

**2020 California Citizens Redistricting Commission**  
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<b>California Citizens Redistricting Commission Comparative Deadlines and Milestones</b>						
	<b>Prop. 11 (2008)</b>	<b>Prop. 20 (2010)</b>	<b>2010 CRC Actual</b>	<b>S.B.1096 (2012)</b>	<b>2020 CRC Actual</b>	<b>2030 CRC Proposed</b>
Applicant Review Panel random drawing	---	---	Nov 16, 2009	---	May 10, 2019	
State Auditor <sup>[1]</sup> accepts initial applications (min 60 days)	Start by Jan 1 of "0" yr	---	Dec 15, 2009 - Feb 16, 2010	Start by Aug 15 of "9" yr	June 10, 2019– Aug 19, 2019 <sup>[2]</sup>	
Phase I – Qualified applicants posted	Aug 1 of "0" yr	---		Mar 15 of "0" yr		
Phase II – Supplemental app's accepted	---	---	Feb 17, 2010 - Apr 19, 2010	---	Aug 21, 2019 - Oct 20, 2019	
Phase II – Selection of 120	---	---	Jul 21, 2010	---	Feb 21, 2020	
Phase III - Interviews, selection of 60	Oct 1 of "0" yr	---	Sep 23, 2010	May 15 of "0" yr	May 7, 2020	
Phase IV – up to 24 Legislative strikes	Nov 15 of "0" yr	---	Nov 12, 2010	Jun 30 of "0" yr	Jun 26, 2020	
Phase V – Random draw of first 8	Nov 20 of "0" yr	---	Nov 18, 2010	Jul 5 of "0" yr	Jul 2, 2020	
Phase VI – Selection of final 6	Dec 31 of "0" yr	---	Dec 15, 2010 <sup>[3]</sup>	Aug 15 of "0" yr	Aug 7, 2020	
Constitutional deadline to form CRC	Dec 31 of "0" yr	Dec 31 of "0" yr	---	Dec 31 of "0" yr	---	
1 <sup>st</sup> mtg day of 1 <sup>st</sup> 8	---	---	Nov 30, 2010	---	Jul 21, 2020	
1 <sup>st</sup> mtg day of full CRC	---	---	Jan 12, 2011	---	Aug 26, 2021	
Apportionment data released (by Dec 31 of "0" yr)	---	---	Dec 21, 2010	---	Apr 26, 2021	
PL94-171 Census Data released (by Apr 1 of "1" yr)	---	---	Mar 24, 2011	---	Aug 12, 2021 <sup>[4]</sup>	
SWDB-adjusted population data released <sup>[5]</sup>	---	---	---	---	Sep 20, 2021	
Draft maps posted	---	---	June 10, 2011	Jul 1 of "1" yr	Nov 10, 2021 <sup>[6]</sup>	
Final maps & report approved	Sep 15 of "1" yr <sup>[7]</sup>	Aug 15 of "1" yr <sup>[8]</sup>	Aug 15, 2011	Aug 15 of "1" yr	Dec 26, 2021 <sup>[9]</sup>	

[1] Was the Bureau of State Audits for the 2010 cycle and became the State Auditor by the time of the 2020 cycle

[2] Original deadline Aug 9, 2019, but extended to expand the applicant pool

[3] Selected Dec 10, 2010, approved Dec 15; on Feb. 10, 2011, Angelo Ancheta replaced Elaine Kuo (who resigned Jan 14, 2011)

[4] "Legacy format" release; SWDB processed and released Aug 18, 2021; fully formatted PL94-171 released Sept 16, 2021

[5] Starting with the 2020 cycle, per CRC direction, Statewide Database reallocated individuals incarcerated in State facilities to their last known addresses; the CRC sought but was unable to obtain such data for individuals in Federal facilities

[6] Original *Padilla/Weber* deadline was Nov 1, 2021, but with a day-for-day extension of the Nov 1/Dec 15 deadlines granted for every day after July 31, 2021 the Census release were delayed; a Sept 23, 2021 CA Supreme Court short motion granted an extension to Nov 13, 2021 (extended to Monday, Nov 15 because of the weekend)

[7] Legislative and BOE maps only

[8] Added congressional map

[9] Original *Padilla/Weber* deadline Dec 15, 2021; CRC requested extension to Jan 14, 2022; CA Supreme Court set Dec 27, 2021 (based on Census data release [in "legacy format"] 12 days after July 31)