

May 3, 2023

TO THE COMMISSION ON REDISTRICTING MEMBERS:

There will be a **Special Meeting** of the City of Bridgeport's **Commission on Redistricting** to be held on **Thursday evening, May 4, 2023** at 4:00 p.m., in the City Council Chambers, City Hall, 45 Lyon Terrace, Bridgeport, Connecticut 06604.

AGENDA

Approval of Committee Minutes: April 24, 2023 (Special Meeting)

Discussion and possible Action concerning:

- Presentation, recommendations, and input from, questions to, and discussion with, Redistricting Consultant Kim Brace.
- DRAFT No. 1 of Map and Spreadsheet (and change maps) resultant from Redistricting Commission's work session of May 2, 2023.
- Commission input, analysis, deliberations, and other action concerning further modifications to DRAFT No. 1 of Map and Spreadsheet (and change maps).
- The duties and responsibilities of, and work to be performed by, the Commission on Redistricting to prepare and adopt a Plan of Districting following the most recent decennial census of the United States consistent with the principles set forth in Subsection (a) of Bridgeport City Charter, Chapter 5, Section 2 (a) and pursuant to City Council Resolution No. 32-22 regarding the matter of Lydia N. Martinez and Maria H. Pereira v. City of Bridgeport, et. al. Superior Court for the Judicial District of Fairfield at Bridgeport – Docket No. FBT-CV-22- 6116446-S.
- Input, information, and matters raised during the Commission's May 2, 2023, public hearing, and resultant from subsequent communications.
- Further direction to, and requests for reports from, Redistricting Consultant Kim Brace of Election Data Services and/or City staff.
- Scheduling of future Commission meetings, including, but not limited to, to receipt of possible oral and/or written testimony from Bridgeport City Council members, and Bridgeport Registrars of Voters and the general public regarding the adoption of new City Council district lines.

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- Scheduling of possible Public Hearing(s) concerning DRAFT proposed Map and Spreadsheet.
- Other organizational, procedural, and scheduling matters.

Very truly yours,

Frances Ortiz
Assistant City Clerk

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Cc: Mayor Joseph P. Ganim
City Council Members
J. Hawkins, CAO
D. Shamas, Chief of Staff
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James Maye, Associate City Attorney
Bruce R. Levin, Associate City Attorney
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