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Ontai, Lilbert <[redacted]>  
To: Lonni Leitch <[redacted]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 3:05 PM

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[redacted]>  
Date: Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 2:36 PM  
Subject: forwarding this message to keep you in the loop re: gibson dunn & q2...  
To: "Ontai, Lilbert" <[redacted]> Gabino Aguirre <[redacted]>

george brown's associate wanted a phone meeting with us on monday afternoon so we can walk them through all of the districts (most of which we have provided ample documentation for already). we think this is too late since we are showing them on tuesday and we are trying really hard to avoid delays. so we are suggesting that they talk to us on saturday or sunday instead. just fyi.

hope you'll both get a break this weekend!

cheers

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karin

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From: **Ana Henderson** <[redacted]>  
Date: Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 2:21 PM  
Subject: Re: CRC  
To: "Scolnick, Kahn A." <[redacted]>  
Cc: "Hall, Jennifer" <[redacted]> Karin Mac Donald <[redacted]>

Hi Kahn,

First, I'm sorry that I didn't realize this before, but we have another call at 2pm on Monday, so the original time frame I mentioned is curtailed.

Second, I'd like to do this call tomorrow or Sunday. This will give George more time to consider whatever he needs to before the hearing on Tuesday. I am concerned that a Monday afternoon call between the three of us will not permit enough time for him to get up to speed and provide meaningful guidance to the CRC on Tuesday morning. I will be at the office and available pretty much all day tomorrow and much of the day on Sunday, so please let me know what works for you and Jenny.

In the meantime, I can tell you that as a general rule, we used public testimony about COI, neighborhood, etc. as a starting point for all the districts while simultaneously attempting to avoid city and county splits as much as possible. In addition, where we found concentrations of minority voters, we looked into whether compact districts could be drawn first with greater than 50% VAP and later greater than 50% CVAP. In the latest iteration of districts, we also followed CRC guidance regarding prior iterations. As for testimony for particular areas, as I believe I mentioned in our conversation yesterday, the first report I sent over to you all included notes reflecting testimony for various areas. This document should provide at least some of the information you request.

In addition, we address some of this information in the hearings where we presented these districts to the CRC; these

hearings were held yesterday (6/2) and last Saturday (5/28). There are recordings of these hearings should you want to listen to them and gain more insight into the line drawing process.

Thanks,  
Ana

On Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 12:44 PM, Scolnick, Kahn A. <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Thanks, Ana. How about a call with you, me, and Jenny at 1pm on Monday, and hopefully we'll be able to discuss everything we need to discuss before 2:30? As for the specific districts, my preference would be to go through all of them one by one – some might just take a couple of seconds, if you can confirm/explain that they were drawn solely based on neutral criteria. We'll want to spend the bulk of the call discussing districts drawn with VRA issues in mind, but again, for our own internal purposes, we'd like to understand the basis for drawing all of the proposed LA County districts.

We'll plan on talking to you at 1pm on Monday if that works for you. We can use the following dial-in info: [REDACTED] / code: [REDACTED] Thanks again.

**Kahn A. Scolnick**

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**From:** Ana Henderson [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 03, 2011 12:36 PM  
**To:** Scolnick, Kahn A.  
**Cc:** Hall, Jennifer; Karin Mac Donald  
**Subject:** Re: CRC

Hi Kahn,

Tuesday morning we have another hearing with the CRC (likely the last hearing before the draft maps are due), so that will not work. On Monday afternoon, Nicole will need to focus on preparing for that hearing. So, I think it is highly unlikely that Nicole will be able to do a call on Monday afternoon.

However, I can make time for a call and will work on the information you request. That said, I'll need to be done by 2:30, will that work?

As for the LA county districts you cited, are you interested in all 20 ADs, 14CDs, 10SDs, or solely

those with potential VRA implications?

Thanks,

Ana

On Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 12:02 PM, Scolnick, Kahn A. <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hi Ana. Following up on our discussion yesterday, any chance that you and Nicole are available for a call on Monday afternoon (before 3:30) or Tuesday morning?

We'd like to walk through the current iteration of the LA County districts (we assume they might change slightly from the versions we have from yesterday). Specifically, for each district, we'd like to know whether it was created using the generic criteria (keeping cities/counties/COIs together, equal population, compactness, etc.). For any districts where the answer is "no," we'd like to know whether the district was created with Section 2 in mind (i.e., in order to avoid a potential Section 2 violation). We'll want to focus specifically on any districts that fall into this latter category for purposes of RPV analysis, etc. Thanks.

