

## CADDO PARISH COMMISSION

### 2020 US CENSUS BENCHMARK PLAN

**Total Population – 237,848**

**Ideal District Size – 19,821**

**Plan Deviation – 42.09%**

District	Population	Dev.	% Dev.	White	% White	Black	% Black
1	20,214	393	1.98%	15,180	75.10%	3,458	17.11%
2	17,841	-1,980	-9.99%	5,395	30.24%	11,282	63.24%
3	17,725	-2,096	-10.57%	3,633	20.50%	12,687	71.58%
4	19,342	-479	-2.42%	12,624	65.27%	4,661	24.10%
5	16,703	-3,118	-15.73%	1,162	6.96%	14,650	87.71%
6	17,657	-2,164	-10.92%	1,884	10.67%	14,723	83.38%
7	19,250	-571	-2.88%	2,132	11.08%	16,324	84.80%
8	20,369	548	2.76%	14,930	73.30%	3,269	16.05%
9	25,046	5,225	26.36%	17,596	70.25%	4,557	18.19%
10	21,893	2,072	10.45%	8,901	40.66%	11,320	51.71%
11	20,608	787	3.97%	12,757	61.90%	6,245	30.30%
12	21,200	1,379	6.96%	7,263	34.26%	12,122	57.18%

Source: 2020 US Census Bureau-PL 94-171 Datafile - Compiled by Data Center LLC, P.O. Box 141, Kenner, LA 70063 (504) 450-3474



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## **Caddo Parish Commission** **Criteria for Redistricting**

1. Population equality in each district-10% deviation in the plan.
2. Compliance with the Voting Rights Act.
3. Each district shall be compact as possible.
4. Each district shall be contiguous.
5. Incumbency shall be considered.
6. Consideration shall be given to natural, geographical, and political boundaries.
7. Consideration shall be given to keep intact communities with established ties of common interest and association, whether historical, racial, economic, ethnic, religious, or other.
8. A new apportionment plan must contain whole precincts consistent with RS 33:1411 (C).
9. Consistent with the Home Rule Charter, the Redistricting Plan must be adopted by December 31, 2022.

**CADDO PARISH COMMISSION  
ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE 2020 CENSUS COUNTS IN EACH  
PARISH COMMISSION ELECTION DISTRICT AND DETERMINING  
WHETHER REDISTRICTING IS REQUIRED.**

**WHEREAS,** The 2020 US Census count has been completed and the PL 94-171 redistricting data was delivered to the State of Louisiana in August 2021; and

**WHEREAS,** The Caddo Parish Commission under LA RS: 33:1411, must make a determination whether redistricting is necessary with the 2020 US Census population count; and

**WHEREAS,** The Caddo Parish Commission authorized a study to calculate the 2020 US Census population in each parish commission district; and

**WHEREAS,** The current parish commission election districts have the following 2020 US Census population numbers:

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**WHEREAS,** The overall deviation of the twelve-member parish commission election districts is 42.09%, which is more than four times the legal limit of ten (10%) percent mandated in Federal Law.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED,** the Caddo Parish Commission hereby declares that redistricting of the parish commission election districts must commence to adjust the district populations to be within ten (10%) percent deviation of the ideal district population of 19,821. Consistent with the parish commission home rule charter, the Redistricting Plan must be adopted by December 31, 2022.

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** that this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Caddo Parish Commission.

This ordinance having been offered by \_\_\_\_\_ and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ after being read and considered section by section and notice having been published in accordance with law and having been heard in a public hearing in Shreveport, Louisiana on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

**ATTEST:**

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**Jeff Everson, Commission Clerk**

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**Lyndon B. Johnson, President**