

BALLOT DESIGN ADVISORY COMMITTEE (BDAC) MEETING  
ZOOM 11-18-2021 TRANSCRIPT

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REINA MILLER: tracking and everyone was just giving it another few minutes for folks to join us today, let me know if you could hear me just I can make sure my audio is working.

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REINA MILLER: Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Alright it's 230 so good afternoon everyone let's go ahead and get started, thank you for joining us during today's feedback meeting, my name is brandon Miller and we're going to start off with roll call, so I call your name, please let me know your presence.

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REINA MILLER: And then.

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REINA MILLER: Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Brian economical.

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Brian - LA County: yeah here.

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REINA MILLER: Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Christopher.

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REINA MILLER: No Christopher.

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REINA MILLER: Dave.

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dave haines: Yes, i'm here.

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Okay, thank you.

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REINA MILLER: David.

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Thank you.

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Jennifer Tagg (San Mateo): i'm here.

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REINA MILLER: Perfect Thank you Jennifer.

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Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: john Gardner.

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REINA MILLER: You Kathy style.

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REINA MILLER: Kelly Sander.

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Kelly Sanders, Humboldt: Yes, i'm here.

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REINA MILLER: Great Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Maria.

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Maria Valadez - Lake: Here, thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Marina.

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REINA MILLER: natalie I saw you.

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REINA MILLER: Here, thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Marina Thank you.

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Stephanie Hill: Here I thought you did.

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REINA MILLER: For me, thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Victor traveling.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: here.

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REINA MILLER: Thank you Whitney anyone from the committee that I missed.

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REINA MILLER: Let me make sure we have a quorum one second.

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REINA MILLER: We have 14 out of 23 so we have met corn.

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REINA MILLER: Moving on to SOS bounce my name is Rachel Miller anyone else from SOS present.

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Steven Carda: Stephen.

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Larson.

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NaKeshia Robinson: Robinson.

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REINA MILLER: Great Thank you and any members of the public.

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REINA MILLER: Any other members of the public.

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REINA MILLER: Nicholas Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: We have Nicole and Nicholas Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Any other members of the public.

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REINA MILLER: God, thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Thank you.

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REINA MILLER: Any other members of the committee that may have joined late.

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REINA MILLER: or anyone else who would like to announce their presence.

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REINA MILLER: Right so we're going to go ahead and move on to the agenda item number two, which is the county survey, so I hope everyone was able to see the link that I put in the chat but also the be deck we.

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REINA MILLER: The the committee sent out a survey to counties to get a little more information on what they did during the recall election regarding valid instruction.

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REINA MILLER: So we were able to gather those responses and I made them individual, including the attachments that they provided and so that can be found on the web page.

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REINA MILLER: And I can also email out to the committee after this meeting, we got a response from 24 counties, so thank you to those counties that participated and we gathered a quick summary to go over the responses, so let me share that with us as well.

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Natalie Adona: Really quickly when I tried to click on the link to the survey responses it's giving me an error.

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Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: and

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REINA MILLER: you're right it's giving me an error as well, so let me.

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REINA MILLER: Know email back.

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REINA MILLER: To the committee.

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Steven Carda: A look at the link.

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REINA MILLER: Okay perfect So hopefully we'll get that fixed.

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REINA MILLER: before the meeting, and I think will be faster than trying to share it.

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REINA MILLER: But we'll go over the the quick summary that we came up with internally to kind of give you guys an overview of the responses.

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REINA MILLER: So, for the first question whether further September 14 2021 gubernatorial recall election did you add or remove anything from the ballot instructions prescribed by the state, and so the reason why so 15 counties said yes nine said no.

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REINA MILLER: And for question number two on what ballot instructions, would you change or add to provide further assistance to the voters, so the numbers that are before the response, or how many counties.

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REINA MILLER: There was duplicate answer so three counties total offer further instructions to borders regarding the yes, no instruction three counties simplified all election instruction.

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REINA MILLER: Two counties removed pencil as an option for marking valid.

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REINA MILLER: to simplifying election code 13204 to suggest a change to if you wrongly mark here are the face palette contact your elected official to obtain another So this was a subject to change to the current instruction.

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REINA MILLER: To come to vote on, any measure marks of voting target next to the word yes for after the word know removing marking the ballot outside of the designated place to go for a candidate.

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REINA MILLER: instructions and they use a sharpie you don't have to vote on all content location of targets Square and marketing valid with pencils.

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REINA MILLER: So do we want to ask the Committee, do we want to kind of stop after each question and have a discussion on the the answers that we got or how should we go about reviewing the answer.

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Natalie Adona: i'm happy with you just sort of going over the entire document and then discussing.

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REINA MILLER: The question number three did you receive any comments complaints questions regarding the ballot instruction, so please send a summary of the comments or the comments themselves.

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REINA MILLER: So 13 counties received no comments to using sharpie markers on the ballot to instructions, allowing pencil as a marketing device.

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REINA MILLER: Five voters to not understand that they could still vote for the candidate to replace the governor if he was recalled, one on only one question or both.

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REINA MILLER: One the suspenders not allowed to add a footer same context, continues on the next column one difficulty finding the ovals for yes and no and one what a qualified right in if it's not printed in the voter guide or the MB inserts.

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REINA MILLER: For question number four that you provide any additional ballot instructions about how to go on the record question or how to vote generally either on the ballot, or in any other document, for example, the county water information guide.



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REINA MILLER: 14 said yes and 10 seven know.

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REINA MILLER: And then five what were the most common issues you encountered when signing the recall ballot seven counties have no issue six had issues with a five of the candidates name bidding candidates into one page in all languages.

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REINA MILLER: And then some had to use a longer paper size in order to to say all the candidates and the cost an issue with getting.

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REINA MILLER: One target position one revisions and translations custom way one making 46 candidates and writing fit into corn.

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REINA MILLER: One valid software and printer had restrictions, for example, length of a valid number of columns contest must be contained to one side of about card.

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REINA MILLER: contests can only have so many number of candidates about production system has limits on point price adjustment text justification headers and footers.

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REINA MILLER: One writing us for Gavin newsom one plain language, one putting ovals on the right side far away from yes, no cost motor confusion one know statutory language for reconstruction and one inability to make adjustments without violating EC 13200.

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REINA MILLER: question number six these were the provision to regulations that cost issues and preventing and what prevented you from resolving them so 15 counties that none.

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REINA MILLER: One counties that CCL V 21097 Kenny election officials are encouraged to use

glossary and translate in the lecture material created by the SOS one easy 132513 241-321-0132 313-271-2081 3200 point size and capital letters on valid instruction voting target, you know the right.

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REINA MILLER: Now, and thank you Steven so it looks like the links should be working now so.

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REINA MILLER: If you guys wouldn't mind double checking that.

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REINA MILLER: And then last question seven what changes do you recommend that would remedy any problems you encounter during the recall election or any other election.

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REINA MILLER: so easy 13200 should be repealed entirely instruction should be clear or simpler revising instructions to be simpler valid name should be limited to a set number of characters heart or any vendor.

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REINA MILLER: having its own limitations on valid design all codes, but to not have sensitive value examples, no need to be in 1616 point font.

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REINA MILLER: One more time in between calling the election, the election ballot font size all caps plain language, needs to be used flexibility for counties to their own instruction.

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REINA MILLER: Make vote for one bolt do not specify calling with 13204 and bilingual ballots are difficult to fit into one page 13208 remove 130 to 35 instructions on contest being independent one vote doesn't affect the other and requiring candidates to be on the same page.

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REINA MILLER: Well, that is a quick summary of the actual individual survey responses you guys will see it's about 130 pages and includes the attachment for some of the questions in which we

requested for counties to share what they use for samples about it.

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So.

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REINA MILLER: That is what I got for the summary So do you want to have a discussion about our responses.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This is Whitney I would just say that a lot of the things that are mentioned here are things we've already discussed and are being covered I didn't try to catch it on the fly, but I didn't catch anything that we had a dress that wasn't.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: already mentioned that's good.

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Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: I was gonna say the exact same thing when he saw it.

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Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: Other thing is, do you want to look at some of the examples, or do you want to just move forward with.

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Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: The path that we are on based on the feedback I received from these campaigns.

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Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: it's my question.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I wonder if we should look at what they're working and working group and then come back to see if there's anything missing.

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REINA MILLER: So Whitney did you want me to present a PDF of that the work they put down or would you like to just make you a Co host so you have.

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REINA MILLER: A.

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REINA MILLER: Sharing.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Is it easier for me to be able to move around in it.

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REINA MILLER: Probably, let me make you a good one.

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REINA MILLER: Okay, we should be able to share your screen.

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systems.

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REINA MILLER: And, and this document is also available on the web page.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm going to work in the editable version, so that we can make notes here, you can see those notes being me.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Well, in La or San Francisco Joanna would you like to introduce this before we just dive into.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: A big document.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Or, I can be PR but I mean the chairs.

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Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: So i'm Okay, if you just take take a deep dive into Oh, mostly because my brain is fried with.

