

POLICY TITLE: School District

Trustee Zones

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The five (5) trustee zones for Wendell School District shall be as follows:

Trustee Zone No. 1

Beginning at the northern district boundary and State Hwy. 46
East then south then east then south then west then south on the district boundary to I-84.
West on I-84 to 2200 East
North on 2200 East and 2200 East extended north to the W Canal.
West on the W Canal to Gooding St.
South on Gooding St. to 2950 South
West on 2950 South becoming Main St. to Idaho St.
North on Idaho St. becoming State Hwy. 46 to the beginning

Trustee Zone No. 2

Beginning on the northern boundary as it intersects I-84
Westerly on the district boundary to State Hwy. 46
South on State Hwy. 46 becoming Idaho St. to Main St.
West on Main St. becoming 2950 South to 2900 South as it departs to the North
Northwesterly then west on 2900 South to 1600 East
North on 1600 East to 2800 South
West on 2800 South to 1500 East
South on 1500 East to 2900 South
West on 2900 South to the district boundary
North then west then north then east on the district boundary to the beginning.

Trustee Zone No. 3

Beginning on the west district boundary and 2900 South
East on 2900 South to 1500 East
North on 1500 East to 2800 South
East on 2800 South to 1600 East
South on 1600 East to 2900 South
East then southeast on 2900 South where it intersects 2950 South
East on 2950 South becoming Main St. to Idaho St.
South on Idaho St. becoming 1950 East to 3100 South
West on 3100 South to 1600 East
South on 1600 East to the district boundary
West then northerly on the western district boundary to the beginning.

Zone 4:

Beginning at the intersection of Main St. and Idaho St. in the city of Wendell
East on Main St. to Gooding St.
North on Gooding St. to the W. Canal
Easterly on the W. Canal to 2200 East extended north
South on 2000 East extended and 2200 East to I-84
Northwesterly on I-84 to Idaho St.
North on Idaho St. to the beginning

Zone 5:

Beginning at the intersection of I-84 and 1950 East
East on I-84 to the eastern district boundary
South and west on the district boundary to 1600 East
North on 1600 East to 3100 South
East on 3100 South to 1950 East
North on 1950 East to the beginning

REDEFINING TRUSTEE ZONES

The boundaries of the trustee zones in this district are to be defined and drawn so that, as reasonably as may be, each such zone shall have approximately the same population. Trustee zones in this district will be determined to have approximately the same population when the populations of each trustee zone do not vary by more than ten percent (10%).

A proposal to redefine and change trustee zones of this district may be initiated by the board of trustees or by petition signed by not less than fifty (50) school electors residing in the district. If initiated by the board of trustees, such proposal will be initiated at the first meeting following the report of the decennial census. A petition to redefine and change trustee zones may be submitted to the board of trustees at any time. Within one hundred twenty (120) days following the report of the decennial census or the receipt of a petition to redefine and change the trustee zones, the board will prepare a proposal for a change which will equalize the population in each trustee zone and submit the proposal to the State Board of Education. The proposal will include a legal description of each trustee zone as the same would appear pursuant to the proposal, a map of the district showing how each trustee zone would appear, and the approximate population each trustee zone would have, should the proposal become effective. Any proposal to redefine the boundaries of the several trustee zones shall include the determination, where appropriate, the number of trustee zones in each district, and the date of expiration of the term of office for each trustee.

The superintendent or designee will be authorized to review the decennial census, or any proposal to change trustee zone boundaries, and determine whether there has been a shift in population which causes the current trustee zones to not contain approximately the same

populations. If it is determined that the population has changed so that the trustee zones are not of approximately the same population, the board will appoint a committee, composed of

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interested parties, to review the matter. The committee will propose to the board modifications to the trustee zone boundaries which are intended to equalize the population in the various trustee zones.

The State Board of Education will approve or disapprove of the proposal within sixty (60) days and give notice of its decision to the board of trustees in writing. If approved, the trustee zones will change pursuant to the proposal and the district must file a copy of the legal description of each redefined trustee zone and a map of the district showing how each trustee zone will appear with the county clerk. If disapproved, the board must submit a revised proposal to the State Board of Education within forty-five (45) days. Trustee zones may be redefined and changed not more than once every five (5) years.

IMPLEMENTATION OF PROPOSAL TO REDEFINE TRUSTEE ZONES

At the next regular meeting of the board following the approval of the proposal, the board will appoint from its membership a trustee for each new trustee zone to serve as trustee until that incumbent trustee's term expires. If the current board membership includes two (2) incumbent trustees from the same new trustee zone, the board will select the incumbent trustee with the most seniority as the trustee to serve the remainder of his or her term. If both incumbent trustees have equal seniority, the board will choose one (1) of the trustees by the drawing of lots. If there is a trustee vacancy in any trustee zone, the board will appoint an individual residing in the trustee zone to serve as trustee until the next annual meeting. At the next trustee election, a trustee shall be elected to serve during the term specified in the election for the zone. The elected trustee shall assume office at the annual meeting of the board of trustees next following the election.



LEGAL REFERENCE:

Idaho Code Sections

33-313 – Trustee Zones

33-501 – Board of Trustees

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