Maryland Citizens Redistricting Commission
Hispanic/Latinx Community

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Brief Overview

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Hispanics/Latinx Population Census Growth

State of Maryland
8% to 12%

- Baltimore City
  4% to 8%
- Montgomery County
  17% to 21%
- Prince George’s County
  15% to 21%

Elementary School Enrollment approx. 30%
Maryland 2020 Census Data Maps
Adjusted Voting Age Population by Precinct
Hispanic/Latinx Population
Who are we?

- Not Monolithic
- Language Spanish
- Multi-Generational Households
- Entrepreneurs
- U.S. Born, Documented and Undocumented
- Essential Workers: Service Area, Construction, Health Care, and Hospitality Industry
Hispanic/Latinx Population
Who are we?

- **Religion** Catholic, Evangelical, and Jehovah Witness
- **Domingo** Familiar
- **Food** Diversity
- **Soccer**
Hispanic/Latinx Population Concerns

- Lack of Health Care/Benefits
- Reliable Transportation
- Food Insecurity
- Affordable Housing
- Covid 19 - Higher Risk
- Overcrowded Schools
- Fewer ESOL Programs
- College Access & Workforce Development
- Minimum Wage
Hispanic/Latinx Community
Our Neighbors
What is Equitable for the Hispanic/Latinx Community?

- **Fair Representation**
- **Elected Officials** that listen, care and understand the community
- **Political Opportunities**

- **Showcase** their native country here in Maryland like “Little Italy.”
- **Access** to Education, Jobs & Health Care
- Be considered **Marylanders**

**DRAW A MAP THAT PRESERVES CULTURE, DIVERSITY, AND GIVES POLITICAL REPRESENTATION**
COMMUNITY OF INTEREST

A geographically-bound population with some sort of common characteristic within a multi-faceted set of indicators.

Criteria:
- Population density
- Median age
- Household income
- Average household size
- Family structure
- Racial and ethnic composition
- Commuter patterns
- Educational attainment
- Occupational category and unemployment
Recommended Redistricting Ground Rules

- Equal Population
- Compactness
- Contiguity
- BIPOC Representation
- Preservation of counties and other political subdivisions
- Preservation of communities of interest
- Preservation of cores of prior districts

Transit Center in Langley Park
The State of Maryland is # 4 in the Nation as the most diverse State!

We should be a model showcasing a fair and equitable process.
¡Muchas Gracias!

Thank You!!

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