

Fwd: san diego

Ontai, Lilbert <
To: Lonn Leitch <

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:51 PM

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** < Date: Fri, Jul 22, 2011 at 5:14 PM

Subject: Re: san diego

To: "Ontai, Lilbert" <

got this

On Fri, Jul 22, 2011 at 5:11 PM, Ontai, Lilbert <

wrote:

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Fwd: ScCal Senate Maps Options 1 and 2

Ontai, Lilbert < Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:52 PM To: Lonn Leitch < ----- Forwarded message ------From: Ontai, Lilbert < Date: Wed, Jul 20, 2011 at 10:52 AM Subject: Re: ScCal Senate Maps Options 1 and 2 To: Karin Mac Donald < Thank you. Gil

On Wed, Jul 20, 2011 at 10:49 AM, Karin Mac Donald < wrote: commissioner ontai, my apologies and thanks for alerting me to this. the visualization we created for you was inadvertently not uploaded. i will send it to you via email in a couple of minutes and we are uploading it now. i'm very sorry! karin On Wed, Jul 20, 2011 at 10:19 AM, Ontai, Lilbert < wrote: Karin, I am puzzled by the posted options for the San Diego senate districts. Both options appear to be the same map? Please check to nsee if a mistake was made. Gil Ontai, Commissioner California Citizens Redistricting Commission "Fair Representation -- Democracy at Work" www.wedrawthelines.ca.gov

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Fwd: schedule for the rest of the day

Ontai, Lilbert < To: Lonn Leitch < Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:55 PM

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From: Karin Mac Donald <

Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2011 at 2:46 PM

Subject: Fwd: schedule for the rest of the day To: "Ontai, Lilbert" <

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From: Karin Mac Donald <

Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2011 at 2:38 PM

Subject: Fwd: schedule for the rest of the day

To: "Ancheta, Angelo" < Cc: "Dai, Cynthia" <

timeline for Assembly Districts:

Orange - total 30 mins

los angeles: total 2 hrs

- > area 1: san fernando valley/ east ventura 30 min
- > area 2: westside LA/ South Bay30 min
- > area 3: Downtown/ South East LA30 min
- > area 4: San Gabrial Mtn foothilles/ San Gabriel Valley 30 min

- > Congressional Districts:
- > Southern california: total 1 hr (maybe 1:15)

- > area 1 san b/riverside 15 mins
- > area 2 imperial/san diego 15 mins
- > area 3 orange 30 min (may go over to 45 mins due to 2 options)

LA cds - total 2 hrs

area 1: san fernando valley/ east ventura30 min

area 2: westside LA/ South Bay30 min

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area 3: Downtown/ South East LA30 min

area 4: San Gabrial Mtn foothilles/ San Gabriel Valley 30 min

we can switch the order between socal and I.a for cds.

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Fwd: schedule for tuesday?

	i, Lilbert <	Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 3:04 PM
Fro Dat Sub	te: Mon, Jun 6, 2011 at 1:34 PM oject: Re: schedule for tuesday?	
tha	nk you! you're the best!!!	
K to T S R c fr	Mon, Jun 6, 2011 at 11:45 AM, Ontai, Lilbert (Carin, the entire session tomorrow (Tuesday, 6/7/11) is devoted to or receive all the information you possibly can from the commission Thursday's commission vote. Mr. Kolby will be at tomorrow's mee Section 2 and 5 issues as related to mapping decisions. This moreon, and Janeece, with respect to the sequence for this entire were consideration of some of the activities. I will consent to whatever it ramework. Mahalo, Gil. On Sun, Jun 5, 2011 at 10:58 PM, Karin Mac Donald hello commissioners ontai and aguirre, and director claypool, i am wondering what is planned for tuesday, the posted agenda schedule our arrivals around what the actual timeline will be, i we be dedicated to linedrawing instructions, is this incorrect and is the linedrawing? best regards, karin	n so you and your team can wrap it up for ting, as well, to assist the commission with ning, I discussed the full agenda with Dan, Kirk, ek. Dan will be calling you to get your input and is deemed efficient and expedient within this time wrote: Wrote: looks quite comprehensive and we are trying to as under the assumption that the entire day will
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Gil Ontai

