



Judicial Redistricting Commission

64th Montana Legislature

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Final Agenda

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9:00 a.m.

State Capitol, Room 102

1. Call to order; roll call -- Judge Greg Todd, Presiding Officer
2. Update on previous information requests
 - Beth McLaughlin, Court Administrator
 - budget issues (actual costs to add "judge package" or standing master; Judicial Branch budget recommendations for 2019 Biennium)
 - standing masters (role/workloads, how they are funded, history of District Court Council discussions on how to account for standing masters in the judicial need model)
 - Judge Greg Todd, 13th Judicial District
 - treatment courts (effectiveness, workload on judges and others, perspectives and insights)
3. Discussion of commissioners' redistricting proposals
 - Rachel Weiss, Research Analyst, Legislative Services -- review of maps and staff analysis packet for proposals
 - Review process for each proposal
 - Overview of the proposal by the commissioner who offered it
 - Questions from commissioners
 - Public comment*
 - *The presiding officer will call for breaks and lunch, as appropriate.*
 - Proposal 1 - Rep. Nate McConnell
 - Proposal 2 - Sen. Kristin Hansen
 - Proposal 3 - Judge Greg Todd
 - Proposal 4 - Judge Greg Todd
 - Proposal 5 - Rep. Nate McConnell
 - Proposal 6 - Rep. Nate McConnell
4. Public comment on topics other than specific proposals that are under the purview of the commission*

5. Commission Work Session
 - Possible Action Item(s):
 - Commission discussion and decision on recommendations to the 2017 Legislature, if any
 - Discuss next steps, additional directions for further research or agenda topics, final report, next meeting date(s)
6. Adjourn

*Public comment provided in person to the commission is a public record that is videotaped, archived, and available on the Internet. Public comment submitted in writing at a commission meeting is a public record that will be posted to the legislative Web site as part of the minutes log for the commission meeting.

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