

Apportionment Commission
Draft Minutes of Meeting of Friday, September 24, 2021

The Apportionment Commission met on Friday, September 24, 2021. The meeting was conducted remotely by Zoom.

1. The meeting was convened at 11:00 am. It was determined that a quorum of the Commission was present. Members of the Commission participating remotely were Senators Jackson, Davis, & Bennett; Representatives Dunphy, Perry, Brennan, Parry, Kryzak, & Morris; and Citizen or Party Designated Members Josh Tardy, Bev Uhlenhake, Matt Moonen, Joe Turcotte, and Chair Donald Alexander.

3. The Commission reviewed and discussed issues before it relating to the draft descriptions and maps for apportionment of the Maine House of Representatives which had been circulated to the public. In the discussion the Commission accepted as part of the House plan agreed adjustments from the original plan. With those adjustments accepted as part of the House proposal, the Commission considered a motion to approve the unified plan for apportionment of the House of Representatives. The roll was called and following the recorded vote, the unified plan for the House of Representatives was approved all members of the Commission present voting in the affirmative.

4. The Commission considered the plan, description and map which had been circulated for apportionment of the Congressional Districts. On a motion to approve the unified plan for apportionment of the Congressional Districts, the roll was called. Following a recorded vote, the unified plan for the Congressional Districts was approved, all members of the Commission present voting in the affirmative.

5. The Commission set the next meeting date for Monday, September 27 at 11:00 am, to consider any Senate plan that might be available and to consider the final Commission report. The meeting will be entirely remote.

7. The Commission adjourned at approximately 11:50 am.