

Redistricting 2022

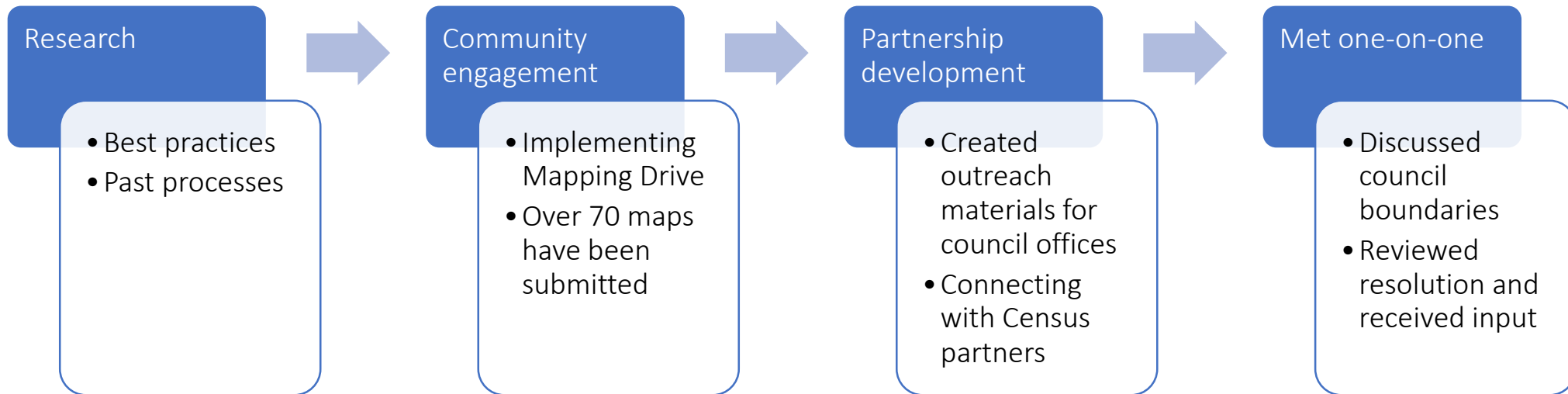
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What We've Done So Far



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Methodology

2001

- Language is consistent with 1991
- Added televised meetings on Channel 8
- Council access to computer mapping software
- 2 public hearings

2011

- Language consistent with 2001
- Added public meetings in each quadrant and one downtown
- Public could view meetings online in addition to tape recordings
- Increased emphasis on public notification through media/social media

Proposed Resolution

Interviewed each councilmember one-on-one over the past several weeks to understand your council district boundaries, community concerns, and issues.

We also discussed the content of the 2012 resolution outlining principles and procedure. The following themes emerged from those discussions.

- Increase community participation
 - Language access
 - Digital access and participation
 - More public meetings
 - More engagement *prior* to public hearing
- Increase transparency
 - Increase public access to council meetings and materials
- Respect community identity
 - Clarify how we define 'neighborhood'

Proposed Resolution

- **Section 1 – Key Changes**
- Sec.1.2: Sent language to OSEI for feedback
- Sec.1.5: Removed the word "traditional" and added the word "colloquial" to acknowledge neighborhood boundaries are not always in alignment with statistical neighborhood boundaries
- Sec. 1.7: Kept this paragraph because 9 councilmembers were in favor and 3 took issue



Proposed Resolution

Section 2 – Key Changes

- Sec.2.2 - Included language in reference to new open meeting ordinance with meetings broadcast "through electronic means"
- Sec.2.3 - Added language emphasizing public access to free online mapping software
- Sec.2.4 - Added language emphasizing that the public can review printed maps and materials at the Council Office downtown
- Sec.2.5 - Included language on language access and translation services.
- Sec.2.5 - Included language on preliminary public engagement with Representable.org mapping drive
- Sec.2.5 - Added public meetings, expanding public meetings to review maps to 6 from previous redistricting efforts
- Sec.2.6 - One public hearing prior to voting on the map



Next Steps

- After budget season a Committee of the Whole will convene to discuss the following:
 - Census data
 - Map vetting process amongst colleagues and the public
 - Maptitude trainings
 - Results of our Representable.org mapping drive
 - Begin drawing maps

