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Subject: RE: PBS reports census data delayed
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Brian,

I reached out to LTSB and they confirmed that they just received notice from the Census of the delay, stating:

*The Redistricting Data will be delivered to official state recipients **after** July 31, 2021. We continue to work on the redistricting data schedule and will provide more precise delivery dates within the coming weeks.*

Local redistricting could not start until at least August 1. However, they advised that Wisconsin has historically not been one of the first to receive the data, generally in the middle of the pack. So, the start data would likely be even later. The LTSB is working on a communication to municipalities and counties. Other than the start date being delayed I don't see it changing the designated time period for each phase of the redistricting process.

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Hey, Pam, Fred

Please see PBS news article below. "A top census bureau official" says Congressional apportionment data won't be available until April 30, and state and local redistricting data "won't happen before the end of July."

<https://www.pbs.org/newshour/nation/census-data-for-congressional-seats-still-months-away>

Can each of you please reach out to your contacts in the Census Bureau and confirm? This obviously has enormous implications for our work with the Redistricting Commission.

NOTE: The Dane County Planning & Development Department office is currently closed in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Staff are working remotely and can be reached via email during regular business hours. This is the best way to communicate with our staff. We're also checking voicemail throughout the day, so please don't hesitate to call, and we'll get back to you as soon as possible. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

More information and updates can be found on our website: <https://danecountyplanning.com/>

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