

SPECIAL MEETING

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION

Monday August 30, 2021 5:30 P.M.

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	Andrea Ambriz – Vice Chair	Gil Hurtado	Antonio Sanchez
	Ana Teresa Dahan	Elizabeth Johnson	Barry Waite
	Wilma Franco	Yvette Lopez-Ledesma	
	Wendy Greuel	Loraine Lundquist	

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Roll Call

Disclosure of Ex Parte Communications

Discussion with Neighborhood Council Representatives on Neighborhood Council Resolutions or Community Impact Statements filed with the City Clerk relative to any item listed or being considered on this agenda for the Los Angeles Unified School District Redistricting Commission.

Agenda Item Public Comment

Item Noticed for Public Hearing

Item No. (1) Commission discussion and possible action on Recommendations for Developing and Publishing the Draft Map or Maps.

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For information concerning this Commission, please contact the Commission Executive Assistant **Gladys Espinoza** at gladys.espinoza@lacity.org or **Steve Luu** in the CLA's office at (213) 473-5720.

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LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DEVELOPING AND PUBLISHING THE DRAFT MAP OR MAPS

August 27, 2021

Procedures for Developing the Draft School Board Member (BOE) District Boundaries Map(s)

➤ **Commission's Guiding Principles**

The Commission's Guiding Principles for drawing a Draft map, or maps, for public review will be grounded in the Purpose & Values Statement. The criteria used for mapping will be based on the legal criteria for redistricting which includes:

- Equal Population Principle (utilizing a deviation of up to ten percent total as legally appropriate)
- Contiguity
- U.S. Constitution's Equal Protection Clause/Voting Rights Act of 1965
- Los Angeles City Charter Article VIII Board of Education
- California FAIR MAPS Act (where applicable)
- Communities of Interest (to the extent feasible)
 - High School Attendance Zones
 - Public Testimony and Submitted Maps
 - Neighborhoods and Communities
 - Natural Boundaries/Street Lines
 - Middle School and Elementary School Attendance Zones (High School feeder schools)
- Compactness

➤ **Ad Hoc Regional Communities-of-Interest and Census Analysis Committees**

Keeping these guiding principles at the forefront of the Commission's work, including the aggregate public testimony and written comment, the Commission will be divided into three teams of Ad Hoc Regional Communities-of-Interest and Census Analysis Committees based upon regions of the School District. These regions are: LAUSD North, LAUSD Central and West, and LAUSD East and South. The Ad Hoc Committee members will be representative of the School District appointees of the region and City-appointed Commissioners (as listed below) up to a maximum of 5 Commissioners for each Ad Hoc Committee, with no individual Commissioner serving on more than one Ad Hoc Committee.

Each Ad Hoc Committee is responsible for meeting and conferring with staff and their Ad Hoc Committee members to review concepts, line drawing options, census data, Communities of Interest testimony, submitted maps, and make recommendations to the full Commission (All dates listed below are subject to adjustment by the Chair). Each Ad Hoc Committee will schedule time to meet at least once during the

period of Thursday September 2, 2021 and Thursday September 9, 2021. The Ad Hoc Committees must complete their work by Thursday September 9, 2021, in order for staff to compile a final report for the Commission. In order to remain consistent with the Brown Act, Commissioners are advised that discussions shall be limited to staff and their own Ad Hoc Committees.

Once the Ad Hoc Committees complete their work, the recommendations of all Ad Hoc Committees shall be presented to the full Commission at a Special Commission meeting on Friday September 10, 2021 accompanied by a report as described above. At this meeting, the Commission will give direction to staff on the concepts and recommendations to include in a Draft map, or maps. The Commission may give further direction to staff after reviewing and hearing the submitted public map presentations at a Special Commission meeting on Friday September 17, 2021.

➤ **Public Release of the Draft Council District Boundaries Map**

The Chair will appoint an Ad Hoc Executive Committee to meet with staff for the purpose of reviewing the final proposed Draft map, or maps, on Tuesday September 21, 2021, prior to their public release on Wednesday September 22, 2021.

On Wednesday September 22, 2021, the proposed Draft map, or maps, will be released to the public and the entire Commission, seven days prior to the full Commission meeting on Wednesday September 29, 2021. The Chair shall allow discussion on each draft map and entertain motions for a proposed Draft map, or maps.

The Draft map, or maps, shall be presented to the public for public comment and discussed at three regional Pre-Final Map Public Input Hearings between October 2, 2021 and October 9, 2021 before a final map recommendation is adopted by the Commission at its Wednesday October 20, 2021 meeting.

➤ **Ad Hoc Regional Communities-of-Interest and Census Analysis Committees Membership Roster**

LAUSD North (BOE Districts 3 and 6)

Ana Teresa Dahan - Chair
Loraine Lundquist
Antonio Sanchez
Yvette Lopez-Ledesma

LAUSD Central and West (BOE Districts 1 and 4)

Andrea Ambriz - Chair
Wendy Greuel
Elizabeth Johnson
Barry Waite

LAUSD East and South (BOE Districts 2, 5, and 7)

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