**Kahn A. Scolnick**

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## Fwd: fresno - surname matched registration for api population

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To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

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From: **Ontai, Lilbert** <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Wed, Jun 8, 2011 at 10:52 AM  
Subject: Re: fresno - surname matched registration for api population  
To: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]>

Thank you. Gil

On Tue, Jun 7, 2011 at 10:03 AM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

hello commissioner ontai  
first, please accept my apology that this document gets to you so late! it's been pretty crazy at line-drawing headquarters over the past week!  
i am attaching a file for fresno that has some maps and a stat overview for the various groups within the api category for which the statewide database surname matches the registration files.  
i hope you'll find this helpful. please let me know if you have questions.  
i will see you this afternoon!  
best,  
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karin

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Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:59 PM

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From: Claypool, Daniel &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Date: Thu, Jun 9, 2011 at 8:22 AM

Subject: Re: friday morning @crc

To: "Blanco, Maria" &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Cc: [REDACTED] Gil Ontai &lt;[REDACTED]&gt; Gabino Aguirre &lt;[REDACTED]&gt; Karin Mac Donald &lt;[REDACTED]&gt; Rob Wilcox &lt;[REDACTED]&gt; Jeanne Raya &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

I believe that the commission needs to see four full maps, at a minimum, in order to complete their vote. All else sounds good.

On Thu, Jun 9, 2011 at 7:31 AM, Blanco, Maria <[REDACTED]> wrote:  
agreed

On Thu, Jun 9, 2011 at 6:53 AM, <[REDACTED]> wrote:  
I think this presentation is needed. Kirk

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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**From:** "Ontai, Lilbert" <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Thu, 9 Jun 2011 06:23:42 -0700

**To:** Gabino Aguirre <[REDACTED]>

**Cc:** Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> Rob Wilcox <[REDACTED]> Daniel Claypool <[REDACTED]> Kirk Miller <[REDACTED]> Blanco, Maria <[REDACTED]> Jeanne Raya <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: friday morning @crc

Gabino, This is your decision to make.

On Wed, Jun 8, 2011 at 11:37 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:  
hello commissioners ontai and aguirre,

i am wondering what you would like me to do on friday morning. i am on the agenda from 9:30 to 11:30 apparently, and i am thinking through what might be helpful for the commission. at this point, my thought was to prepare a ppt presentation that has all of the districts that were changed since yesterday so i can walk the crc through those (briefly - i will NOT have a mapper or a mapping machine with me). does this sound alright? or what did you have in mind?

best regards,

karin

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To: "Rubin, Sarah" <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>  
"Sherry, Susan" <[REDACTED]>  
"Chorneau, Charlotte" <[REDACTED]>  
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here you go...sorry this took the whole break to write-up

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## *The Redistricting Group at Berkeley Law*

Trainers: Karin Mac Donald  
Ana Henderson, JD  
Nicole Boyle

### **General Redistricting Education/Training Curriculum**

Objective: Introduction to basic redistricting concepts: criteria, data, and process

Duration: Three hours of presentation and mapping demonstrations, additional time for interactive sessions, questions or if trainees want to learn more.

Redistricting criteria:

- Traditional redistricting principles from case law
- Where do CA criteria come from – state law
- Overview of which data are used to meet each criteria
- Discussion of each criteria for CRC/state-level districts
  - Equal population
  - VRA –Section 2 & 5
  - Contiguity
  - Cities, counties, communities of interests, and neighborhoods
  - Compactness
  - Nesting
- More on the VRA and its relevance to California redistricting
- More on communities of interest – establishing, documenting

Data sources

- Census data and census geography
- SOR and SOV data
- Other forms of data – qualitative input on communities of interest

Testimony:

- How to present testimony about your neighborhood or community of interest
- How to draw maps with free tools (Google Earth) – demonstration
- How to create districts and redistricting plans with Maptitude
  - Demonstration
  - Where can you access Maptitude and get assistance – Redistricting Assistance Sites
- Interactive mapping sessions – if time permits: have a couple of stations with overheads and people can gather around and discuss what's being done





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mahalo, commissioner ontai,

we will take a look at this today. please use these email addresses for us for q2 work:

[REDACTED]

we're keeping our various jobs nicely sorted into different accounts :)

also, your timing could not possibly be better: i received an email from someone in san diego, asking whether i can put you in touch with him: he's wondering whether you might be able to speak at an event. i will forward that separately after this email.

happy easter

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karin

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On Fri, 22 Apr 2011, [REDACTED] wrote:

Karin, Bonnie,  
Attached is the evolving public input hearings agenda that Commissioner Aguirre and I pieced together based on the last two regional hearings. It incorporates comments suggested by you and and other commissioners. I have sent it out to the full commission and it may be used by other chairs for future meetings. I would appreciate your additional comments. Mahalo, Gil

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Karin,

I'd like to contact Gil Ontai to see if he'd be willing to speak in San Diego to a group about the state redistricting process. Can you provide me with his contact information?

