

# Citizens Redistricting Commission (CRC) Meeting

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# Los Angeles County Citizens Redistricting Commission (CRC)

Special Meeting  
September 14, 2021





# 1. Call to Order

# Thank You, Patriotic Hall, for hosting this hybrid COI Public Hearing

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# **We appreciate your patience.**



This LA County CRC meeting is our first which combines:

- Virtual attendance (Zoom)
- In-person attendance



## Health Safety Protocols

- Although Los Angeles County “re-opened” with the rest of the state on June 15, 2021, changing conditions in Los Angeles County due to the rapid spread of the Delta variant of COVID-19 has prompted new restrictions by the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health.
- Effective as of Sunday, July 18, 2021, LACPDH Health Orders require that all persons, regardless of vaccination status, **must wear masks/facial coverings at all indoor public settings.**

### For your safety and others:

- Wear a mask that covers your nose and mouth—INDOORS—regardless of vaccination status
- Social distance from others who don’t live with you
- Wash your hands often with soap and water, or use hand sanitizer

Source: LACCD, <http://laccd.edu/About/News/Documents/Safety-Advisories/Safety%20Advisory%20-%20COVID%2019%20UPDATED%20PROTOCOLS%20041421%20Final%20%20revised%20July%202021%20Final.pdf>





# Reporting Positive COVID-19 Test or Symptoms after the Public Hearing

Contact [tle@crc.lacounty.gov](mailto:tle@crc.lacounty.gov) to report COVID-19 exposures and positive cases so we can let individuals who signed in know of their potential risks.

## Initial Response If Reporting Positive COVID-19 Test

- Immediately home-quarantine for 10 days
- Instruct individual to tell his/her close contacts to home-quarantine for 10 days
- Call your doctor/healthcare provider for further direction
- Continue to monitor symptoms between 11 to 14 days and seek care if symptoms escalate
- Remain in contact with Public Health
- Seek medical attention immediately if you are having difficulty breathing or keeping fluids down

## Initial Response if Reporting COVID-19 Symptoms

- Immediately home-quarantine for 10 days
- Get tested at any Public Health test site immediately at a location near you
- Call your doctor/healthcare provider for further direction
- Continue to monitor symptoms between 11 to 14 days and seek care if symptoms escalate
- Seek medical attention immediately if you are having difficulty breathing or keeping fluids down

Source: LACCD, <http://laccd.edu/About/News/Documents/Safety-Advisories/Safety%20Advisory%20-%20Protocols%20for%20Reporting%20COVID-19%20Exposure%20Incidents%20revised%20July%2027%202021.pdf>





## Definition of Infectious and Close Contact Defined

- A patient with presumed or confirmed COVID-19 is considered to be infectious from 2 days before their symptoms started until their isolation period ends.
- Asymptomatic patients with a laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 infection are considered to be infectious from 2 days before their test was taken until 10 days after their test was taken.
- A “close contact” refers to any of the following people who were exposed to a patient with presumed or confirmed COVID-19 (“patient”) while they were infectious:
  - An individual who was within 6 feet of the patient for a total of 15 minutes or more within a 24-hour period
  - An individual who had unprotected contact with the patient’s body fluids and/or secretions (e.g., being coughed or sneezed on, sharing utensils or saliva, or providing care without wearing appropriate protective equipment)

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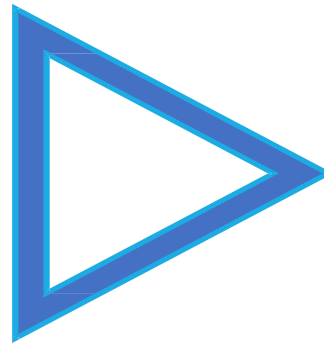
# Notice

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**During the CRC meeting, if you need technical assistance,  
use the Q&A button at the bottom of your Zoom Webinar screen.**

