

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