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Natalie Adona: me I say just go for it.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay i've been listening to an eight hour City Council hearing in DC but luckily I was able to sit back and my Chairman coffee um So this is the work product of a working group that started with.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: travis and me, and then we expanded it to make sure that we had someone included from different voting systems and at least one county we had several that had.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Language access requirements so that we had a more representative group the goal of this was to be able to quickly come up with a set of recommendations for updating the code that can be presented for legislation.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: In the next election site in the next cycle, which means that needed to be done, you know now actually probably three weeks ago.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: But this is the secretary of state's challenge to take forward.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And so we're looking for things that were non controversial there's somewhere, they may be a little more controversial than we think, but we tried to keep it simple following the discussion we had at the last meeting so, for example.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Even if we think gosh we'd love to get rid of something if we think getting rid of it would be controversial, we suggested some foreign language for it so.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: trying to find a happy medium that would address that i'm not stuck in this thing we did it as markup so text to be removed, this is struck out text to be added, is underlined.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Just for clarity i've broken out and he recommended text and indented it so it's easier to see, and we have a very brief justification after every one.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I have this file arranged in order of the.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The section so that's a little easier to follow it's not entirely a logical order so we can jump around and it's easier to go back and forth.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm not going to go over the type size summer recommendations in detail, will come back to them, but you guys have access to it.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This was a way of pulling out which section, how to type size and trying to see if we were ending up with a logical flow from largest to smallest, to make sure we were making sense of that I thought we should go through them.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: All and remember just started with which is that to note that, for everything it's all at least that side, so if somebody has about the can or wants to go bigger that's great.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: There were some places where in 13 to a five to six, there is no type size given um.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: We didn't say anything we had a question about whether it's you know to be an honorary but we didn't actually add it so we didn't include in the recommendations, but I want to talk about that that's same for 13 to 10 with a vote for and in the final big.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: site type size issue, which is the size of the candidate name.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: We.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: came down on 10 point bolts of that match the new vs G 2.0 but we know that for multilingual balance, depending on the length of about the size of the valid the size of the language expansion.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The smaller size might be needed, and so we actually have and we'll get to it in the.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: provision that already has general exceptions and allow allow what's allowed for to adjust to take to take type size issues into account, we added a subsection specifically for multi lingual balance so.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: that's the roadmap and here's diving right in So the first one is 13 105.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This is entirely we added a minimum type size to keep it in line at eight points, this is.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: We also changed here and a couple of other places, things that said immediately to the right or on the same line of to following.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Trying to avoid very specific left or right designations, because those can be inaccurate if depending on your voting system.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: and

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The next one.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Is 13 200.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Where we suggest changing the words in accordance to insubstantial compliance to allow a little bit of wiggle room for the things that happened during an election and to be sure that we're not looking for an absolute.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Well, we obviously are doing what you know as close as possible performance but that when a changes needed if it meets the spirit of the law, it has some some wiggle room on substantially.



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00:26:06.630 --> 00:26:17.820

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm actually natalie to be stopped, with each of these and just do it, is there any anybody wants to talk about them, I think we've heard to go back to the very beginning on the grunt work which we're talking about it.

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Natalie Adona: Does anyone have any questions or comments at this.

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point.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay well just ask that and i'll keep going if there's no hands go up.

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or.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The next one is 13 to two whereas I just mentioned, we added a see We broke this into an A, B and C, instead of seeing all one.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And added from from multilingual ballots, if there is not sufficient space for candidate names in all languages at the type size required in 13 to 11 the size be uniformly adjusted to a minimum of eight points.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay, moving ahead to 13 two or three.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This is the beginning of the election, the header at the top of the page.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Instead of trying to pick through all of the the.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: turned on and turn off text.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: me just say that the thing that we changed here is that we got rid of the all capitals, by changing it to just the words official ballot in mixed case.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And we added substantially smaller point sizes, as the minimum size so 16 points bold for official ballot 14 points bold for the name of the type the name of the election and the word nonpartisan also in mixed case.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Within 12 point types for the date of the election, and this is actually rather small but it's because some places, use the logo, instead of their county name eight point types for the name of the county in which the ballot is to be voted and.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Allowing the county name to be displayed as in a county seal or logo, so it doesn't have to be just the official county seal.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And then we took the section about the.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: list of districts and said that, in addition, the ballot shall have printed at the top or bottom of each card a ballot style identifier, or some other means of identifying the numbers of the Congressional number of the Congressional senate assembly justice system.

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00:28:44.820 --> 00:28:58.110

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think, almost every ballot in the state has something that tells you what type style, it is and that type style also includes that and, of course, the numbers

of the districts are contained in the headers of the contest themselves.

169

00:29:03.960 --> 00:29:04.650

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay.

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00:29:05.760 --> 00:29:15.930

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: moving along to some bigger ones again this reflects the discussion last week and in this we just struck up the whole thing at the bottom and made a whole new a whole new blank because it was just too much.

171

00:29:16.380 --> 00:29:27.240

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: back and forth, to try to do it any other way, this is 13 till four which has instructions for voting, these are the structures at the top of the ballot as part of the header.

172

00:29:29.850 --> 00:29:42.600

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: They say that will either be above the contest, to be voted on, or in the first column the ballot to allow for these two different styles about lance that if they're in the first column of the ballot there's no contest follow the instructions.

173

00:29:43.650 --> 00:29:44.460

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: To do it this one.

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00:29:46.440 --> 00:29:52.320

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And that instruction she'll be in at least 10 point type in an area clearly separated from about contests.

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00:29:54.990 --> 00:30:00.750

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: We have a general instruction that says what the instructions, need to be, which is number be.

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00:30:01.200 --> 00:30:12.240

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: instruction should be written in plain language, to communicate the following information, how to vote for a candidate or in a contest with yes, no options, how to write in a candidate and what to do if you make a mistake.

177

00:30:13.170 --> 00:30:27.090

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Second, paragraph is optional instructions, the instructions may also include warnings and checks to help voters mark their ballot correctly and avoid errors instructions for specific types of contests are only required have a contest of that type of years on the ballot.

178

00:30:28.440 --> 00:30:41.070

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Section C has recommended texts, the following text for these instructions is recommended, and may be adapted to be accurate to the administration and voting system are valid form that in each county.

179

00:30:42.780 --> 00:30:49.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So anything that's in square brackets is replaceable text that can be filled in with whatever is appropriate for your county.

180

00:30:50.310 --> 00:31:00.780

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The three instructions for voting, including that header are to vote for a candidate completely fill in the learning target next surnames, or the word, yes or no.

181

00:31:01.680 --> 00:31:19.380

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: To vote for qualified right and candidate right the name in the blank space provided and fill in the voting target if you make a mistake, and here we left a quite broad area for a county to say what the instructions are for making a correction and optionally or ask for any valid.

182

00:31:20.640 --> 00:31:27.000

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: there's enough variation that trying to pick together a sentence that you can replace one word or two in it's just it's just too hard.

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00:31:28.350 --> 00:31:28.770

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: and

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00:31:29.940 --> 00:31:43.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Make sure your vote counts is the second section and gets us, whatever kind of writing implement that you want to send everyone say blue or black

ballpoint pen do or don't you sharpies do or don't use pencil.

185

00:31:44.610 --> 00:31:52.710

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The second one is do not select more candidates than the number to be elected third is, you may vote in as many or as few contests, as you want.

186

00:31:53.160 --> 00:32:06.930

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And the last one is a mistaken one contest does not affect the rest of the ballot, obviously, the general thing that says that you can add any warnings and checks allows additional things for stuff like recall elections.

187

00:32:08.160 --> 00:32:20.790

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And the last section of this D is the instructions, maybe company by illustrations customized to the ballot design and each county that show the correct way of marketing a selection on the ballot writing in the candidate name for correcting steak.

188

00:32:23.910 --> 00:32:24.660

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: It pause here.

189

00:32:31.740 --> 00:32:36.330

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay, moving on to 205 we're getting into a little more controversial territory here.

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00:32:37.770 --> 00:32:44.430

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This is the instructions for nominee primary nominations prize, our primary ballot.

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00:32:48.180 --> 00:32:48.660

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: and

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00:32:50.010 --> 00:32:55.380

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: At the end, we decided to try to simplify these constructions rather than making, and we know that this this.

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00:32:55.980 --> 00:33:06.630

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Provision itself is up for discussion about whether it should be eliminated or not, but we went for a simplification of the text so that if it remains in the code, we have a simpler version.

194

00:33:07.770 --> 00:33:08.190

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm.

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00:33:09.990 --> 00:33:17.430

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: In the first one, which is a primary primary election at which the candidates for delegates to National Convention have voted upon instruction shall read.

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00:33:18.270 --> 00:33:28.380

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: To vote for a candidate candidate for the party's nomination for President fill in the voting target next to their name and that replaces this struck out text.

197

00:33:30.120 --> 00:33:37.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The second one is for elections when electors for President Vice President, or to be chosen issue placed on the ballot, the following instructions.

198

00:33:39.630 --> 00:33:46.410

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: To vote for President Vice President fill in the voting target next their name, this is the vote for electric pledge to this candidates.

199

00:33:46.980 --> 00:33:58.980

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: To vote for candidates for President Vice President who do not appear on the ballot write their names in the blank space provided for writings and fill in the learning target replacing again these long sections of text.

200

00:34:01.050 --> 00:34:04.890

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: There are a couple of other variations that we believe are incorporated into these.

201

00:34:06.180 --> 00:34:07.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Two sets of instructions.

202

00:34:17.190 --> 00:34:18.930

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Annette hand is up.

203

00:34:20.340 --> 00:34:24.720

Annette Lim, Yolo: For the writing candidate section, did you want to put in qualified.

