

Summary of 2000 Round Scheduled Meetings/Hearings

Date	Purpose/Topics	Location
April 16, 1999	Presiding officer selection; rules	Helena
April 20, 1999	Presiding officer selection	Helena
December 13, 1999	Census information; computer program; accelerated redistricting possibility; <i>adopt</i> work plan	Helena
November 16, 2000	<i>Adopt</i> mandatory and discretionary criteria and operational guidelines	Helena
April 18, 2001	<i>Adopt</i> Congressional District; Data issues; work schedule review	Helena
May 4, 2001	Response to Old Person v Brown (Cooney) lawsuit	Helena
November 13, 2001	1. Executive Session-afternoon: administrative issues; presentation of region plans and summary of staff visits; review of criteria 2. Public Hearing-evening: Northcentral region	Great Falls
November 14, 2001	Public Hearing-evening: Northcentral region	Browning
January 16, 2002	1. Executive Session-afternoon: administrative issues; review/presentation of plans; info requests; commissioner concerns 2. Public Hearing-evening: Northcentral region	Havre
January 17, 2002	Public Hearing-afternoon: Northeast region	Glasgow
February 19, 2002	Public Hearing-afternoon: Southeast region	Miles City
February 20, 2002	Public Hearing-afternoon: Southeast region	Lewistown

March 27, 2002	1. Executive Session-afternoon: <i>adopt</i> procedure for adopting House districts; <i>adopt</i> Northcentral and Northeast plans 2. Public Hearing-evening: Southcentral region	Billings
March 28, 2002	Public Hearing-afternoon: Southeast region	Crow Agency
May 1, 2002	Executive Session-afternoon: <i>adopt</i> Southeast and Southcentral plans	Helena
May 21, 2002	1. Public Hearing-afternoon: Southwest region 2. Public Hearing-evening: Southwest region	Bozeman Butte
May 22, 2002	Public Hearing-afternoon: Southwest region	Helena
June 17, 2002	Executive Session-afternoon: <i>adopt</i> Southwest region; adopt various amendments	Helena
August 12, 2002	Public Hearing-evening: Western region	Kalispell
August 13, 2002	1. Public Hearing-afternoon 2. Public Hearing-evening	Pablo Missoula
September 16, 2002	Executive Session-afternoon: <i>adopt</i> Western region	Helena
November 19, 2002	Public Hearing/Executive Session-evening: Senate pairings	Helena
December 6, 2002	Public Hearing/Executive Session-morning: Statutorily required hearing; <i>adopt</i> tentative state plan; <i>adopt</i> amendments	Helena
<i>January 6, 2003 (not a meeting)</i>	<i>Presentation to Legislature</i>	<i>Helena</i>
February 5, 2003	Final Executive Session: <i>adopt</i> final plan	Helena

Total Meetings = 29

Total Public Hearings on specific regions or the entire plan = 16 in 14 different towns