

PUBLIC MEETING AGENDA

Applicant Review Panel Introduction and Training

August 28, 2019

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.* (or upon conclusion of business)

August 29, 2019

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. (or upon conclusion of business)

August 30, 2019

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. (or upon conclusion of business)

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The Voters FIRST Act (Proposition 11, November 2008) provided for the creation of a 3-member Applicant Review Panel (ARP), which must review applications from Californians who wish to serve on the 2020 Citizens Redistricting Commission. The Applicant Review Panel must narrow the pool of applicants to sixty of the most qualified applicants, and report the names of those applicants to the Legislature, no later than May 15, 2020.

This will be the first meeting of the Applicant Review Panel, which was established on May 9, 2019. This meeting will be devoted exclusively to housekeeping matters and to providing the panel members with training and orientation. There will be no discussion or action taken at this meeting related to applicants for the 2020 Citizens Redistricting Commission. There will be an opportunity for public comment on matters that are within the jurisdiction of the Applicant Review Panel.

Wednesday, August 28, 2019 – 9:00 a.m. Call to Order and Roll Call

- 9:00 Introduction of, and remarks by, Applicant Review Panel members.
- 9:30 The panel may select a chair and vice chair and may establish other general operating procedures, such as the amount of time that will be allowed for each person who wishes to offer public comment.
- 10:00 “Redistricting 101”, Justin Levitt (Loyola Law School) will provide an overview of the redistricting process, with a focus on the applicable legal concepts including the Voters FIRST Act, U.S. Constitution, and the Voters Rights Act of 1965.



There will be a break for lunch from approximately 12:00-1:00 pm

- 1:00 “Census Data and the Process of Map-Drawing,” Karin Mac Donald and Jaime Clark (Statewide Database, UC Berkeley School of Law) will provide training on census data, census geography, and line-drawing / mapping.
- 4:00 Public Comment.

MEETING WILL RECESS

Thursday, August 29, 2019 – 9:00 a.m. Call to Order and Roll Call

- 9:30 “California’s Diverse Demographics and Geography,” Eric McGhee (Public Policy Institute of California) will provide an overview of California’s population, race and ethnic diversity, and geography.
- 11:00 “Impartiality and Working with Others,” Andre Parvenu (2010 Citizens Redistricting Commission) will discuss working with others as a member of the commission.
- 12:00 Public Comment.

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Friday, August 30, 2019 – 9:00 a.m. Call to Order and Roll Call

- 9:30 “Commissioner Experience,” Vincent Barabba (2010 Citizens Redistricting Commission and former Director of U.S. Census Bureau) will discuss analytical ability as it relates to the commission’s map drawing work.
- 11:00 “Commissioner Experience,” Angelo Ancheta (2010 Citizens Redistricting Commission and Attorney) will discuss communities of interest and diversity as they relate to the commission’s map drawing work.
- 12:00 Public Comment.



MEETING WILL ADJOURN

*Note: All times are approximate. In the panel's sole discretion, the panel may periodically recess for comfort breaks.

For questions regarding this meeting, please call Yvonne Le Tellier, Executive Secretary for the Applicant Review Panel at 916-445-0255. This meeting will be streamed live on our website, shapecaliforniasfuture.auditor.ca.gov and recorded by a videographer and stenographer. The public is encouraged to watch via our live stream, due to limited space. Both the video and transcript will also be available at our website, shapecaliforniasfuture.auditor.ca.gov as soon as practicable. This meeting will take place in a secure building. If you plan to attend in person please bring a photo ID to show to building security (who are unaffiliated with, and will not share information with, the California State Auditor's Office or the Applicant Review Panel) and arrive early enough to allow time to check in and be shown to the meeting location.

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