Fwd: Screen shot of new eastern LA AD configurations

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To: Lonn Leitch <

-----Forwarded message ----From: Kolkey, Daniel M. <
Date: Thu, Jun 9, 2011 at 5:03 PM
Subject: RE: Screen shot of new eastern LA AD configurations
To: Karin Mac Donald <

Ana Henderson <

'Miller, Kirk"

I would not recommend releasing the revised Pico-Rivera district. It not only does not resolve the Voting Rights Act concerns, but results in two districts (Pico-Rivera and South Gate-Lakewood), which will raise substantial concerns regarding their compliance with the compactness criterion.

Daniel M. Kolkey

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Cc: "Brown, George H.'

"Claypool, Daniel" <

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From: Karin Mac Donald [mailto:

Sent: Thursday, June 09, 2011 4:57 PM

To: Kolkey, Daniel M.

Cc: Brown, George H.; Ana Henderson; Gil Ontai; Gabino Aguirre; Miller, Kirk; Claypool, Daniel

Subject: Re: Screen shot of new eastern LA AD configurations

Gabino Aguirre <

the statewide files are merged, the equivalency files were already delivered and the pdfs are being made. this is not something that can be changed today. as we noted weeks ago, no changes can be made today. if the commission wants the previous districts presented then the release date for the draft maps has to be cancelled for tomorrow.

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On Thu, Jun 9, 2011 at 4:52 PM, Kolkey, Daniel M. <

wrote:

At this point, as between the revised version of the Pico-Rivera district and the one presented on June 7, the Commission is better off with the district as originally presented on June 7.

As George notes, there is more diligence that needs to be done in the Los Angeles area, including whether there is another way of addressing the Pico-Rivera and surrounding districts.

Daniel M. Kolkey

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From: Brown, George H.

Sent: Thursday, June 09, 2011 4:49 PM

To: Ana Henderson

Cc: Kolkey, Daniel M.; Karin Mac Donald; Gil Ontai; Gabino Aguirre; Miller, Kirk; Claypool, Daniel

Subject: RE: Screen shot of new eastern LA AD configurations

Understood. Overall, I believe there is more diligence and deliberation to be done in the L.A. County area, and we need to find a way to gather the necessary inputs from knowledgeable community sources and allow the commission to further discuss these areas.

George H. Brown

Partner

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From: Ana Henderson [mailto:

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Sent: Thursday, June 09, 2011 4:46 PM

To: Brown, George H.

Cc: Kolkey, Daniel M.; Karin Mac Donald; Gil Ontai; Gabino Aguirre; Miller, Kirk; Claypool, Daniel

Subject: Re: Screen shot of new eastern LA AD configurations

Hi George,

Thanks for getting back to us on this visualization.

As I noted in my email yesterday afternoon, we attempted to rework this area while maintaining the integrity of city boundaries to the extent possible, per CRC direction to see whether adjustment to the very high LCVAP district was possible.

I am not sure if you are suggesting making any changes now, but I wanted to let you know that at this late point we cannot make further changes and still deliver draft maps for tomorrow.

Thanks,

Ana

On Thu, Jun 9, 2011 at 4:10 PM, Brown, George H. <

Hi everyone, Dan and I have reviewed the attached revision of the Pico-Rivera region of LA County. Our view is that it does not resolve the overall concerns and likely creates additional concerns about compliance with the compactness criteria in both districts.

George H. Brown

Partner

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From: Ana Henderson [mailto:

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Sent: Wednesday, June 08, 2011 5:03 PM **To:** Brown, George H.; Kolkey, Daniel M.

Cc: Karin Mac Donald; Gil Ontai; Gabino Aguirre

Subject: Screen shot of new eastern LA AD configurations

Hi all,

Nicole was able to rework the eastern LA area in a way that addresses some of the concerns about the ADs voiced this morning. The new draft district does not contain any city splits. A screen shot is attached.