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Date: Fri, Jun 10, 2011 at 12:07 PM  
Subject: Re: Fwd: resumes for two technical assistants attached  
To: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> Daniel Claypool <[REDACTED]> Angelo Ancheta <[REDACTED]> Gil Ontai <[REDACTED]> Gabino Aguirre <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]>

Karin:

This message is to confirm the Commission yesterday approved the addition of the technical assistants whose resumes were attached to your message. Kirk

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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**From:** Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Wed, 8 Jun 2011 23:57:21 -0700  
**To:** Claypool, Daniel<[REDACTED]> Miller, Kirk<[REDACTED]> Ancheta, Angelo<[REDACTED]> Ontai, Lilbert<[REDACTED]> Gabino Aguirre<[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Fwd: resumes for two technical assistants attached

hello all,

i am forwarding a conversation i had with commissioner ancheta (who was chair at the time), director claypool and mr miller about adding 2 mapping assistants to our team. today, we were asked to provide a resume for kyle, our new note taker (who, btw, took GREAT notes yesterday!!!), so it can be provided to the crc tomorrow for approval. because i didn't hear back from mr miller about whether the two mapping assistants would have to be approved by the crc, i am bringing this to your attention now in case you would like to take advantage of the opportunity to provide the crc with their resumes as well. also, just in case anyone is interested, kyle is a decline-to-state voter .

please let me know if you have questions.

best regards,

karin

### Forwarded conversation

Subject: resumes for two technical assistants attached

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From: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Mon, May 23, 2011 at 10:32 AM

To: "Ancheta, Angelo" <[REDACTED]>

hello commissioner ancheta,

q2 would like to add 2 technical assistants to our team. i am not certain what level of work requires crc pre-approval so i am erring on the safe side. both holly and samantha have worked for me at the swdb as research/technical/gis assistants for over a year. they are both undergraduate students at berkeley and they are done with finals so they are available to help. samantha is a registered republican and holly is not registered to vote. i am attaching their resumes in word format so that their addresses can be deleted if the commission feels that they need to be posted. please let me know how to proceed. thanks!

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karin

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From: **Ancheta, Angelo** <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Mon, May 23, 2011 at 10:53 AM  
To: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: Daniel Claypool <[REDACTED]> Kirk Miller <[REDACTED]>

Thanks Karin. They both appear to be well qualified as technical assistants. I'm not sure how we're supposed to handle this in terms of state requirements and disclosure of party affiliation, so I'm cc'ing this to Dan and Kirk for their input.

Angelo  
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Commissioner  
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Leitch, Lonni <[REDACTED]>

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## Fwd: how are we doing on time???

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Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]>  
To: Lonni Leitch <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:55 PM

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2011 at 5:12 PM  
Subject: how are we doing on time???  
To: "Ontai, Lilbert" <[REDACTED]>

we were trying to get to the socal cds today and we're stopping at 6:30. there are at least 8 more ads left in nicole's area...

tomorrow not a full day - alex not available on saturday!!!

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Leitch, Lonn <[redacted]>

## Fwd: Karin's time to be on the agenda

Ontai, Lilbert <[redacted]>  
To: Lonn Leitch <[redacted]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:52 PM

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[redacted]>  
Date: Tue, Jul 19, 2011 at 8:43 PM  
Subject: Re: Karin's time to be on the agenda  
To: "Ontai, Lilbert" <[redacted]>  
Cc: "Galambos-Malloy, Connie" <[redacted]> "DiGuilio, Michelle" <[redacted]>

thanks again. it makes a big difference for us not to have to be there early :) especially since the following two days will be long ones.  
see you on thursday  
.  
karin

On Tue, Jul 19, 2011 at 6:56 PM, Ontai, Lilbert <[redacted]> wrote:  
Karin, Yes, that's about the time, 3:15pm, for the numbering discussion. See you then. Gil

On Tue, Jul 19, 2011 at 8:01 AM, Karin Mac Donald <[redacted]> wrote:  
that sounds great! thank you!  
.  
karin

On Mon, Jul 18, 2011 at 9:24 PM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie <[redacted]> wrote:  
I just shared the agenda with you via Google Docs...take a look at your lovely start time around 3:15 PM. How does that work? We are only meeting in the afternoon that day.  
  
