

## SUBSTITUTE ORDINANCE NO. 37-96

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An Ordinance to amend the Codified Ordinances of the City by adding Chapter 206 "Wards and Boundaries" for the purpose of establishing four wards for the election of members of the county central committee of each major political party or organization pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3517.03 and by adding Section 220.03 to Chapter 220 "Council", Section 230.02 to Chapter 230 "Mayor" and Section 232.07 to Chapter 232 "Auditor" for the purpose of declaring certain partisan political positions incompatible with elected City offices and to establish the effective dates of such amendments.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO:

Section 1. That the Codified Ordinances of the City are hereby amended by the addition of Chapter 206 as follows:

## CHAPTER 206

### WARDS AND BOUNDARIES

#### 206.01 DIVISION OF CITY INTO WARDS.

The City is hereby subdivided into four wards, for the sole purpose of establishing wards from which members of the county central committee of each major political party or organization shall be elected pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3517.03, as shown on the map attached to and made part of the Ordinance enacting this Chapter 206. Said wards are described by metes and bounds as follows:

#### WARD 1

Starting at the intersection of East Broad Street and Alum Creek and thence easterly along the centerline of East Broad Street to the centerline of Westland Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Westland Avenue to the centerline of Dale Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Dale Avenue to Parkview Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Parkview Avenue to Fair Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Fair Avenue to an alley between Cassady Road and Ardmore Road; thence northerly along the centerline of said alley between Cassady Road and Ardmore Road to the centerline of East Broad Street; thence westerly along the centerline of East Broad Street to the centerline of Stanbery Avenue; thence northerly along the centerline of Stanbery Avenue to the centerline of Clifton Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline and an air line extension of Clifton Avenue to the east lot line of the houses on the east side of Ashbourne Road; thence northerly on said lot line to Denver Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Denver Avenue to the centerline of Drexel Avenue; thence northerly along the centerline of Drexel Avenue to the centerline of Maryland Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Maryland Avenue to the corporation line; thence northerly along the corporation line to the B&O railroad; thence westerly along said railroad to Alum Creek; and thence southerly along Alum Creek to the centerline of East Broad Street to point of beginning.

#### WARD 2

Starting at the intersection of Fair Avenue and Gould Road; thence northerly along the centerline of Gould Road to the corporation line; thence westerly along the corporation line to the west corporation line; thence southerly from said point to the centerline of Maryland Avenue; thence westerly along the centerline of Maryland Avenue to the centerline of Drexel Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of

Drexel Avenue to the centerline of Denver Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Denver Avenue to a point half-way between Ashbourne Road to the west and Cassady Road to the east; then southerly along said line to an air line extension of the centerline of Clifton Avenue; thence westerly on an air line extension of the centerline of Clifton Avenue to the centerline of Stanbery Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Stanbery Avenue to the centerline of East Broad Street; thence easterly on East Broad Street to the centerline of an alley to the east of Cassady Road and to the west of Ardmore Road; thence southerly along the centerline of said alley to the centerline of Powell Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Powell Avenue to the centerline of an alley to the east of Remington Road and to the west of Stanwood Road; thence southerly along the centerline of said alley to centerline of Fair Avenue; and thence easterly along the centerline of Fair Avenue to the centerline of Gould Road to the point of beginning.

### WARD 3

Starting at the intersection of East Livingston Avenue and the east corporation line; thence northerly along said corporation line to the centerline of Fair Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Fair Avenue to the centerline of Roosevelt Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Roosevelt Avenue to the air line of the centerline of an alley to the north of Bryden Road and to the south of Bexley Park Road; thence westerly along said air line to the centerline of Cassady Road; thence southerly along the centerline of Cassady Road to the centerline of Bryden Road; thence westerly along the centerline of Bryden Road to the centerline of Dawson Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Dawson Avenue to the centerline of East Main Street; thence easterly along East Main Street to the centerline of Euclaire Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Euclaire Avenue to the centerline of East Livingston Avenue; thence easterly along East Livingston Avenue to the intersection of East Livingston Avenue and the east corporation line to point of beginning.

