

AD HOC REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE AGENDA

April 21, 2011

3pm, Legislative Conference Room

1. WELCOME: Chairman Keibel

MISSION: The mission of this committee is to develop a proposal for presentation to the County Administration Committee to redistrict Broome County's population by Legislative District to comply with (1) changes in population as the result of the 2010 census and (2) the will of the voters by reducing the number of Legislators from 19 to 15.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes of April 7, 2011

3. SUBMITTED MAPS

a. Chairman Keibel: I want to thank everyone who spent the time and made the effort to construct a map(s). There are a lot of good ideas here. I want to single out Doug English for his expertise and technical guidance without which this mapping process would have been much more difficult for all of us.

There are 11 maps posted for our viewing pleasure. All are anonymously and randomly labeled. I propose that we take a few minutes to review all the maps. Discussion to follow.

All 11 maps will be posted in .PDF format on the GIS site for general viewing.
http://www.bcgis.com/website/gisweb/redist_info.htm

b. Timetable:

No new, original maps will be accepted. If someone wants to amend/alter their existing map, itemize the changes and Mr. English will create a replacement map for the Committee to post. Be prepared at the next meeting to discuss the changes.

On Tuesday, April 26 we will reconvene and select 3 maps of the 11 submitted to go forward.

On Thursday, April 28 we will reconvene and select one map to be recommended to and transmitted to the County Administration Committee for action in the May committee cycle. The County Administration Committee will review the recommended map at its next meeting.

Following the Committee's selection on April 28, the recommended map will be posted on the GIS site and the public will be notified of the website and will have the opportunity to submit comments in writing until May 10.

4. NEXT MEETING: Two meetings remain: Tuesday April 26, at 4:00pm and the final meeting Thursday April 28 at 4:00pm, both in the large conference room.

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