

SPECIAL MEETING
of the
LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL REDISTRICTING COMMISSION
PUBLIC INPUT HEARING REGARDING COMMISSION DRAFT MAP
Meeting Minutes of Saturday October 9th, 2021
10:00 AM

Members Present:	Fred Ali (Chair)	David Hyun (VC)	Richard Polanco
	Elissa Barrett	Richard Katz	Michele Prichard
	Charisse Bremond	Nam Le	Valerie Lynne Shaw
	Maria Brenes	Miguel Martinez	Alexandra Suh
	Denis Cagna	Tammy Membreño	Rachel Torres
	Rocky Delgadillo	Wendy Mitchell	
	Sonja Diaz (VC)	Carlos Moreno	

Members Absent: Edward Anderson, Natalie Freidberg

Meeting called to order: 10:04 AM

Roll Call

The Commission took member roll call.

Disclosure of *Ex Parte* Communications

- Commissioner Elissa Barrett reported on October 8, 2021 at 8:52 AM, a phone conversation with Jeremy Oberstein, Chief of Staff for Ron Galperin (LA City Controller), discussing two topics. He congratulated Commissioner Barrett and Katz on the redistricting webinar that they participated in with the Jewish Federation on Thursday that also involved LA County Citizens Redistricting Commission member Brian Stecher. He also thanked the Commission for how frequently issues of equity and access to economic opportunity were being discussed and reminded her of a tool that she wanted to also raise with the Commission which is the LA Equity Index. This is a data and mapping system created by the LA City Controller's office that allows census tract to look at data related to socioeconomics, environment, education, and access to resources. Some of the things being discussed where certain economic engines might sit and what the implications of that might be, and also how to know where the most rent burden portions of our population reside.
- Commissioner Valerie Lynn Shaw reported on October 7, 2021 at 1:12 PM, a conversation with Solomon Rivera regarding the Commission's October 6, 2021 meeting and what transpired.

- Commissioner Valerie Lynn Shaw reported on October 7, 2021 at 1:50 PM an email from Rhonda Mitchell from CD 8, who introduced herself and mentioned the need for public education and community outreach.
- Commissioner Valerie Lynn Shaw reported on October 8, 2021 at 3:54 PM a conversation with Solomon Rivera regarding this upcoming meeting and general community outreach efforts.

Public Comment / Agenda Item Comments

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

Items Noticed for Public Hearing

Item No. (1): Summary of Commission Draft Map; Public Hearing to gather testimony on Commission Draft Map.

The Commission heard testimony from the Community.

Disclosure of *Ex Parte* Communications

No Commissioners reported any additional ex parte communications.

Adjournment

- Commissioner Denis Cagna moved the motion to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Wendy Mitchell.

Meeting adjourned.