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RESOLUTION NO. 6, 2012

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING DIRECTIVES REGARDING THE 2012
REDISTRICTING PLAN.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Indiana Code 36-4-6-3, each Indiana second class city must complete the redistricting of its councilmanic districts by no later than December 31, 2012; and

WHEREAS, such redistricting must be implemented by ordinance approved by the Common Council; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Terre Haute authorizes and directs the Terre Haute City Legal Department to prepare such ordinance for Council approval; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Terre Haute issues the following directives with regard to the redistricting plan and ordinance:

1. The City of Terre Haute shall be divided into six (6) Councilmanic Districts; and
2. Strive for reasonable compactness of each district; and
3. Each district shall contain contiguous precincts, with the exception of the annexed lands that are not contiguous to the corporate limits of the City of Terre Haute; and
4. Strive for equal populations in each district, with the least population deviation possible desirable and a maximum deviation to be no greater than ten percent (10%); and
5. Make attempts to NOT cross precinct boundaries thus splitting a precinct between more than (1) Councilmanic District. If a precinct boundary must be crossed, the statutory requirements of I.C. 36-4-6-3, *et seq.*, shall apply; and
6. Remove the federal prison population of 3,260 inmates from the total Terre Haute population as determined by the 2010 U.S. Census, thus reducing the population of Precinct Honey Creek 9-A from 4257 to 997; and
7. The final proposed ordinance must be presented for Council approval so that said ordinance has the opportunity to be adopted prior to December 31, 2012.

Introduced by:  Neil Garrison, Councilman

Passed in open Council this 10th day of May, 2012.

Don Morris Don Morris, President

ATTEST: Charles P. Hanley Charles P. Hanley, City Clerk

Presented by me to the Mayor this 11 day of May, 2012.

Charles P. Hanley Charles P. Hanley, City Clerk

Approved by me, the Mayor, this 11th day of MAY, 2012.

Duke A. Bennett Duke A. Bennett, Mayor

ATTEST: Charles P. Hanley Charles P. Hanley, City Clerk