

1 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 23

2 INTRODUCED BY BARKUS, BARRETT, LANGE, F. THOMAS

3 BY REQUEST OF THE HOUSE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON DISTRICTING AND APPORTIONMENT

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5 A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF
6 MONTANA ASSIGNING HOLDOVER SENATORS FOR THE TRANSITION TO THE NEW REDISTRICTING
7 PLAN.8
9 WHEREAS, the assignment of holdover senators to districts that they will represent after the transition
10 to the new redistricting plan is the responsibility of the Legislature as provided in Chapter 4, Laws of 2003, and
11 [LC2157]; and12 WHEREAS, after consideration of the current districts and the Senators who were elected and their
13 respective residences, these assignments are the default assignments based on the Districting and
14 Apportionment Plan submitted February 5, 2003, that is currently under litigation, in the event that it becomes
15 law; and16 WHEREAS, if the Districting and Apportionment Plan as submitted is invalid and a new plan must be
17 drawn, the Legislature reserves its right to make new assignments based on a resubmitted plan that satisfies
18 the legal requirements; and19 WHEREAS, this resolution will serve as the vehicle for the transition to a new redistricting plan for the
20 Senate of the 2005 Legislature.21
22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
23 THE STATE OF MONTANA:24 That the following Senators be assigned to the Senate Districts for the composition of the 2005
25 Legislature, by New Senate District Number, Holdover Senate District Number, and Incumbent Senator:

- 26 (1) Senate District 1, Senate District 41, Aubyn Curtiss;
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- 27 (2) Senate District 4, Senate District 39, Gregory Barkus;
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- 28 (3) Senate District 5, Senate District 38, Bob Keenan;
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- 29 (4) Senate District 8, Senate District 43, Glenn Roush;
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- 30 (5) Senate District 11, Senate District 21, Trudi Schmidt;

