

City of Newburgh

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Districting Commission to Hold First Meeting

The first meeting of the City of Newburgh Districting Commission will be held on Tuesday, May 1, 2012 at 7 p.m. in City Council Chambers, City Hall, 83 Broadway. The public is invited to attend.

At this meeting, it is expected that the Districting Commission will select the remaining two members for their Commission from the pool of candidates previously screened by the Citizens Advisory Committee.

A new Districting Commission will be appointed every ten years following the Census to evaluate existing wards and redistrict them as necessary so that they are in compliance with federal and state law.

After the 2013 election, the Council will have seven members. Subsequent Districting Commissions will be appointed by seven-member Councils, with each Council person making one appointment.