REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE



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AGENDA

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SPECIAL MEETING

August 29, 2011, 6:00 PM City Hall, Room 278

1. Call to Order and Roll Call.

Eric McDonnell, Chair Jenny Lam, Vice Chair Mike Alonso Myong Leigh Sonia Melara Marily Mondejar David Pilpel Mark Schreiber Melissa Tidwell

2. Set Regular Meeting Times and Locations. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: Meeting Room Availability)

3. Redistricting Task Force Bylaws. (Discussion only, bylaws will not be formally adopted until a future meeting.) (Explanatory Document: Draft Bylaws)

4. Communications Guidelines. (Discussion.) The Task Force will discuss its approach to communications with members of the public, City staff, City officials, local media, and others.

5. Legal Requirements for Redistricting. (Discussion.) (Explanatory Document: August 16, 2011 memorandum regarding legal requirements for redistricting) Deputy City Attorney Andrew Shen will present a brief overview of the legal requirements for redistricting.

6. Task Force Outreach Activities. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will plan outreach activities and efforts. This will include, but not be limited to, topics such as budget, times, locations, website, and possible formation of outreach committees.

7. Future Agenda Items. (Discussion.)

8. Approval of Minutes from the August 16, 2011 meeting of the Redistricting Task Force. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: August 16, 2011 Minutes)

9. Public Comment. Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction and are not on today's agenda.

10. Adjournment.

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