



Ad-hoc Advisory Districting Committee Minutes Wednesday, July 11, 2018

Committee Members in attendance:

Yuki Ikezi
Stephen Ricossa
Barbara A. Estrada

City Staff in attendance:

Brian Doyle, City Attorney
Nadine Nader, Assistant City Manager
Jennifer Yamaguma, Acting City Clerk
Kendra Davis, Management Analyst

Approximately 57 members of the public attended this meeting.

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Chairperson Ikezi called the third meeting of the Ad-hoc Advisory Districting Committee Meeting to order in the City Hall Council Chambers. All members of the Committee were present during Roll Call.

2. Public Presentations

One member of the public addressed the Committee: Teresa Sulcer.

3. Review of Court Order Received on June 26, 2018 and Legal Requirements

City Attorney Doyle noted that this is the third public hearing to gather input per the Court Order issued on June 26, 2018. He noted that, per the Committee's action of July 7, 2018, the City submitted five draft district maps to the Court on Friday, July 6, 2018. He also reviewed the two 7-District maps submitted by the Plaintiffs and their proposed sequencing information.

4. Public Hearing to receive input and form a recommendation on District Boundaries and Election Sequencing for Council consideration in response to Court Order:

A. Presentation by Professional Demographer

A copy of Dr. Gobalet's PowerPoint from this meeting is attached.

B. Public testimony (Up to 3 minutes per speaker, may be reduced subject to number of speakers)

Amy Nguyen
Jeannie Mahan
Teresa Sulcer
Steve Quon
Rob Jerdonek
Anthony Becker

Carolyn Schuk
Patty Picard
Marie Mayer
Diane Harrison
Steve Chesman
Bruce
Bern Steves
Paul Creger
Margaret Heaman
Hazaam Haggag
Brian Christianson
Bern Steves

Motion was made by Committee Member Ricossa, seconded and unanimously carried to close the public hearing.

Motion was made by Committee Member Estrada, seconded and unanimously carried, to recommend the Amended Six-District Draft Plan 3 (including the School District Boundaries Map).

Motion was made by Committee Member Ricossa, seconded and unanimously carried, to emphasize that an at-large mayor is very important, as expressed by the citizens of Santa Clara.

Motion was made by Committee Member Estrada, seconded and unanimously carried, to submit a sequencing recommendation utilizing the Amended Six-District Draft Plan 3 wherein, Districts 2 and 3 would elect a Council Member in November 2018, and Districts 1, 4, 5 & 6 would be elected a Council Member in November 2020.

5. Adjournment

City Attorney Doyle announced that there will be a Special City Council Meeting on Monday, July 16, 2018 at 5:00 pm in the City Hall Council Chambers regarding potential ballot measures for the November 2018 election regarding district elections.

Motion was made by Committee Member Estrada, seconded and unanimously carried, to adjourn.