**Thai Le, LA County CRC Clerk, can assist you.**





## 2. Roll Call

Commissioner Jean Franklin

Commissioner David Holtzman

Commissioner Mary Kenney

Co-Chair Daniel Mayeda

Commissioner Mark Mendoza

Commissioner Apolonio Morales

Commissioner Nelson Obregon

Commissioner Priscilla Orpinela-Segura

Commissioner Hailes Soto

Commissioner Saira Soto

Commissioner Brian Stecher

Commissioner John Vento

Co-Chair Carolyn Williams

Commissioner Doreena Wong





# 3. Approval of Agenda

Co-Chair Carolyn Williams





# How to Make General Public Comment

*Type your name and affiliation/organization into QA  
if you want to make a General Public Comment.*

*If on a phone line, press \*9 to raise your hand.  
Once called upon, press \*6 to unmute and speak.*

*Each Person Gets 2 Minutes unless the Co-Chairs determine otherwise.*

*Each person only gets 1 opportunity to speak.*

When you speak, share your name and affiliation at the beginning.





## 4. Public Comment: General – Matters Not on the Agenda

Any Written Public Correspondence received by 5:00 pm the night  
before of this regular meeting:

<https://redistricting.lacounty.gov/>





## **5. Content Items – Approval of Minutes**

**Co-Chair Dan Mayeda**

- a. Review and take appropriate action on the August 11, 2021, Draft Minutes
- b. Review and take appropriate action on the August 19, 2021, Draft Minutes
- c. Review and take appropriate action on the August 22, 2021, Draft Minutes



# **6. Presentation on Census 2020 Data and Free Mapping Software**

**Co-Chair Williams**

**Presenter: Priti Mathur, ARCBridge**





# **7a. Discussion of and possible approval of approach for Commissioner review of submitted COI input and redistricting maps**

