

## **Fort Bend County Redistricting Proposed Timeline**

### **January 2011**

Preliminary identification of Citizen Committee members should be completed by members of Commissioners Court

### **February-March 2011**

Commissioner Court will formally appoint 15 members to the Citizens Committee

### **March 2011**

U.S. Census to release new census numbers

### **March 2011**

Consultant will determine if the county is in need of reapportionments

### **April-May 2011**

Consultant will distribute information to Citizen Committee and meet with Commissioners Court and Citizen Committee to explain the initial assessment  
Commissioners Court will adopt criteria for reapportionment process

### **April-May 2011**

Consultant will present a preliminary proposal to Commissioners/Committee for review

### **May-June 2011**

First series of public hearings to present the initial redistricting plan

### **June-July 2011**

Alternate plans will be developed by the Consultant based on the response of the public hearings and  
Second set of public hearing are held if necessary  
Citizens Committee will meet to review plans

### **July 2011**

Citizens Committee will present 2 plans to Commissioners Court

### **July-August 2011**

Commissioners court will review, revise, adopt a final plan

### **August-September 2011**

Plan presented to Department of Justice who will review within 60 days

### **December 2011**

Elections are implemented under the approved plan by purging and preparing new poll list