



Districting in Windsor: Hearing 3 – Line Drawing

February 13, 2019

Overview

- ▶ The process so far
- ▶ Data collection:
 - 2 previous hearings and 1 meeting
 - In person and by email
- ▶ Digitizing feedback and geography
- ▶ Moving into the next phase

Suggested process

- ▶ Council gives direction about number of districts
- ▶ Consultants will provide overview of digitized Community of Interest feedback
- ▶ Council decides the location where the first district should begin
- ▶ Consultants will construct each district per Council direction using the districting criteria

What will the Council see?

- ▶ A map of the Town with detailed geography
- ▶ The census geography on top of the Town's geography
- ▶ A small box that shows the population for the district that is being created
- ▶ The changing population count and percent deviation from the ideal population as the district is being constructed

A quick reminder of the criteria

- ▶ Equal Population
 - 5 Districts Ideal Population = 5,360 people per district
 - 4 Districts Ideal Population = 6,700 people per district
- ▶ Compliance with Federal Voting Rights Act (FVRA)
- ▶ Contiguity
- ▶ Compactness
- ▶ Respect for Communities of Interest

Sequencing

- ▶ Once preliminary districts have been constructed, the Council will be able to discuss the sequencing of future elections
 - i.e which districts will be up for election in 2020 versus 2022
- ▶ Sequencing will take into account the position of Mayor

Other opportunities to participate

- ▶ **February 16, 10am–12pm; Mary Agatha Furth Center, 8400 Old Redwood Highway**
- ▶ **February 25, 6pm; Council Chambers at Town Hall**
- ▶ **March 6, 6pm; Council Chambers at Town Hall**
- ▶ **March 20, 6pm; Council Chambers at Town Hall**

How to get involved and where to learn more

To participate in the process: testify, submit written testimony, send supporting information to the Town.

Please provide information about your Community of Interest or other topics the Town needs to know about as soon as possible.

Submit information

- at a hearing, by mail, or drop off at the Town Manager's office
- Via email: DistrictElections@townofwindsor.com
- Get info online at <https://www.townofwindsor.com/1149/District-Election-Information>

THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING!!!