

**THE LHDNO BOARD INVITES YOU TO ATTEND THE NOVEMBER 16, 2017 LEINKAUF RESIDENTS MEETING
...at the First Christian Church at Government Street & Stocking St. at 6:30pm, to discuss upcoming precinct elections.**

THE BY-LAWS: The LHDNO By-Laws say the LHDNO Board shall be determined as follows: The district shall be divided into nine precincts, and each precinct shall choose one Board member. Precinct borders shall be re-evaluated & re-drawn every 10 years. On May 22, 2017, the LHDNO Board approved the nine precincts, shown below with green boundary lines & the number of residences below each precinct.

THE PLAN: Our plan was to initially establish an “at-large Board,” then move to the precinct concept, shown here. Precincts will increase LHDNO cohesion, membership and participation, and promote greater unity within the Leinkauf Historic District. Precincts will provide the opportunity for representation on the LHDNO Board for each precinct. By placing representatives physically closer to residents, then residents will likely know Board member & be more inclined to interact with them about issues leading to a sense of ownership that will result in full participation. Further, this plan should improve Board-resident communication about issues, membership, events, & other things affecting residents.

GET INFORMATION ABOUT THE LEINKAUF HISTORIC DISTRICT AND THE NINE VOTING PRECINCTS:

1. Any precinct without an active member board nominee at the end of the nomination process shall be considered a “vacant board precinct” and be resolved through selection by the new Board of an “at large” member to represent that precinct, under the By-Laws’ Board Vacancy Rule (Article V-8).
2. Nomination Forms will be accepted, until an end date (TBA), and then the board election will take place at our “January, 2018 Annual Membership Meeting.”
3. We will vote on Board positions for Precincts 2, 4, 6, & 8 at our January meeting (TBA).
4. **JOIN US! REPRESENT YOUR PRECINCT! ...OR...
FIND A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT YOU!**

**THE GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR
CREATING LEINKAUF
VOTING PRECINCTS:**

1. Each precinct should extend from Government St. to Virginia St., to efficiently create nine precincts, with close to equal numbers of residences.
2. Where possible, each resident & his/her primary neighbors should be in the same precinct.
Note: “Primary neighbors” face each other across the same street, or are next door, facing the same street.
3. Include only buildings thought to be residences.
4. Balance the number of residences across precincts (where possible).
5. Precinct boundaries may not follow property lines.