204

00:34:27.300 --> 00:34:29.100

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Does that true for President Vice President.

205

00:34:36.210 --> 00:34:37.500

Natalie Adona: So.

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00:34:39.450 --> 00:34:43.350

Natalie Adona: You can write in anything but we can only count the qualified right in.

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00:34:44.520 --> 00:34:47.400

Natalie Adona: And we will only report the qualified right and.

208

00:34:47.820 --> 00:34:55.200

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah we're not qualified in the one at the top on the theory that it was a little hinted a civics lesson, it might cause someone to ask.

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00:34:56.760 --> 00:35:01.500

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I don't even think we discussed, I think we just thought there's so much words around President Vice President i'm.

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00:35:04.440 --> 00:35:06.870

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: happy for any way any any video subplots.

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00:35:08.100 --> 00:35:11.130

Victor Chavarin - Kings: Because it's like to vote for qualified candidates.

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00:35:15.450 --> 00:35:18.060

Victor Chavarin - Kings: I know kings county would prefer I would.

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00:35:19.590 --> 00:35:33.030

Victor Chavarin - Kings: qualify as exciting as it will show that we do get a lot of questions about well, I voted for this person and he's not qualified say voting for that, so I think, making it clear as a qualified right and what's better.

214

00:35:37.650 --> 00:35:38.820

Victor Chavarin - Kings: For qualified candidates.

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00:35:38.820 --> 00:35:40.830

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: For prison investments on the ballot.

216

00:35:42.630 --> 00:35:43.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Space Center.

217

00:35:45.510 --> 00:35:47.400

Annette Lim, Yolo: Qualified right in order to qualify.

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00:35:48.480 --> 00:35:50.370

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This is a separate in canvas.

219

00:35:55.110 --> 00:35:57.090

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: For qualified writing for President.

220

00:36:01.440 --> 00:36:03.840

Annette Lim, Yolo: Candidate too overqualified, for I didn't candidate.

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00:36:06.060 --> 00:36:12.210

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah super qualified right in for kids to vote for qualified right in candidates tense right.

222

00:36:12.930 --> 00:36:21.330

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: But for qualified writing candidates for President Vice President write their name in the blank space provided for ratings and filling road in terms of



you keeps it in shorter than we had it.

223

00:36:23.010 --> 00:36:23.730

was like that.

224

00:36:28.680 --> 00:36:29.070

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: again.

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00:36:35.220 --> 00:36:38.280

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: it's a lot of words, we just took off the ballot list go ahead.

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00:36:40.170 --> 00:36:46.290

Liz Oviedo: At first in Santa Clara county we do say to vote for a qualifier writing in the instructions.

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00:36:50.760 --> 00:36:54.480

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay anybody else on to find before we move on.

228

00:36:58.560 --> 00:37:12.030

REINA MILLER: there's a comment in the chat with me Dora said, maybe, who have been qualified I know it's more words but the way it's written now sounds to me it sounds like only people who are qualified in a broader sense.

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00:37:12.840 --> 00:37:13.230

well.

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00:37:17.490 --> 00:37:20.010

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I don't know what who who are qualified doesn't make it any better.

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00:37:26.790 --> 00:37:29.220

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: But be perfect right and candidates will keep the same.

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00:37:31.440 --> 00:37:34.590

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Construction as they read you know as the as the general instructions.

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00:37:46.530 --> 00:37:47.760

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Things that we say.

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00:37:48.990 --> 00:37:52.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Vote for writing candidates who have been qualified person.

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00:37:55.140 --> 00:38:01.230

Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: I think, also to remember, we also have candidate or writing information in the box above for the.

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00:38:02.100 --> 00:38:14.520

Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: Instructions about her remember, we say to vote for a qualified write in candidate at that point, so I already talked about it there, and this is just that little white boxes above it right that we have to put the header so.

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00:38:14.550 --> 00:38:14.820

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: You know.

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00:38:15.030 --> 00:38:17.250

Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: aren't getting the qualified at some point.

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00:38:18.540 --> 00:38:22.530

Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: So I go either way on this, whether it's in that box or separate.

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00:38:27.330 --> 00:38:32.820

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Well, we could just remove this whole second paragraph, but i'm useless.

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00:38:35.310 --> 00:38:40.260

Liz Oviedo: Oh sorry I didn't know it was but um so in our county we say to vote for a qualifying.

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00:38:40.860 --> 00:38:54.480

Liz Oviedo: Providing whose name does not appear in about, and the reason why cuz otherwise he's more work for the county's because so many times the voters repeat the name that that is already in about at the bottom.

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00:38:55.920 --> 00:39:02.160

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Right and candidates for President vice pres whose names I can write their name is blake service provider right isn't move on and target.

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00:39:07.170 --> 00:39:07.950

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: Conditions.

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00:39:08.940 --> 00:39:09.630

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: yeah yeah.

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00:39:12.990 --> 00:39:15.690

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I mean if we're simply going to repeat what's above.

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00:39:18.060 --> 00:39:19.200

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Do we need an all.

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00:39:23.250 --> 00:39:27.180

Natalie Adona: I think, no matter what you say they're going to write in whatever they're going to write in.

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00:39:29.340 --> 00:39:33.030

Natalie Adona: Green none of this is going to stop them from voting for Mickey Mouse right.

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00:39:35.640 --> 00:39:42.450

Natalie Adona: I mean I don't have a strong opinion either way, but I sort of go, for you know the sort of.

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00:39:43.740 --> 00:39:45.300

Natalie Adona: The more concise, the better.

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00:39:51.480 --> 00:39:55.320

Natalie Adona: I mean when when alternative to what Dora is suggesting might be.

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00:39:57.060 --> 00:40:01.380

Natalie Adona: who have been candidates who have been certified to be brightens.

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00:40:03.390 --> 00:40:04.260

Something like that.

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00:40:11.670 --> 00:40:24.300

Liz Oviedo: Joanna, because if we already have the instructions for weddings at the top of the ballot, do we need to repeat it before the contest because we don't do that for all the other countries.

256

00:40:25.170 --> 00:40:28.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: You know me i'm always for not repeating things so.

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00:40:33.990 --> 00:40:35.130

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: mean that would be this.

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00:40:37.860 --> 00:40:45.030

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think that the justification here for the extra oneness that it's reminding people that it's a dual that it's one target for two candidates.

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00:40:46.410 --> 00:40:48.210

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: But that would be true of the rating as well.

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00:40:49.980 --> 00:40:54.210

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And a place to say this is actually about for those lectures, so a little bit of a civics lesson.

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00:41:02.940 --> 00:41:06.030

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Anybody want to argue for keeping reading instruction.

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00:41:17.490 --> 00:41:19.560

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I said we move on to our head.

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00:41:24.270 --> 00:41:31.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This is the party nominated party nominated for know and and that are nominated and nonpartisan offices so.

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00:41:33.930 --> 00:41:39.060

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This first one we're not only when we're trying to shorten it, but we also were trying to accommodate the fact that.

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00:41:40.440 --> 00:41:45.630

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Since many of the voting systems in use don't allow for separate instructions for things.

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00:41:46.320 --> 00:41:54.300

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And so i'm going to start from the bottom, actually, which is that for voting systems that do not allow their instructions, the following words.

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00:41:54.750 --> 00:42:08.610

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: party nominated offices voters registered in the same party as the candidates may vote in this primary election for President and the party committee some parties may allow borders with no party preference to vote its primary election for President.

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00:42:10.380 --> 00:42:11.880

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So this is the kind of.

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00:42:13.230 --> 00:42:19.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: omnibus version of of all the things, but we also thought that it might be possible for some to be able to.

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00:42:22.140 --> 00:42:25.590

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Say party nominated office is only voters registered in.

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00:42:26.700 --> 00:42:35.370

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The name of the party or it could be, as the same party as the candidate may vote in this primary election for President and party committee and then.

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00:42:35.910 --> 00:42:46.800

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: A second version for the party's a lot of crossover, of course, it is a separate ballot when voters registered the name of the party may vote in this primary election President party committee.

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00:42:47.970 --> 00:42:51.030

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Some parties may allow voters with no query.

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00:42:52.140 --> 00:42:54.480

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: preference to vote and it's a primary action for any valid.

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00:42:55.980 --> 00:42:58.920

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: We we did note that.

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00:43:02.160 --> 00:43:17.340

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: You already have the ballot in your hand, by the time you see it right, so you have on the ballot whatever someone thinks that you're qualified to vote, and at that point, in any event, I just just wanted to bring that out, I see Maria suggestions should be their primary.

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00:43:21.690 --> 00:43:22.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: guess so.

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00:43:35.640 --> 00:43:36.300

This that's right.

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00:43:40.410 --> 00:43:43.860

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So I think there's a there's a couple of different challenges here one is sort of.

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00:43:47.100 --> 00:43:47.730

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Oh i'm sorry.

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00:43:58.710 --> 00:44:12.000

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: One is the challenge of whether how to customize this can be given the limitations of some of the voting systems where the instructions are put on once for all balance in the election and the other whether we're.

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00:44:14.790 --> 00:44:16.710

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Getting the point across well enough that.

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00:44:17.910 --> 00:44:21.180

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: there's some limitations on who've been vote in the presidential primary.

