

**INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

**Monday, August 30, 2021
5:30 PM**

Commission Members:

DISTRICT 1 – TERRY NICOL
DISTRICT 2 – JESSE SUSSELL
DISTRICT 3 – LISA M. TRAN
DISTRICT 4 – CURTIS W. HANSON
AT-LARGE – DELORES COOPER
AT-LARGE – CARLY MICHELE ALEJOS
AT-LARGE – SHERRY SMITH

DISTRICT 5 – WINSTON RHODES
DISTRICT 6 – ELISABETH WATSON
DISTRICT 7 – SAMUEL C. TAPLIN
DISTRICT 8 – ANDREW FOX
AT-LARGE – VACANT
AT-LARGE – RONALD K. CHOY

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Roll Call: 5:37 p.m.

Present: Alejos, Choy, Cooper, Fox, Hanson, Nicol, Rhodes, Rosenthal (for Smith), Sussell, Taplin, Tran, Watson

Absent: None

Announcement regarding the resignation of At-Large Commissioner Simelia Rogers.

Commission Action Items

The public may comment on each item listed on the agenda for action as the item is taken up.

1. **Presentation on Berkeley Census Data by Redistricting Partners**

From: Independent Redistricting Commission

Contact: Mark Numainville, Commission Secretary, (510) 981-6900

Action: 0 speakers. Presentation by Redistricting Partners on the legacy data for Berkeley from the 2020 Census count. The Commission asked questions and discussed the data.

Adjournment

Action: M/S/C (Nicol/Rhodes) to adjourn the meeting.

Vote: All Ayes.

Adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct record on the Independent Redistricting Commission meeting held on August 30, 2021.

Mark Numainville
City Clerk

Communications

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