



**2021 Transition Timeline**

**Nominating Committee**

3/24/2021	Nominating committee biographies due to Council President
3/26/2021	Council President reviews/approves
3/31/2021	Deadline for Nominating Committee chairs and committees recruited
4/1/2021  (NC Meeting 1)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. NC begins to meet.</li> <li>2. DE trains and orients NC</li> <li>3. NC reviews officers (District Chair + Vice Chairs), and committee members performance against annual district goals</li> <li>4. NC develops "Short-List"</li> </ol>
4/15/2021  (NC Meeting 2)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. NC Committee reviews progress</li> <li>2. NC Continues to work "Short-List."</li> <li>3. NC continues to recruit</li> </ol>
5/1/2021 – 5/31/2021  (NC meeting 3 & 4)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. NC reviews progress</li> <li>2. NC Continues to work "Short-List."</li> <li>3. NC continues to recruit.</li> <li>4. 5/15 deadline to submit prospects for slate.</li> <li>5. 5/15 deadline for notification of June Business meeting to be sent</li> </ol>
6/1/2021 – 6/30/2021	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. NC finalizes recruitments and slate.</li> <li>2. NC finalizes slate for vote at June Business Meeting</li> <li>3. 6/15 – 6/30 Business meeting to occur in new district to ratify recommendations of the district nominating committee.</li> </ol>
7/1/2021	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. New District Operations begin</li> </ol>

**Transition Recommendations – "Legacy Districts"**

**Unit Service**

It is important that we maintain the highest level of unit support possible during the transition process. In some cases, the units that a particular unit commissioner serves may end up in more than one district. As new districts are put together, new District Commissioners will review commissioner staff assignments and make unit assignment changes as necessary. During the 3-month transition phase, we ask that you continue to serve units as you have until these changes are made.

**Roundtables**

It is, again, important that we maintain the highest level of unit support possible during the transition process. During the 3-month transition phase, we ask that legacy district roundtables continue as they have up until this point. In the meantime, teams for the new districts are recommended to begin meeting and forming to begin planning District program kick-offs in August of 2021.



### **District Committee**

The council alignment committee recommends that the “Legacy District” continue to provide support to operations during the transition in advancement, finance, activities and training.

Committee functions for the membership and camping committees are recommended to begin collaboration as a newly formed team on April 1, 2021.

### **Finance**

Our council goal is to have 2021 FOS campaign wrapped up by May 31, 2021 and no later than June 30, 2021. The FOS campaign will be complete prior to official launch of district operations July 1, 2021. Starting July 1, 2021, past prospects/donors will be moved into new district structure and history for new districts will be formed. Goals will be set off that history. The council strategic plan calls for an increase in FOS annually.

### **Activities**

We recognize and appreciate all the hard work our dedicated Scouters have provided to our programs. We want to honor the history and tradition in each of our “Legacy Districts” by providing our Scouts BSA and Cub Scout leaders an opportunity to celebrate the history of their “Legacy District” one last time through these scheduled activities. All programs that are on the “Legacy District” calendar through June 30, 2021 are recommended to still happen through the legacy districts.

Activities for the Fall of 2021 are suggested to happen through new combined committees that begin planning as soon as the April 1, 2021 the new district structure launches.

### **Training**

Our committee recognizes the importance of supporting our adult leaders and hope to provide as much consistency in programming and leadership during the transition from “Legacy Districts” to our new council structure. As such, the Council Alignment Committee recommends that adult training programs continue as planned and scheduled by “Legacy District” teams through June 30, 2021.

### **Advancement**

Our Scouts have been and continue to be at the center of every decision made by the Council Alignment Committee has made. The critical necessity of continuing to deliver the advancement program throughout the transition period cannot be understated. As such, the recommendation of the Council Alignment Committee is that units continued to be served through the “Legacy District” structure until June 30, 2021. As of July 1 2021, the newly elected district committees can assume communications and responsibilities for the newly formed districts of the Simon Kenton Council.

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**Transition Recommendations – “New Districts”**

**Membership**

Early 2021 membership has been challenging in so many ways not the least of which is the decrease in membership. In the last 18 months, the Simon Kenton Council has dropped from a council serving slightly over 18,000 youth and 4,500 adult leaders to a projected 7,500 youth and 2,750 adults. With this, the Council Alignment Committee recommends the immediate (4/1/2021) formation of membership committees in the new district structure that can begin planning and executing Spring Recruitment efforts, the revival of units that have dropped due to the pandemic and a separated Scout reengagement campaign.

**Camping**

As most Scouts BSA units have made their 2021 summer camp decisions, the official recommendation is the formation of the Council Camping Committee to begin April 1, 2021. This will allow the needed time to form the committee and to develop the plan needed to present all of the camping opportunities available to our Scouts at our local properties and through our activities committees with Day Camp.

**DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION (ALL DISTRICTS & COLUMBUS CITY SCHOOLS)**

**NORTH**

- Big Walnut Local
- Buckeye Valley Local
- Columbus City
- Delaware City
- Dublin City
- Fairbanks Local
- Jonathan Alder Local
- Marysville Exempted Village
- New Albany-Plain Local
- North Union Local School District
- Olentangy Local
- Westerville City



**SOUTH**

- Adams County Ohio Valley Local
- Adena Local
- Bloom-Vernon Local
- Bright Local
- Chillicothe City
- Circleville City
- Clay Local
- Eastern Local School District
- Fairfield Local
- Green Local
- Greenfield Exempted Village
- Greenup County
- Hillsboro City
- Huntington Local
- Ironton City School District
- Jackson City
- Logan Elm Local
- Lynchburg-Clay Local
- Manchester Local
- Miami Trace Local
- Minford Local
- New Boston Local
- Northwest Local
- Oak Hill Union Local
- Paint Valley Local
- Portsmouth City
- Raceland-Worthington Independent
- Rock Hill Local
- Russell Independent
- Scioto Valley Local
- Southeastern Local
- Union-Scioto Local
- Valley Local
- Vinton County Local
- Washington Court House City
- Washington-Nile Local
- Waverly City
- Wellston City
- Western Local
- Wheelersburg Local
- Zane Trace Local

**EAST**

- Alexander Local
- Amanda-Clearcreek Local
- Athens City
- Berne Union Local
- Bexley City
- Bloom-Carroll Local
- Canal Winchester Local
- Columbus City
- Fairfield Union Local
- Federal Hocking Local
- Gahanna-Jefferson City
- Granville Exempted Village
- Heath City
- Johnstown-Monroe Local
- Lakewood Local
- Lancaster City
- Liberty Union-Thurston Local
- Licking Heights Local
- Licking Valley Local
- Logan-Hocking Local
- Nelsonville-York City
- Newark City
- North Fork Local
- Northridge Local
- Pickerington Local
- Reynoldsburg City
- Southwest Licking Local
- Trimble Local
- Walnut Township Local
- Whitehall City

**WEST**

- Columbus City
- Grandview Heights Schools
- Groveport Madison Local
- Hamilton Local
- Hilliard City
- Jefferson Local
- London City
- Madison-Plains Local
- South-Western City
- Teays Valley Local
- Upper Arlington City
- Westfall Local
- Worthington City



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