

Ward 4 Redistricting Task Force

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Welcome!

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Agenda

- Introductions
- Public Input Report Outs
- Discussion of “Discussion Maps”
- *Screen break*
- Community Outreach
- Next Steps...



Share your thoughts!

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Community Hearings

Sunday, Feb 6
(2-4 pm)

Tuesday, March 8
(7-9 pm)

Public Engagement Reminders....

WARD 4 REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE MEETINGS

VIRTUAL MEETINGS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
ASL & SPANISH INTERPRETATION PROVIDED

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Redistricting occurs every 10 years to rebalance populations for equal representation. Ward 4 is updating its political boundaries for SMDs (Single Member Districts and ANC (Advisory Neighborhood Commissions)). Testify before the Ward 4 Redistricting Task Force on February 6 or March 8 to weigh in on how to redraw Ward 4's SMD and ANC boundaries.



- Sunday, Jan 30 at 2pm
- **Sunday, Feb 6 at 2pm**
*Public Meeting with
Community Testimony*
- Sunday, Feb 20 at 2pm
- Sunday, Feb 27 at 2pm
- **Tuesday, Mar 8 at 7pm**
*Public Meeting with
Community Testimony*
- Sunday, Mar 13 at 2pm
- Sunday, Mar 20 at 2pm
- Tuesday, Mar 29 at 7pm

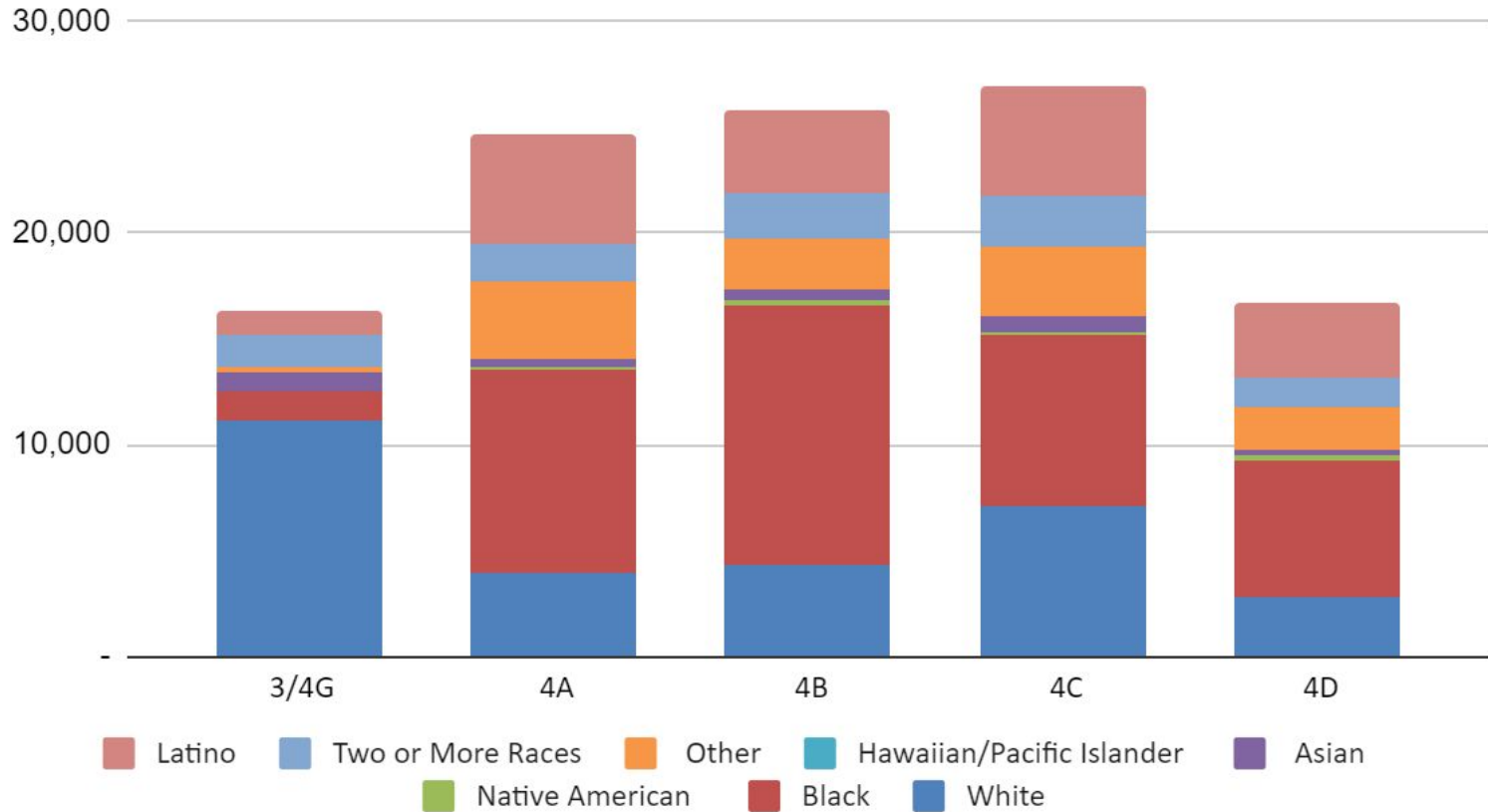
- **All Maps At This Stage Are DRAFTS**
- Draft discussion maps are intended to spur discussion... respectful discussion.
- All feedback on discussion maps should be channeled through the Task Force's formal communication outlets, not directed to individual Task Force members:
 - Ward4Redistricting@dccouncil.us
 - 202-642-5714
 - Testifying March 8 (7-9PM)
 - Social media comments are being monitored on Councilmember Lewis George's platforms & redistricting handle tags
- After Ward Task Forces submit recommendations, the DC Council will provide additional public input opportunities on final citywide ANC/SMD maps

Current SMD Census Demographics

ANC	2010 Population	2020 Population	Population Growth	Growth Percent	SMDs Out of Population Range
3/4G	14,205	15,186	981	6.9%	4 of 4
4A	16,653	19,511	2,858	17.2%	7 of 8
4B	18,519	21,857	3,338	18.0%	8 of 9
4C	20,024	21,719	1,695	8.5%	6 of 10
4D	12,614	13,219	605	4.8%	5 of 6

ANC	Total Population (All Ages)	Race							Ethnicity
		One Race						Two or More Races	Hispanic or Latino
		White alone	Black or African American alone	American Indian/ Alaska Native alone	Asian alone	Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander alone	Other Race alone		
3/4G	15,186	11,188	1,367	35	825	-	250	1,521	1,178
4A	19,511	3,922	9,625	140	401	5	3,593	1,825	5,165
4B	21,857	4,317	12,318	151	555	16	2,447	2,053	4,007
4C	21,719	7,054	8,146	164	731	7	3,211	2,406	5,288
4D	13,219	2,764	6,529	146	258	5	2,103	1,414	3,549

Current Racial Makeup of ANCs

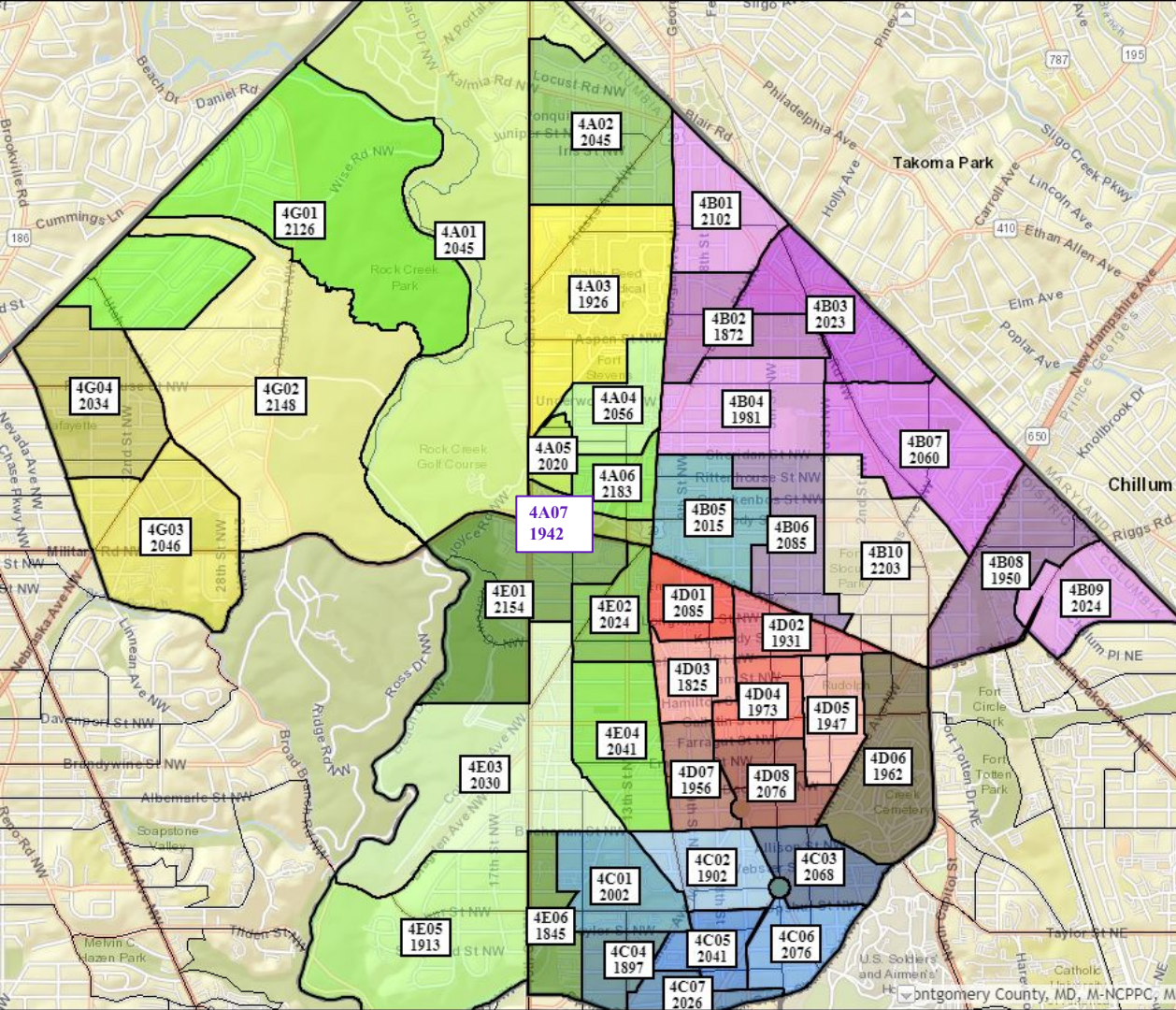


Questions to Consider in Merging Process

1. Should Georgia Ave or 13th Street be a dividing line between ANCs?
2. Should there be a new ANC 4E created to encompass Crestwood/16th Street Heights?
 - If so, then Missouri Avenue as a dividing line will create ANCs with only 6ish SMDs
3. Should a part of a new 4E or 4C dip above Missouri Avenue?
 - If a new 4E does not dip above Missouri Avenue, then it would only have 5 SMDs
4. Should 4B05 continue to dip below Missouri Avenue and stay in B or should the southern portion shift into 4D?
 - Should 4D grow by incorporating Manor Park
5. Should the “wiggle” exist in 4G(4G01)?
 - Should we remap like on Map 4? Or should we request a split in the census block along Pinehurst Parkway to preserve continuity of the SMDs?

Prompts for map discussions...

- What on this map makes sense / feels off
- What on this map reflects public feedback / doesn't
- How does this map reflect equality across ANCs / where are there imbalances
- How does this map reflect racial equity / where to improve
- Any suggested minor tweaks to the discussion map before promoting them more broadly tomorrow
- Does (where does) this map prompt us to ask Office of Planning for census blocks to be broken up (obtain numbers for divisions)
- Other...



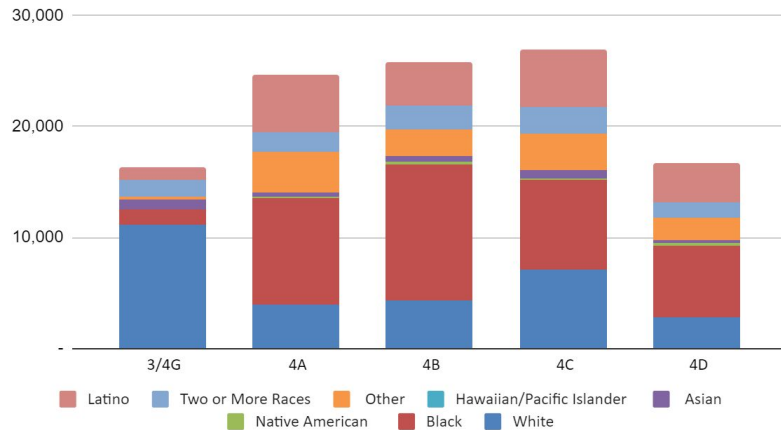
Proposed Map 1

- Georgia Ave dividing line between 4A/4B and 4E/4D
- New 4E created to encompass Crestwood and much of 16th Street Heights
- ANC4C encompasses much of the southern part of Ward 4 and Petworth
- ANC4A – 8 SMDs
- ANC4B – 10 SMDs
- ANC4C – 7 SMDs
- ANC4D – 8 SMDs
- ANC4E – 6 SMDs
- ANC4G – 4 SMDs (Split ANC w/Ward 3)

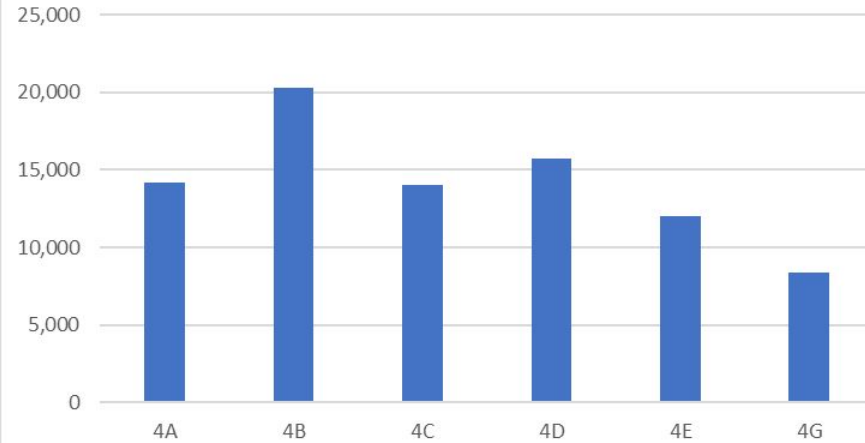
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Demographic Makeup
For This Proposed Map >>

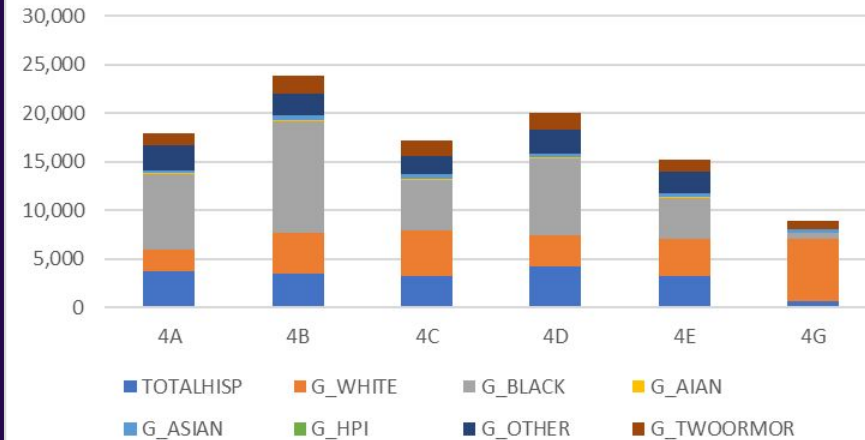
Current Racial Makeup of ANC's

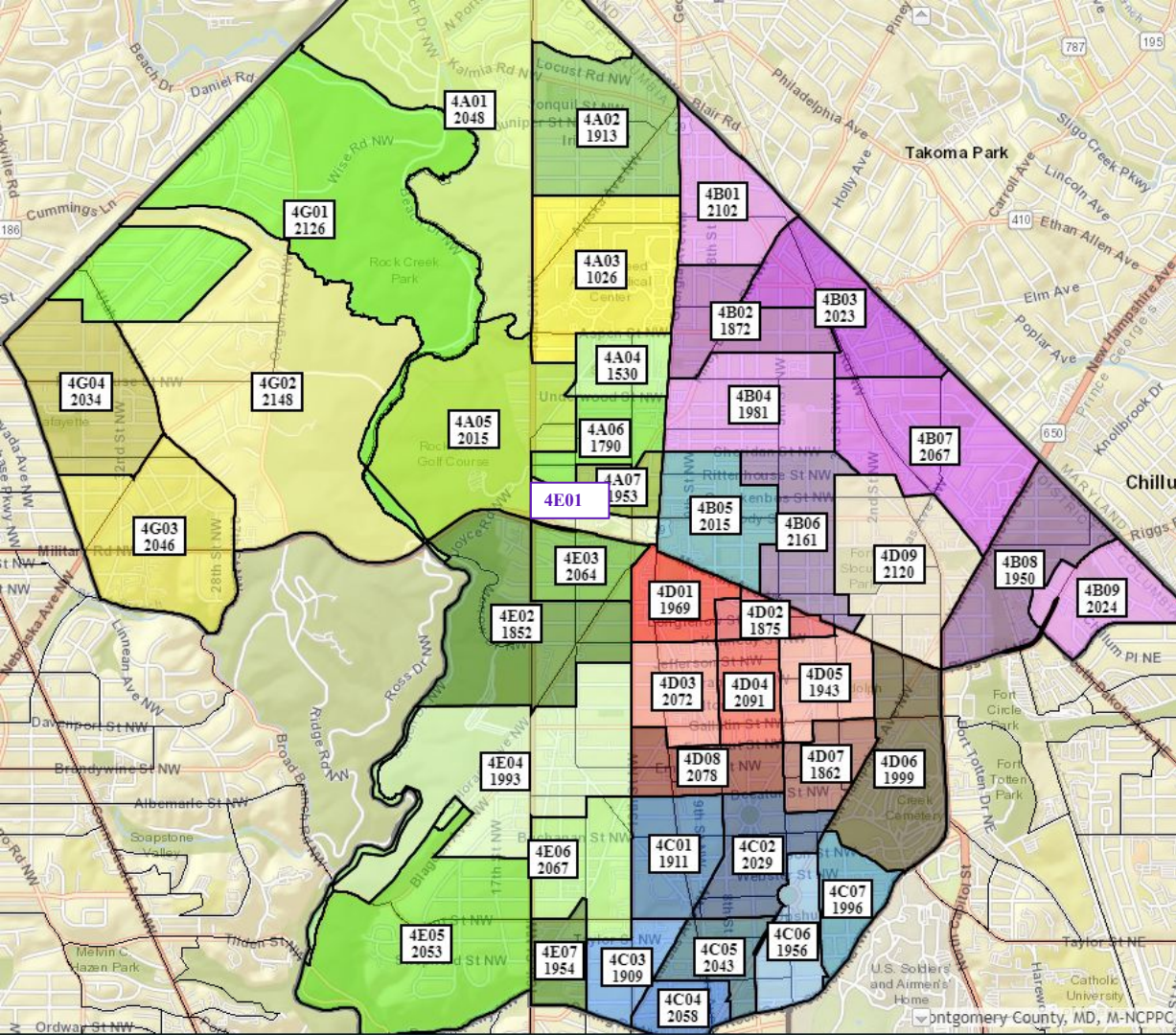


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ANC by Race





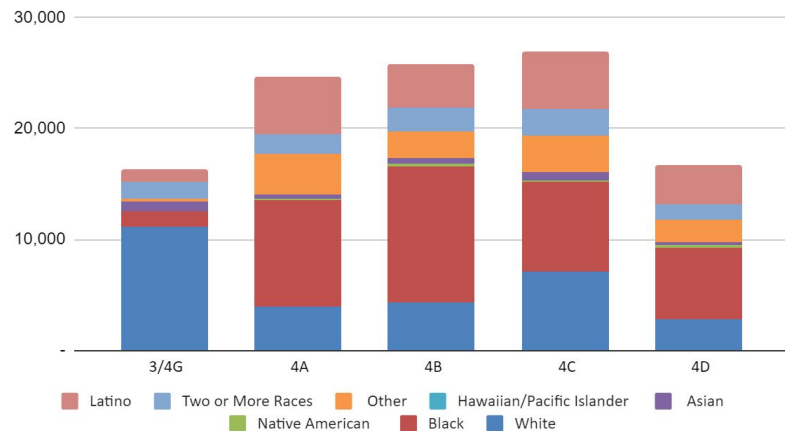
Proposed Map 2

- 13th Street dividing line south of Missouri Ave
- 4D expanding to Manor Park and West to Georgia
- New 4E created to encompass Crestwood and much of 16th Street Heights
- ANC4A – 7 SMDs
- ANC4B – 10 SMDs
- ANC4C – 7 SMDs
- ANC4D – 9 SMDs
- ANC4E – 7 SMDs
- ANC4G – 4 SMDs (Split ANC w/Ward 3)
- Should 4E01 be part of 4A?

