











2020 CALIFORNIA CITIZENS REDISTRICTING COMMISSION PUBLIC MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, May 4, 2021 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (or upon conclusion of business)

Attend via livestream at https://webrawTheLinesCA.org/meetings.

Requests for disability-related modification or accommodation should be made at least five business days prior to the meeting and should be submitted in writing either by mail at 721 Capitol Mall, Suite 260, Sacramento, California 95814 or by email at votersfirstact@crc.ca.gov.

The Commission Welcomes Public Comment!

The Commission generally seeks public comment at the beginning of each day, the end of each day, and in advance of any vote. Public comment may be sought at other times as well depending on the topic under discussion.

Public Comment: The Commission may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment period that is not already on the agenda, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. [Gov. Code §§ 11125, 1125.7(a)]

**Detailed instructions for making public comment during the Commission's meeting will be posted at https://weDrawTheLinesCA.org and announced during the meeting. The commissioners may adopt reasonable time limits for public comments in order to ensure that the purpose of public discussion is fulfilled. (Gov. Code, §11125.7, subd. (b).)

Alternatively, **written comments** may be submitted via the Commission's website at: https://weDrawTheLinesCA.org or emailed directly to votersfirstact@crc.ca.gov **no later than three days prior to the meeting**.















Tuesday, May 4, 2021, 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Chair: Commissioner FERNANDEZ/ Vice-Chair Commissioner AHMAD

- Call to Order and Roll Call
- 2. Public Comment
- 3. General Announcements/Commissioner Updates: Items of interest to the Commission
- 4. Chair Report
- 5. Executive Director's Report, including discussion and possible action on:
 - Staffing and personnel
 - Protocols for commission communications
 - Budget, contracts, and/or procurement
- 6. Outreach Director's Report
 - Update on Outreach Activities
- 7. Chief Counsel's Report
- 8. Communications Director's Report
- 9. Subcommittee Updates: Report of subcommittee recommendations on which action may be taken:
 - A. Government Affairs/Census: Commissioners Sadhwani and Toledo
 - Update and discussion regarding impact of Census delay on CRC Calendar and Electoral Cycle
 - B. Finance and Administration: Commissioners Fernandez and Fornaciari
 - C. GANTT Chart: Commissioners Kennedy and Taylor
 - D. VRA Compliance: Commissioners Sadhwani and Yee
 - E. Outreach and Engagement: Commissioners Sinay and















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- F. Language Access: Commissioners Akutagawa and Fernandez
- G. Materials Development: Commissioners Fernandez and Kennedy
- H. Website: Commissioners Kennedy and Taylor
- I. Data Management: Commissioners Ahmad and Turner
- J. Grants: Commissioners Akutagawa and Le Mons
- K. Community of Interest (COI) Tool: Commissioners Akutagawa and Kennedy
- L. Cybersecurity: Commissioners Fornaciari and Taylor
- M. Incarcerated Populations: Commissioners Fernandez and Sinay
- N. Public Input Meeting Design: Commissioners Fornaciari and Sinay
 - Discussion of subcommittee issues, procedures with Public Input and Line Drawing consultant
- O. Lessons Learned: Commissioners Ahmad and Kennedy
- P. Outreach Director Recruitment: Commissioners Ahmad and Fernandez
- Q. Chief Counsel Recruitment: Commissioners Andersen and Toledo
 - Discussion of Chief Counsel position and possible action
- R. IT Recruitment: Commissioners Andersen and Fornaciari
- 10. Legal Affairs Committee Update -- Commissioners Yee, Toledo and Sadhwani
 - Status of VRA and Litigation Counsel contracting
- 11. Line Drawer Updates/Training

CLOSED SESSION

Pursuant to Sections 11126(c) (18), 11126(a), and 11126 (e) of the Government Code, the Commission will meet in Closed Session to consider:

- A. Data and cybersecurity issues
- B. Personnel-related issues
 - a. Chief Counsel and Outreach Director Interviews/Deliberations (if needed)















C. Potential litigation

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

- 12. Report on actions, if any, taken in Closed Session
- 13. Discussion of future meeting dates & agenda items.
 - Currently scheduled future meeting dates: May 13-14, May 18, May 24-25
 - Committee Meeting dates: May 12, May 26

Public Comment

MEETING WILL ADJOURN

THE NEXT SCHEDULED MEETINGS:

Full Commission: May 13-14, May 18, May 24-25

<u>Legal Affairs Committee</u>: May 12, May 26

Public Input Meeting Design: May 12, May 26

IMPORTANT NOTES:

Under Government Code section 11123, subdivision (a), all meetings of a state body are open and public, and all persons are permitted to attend any meeting of a state body, except as otherwise provided in that article. However, pursuant to Executive Orders N-29-20 [17 March 2020] and N-35-20 [21 March 2020], certain provisions of the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act are currently suspended due to a State of Emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Consistent with the Executive Orders, this meeting of the Commission will be conducted remotely (streamed live). Members of the public who wish to participate in the meeting may do so via livestream on our website at https://weDrawTheLinesCA.org. None of the locations















from which the commissioners will participate will be open to the public.

The Commission may not meet on every noticed day. <u>Please consult the website for up-to-date information on the days the Commission will convene.</u>

All times are approximate. In the sole discretion of the commissioners, the commissioners will periodically recess after no more than 90 minutes for the comfort of the participants and staff, without reference to agenda items.

The Commission may consider parts of an agenda item without closing the item, and Agenda items may continue from day to day.

This meeting will be streamed live via the Internet and recorded by a videographer and stenographer. Both the video and transcript will be available respectively at www.WeDrawTheLinesCA.org as soon as is practicable after the meeting.

Handouts: Electronic versions of the documents that have been made available to the commission will be available at www.WeDrawTheLinesCA.org. The Commission generally seeks to have all materials available on the website at least two business days in advance of its meetings, but materials may occasionally be posted later; please check the website regularly for updates.

For questions regarding this meeting, please call (916) 323-0323.