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00:44:26.220 --> 00:44:32.850

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay i'm going to skip on to the others, these can be put together or can be separated.

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00:44:33.750 --> 00:44:46.080

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: But we have voter nominated offices all voters may vote in these contests candidates display a party preference or none for the information of voters, this is not a party endorsement or approval.

286

00:44:46.890 --> 00:44:55.920

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And for nonpartisan offices others may go in all of these contests candidates for these offices do not display a party preference.

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00:44:57.360 --> 00:45:03.450

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: we've tried to write the instructions about where these are placed loosely enough that they can be.

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00:45:04.410 --> 00:45:20.640

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: All at the top of the ballot at once, or they could be placed just before the the group of candidates, depending on how the ballot layout works in different voting systems, but certainly they can go across the top of the of the balance before

the first contests.

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00:45:34.800 --> 00:45:37.410

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: gonna move on to 13 208.

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00:45:42.840 --> 00:45:43.350

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: there.

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00:45:44.550 --> 00:45:51.570

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I just want to mention that one things that we did not tackle was a lot of rules about the size of the columns and the size of.

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00:45:52.080 --> 00:46:06.420

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Things are boring targets, it was just more than we thought with you get done and be very sure that we were not making a mistake with the system we need some careful with you, with looking at the different voting systems, but in 13 to wait looking at a.

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00:46:07.590 --> 00:46:11.730

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: There is a long discussion about right hand column of each market and so on.

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00:46:15.570 --> 00:46:25.200

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And we simplified this way down to just voting targets will be used by voters to express their choices, as provided for in the instructions to voters.

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00:46:30.030 --> 00:46:47.130

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So we actually left that instead of cut this whole thing about the right hand column and being in the margin and so on, and just left it on the device targets are used appropriately, because you have the whole left and right challenge for different organ systems.

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00:46:49.980 --> 00:46:57.660

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And the distribution that's the ccr has been whittling away at these already in this is just one that seem to have gotten by.



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00:47:04.590 --> 00:47:15.210

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: 13 to 10 is mostly about what it's about number of things, but so delegates for National Convention we've changed.

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00:47:16.830 --> 00:47:25.320

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: there's been a number of different sizes for things and so we've tried to normalize them also that anything that's a candidate is 10 point bolt type.

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00:47:27.390 --> 00:47:32.730

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And this holds true for the name of the President, Vice President themselves.

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00:47:34.350 --> 00:47:40.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: and includes this is all see is all on touched on and.

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00:47:42.630 --> 00:47:49.410

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That the designation of the Office can be nine points bold so vote for one or two.

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00:47:53.130 --> 00:47:57.810

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That was just that's the only change there was just changing those type sizes in the section.

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00:48:00.240 --> 00:48:06.180

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: 13 1211 same thing name of the candidates are printed without designation which engine to.

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00:48:09.960 --> 00:48:11.070

Stop at least.

305

00:48:14.460 --> 00:48:16.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: To a certain point, both type.

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00:48:20.400 --> 00:48:22.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: that's just my mistake during this process.

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00:48:27.090 --> 00:48:28.770

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And then we have.

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00:48:31.080 --> 00:48:32.370

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: bomb where.

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00:48:34.710 --> 00:48:35.640

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: See the change.

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00:48:40.650 --> 00:48:41.100

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Because.

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00:48:43.140 --> 00:48:47.790

Natalie Adona: I think the change is the deletion of capital.

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00:48:48.240 --> 00:48:48.480

yep.

313

00:48:51.450 --> 00:48:59.880

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yep I just said it and didn't get it cost out so it's just a leading capital, and I think one of the things that we pointed out about in our discussion about.

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00:49:00.300 --> 00:49:08.340

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: All of this is that it really helps with language with multilingual balance, because a capital letter so much wider than upper and lowercase.

315

00:49:10.410 --> 00:49:23.970

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: 13 to 14 is just another adjustment for left hand and right hand on all sides of the columns instead of left hand of the columns in my hand of the columns.

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00:49:31.410 --> 00:49:36.360

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: addresses just of wording some wording changes and some

uppercase lowercase on stubs.

317

00:49:37.950 --> 00:49:42.480

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The biggest change of course is changing that each mela Card may have two steps attached.

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00:49:45.180 --> 00:49:56.970

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: detached from the ballot card official ballot in mixed case and I think those are the only changes they're quite small and, of course, they only apply if you have a stuff.

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00:49:59.820 --> 00:50:05.310

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And the last one is Article for punch cards.

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00:50:06.390 --> 00:50:10.890

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Really, there are no punch cards, so why don't we just remove that.

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00:50:13.620 --> 00:50:15.090

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And that is it.

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00:50:20.280 --> 00:50:21.060

Natalie Adona: Thanks Whitney.

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00:50:23.040 --> 00:50:33.870

Natalie Adona: So arena, I think that in and correct me if i'm wrong, we sort of want to you know have some discussion and then eventually you know.

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00:50:35.370 --> 00:50:41.580

Natalie Adona: Vote on on which which of these changes, we want to sort of put forward is that right.

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00:50:42.120 --> 00:50:42.750

Correct.

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00:50:44.310 --> 00:50:59.610

Natalie Adona: So, how would you prefer to go about that just sort of one by one say yay or nay, do we want to sort of ask people if there's any one of these suggested changes that are giving them heartburn that we want to sort of discuss.

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00:50:59.880 --> 00:51:17.400

REINA MILLER: It might be easier if we if we have if anyone is again, one of the code section, because we have no one against anything, then we could just go on the full document to be presented so if that if everyone's okay with that, I think that would be easier than going one by one, yes.

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00:51:17.790 --> 00:51:18.570

Natalie Adona: I think, so too.

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00:51:18.780 --> 00:51:20.250

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think, Marina thank superintendent.

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00:51:20.250 --> 00:51:21.900

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Account all of those.

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00:51:23.460 --> 00:51:26.670

REINA MILLER: make it easier on me, but we can do, one by one, if everyone wants to.

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00:51:30.030 --> 00:51:37.650

Natalie Adona: I think doing them all at once, is probably going to be fine so yeah so I guess.

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00:51:39.420 --> 00:51:41.580

Natalie Adona: You know if there are any.

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00:51:43.020 --> 00:51:56.700

Natalie Adona: sort of points or dirt sort of things that wouldn't have gone over that we want to discuss that hasn't already been discussed feel free to chime in either just by a muting yourself or putting it in the chat.

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00:52:02.310 --> 00:52:10.860

Karen Rhea: Now I have one thing I wanted to ask about my apologies, I wasn't able to make the last meeting this may have been covered, but section.

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00:52:12.690 --> 00:52:17.220

Karen Rhea: I think it was Whitney if you could scroll back to that one.

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00:52:18.870 --> 00:52:35.190

Karen Rhea: yeah there's just a lot of confusion in below layout in how that's interpreted and some counties us, they will do like United States representative and then as a banner heading and then again as a contest header.

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00:52:36.420 --> 00:52:47.160

Karen Rhea: Saying United States representative the district vote and I think it's sort of open open to interpretation, given the way it's it's in 13 one thing yeah.

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00:52:47.580 --> 00:53:02.160

Karen Rhea: So if we could just add some clarity there because I think some people are gobbling up space they don't need to or maybe other current doing it, the way it should be done, I don't i'm not sure what the answer is, I just think there's a lot of difference and how it's being interpreted.

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Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I have seen in other states that the headings are President and Vice President than federal than state.

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00:53:10.020 --> 00:53:17.700

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Then county than city and they don't name they don't include they wouldn't include in this list this specific contests.

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00:53:18.300 --> 00:53:21.630

Karen Rhea: Right right, and I think some people are doing it that way.

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00:53:22.500 --> 00:53:29.670

Karen Rhea: Now, or are adding these additional headings and then repeating it again at the contest level.

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00:53:34.020 --> 00:53:43.950

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: It just trying to this one's always one of my favorite there's great logical inconsistency in these names summer, just like summer offices are.

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00:53:46.680 --> 00:53:47.550

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: And there's there's no box.

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00:53:48.240 --> 00:54:01.980

Karen Rhea: right there is their categories and in that really goes back to 3109.

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00:54:10.470 --> 00:54:11.160

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Alternative.

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00:54:20.700 --> 00:54:24.630

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: Do you need something for special districts or other.

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00:54:29.610 --> 00:54:30.810

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: says one even.

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00:54:34.950 --> 00:54:36.480

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Now, what do you do with them now.

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00:54:36.900 --> 00:54:39.150

Karen Rhea: school and district, I think.

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00:54:40.500 --> 00:54:41.940

Karen Rhea: Are what i'm familiar with.

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00:54:44.820 --> 00:54:49.380

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: So, for the way we do it in contra Costa, we put the district.

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00:54:51.000 --> 00:54:54.540

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: name in our top header and then the office.

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00:54:56.460 --> 00:54:56.910

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: Next.

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00:55:00.390 --> 00:55:01.590

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: Martinez unified school.

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00:55:01.590 --> 00:55:03.390

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: district is the top header and then the.

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00:55:03.390 --> 00:55:04.440

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: Next header is.

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00:55:06.930 --> 00:55:09.870

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Like like like that, where there's like a district name that's.

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00:55:10.530 --> 00:55:10.950

yeah.

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00:55:12.300 --> 00:55:15.990

Karen Rhea: So travis you don't put school ahead of the school if.

