

REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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TENTATIVE AGENDA

January 16, 2001

Reagan Conference Room, State Capitol

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Presenters: Legislative Service Bureau redistricting team: Ed Cook, Gary Rudicil, Jodi Steenhoek

I. Redistricting basics

- a) Brief explanation of Iowa's unique redistricting process
- b) Information available – Redistricting contacts

II. Redistricting updates

- a) Census Bureau:
 - Apportionment and resident population totals for Iowa
 - TIGER file release
 - PL 94-171 population data
- b) Iowa redistricting:
 - Software update
 - LSB Staff

III. Redistricting process

- a) Timelines
- b) Bill process – historical perspective

IV. Miscellaneous Redistricting issues

- a) Redistricting decisions - Legislature:
 - Joint rules
 - Temporary Redistricting Commission membership appointment
 - Geographic unit center – compactness
- b) Public access:
 - Do it yourself maps
 - Public access terminal
- c) Operating Procedures – Legislative Service Bureau:
 - Third plan amendment process
 - Outside plans
 - Release of plans

V. Committee discussion and recommendations

- Education of Members
- Joint rules recommendation
- Temporary Redistricting Commission recommendations
- Other issues

VI. Redistricting questions – open forum