



**CITY OF YPSILANTI
ELECTION COMMISSION MEETING
Friday, February 25, 2022 @ 9:00 AM
Council Chambers
One South Huron, Ypsilanti, MI 48197**

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

City Attorney John Barr
City Assessor Courtney Dugger
City Clerk Andrew Hellenga

III. AGENDA APPROVAL

IV. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

V. DISCUSSION ITEMS

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A. Approving the minutes of December 13, 2022.
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B. Resolution No. 2022-001, approving the precinct consolidation for the May 3, 2022 Special Election.
[Resolution No. 2022-001 Consolidation](#)

VI. ADJOURNMENT



MINUTES ELECTION COMMISSION Meeting

5:00 PM - Monday, December 13, 2021
Council Chambers

The ELECTION COMMISSION of the City of Ypsilanti was called to order on Monday, December 13, 2021, at 5:00 PM, on the Zoom Platform.

1 CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 PM

2 ROLL CALL

City Attorney John Barr (Washtenaw County, City of Ypsilanti)
City Assessor Courtney Borden (Washtenaw County, City of Ypsilanti)
City Clerk Andrew Hellenga (Washtenaw County, City of Ypsilanti)

3 AGENDA APPROVAL

John Barr moved, seconded by Courtney Borden to approve the agenda as submitted. On a voice vote, the motion carried.

4 AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

None

5 APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a) Approving the minutes of December 10, 2021

Courtney Borden moved, seconded by John Barr, to approve the minutes from December 10, 2021. On a voice vote, the motion carried.

6 PUBLIC HEARINGS

a) Presentation of the 2021 Redistricting Plan
b) Public Hearing

None

- c) Resolution No. 2021-001, recommending City Council Approval of the proposed 2021 Redistricting Plan

John Barr moved, seconded by Courtney Borden to approve Resolution No. 2021-001

3 - Yes 0 - No 0 - Absent Vote - Carried

RESOLVED BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF YPSILANTI:

WHEREAS, the Election Commission has reviewed 2020 U.S. Census data describing the current population of the City of Ypsilanti and its wards as last established by Ypsilanti City Council in 2010; and

WHEREAS, the Commission finds the Census 2020 data shows that the populations of Ypsilanti City Wards 1, 2, and 3 are not within the standard of 95% to 105% of the optimal ward population in accordance MCL 4.261 (1) (d) and the population distribution between Wards 2 and 3 must be realigned as is practicable in accordance with Section 117.27a of the Michigan Home Rule City Act.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Election Commission hereby recommends Ypsilanti City Council approve the attached plan for redistricting.

7 ADJOURNMENT

John Barr moved, seconded by Courtney Borden to adjourn the meeting at 5:05 PM. On a voice vote the motion carried.



Resolution No. 2022-001
February 25, 2022

RESOLVED BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF YPSILANTI:

WHEAREAS, Michigan Election Code Section 168.569 allows for consolidation of election precincts for certain elections, including the May 3, 2022 Special Election, to contain not more than 5000 electors per consolidated precinct; and

WHEREAS, consolidating these precincts will result in cost savings and will improve efficiency in conducting the election;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Ypsilanti Election Commission approves the consolidation of precincts for the May 3, 2022 Special Election as follows:

Ward 2 Precincts 1, 2, and 3	Estabrook Elementary School	1555 W. Cross St.
Ward 2 Precinct 4 & Ward 3 Precinct 1	EMU Honors College	501 W. Forest St.
Ward 3 Precinct 2 & 3	Ypsilanti International Elementary School	

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Clerk be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Washtenaw County Clerk's office.

OFFERED BY: _____

SUPPORTED BY: _____

YES: NO: ABSENT: VOTE: