



# LOS ANGELES COUNTY REDISTRICTING 2021

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Agenda for Special Meeting – Wednesday, October 6, 2021, 6:30 p.m.

(Note Earlier Start Time)

### Zoom Virtual Conference



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Commissioner Jean Franklin  
Commissioner David Holtzman  
Commissioner Mary Kenney  
Commissioner Mark Mendoza  
Commissioner Apolonio Morales  
Commissioner Nelson Obregon*

*Commissioner Carolyn Williams, Co-Chair  
Commissioner Priscilla Orpinela-Segura  
Commissioner Hailes Soto  
Commissioner Saira Soto  
Commissioner Brian Stecher  
Commissioner John Vento  
Commissioner Doreena Wong*

### Meeting Location

**LA County CRC special meeting will begin at 6:30 pm on Wednesday, October 6, 2021, 6:30 p.m. (note earlier start time).** This special meeting is being conducted using video conferencing and electronic means consistent with AB 361, regarding the COVID- 19 pandemic and health issues. The meeting may be viewed by:

- Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82726060927>
- Phone: (669) 900-9128, enter: 827 2606 0927#
- Live stream viewed online: <https://www.youtube.com/LACountyRedistricting/>

### Public Comment Submissions

#### Prior to the LA County CRC Meeting

Comments submitted **before 5:00 p.m. on October 5, 2021**, will be distributed to the Commissioners and posted online ahead of the meeting for the public record. You can submit public comments by:

1. Online at: [Click Here](#) or <https://forms.gle/e9aHEhyAp8GM8EEZ6>
2. Mail to: P.O. Box. 56447, Sherman Oaks, CA 91413

#### At the LA County CRC Meeting

##### *Wish to Make Public Comment During the Meeting?*

- If you are participating by Zoom, submit a request to speak, using the Q&A feature. The request should include:





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- Your name
  - Organization (if any)
  - Agenda item(s) on which you request to comment
- If you are participating via phone, press \*9 to raise your hand. Once called upon, press \*6 to unmute and speak.
  - Registered speakers' names will be called during public comment for the item(s) listed. The host will enable you to speak after you are called.

### *Wish to Submit Written Comments During the Meeting?*

- You can enter Public Comments at: [Click Here](#) or <https://forms.gle/e9aHEhyAp8GM8EEZ6> during the meeting. They will be compiled and posted after the meeting ends.

### **Accommodations**

Please telephone (818) 907-0397 (voice) from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday, or you may email: [ghartsough@crc.lacounty.gov](mailto:ghartsough@crc.lacounty.gov)

Upon 72 hours' advance notice, accommodations, such as sign language interpretation, and translation services can be provided.

- *Para información en español, por favor comuníquese al número (213) 974 1431, entre 8:00 a.m. y 5:00 p.m., de lunes a viernes.*
- *For information in other languages, please call (213) 974 1431, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.*

The Commission reserves the right to alter the order of the agenda to allow for an effective meeting.

Note: Any written materials submitted to the Commission are public record under the Public Records Act.





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## Agenda

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Co-Chair Carolyn Williams
4. UPDATE ON THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (DOJ) NEWLY RELEASED REDISTRICTING GUIDANCE – Co-Chair Carolyn Williams

Note: This is the first time DOJ has issued guidance about Voting Rights Act (VRA), Section 2, and its impact on redistricting.

Presenter: Bruce Adelson, Esq., Federal Compliance Consulting LLC; Instructor of Family Medicine, Georgetown University School of Medicine; Adjunct Professor of Law, University of Pittsburgh School of Law

## 5. CONSENT ITEMS – Co-Chair Dan Mayeda

Items listed under the consent calendar are considered by the Co-Chairs to be routine in nature and will be enacted by one motion unless a commissioner requests otherwise, in which case the item will be removed for separate consideration.

- a. Review and take appropriate action on the September 14, 2021, Draft Minutes
- b. Review and take appropriate action on the September 22, 2021, Draft Minutes
- c. Review and take appropriate action on the September 29, 2021, Draft Minutes

## 6. ACTION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

### *Approach to Each Action/Discussion Item*

For each Action/Discussion Item on the Agenda:

1. Item is introduced
2. Staff present staff report or PowerPoint, if used
3. Commissioners can ask clarifying questions of staff during or after the presentation
4. Public Comment on that specific item is held
5. Public Comment is closed
6. Commission discusses, debates, and votes on the item





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**6a. Discussion of potential Communities of Interest (COIs), based on public input to date and consider direction to ARCBridge to prepare COI Maps based on Commission Direction Provided — Co- Dan Mayeda**

- i. Executive Director Report, Summarizing COI Hypotheses developed the Commissioner teams – Gayla Kraetsch Hartsough, Ph.D.
- ii. Discussion
  - a) Overall Observations
  - b) Zone A – COI Hypotheses
  - c) Zone B – COI Hypotheses
  - d) Zone C – COI Hypotheses
  - e) Zone D – COI Hypotheses
  - f) Zone E – COI Hypotheses
  - g) Zone F – COI Hypotheses
  - h) Zone G – COI Hypotheses
  - i) Zone H – COI Hypotheses
  - j) Zone I – COI Hypotheses
  - k) Other COI Observations
- iii. Next steps – ARCBridge Preparation of COI Maps

**6b. Update on the Press Conference Logistics for October 7, 2021, at noon at the Hall of Administrations from the Ad Hoc Working Group on Outreach – Co-Chair Carolyn Williams and Commissioner Apolonio Morales**

**6c. Continuation of Consideration of Establishing an Ad Hoc Working Group or Subcommittee to Review Maps Submitted, Organize Them for Commission Consideration, and/or Develop Working Drafts of Maps for Full Commission Debate — Co-Chair Daniel Mayeda**

- i. Revised Executive Director Report – Gayla Kraetsch Hartsough, Ph.D.

**7. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT – Gayla Kraetsch Hartsough, Ph.D.**

**8. ADJOURNMENT – Co-Chair Dan Mayeda**

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