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TO AMEND ACT 293 OF 2012, AS AMENDEd, RELATING TO THE ELECTION DISTRICTS FOR THE ABBEVILLE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, SO AS TO REVISE THE REAPPORTIONED ELECTION DISTRICTS FROM WHICH THE MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE ABBEVILLE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT MUST BE ELECTED BEGINNING WITH THE 2024 SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTIONS, AND TO PROVIDE DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION REGARDING THOSE REVISED ELECTION DISTRICTS.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. SECTION 1 of Act 293 of 2012, as last amended by Act 247 of 2022, is amended to read:

SECTION 1. (A) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, beginning with school trustee elections in 20222024, successors to the members of the governing body of the Abbeville County School District must be elected in the manner provided by law from one of the applicable single member election districts of the nine defined single member election districts as shown on Abbeville County School District map S-01-00-22 S-01-00-23 as maintained by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office.

(B) The demographic information shown on this map is as follows:

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 30 | District | Pop. | Dev. | %Dev. | Hisp. | %Hisp. |
| 31 | 1 | 2,5802,478 | -12114 | -0.46%4.40% | 3331 | 1.28%1.25% |
| 32 | 2 | 2,488 | -104 | -4.01% | 55 | 2.21% |
| 33 | 3 | 2,524 | -68 | -2.62% | 35 | 1.39% |
| 34 | 4 | 2,5192,621 | -7329 | -2.82%1.12% | 5153 | 2.02% |
| 35 | 5 | 2,468 | -124 | -4.78% | 25 | 1.01% |
| 36 | 6 | 2,703 | 111 | 4.28% | 34 | 1.26% |
| 37 | 7 | 2,709 | 117 | 4.51% | 83 | 3.06% |
| 38 | 8 | 2,652 | 60 | 2.31% | 63 | 2.38% |
| 39 | 9 | 2,681 | 89 | 3.43 | 31 | 1.16% |
| 40 | Totals | 23,324 |  |  | 410 | 1.76% |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | District | NH White | %NH White | NH Blk. | %NH Blk. | VAP | %VAP |
| 2 | 1 | 1,1451,097 | 44.38%44.27% | 1,3371,285 | 51.82%51.86% | 2,0391,960 | 79.03%79.10% |
| 3 | 2 | 1,145 | 44.38% | 1,337 | 51.82% | 2,039 | 79.03% |
| 4 | 3 | 966 | 38.27% | 1,467 | 58.12% | 1,940 | 76.86% |
| 5 | 4 | 1,8571,905 | 73.72%72.68% | 532584 | 21.12%22.28% | 2,0552,134 | 81.58%81.42% |
| 6 | 5 | 1,731 | 70.14% | 669 | 27.11% | 2,002 | 81.12% |
| 7 | 6 | 2,304 | 85.24% | 296 | 10.95% | 2,158 | 79.84% |
| 8 | 7 | 2,211 | 81.62% | 341 | 12.59% | 2,186 | 80.69% |
| 9 | 8 | 2,225 | 83.90% | 267 | 10.07% | 2,107 | 79.45% |
| 10 | 9 | 2,292 | 85.49% | 252 | 9.40% | 2,155 | 80.38% |
| 11 | Totals | 16,018 | 68.68% | 6,244 | 26.77% | 18,559 | 79.57% |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 13 | District | HVAP | %HVAP | WVAP | %WVAP | BVAP | %BVAP |
| 14  15 | 1 | 22 | 1.12% | 868 | 44.29% | 1,018 | 51.94% |
| 16 | 2 | 34 | 1.77% | 997 | 52.01% | 838 | 43.71% |
| 17 | 3 | 22 | 1.13% | 776 | 39.95% | 1,097 | 56.55% |
| 18  19 | 4 | 38 | 1.78% | 1,594 | 74.70% | 441 | 20.67% |
| 20 | 5 | 18 | 0.90% | 1,410 | 70.43% | 538 | 26.87% |
| 21 | 6 | 25 | 1.16% | 1,859 | 86.14% | 213 | 9.87% |
| 22 | 7 | 53 | 2.42% | 1,777 | 81.29% | 298 | 13.63% |
| 23 | 8 | 41 | 1.95% | 1,794 | 85.14% | 205 | 9.73% |
| 24 | 9 | 23 | 1.07% | 1,830 | 84.92% | 217 | 10.07% |
| 25 | Totals | 276 | 1.49% | 12,904 | 69.53% | 4,865 | 26.21% |

(C) The exterior boundaries of the Abbeville County School District are not altered by the provisions of this act. These school district lines are as defined by law and any census blocks which may be divided are done so only for statistical purposes and to establish a population base.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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