

# Michigan Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission

In Person Public Hearing with Virtual Zoom Webinar. Full agenda, presentations, and video recordings are available at [www.Michigan.gov/MICRC](http://www.Michigan.gov/MICRC)

**Thursday, May 9, 2024**  
**Wayne State University**  
**Student Center**  
**5221 Guillen Mall**  
**Detroit, MI 48202**  
**10:09 a.m.- 7:04 p.m.**

## MINUTES

### **PRESENT**

Elaine Andrade  
Donna Callaghan (*joined at 1:40 p.m., remotely from Mexico*)  
Juanita Curry (*joined at 4:00 p.m., remotely from Detroit, MI*)  
Anthony Eid  
Brittni Kellom  
Rhonda Lange (*remotely from Osceola County, MI*)  
Steven Lett  
Marcus Muldoon  
Cynthia Orton  
Rebecca Szetela (*remotely from Wayne County, MI*)  
Janice Vallette  
Erin Wagner (*joined at 1:40 p.m., remotely from Eaton County, MI*)  
Richard Weiss (*remotely from Saginaw, MI*)

### **ABSENT**

None.

### **OTHERS PRESENT**

Edward Woods III, Executive Director  
Michigan Department of State (“MDOS”) Staff  
Nate Fink, Fink Bressack  
John Morgan, Election Data Services (EDS)  
Ryan Taylor, EDS

### **CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME**

Commissioner Eid, Chair, called the meeting of the Michigan Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission (MICRC) to order at 10:09 a.m.

### **ROLL CALL**

MDOS staff called roll. A quorum was met.

## **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

**MOTION:** Approve the agenda. Moved by Commissioner Lett. Supported by Commissioner Weiss. Commissioner Eid, Chair, held a vote on the motion to approve the agenda, by show of hands. **MOTION APPROVED.**

## **PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO AGENDA TOPICS**

Commissioner Eid, Chair, put a motion “to begin public comment pertaining to agenda topics portion of the agenda” forward without objection, which was adopted.

Thirteen individuals provided in person public comment: Reverend Larence Jackson, Anthony Scannell, Cathy Cerose, Lettice Meadows, Ghana Goodwin-Dye, Janeen Eldiri, Chris Johnson, Regina Williams, Doriscine Wesley, Darwin Griffin, Stacey Deering, Wallace Chambers, and Sarah Ismael.

Two individuals provided public remote comment: James Gallant and Vernard Meadows.

A complete inventory of live and written public comment is available at:  
[www.Michigan.gov/MICRC](http://www.Michigan.gov/MICRC).

## **MAPPING**

Collaborative mapping by the Commission.

**MOTION:** Recess for lunch until 1:30 p.m. Moved by Commissioner Kellom. Supported by Commissioner Lett. Commissioner Eid, Chair, held a vote by show of hands. **MOTION APPROVED.**

Commission recessed at 12:30 p.m. Commissioner Eid, Chair, called the meeting back to order at 1:40 p.m. and requested a roll call.

<u><b>Commissioner</b></u>	<u><b>Roll Call</b></u>
<b>Elaine Andrade</b>	Present
<b>Donna Callaghan</b>	Present
<b>Juanita Curry</b>	Not Present
<b>Anthony Eid</b>	Present
<b>Brittni Kellom</b>	Present
<b>Rhonda Lange</b>	Present
<b>Steve Lett</b>	Present
<b>Marcus Muldoon</b>	Present
<b>Cynthia Orton</b>	Present

<b>Rebecca Szetela</b>	Present
<b>Janice Vallette</b>	Present
<b>Erin Wagner</b>	Present
<b>Richard Weiss</b>	Present

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO AGENDA TOPICS**

Commissioner Eid, Chair, put a motion “to begin public comment pertaining to agenda topics portion of the agenda” forward without objection, which was adopted.

Two individuals provided in person public comment: Arthur Bryant and Sammy Mansour.

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Collaborative mapping by the Commission.

**MOTION:** Recess until 4:00 p.m. Moved by Commissioner Kellom. Supported by Commissioner Orton. Commissioner Eid, Chair, held a vote by show of hands. **MOTION APPROVED.**

Commission recessed at 3:00 p.m. Commissioner Eid, Chair, called the meeting back to order at 4:07 p.m. and requested a roll call.

<u><b>Commissioner</b></u>	<u><b>Roll Call</b></u>
<b>Elaine Andrade</b>	Present
<b>Donna Callaghan</b>	Present
<b>Juanita Curry</b>	Present
<b>Anthony Eid</b>	Present
<b>Brittni Kellom</b>	Present
<b>Rhonda Lange</b>	Present
<b>Steve Lett</b>	Present
<b>Marcus Muldoon</b>	Present ( <i>left at 6:00 p.m.</i> )
<b>Cynthia Orton</b>	Present
<b>Rebecca Szetela</b>	Present
<b>Janice Vallette</b>	Present

**Erin Wagner** Present (*left at 5:17 p.m.*)  
**Richard Weiss** Present (*left at 6:00 p.m.*)

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO AGENDA TOPICS**

Commissioner Eid, Chair, put a motion “to begin public comment pertaining to agenda topics portion of the agenda” forward without objection, which was adopted.

Seven individuals provided in person public comment: Lamar Lemmons, Gary Moorehead, Alexander Silitorf, Cassidy Conley, Carlston Conley, Nicholas Barnes, and Pastor Steve Bland.

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**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORTS**

Commissioner Eid, Chair, requested that Executive Director Woods facilitate this topic. Executive Director Woods reminded the Commission that they will meet virtually next week on Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Wednesday May 15<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., and Thursday May 16<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Executive Director Woods also discussed updates to the Commission website.

**FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

None.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

None.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION:** Adjourn the Meeting. Moved by Commissioner Lett. Supported by Commissioner Vallette. Commissioner Eid, Chair, held a vote by show of hands.  
**MOTION APPROVED.**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:04 p.m.