ALABAMA

STATE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS

105 HOUSE SEATS



35 SENATE SEATS

WHO DRAWS THE DISTRICTS?

STATE LEGISLATURE

HOW ARE DISTRICTS DRAWN?

Process

- State legislature draws the lines
- Governor can veto the plan

State-Level Criteria

- Contiguity for Senate districts
 - For Senate, follow county boundaries when practicable
 - No multimember Senate districts
- Population for Senate districts to be as nearly equal as possible

Public Hearings • No redistricting-specific provisions

Timing

- Completed during the first legislative session after the decennial census
- Legislative districts not to be changed until next decennial apportionment session

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

7 SEATS

through 2020. Projected after reapportionment: 6 **Process**

• Same as for state legislative districts

State-Level Criteria

None

Timing

No deadline

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