Feel free to get in touch with any questions.

Thanks,

Ana

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Fwd: timeline

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From: Karin Mac Donald <

Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2011 at 5:21 PM

Subject: timeline

To: "Ancheta, Angelo" <

Michelle DiGuilio <

Cc: "Ontai, Lilbert" <

hello commissioners

i am writing to alert you to the fact that the current schedule on the crc site does not reflect the change in the line drawing schedule. due to the addition of the line drawing day on saturday, the 2 live linedrawing days next week on the 21st and the 22nd to the 22nd and 23rd. it also pushes the release and vote on the final map from the 28th to the 29th. thanks

karin

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Fwd: va hospital

Ontai, Lilbert < Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:51 PM To: Lonn Leitch < ----- Forwarded message ------From: Karin Mac Donald < Date: Fri, Jul 22, 2011 at 7:39 AM Subject: Re: va hospital To: "Galambos-Malloy, Connie" < Cc: "Forbes, Stanley" < "Ontai, Lilbert" < that would be great. thanks k On Fri, Jul 22, 2011 at 6:26 AM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie wrote: We got a good handout about it in public comment yesterday that I can provide... Connie On 7/21/11, Karin Mac Donald < wrote: > hi commissioner forbes, > i'm sorry i'm a little lost. what district is this in? where is it? this is > about finding out the population of a hospital??? did you work with nicole > on this? i need a little more info to do the research. thanks! > . > karin > > On Thu, Jul 21, 2011 at 5:29 PM, Forbes, Stanley > >> the issue came up this morning about including the va hospital in the west >> la district-i spoke with them at a break and told them i had brought it up >> but that the va hospital had 11,000 people. that is not their number-can >> you >> check? thanks > Sent from my mobile device Connie Galambos Malloy, Commissioner California Citizens Redistricting Commission "Fair Representation--Democracy at Work!" www.wedrawthelines.ca.gov

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Fwd: valley vs foothills

Karin--

I think the issues in region 6 are inextricably tied to Section 5 counties. I think we would want legal opinions on whether any of the public proposals are not viable based on retrogression. Can you get George to look at that before Thursday? I don't want to "waste" our limited Commission discussion time. Also, can we get feedback on how we dealt with Yuba in region 9?
--}cyn

On Tue, May 3, 2011 at 7:50 AM, Karin Mac Donald wrote:

- > hello commissioner dai,
- > i asked jaime to summarize the issues remaining in region 6. would you pls take a look and tell me if this is what you had in mind? thank you!

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> karin
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> ------ Forwarded message ----> From: jaime clark <
> Date: Mon, May 2, 2011 at 4:18 PM
> Subject: valley vs foothills
> To: "
>
> not worded very eloquently:

> speaker 15 at the merced pi hearing advocated for an assembly district composed of the foothills region east of the central valley. this region would consist of intact el dorado, amador, alpine, calavaras, tuolmne, and mariposa counties as well as eastern regions of madera and fresno counties. the total population of this district would be 386,949, deviating 78,725 below the ideal value (-16.91%). this proposed district does not include mono or inyo counties (both adjacent to and east of fresno and madera counties), with populations of 14,202 and 18,546, respectively. the

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population includes 11.43% hispanic, the largest percentage of any single group in this area.

> the counties that constitute the central valley are san joaquin, tulomne, stanislaus, mariposa, madera, merced, fresno, tulare, kings, and kern counties. together, their total population is 4,045,275, with a percent population of 47.91% hispanic, and 29.84% hispanic 18+. areas with the highest concentration of hispanic origin (+75%) are along the i-5 and hwy 99 corridors, with the most concentrated areas predominantly falling in west fresno, kings, west tulare, and northwest kern counties.

> the central valley counties can potentially fulfill population requirements for 8.69 assembly districts, 4.34 senate districts, and 5.76 congressional districts.

> city and county of fresno coming soon!