### WARD 4

Starting at the intersection of Fair Avenue and Alum Creek; thence easterly along the centerline of Fair Avenue and continuing on an air line extension of said street to the centerline of said street; thence easterly along the centerline of Fair Avenue to a centerline midway between Ardmore Road to the east and Cassady Road to the west; thence northerly along said centerline to the centerline of Powell Road; thence easterly along the centerline of Powell Road to the centerline of an alley to the west of Stanwood Road and to the east of Remington Road; thence southerly along an air line extension of said centerline to the centerline of Fair Avenue; thence easterly along the centerline of Fair Avenue to the centerline of Roosevelt Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Roosevelt Avenue to the air line extension of the centerline of an alley to the north of Brentwood Road and to the south of Fair Avenue; thence westerly along the centerline of said alley to the centerline of Cassady Road; thence southerly along the centerline of Cassady Road to the centerline of Bryden Road; thence westerly along the centerline of Bryden Road. to the centerline of Dawson Avenue; thence southerly along the centerline of Dawson Avenue to the centerline of East Main Street; thence easterly along East Main Street to the centerline of Euclaire Avenue; thence southerly along Euclaire Avenue to the centerline of East Livingston Avenue; thence westerly along East Livingston Avenue to Alum Creek; and thence northerly along Alum Creek to the centerline of Fair Avenue to point of beginning.

Section 2. That Ward 1 shall be comprised of precincts A, B, C, H and V, Ward 2 of precincts E, F, N, P, R and T, Ward 3 of precincts D, L, M, O and Q and Ward 4 of precincts G, I, J, K, S and U, all as in existence on the effective date of this Ordinance and as delineated on the map attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 3. That Chapter 220 of the Codified Ordinances of the City is hereby amended by the addition of Section 220.03 as follows:

Section 220.03. INCOMPATIBLE PUBLIC OFFICE.

Membership on the state or county central committee of any political party or organization is declared to be a public office incompatible with the position of member of Council, such active partisan activity being deemed detrimental to the promotion, protection and preservation of the nonpartisan form of government established by the Charter. No person who is a member of such a state or county central committee shall be qualified to be elected a member of Council, and any member of Council who, during his or her term, becomes a member of a state or county central committee shall cease to be qualified to serve as a member of Council and shall forthwith forfeit such office.

Section 4. That Chapter 230 of the Codified Ordinances of the City is hereby amended by the addition of Section 230.02 as follows:

Section 230.02. INCOMPATIBLE PUBLIC OFFICE.

Membership on the state or county central committee of any political party or organization is declared to be a public office incompatible with the position of Mayor, such active partisan activity being deemed detrimental to the promotion, protection and preservation of the nonpartisan form of government established by the Charter. No person who is a member of such a state or county central committee shall be qualified to be elected Mayor. If the Mayor, during his or her term, becomes a member of a state or county central committee, he or she shall cease to be qualified to serve as Mayor and shall forthwith forfeit such office.

Section 5. That Chapter 232 of the Codified Ordinances of the City is hereby amended by the addition of Section 232.07 as follows:

Section 232.07. INCOMPATIBLE PUBLIC OFFICE.

Membership on the state or county central committee of any political party or organization is declared to be a public office incompatible with the position of Auditor, such active partisan activity being deemed detrimental to the promotion, protection and preservation of the nonpartisan form of government established by the Charter. No person who is a member of such a state or county central committee shall be qualified to be elected Auditor. If the Auditor, during his or her term, becomes a member of a state or county central committee, he or she shall cease to be qualified to serve as Auditor and shall forthwith forfeit such office.

Section 6. That Sections 1 and 2 of this Ordinance shall take effect as to the county central committee of each major political party or organization at the primary election held in the next even-numbered year in which members of the county central committee of such party or organization shall be elected, it being the intent of Council to require that the initial committee member representing each newly created ward shall be elected, not appointed.

Section 7. That Sections 3, 4 and 5 of this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