Connie

On Mon, Jul 18, 2011 at 8:38 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[redacted]> wrote:  
hello all,  
just fyi - nicole and i are ready to come up and defer and number away with ya'll on thursday! as long as we're not scheduled for 9 am, there will be no complaining on this end :) - if we're scheduled for the afternoon then you might see a big smile on my face!  
cheers  
.  
karin

On Mon, Jul 18, 2011 at 8:21 PM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie <[redacted]> wrote:  
I am supposed to call Karin shortly so will clarify...good looking out! Still am on bedtime duty.

Connie

On 7/18/11, DiGuilio, Michelle <[REDACTED]> wrote:

> Hi Gil and Connie:

> I just wanted to see whether the Chair /Vice Chair or I should be making  
> contact with Karin about Thurs's agendized discussion of district numbering,  
> the time of the discussion, as well as if she can simply call in. I was  
> going to speak with Karin but realized maybe this was already being done by  
> this week's powers. Let me know if I need to follow up with Karin.

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> Thanks,

> Michelle

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> Michelle R. DiGuilio, Commissioner

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## Fwd: notes from yesterday?

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Ontai, Lilbert &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 3:05 PM

To: Lonni Leitch &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 7:26 PM

Subject: Re: notes from yesterday?

To: "Galambos-Malloy, Connie" &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Cc: "Ontai, Lilbert" &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

hi commissioners:

we received commissioner ancheta's notes this afternoon. thank you!

cheers

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karin

On Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 5:46 PM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie &lt;[REDACTED]&gt; wrote:

So sorry for this...working on it asap.

Connie

On 6/3/11, Karin Mac Donald &lt;[REDACTED]&gt; wrote:

> hello commissioners galambos-malloy and ontai,  
> i have not received notes from yesterday. would you mind following up with  
> the note-takers for us?  
> thank you!  
> best,  
>  
> karin  
>

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Connie Galambos Malloy, Commissioner  
California Citizens Redistricting Commission

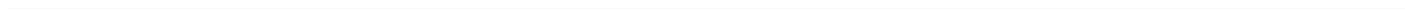
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Leitch, Lonni &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

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**Fwd: ontai**

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Ontai, Lilbert &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:50 PM

To: Lonni Leitch &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Fri, Jul 22, 2011 at 5:19 PM

Subject: Re: ontai

To: "Ontai, Lilbert" &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

this link did not work for me because its an email attachmnet link.

On Fri, Jul 22, 2011 at 5:10 PM, Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]> wrote:

[https://mail-attachment.googleusercontent.com/attachment?ui=2&ik=d445d274c3&view=att&th=13148f7e72b37b1e&attid=0.1&disp=inline&realattid=f\\_gqco5gyq0&safe=1&zw&saduie=AG9B\\_P-Ys589iLstYPbvugEIOA5L&sadet=1311370627218&sads=kQlsrnATym8plx85RRQAAad0Nho](https://mail-attachment.googleusercontent.com/attachment?ui=2&ik=d445d274c3&view=att&th=13148f7e72b37b1e&attid=0.1&disp=inline&realattid=f_gqco5gyq0&safe=1&zw&saduie=AG9B_P-Ys589iLstYPbvugEIOA5L&sadet=1311370627218&sads=kQlsrnATym8plx85RRQAAad0Nho)

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## Fwd: PRA: CA Republican Party

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Johnston, Marian &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:33 PM

To: "Leitch, Lonni" &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Galambos-Malloy, Connie &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Date: Wed, Jul 6, 2011 at 3:34 PM

Subject: PRA: CA Republican Party

To: Marian Johnston &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Ancheta, Angelo &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Date: Thu, Jun 30, 2011 at 12:31 PM

Subject: Re: Q2 Session

To: "Galambos-Malloy, Connie" &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Cc: Vincent Barabba &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

We're still on the assembly districts, so there may be work tonight on the senate districts. Give me a ring later in the afternoon.

Angelo

On Thu, Jun 30, 2011 at 9:36 AM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie

<[REDACTED]> wrote:

>

> I am booked solid today at my pesky day job...my apologies. How late  
> are you planning to stay? Perhaps I could do a shift towards the  
> evening.

>

> Connie

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> On 6/30/11, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>> Connie - Vince and I are driving down to Q2. Should be there around 10 to  
>> finish LA. Are you able to join us?

>> Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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> Sent from my mobile device

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Leitch, Lonn &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

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## Fwd: PRA

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Miller, Kirk &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Mon, Aug 22, 2011 at 4:53 PM

To: Lonn Leitch &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Blanco, Maria** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Sun, Aug 21, 2011 at 7:33 AM

Subject: PRA

To: Kirk Miller &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

I don't have any documents for Republican Party request #15.

