF BUILDING TO ADEQUATELY SET-UP AND SPACE EQUIPMENT; ALSO CONSOLIDATION OF PRECINCTS WILL ALLOW THE COUNTY TO SAVE \$ WHEN THEY PURCHASE NEW VOTING EQUIPMENT, AND WILL ALSO ALLOW THEM TO SAVE \$ ON POLL-WORKERS.</p>	
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned? <input type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials <p>Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)</p>	
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?" <p>Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options.</p>	
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community? <p>This location is a place that everyone in the county is familiar with and it's also located just on the outskirts of our most populated city; not even 2 miles from the Union County Courthouse. It is easily accessible by the by-pass and has a large parking lot as well as a ramp for disabled voters. If COVID becomes an issue again, it will be easy to spread voters out and social distance. (This location is normally a precinct for F103 residents in magisterial district #5. If the museum cannot be used, we will use the Morganfield Senior Citizens Center.) Many Morganfield residents</p>	



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Person Completing this Form	
Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Henshaw Christian Church
Address	237 Chapel Hill Rd Morganfield, KY 42437
Type	Church
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL	10,650 as of 10/13/2021

Narrative Plan (please attach additional sheets if needed)
<p>1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election</p> <p>I would assume that most voters whose home precinct location is C104 will vote here. The current C104 facility is small. The parking there is limited. Connectivity is not good at the C104 location as well. The Henshaw Christian Church provides more space to social distance, set up equipment and park. The Henshaw Christian Church is 4.2 miles from the current C104 location. Also, consolidating will reduce the overall number of poll-workers, and save +</p>
<p>2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials</p> <p>Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)</p>
<p>3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"</p> <p>Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options +</p>
<p>4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?</p> <p>The church, which is handicap accessible, has a gym that will allow adequate space for distanced machine set-up and social distancing among voters. The church also provides space for ample parking. Residents who live in this rural area know where the church is located. It is currently a voting location, for C101 residents. This location (Henshaw christian Church) will serve as another location for voters in magesterial district #3. If unavailable on Election Day, either the Georgetown Baptist Church or Sturgis First Baptist Church would serve as adequate +</p>



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Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Morganfield Elementary School
Address	511 South Mart Street Morganfield, KY 424
Type	School
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL	10,650 as of 10/13/2021

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

This elementary school gym will provide a large, spacious area to set up equipment and safely distance voters if necessary. Currently, in the city of Morganfield there are voting locations at the: courthouse, fire department, senior citizens center and both state and county road garages. I feel that the school gym and museum can more than adequately accommodate all of these voters. Also, the school provides ample parking. And, with consolidation, the

2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?
 This location will be fully staffed with election officials

Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)

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

Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options

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

In Morganfield, everyone knows where the school gym is located. It is located within the city, barely a mile from the courthouse. This location would serve as my magisterial district #1 location. It is a location Morganfield residents are familiar with and would be conducive to accommodate large crowds. It is also located within a close proximity to each city of Morganfield polling location that I mentioned in my response to question #1 above. If unavailable on Election Day, we would use Grace Fellowship Church or Morganfield Christian Church



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Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Sturgis Elementary School
Address	1109 N Grant Street Sturgis, KY 42459
Type	School
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

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Precinct name	Number of registered voters
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Narrative Plan <i>(please attach additional sheets if needed)</i>	
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable?	
<input type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election	
<p>This elementary school gym will provide a large, spacious area to set up equipment and safely distance voters if necessary. Currently, in the city of Sturgis there are voting locations at the: Senior Citizens Center, City Hall and Housing Projects Community Room I feel that the school gym can more than adequately accomodate all of these voters. Also, the school provides ample parking. It's located in the heart of the city of Sturgis and esily accessible. +</p>	
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials	
<p>Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)</p>	
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?"	
<p>Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options. +</p>	
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community?	
<p>In Sturgis, everyone knows where the school gym is located. It is located within 2 miles of each aforementioned city of Sturgis precinct. This location would serve as my SECOND magesterial district #3 location. Magesterial district #3 is my most rural, and largest precinct, geographically speaking. If unavailable on Election Day, we would use the Sturgis First Baptist Church gym. This location is perfect geographically, and a great facility because of the parking and space that the gym provides. This location is also within two miles of a former precinct location: C103. +</p>	