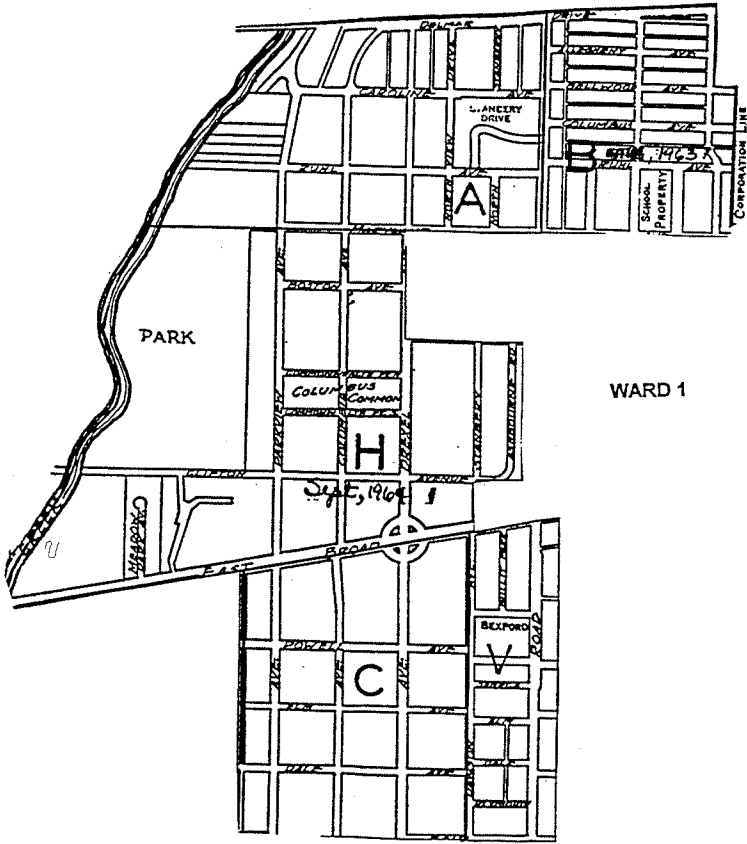
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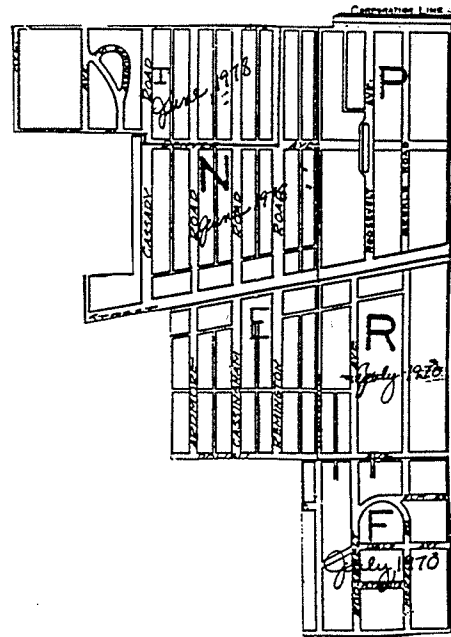
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Clerk of Council

Approved: 6/25, 1996

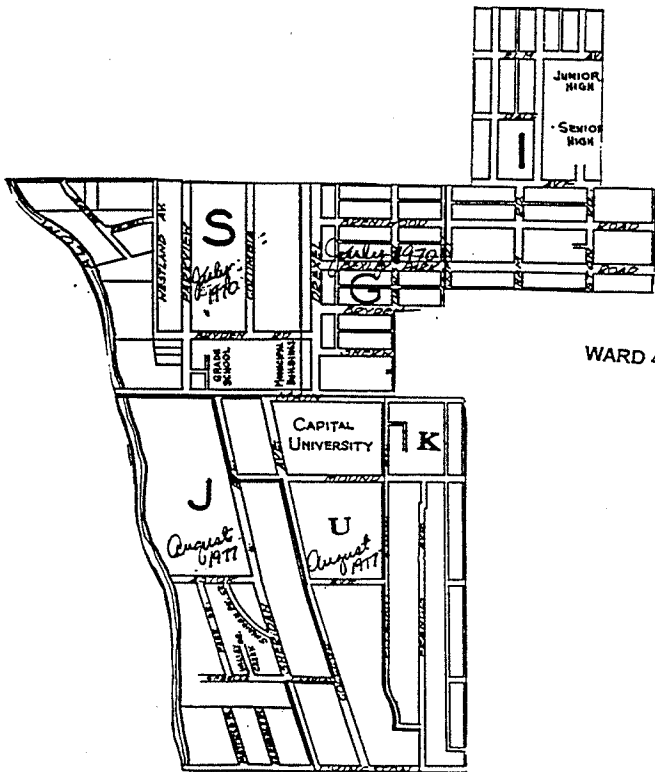
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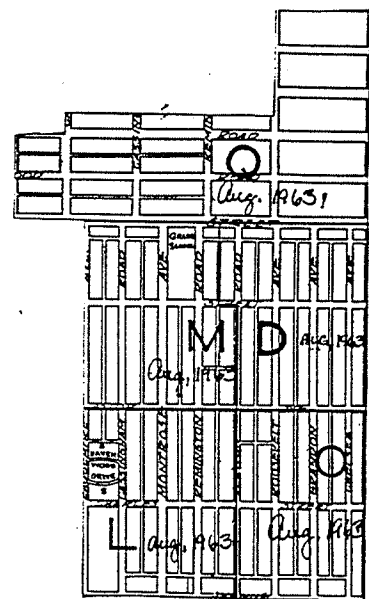
WARD 1



WARD 2



WARD 4



WARD 3