



MINUTES
Task Force on Redistricting
Monday, July 19, 2021

The special meeting of the Task Force on Redistricting of the Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council was held on Monday, July 19, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. using Zoom videoconferencing. Members Travis Longcore (Chair), Ellen Evans, Robin Greenberg, Nickie Miner, Cathy Wayne, and Robert Schlesinger were present. The minutes of the previous meeting on June 28, 2021 were approved as circulated with the agenda.

The Task Force heard reports from members and held a discussion about communities of interest.

The Task Force debated and adopted unanimously the following motion to be recommended to the Board:

Whereas Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council represents an area that is contiguous and bounded by natural boundaries of the 405 Freeway, Sunset Boulevard, Laurel Canyon Boulevard, and Mulholland Drive,

Whereas Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council and its stakeholders share a common identity that is characterized by the opportunities and challenges of hillside living, including appreciation of the natural landscape and wildlife, presence and risks of wildfire, concern about hillside development patterns, issues arising from traffic including the four major boulevards that connect the Westside to the San Fernando Valley, and shared engagement in the same commercial neighborhoods to the south where many residents work and shop, and

Whereas the City of Los Angeles Redistricting Commission is soliciting input on communities of interest in advance of receiving census data to draw new lines,

Therefore BABCNC authorizes its Redistricting Task Force to submit a letter to the City of Los Angeles Redistricting Commission stating these positions and requesting that BABCNC be kept within a single council district that is the successor to current Council District 5.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 P.M.

Travis Longcore, Chair