

Issue Analysis Form (rev. July 2013)



Date: August 11, 2020
Item: Courthouse Polling Place relocation
Lead Department(s): County Administration
Contact Person(s): Jeffrey Stoke, Deputy County Administrator

Description and Current Status

There is a desire to relocate the polling location in the Prince George County Courthouse to the Gregory Memorial Presbyterian Church in precinct number 204. Per Code of Virginia 24.2-306, such a move must be approved 60 days prior to the general election. Staff is requesting Authority to Advertise the public hearing on the ordinance change and to set a special meeting of the Prince George County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday, September 1, 2020 for the public hearing and ordinance consideration. The advertisement must be posted per state code and, if approved, voters would have to be notified by mail in advance of the election.

Government Path

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| Does this require IDA action? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| Does this require BZA action? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| Does this require Planning Commission action? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
| Does this require Board of Supervisors action? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Does this require a public hearing? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

If so, before what date?

A public hearing of the Board of Supervisors would need to be held on Tuesday, September 1, 2020 and the ordinance approved for the polling location to be legally changed per Code of Virginia 24.2-306 requiring any changes to be enacted sixty (60) days before the next general election.

Fiscal Impact Statement

Costs for this relocation are unknown at this time.

County Impact

There is a desire to move this polling location out of the Prince George County Courthouse.

Notes

ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE COUNTY OF PRINCE GEORGE, VIRGINIA, 2005, AS AMENDED, BY AMENDING AND RE-ENACTING § 30-62, TO PROVIDE THAT THE POLLING PLACE FOR COURTS BUILDING PRECINCT SHALL BE GREGORY MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Prince George County:

(1) *That §30-62 of the Code Of The County Of Prince George, Virginia, 2005, as amended, is amended and re-codified to read as follows:*

Sec. 30-62. Polling places designated.



204 Courts Building. Gregory Memorial Presbyterian Church, 6300 Courthouse Road, Prince George, VA, 23875, located at Route 106.~~Main Floor of Courts Building, 6601 Courts Drive, Prince George, Virginia 23875, located at 6601 Courts Drive, within County Government Complex.~~

(2) *That this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon adoption.*