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> On Mon, May 2, 2011 at 3:50 PM,

wrote:

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>> Great. Can u sum the other issues? Valley v foothills

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>> Karin Mac Donald

>> Q2 Data & Research, LLC

>> Sent from my HTC

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>> ---- Reply message -----

>> From: "jaime clark" <

>> Date: Mon, May 2, 2011 14:59

>> Subject: bakersfield

>> To: "Karin Mac Donald" <

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>> note: the farming communities are not including 2 census places along the hwy 99 corridor north of bakersfield. only some people testified about these communities, which are also agricultural areas.

>> delano: population 53,041

>> and

>> mcfarland: pop 12,707

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>> On Mon, May 2, 2011 at 2:57 PM, jaime clark < wrote

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>>> there were 3 predominant and viable viewpoints on the city of bakersfield that came out of the pi hearing in bakersfield:

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>>> 1. keep the greater bakersfield metropolitan area whole. this area includes bakersfield, green acres, wasco, shafter, rosedale, oildale, greenfield, fuller acres, lamont, arvin, weedpatch, and edmunson acres. this region has a total population of 592,382 if mapped on the census tract layer to create a contiguous area. the population includes 52.27% hispanic origin, with a percent population of 31.9% 18+ hispanic.

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>>> 2. keep kern county's farming communities together, but separate from bakersfield (reference current assembly district 30's lines in bakersfield area). this area includes wasco, shafter, oildale, fuller acres, lamont, arvin, weedpatch, and edmunson acres. this region has a total population of 190,048 if mapped on the census tract layer to create a contiguous area. the population includes 68.98% hispanic origin, with a percent population of 42.35% 18+ hispanic.

>>> >>>

>>> 3. keep kern county's farming communities together and with east bakersfield. this area includes wasco, shafter, rosedale, oildale, greenfield, fuller acres, lamont, arvin, weedpatch, edmunson acres, and east bakersfield (defined by public testimony as the area east of hwy 99 and south of the kern river). this region has a total population of 379,957 if mapped on the census tract layer to create a contiguous area. the population includes 63.46% hispanic origin, with a percent population of 38.65% 18+ hispanic.

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>>> let me know if you need more info on any of these areas.

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>>> thanks!

>>> jaime

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Marian M. Johnston



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2 messages

Filkins-Webber, Jodie < Tue, Aug 16, 2011 at 7:29 PM

To: Lonn Leitch < Marian Johnston < Marian Johnston <

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

From: <

Date: Thu, Jun 2, 2011 at 11:05 AM

Subject: Fw: Conference Call Friday 1:30pm PST

To: Angelo Ancheta < Jodie Filkins-Webber <

Cc: Matt Barreto <

Our call is confirmed for 1 30 tomorrow and the call in number is below. Thank you. Kirk

-----Original Message-----

From: Matt Barreto To: Kirk Miller

Subject: Conference Call Friday 1:30pm PST

Sent: Jun 1, 2011 6:26 PM

Hi Kirk,

The dial-in info for the call Friday is here:

Dial-in number:

Access code: 606650#

Thanks,

MB

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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Jodie Filkins Webber
Commissioner
Citizens Redistricting Commissioner

Citizens Redistricting Commission

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Filkins-Webber, Jodie <

Tue, Aug 16, 2011 at 7:30 PM

To: Lonn Leitch <

Cc: Kirk Miller < Marian Johnston <

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From: Miller, Kirk < Date: Wed, Jun 8, 2011 at 10:32 PM

Subject: Re: Follow-up
To: Matt Barreto <

Cc: "Brown, George H." < Angelo Ancheta < Jodie Filkins-

Webber <

Matt:

Our total budget for this work is \$50,000. If the work is done in the manner you propose, I do not think we reach an agreement. The work will be performed for outside counsel, but not litigation. I encourage you to call George Brown in the morning and discuss specifically our needs. Please let me know if you still feel there is a match, and the work can be done within our budget, as we would like to conclude this matter this week. Best wishes. Kirk

