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Proposal for Reapportionment of the City of Youngsville

GPDS is pleased to present this proposal for the reapportionment of the City of Youngsville into four single member districts and one at-large district in accordance with the 2020 Census and applicable State and Federal law. This proposal is inclusive of all costs, including:

- Determination of the ideal district populations using Census 2020 data. *(March-April 2021)*
- Meeting with the City of Youngsville representatives, minority representatives, and interested citizens to review the process. *(April-May 2020)*
- Development and presentation of an initial election district plan with 2020 population data. *(April-September 2021)*
- Participation in public hearings/workshops, and formal hearings before the Council to discuss the plan(s) and developing alternative plans. *(September-December 2021)*
- Once a plan is approved, to draft the ordinance and Pre-Clearance application for the Justice Department if required. *(January-February 2022)*
- If necessary, provide the Justice Department with any information they may need in their review of the submittal.
- Submit the new plan and Justice Department pre-clearance (if required) to the Registrar of Voters and the Secretary of State. *(April 2022-June 2022)*
- Plan goes into effect for the November 8, 2022 Primary Election. Qualifying under the new election plan is from July 20-22, 2022.
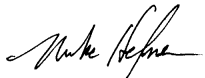
Cost:

The cost submittal is as follows:

Standard Municipality Reapportionment Scope of Work Cost	$ 15,900.00
Less Current Client Discount:	$ (3,000.00)
Net cost	$ 12,900.00

If accepted, payments would be 1/3 upon Council approval of the proposal, 1/3 upon the adoption of a final plan by the Council, and the last 1/3 upon Justice Department approval (if required) or submission of the plan to the Louisiana Secretary of State in compliance with applicable State statues.

We are pleased to be able to offer this proposal for the City of Youngsville. If you have any questions, I am available to answer them for you.

Thank you for the opportunity.

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