

Conversations with Amy who is the consultant with Philanthropy CA & Megan Thomas from SD Grantmakers

The state groups that had received funding include:

- Asian Americans Advancing Justice-Asian Law Caucus with Asian Americans Advancing Justice-Los Angeles
- Black Census and Redistricting Hub
- MALDEF
- NALEO Educational Fund

- They had reached out various times to California Native Vote, but they were not ready to submit a proposal.

These are the types of activities to which the statewide groups committed:

- In collaboration with partners, develop a set of educational materials on redistricting, which include PowerPoint presentations, fact sheets, “tip sheets” on how to prepare and deliver testimony, and testimony templates.
- In coordination with partners, conduct multiple rounds of community education workshops throughout the state.
- Develop an on-demand redistricting webinar series accessible online.
- Gain input from community members on appropriate district boundaries in their regions.
- Provide input into the unity mapping process with regard to feedback from community members about COIs and advice that may help resolve conflicts among various VRA-protected groups.
- Provide assistance to community partners on their involvement in state and local redistricting processes.
- Developing preliminary district maps based on population estimates and data collected by community partners and work with other leaders from communities of color to develop unity maps.

Regional Grants: \$75K to each

- Inland Empire
- San Diego
- Orange County
- Los Angeles
- Fresno

A conversation with Mr. Woodson (California Calls) to ask a question about reaching incarcerated populations and he provided the following links to information. He also said that his group would be providing public comment on how to reach incarcerated populations for the purposes of gathering redistricting testimony.

I also wanted to pass along a few resources that might be helpful as the commission is thinking through this topic.

[ACLU Voting in California Jails: A Community Toolkit](#)

[In San Diego, Black Muslims are working to expand voting access in jails](#)

[Example of Voting Materials made available to inmates](#)