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Leitch, Lonni <[REDACTED]>

## Fwd: q2 contract - information needed

Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]>  
To: Lonni Leitch <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:44 PM

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Thu, Aug 11, 2011 at 4:27 PM  
Subject: Re: q2 contract - information needed  
To: "Villanueva, Raul" <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: "Claypool, Daniel" <[REDACTED]>, "Miller, Kirk" <[REDACTED]>, "Dai, Cynthia" <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> Michelle DiGuilio <[REDACTED]>, Ana Henderson <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> "Ancheta, Angelo" <[REDACTED]>, Jodie Filkins-Weber <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> Vincent Barabba <[REDACTED]>, "Ontai, Lilbert" <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> Connie Galambos-Malloy <[REDACTED]>, "Parvenu, Andre" <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> "Ward, Michael" <[REDACTED]>, Jeanne Raya <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> "Blanco, Maria" <[REDACTED]>, Gabino Aguirre <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> Stanley Forbes <[REDACTED]>, Peter Yao <[REDACTED]>

dear raul,

thank you for clarifying some of these issues. i am ccing the crc because i was asked to. i am certainly not interested in blasting anyone! since you prefer to handle this more privately, i will gladly do so after i clarify a couple of items in your email referring to the last part:

**The June travel invoice was submitted without documentation. Lauren of Q2 was contacted and she is getting us the documentation.**

**LAUREN SUBMITTED A DRAFT TO LISA TO MAKE SURE THE FORMATTING WAS OK. SHE HAS NOT SUBMITTED THE TRAVEL INVOICE AND IN FACT THERE ARE CHANGES BEING MADE TO IT.**

**The invoice for time working with the attorney was submitted without detail or documentation. You and I went over what was needed to invoice when we met on 7/29.**

**THIS WAS A DRAFT YOU ASKED ME TO SEND TO YOU. THIS IS NOT A FINAL INVOICE. THIS WAS MADE CLEAR WHEN WE MET AND WE HAVE NOT YET SENT AN INVOICE.**

**We have services invoiced through June 30 which have been reviewed and submitted for payment. Service invoices for July and August have not been received. Travel invoices for July and August have not been received.**

**THIS IS CORRECT. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. WE WILL SUBMIT AUGUST IN SEPTEMBER. THE REASON FOR WHY I AM LOOKING FOR CLARIFICATION ABOUT CONTRACTING IS SPECIFICALLY RELATED TO THESE INVOICES. I NEED**

**CLARIFICATION PRIOR TO SUBMISSION.**

**thank you very much, again! from hereon out i am only ccing director claypool and commissioner dai unless told otherwise. i hope that meets your request?**

best,

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**karin**

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On Thu, Aug 11, 2011 at 4:10 PM, Villanueva, Raul <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Please note, while I welcome questions and discussion with you, I will not be taking further part in these large email blasts. I believe discussion in this type of forum potentially violates Bagley-Keene, in addition to not contributing to resolution of issues.

Thank you,

Raul

On Thu, Aug 11, 2011 at 2:21 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

On Thu, Aug 11, 2011 at 2:21 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

hello raul,

thank you for your quick response. the contract that was sent to me had the crc return address on the envelope. **there is one signed, stamped page that says: standard contract, (this is your STD 213)** it then attaches exhibit 1, the scope of work, etc.

attached is the one that commissioner dai forwarded me. the first 4 pages are what i did not receive.

**Of the four "missing pages": Page 1 is a cover letter. This is not a material part of the contract. Pages 2-3 (STD 215) are internal docs for Finance and Controller's Office. This is not a material part of the contract and is generally not sent to the contractor. Page 4 is the STD 213 which you signed as Q2s representative and which is similar to the STD 213 submitted as part of Q2s bid.**

page 1 reads:

You will note that in the new format of the Standard Agreement (STD 213), a copy of the General Terms and Conditions (GTC) is not provided. The GTC are available on the Internet at [www.dgs.ca.gov/contracts](http://www.dgs.ca.gov/contracts) and may be downloaded and printed for your files.

this link does not work. can you provide me with a location? i'm going in a circular motion: the link is dead - i don't know what i'm supposed to know! i don't know if i have what they obviously want me to refer to and i did not get the reference when i received a copy of my contract in june.

**The general terms and conditions you refer to are spelled out in the IFB and are the same ones that Q2 responded to and included as part of the bid, as I mentioned earlier. They may also be found at <http://www.dgs.ca.gov/ols/home.aspx> click on "Standard Contract Language". They are GTC 610.**

any enlightenment you can provide is appreciated.

