school_zone_m

Location: political\school_zone_m

Description

Polygons identifying attendance zones for public middle schools in Bay County. Information as of September 2009.

For elementary and high school attendance zones, see school_zone_e and school_zone_h.

Coordinate system: State Plane, Florida North Zone, Datum NAD83, feet (see .prj file)

Source

Middle school attendance zones were adopted by the Bay County School Board on October 13, 1999. Bay County GIS obtained zone descriptions from Bay District Schools (file **geographicalattendancezones2000-2001approvedOctober13,1999.doc**) and created a *draft* polygon shapefile in November 2000. GIS staff used **plss**, **roads**, heads-up digitizing, and **school_zone_h** to create the boundary features. Written descriptions from Bay District Schools included beginning on page two.

On November 28th, 2000, met with Joette Bruner of Bay District Schools and got questions answered. All boundaries should follow the centerline of the road, unless otherwise specified as both sides or neither side.

In late September 2001, made edits regarding note above. In October 2001, met with Joette Bruner, Leona (?), and Rusty Holloway of Bay District Schools; dropped off draft copy of school zone map for their review and School Board approval.

In February 2004, modified the boundary between Everitt Middle School and Merritt Brown Middle School to more accurately depict the legal descriptions (both sides of Tram Rd). Used parcels as a guide.

In November 2008, Staff requested and received updated shapefile from Bay County School Board. Dropped old boundary descriptions from documentation. Updated File structure to reflect changes.

In April 2009, Staff jointly worked with the Bay County School Board to update this shapefile, reflecting changes for the upcoming 2009 – 2010 school year. Updated File structure to reflect changes those changes.

This layer has not been approved by the school board. If using this data to determine what school to attend, contact Bay District Schools 850-872-4100 for final determination.

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Attributes

ms_name (Text, 45) Name of the middle school that zone attends.

ms_code (Text, 4) Unique school identifier used by the Bay District Schools; see table.