

SPECIAL REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE

August 21, 2001

4:30 PM

Chairman Rivard called the meeting to order.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Robert Rivard, William Gardner, Fernand Gelinas

Messrs.: Alderman Shea, Alderman Vaillancourt and Frank Thomas

Chairman Rivard addressed item 3 of the agenda:

3. Review of proposed ward boundaries.

Discussion ensued with various individuals present regarding the most recent revised ward boundaries in Wards 5, 6, 7, 8 & 9 which was presented to the committee.

Alderman Vaillancourt questioned the boundary line as it pertained to Doris Street.

After review of the area in question, it was the consensus of the committee members that Doris Street should be placed back into Ward 8 as previously had been.

Mr. Thomas explained that there had been a typographical error in reference to Ward 6 whereby it should read "thence 'easterly' by the centerline of Oakland Avenue to the centerline of Platts Avenue;" rather than "westerly". The committee made note of such change.

Mr. Gardner moved to adopt the proposed ward boundaries plan as amended and to refer to the full Board of Mayor and Aldermen for referral to a public hearing to be conducted by the Special Redistricting Committee on Thursday, August 30, 2001 at 6:00 PM in the Aldermanic Chambers of City Hall, One City Hall Plaza. Mr. Gelinas duly seconded the motion. There being none opposed, the motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the committee, on motion of Mr. Gelinas, duly seconded by Mr. Gardner, it was voted to adjourn.

A True Record. Attest.

Clerk of Committee