2020 CENSUS AND REDISTRICTING

STATE CENTER COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

AUGUST 3, 2021

COOPERATIVE STRATEGIES
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▶ C E N S U S   D A T A   A N D   R E D I S T R I C T I N G

- Governing Boards of community college districts are required after every Census to:

  1. Review the population data to determine if their voting areas are still within the allowable variance

  2. Make any necessary adjustments to the areas to ensure population balance within legal requirements

- Typically, the data required is released by March 31 of the year following the Census

- Changes to voting areas need to be filed with the registrars of voters for the counties served by the SCCCD Board of Trustees in advance of the November 2022 election. Counties have indicated a deadline of **February 2022**
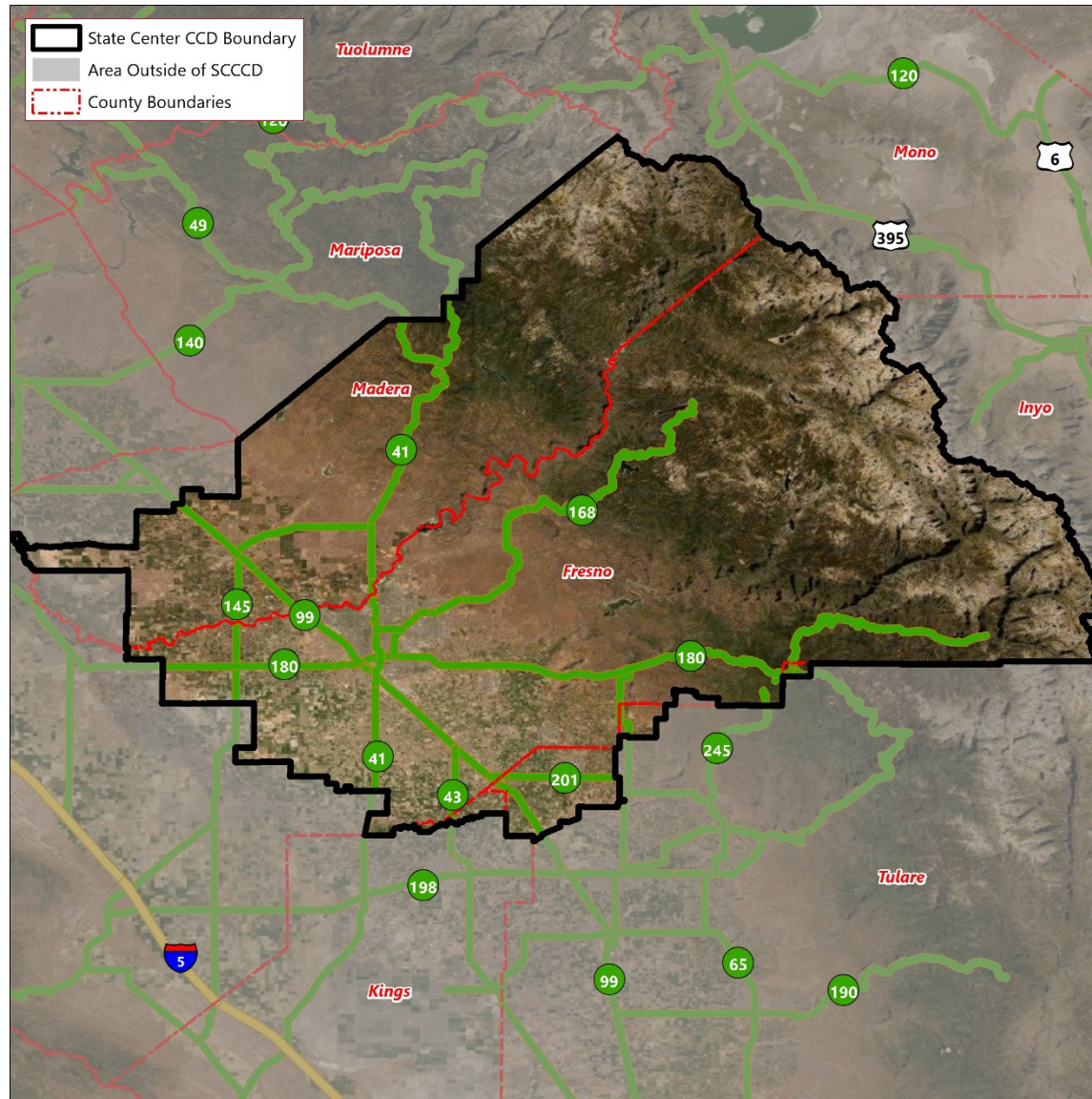
► **CENSUS DATA AND REDISTRICTING**
TIMING OF DATA

