

**CITY OF LONG BEACH  
LONG BEACH INDEPENDENT  
REDISTRICTING COMMISSION  
MINUTES**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 2021  
TELECONFERENCE, 6:00 PM**

Alejandra Gutierrez, Chair  
Sharon Diggs-Jackson, Vice Chair  
Genna Beckenhaupt, Commissioner  
Thomas Cooper, Commissioner  
Ryan Giffen, Commissioner  
Frank Gutierrez, Commissioner  
Nicole Lopez, Commissioner



Marissa Martinez, Commissioner  
Kelly Nhim, Commissioner  
Eric Oates, Commissioner  
Feliza Ortiz-Licon, Commissioner  
Zhelinrentice Scott, Commissioner  
Sevly Snguon, Commissioner

Alternates  
Josias Gonzalez, Commissioner  
Melody Osuna, Commissioner

**FINISHED AGENDA & DRAFT MINUTES**

**COUNCIL DISTRICT 3 MEETING**

**LONG BEACH INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION MEETING  
VIA TELECONFERENCE PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER N-08-21  
ISSUED BY GOVERNOR GAVIN NEWSOM**

**CALL TO ORDER (6:03 PM)**

At 6:03 PM, Chair Gutierrez called the meeting to order.

**ROLL CALL (6:03 PM)**

**Commissioners** Genna Beckenhaupt, Thomas Cooper, Ryan Giffen, Frank  
**Present:** Gutierrez, Nicole Lopez, Marissa Martinez, Kelly Nhim, Eric  
Oates, Zhelinrentice Scott, Sevly Snguon, Sharon  
Diggs-Jackson and Alejandra Gutierrez  
**Commissioners** Feliza Ortiz-Licon  
**Absent:**

Also present: Josias Gonzalez, Alternate Commissioner; Melody Osuna, Alternate Commissioner; Kevin Jackson, Deputy City Manager, Bradley Bounds II, Redistricting Project Specialist; Amy Webber, Deputy City Attorney; Taylor Anderson, Deputy City Attorney; Jonathan Nagayama, City Clerk Analyst.

Chair Gutierrez provided opening remarks.

### **REGULAR AGENDA (6:07 PM)**

1. 21-063RC Recommendation to approve the minutes of the Long Beach Independent Redistricting Commission Regular Meeting on Wednesday, June 23, 2021.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Beckenhaupt, seconded by Commissioner Giffen, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 12 - Genna Beckenhaupt, Thomas Cooper, Ryan Giffen, Frank Gutierrez, Nicole Lopez, Marissa Martinez, Kelly Nhim, Eric Oates, Zhelinrentice Scott, Sevely Sngun, Sharon Diggs-Jackson and Alejandra Gutierrez

**Absent:** 1 - Feliza Ortiz-Licon

2. 21-065RC Recommendation to receive and file Commissioner disclosures pursuant to Rule 13 of the Long Beach Independent Redistricting Commission Bylaws.

Amy Webber, Deputy City Attorney, spoke; and presented the staff report.

Commissioner Cooper spoke.

Amy Webber, Deputy City Attorney, spoke.

Rae Gabelich spoke.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Scott, seconded by Commissioner Gutierrez, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 12 - Genna Beckenhaupt, Thomas Cooper, Ryan Giffen, Frank Gutierrez, Nicole Lopez, Marissa Martinez, Kelly Nhim, Eric Oates, Zhelinrentice Scott, Sevely Sngun, Sharon Diggs-Jackson and Alejandra Gutierrez

**Absent:** 1 - Feliza Ortiz-Licon

**3. 21-064RC**

Recommendation to receive and file a presentation on the 2021 City of Long Beach redistricting process, requirements, timeline, and schedule; and

Receive and file testimony from members of the public on Communities of Interest, a connected population that shares common social and economic interests that should be included within a single City Council district, with a focus on Council District 3.

Chair Gutierrez spoke; and provided a PowerPoint presentation.

Commissioner Gonzalez spoke; and continued the PowerPoint presentation.

Commissioner Cooper spoke; and continued the PowerPoint presentation.

Paul Mitchell, Redistricting Partners, spoke; and continued the PowerPoint presentation.

Hap Wood spoke.

Suzie Price spoke.

Andy Pesich spoke.

Dave Shukla spoke.

William Thomas spoke.

Rae Gabelich spoke.

Johanna Hern spoke.

Tiffany Semoy Davy spoke.

Jeff Mallin spoke.

Chair Gutierrez spoke.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Nhim, seconded by Commissioner Beckenhaupt, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 12 - Genna Beckenhaupt, Thomas Cooper, Ryan Giffen, Frank Gutierrez, Nicole Lopez, Marissa Martinez, Kelly Nhim, Eric Oates, Zhelinrentice Scott, Sevly Sngun, Sharon Diggs-Jackson and Alejandra Gutierrez

**Absent:** 1 - Feliza Ortiz-Licon

Chair Gutierrez declared a recess at 7:06 PM.

Chair Gutierrez called the meeting back to order at 7:13 PM.

4. 21-066RC Recommendation to receive and file a report on the upcoming Council District Community of Interest Outreach hybrid meetings.

Bradley Bounds II, Redistricting Project Specialist, spoke; and presented the staff report.

Commissioner Cooper spoke.

Bradley Bounds II, Redistricting Project Specialist, spoke.

Commissioner Lopez spoke.

Chair Gutierrez spoke.

Commissioner Nhim spoke.

Chair Gutierrez spoke.

Vice Chair Diggs-Jackson spoke.

Commissioner Gutierrez spoke.

Chair Gutierrez spoke.

**A motion was made by Vice Chair Diggs-Jackson, seconded by Commissioner Martinez, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 12 - Genna Beckenhaupt, Thomas Cooper, Ryan Giffen, Frank Gutierrez, Nicole Lopez, Marissa Martinez, Kelly Nhim, Eric Oates, Zhelinrentice Scott, Sevely Sngun, Sharon Diggs-Jackson and Alejandra Gutierrez

**Absent:** 1 - Feliza Ortiz-Licon

5. 21-069RC eComments and emails received for the Long Beach Independent Redistricting Commission meeting of Wednesday, July 7, 2021.

**This RC-Agenda Item was received and filed.**

**PUBLIC COMMENT (7:24 PM)**

No members of the public addressed the Commission.

**INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION STAFF COMMENTS (7:24 PM)**

Jonathan Nagayama, City Clerk Analyst, spoke.

Kevin Jackson, Deputy City Manager, spoke.

Bradley Bounds II, Redistricting Project Specialist, spoke.

**REMARKS FROM THE CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS (7:24 PM)**

Vice Chair Diggs-Jackson spoke.

Bradley Bounds II, Redistricting Project Specialist, spoke.

Commissioner Lopez spoke.

Commissioner Giffen spoke.

Commissioner Beckenhaupt spoke.

Chair Gutierrez spoke.

Commissioner Scott spoke.

Vice Chair Diggs-Jackson spoke.

Commissioner Osuna spoke.

Amy Webber, Deputy City Attorney, spoke.

Patricia Aleman, Communication Coordinator, spoke.

**ADJOURNMENT (7:39 PM)**

At 7:39 PM, there being no objections, Chair Gutierrez declared the meeting adjourned.

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