

**FOR DISCUSSION PURPOSES ONLY**

As requested by the commission, following our last conversation and review of the Census delay [memo](#).

**Primary Milestone Dates & Possible Scenarios**

The phase of redistricting that requires census data manipulation leading to the final Commission maps is a four and one-half month process. There are key, mandatory requirements:

- The required public display of the draft maps is required to begin 93 days after the data are received, based on timeline set forth in *Padilla*.
- The **14 day public review** period of the publicly displayed draft maps during which the Commission cannot make any changes to the maps.
  - Any subsequent preliminary maps to be open to public comment for at least seven days, and for the final maps to be open to public comment for at least three days. (8253.a.7)
- The required delivery date for the maps and reports to the Secretary of State is 137 days after the delivery of data to the state. Prior to the delivery of maps, they must be **publicly displayed for three days**. *The first Commission delivered paper copies of the maps and reports to the Secretary and included a flash drive with the maps and reports on it. They also provided a flash drive to the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Senate Minority Leader, the Speaker of the Assembly, the Assembly Minority Leader, the Secretary of the Senate, the Chief Clerk of the Assembly, and the California State Auditor.*

Milestone Dates for Usual Process (Used by 2010 commission)	Milestone Dates granted by the CA Supreme Court
<b>April 1, 2021 - Census PL provided.</b> Three months until public display of the maps are required. <b>91 calendar days</b> until the public display of the maps.	<b>July 31, 2021 - Census PL provided.</b> Three months until public display of the maps are required. <b>92 calendar days</b> until the public display of the maps.
<b>April - June</b> - 30+ Public hearings after Census data released.	<b>August-October</b> - 30+ Public hearings after Census data released.
<b>Thursday July 1, 2021</b> - Required public display of draft maps.	<b>Monday November 1, 2021</b> - Required public display of draft maps.
<b>Wednesday, July 14, 2021</b> - End of required 14 day public review period.	<b>Monday November 15, 2021</b> - End of required 14 day public review period.
<b>32 calendar days</b> for the final refinements and development of the required reports.	<b>30 calendar days</b> for the final refinements and development of the required reports.

<p><b>Sunday August 15, 2021</b> - Maps and reports are certified and delivered to the Secretary of State. (Either a special arrangement must be made for delivery or the due date is Friday August 13, 2021.</p>	<p><b>Wednesday December 15, 2021</b> - Maps and reports are certified and delivered to the Secretary of State. <i>Final maps would need to be displayed no later than December 11th and open to public comment for at least 3 days.</i></p>
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<p><b>Scenario 1: Legacy Data</b> (using 2010 timeline)  <i>Assumption: Aug. 16 drop of Census. Could be sooner.</i>  Lawsuit risk:</p>	<p><b>Scenario 2: Legacy Data</b> (innovative timeline)  <i>Assumption: Aug. 16 drop of Census. Could be sooner.</i>  Lawsuit risk:</p>
<p><b>June - August, 2021:</b> 30+ Public hearings prior to the Census data release.</p>	<p><b>June - August, 2021:</b> 30+ Public hearings prior to the Census data release.</p>
<p><b>August 16, 2021 - Census Legacy Data provided.</b> Three months until public display of the maps are required.</p>	<p><b>August 16, 2021 - Census Legacy Data provided.</b> Three months until public display of the maps are required.</p>
<p><b>September 20th-22nd, 2021</b> - Statewide Database completes formatting of the data. SWDB has said they would need 1 week to format the legacy data and 4 weeks to format for prisoner reallocation.</p>	<p><b>September 20th, 2021</b> - Statewide Database completes formatting of the data. SWDB has said they would need 1 week to format the legacy data and 4 weeks to format for prisoner reallocation.</p>
<p><i>Continue more public hearings using PL data during September-November</i></p>	<p><i>Begin public line drawing September 21st</i></p>
<p><i>Begin public line drawing November 1</i></p>	<p><b>Friday October 15, 2021</b> - release public display of draft maps. (<i>Draft maps are not required until Wednesday Nov. 17, 2021</i>)</p>
<p><b>Monday November 17, 2021</b> - Required public display of draft maps.</p>	<p><b>Thursday October 29, 2021</b> - End of required 14 day public review period.</p>
<p><b>Wednesday December 1, 2021</b> - End of required 14 day public review period.  <i>Thanksgiving is Nov. 25</i></p>	<p><i>Continue more public hearings using PL data during month of November</i></p>
<p><b>31 calendar days</b> for the final refinements and development of the required reports.  <i>Conduct additional public input sessions (Dec 1-15); Return to final public line drawing (Dec. 15-31).</i></p>	<p><b>Wednesday December 1, 2021</b> - Return to final drawing of the maps</p>