- Release of 2020 Census data has been delayed due to the COVID-19 pandemic

- Latest update from Census Bureau indicates 2020 Census data at block level will be released between August 16 and September 30, 2021

- Compresses timeframe for SCCCD and other public agencies who elect by-area to review and adjust their voting areas

- Potential for legislative changes, including changes to primary election date

- No formal process in statute governing the process to adjust trustee areas following each Census
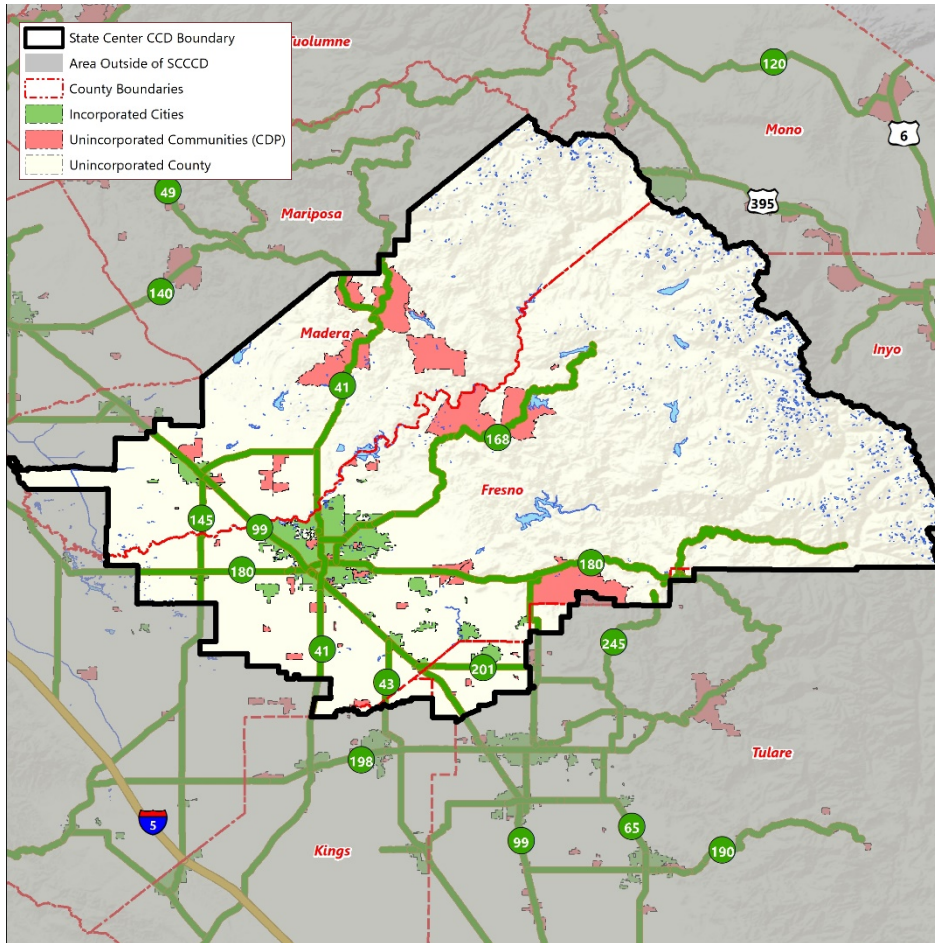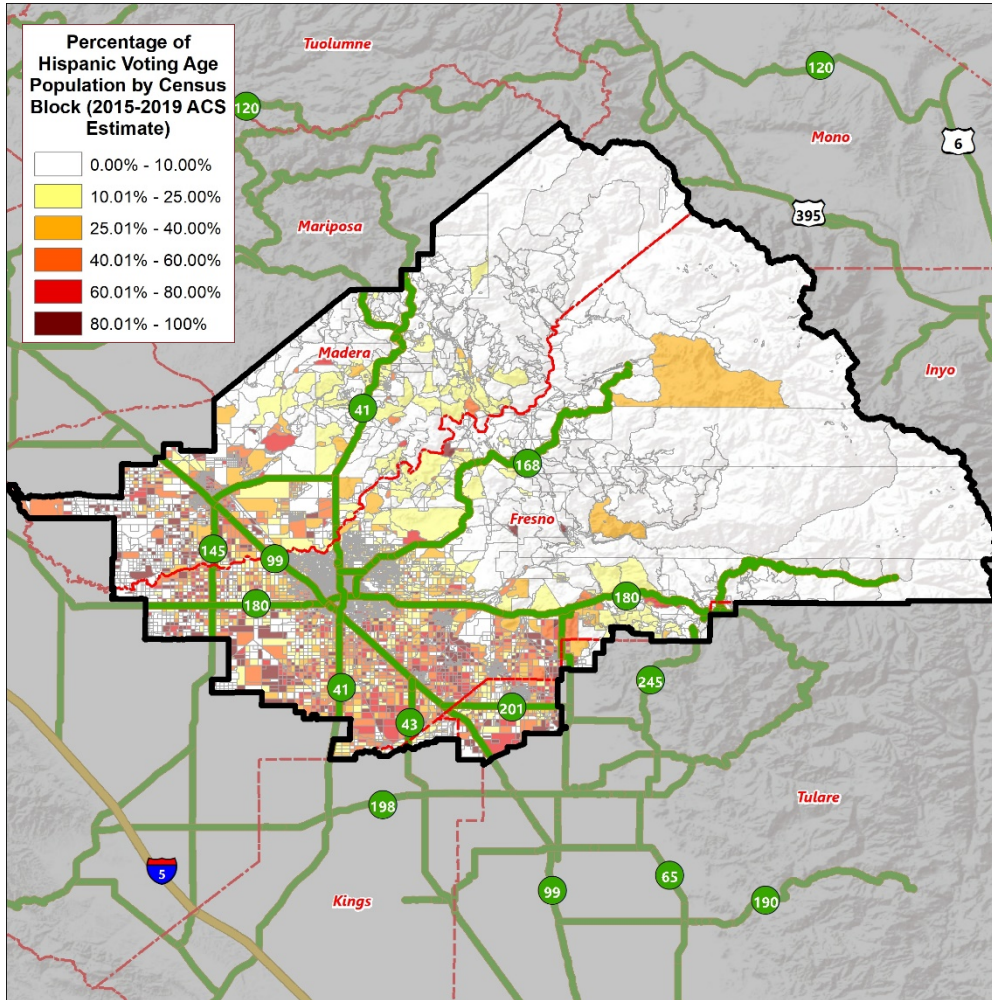
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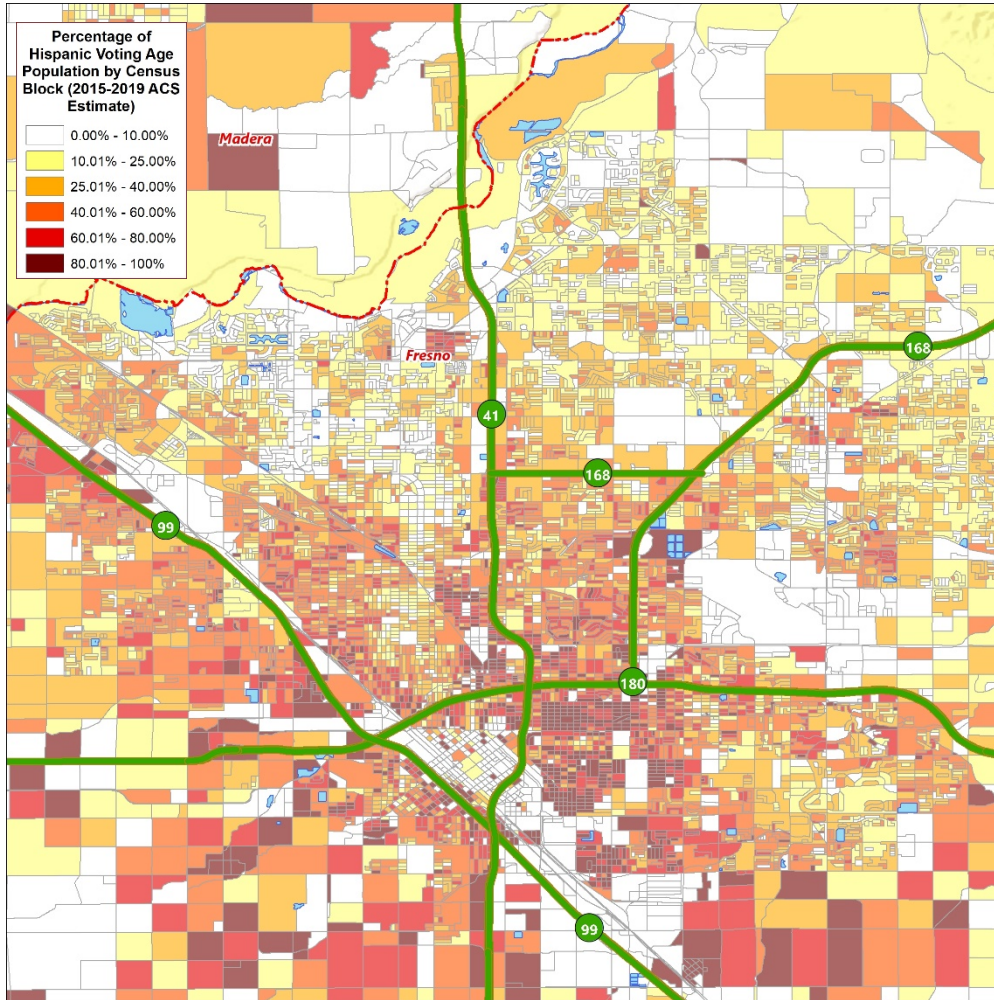
DISTRICT DEMOGRAPHICS
2010 CENSUS DATA

