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## **Republican Party of Minnesota Reapportionment Memo**

In order to provide for an orderly procedure for the Republican Party of Minnesota to restructure, Chairman Hann is implementing the Reapportionment Plan set forth in the Reapportionment manual approved April of 2021. Since only the RPM and County BPOUs will not be affected, the state party will oversee the organizing and endorsing Legislative BPOU and CD conventions throughout the state and assist any County BPOUs.

### **Existing County BPOUs Shall Remain in Effect**

Our interpretation of the new Legislative boundaries released by the court, is that no County BPOU will be forced by MNGOP Const., Article IV, Sec. 4 to divide into SD or HD BPOUs. These conventions can proceed so long as every Delegate and Alternate has been properly issued a call 10 days in advance of the convention. Staff is working to collect PCRC forms from Precincts and review the data. We ask you retain and transmit electronic and physical forms to MNGOP HQ. Since District lines were released after Caucus, no endorsements may take place at these County conventions unless the Convention calls included a notice for that district at least 10 days in advance.

### **All Existing SD & HD BPOUs Are Hereby Dissolved**

Effective immediately, all of the SD & HD BPOUs no longer have the power to call their own conventions or conduct official party business. The State Party Chair is required to appoint a convener of a Senate District arrangements committee consisting of existing BPOU officers in any area not meeting as a County BPOU. Only the State Party Chair may issue calls for Legislative District organizing committees.

Please pause any planning and reach out to party staff so they can work with you to coordinate these actions. Hold any venue reservations.

### **All Existing CDs Are Hereby Dissolved**

Effective immediately, all of the CDs no longer have the power to call their own conventions or conduct official party business. The State Party Chair is required to appoint a convener of a Congressional District arrangements committee consisting of any existing CD officers in the new geographic area. Only the State Party Chair may issue calls for Congressional District organizing committees.

Please pause any planning and reach out to party staff so they can work with you to coordinate these actions. Hold any venue reservations.

### **Lists to Candidates**

Excluding County BPOU Chairs, any lists to candidates should be coming from the State Party due to the significant redistricting of both Legislative and Congressional district lines. All previous HDSB BPOUs and Congressional Districts should ensure the State Party has full and accurate Caucus data and direct candidates to the State Party to receive lists. List agreements are strongly suggested for any list distribution and are available on [MNGOP.com/Action-Center](http://MNGOP.com/Action-Center).

Be it resolved, under the provisions of the Reapportionment Manual, Chairman Hann with the approval of the State Executive committee declares that the results of any Convention are null and void unless the requirements noted above and any other pertinent requirements in the State Party Constitution and the Reapportionment manual are met.

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