



CITY OF  
*Saint Peter*  
WHERE HISTORY & PROGRESS MEET

Office of  
City Administrator

March 17, 2022

Minnesota Secretary of State Steve Simon  
Attn: Elections Division  
180 State Office Building  
100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.  
Saint Paul, MN 55155

Re: St. Peter Redistricting

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Enclosed please find certified copies of the ordinance redistricting the City of Saint Peter's Ward and Precincts and a resolution reaffirming our polling places effective August 9, 2022.

As part of their redistricting efforts, the City Council has chosen to combine each of the two precincts in our two Wards so that voters in Saint Peter will now cast their ballot in either Ward 1 Precinct 1 or Ward 2 Precinct 1.

Should you have any questions about these actions, please don't hesitate to contact my office using the information below. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Todd Prafke  
City Administrator

TP/bal

cc: Nicollet County Property and Public Services Manager Jaci Kopet

Enclosures: Ordinance No. 52, Third Series  
Resolution No. 2022-38



**CITY OF SAINT PETER, MINNESOTA**  
**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY**

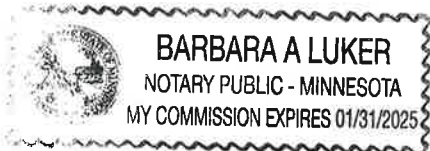
I, Todd Prafke, City Administrator for the City of Saint Peter, Nicollet County, Minnesota, do hereby declare that the attached is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 52, Third Series adopted by the Saint Peter City Council at their regular meeting of March 14, 2022.

Witness my hand, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.

Todd Prafke  
City Administrator

ATTEST:

Barbara A. Luker  
Notary Public – State of Minnesota  
My commission expires 1-31-2025



Document Number: 222585  
Filed: 03/21/2022  
Office of the Minnesota  
Secretary of State Steve Simon

## ORDINANCE NO. 52, THIRD SERIES

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SAINT PETER CITY CODE CHAPTER 2 "ADMINISTRATION AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT", SECTION 2-3 "WARD AND PRECINCT BOUNDARIES" AND ADOPTING BY REFERENCE SAINT PETER CITY CODE CHAPTER 1 AND SECTION 1.6 WHICH, AMONG OTHER THINGS, CONTAIN PENALTY PROVISIONS**

WHEREAS, the Federal government conducted a national census in 2020; and

WHEREAS, State regulations provide for redistricting of election boundaries in years ending in two; and

WHEREAS, based on the 2020 census results, staff recommends a change in ward and precinct boundaries within the City of Saint Peter to make each ward as equal in population as practicable and to eliminate the multiple precincts within each ward; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the proposed boundaries and accepted public comment on the proposed boundary changes; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds it in the best interest of the residents of Saint Peter to redistrict ward and precinct boundaries to provide for more equitable representation.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF CITY OF SAINT PETER, NICOLLET COUNTY, MINNESOTA, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN:

Section 1. City Code Section 2-3 "WARD AND PRECINCT BOUNDARIES" shall be modified as follows:

SEC. 2.60 WARD AND PRECINCT BOUNDARIES. The Wards and Precincts shall be limited and bounded as hereinafter set forth:

Subd. 1. Ward 1 Precinct 1. Ward 1 Precinct 1 shall be in the northern part of the City and consist of all the area lying north of the centerline of Broadway Avenue from the eastern City limits to the intersection of Sunrise Drive; thence northerly along the centerline of Sunrise Drive to the intersection of Traverse Road; thence westerly along the centerline of Traverse Road to the western City limits.

Subd. 2. Ward 2 Precinct 1. Ward 2 Precinct 1 shall be in the southern part of the City and consist of all areas lying south of the centerline of Broadway Avenue from the eastern City limits to the intersection of Sunrise Drive; thence northerly along the centerline of Sunrise Drive to the intersection of Traverse Road; thence westerly along the centerline of Traverse Road to the western City limits.

