

MOTION

NO. M-21-306

CITY HALL: August 5, 2021

BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORENO AND GLAPION

WHEREAS, the Council is mandated by Section 3-103 (2) of the Home Rule Charter to redistrict itself by ordinance within six months of the official publication of the decennial census; and

WHEREAS, the official publication is anticipated to be received no later than September 2021; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has an interest in providing ample opportunities to engage the public in the redistricting process; and

WHEREAS, Council Rule 37 provides for the creation of Special Council Committees; and

WHEREAS, Council Rule 2 provides the organizational qualities of a Committee of the Whole; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to establish the Election and Reapportionment Committee to gain information regarding redistricting and reapportionment, generally, prior to the release of the official numbers, and to create a vehicle for public outreach and input;

NOW THEREFORE

BE IT MOVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, pursuant to Rule 37 of the Rules and Regulations of the Council that the Council hereby authorizes the creation of a special committee as a Committee of the Whole pursuant to Rule 2 to discuss issues related to reapportionment. The foregoing shall be known as the *Election and Reapportionment Committee*.

BE IT FURTHER MOVED, That the membership of the *Election and Reapportionment*

Committee shall be comprised of the whole City Council, being:

Councilmember Moreno – At-Large
Councilmember Glapion – At-Large
Councilmember Giarrusso – Council District A
Councilmember Banks – Council District B
Councilmember Giselson Palmer – Council District C
Councilmember Brossett – Council District D
Councilmember Nguyen – Council District E

THE FOREGOING MOTION WAS READ IN FULL, THE ROLL WAS CALLED

ON THE ADOPTION THEREOF, THE RESULT WAS AS FOLLOWS:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

AND THE MOTION WAS ADOPTED.