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00:55:16.950 --> 00:55:20.250

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: We do school because it's mandated in one oh.

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00:55:20.310 --> 00:55:21.390

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah I say.

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00:55:22.350 --> 00:55:24.150

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Where does this go to school, before county.

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00:55:25.800 --> 00:55:29.070

Karen Rhea: Yes, and then judicial as well.

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00:55:39.240 --> 00:55:43.170

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Quite weird that it only has this few things when there's all these extra ones.

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00:55:44.610 --> 00:55:45.060

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That I see.

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00:55:46.470 --> 00:55:51.780

Annette Lim, Yolo: Okay, look at what we fall under headings is production code 13109.

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00:55:52.980 --> 00:55:56.490

Annette Lim, Yolo: And that kind of covers all the low headings and things that go under it.

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00:56:07.140 --> 00:56:08.400

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: there's a huge list here.

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00:56:13.380 --> 00:56:16.140

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That begs the question that that's that's.

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00:56:18.180 --> 00:56:20.640

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: kind of begs the question of whether this is needed of all.

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00:56:23.100 --> 00:56:24.270

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: reference back to that one.

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00:56:26.310 --> 00:56:29.250

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: Also basic question, do you want to mess with 3219 because it's.

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00:56:29.340 --> 00:56:29.610

So.



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00:56:31.350 --> 00:56:47.130

Karen Rhea: Right and that's really where the confusion begins is in 13 109 because it says, under the heading that the banner heading like state that a contest heading and and those are handled differently.

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00:56:47.400 --> 00:56:59.820

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Within so this also gets us right into 109 point nine and the ultimate valid otter Sorry, I wonder if we want to mess with this at all in the in the interest of uncontroversial and easy.

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00:57:03.000 --> 00:57:08.460

Natalie Adona: mean wouldn't the easiest thing to be to suggest removing 13 to 13.

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00:57:09.840 --> 00:57:10.650

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I suppose.

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00:57:15.390 --> 00:57:16.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I leave I have.

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00:57:18.540 --> 00:57:22.410

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I have no I can't have an opinion on this I don't have the balancer think about this so.

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00:57:25.800 --> 00:57:37.260

Karen Rhea: It does seem redundant when it's it's covered under 109 I mean I think one of nine has room for improvement, but I think in terms of keeping this simple if we took this out.

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00:57:38.550 --> 00:57:39.330

Karen Rhea: I don't see any other.

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00:57:40.530 --> 00:57:44.610

Karen Rhea: purpose of serving when 1329 addresses that as well.

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00:57:49.020 --> 00:57:49.590

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: I agree.

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00:57:51.690 --> 00:57:56.100

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: And I was a second but 31 and I need to separate conversation, but not today, not here.

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00:58:03.030 --> 00:58:04.890

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Is this month this.

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00:58:09.210 --> 00:58:10.020

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: couple more things.

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00:58:13.980 --> 00:58:21.180

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: 13 one or nine does not include.

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00:58:22.560 --> 00:58:27.630

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Type size so or capital letter capitalization requirements so that we're off the hook on that.

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00:58:30.120 --> 00:58:32.700

Annette Lim, Yolo: capitalization is that listen to 130 109.

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00:58:35.850 --> 00:58:37.020

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Is it Mr.

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00:58:37.860 --> 00:58:42.030

Annette Lim, Yolo: That no it doesn't say they're capitalized but just beheading is written that way.

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00:58:42.060 --> 00:58:43.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: there's the shown that way yeah.

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00:58:51.810 --> 00:59:02.130

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Suggestions guys and I do try to put in something into one third one on it that says have intimate written in next case with it or not, we're not with Margaret and another place.

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00:59:04.410 --> 00:59:05.700

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: and leave all the restaurant on.

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00:59:07.680 --> 00:59:10.890

Natalie Adona: A field feel like if there's no requirement there, then why mess with it.

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00:59:11.370 --> 00:59:15.210

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah it's written that way, but it doesn't say anything it just says listen.

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00:59:36.870 --> 00:59:40.290

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: wonder if anybody at the secretary of state's office has any thoughts.

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00:59:41.640 --> 00:59:43.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Calls under uncontroversial or not.

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00:59:52.650 --> 00:59:55.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: We can just change 1132 and three to say.

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00:59:57.000 --> 01:00:01.710

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: headings for groups of candidates 70 printed in boldface regular type.

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01:00:04.440 --> 01:00:06.090

Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: In accordance with 13 women.

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01:00:06.510 --> 01:00:07.380

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah right.

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01:00:10.080 --> 01:00:13.320

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I mean, maybe that preserves the.

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01:00:15.240 --> 01:00:15.720

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: shoot.

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01:00:16.860 --> 01:00:18.630

Karen Rhea: That that seems the goal of.

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01:00:19.680 --> 01:00:21.900

Karen Rhea: A capitalization without.

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01:00:22.920 --> 01:00:23.670

Karen Rhea: Defining.

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01:00:24.210 --> 01:00:25.200

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: certainly helped me.

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01:00:26.610 --> 01:00:28.890

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: heavens or.

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01:00:31.680 --> 01:00:33.060

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Sorry typing in front.

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01:00:52.350 --> 01:00:57.480

Liz Oviedo: We may want to say hey headings for contests instead of candidates.

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01:00:58.950 --> 01:01:02.520

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm sorry i'm sorry it's to contest you right.

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01:01:27.750 --> 01:01:29.220

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: it's gotten off the short and sweet.

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01:01:34.350 --> 01:01:37.260

Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: Do you need to add a minimum font size to that.

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01:01:42.540 --> 01:01:44.310

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That would be, I think.

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01:01:46.560 --> 01:01:52.020

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: 10 points because it would be the same as the presidential contest having other continents, having.

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01:02:13.710 --> 01:02:15.600

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: stood up to the top and put this in.

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01:02:17.040 --> 01:02:20.730

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: it's the same thing you should have it.

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01:03:21.480 --> 01:03:23.760

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: Who we go back to 132 or three.

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01:03:33.990 --> 01:03:42.720

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: So i'm curious, this is, can you hear from Santa Claus i'm curious what the intent behind, including all of the Assembly.

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01:03:44.730 --> 01:03:53.430

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: Congressional and Senate districts I don't understand currently our vendors not able to to accommodate that and they don't have to anymore.

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01:03:54.510 --> 01:03:57.510

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: We don't have to anymore, but that reminded well.

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01:03:57.780 --> 01:04:02.940

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The county basically you can do it by having a capella type style.

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01:04:04.170 --> 01:04:11.250

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: Okay, so we've we designate our ballot types, but they don't indicate anything about any.

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01:04:12.450 --> 01:04:19.230

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: rights and edition right, so we just change this to In addition the valid so have print at the top or bottom, these are developed type style identifier.

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01:04:19.320 --> 01:04:23.010

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: or some other me okay there we that.

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01:04:23.190 --> 01:04:27.000

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: But i'm still confused, what was the intent behind that it was no.

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01:04:27.750 --> 01:04:28.140

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01:04:30.060 --> 01:04:39.210

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i've seen this in other places, but they'll say you know, this is the ballot for the it's sort of listed sort of in lieu of a type style but it's it's a little archaic and I.

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01:04:39.930 --> 01:04:47.340

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The places where I see it, the most of the places where they're valid design guidelines have been least recently updated if that makes sense.

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01:04:50.790 --> 01:04:58.560

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: Okay, so so even just that ballot type number four is sufficient, as opposed to including all the districts that.

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01:04:59.610 --> 01:05:03.750

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: intent and we when we left it because, maybe someone's doing it, and maybe someone who.

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01:05:03.750 --> 01:05:07.200

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: says it good reason and it's sort of leaves it sort of minimum.

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01:05:08.280 --> 01:05:11.580

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: It felt like a Min a minimally invasive change to the code.

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01:05:13.200 --> 01:05:16.260

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: Erica, thank you for clarifying I just wanna make sure I understood that.

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01:05:20.010 --> 01:05:21.420

Maria Rocha, Stanislaus elections: Because i've never seen it on the.

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01:05:21.420 --> 01:05:22.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: California ballot so.

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01:05:30.330 --> 01:05:40.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And I suppose you could argue that it's at it's in each contest, but I think just really clarifying that you don't need it so that we're not open to lawsuits wrapping up with the right information in the right place.

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01:05:41.910 --> 01:05:44.160

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: If we're doing this let's do it as long as we can.

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01:06:02.130 --> 01:06:02.250

All.

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01:06:05.010 --> 01:06:05.790

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Right.

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01:06:07.050 --> 01:06:07.710

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Thank you.

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01:06:20.850 --> 01:06:22.620

REINA MILLER: Whitney there's a comment in the chat.

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01:06:23.130 --> 01:06:25.800

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm just i'm just looking forward, she said that it's.

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01:06:26.820 --> 01:06:29.280

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So right justifying decision.

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01:06:32.970 --> 01:06:33.960

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm going blind.

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01:06:35.040 --> 01:06:35.790

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah so.

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01:06:46.710 --> 01:06:48.750

Karen Rhea: And that left the line right where your cursor is.

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01:06:48.750 --> 01:06:50.070

Karen Rhea: yep yep I see it.

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01:06:50.550 --> 01:06:55.440

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm trying to figure out how to i'm trying to figure out how to word it designation of the official.