**The general terms and conditions were spelled out as part of the IFB and Q2 included them (spelled out) as part of its bid. Both documents acknowledge these as the general terms and conditions to be incorporated into the contract and are also referenced in the STD213 signed by Q2, which I believe you received. I am hopeful that you will read all three documents and compare them with the information on DGS' website, thus resolving whatever issues may**

**have arisen.**

regarding further invoices: i believe the june travel invoice is forthcoming this week - i believe that is what you are referring to. i have not sent anything for july, that is correct.

**The June travel invoice was submitted without documentation. Lauren of Q2 was contacted and she is getting us the documentation.**

**The invoice for time working with the attorney was submitted without detail or documentation. You and I went over what was needed to invoice when we met on 7/29.**

**We have services invoiced through June 30 which have been reviewed and submitted for payment. Service invoices for July and August have not been received. Travel invoices for July and August have not been received.**

karin

On Thu, Aug 11, 2011 at 11:16 AM, Villanueva, Raul <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Good morning Karin:

The hard copy contracts are disbursed by DGS. DGS does not send out e-copies of contracts. I also do not send e-copies of the contract in lieu of the hard copy. I would appreciate it if you would forward to me what you were sent so I can be sure of what you are looking at. I would also appreciate your identifying what pages you believe are missing from the hardcopy sent to you by DGS.

In regards to the "T&Cs": I believe you may be referring to the State's General Terms and Conditions?

The State's General Terms & Conditions were spelled out in the original IFB (Exhibit C, pg, 38-42). As part of the bid process, bidders were required to submit a signed Standard form 213 (STD213) signifying that the bidder agreed to comply with the terms and conditions of the scope of work, the budget detail and payment provisions, the General Terms and Conditions and (for your contract) the conflict and impartiality statements requested by the commission. Q2 complied with these bid requirements. Volume 4 of Q2s bid response contains the General Terms and Conditions, followed by the STD 213 with your signature.

In addition, Volume 2 of Q2s bid response contains Q2s signed declaration agreeing to abide by the State's Contractor Certification Clauses - which were also included as part of the IFB (Attachment 8, pg. 30-33).

If you are not referring to the State's General Terms and Conditions or the State's Contractor Certification Clauses, please let me know to what you are referring to as "T&C" that I might better assist you.

I understand that State contracting requirements may be complex at times. I have taken prior issues you had questions about to DGS Legal for their review and consideration and then provided you their feedback. I am happy to do so again in the future.

Finally, I urge you to continue submitting invoices for Q2's travel and services. The state cannot pay Q2 otherwise, nor can we evaluate any of Q2s claims without the invoices, service details, and documentation.

It was good to see you Friday 7/29 and work together to bring 2 more invoices in for payment. My staff and I are available to provide similar assistance to you. Just let me know and we will make ourselves available.

Thank you,

Raul

On Thu, Aug 11, 2011 at 8:34 AM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Raul,

Thank you for continuing to work with Q2 on invoicing and contracting issues. As you know, I have had a lot of questions about state contracting policies, to which I have not been able to find answers. I recently contacted DGS based on your suggestion and asked to be referred to the small business liaison which the State of California makes available to all agencies with budgets above \$100,000 per Government Code, Section 14845-14847. After many emails, it was discovered that there is no small business liaison that is assigned to the CRC, and I was referred back to you.

In order to familiarize myself with the State of California's contracting rules and regulations, I need to find out where the T&Cs you have been referencing can be found. In a conversation with Commissioner Dai, she asked me why I was not simply using the website link that was provided to me on page 1 of my contract. This surprised me because I did not recall a link or a reference in the contract. Because an electronic copy of the contract was not provided to me, she forwarded one to me. Upon comparing the version she sent to me and the one I have, I realized that the first 4 pages of the electronic version were omitted from the contract copy that was mailed to me (postmarked June 6, 2011) and thus, I never received the information.

I then clicked on the link provided in the electronic copy and found that it is not working.

Would you please provide me with a working location of the contracting rules and regulations that apply to us? I would greatly appreciate it as I anticipate that better informed communication from my end will resolve many of the issues with which I have had to trouble you.

Thank you and best regards,

Karin

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## Fwd: Regional wrap-up DRAFT example

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Johnston, Marian &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:38 PM

To: "Leitch, Lonni" &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

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From: **Dai, Cynthia** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 1:54 PM

Subject: Fwd: Regional wrap-up DRAFT example

To: Marian Johnston &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

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From: **Dai, Cynthia** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Mon, Apr 25, 2011 at 1:31 PM

Subject: Re: Regional wrap-up DRAFT example

To: Karin Mac Donald &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Cc: Michelle DiGuilio &lt;[REDACTED]&gt;

Michelle will discuss with you guys further, but I think we generally agree. I think it's safe to lump "supplemental" comments with the spoken testimony. We just want to capture separate written comments.