On Wed, Jun 8, 2011 at 7:33 PM, Matt Barreto < wrote: Hi Kirk,

I am happy to provide independent advice throughout this process, though the role of the expert who is acting on behalf of CA should be to provide an independent assessment of the data, not to review what someone else has done. The only way I can say with certainty if some data are accurate or not, is to run the data myself. Someone could produce a set of results that is nothing more than tables and charts, and unless we replicate all of their work we will never have the ability to say if they are accurate or not, and the extent to which RPB exists or doesn't. I would not be comfortable looking at a report someone else wrote and then telling the CRC, with certainty that X or Y exists. It could very well be the case that everything is accurate, but my own experience suggests that different methods and modes of research and data compilation lead to very different results. Researchers make mistakes all the time, and that is why the CRC should have their own independent expert to run data and figure out what the actual answer is in each case. Still, I could look at other empirical data that is being reported and say something like, "the authors of the report claim that they have found ABC." The only way I will ever say with certainty that X or Y does or doesn't exist, is if I compile the dataset and run the analysis myself.

Hope this helps, MB

On 6/8/2011 3:58 PM, Miller, Kirk wrote:

Matt.

Please see this note from George Brown that better decides the work. Let me know how this might change your response and estimated cost:

We want to work with the consultant to help us assess the likelihood that a plaintiff in a section 2 case could develop RPV evidence in a particular area. The work to be done will vary by area. In Los Angeles County, we may want the consultant to help assess the empirical data that already exists concerning RPV among various groups and to discuss with us the implications of that data. In Fresno, we may want the consultant to do a bivariate regression analysis of a few elections, sufficient for counsel to form a judgment about the likelihood that further evidence on RPV could be developed if the matter were litigated. I do not envision any written reports or conclusions.

On Wed, Jun 8, 2011 at 11:59 AM, Matt Barreto < wrote: Kirk,

Below I've included a general overview to the research for racially polarized voting analysis that I regularly perform. Please let me know if you have any questions, or need more detail.

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Best, MB

Racial Bloc Voting Research - Prof. Matt A. Barreto

The central question to be examined in racial bloc voting research is whether or not distinct voting patterns exist when a racial or ethnic minority candidate appears on the ballot. That is, in the presence of a minority candidate, do minorities and Whites in a given jurisdiction show different, and racially polarized, patterns of vote choice. For any one jurisdiction, or case, in which RBV is to be considered, we would expect to analyze about 10 previous elections in order to establish enough evidence that a pattern does, or does not exist. In some cases there may only be 6 to 8 previous election, while in other cases, there may be 15 or 20 previous elections to consider. We base this cost estimate on an average of 10 elections to be analyzed across all cases, and if in fact considerably more elections are needed to analyze, additional labor would be required to compile databases and conduct analysis. Because individual level vote choice data is not available, RBV researchers rely on precinct level data. To build a database for each analysis, we would first download the election results, precinct-by-precinct, for the election with a minority candidate, and we would merge this against precinct level information on the minority population within each precinct. Where possible, we prefer to use the minority population of actual voters, which is usually discernible for Latino and Asian American populations. For African Americans, voter registration records are less reliable and census citizen voting age population data is often used as a proxy. In each case, we would create a unique and independent database for each election year to be analyzed. For example, if we are analyzing voting patterns during elections with Latino candidates, and Latino candidates ran for office in the 2002 primary, 2002 general, 2006 primary, 2006 general, 2010 primary, 2010 general, we would end up needing to compile six independent databases, so that vote results for each each match voter population estimates for each year. Once the databases are compiled and validated, that RBV analysis begins. To provide the most comprehensive research possible, we rely on six different statistical methods of analysis to assess the degree to which racially polarized voting exists, or doesn't exist. These include, (1) pairwise correlation; (2) T-test comparison of means; (3) Homogeneous precinct analysis; (4) XY scatterplot with fitted line; (5) Goodman's ecological regression; (6) King's ecological inference. It is absolutely critical that the researcher takes the most comprehensive and rigorous approach to the data analysis as possible, which will result in slightly more research being needed, but will allow us to draw conclusions that are extremely accurate and scientifically supported.

