

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF NEW KENT
VIRGINIA

O-04-09

At the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of New Kent in the Boardroom of the Administration Building in New Kent, Virginia, on the 9th day of March, 2009:

Present:	Vote:
Stran L. Trout	Aye
Thomas W. Evelyn	Aye
David M. Sparks	Aye
James H. Burrell	Aye
W. R. Davis, Jr.	Aye

Motion was made by Mr. Evelyn, which carried 5:0, to adopt the following ordinance:

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING, RESTATING, AND READOPTING
CHAPTER 26, ARTICLE III OF THE NEW KENT COUNTY CODE
TO CREATE A CENTRAL ABSENTEE VOTING DISTRICT AND VOTING
PRECINCT IN ALL ELECTIONS**

WHEREAS, The Code of Virginia, § 24.2-712, provides authority for a central absentee voting precinct; and

WHEREAS, the State Board of Elections has amended their recommended guidelines to promote the use of a Central Absentee Precinct in all elections; and

WHEREAS, the New Kent County Electoral Board concurs in the State Board of Elections recommendation; and

WHEREAS, it appears to the Board of Supervisors that the use of a Central Absentee Precinct in all elections is both fair and efficient;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED this, the 9th day of March 2009, by the New Kent County Board of Supervisors that Chapter 26, Article III of the New Kent County Code be amended, restated, and readopted to reflect the changes set forth below:

In ARTICLE III. PRECINCTS; POLLING PLACES, add and renumber the following:

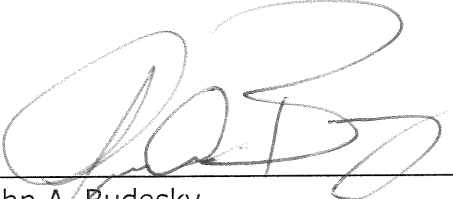
Sec. 26-73. Central Absentee Voting Precinct.

Within the central absentee voting district, the polling place for the central absentee voting precinct shall be the Old Courtroom in the Old New Kent County Courthouse, 12003 New Kent Highway, New Kent, Virginia 23124-0128.


Sec. 26-7~~3~~⁴. Notification to voters affected by change of magisterial district, precinct or polling place.”

The County Attorney shall submit this ordinance and accompanying materials to support this ordinance to the United States Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division for pre-clearance.

This ordinance shall take effect upon the receipt by the County of pre-clearance for this central absentee voting district and precinct from the United States Department of Justice. Upon receipt of said pre-clearance, Ordinance O-21-02 shall be revoked.



John A. Budesky
County Administrator



W. R. Davis, Jr.
Chairman