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**Standing Joint Legislative Committee on Reapportionment and the Standing Joint
Congressional Redistricting Committee**

House Subcommittee

Agenda: March 27, 2022

1. Call to order
2. Roll call
3. Consideration/adoption of a Mississippi House of Representatives plan developed per the provisions of MISS. CODE ANN. Section 5-3-91 et seq.
4. Adjournment

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**Standing Joint Legislative Committee on Reapportionment and the Standing Joint
Congressional Redistricting Committee
House Subcommittee**

Meeting of March 27, 2022

The House Subcommittee of The Standing Joint Legislative Committee on Reapportionment met at 3:00 PM on March 27, 2022, in Room 216 of the New Capitol Building in Jackson, Mississippi.

Present

Representative Jim Beckett
Representative Bo Brown
Representative Dan Eubanks
Representative Kevin Ford
Representative Vince Mangold
Representative John Read
Representative Fred Shanks
Representative Cheikh Taylor
Representative Jason White

Absent

Representative Ed Blackmon

Also Present:

(Hon.) Tommie Cardin
(Hon.) Parker Berry
Ben Collins

After calling the meeting to order and determining the presence of a quorum, Chairman Beckett presented a proposed plan to redistrict the Mississippi House of Representatives to the membership. The plan comports with the criteria the Joint Committee adopted at its November 12, 2021, meeting. Further, it has been reviewed by experts under contract to the Committee's attorneys. It creates four incumbent pairs, and moves two districts to areas where the state has experienced considerable population growth. District 20 has been moved from Northeast Mississippi to DeSoto county, and District 33 has been moved from the Grenada, Yalobusha, Tallahatchie County area to Harrison County.

The Chairman entertained questions from the membership.

Representative Brown asked if the maps accurately represented all 122 districts in the Mississippi House of Representatives. The Chairman answered that it did.

Representative Eubanks asked if the maps were available electronically. The Chairman stated that the maps would be on the Joint Committee's website when approved by the Joint Committee.

There being no further questions, the Chairman called for a motion to adopt the plan.

Representative Mangold made a motion to adopt the plan. The motion was seconded by Representative Read. The subcommittee approved the plan by a voice vote, with no member wishing to be recorded as voting no.

Representative Ford entered a motion to reconsider which was seconded by Representative Shanks.

Representative Shanks made a motion to table the motion to reconsider, which was seconded by Representative Ford. The motion to table was adopted with no member wishing to be recorded as voting no.

The House subcommittee adjourned at 3:16 PM.


Representative Jim Beckett, Chair