**Co-Chair Williams**

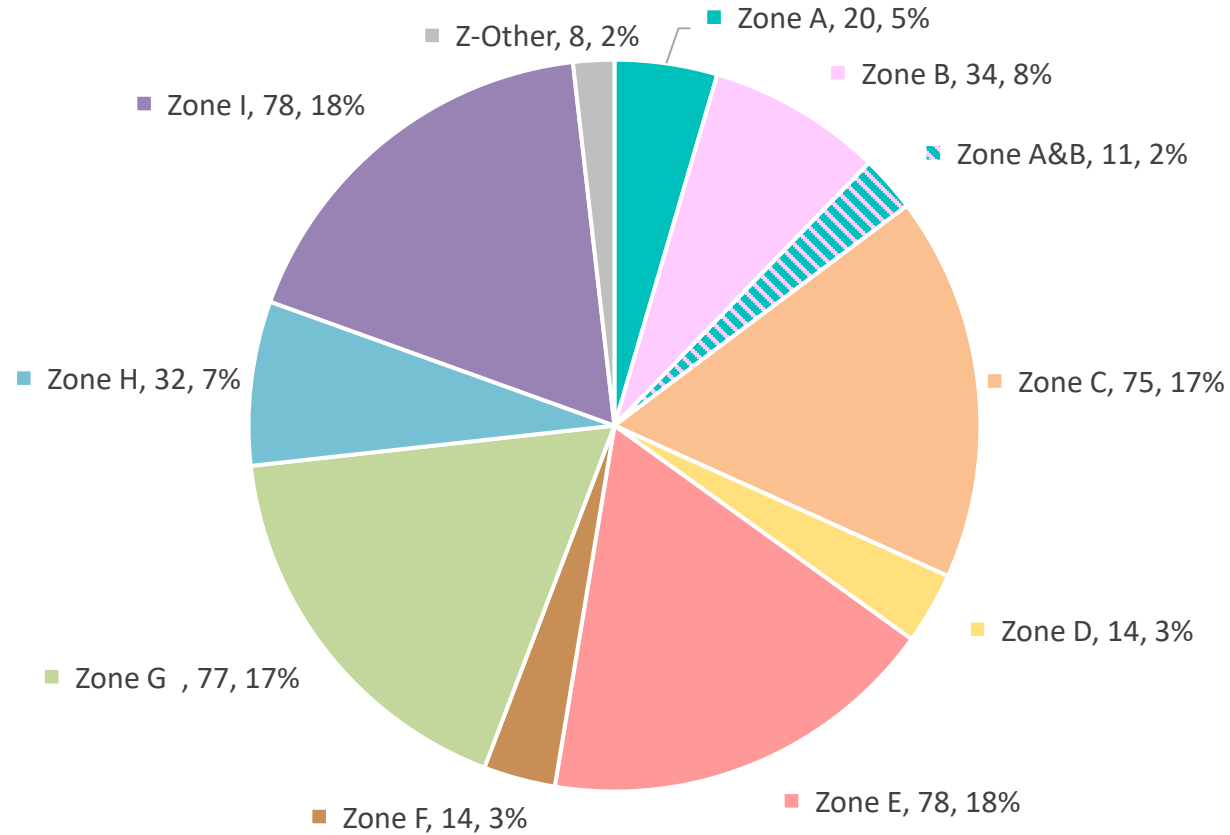
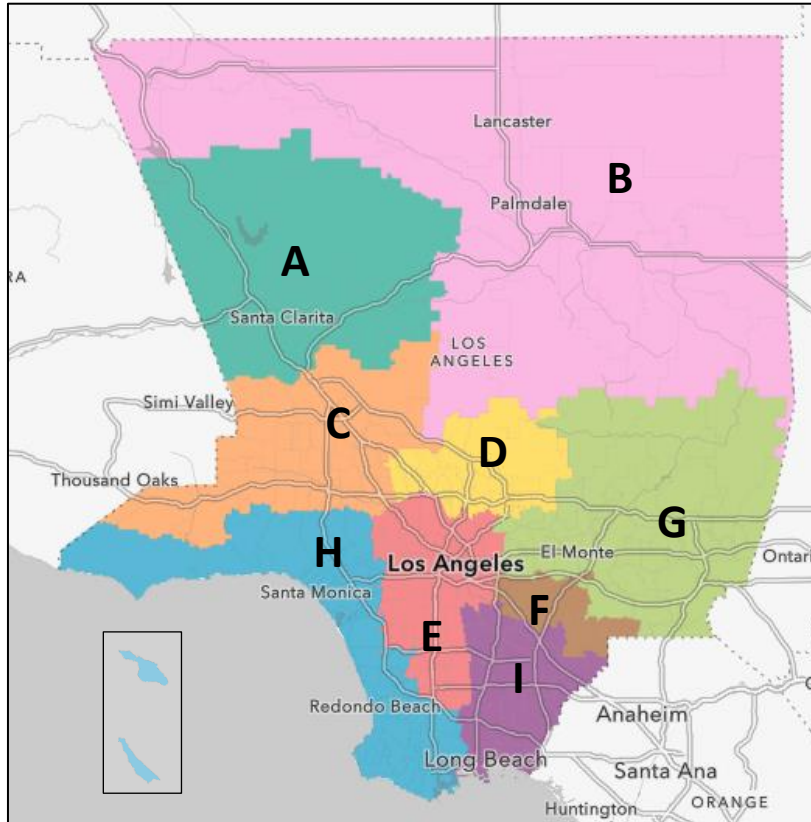
**Executive Director staff report**