--}cyn

On Mon, Apr 25, 2011 at 1:10 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

here's some feedback from bonnie:

Re Version 1 or 2: Its up to the Commission whether they want a longer text including the reasons for the proposals, or a shorter text with the reasons available upon request (available from us in summary form or by looking at or running a report on the database). We can do either. In either case, we could add the 'number' of con arguments. In some cases there will not be any con arguments.

I think the summaries should be by region rather than by meeting...its not as relevant where a person spoke, because they could talk at any meeting in the region about anywhere in the region, the meeting doesn't need to be in the county about which they are talking. The database is indexed by meeting, but that's mostly a way to keep track of the comments.

here is some feedback from me, regarding commissioner dai's comments below:

1. bonnie brought up a good point on the 'written comment' issue: there are also supplemental written comments that people submit as part of their testimony. we are coding those as 'supplemental', and everything that comes into crc headquarters outside of hearings as 'written'
2. i like the ppt idea and it really shouldn't take very long to put one together. perhaps the document that goes to the commission in advance could have a little more 'meat' in it? please advise.
3. i am struggling with the pro/con issue. looking at the region we are wrapping up, it makes sense to list pros and cons. i wonder, however, whether it will make sense once we're in the more urban areas because there will be less overlap, more proposals, different cois and multiple justifications.

this all is, of course, aside from the potential issue of being perceived as editorializing...

feedback appreciated!  
thanks again

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karin

On Mon, Apr 25, 2011 at 10:33 AM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hey, guys--

A couple of thoughts:

- Yes on "written comments". By definition, anything not presented verbally at a public hearing will be written 😊
- Yes on "submitted proposals" too
- I think we should stick to presenting information relevant to the region for clarity. Any speakers addressing issues in other regions can be included with that region with a parenthetical comment, e.g. "presented at XX/YY Location Public Hearing"
- On Word/PPT presentation, I don't think it matters. I suggested PPT because it would be nice to project something up for the public during the wrap-up. If it saves you time to do one version, just do it once, but be prepared to project it.
- In terms of which format, I like the analysis in version 1, but wonder if you think it will be difficult to capture the pros and cons without seeming like you're editorializing. Keep in mind that if we stick to the schedule of getting this out to the Commission 24 hours in advance, you will not be there to explain when Commissioners are reading it. If you're comfortable doing this, I think it would be very helpful guidance and more useful than a regurgitation of the litany of the detailed reasons people cited in favor of their proposals.
- My original thought was to separate out the "split" and "combine" options in a separate section, as a way of nudging the Commission to give direction on the limited number of desired insightful alternatives for you to show us. On second thought though, I'm not sure it is easy to separate out. For example, in Bakersfield, several speakers advocated splitting the city without prompting on our part. I think version 2 addresses this. You may be safer sticking to technical advice informed by your experience with line-drawing.

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On Mon, Apr 25, 2011 at 9:30 AM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

hello commissioner diguilio,

thank you, first of all, for this document! from my perspective, either format will work - i think you and commissioner dai should decide on a preference and then Q2 can implement it and we can see how it works.

i have a couple of questions: one, if you chose the longer version of the draft, would you want all of the information on the ppt or do you see this more as a handout that supplements the ppt so that we would take, for example, the parts in **bold** to put on slides and present the explanations verbally, or do you envision some hybrid of this?

two: as you mention, is it better to summarize by region rather than by meeting? i am trying to wrap my head around what we gain/lose by going either way. the presentation might be shorter if we summarize by region and we would avoid repeating the same proposals thus making it more concise.

on the 'alternatively submitted comments' - could we just say 'written comments'?

on the 'proposed scenarios/proposals' - could we say: 'submitted proposals'?

i am going to share this proposal with bonnie and get some feedback from her.

on another note, i owe you the list of items that q2 will need guidance on and i am sorry about the delay: i was planning on getting it to you by last night but ran into everyone's easter activities. they are reviewing it this morning and i should have it to you this afternoon.

thanks!

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karin

On Mon, Apr 25, 2011 at 3:16 AM, Michelle DiGuilio <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hi Karin and Cynthia:

First, I apologize for the delay in getting this draft to you. I'm afraid I was busier than I thought with Easter activities for our kids these past 2 days. Hopefully Q2 staff had a chance to enjoy some down time as well.