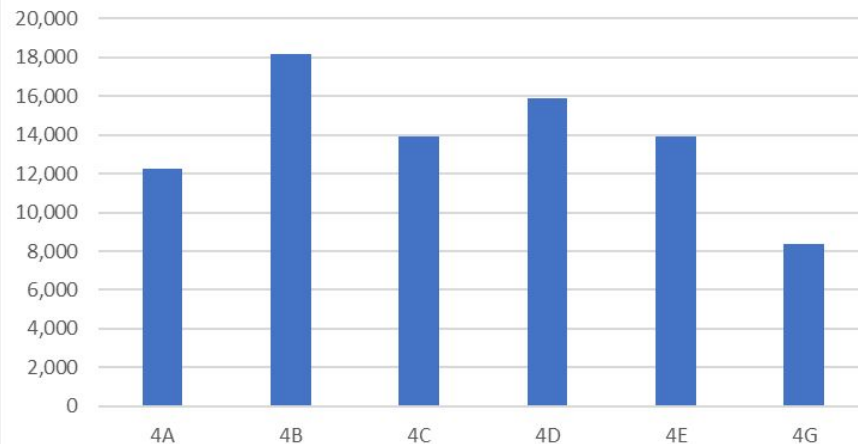
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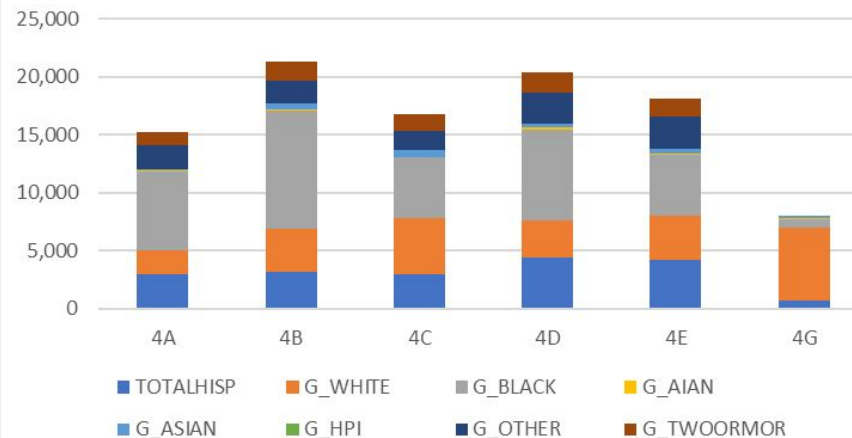
Current Racial Makeup of ANCs



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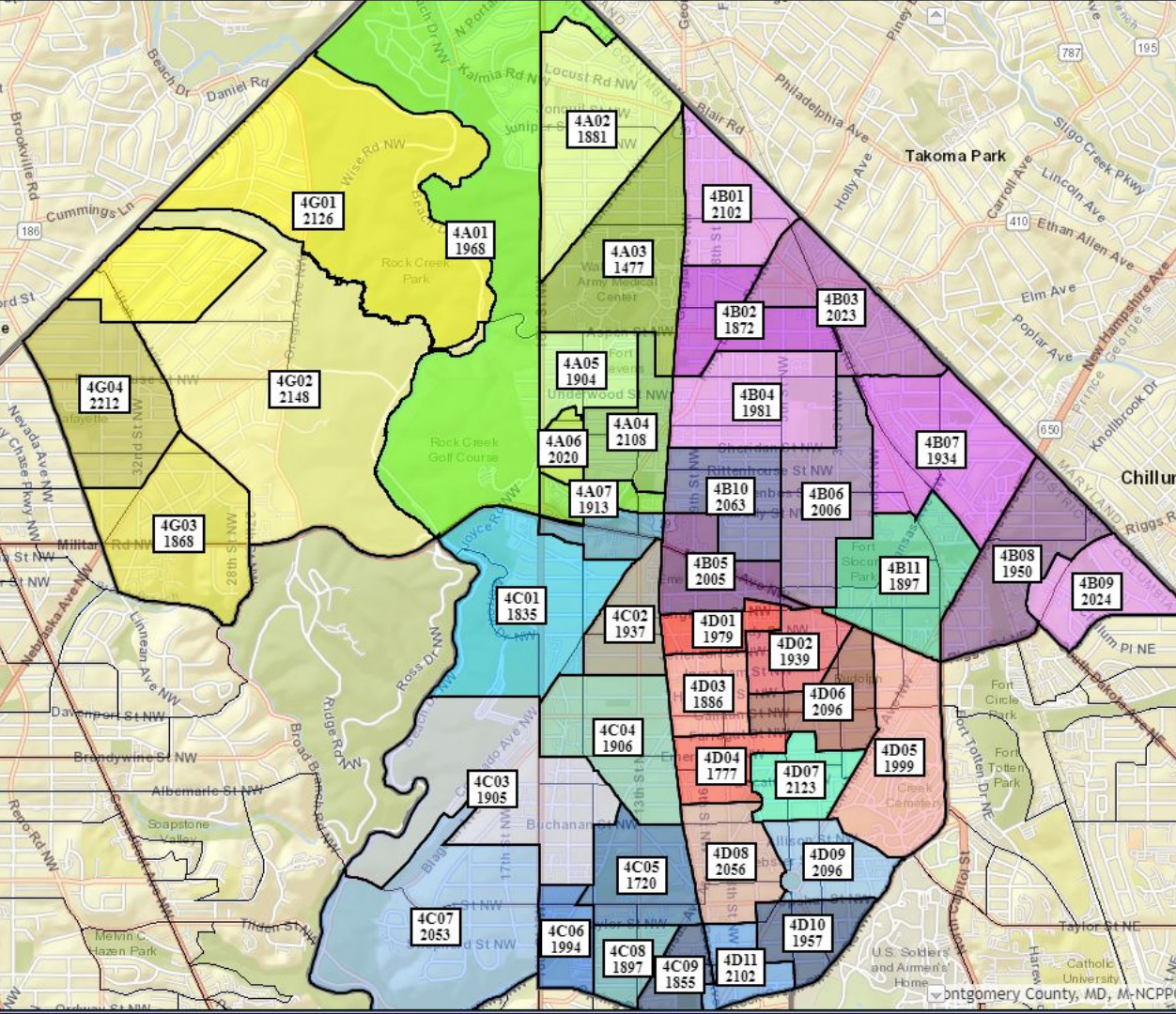


