

1 AN ACT relating to city annexation filings.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 81A.470 is amended to read as follows:

4 (1) ~~[If the limits of a city are enlarged or reduced, the city shall,]~~Within sixty (60) days
5 of the enlargement or reduction ***of a city's boundaries, the city shall cause to be***
6 ***recorded***~~[, cause an accurate map and description of the annexed, transferred, or~~
7 ~~severed area, together with a copy of the ordinance duly certified, to be recorded in~~
8 ~~the office of the county clerk of the county or counties in which the city is located~~
9 ~~and] in the office of the Secretary of State: [-.]~~

10 ***(a) A duly certified copy of the final ordinance that changed the city's***
11 ***boundaries;***

12 ***(b) A***~~[The] map and ***a*** description ~~[shall be]~~prepared by a professional land
13 surveyor ***depicting***~~[. The documents shall depict] the parcel annexed,~~
14 transferred, or severed as a closed geometric figure on a plat annotated with
15 bearings and distances or sufficient curve data to describe each line. The
16 professional land surveyor shall clearly state on the documents the location of
17 the existing municipal boundary, any physical feature with which the
18 proposed municipal boundary coincides, and a statement of the recorded
19 deeds, plats, right-of-way plans, or other resources used to develop the
20 documents depicting the municipal boundary; ***and***~~

21 ***(c) An electronic file containing a closed geometric figure depicting the***
22 ***territory being added or removed that is referenced to a Kentucky State***
23 ***Plane Coordinate System zone in any one (1) of the following formats:***

24 ***1. AutoDesk AutoCAD DWG or DXF;***

25 ***2. Bentley MicroStation DGN; or***

26 ***3. ESRI ArcGIS Shapefile.***

27 ***If the electronic file is attached to an e-mail communication, the e-mail and***

1 *all files attached to that e-mail communication cumulatively shall not*
 2 *exceed fifteen (15) megabytes in size.*

3 (2) No city which has annexed unincorporated or accepted transfer of incorporated
 4 territory may levy any tax upon the residents or property within the annexed or
 5 transferred area until the city has complied with the provisions of subsection (1) of
 6 this section, and of KRS 81A.475.

7 ➔Section 2. KRS 81A.475 is amended to read as follows:

8 If any city annexes any unincorporated area, accepts the transfer of incorporated territory,
 9 or reduces the boundaries of the city, it shall be the duty of the legislative body of the city
 10 to provide within sixty (60) days, to the county clerk of the county in which the city is
 11 located, a map *and description meeting the requirements of subsection (1)(b) of Section*
 12 *1 of this Act*~~[clearly delineating the boundaries of the area affected]~~ along with a list of
 13 properties included in the annexation, transfer, or reduction. The list of properties
 14 required by this section shall include the name and address of each property owner.