

- (4) Election district 4, precinct 3.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 33, § 8-708.

No changes are made.

8-709.

The eighth congressional district consists of the following parts of Montgomery County:

- (1) Election districts 1 through 4, 6, and 7 through 12 in their entirety;
- (2) Election district 5, precincts 15, 18, 19, and 20;
- (3) Election district 13, precincts 1, 2, 3, 11, 17, 19, 20, 24 through 40, 42 through 46, 51 through 54, 57 through 60, 62, and 63; and

(4) That part of election district 13, precinct 48 that is west of a line that runs south along the center of Rippling Brook Drive from Bel Pre Road, the northern boundary of the precinct, to the proposed outer Beltway, the southern boundary of the precinct; and that part of election district 13, precinct 48 that is east of a line that runs south from Bel Pre Road, the northern boundary of the precinct, along the center of Beaverwood Lane to its junction with Beechvue Lane; thence northwest and south along the center of Beechvue Lane to its junction with Beaverwood Lane; thence west along the center of Beaverwood Lane to its junction with Birchtree Lane; thence southwest along the center of Birchtree Lane to its junction with Beret Lane; thence southwest and northwest at the first junction along the center of Beret Lane to its junction with Bustleton Lane and Beret Lane; thence southwest along the center of Beret Lane to its junction with an unnamed blacktop line of prolongation to Turkey Branch; thence southwest along the center of Turkey Branch to its intersection with Georgia Avenue (Md. Route 97), the southwestern boundary of the precinct.

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(a) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, if there is a vacancy in the office of representative in [Congress] CONGRESS, the Governor shall issue a proclamation, within 10 days after the date that the vacancy occurs or becomes known to the Governor, declaring that a special primary election and a special general election shall be held to fill the vacancy.

(2) If the vacancy occurs during the period beginning 60 days before the regular primary election and ending on the last day of the term, the Governor may:

- (i) Decline to issue a proclamation; and
- (ii) Allow the office to remain vacant for the remainder of the term.

(b) (1) The Governor's proclamation shall specify the dates of the special primary election and the special general election.