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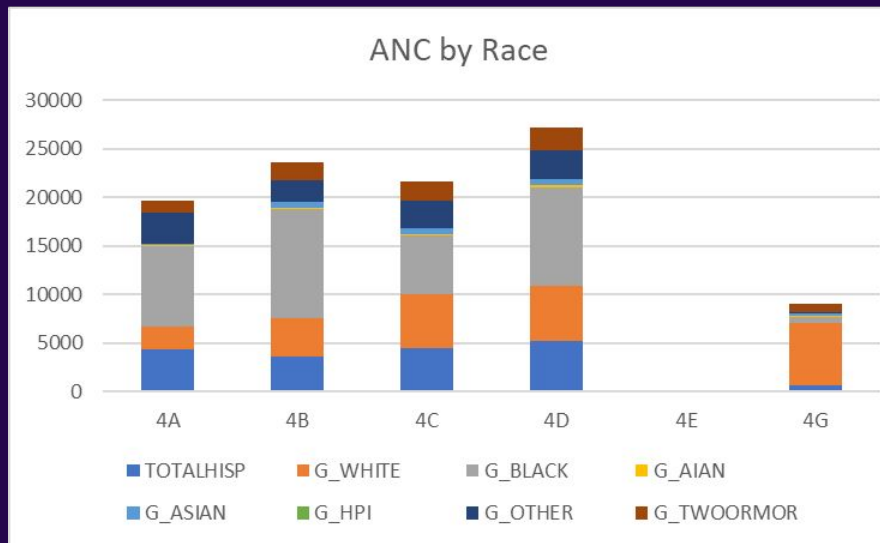
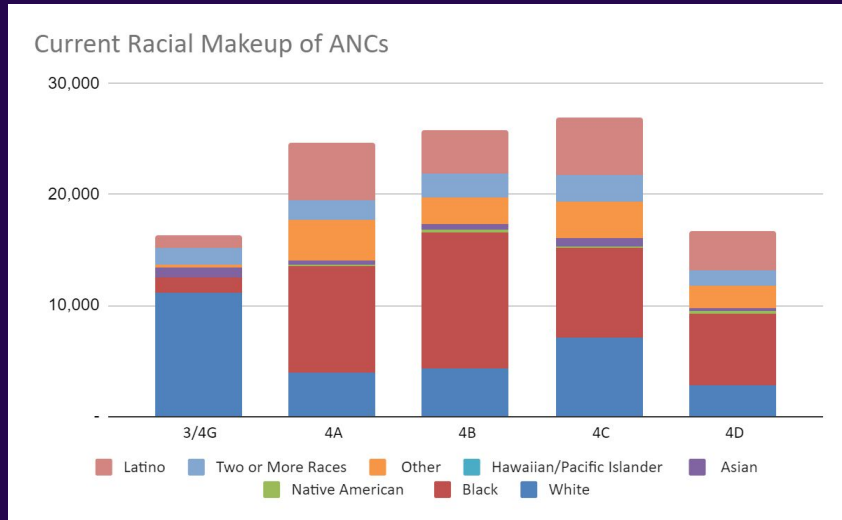
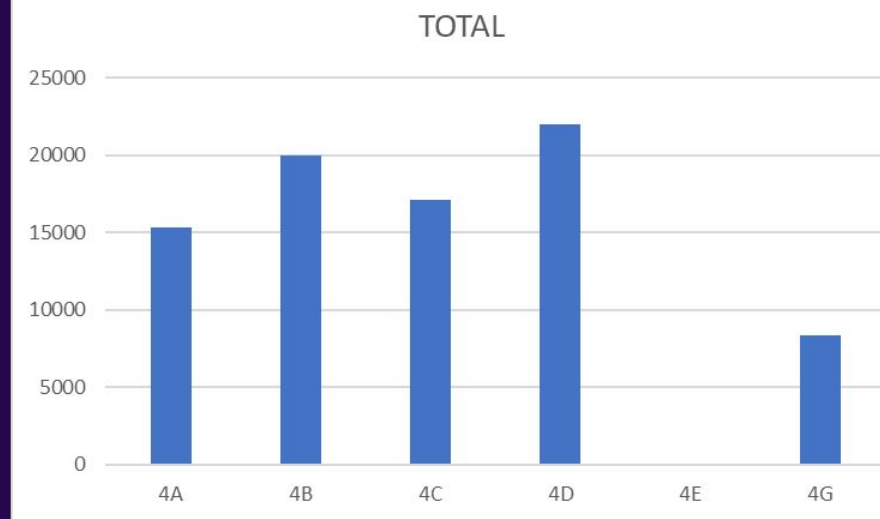
Proposed map 3

