



Fells Prospect Community Association

October 2, 2023

Honorable Mayor Brandon Scott
Office of the Mayor
250 City Hall, 100 N. Holliday Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Dear Mayor Scott:

We are writing in reference to the proposed city council redistricting map introduced by Mayor Scott. FPCA borders Washington Street on the west, Patterson Park Ave to the east, Pratt Street to the north and Aliceanne Street to the south including a "peninsula" at Eastern Avenue to Anne Street as well as several blocks to the south of Patterson Park.

Upon review of the interactive map provided, our association will be split between council districts 1 and 13. We understand the need for redistricting based on population imbalance between districts however, we believe that the current plan may have adverse effects on our community, leading to increased difficulties. It will be harder to act in a cohesive manner when accessing help for city services.

The Fells Prospect Community Association would like to ask the mayor's office and the city council to provide additional time for our community association to fully understand and weigh the impacts redistricting will have on our community prior to implementation.

Thank you for your consideration,

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