Population	Total Population		Age 18 and over	
	Total	%	Total	%
Hispanic/Latino	516,040	50.20%	324,360	44.99%
White	348,056	33.86%	284,766	39.50%
Black / African American	45,621	4.44%	31,472	4.36%
American Indian / Alaska Native	7,330	0.71%	5,436	0.75%
Asian	88,810	8.64%	61,988	8.60%
Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	1,114	0.11%	846	0.12%
Other	19,095	1.86%	10,927	1.52%
Two or More Races	1,810	0.18%	1,216	0.17%
Total	**1,027,876**	**100.00%**	**721,011**	**100.00%**

DISTRICT DEMOGRAPHICS
CITIZEN VOTING AGE POPULATION ESTIMATES

Percentage of Hispanic Voting Age Population by Census Block (2015-2019 ACS Estimate)
- 0.00% - 10.00%
- 10.01% - 25.00%
- 25.01% - 40.00%
- 40.01% - 60.00%
- 60.01% - 80.00%
- 80.01% - 100%

Population	2015-2019 CVAP	
	Total	%
Hispanic/Latino	276,892	42.12%
White	269,561	41.01%
Black / African American	34,107	5.19%
American Indian / Alaska Native	3,982	0.61%
Asian	59,659	9.08%
Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	797	0.12%
Two or More Races	12,316	1.87%
Total	657,314	100.00%

▸ DISTRICT DEMOGRAPHICS
HISPANIC CITIZEN VOTING AGE POPULATION ESTIMATES

Population	2015-2019 CVAP	
	Total	%
Hispanic/Latino	276,892	42.12%
White	269,561	41.01%
Black / African American	34,107	5.19%
American Indian / Alaska Native	3,982	0.61%
Asian	59,659	9.08%
Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	797	0.12%
Two or More Races	12,316	1.87%
Total	657,314	100.00%

CONSIDERATIONS IN VOTING AREAS

✓ Each area shall contain nearly equal number of inhabitants

✓ Follow man-made and natural geographic features, as much as possible

✓ Drawn to comply with the Federal Voting Rights Act

✓ Respect incumbency, if possible

✓ Compact and contiguous, as much as possible

✓ Other local considerations

✓ Respect communities of interest, as much as possible

▸ DRAFT TIMELINE

DATE	ACTIVITY
August 3, 2021	**Board Meeting: Presentation on Process**
September 2021	Cooperative Strategies receives 2020 Census data and evaluates population within each voting area of the Board of Trustees
October 5, 2021	**Board Meeting: Presentation on Evaluation of Existing Voting Areas Receive Input on Potential Adjustments**
October 6, 2021 – October 25, 2021	Cooperative Strategies prepares potential maps of adjusted Voting Areas
October 26, 2021	Draft Maps Posted to SCCCD Website
November 2, 2021	**Board Meeting: Review Initial Scenarios**
November 3, 2021 – December 7, 2021	Cooperative Strategies revises scenarios based on Board and Public Input
December 14, 2021	**Board Meeting: Review Maps and Conduct Public Hearing**
December 2021	Cooperative Strategies revises scenarios based on Board and Public Input
January 2022	**Board Meeting: Review Maps and Conduct Public Hearing Board Selection of Map**
February 2022 [1]	Cooperative Strategies sends Final Trustee Area Map and Descriptions to the County Registrars of Voters and County Boards of Supervisors

[1] Subject to confirmation from the County Registrars of Voters regarding election deadline.

QUESTIONS