To conduct a thorough and rigorous analysis of RBV in a given jurisdiction requires about 60 hours of work. The most efficient, and economical way to proceed is to divide the work between the principal researcher (Barreto) and two research assistants. RAs can assist with the downloading and compiling of databases, which the principal researcher can validate. RAs can also assist with the preliminary statistical analysis, which the principal researcher can confirm, re-estimate and validate.

Total cost per jurisdiction	\$7000
20 Hours Principal @ \$250	\$5000
20 Hours RA 2 @ \$50	\$1000
20 Hours RA 1 @ \$50	\$1000

If more than 10 previous elections are required for analysis, additional labor would be required on our part to compile the databases and analyze RBV, bringing additional costs, however we would only charge those is the overall average number of previous elections exceeds 10. For example if jurisdiction A had 13 previous elections; but jurisdiction B had 7, the average would be 10 and no additional labor or costs would be incurred. For each additional election required to compile and analyze, beyond the average of 10, costs would be pro-rated at the same rates above, or \$700 per additional election.

In addition to RBV, some cases may require additional types of research such as population analysis to determine whether or not a large and cohesive minority population does in fact exist to create a viable majority-minority district. This would entail reviewing the population data, already provided, and to assess the potential voting population, given the degree or rate of RBV found in the above analysis. The size of the minority population should not be viewed in isolation, but rather in combination with the degree of RBV. The need for population analysis could be determined on an ad hoc basis and would require about 15 additional hours per case:

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5 Hours RA 1 @ \$50...... \$250 5 Hours RA 2 @ \$50...... \$250 5 Hours Principal @ \$250..... \$1250 Total cost per jurisdiction..... \$1750

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Re: Update on VRA District Analyses

1 message

Barabba, Vincent <
To: Lonn Leitch <

Fri, Sep 9, 2011 at 10:56 AM

Lonn...what follows all relate to Pra 15 Item 3. These are more related to what we were doing than the decision to delegate us to work with Q2.

On Wed, Jun 22, 2011 at 8:25 PM, Ancheta, Angelo <

wrote:

Maria -- Here's an update on the progress of the VRA work team. Connie, Vince, and I have been tag teaming on various districts, and we've been able to complete our comparisons of alternatives for the congressional districts and for the assembly and senate districts outside of the core-LA-county areas. We will still need to complete our analyses of the LA County assembly and senate districts.

A couple of patterns of emerged. First, in many areas, the CRC maps align closely with various alternative proposals, and we would not recommend any significant changes to the draft. Second, in some areas, a couple of alternative districts are problematic because they have serious compactness problems and might lead to Shaw violations under the 14th amendment if adopted. Third, based on comparisons and some line drawing with Q2, there appear to be additional majority-minority districts that could be drawn in some areas. For example, one more majority-minority congressional district could be drawn in the LA core area and one district could be drawn in Orange County (majority-minority district on the assembly level, influence district on the congressional level).

There are, of course, ripple effects that the Commission will need to address, and we have attempted to map some of the adjacent districts to make sure that the majority-minority districts are viable. We've also made sure the public testimony on COIs and neighborhoods aligns with the potential districts. Q2 has saved visualizations and can present them on Friday.

For Thursday's meeting, I can provide a basic progress progress report during the work plan discussion. On Friday morning, we can present a more thorough report with specific visualizations and Q2 present. If you'd like more extensive coverage on Thursday to help the commissioner teams working on regions (this assumes they have time to work on Thursday night and Friday morning between meetings), then I can offer more specifics, but will not have visuals available.