Attached is a draft of what we had discussed for a type of "template" for Regional Wrap-Ups. Cynthia, I hope you will review this, too, in an effort to ensure I was representing our discussion accurately. I provided 2 similar examples of how a format could be structured - hoping to allow for the most succinct analysis and brief description. Here are some notes about the examples:

1. Both examples include the number of public comments that went into the summary, including the testimony at input hearings as well as the "alternatively submitted comments" (i.e. mail and email, though there may be a better way to phrase this).
2. I highlighted in blue the phrase "Potential Scenarios / Proposals" because I didn't know if there was a preference or intention with either choice. I figured Q2 could choose.
3. Both examples also lists the number of individuals who spoke or submitted comments in support of the proposal in relation to the overall number of comments.
4. The first draft template includes the "scenario and/or proposal" along with 3 sub-categories: that of "pros", "cons" and "technical notes". This format would allow Q2 to summaries the pros and cons of each proposal (as stated by the public) as well as add any technical notes they feel is relevant.
5. The main difference with the second draft template is simply condensing the sub-categories to just the technical notes and removing the pros/cons sections.

I hope this captures our intention to keep things as simple as possible while allowing for the most discussion by commissioners when considering the options that have been presented by the public and condensed by Q2. Of course, Q2 would have all the supporting material and full public comments to refer to if requested by a Commissioner, but for the sake of Regional Wrap-Ups (and with the hope of moving the process forward), this could provide a good start for reflection on the region's preferences.

I will point out, that there's more of a trick in deciding how to present the wrap-ups when it comes to summarizing regions that had more than one meeting. With the first example, Region 9, I couldn't decide how to best incorporate Marysville but ultimately decided to make it another page so the facts could be given about the meeting though it didn't appear that many additional scenarios came out of that meeting. (I guess you could also wrap Marysville into Redding for one combined list of scenarios/proposals.) And in the case of Region 6, which is so large and had such different issues raised, I think there will be more challenges in presenting the summaries of such a large geographic (and in the case of LA, largely populated) regions. But I will be happy to let the professionals figure out what works best for them.

And just as a reminder, this is simply a suggested starting point and I hope Q2 would find a format that best suites its needs. There's no ownership issues on this document and I hope that we can all make comments, suggestions, revisions at will. I'm around most of Mon. and Tues. so feel free to contact me at any time.

Best,  
Michelle

P.S. Karin, just a note that I sent this from my personal computer because the CRC issued computer doesn't have Word installed on it, therefore it was easier to simply send from my home computer. In normal circumstances I receive my CRC correspondence from through the CRC account. Thanks!

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## Fwd: San Diego Senate District Visualization Alternatives

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Ontai, Lilbert <[redacted]>  
To: Lonni Leitch <[redacted]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:53 PM

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From: **Ontai, Lilbert** <[redacted]>  
Date: Sat, Jul 16, 2011 at 10:20 PM  
Subject: Re: San Diego Senate District Visualization Alternatives  
To: Karin Mac Donald <[redacted]>

Hi Karin, Yes, Early next week is fine. I want to organize the maps in terms of the easiest to the more controversial maps ---just like taking a test, where one does the easiest questions first and go back to the hardest one later. We'll talk then. Commissioner Ontai

I want to organize the maps in terms of which ones a mostly likely to be accepted to the least

On Sat, Jul 16, 2011 at 4:22 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[redacted]> wrote:

hello commissioner ontai  
i will ask alex to look at these changes and keep you posted on progress.  
regarding timing, i would suggest a call early next week to talk about the parameters of what we will try to accomplish and how you'd like to go about it. at that point, i can make a better informed suggestion on how much time we will need for what.  
does that sound reasonable?  
thanks  
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karin

On Sat, Jul 16, 2011 at 3:08 PM, Ontai, Lilbert <[redacted]> wrote:

Hi Karin,  
For next week, please prepare a visualization for the San Diego Senate District for the commission to look at that reflects the API attempts to achieve fair and effective representation in the following way:

Move from NESAN to CSAND the following communities:

- Mira Mesa
- Rancho Penesquitos
- Rancho Bernardo
- Miramar
- Sorrento Valley
- Carmel Valley
- Poway (if possible)

Move from CSAND to NESAND the following communities:

- Spring Valley
- Lemon Grove
- La Mesa
- El Cajon

The swap should be made based on achieving an equal population distribution between the two districts as much as possible. This should solve the major concern regarding the improbability of a north-south county-wide API senate district.

Also, please give me your sense of the timing for visualization maps that need to be covered. As chair, I intend to excellerate the pace for commission decision making. Please let me know if you have any questions.

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