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01:06:59.460 --> 01:07:01.890

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: What if we just get rid of this whole thing about margins.

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01:07:03.810 --> 01:07:05.910

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That we printed, at least in the book.

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01:07:07.230 --> 01:07:09.600

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Along with the words vote for and.

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01:07:11.490 --> 01:07:14.700

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: What if it was just like this.

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01:07:52.920 --> 01:07:56.130

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The destination, the office and the words vote for shall be printed.

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01:07:57.510 --> 01:07:59.340

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: In at least nine point type.

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01:08:02.160 --> 01:08:03.870

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: No discussion of where it goes.

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01:08:05.520 --> 01:08:16.800

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I mean the thing that this I mean this sounds like it was meant to say that the office name and the book for an hour on the same line, and I think they rarely are because of too long.

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01:08:18.540 --> 01:08:26.850

Liz Oviedo: I think the fiction of the Left was there, it means like left aligned so.

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01:08:27.420 --> 01:08:41.250

Liz Oviedo: The names names of the candidates are on the left side of the mark, like left the line and nor usually our balance have the vote for to the right above the target.

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01:08:41.970 --> 01:08:42.600

Liz Oviedo: But I am.

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01:08:42.840 --> 01:08:49.530

Liz Oviedo: I guess, he will targets on the left, then we'll do would still have the both are separated from the names.

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01:08:49.860 --> 01:08:51.180

Liz Oviedo: I would love to have the.

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01:08:51.480 --> 01:08:56.250

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Vote for both on the left me because I think that people miss.

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01:08:57.510 --> 01:08:58.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The vote for.

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01:09:02.190 --> 01:09:05.820

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Well, they don't miss it when it's about, for one, but when it's up for more than one they often miss it.

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01:09:05.910 --> 01:09:06.570

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: it's one of the.

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01:09:07.830 --> 01:09:10.950

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: biggest confusions we've seen and when.

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01:09:12.180 --> 01:09:26.220

Natalie Adona: In our system it's all part of a just a sub header so it's always sort of aligned in the Center, but it does have here under the under the headings.

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01:09:26.580 --> 01:09:27.030

Natalie Adona: For.

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01:09:27.180 --> 01:09:28.500

Natalie Adona: For the contests.

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01:09:28.980 --> 01:09:35.040

Annette Lim, Yolo: yeah I don't know yeah if the if the heart system can make it left for those header.

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01:09:35.550 --> 01:09:36.570

Natalie Adona: And I don't know if.

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01:09:36.630 --> 01:09:37.470

They can be there.

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01:09:38.640 --> 01:09:39.120

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah.

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01:09:40.320 --> 01:09:42.780

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay, so it's not it's already not doing it.

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01:09:43.860 --> 01:09:57.030

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So one way to do it reduces say get it in there, somewhere, and the other would be to say left or centered I i'm again i'm sort of hesitant to mess with it too much, although I would love to get rid of all the rights right hand stuff.

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01:10:04.980 --> 01:10:06.960

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: This office she'll be printed.

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01:10:11.070 --> 01:10:15.870

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I mean what if we got rid of all of the mean it sounds like you're all doing a mix of things.

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01:10:17.940 --> 01:10:21.000

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Go sideways I prefer left, but I think.

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01:10:22.020 --> 01:10:23.310

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I hate to make this.

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01:10:24.450 --> 01:10:36.720

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: done so fast what What if we really did just change it, to say the designated the office and the words vote for and shall be printed at least nine point type above the list of candidates.

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01:10:49.980 --> 01:10:51.540

Annette Lim, Yolo: Yes, agreed just take out all the.

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01:10:52.590 --> 01:10:55.560

Annette Lim, Yolo: Justification left right centered.

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01:11:34.650 --> 01:11:36.570

REINA MILLER: And then we got a few more comments.

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01:11:38.310 --> 01:11:40.680

REINA MILLER: I don't know if you had a chance to see them or, if you want me to read them out.

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01:11:44.040 --> 01:11:44.640

Welcome to.

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01:11:46.350 --> 01:11:48.450

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The I think this is all about.

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01:11:50.250 --> 01:11:54.000

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: It let's just stay on 13 to 10 right now and we'll come back to them.

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01:11:55.980 --> 01:12:05.730

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: To tell me how this Ascension doesn't necessarily printed and at least nine point type number of candidates will officially printing.

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01:12:06.900 --> 01:12:07.650

that's that's.

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01:12:08.910 --> 01:12:10.860

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: We don't need that because that's the same thing.

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01:12:10.950 --> 01:12:13.170

Karen Rhea: yeah because i've already said full yep.

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01:12:13.800 --> 01:12:17.370

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The decimation of the office workers have a separate from cast by line line.

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01:12:21.630 --> 01:12:24.690

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So at least we have something in which the current practices are now.

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01:12:26.130 --> 01:12:26.430

In.

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01:12:27.450 --> 01:12:28.170

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: conformance.

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01:12:35.910 --> 01:12:37.620

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: With did with this and let's move to.

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01:12:39.120 --> 01:12:40.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Some things now.

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01:12:43.290 --> 01:12:43.650

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay.

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01:13:00.780 --> 01:13:06.240

REINA MILLER: There was one more comment related to the section, you were you were just in the same language appears in section as well.

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01:13:06.630 --> 01:13:07.680

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: that's what i'm doing right now.

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01:13:07.800 --> 01:13:08.460

REINA MILLER: Okay perfect.

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01:13:39.990 --> 01:13:43.590

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: In case of candidates for delegates National Convention I should be printed.

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01:13:46.170 --> 01:13:46.740

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: In.

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01:13:47.970 --> 01:13:48.390

groups.

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01:13:57.450 --> 01:14:02.550

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: At least 10 point bolt type the words, President of the United States and vote for one moment.

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01:14:12.180 --> 01:14:12.840

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay.

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01:14:15.660 --> 01:14:19.230

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Great next one, is a comment about to 13.

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01:14:20.700 --> 01:14:25.980

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: And little we just wrote hustler each group copied and.

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01:14:33.030 --> 01:14:33.570

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Not.

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01:14:39.450 --> 01:14:45.510

Taylor Kayatta: The same as what the existing text used to be just with some cuts I just remove that basically the entire Middle section.

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01:14:46.620 --> 01:15:01.860

Taylor Kayatta: And I didn't address the template, but we can do that too i'm concerned that by doing a cross reference to another section 13 one or nine that we create problems for ourselves already there's a problem with in that written like that it wouldn't apply to the temporary.

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01:15:02.910 --> 01:15:03.960

Taylor Kayatta: Or the La has.

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01:15:04.410 --> 01:15:05.460

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm just going on.

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01:15:07.050 --> 01:15:11.970

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah i'm just going to do this as a separate thing and then we'll race, the other one is.

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01:15:13.140 --> 01:15:13.740

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Cross night.

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01:15:15.990 --> 01:15:17.910

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: See each series of groups.

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01:15:22.410 --> 01:15:25.440

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Heading great series of corruption printed boldness apple type.

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01:15:56.160 --> 01:15:58.500

Taylor Kayatta: series of groups through yeah sorry.

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01:16:00.570 --> 01:16:01.680

Taylor Kayatta: And then we can get the.

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01:16:01.710 --> 01:16:04.080

Taylor Kayatta: text that you had above instead of what I just wrote.

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01:16:04.650 --> 01:16:06.120

Taylor Kayatta: But then the last sentence will keep it.

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01:16:06.210 --> 01:16:06.930

Taylor Kayatta: Falling intact.

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01:16:08.430 --> 01:16:10.230

Taylor Kayatta: because everyone else something with us.

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01:16:16.110 --> 01:16:16.800

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Having.

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01:16:22.800 --> 01:16:26.520

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Serious each and I see.

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01:16:29.160 --> 01:16:35.070

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Sorry i'm going to start again because i've messed myself up and we're just it's just a tiny bit too small for me at this hour of the day.

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01:16:36.900 --> 01:16:37.710

it's better.

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01:16:40.110 --> 01:16:40.920

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: see it.

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01:16:45.330 --> 01:16:46.950

it's good it's good.

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01:16:52.080 --> 01:16:55.860

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That stays it series a group so we headed.

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01:16:56.880 --> 01:16:58.110

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: By our caption.

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01:17:14.430 --> 01:17:17.280

Taylor Kayatta: Would it help if I just today Whitney i'm in there, I can get in the Google Doc.

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01:17:19.740 --> 01:17:20.700

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Really lost it.

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01:17:22.950 --> 01:17:23.370

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: um.

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01:17:24.900 --> 01:17:27.540

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think I got it, I think that I think I finally got my head around.

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01:17:45.000 --> 01:17:47.820

Taylor Kayatta: And then you just do it at least 10 point boldface type.

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01:17:49.050 --> 01:17:49.260

Taylor Kayatta: Now.

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01:17:53.910 --> 01:17:56.700

Taylor Kayatta: We can fix the striker and stuff later yeah yeah.

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01:17:57.330 --> 01:17:58.080

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah I got it.

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01:18:02.760 --> 01:18:04.110

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay, I think we got it here.

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01:18:04.770 --> 01:18:13.140

Taylor Kayatta: that's it, I think this is saying exactly what we were saying before but it's just less change to the Code, which always has a better chance of getting through with that objection.