Angelo

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Angelo Ancheta Commissioner California Citizens Redistricting Commission

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Re: VRA Visualizations, Batch 4

1 message

Barabba, Vincent <
To: Lonn Leitch <

Fri, Sep 9, 2011 at 11:04 AM

Mr. Brown,

Attached please find visualizations for the following potential VRA districts:

- 1. San Diego City AD. As I had surmised in my email last night, the changes to this district did increase the LCVAP slightly.
- 2. Pomona Valley CDs Option 1. This option has one district that is greater than 50% LCVAP. This district is centered on San Bernardino.
- 3. Pomona Valley CDs Option 2. The CRC directed us to attempt to draw two CDs in the Pomona Valley with greater than 50% LCVAP. This file contains these visualizations.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Take care, Ana

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Angelo Ancheta Commissioner California Citizens Redistricting Commission

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Fwd: Urgent: Please update commission/database website

Ontai, Lilbert < To: Lonn Leitch <	F	ri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:52 PM
Forwarded message From: Galambos-Malloy, Connie < Date: Tue, Jul 19, 2011 at 9:07 PM		
Subject: Re: Urgent: Please update commission/database	e website	
To: Karin Mac Donald <	Rob Wilcox <	Lilbert Ontai
<pre></pre>	Jeanne Raya <	

Got it, great. I must have viewed the website just before the interface switched over this evening. Exactly what we had in mind.

Connie

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On 7/19/11, Karin Mac Donald
                                                                  wrote:
> this is done. pls see the web interface on the swdb site, thanks to
> guan-cheng li who has been working more than around the clock since we
> started the file interface with the swdb, even though we only have him for
> 30% time at the swdb. i don't know how he managed to do all of this, but he
> did!
> cheers
> .
> karin
> On Tue, Jul 19, 2011 at 6:54 PM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie <
                                         wrote:
>> Team:
>> Karin, great work getting our "draft final visualizations" in order...as
>> follow up:
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>> Last week in our Business Meeting we discussed revamping the language on
>> the Commission's website to clarify that the latest iterations are in fact
>> the "draft final visualizations." In addition, we wanted all previous
>> "draft
>> visualizations" to be archived to a different location on the Commission
>> Statewide Database's website so that there is only the "draft final
>> visualization" that folks can pull down and there is no confusion for them
>> to wonder which one is the one the public should be focusing their
>> time/energies on reviewing from here on out.
>> Any chance of archiving the old ones as soon as possible? Gil and I are
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>> eager to fast-track it because this will also help clarify to

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>> Commissioners
>> who have any remaining doubts as to what the baseline is for commencing
>> this
>> week's deliberations.
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>> Thanks!
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Fwd: Norcal SDs for 7/16

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To: Lonn Leitch <

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:53 PM

------ Forwarded message -----From: Tamina Alon <
Date: Sat, Jul 16, 2011 at 9:56 AM
Subject: Re: Norcal SDs for 7/16
To: "Shupe, Christina" <
Co: Daniel Claypool < Karin Mac Donald < Michelle DiGuilio

"Ancheta, Angelo" <

Hi Christina,

There are two CDF folders and two SHP folders. One of each is zipped. I wasn't sure which one you wanted, so I included both, but they are exactly the same otherwise.

Thanks, Tamina

On Sat, Jul 16, 2011 at 12:15 AM, Shupe, Christina < wrote: Hi Tamina,

The only files I was able to successfully download were the Senate files - but there seems to be a problem with the zipped folder. There are multiple of each CDF and SHP folder and they are different sizes. Can you check on these for me?

Thanks,

Christina

Here are the Northern California senate district visualizations for 7/16.

Thanks, Tamina

Christina Shupe
Senior Operations Analyst
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Fwd: Northern California Visualizations for 7/13

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Angelo--

Your instructions are great. I officially hand over the responsibility of providing Google XYZ instruction for to you 📴. This is fantastic technology; the public is going to love it!

--}cyn

On Tue, Jul 12, 2011 at 1:52 PM, Ancheta, Angelo < wrote: Commissioners:

Although there are still a couple of technical issues being worked out by Q2 for general presentation purposes and interaction with Google Maps, the Northern California visualizations are available now and can be viewed if you have Google Earth loaded on your computer.