## Comments, by Zone Total Number = 441

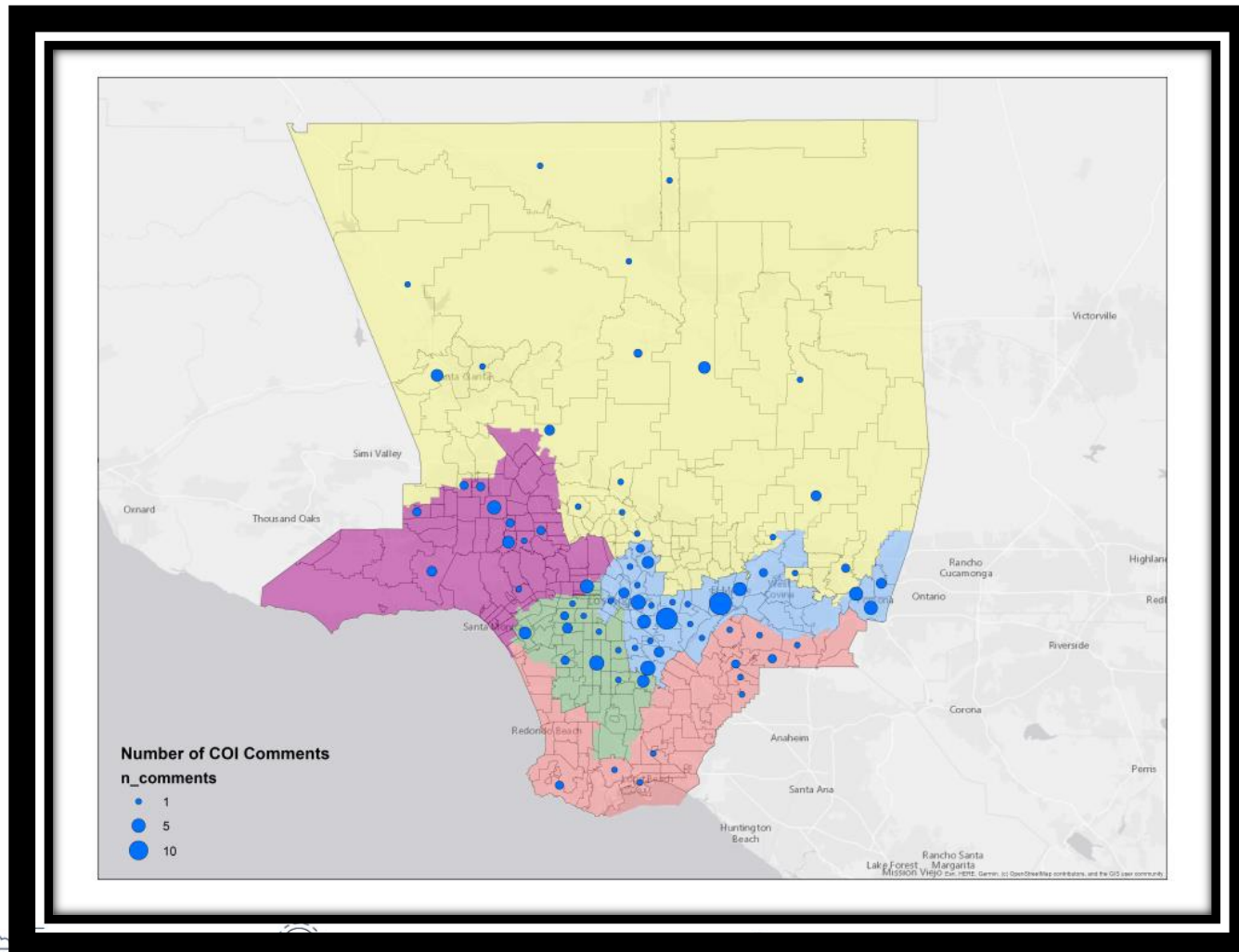


Zone A=20, Zone B=34, Zone A&B=11; Total=65 (15%) comments





# Public Input for Zip Codes Provided to Date





## **7b. Updates From Ad Hoc Working Groups**

- i. Commissioner Apolonio Morales, Leader, Ad Hoc Working Group on Public Outreach – Co-Chair Williams
- ii. Commissioner David Holtzman, Leader, Legislation and Updates on Other Redistricting Commissions – Co-Chair Dan Mayeda
  - a) Update on SB 594 (as amended 8/16/2021), including response to LA County CRC letter
  - b) Updates on other independent redistricting commissions



