

# **MINUTES**

# **Temporary Redistricting Advisory Commission**

April 1, 2011

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Maggie Tinsman, Chairperson Rose Brown Lance Ehmcke Matt Paul Eric Turner

# MEETING IN BRIEF

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- I. Procedural Business.
- II. Public Hearings.
- III. Review of Proposed Congressional and Legislative Districts.



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#### I. Procedural Business.

**Call to Order**. The fourth meeting of the Temporary Redistricting Advisory Commission was called to order at 10:13 a.m., Friday, April 1, 2011, in Room 103 of the State Capitol.

**Minutes from the Previous Meeting.** The minutes from the February 25, 2011, meeting of the Commission were approved.

Adjournment. The Commission adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

### II. Public Hearings.

Mr. Glen Dickinson and Mr. Gary Rudicil, Legislative Services Agency, reviewed the times, locations, and travel plans for the four public hearings to take place during the week of April 4, 2011.

### III. Review of Proposed Congressional and Legislative Districts.

Mr. Ed Cook, Legislative Services Agency, provided the Commission with a review of the proposed congressional and legislative districts that were publicly released on March 31, 2011. Mr. Cook provided information regarding the population and Voting Rights Act analysis conducted by the Legislative Services Agency, the congressional redistricting standards, the statistics of the proposed congressional plan, the legislative redistricting standards, the statistics of the proposed legislative plan, and a comparison of past congressional and legislative plan characteristics. Mr. Cook briefly described the redistricting process following the release of the first proposed congressional and legislative redistricting plans.

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