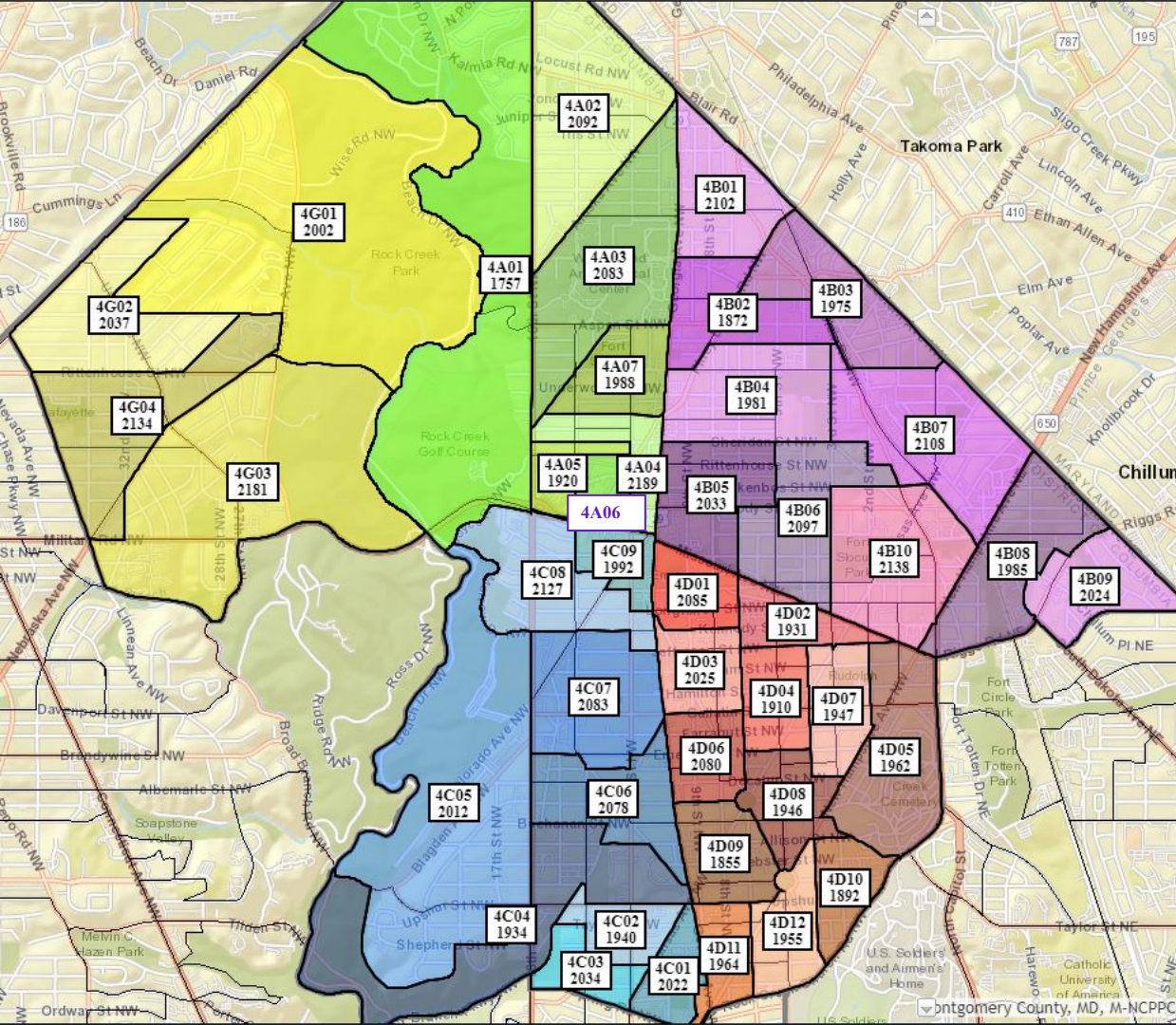
- 4B dips a bit below Missouri Ave
 - The current ANC4B05 dips below Missouri Avenue, and stays the same
- ANC4A – 8 SMDs
 - Note that some SMDs are underpopulation, and 4A08 straddles Missouri Avenue
- ANC4B – 11 SMDs
- ANC4C – 10 SMDs
- ANC4D – 11 SMDs
- ANC4G – 4 SMDs (Split ANC w/Ward 3)



MAP 3

Demographic Makeup For This Proposed Map >>



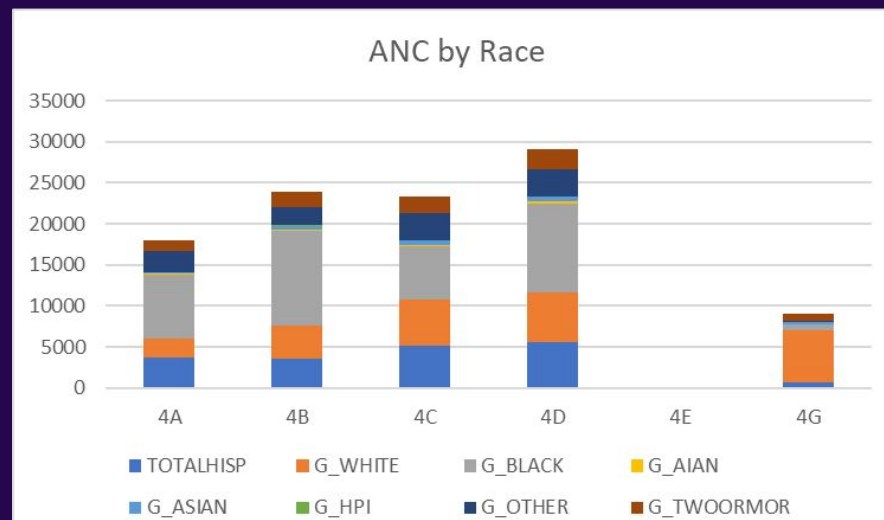
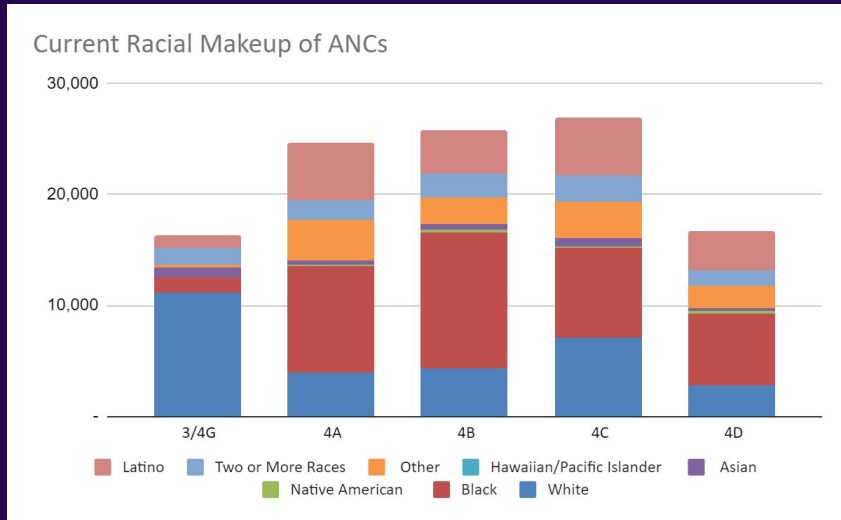
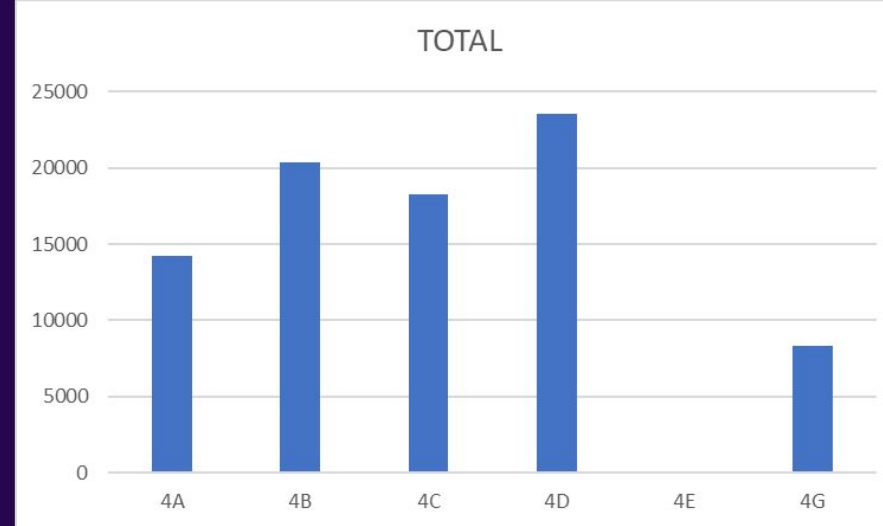


