

2022 DECENNIAL REAPPORTIONMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION (R.A.C.)

Meeting #10 – September 29, 2022 - 6PM

Chairman Safranek called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m. on Thursday, September 29, 2022. Present were Commission Members Duane Perkins and Benjamin Chianese. Absent was Commission Member John Priola. Present from the City was Appointed Outside Counsel Joseph Mortelliti. Present from the public was Tom Brown, Resident.

A motion was made by Councilman Perkins, and seconded by Councilman Chianese to accept the Minutes, as copies were distributed to all Members. The motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Councilman Chianese, seconded by Councilman Perkins, to accept the Map: Version 3. 2 Yes Votes, 1 No Vote (Safranek). Motion fails (due to Charter requirements of a super majority).

Mr. Chianese explained that the map is meant to be a starting point for the council. Attorney Mortelliti clarified that the council can reach out to commission members to ask them for their suggestions and input in the future, however, submission of a map only occurs when a super majority approve a map/plan.

Mr. Perkins supported submission of Map: Version 3. Mr. Safranek explained his vote against (submitting Map: Version 3) due to two commission members not being able to review the map in detail.

A motion was made by Chairman Perkins, and seconded by Councilman Chianese, to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Safranek, Chair
Duane Perkins
Benjamin Chianese