

# California Citizens Redistricting Commission Commissioner Selection Process

## 1 Application Process

The State Auditor (SA) initiates an open application process for all California voters. Applicants with conflicts of interest are removed from the pool.



### Applicants with conflicts of interest include:

- Candidates, elected officials, political party officers, or registered lobbyists
- Staff, consultants, and close family members of state and federal elected officials
- Individuals who donated \$2,000+ to a candidate in any given year

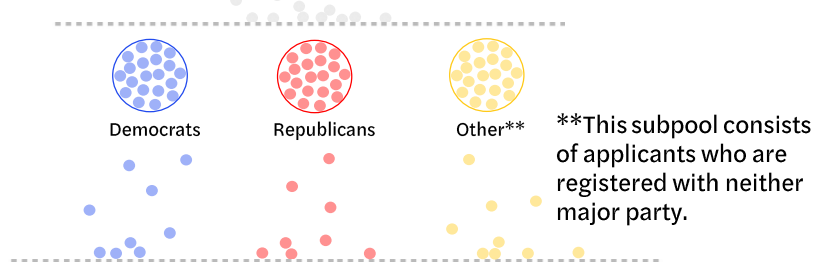
## 2 Supplemental Material Collection

The SA requests supplemental application materials from the remaining applicants, including essays and letters of recommendation.

\*Consideration is given to create a commission that reflects the demographic and geographic diversity of the state.

## 3 Panel Review

A 3-person multi-partisan Applicant Review Panel reviews applicants' supplemental materials and places a maximum of 120 applicants into three subpools based on party.\*



## 4 Interview Screening

The applicants are invited to interview with the panel. The panel selects 60 of the most qualified applicants after their review.



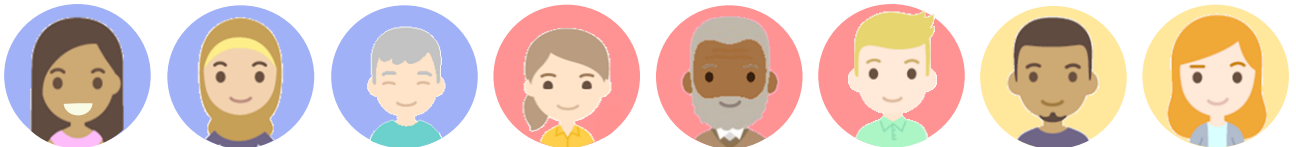
## 5 Legislature Review

The final 60 applicant names are presented to legislative leaders, who can strike up to 24 applicants.



## 6 The First 8 Commissioners

The SA randomly selects 8 names from the remaining pools: 3 Democrats, 3 Republicans, and 2 Other applicants. These are the first 8 members of the commission.



## 7 The Final 6 Commissioners

The 8 commissioners review the remaining applicants\*. They select 2 applicants from each of the subpools to serve as the final 6 commissioners on the 14-member commission.