Proposed map 4

- Only 2 ANCs below Missouri Ave
- ANC4D encompasses all of Brightwood Park and Petworth south of Missouri Avenue and east of Georgia Avenue (except for area by Petworth Metro Station)
- ANC4C is remapped to include all west of Georgia Ave
- Different configuration for 3/4G (works around map wiggle)
- ANC4A: 7 SMDs
- ANC4B: 10 SMDs
- ANC4C: 9 SMDs
- ANC4D: 12 SMDs
- ANC4G: 4SMDs (Split ANC w/Ward 3)

MAP 4

Demographic Makeup For This Proposed Map >>



Public engagement outreach plans

Re-confirming volunteer
commitments

- ANC presentations
 - Social media work plan
 - Google form creation?
 - Flyering at Ward 4 hotspots
 - Door-to-door canvassing: neighborhoods with large populations of senior
 - Paper map copy plans
 - Hearing
 - Other
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March 8 Hearing Prompts



Ward 4 Redistricting

Redistricting Public Hearings

Sunday, Feb. 6	Tuesday, March 8
2-4 PM	7-9 PM

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Redistricting occurs every 10 years to rebalance populations for equal representation. Ward 4 is updating political boundaries for Single Member Districts (SMDs) of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions (ANCs). Testify before the Ward 4 Redistricting Task Force to share your advice on our ANC/SMD borders.



- Which option is closest to your ideal; why??
- Which parts of which maps make sense to be in the final map recommendation
- Ideal number of ANCs/of commissioners per ANC; why??
- Which neighborhood groupings will best serve Ward 4 residents; why??
- Commissioner workload considerations of each map
- Racial equity implications of redistricting choices

Helpful Topics for ANC Resolutions to Address:

- How many single-member districts should be within a Commission?
- Which roads or other features make wise natural borders between Commissions or single-member districts?
- How do borders impact the responsibilities across Commissions or single-member districts?
- How do borders impact the workload, responsiveness, or attentiveness of a Commission?
- Would a Commission benefit from having additional or fewer Commissioners?

Topics Redistricting Cannot Be Based Upon (ANCs Should Avoid):

- Why particular constituent lives within a particular single-member district should/not have representation from a particular Commissioner.
- Why particular businesses, public institutions, or community amenities should have representation from a particular Commissioner or commission
- Why a single-member district should change due to predicted future population changes.
- Why a single-member district should change based on socio-economic or racial demographics that could have the effect of diluting the voices of Black or Brown voters.
- **Anything that gives the perception that one or more ANC commissioners are choosing their own constituents or voters.**

Upcoming Meeting Schedule:

- **Tuesday, March 8 (7-9 PM)**
 - **PUBLIC HEARING: Public input on Discussion Maps**
 - *Comment period through 3/11/22*
- **Sunday, March 13 (2-4 PM)**
 - **Finalize map lines to be able to Send to Office of Planning**
 - **Prepare for report drafting/assign roles**
- **Sunday, March 20 (2-4 PM)**
 - **Report back and Discussion of Draft Report**
- **Tuesday, March 29 (7-9 PM)**
 - **Final vote on map & report package to send to Council subcommittee**

>> *Specific meeting topics subject to change* <<

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Redistricting is a once-in-a-decade opportunity to redraw our city's political boundaries based on the latest census population data. Learn about the work of the Ward 4 Redistricting Task Force, and how you can weigh in on your ANC and SMD boundaries.

For more information on the redistricting process citywide, please visit [Councilmember Silverman's website](#).

Meeting Schedule

- Sunday, January 23, 2022, 2pm-4pm via [Zoom](#)