Section 2. As provided for in Minnesota Statutes 205.84, subd. 2, this ordinance shall take effect August 9, 2022.

Section 3. Saint Peter City Code Chapter 1 entitled, "General Provisions and Definitions Applicable To The Entire City Code Including Penalty For Violation" and Section 1-6 entitled, "Violation a Misdemeanor or Petty Misdemeanor" are hereby adopted in their entirety, by reference, as though repeated verbatim herein.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Saint Peter, Nicollet County, Minnesota, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2002.

ATTEST:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Todd Prafke  
City Administrator

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Shanon A. Nowell  
Mayor

The foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the following votes:

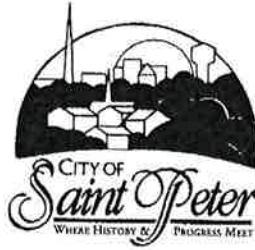
Ayes: Councilmembers Sharstrom, Brufat, DeVos, Johnson, Pettis, Ranft and Mayor Nowell

Nays: None

Absent: None

Published in the *Saint Peter Herald* on the 24th day of March, 2022.

Document Number: 222585  
Filed: 03/21/2022  
Office of the Minnesota  
Secretary of State Steve Simon



**CITY OF SAINT PETER, MINNESOTA**  
**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY**

I, Todd Prafke, City Administrator for the City of Saint Peter, Nicollet County, Minnesota, do hereby declare that the attached is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 2022-38 adopted by the Saint Peter City Council at their regular meeting of March 14, 2022.

Witness my hand, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.

Todd Prafke  
City Administrator

ATTEST:

  
Barbara A. Luker  
Notary Public – State of Minnesota  
My commission expires 1-31-2025

Document Number: 222585  
Filed: 03/21/2022  
Office of the Minnesota  
Secretary of State Steve Simon

## CITY OF SAINT PETER, MINNESOTA

## RESOLUTION NO. 2022 - 38

STATE OF MINNESOTA)  
 COUNTY OF NICOLLET)  
 CITY OF SAINT PETER)

**RESOLUTION DESIGNATING CITY AND COMBINED SCHOOL DISTRICT #508 POLLING  
 PLACES FOR ELECTIONS BEGINNING AUGUST 9, 2022**

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Legislature took action in 2017 to modify M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1 (Municipal and County-Unorganized Territory Polling Place Designations) and 205A.11, subd. 2 (School District Combined Polling Places Designations); and

WHEREAS, the changes require municipalities to designate, by resolution, polling places for the following calendar year in which an election is to be held; and

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State's Office further recommends the designation be made every year so that the regulations have been followed in the event of a special election; and

WHEREAS, the City of Saint Peter administers elections for School District #508 and as provided under the law, a school district may only use a polling place for a combination if that location has been designated as a polling place by a municipality; and

WHEREAS, the City Council took action to adopt Resolution No. 2021-168 which designated polling places for calendar year 2022; and

WHEREAS, following the redistricting process, which eliminated one precinct in each City Ward and redrew the Ward boundaries following the decennial Census, it is recommended the City's polling places be re-designated effective with the State primary election on August 9, 2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAINT PETER, NICOLLET COUNTY, MINNESOTA, THAT: the following polling places are hereby designated for elections held beginning August 9, 2022:

- Ward 1 – Precinct 1 - National Guard Armory, 1120 North Swift Street
- Ward 2 – Precinct 1 – Community Center, 600 South Fifth Street – Door "B"
- School District #508 – outside Saint Peter City limits in Nicollet County – Minnesota Valley Education District office – 803 Davis Street
- School District #508 – outside Saint Peter City limits in Le Sueur County – Kasota Community Center – 200 North Webster Street, Kasota, MN

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Saint Peter, Nicollet County, Minnesota, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.

  
 Shanon A. Nowell  
 Mayor

ATTEST:

  
 Todd Prafke  
 City Administrator

Document Number: 222585  
 Filed: 03/21/2022  
 Office of the Minnesota  
 Secretary of State Steve Simon