# **7c. Consider Dissolution of Certain Ad Hoc Working Groups Who Have Completed Their Tasks**

**Co-Chairs Dan Mayeda and Carolyn Williams**

- i. Ad Hoc Working Group on Education – Co-Chair Dan Mayeda
- ii. Ad Hoc Working Group on Demography – Co-Chair Carolyn Williams





# **7d. Consider Establishment of an Ad Hoc Working Group or Subcommittee to Discuss and Review Maps Submitted and Organize Them for Commission Consideration — Co-Chair Daniel Mayeda**

**Co-Chair Dan Mayeda**

**Executive Director staff report**



## 9. Future Agenda Items

Co-Chair Carolyn Williams

Commissioners, do we have any “Matters Not Posted”  
to be placed on a future agenda?



# Executive Director Report

Gayla Kraetsch Hartsough, Ph.D.



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# Executive Director's Report

## Outreach Press Conference:

- **When: Thursday, October 7, 11a**
- **Hall of Administration, 500 W. Temple Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012**







# Other Outreach Efforts

- Cross-promotional efforts:
  - LA City Neighborhood Council (EMPOWER LA)
  - California CRC
  - Long Beach Independent Redistricting Commission
- Other promotional networks:
  - Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG)
  - South Bay Council of Governments (COGs)
  - Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce
- LA Times article
- Executive Office to reach out to LA County departments and networks
- Expanded CRC bulletins with Commissioner spotlights
- Press Releases on:
  - Mapping software
  - COI input to date





**Free mapping software: Launched August 27, 2021**

**Mapping software training – Held September 9, 2021, 11:00 am, with ARCBridge**

**2 mapping software phases**

- **Preliminary maps – submit/review September**
- **Official maps with adjusted 2020 Census data for incarcerated population – submit/review October**

