

Redistricting Commission
 City of College Park
 Wednesday, August 3, 2022
 6:00 p.m.
 Hybrid Meeting

Members	Present	Absent
Betty Colonomos	X	
Val Graham	X	
Alan Hew	X	
John Krouse	X	
Delmar Nelson	X	
Nathan Rickard	X	
Marilyn Yang	X	
Fritz Leopold		X
D.W. Rowlands	X	
Jordan Dewar	X	
Robert Day	X	
Staff and Others		
Bill Gardiner, Assistant City Manager	X	
Jacob Vassalotti, City GIS Analyst	X	
Suellen Ferguson, City Attorney	X	
Sam Mathur, ARCBridge Consulting	X	
Priti Mathur, ARCBridge Consulting	X	
Carleveva Thompson, Contract Secretary	X	

I. Call to Order

Mr. Day called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m.

II. Review of Agenda

The Commission reviewed the meeting agenda.

Mr. Day motioned to approve the agenda as presented. Second by Ms. Colonomos. All members in favor, no opposed. Motion carries 10-0-0.

III. Review and Approval of Minutes

The Committee reviewed the July 27, 2022, meeting minutes.

Ms. Colonomos motioned to approve the minutes as presented. Second by Ms. Rowlands. All members in favor; no opposed. Motion carries, 10-0-0.

IV. Discuss Draft of New District Boundaries

Ms. Rowlands presented three scenarios of the proposed Districts to the Commission:

- Scenario 1 uses the 2020 population.
- Scenario 2 uses the population that is based on housing that opens at the end of the summer.
- Scenario 3 uses the population of all housing that will be open by 2023.

Ms. Mathur presented plan A and plan B which includes three criteria of the proposed map drawings:

- Criteria 1 – Voters + Adjusted Census 2020 data
- Criteria 2 – Voters + Adjusted Data Fall 2022
- Criteria 3 – Voters + Adjusted data Fall 2023

The Commission discussed trying to solve two different constraints: The population must be within +/- 5% of ideal and the population + voters must be within +/- 5% of ideal.

V. Decide on Website Options for Commission Maps and Public Comments

The Commission requested for the website to have public comments remain private. Mr. Day would like the maps posted on the City's website at least 10 days before the first public hearing. The proposed maps will be created by August 11th for the Commission to review and make a decision at the August 22nd meeting. After the Commission reviews, the maps will be posted to the website by August 25th for public review.

VI. Confirm Public Meeting Dates, Next Meeting, and Report Due Date

The public hearings are scheduled for September 1st at Davis Hall and September 12th at City Hall.

The Commission's full report is due to City Council by September 27, 2022.

The next Commission meeting is scheduled for August 22, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.

VII. Adjournment

Mr. Nelson motioned to adjourn the meeting. Second by Ms. Dewar. All members in favor, no opposed.

The meeting adjourned at 8:18 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Carleveva Thompson, contract secretary