First, if you don't already have a copy of Google Earth, you should download and set up the program. The program is available for download at http://earth.google.com

The visualization files can be downloaded at http://swdb.berkeley.edu/crc_vis/index.html

When you go the appropriate page that has the downloadable files, you should do the following:

- 1. Click on the ".kmz" link under the FILE TYPE section
- 2. Downloading will begin and, depending on your browser, you will be prompted to save the file or to load it into Google Earth. If the file is saved, just double-click on it and it should bring up Google Earth
- 3. After Google Earth loads, you can opt to turn on various layers in the lower left part of the screen. Use the "Roads" layer to have highways and street names available.
- 4. Zoom in and out as needed to view the district
- 5. Click your mouse pointer within a district to pull up the district name and some basic data on the district
- 6. Printing of the current view should be available within program.

We'll provide updates as the technical issues are being smoothed out. We certainly want to make sure that the general public will be able to access the visualizations easily.

As you prepare for the line drawing meetings, please look at the districts carefully and go down to the street level as needed. Knowing the districts and focusing on your major concerns ahead of time will help in making the line

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drawing	sessions	more	efficient.

Let me know if you encounter any problems.

Angelo

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Sacramento Redistricting Workshop Open to the Public

Redistricting Technical Assistance Centers to Open Statewide

SACRAMENTO—The Redistricting Group at the University of California Berkeley School of Law is hosting a series of interactive, educational workshops and opening regional redistricting technical assistance centers (also called 'sites') across the State. Paid for by a grant from the James Irvine Foundation, the purpose of the workshops is to educate all Californians on how the redistricting process works, how to access the data, and how to effectively communicate valuable information about your community.

The first of these workshops will be held at the Sacramento Central Library. The workshop is free and open to the public. This is your opportunity to become an informed California resident equipped with the tools necessary to be a part of this important process.

Redistricting Workshop

Saturday, March 12, 2011 1 -4 p.m. Sacramento Central Library 828 | Street

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Sacramento, CA 95814 West Meeting Room in Galleria – First Floor

The Sacramento regional redistricting assistance center opened today, March 9, 2001, and is located at the Central Library, 2nd Floor Conference Room, at 828 I Street, Sacramento, CA. This site is open Wednesdays from 2 – 8 p.m.; Thursdays from 2 -8 p.m., and Saturday from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Interested groups and individuals can access the center during those times or schedule an appointment with Ms. Robin Evans at

For more information, visit the Statewide Database website at http://swdb.berkeley.edu/index.html

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hello commissioner ontai

i will forward your email to alex and holly with a cc to ana.

happy 4th of july!

best,

karin

On Mon, Jul 4, 2011 at 7:42 PM,

Hi Karin,

I don't have Anna's email, but it's better that I send you these questions regarding the senate district lines for San Diego. Jeanne and I will be sending some suggestions by tonight or tomorrow morning for Anna to play around with.

wrote:

Currently, San Diego County has 7 assembly districts (odd number). Here are some over-arching questions that will help us:

Scenario A:

What happens to the distribution if we compressed the number of senate districts in the county to 3 senate districts?

- a) If we combined two coastal assembly districts (NCSAND & CRNOSAND) into one senate district?
- b) If we combined LMSAND and SSAND into one senate district?
- c) If we combined NESAND and SANTM into one senate district?
- d) Blend RCHMM into the each of the three above senate districts?

How do we handle the overflow of 465,000 from RCHMM?

Can we re-distribute the numbers in some equitable way?

What are our boundary options?

Scenario B:

- 2) What happens to the distribution if we expand the number of senate districts to 4 senate districts? Where do we pick up an additional 465,000 populace to make-up a full senate district?
- a) keep LMSAND and SSAND together?
- b) keep NCSAND & CRNOSAND together?
- c) keep SANTM and RCHMM together?
- d) Can NESAND expand into southern Imperial County (El Centro area)? What's the impact to Coachella Valley above?

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