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Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	John Arnold Arena
Address	125 Pryor Blvd. US Hwy 60 Sturgis, KY 40
Type	Event Arena
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

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Precinct name	Number of registered voters
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Narrative Plan <i>(please attach additional sheets if needed)</i>	
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable? <input type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election <p>This arena (located in magisterial district #4) will provide a large, spacious area to set up equipment and safely distance voters if necessary. It also has a gigantic parking lot. (The biggest of all my proposed voting locations). It's a location that all residents in Union County are familiar with. Also, consolidating will allow the county to save money on poll-worker expense, and also save money on future election equipment purchases. +</p>	
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials <p>Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)</p>	
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?" <p>Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options. +</p>	
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community? <p>In Sturgis, everyone knows where the John Arnold Arena is located. It is located 6.5 miles from the farthest consolidated precinct location in magisterial district #4 (E103, Pride Community Room). This location would serve as my only magisterial district #4 voting location. If unavailable on Election Day, we would use the Pride Community Room.</p>	



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Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Pride Community Room
Address	14135 Ky 141 Morganfield, KY 42437
Type	Community Building
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL	10,650 as of 10/13/2021

Narrative Plan <i>(please attach additional sheets if needed)</i>	
1.) Why is this consolidation of these precincts desirable? <input type="checkbox"/> This is the same plan used in the last election This community room (located in magisterial district #4) will provide a large enough area to set up equipment and safely distance voters if necessary. It also has adequate parking lot. It's a location that all Pride community residents are familiar with. Also, consolidating will allow the county to save money on poll-worker expense, and also save money on future election equipment purchases. +	
2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This location will be fully staffed with election officials Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)	
3.) How will the voting location be publicized to voters? How will the location be noted as a "Vote Center?" Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options. +	
4.) How will the voting location serve as a focal point to meet the needs of a diverse community? In the Pride Community, everyone knows where the Pride Community Room is located. It is normally a voting location. We decided to go with the Pride Community Room instead of John Arnold Arena, because John Arnold would cause Pride residents to drive more than 10 miles to get to their nearest voting location. This location would serve as my only magisterial district #4 voting location. If unavailable on Election Day, we would use the John Arnold Arena. +	



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Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Uniontown Turner Building
Address	532 2nd St Uniontown, KY 42461
Type	Community Room
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

Precincts in Voting Location	
Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL	10,650 as of 10/13/2021

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

This community room (located in magisterial district #2) will provide a large, centralized spacious area to set up equipment and safely distance voters if necessary. The parking is not great, but adequate. It's a location that all Uniontown residents are familiar with. It's a relatively new building; very clean and nice. This will consolidate B101 and B101 and will save the county some money on poll-workers and for future election equipment purchases. +

2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?
 This location will be fully staffed with election officials

Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)

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

Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options. +

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

In Uniontown, everyone knows where the Turner Building is located. It's within a mile of the existing B101 and B102 precinct locations. It is handicap accessible. This location would serve as my only magisterial district #2 voting location. If unavailable on Election Day, we would use the Uniontown KC Hall.



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Name	Garrick Thompson
Title	Union County Clerk
Phone	615-308-9784
About Voting Location	
<i>Example: Tulip Poplar High, 123 Main Street, County High School</i>	
Name	Waverly KC Hall
Address	114 N Maple St Waverly, KY 42462
Type	Community Room
Voting Equipment to be Used	
Number	Type of equipment
2	scanners
1	handicap accessible machine
2	e-poll books

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Precinct name	Number of registered voters
ALL	10,650 as of 10/13/2021

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

This community room (located in magisterial district #5) will provide a large, centralized spacious area to set up equipment and safely distance voters if necessary. The parking is not great, but adequate. It's a location that all Waverly residents are familiar with. It has a great location; right off of US Hwy 60. This County-wide voting center will allow the county to save some money on poll-workers and save money on future election equipment purchases.

2.) In what manner will Precinct Officers be assigned?
 This location will be fully staffed with election officials

Precinct officers will be assigned based upon experience and geographic location (meaning; we'll try to assign people to work at polling locations close to their residence.)

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

Newspaper, social media, radio and a post-card will be sent to each registered Union County voter detailing their voting options.

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

In Waverly, everyone knows where the KC Hall bldg is located. It is handicap accessible. This location would serve as my SECOND magisterial district # 5 county-wide voting center. If unavailable on Election Day, we would use the Waverly Fire Department