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01:18:25.140 --> 01:18:27.480

Taylor Kayatta: justification is still true it's just.

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01:18:28.710 --> 01:18:29.640

Taylor Kayatta: yeah yeah.

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01:18:47.430 --> 01:18:47.790

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay.

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01:18:49.320 --> 01:18:52.020

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Everybody that's a great suggestion.

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01:18:59.850 --> 01:19:00.300

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Okay.

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01:19:06.570 --> 01:19:12.300

Raj Bathla SOS: And also Taylor here, you know 13 210 when when we made the change.

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01:19:14.490 --> 01:19:20.760

Raj Bathla SOS: The were the words you know after in 13 210 a last line.

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01:19:22.440 --> 01:19:29.820

Raj Bathla SOS: We need to fix the strike through so the words will be strike through and then and.

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01:19:31.260 --> 01:19:31.440

Raj Bathla SOS: yeah.

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01:19:33.720 --> 01:19:35.370

Raj Bathla SOS: that's all right.

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01:19:36.780 --> 01:19:37.080

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: No.

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01:19:37.320 --> 01:19:39.420

Annette Lim, Yolo: i'm a period after state.

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01:19:39.690 --> 01:19:41.640

Raj Bathla SOS: The period will also go.

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01:19:42.600 --> 01:19:45.510

Raj Bathla SOS: To and we will have a new coach and.

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01:19:46.440 --> 01:19:48.150

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Candidates printed.

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01:19:49.650 --> 01:19:50.640

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: The words.

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01:19:53.580 --> 01:19:55.530

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Yes, okay yep.

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01:20:26.670 --> 01:20:29.730

REINA MILLER: Okay, so we have about 14 minutes left in the meeting.

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01:20:30.540 --> 01:20:36.390

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So does anybody want to just move that we vote on this in toto and see if it passes.

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01:20:42.450 --> 01:20:43.350

Karen Rhea: I know that we've up.

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01:20:46.860 --> 01:20:47.370

Natalie Adona: again.

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01:20:49.320 --> 01:20:57.360

REINA MILLER: Great so natalie or Joanna will just need to make a clear motion and what were you guys are wanting to recommend before I take the vote.

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01:20:58.560 --> 01:20:59.040

Natalie Adona: Okay.

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01:21:01.170 --> 01:21:08.730

Natalie Adona: i'll give it my best shot i've heard people say this, many a time, but I have never heard these words myself so.

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01:21:09.990 --> 01:21:13.050

Natalie Adona: i'd like to make a motion to vote.

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01:21:13.170 --> 01:21:16.590

Victor Chavarin - Kings: On proposing this document.

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01:21:17.250 --> 01:21:20.970

Natalie Adona: The market for discussion code division 13 document.

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01:21:22.710 --> 01:21:29.100

Natalie Adona: move forward to the legislature does that sound does that sound right.

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01:21:30.720 --> 01:21:30.990

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: But.

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01:21:31.170 --> 01:21:37.020

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I moved to accept these these recommend the the the material in this document as a recommendation of this.

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01:21:37.020 --> 01:21:45.090

Natalie Adona: committee, so if you are supportive say I or type in the chat box.

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01:21:47.640 --> 01:21:48.180

Now.

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01:21:55.980 --> 01:21:56.790

Brian you're so funny.

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01:22:06.810 --> 01:22:14.040

Natalie Adona: Okay anyone opposed say, nay or type, nay in the chat.

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01:22:20.130 --> 01:22:22.170

Natalie Adona: and any abstentions.

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01:22:25.320 --> 01:22:25.890

Okay.

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01:22:27.540 --> 01:22:28.770

Natalie Adona: looks like the eyes have it.

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01:22:30.180 --> 01:22:30.810

Thanks.

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01:22:32.010 --> 01:22:32.730

Annette Lim, Yolo: ocean person.

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01:22:33.840 --> 01:22:34.560

Natalie Adona: Does.

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01:22:38.130 --> 01:22:40.140

REINA MILLER: It compare first one is everyone.

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01:22:40.950 --> 01:22:44.310

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: i'm going to do something now i'm changing this to view only.

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01:22:45.810 --> 01:22:49.950

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: question, you will have the editing Pen, you can change it, but i'll just remind us that it's always better than.

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01:22:51.480 --> 01:22:53.730

Raj Bathla SOS: Just to clarify that the committee is.

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01:22:55.770 --> 01:23:02.340

Raj Bathla SOS: recommending these proposed changes to the Secretary of State to bring it to the legislature.

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01:23:03.930 --> 01:23:09.930

Raj Bathla SOS: To try to pass it in for the June or the November or.

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01:23:10.920 --> 01:23:11.520

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think we had.

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01:23:12.300 --> 01:23:13.830

Raj Bathla SOS: or four or it's a regular.

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01:23:14.430 --> 01:23:15.000

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think that.

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01:23:15.630 --> 01:23:16.800

Natalie Adona: The Attorney to.

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01:23:20.250 --> 01:23:22.680

Natalie Adona: Does this change anyone's vote I don't think so, but.

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01:23:23.220 --> 01:23:26.580

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think I think Janet felt that it was already too late.

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01:23:26.580 --> 01:23:36.810

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: For June and so we're talking about this for the November election but you could just say the earliest possible election but it at least the November election, if not earlier.

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01:23:37.320 --> 01:23:38.490

Raj Bathla SOS: Okay, but thank you.

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01:23:39.420 --> 01:23:43.050

Taylor Kayatta: anyone else have a problem with us pressing first soon as we can get to.

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01:23:47.070 --> 01:23:47.850

Natalie Adona: see that again.

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01:23:48.630 --> 01:23:52.080

Taylor Kayatta: I just want to make sure there's no problem if we get it into effect too soon.

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01:23:52.920 --> 01:23:53.400

Natalie Adona: To see.

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01:23:54.690 --> 01:23:56.910

Taylor Kayatta: So I want to take our marching orders to be.

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01:23:57.390 --> 01:24:00.810

Taylor Kayatta: let's try to get this into law as fast as possible we don't think it'll be June, but.

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01:24:01.530 --> 01:24:02.700

Taylor Kayatta: we'll take it if we can get it.

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01:24:08.340 --> 01:24:08.760

Victor Chavarin - Kings: sure.

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01:24:08.790 --> 01:24:11.640

Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: we're already doing a lot of the stuff anyway right.

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01:24:12.180 --> 01:24:13.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah a lot of this catch up.

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01:24:14.940 --> 01:24:15.180

Okay.

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01:24:17.160 --> 01:24:27.870

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Man, I think that the biggest the most noticeable change is going to be the instructions and I think two or five is the biggest visible change because it takes a big bunch of Texas on every base ballot and shortens at.

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01:24:29.010 --> 01:24:34.290

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Chris it might be that voters won't notice at all, or just think oh look it's a shirt instructions great.

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01:24:40.380 --> 01:24:48.030

REINA MILLER: Perfect so we'll consider it consider the final documents voted on, or do you guys want to provide me the email that final document.

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01:24:49.380 --> 01:24:49.740

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: um.

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01:24:52.020 --> 01:25:04.890

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I actually suggest that somebody who's not me and who is a lawyer, look at this very carefully and make sure that we have the strikeouts correct because they're probably periods that aren't included correctly.

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01:25:08.880 --> 01:25:20.400

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I would make emotion that the committee allow the secretary of state's staff to review this for technical accuracy and as long as there's no substantive change in the recommendations make those changes to the document.

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01:25:26.730 --> 01:25:29.280

Karen Rhea: Secondary emotion, when you think that's a great idea.

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01:25:37.050 --> 01:25:38.190

REINA MILLER: If anyone against that I.

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01:25:48.780 --> 01:25:51.210

REINA MILLER: will review for technical changes only.

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01:25:55.650 --> 01:26:01.980

REINA MILLER: So I don't think we'll have time for the next agenda item which is the California elections coast division three, which is a live document, I think this covers.

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01:26:02.400 --> 01:26:11.190

REINA MILLER: Basically, that agenda item as well, so we're going to go ahead and move on to public comments and future future agenda items if everyone's okay with that we have nine minutes left.

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01:26:18.870 --> 01:26:28.050

REINA MILLER: And then we currently I did want to quickly say we currently have a tentative meeting for December 16, but that is new law week but I don't think that's going to work for a lot of people.

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01:26:28.650 --> 01:26:34.920

REINA MILLER: So do we want to be in December do want to push it out to January, or what would the committee like to do.

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01:26:37.980 --> 01:26:41.430

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I think that might depend on what we think we're going to tackle next.

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01:26:43.740 --> 01:26:49.170

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Time i've when I think about this, I have two questions, one is are there, issues that have been.

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01:26:49.980 --> 01:26:56.760

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: You know that are so obvious to election officials trying to lay out ballots that might not be obvious to me that we need to get in there, because those seem pretty.

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01:26:57.060 --> 01:27:06.150

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Critical The other is that I believe that we should take a look at all of the provisions about with the with the thing is in columns and stuff like that, because i'm.

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01:27:07.050 --> 01:27:18.630

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I didn't go, I have not yet read it really, really carefully but I suspect that there are places where it's not up to current practice, and that we're going to want to update some of that but slowly and carefully.

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01:27:19.590 --> 01:27:25.470

Raj Bathla SOS: I have a suggestion, it was brought to our knowledge as well to the Secretary of State office that.

