

1 AN ACT relating to elections.

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

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 117.065 is amended to read as follows:

- 4 (1) The county board of elections shall, not later than September 20 of each year,
5 establish the voting place for each precinct. If a change becomes necessary after
6 that date, notice of change shall be published pursuant to KRS Chapter 424. If a
7 change becomes necessary on election day, notice shall be posted at the former
8 voting place. The expense of renting voting places, for which rent of not less than
9 twenty dollars (\$20) shall be paid, shall be paid in the same manner as other
10 election expenses.
- 11 (2) The county board of elections shall have the authority to designate as voting places,
12 without cost to the board, buildings constructed in whole or in part with tax
13 revenues.
- 14 (3) The county board of elections shall designate as voting places only those places
15 which are:
- 16 (a) Accessible to all eligible voters, including those with physical limitations and
17 the elderly; and
- 18 (b) ***Safe and provide healthy conditions, including but not limited to functional***
19 ***indoor bathroom facilities, heat, and air conditioning.***
- 20 (4) The county board of elections shall ensure that each precinct polling place in the
21 county has immediate access to a telephone within the polling place on the day of
22 any election.