

#	Asker Name	Question	Answer(s)
1	Xue Lor	What is the link to access the arcgis maps?	https://www.saccounty.net/Redistricting/Pages/MappingTools.aspx
2	Dean Dal Ben	How current is the data that is used that identifies each "communities of interest"? What is the population data for every subset of each individual demographic data that is labeled as an "interest"? How granular is this data over each specifically identified geographic area?	The estimated population numbers are by Census Block. The Citizen Voting Age Population data are also estimated Census Block by Census Block (a Census Block is roughly a city block). The other socio-economic data are estimated by Census Block Group (a grouping typically of 4-10 city blocks). The CVAP and socio-economic data are from the most recent American Community Survey, which are collected between 2015 and 2019. The total population estimates are NDC's best-guess 2020 Census estimates.
3	Cat Karell	How can we tell where the 5 supervisors live, so that we draw boundaries that keep them separate?	live answered
4	Lauren Hammond	What GIS program si the presenter using, Maptitude?	Yes
5	Dean Dal Ben	Who sets the boundaries for each individual population group shown on the district-mapping tool? When were these current boundaries set? To what extent are past such boundaries followed to set current boundaries? For current boundaries that changed from the earlier boundary, what were the specific reasons for the change? Are public notes or documents kept that documents such changes?	The Census Bureau draws the Census geography (blocks, block groups, etc.). The paper maps, which obviously cannot show every individual census block, show "population units" representing smaller cities as whole units, and by Census Block Group and/or Census Tract within each city, Census Designated Place, and in unincorporated areas.
6	Dean Dal Ben	To what extent is the lack of diversity a factor in setting boundaries? Include all the different economic, racial, ethnic, gender, or other factors considered in labeling population groups.	live answered
7	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	How do you plan to convey this information with those who ARE NOT urban planners? There is a huge digital divide population, how do you plan to convey this information in SIMPLE terms for them to understand?	live answered

8	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	Ok - I hear you, I will pass this information on to the NAACP. Thank you, kindly :)	Laurissa - Thanks so much for passing this on! Please take a look at our website here: https://www.saccounty.net/Redistricting/Pages/default.aspx We have information in plain language as well as printable materials to pass on to your constituencies. Thanks!
9	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	perhaps they can assist in your efforts of making sure all is equal and equitable :)	We are working with a large number of community-based organizations, and are always happy to add more partners to the list! Thanks for your help Laurissa.
10	Dean Dal Ben	Is any voter registration data considered to identify micro or macro "communities of interest" population groups? If not considered, why is it not considered?	live answered
11	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	'@kim Nava - I've already been there	live answered
12	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	I am asking these questions because, 1 - I AM an Urban Planner and 2- I was VERY instrumental in the 2020 census and partnerships	Laurissa - Did you sign up for Redistricting news email/text alerts? Would love to have you on that list so you see everything we're sending out. Here's the link: https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/CASACRAM/subscriber/new?topic_id=CASACRAM_146
13	Kyle	How accurate is the census data? Is that data only collected from citizens ?	The 2020 Census counts everyone, not just citizens.
14	Dean Dal Ben	What is the call in phone number?	916-875-2500 And select 1.
15	Nicole Callaway	Are these maps accessible/screen reader accessible?	live answered "Hi Nicole - Yes, our Department of Technology ensured the online materials would be ADA accessible."
16	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	sure, you are most welcome	live answered
17	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	What is the phone line number again?	To make a live comment at this workshop call: (916) 875-2500 And select 1
18	Cat Karell	Can a person submit more than one proposed map?	Absolutely! Feel free to use the tools to try different scenarios and test different options.
19	Kyle	Interested in hearing about the confidence of the data?	To make a live comment please call: (916) 875-2500

20	Cat Karell	Do you START with current district boundaries, or do you start from scratch in creating the new districts?	Anyone interested in drawing/proposing a map can start from scratch or start from the existing map -- the choice is yours.
21	Cat Karell	By from scratch I of course mean using suggestions provided to you by Sac County residents	To make a live comment please call: (916) 875-2500
22	Cat Karell	I understand that we can start from any place, but who makes the final recommendation, and is that final recommendation based initially on current districts? Thank you for answering my questions	To make a live comment please call: (916) 875-2500
23	Dean Dal Ben	Is each demographic group identified given the same importance in considering how a boundary is set? For example, is it more important for any demographic group be a stronger factor vs another group that influences setting a boundary?	To make a live comment please call: (916) 875-2500
24	Dean Dal Ben	Is education level considered as a "community of interest" group? If not, why not?	To make a live comment please call: (916) 875-2500
25	Kyle	Missed the question. I am curious of the data quality and the statistical confidence level of the data?	live answered
26	Dean Dal Ben	Insofar as ethic and/or racial factors are considered, who does this impacts multi-racial and/or multi-ethnic group populations within any population count within a boundary?	live answered
27	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	I know October 1 is the date for data release, however, when will the final redistricting happen (timeline)	live answered
28	Dean Dal Ben	Many individuals can identify as multi-racial and/or multi-ethnic yet they may prefer identifying as a single ethnic or racial group for a variety of reasons. For example, someone may have Irish grandparents and still prefer to identify themselves as Irish. How does this impact demographic data used?	live answered
29	Laurissa M. Wells, MPA	right, but the final timeline?	Dec. 15 is the deadline to adopt a map.

30	Dean Dal Ben	How many members of the public (not government employees / staff involved with this presentation) called in?	
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