**California Coalition of Esri Redistricting Customers**

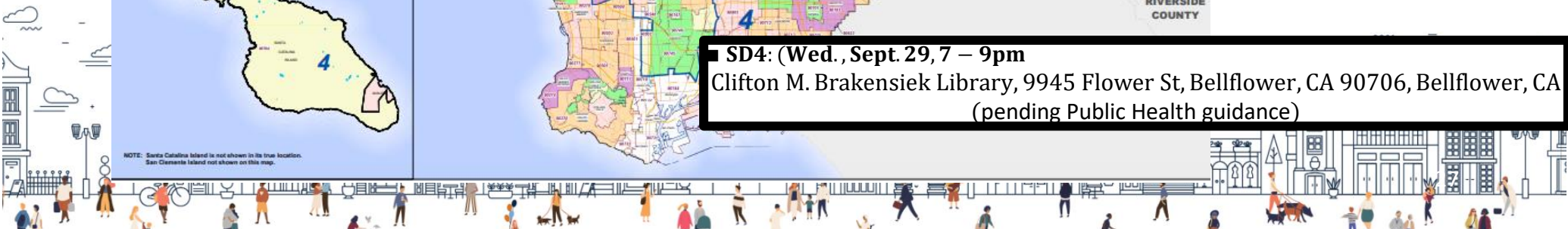
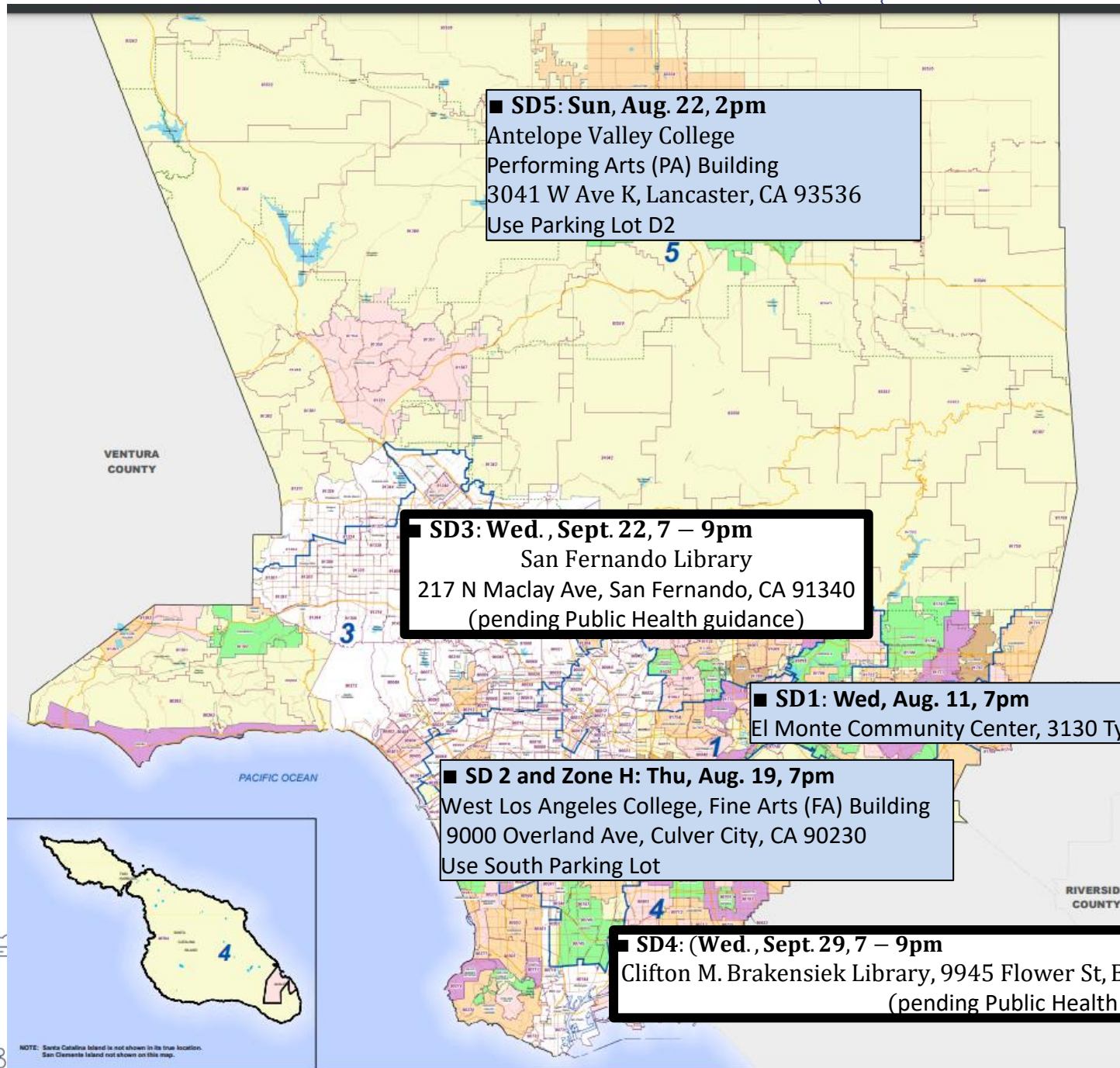
**CRC Commissioner deadlines**

- **October last week – Commission draws its map options to be posted for 7 days**
- **November – at least 2 public hearings 30 days apart**
- **December 15 – final maps**





## 2 Upcoming Public Hearings in SD 3 & SD 4



# Adjournment

Co-Chair Daniel Mayeda

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**Public Comment: 1 Minute**

Time Remaining





# Public Comment: 2 Minutes

Time Remaining







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## Public Comment: 3 Minutes

Time Remaining





# Times Up! Wrap Up

