

### BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

# Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Department Name: CEO
Department No.: 012

For Agenda Of: April 19, 2011

Placement: Administrative Agenda

Estimated Tme: Continued Item: If Yes, date from: Vote Required:

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Chandra L. Wallar, County Executive Officer, 568.3400

Director(s)

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**SUBJECT:** Amended 2011 Redistricting Public Outreach and Participation Plan

<u>County Counsel Concurrence</u> <u>Auditor-Controller Concurrence</u>

As to form: Yes As to form: N/A

#### **Recommended Actions:**

Approve the revised 2011 Redistricting Public Outreach and Participation Plan based on Board direction from the April 12<sup>th</sup> Board of Supervisors Meeting.

### **Summary Text:**

This action will accept the amended plan and timeline directing outreach and participation. On April 12, 2011, the Board of Supervisors directed staff to:

- Revise the timeline to increase opportunities for public participation,
- Provide access to the GIS mapping services in North County and South County,
- Provide simultaneous translation (English/Spanish) at each of the public meetings.

#### **Background:**

The 2011 Supervisorial Redistricting Public Outreach and Participation Plan provides a blue print for citizen involvement in the redetermination of the supervisorial districts boundaries based on population changes from the 2010 Census. The Public Outreach and Participation Plan and the changes included based on Board direction from the April 12<sup>th</sup> meeting are designed to maximize the opportunities for full participation by providing suggestions and district map proposals to the Board.

Staff support for GIS mapping services at locations in North and South County are currently being developed. The schedule will be available on the redistricting website in the next ten days.

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Plans to offer simultaneous translation (English/Spanish) at each of the public meetings is also being finalized at an estimated cost of \$12,000.

### **Attachments:**

Public Outreach and Participation Plan - Revised

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