

Independent Redistricting Commission Scenario Review Guidelines

During August and September the Tompkins County Redistricting Commission met with municipal officials and members of the public to provide input that would assist in determining what factors should be considered during the redistricting process. As a result of these discussions and the Charge outlined by the Tompkins County Legislature, the Commission will take into account, but not limit itself, to the following goals when making a recommendation to the Tompkins County Legislature:

- Equal Population within a 10% spread
- Maintain Communities of Interest/Neighborhoods
- Keep Villages Intact
- Reflect City and Town Boundaries
- Reduce Slivers into Town of Ithaca
- Consider Legislative Workload
- Reduce Potential Board of Elections Expense