

## MINUTES

### SENATE COMMITTEE ON REDISTRICTING, SPECIAL

Monday, January 25, 2021

9:00 AM

Senate Chamber

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Pursuant to a notice posted in accordance with Senate Rule 11.10 and 11.18, a public hearing of the Senate Committee on Redistricting, Special was held on Monday, January 25, 2021, in the Senate Chamber.

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#### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Senator Joan Huffman, Chair  
Senator Juan Hinojosa, Vice Chair  
Senator Carol Alvarado  
Senator Brian Birdwell  
Senator Dawn Buckingham  
Senator Kelly Hancock  
Senator Bryan Hughes  
Senator Eddie Lucio, Jr.  
Senator Robert Nichols  
Senator Angela Paxton  
Senator Charles Perry  
Senator Royce West  
Senator John Whitmire

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT:**

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The chair called the meeting to order at 9:04 AM. There being a quorum present, the following business was transacted:

The following committee members attended/participated via videoconference:

Senator Paul Bettencourt  
Senator Donna Campbell  
Senator Nathan Johnson  
Senator José Menéndez

The following non-committee members attended/participated in-person:

Senator Cesar Blanco

Senator Roland Gutierrez

Senator Kel Seliger

The Chair made opening remarks and introduced committee staff. The Chair recognized other members to make opening statements and introduce their staff representatives.

Senator Hinojosa moved adoption of the committee rules. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Dr. Lloyd Potter, Texas Demographer provided invited testimony.

At 11:15 AM Senator Huffman moved that the Committee stand recessed.

At 11:30 AM Senator Huffman reconvened the meeting.

The following witnesses provided public testimony via videoconferencing (see attached witness list).

The chair moved that the public testimony be closed; without objection, it was so ordered.

There being no further business, at 12:20 PM Senator Huffman moved that the Committee stand recessed subject to the call of the chair. Without objection, it was so ordered.

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Senator Joan Huffman, Chair

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Koy Kunkel, Clerk