<p><b>Wednesday December 31, 2021</b> - Maps and reports are certified and delivered to the Secretary of State. <i>(Final maps prepared by Dec 27 and held for 3 days public review)</i></p>	<p><b>Wednesday December 19, 2021</b> - Maps and reports are certified and delivered to the Secretary of State. <i>(Final maps prepared by Dec 15 and held for 3 days public review)</i></p> <p>(Official deadline to finalize the maps is not until Wednesday December 31, 2021).</p>
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<p><b>Scenario 3: Wait for the PL 94 Data</b>  <i>Assumption: Legacy data is unusable or we just don't want to use it.</i></p> <p>Lawsuit risk: high</p>	<p><b>Scenario 4:</b> Return to the Supreme Court and clarify that timeline “trigger date” is tied to the release of usable data from SWDB/Demographer and that the Commission needs more time to collect input.</p> <p>*San Diego Commission may attempt something similar.</p>
<p><b>June - August, 2021:</b> 30+ Public hearings prior to the Census data release.</p>	<p><b>June - August, 2021:</b> 30+ Public hearings prior to the Census data release.</p>
<p><b>September 30 - Census PL Data provided.</b>  Three months until public display of the maps are required (i.e Jan 1st).</p>	<p><b>August 16, 2021 - Census Legacy Data provided.</b></p>
<p><b>October 31, 2021</b> - Statewide Database completes formatting of the data. SWDB has said they would need 4 weeks to format for prisoner reallocation.</p>	<p><b>August 23, 2021</b> - We ask CA Supreme Court to start the “clock” when the SWDB completes the 1 week formation of the data into a “user friendly” format.</p> <p>If approved, three months until public display of the maps are required  *Could ask for <b>September 20-22nd</b> start date.</p>
<p><i>Continue more public hearings using PL data during September-December</i></p>	<p>tbd</p>
<p><i>December begin initial line drawing</i></p>	<p>tbd</p>
<p><b>Saturday January 1, 2022 (Friday December 31?)</b> - Required public display of draft maps.  <i>This is New Years Day/Eve</i></p>	<p><b>Wednesday November 24, 2021</b> - Required public display of draft maps <i>(assuming other timeline requirements hold)</i>  <i>Nov. 25th is Thanksgiving</i></p>
<p><b>Tuesday January 15, 2022</b> - End of required 14 day public review period.</p>	<p><b>Tuesday December 7, 2021</b> - End of required 14 day public review period.</p>

<p><b>31 calendar days</b> for the final refinements and development of the required reports.  <i>Conduct additional public input sessions;  Return to final public line drawing.</i></p>	<p><b>31 calendar days</b> for the final refinements and development of the required reports.  <i>Conduct additional public input sessions;  Return to final public line drawing.</i></p>
<p><b>Monday February 14, 2022</b> - Maps and reports are certified and delivered to the Secretary of State. <i>(Final maps prepared by Feb 10 and held for public review)</i></p>	<p><b>Friday January 7, 2022</b>- Maps and reports are certified and delivered to the Secretary of State. <i>(Final maps prepared by Jan. 3 and held for public review)</i>  <b><i>Or argue for a later date in January.</i></b></p>

<p><b>Scenario 5:</b> Return to the Supreme Court and ask for more time. Legal argument tbd.</p>

Developed using previous documents, including [possible scenarios](#) mapped out by Commissioner Kennedy and the GANNT Chart Subcommittee on April 12, 2021.