



## **REDISTRICTING COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES**

**DALLAS CITY HALL, COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2021**

Commission Members Present:

Jesse D. Oliver (Chairman) (District 15 – Attended In-Person)  
Diane Ragsdale (Vice-Chair) (District 7 – Attended In-Person)  
Robert Stimson (District 1 – Attended In-Person)  
Roy Lopez (District 2 – Attended In-Person)  
Gregory Demus (District 3 – Attended In-Person)  
Kebran Alexander (District 4 – Attended In-Person)  
Domingo Garcia (District 5 – Attended In-Person)  
Ricardo Medrano (District 6 – Attended In-Person)  
Randall Bryant (District 8 – Attended In-Person)  
Brent Rosenthal (District 9 – Attended In-Person)  
Alan Walne (District 10 – Attended Virtually)  
Matthew Garcia (District 11 – Attended Virtually)  
Barbara Larkin (District 13 – Attended In-Person)  
Norma Minnis (District 14 – Attended In-Person)

Commission Members Absent:

Jonathan Neerman (District 12)

City Staff Present:

Brett Wilkinson, Office of Government Affairs Director  
C.C. Gonzalez-Kurz, Government Affairs Manager  
Christopher Nolfi, Government Affairs Coordinator  
Laura Morrison, Assistant City Attorney  
Willow Sanchez, Assistant City Attorney

**6:34 P.M.** Meeting called to order by Chair Jesse D. Oliver

1. Public Speakers

- The Redistricting Commission had one public speaker for their December 13, 2021 Redistricting Commission Regular Meeting. That individual spoke to Redistricting in general and the map creation process.

2. Approval of November 22, 2021 Minutes

- The minutes from the November 22, 2021 Redistricting Commission Regular Meeting were approved unanimously by the commission.

3. DISCUSSION ITEM: 2021 Redistricting District Reports

- Chair Jesse Oliver and C.C. Gonzalez-Kurz, Government Affairs Manager, presented an opportunity for the Commission to conduct research and create overviews of important factors to consider for each Commissioner's district.
- General questions were asked by the Commissioners regarding the proposed project, including the possible benefits and detriments of the reports at this stage of the process.
- Chair Jesse Oliver specified that the reports were voluntary, and that each Commissioner could decide for themselves whether they wanted to participate or not and that time would be set aside for those Commissioners that chose to create and present a report for their district.

4. DISCUSSION ITEM: Plan Submission Process, Website and Mapping Tool Demonstration

- Sam and Priti Mathur, ARCBridge Consulting, provided an update on the redistricting website, DallasRedistricting.com, as well as a new demonstration of the mapping tool to be used in the redistricting process.
- The Commission asked questions to ARCBridge regarding the website, the mapping tool, and the submissions that have been received by the public so far.

5. Wrap Up & Adjournment

- Chair Jesse Oliver announced that due to the upcoming holidays the regular meetings of the Redistricting Commission scheduled for December 27, 2021 and January 3, 2022 would be cancelled.

8:43 P.M. Meeting adjourned by Chair Jesse D. Oliver



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JESSE D. OLIVER, CHAIR

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NOTE: For detailed information on the above meeting, please refer to the available video recording located on the City of Dallas City Secretary's Office website.