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01:27:26.520 --> 01:27:35.220

Raj Bathla SOS: The legislature would like the be deck to review SP 90 and Avi 1416 I know we have talked about this in our first meeting.

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01:27:36.030 --> 01:27:48.180

Raj Bathla SOS: But since those are related to Bella design and format and they would like be deck to review those and provide the recommendation to the committee let's let's committees so.

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01:27:49.320 --> 01:27:53.790

Raj Bathla SOS: Will that be okay if we review those if the committee review those in the next meeting.

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01:27:55.500 --> 01:28:13.020

Natalie Adona: Sure, I mean I think that's fine my only suggestion would be maybe to meet in January, because I feel like December is all going to be about redistricting for for us, as well as new law and it feels like some of these things can possibly wait until January.

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01:28:17.580 --> 01:28:21.270

Nichole Becker: I it's for me it's somebody elections committee can I make a comment.

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01:28:22.890 --> 01:28:23.250

REINA MILLER: sure.

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01:28:23.610 --> 01:28:39.390

Nichole Becker: So I just wanted to jump in there, I I know to summer is a challenging month, but the January is going to me likely the month that one here amy 1416 because it is to your

bill.

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01:28:41.070 --> 01:28:50.130

Nichole Becker: So I would just suggest that if it's possible to me having the meeting in December sure about that I know awesome returned would highly recommend that.

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01:28:51.900 --> 01:28:53.400

Natalie Adona: You do and that's going to.

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01:28:53.520 --> 01:29:05.430

Natalie Adona: Be maybe we can find it a happy medium that's I know I ain't going out of town for for anything because I can't we've got like three people working on elections here.

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01:29:06.480 --> 01:29:09.210

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Can we have the text of this bill circulated to us.

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01:29:11.190 --> 01:29:12.240

REINA MILLER: that's funny I can share those.

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01:29:13.230 --> 01:29:13.470

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: You know.

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01:29:13.500 --> 01:29:14.130

REINA MILLER: To the committee.

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01:29:15.090 --> 01:29:24.330

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: I mean, I know, this involves layout and so I would volunteer to before whenever we talk about it, to try to take a piece of ballot just lay it out, so that we have a visual of what all the.

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01:29:25.410 --> 01:29:29.220

Natalie Adona: Words and I think we've done that, before, but I don't know that we.

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01:29:29.280 --> 01:29:29.700

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Have we.

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01:29:29.880 --> 01:29:32.760

Natalie Adona: Have the most current changes so we.

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01:29:33.780 --> 01:29:38.580

Natalie Adona: Nevada county and I think a couple of other counties provided sample ballot.

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01:29:40.260 --> 01:29:50.820

Natalie Adona: The CA CEO ledge committee for early versions of I think it was asked be 90 it might it might have been the other bill.

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01:29:52.350 --> 01:29:57.390

Natalie Adona: But you know we can certainly pull those out if we, we need to.

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01:29:58.170 --> 01:30:01.830

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Certain was really something something that came off a real voting system will be better than something.

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01:30:01.830 --> 01:30:02.250

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: That I knew.

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01:30:03.480 --> 01:30:08.490

Natalie Adona: What about the first week of January is that going to be too late.

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01:30:10.230 --> 01:30:15.030

Nichole Becker: I say let's kind of calendar That said, my.

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01:30:16.590 --> 01:30:18.810

Nichole Becker: For I mean.

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01:30:20.550 --> 01:30:20.850

Nichole Becker: It.

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01:30:22.080 --> 01:30:28.350

Nichole Becker: You know kind of close for our committee will probably, we need to hear on the bill before January 14.

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01:30:31.860 --> 01:30:34.800

Nichole Becker: Obviously the vulcan me worked on.

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01:30:37.320 --> 01:30:53.670

Nichole Becker: asked her hearing, I, but I just had to take a little bit because it was a request from both of the election shares and usually we like to have sort of the policies policy discussion in the policy committee.

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01:30:56.070 --> 01:31:00.390

Nichole Becker: I understand that sort of timing is a bit awkward.

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01:31:02.520 --> 01:31:11.160

Natalie Adona: Z I mean i'm looking there to a new law happens, a week of December 13 the next week after that is Christmas.

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01:31:12.840 --> 01:31:15.390

Natalie Adona: And on the 27th were supposed to.

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01:31:15.390 --> 01:31:15.870

Get.

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01:31:17.190 --> 01:31:27.450

Natalie Adona: maps from the state or you know sort of soon thereafter so i'm guessing I mean Is it too soon to me like the week of the sixth of December.

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01:31:31.620 --> 01:31:36.630

Natalie Adona: I mean, I get what you're saying i'm just trying to be realistic and especially for small teams like mine.

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01:31:36.930 --> 01:31:40.290

Natalie Adona: you're really able to sort of be there.

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01:31:43.560 --> 01:31:47.460

Nichole Becker: And I understand I am I wish I can do something about that.

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01:31:49.500 --> 01:31:53.640

Nichole Becker: Here is always so much faster than the first year, unfortunately.

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01:31:54.900 --> 01:31:55.230

Nichole Becker: I.

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01:31:56.250 --> 01:32:00.810

Nichole Becker: know if I may just back up for a second we need there and natalie there was a mockup that.

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01:32:01.920 --> 01:32:03.840

Nichole Becker: Ryan Rocco had forwarded me.

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01:32:05.160 --> 01:32:08.040

Nichole Becker: So I can share that if that's helpful.

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01:32:09.960 --> 01:32:10.770

Natalie Adona: yeah yeah.

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01:32:12.240 --> 01:32:21.270

Liz Oviedo: natalie in Santa Clara county we also on I put we gather and prepare and presented to our board because they.

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01:32:22.080 --> 01:32:40.830

Liz Oviedo: They were looking to see if it could be implemented or not, or if our county was going to support it, and so we do have mark on balance, as well, and then report will appear so we can present that or share it as well.

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01:32:42.210 --> 01:33:00.630

REINA MILLER: And i'm Sorry, I have a very quick comment, so we have to take in consideration that we have to post the agenda 10 days before too, so if we were to post an agenda tomorrow as soon as we can have a meeting with probably be December 2 so we have to keep that in mind as well.

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01:33:01.110 --> 01:33:04.080

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: So what if we went for December December 9.

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01:33:07.380 --> 01:33:09.150

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: Just move it back to the week before nola.

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01:33:11.520 --> 01:33:14.880

REINA MILLER: And maybe it makes this, the only agenda item, maybe.

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01:33:15.090 --> 01:33:15.780

REINA MILLER: That way.

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01:33:16.140 --> 01:33:17.220

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: yeah yeah.

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01:33:18.330 --> 01:33:25.020

REINA MILLER: So it should be one yeah anyone from the committee, they could quickly look at their calendars and let us know if the ninth would not work.

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01:33:27.030 --> 01:33:37.710

REINA MILLER: Probably same time to keep it easy to 34 morning i've only met up to the committee.

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01:33:44.250 --> 01:33:45.660

Annette Lim, Yolo: redistricting at 10.

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01:33:46.980 --> 01:33:47.370

Annette Lim, Yolo: So.

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01:33:47.880 --> 01:33:49.110  
Natalie Adona: I think 230 works.

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01:33:52.230 --> 01:33:55.920  
Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: I would probably need to go later than 230 for my.

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01:33:59.070 --> 01:34:00.000  
REINA MILLER: leader like.

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01:34:00.630 --> 01:34:04.800  
Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: Like three would work but to 32 types, based on my calendar.

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01:34:06.180 --> 01:34:08.490  
REINA MILLER: About three o'clock on the night, but the summer.

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01:34:14.730 --> 01:34:16.950  
Taylor Kayatta: Two hours worth of people, or do we want to do 90 minutes.

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01:34:24.030 --> 01:34:25.260  
Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: 90 minutes.

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01:34:26.400 --> 01:34:26.520  
Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: or.

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01:34:30.420 --> 01:34:31.470  
Joanna Francescut, Shasta County: 60 minutes.

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01:34:34.050 --> 01:34:35.490  
Travis Ebbert, Contra Costa Elections: Once going twice.

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01:34:36.510 --> 01:34:38.610  
REINA MILLER: December 9:30pm for 90 minutes.



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01:34:40.560 --> 01:34:54.150

REINA MILLER: And I won't find a sentence, the only agenda item I don't think I need unless natalie Johnny you guys want to see the agenda with the SP on the html but that's basically what the agenda would look like, and I can go ahead and start that so we compose.

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01:34:56.280 --> 01:34:56.640

Natalie Adona: The.

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01:34:56.700 --> 01:35:02.640

Whitney Quesenbery, Civic Design: If we ask this to do a presentation of whatever calculus is that needs to be noticed or is that just part of discussion.

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01:35:03.480 --> 01:35:12.240

REINA MILLER: it's related to the bill, so I would say, part of the agenda item and then that's Nicole and presented with the other goal could submit to me, the most recent updates.

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REINA MILLER: or any information that way I can gather it and and send it out to the committee or possibly attach it to the agenda, so it could be easily accessed by everyone attending that would be helpful.

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Nichole Becker: Thank you very much.

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REINA MILLER: Great we're going to go ahead and end this meeting on December 9 3pm will be our next meeting Thank you everyone.

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01:35:37.710 --> 01:35:38.520

Raj Bathla SOS: Thank you guys.