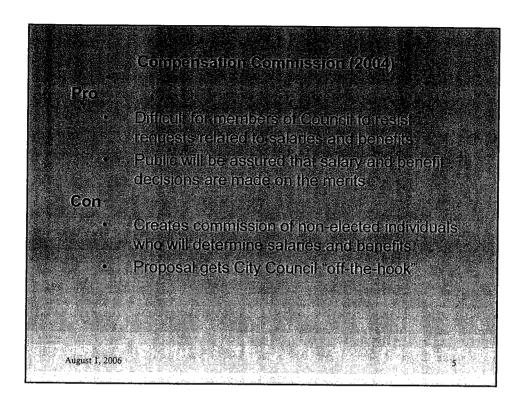
Charter Amendment Committee 2004 Government Reform Task Force Recommendations Redistricting Commission & Independent Compensation Commission City Clerk Recommendation Changing Election Cycles

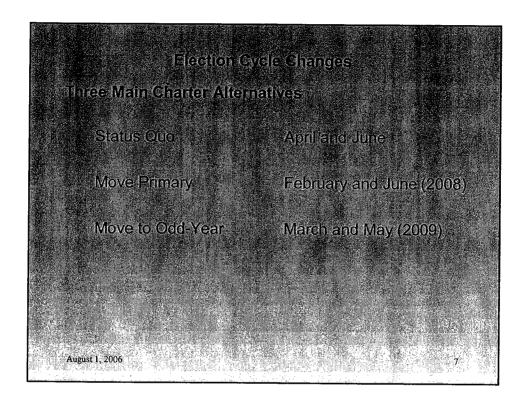
Redistricting Commission (2004) Purpose: Oh-a decennial basis (beginning in 2001) Tedraw district boundary lines, by majority vote followed by referendum: Membership Selection (by lot) of 5 retired LA County judges drawn from list by CSULB President: If referendum does not pass Commission would have to adopt a new plan within 120 days California Supreme Court would have exclusive state court jurisdiction to review legality of the plan. Commission would be required to solicit public comment and hold hearings

Redistricting Commission (2002) P (e) Solves difficult problem that Council members are put inc Public will be assured that decisions are made on the merits Commission made up of ordinary citizens Commission would use standards that comply with existing law Commission would be authorized to employ and contract for staff Takes away from members of Council ending current conflict of interests: insures fair and equal representation: avoids secret and adverse relations amongst Council colleagues Con Added administrative costs August 1, 2006

Purpose: Set salaries for all Elected Officials via public incerings • Modeled after California Citizens Compensation Commission • Membership: no specifics provided



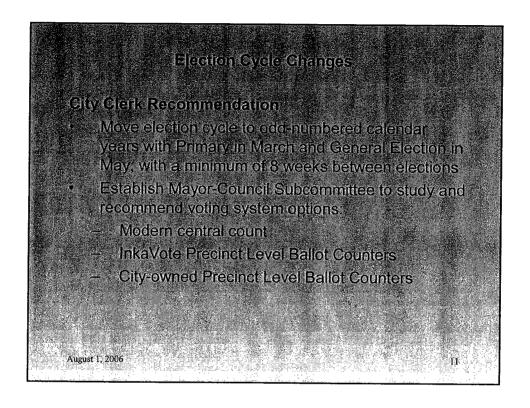
Election Cycle Changes April-June election cycle brings Still Voting Locations Two Voting Systems VoteTuesday Education Program City Employee Poll Workers City-County Coordination Costs Shortage of Poil Workers



Move Primary February and June (2008) Pro Allows use of InkAVote Plus in February Allows placement of run-off candidates on one ballot inclune Pending County testing and use in Nevember 2006 Avoids City purchase of Federal compliant equipment Sample Ballot and Official Ballot Convenience Con Treatment of write-in candidates is cumbersome Cost for use not yet determined Requires further evaluation by County re: listed candidates Campaign filing begins in mid-October of preceding year Additional 6 weeks of campaign costs for run-off candidates

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Voting System Considerations • Touch-screen voting is not an alternative • Voting system enhancement alternatives • Purchase modern "central count" technology (\$650K to \$950K) • Rent/purchase precinct level ballot system via: • Los Angeles County and the "upgraded" InkaVote Precinct Level Ballot Counters (cost of rental not yet determined); or • Purchase City-owned Precinct Level Ballot Counters (\$1.4 to \$2.4 million)



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November 2006	Consolidated With L.A. Co.	\$350,000 \$400,000
Spring 2007	6 th Council (special election)	\$75,000-\$100.000
April 2008	Even Districts (standalone)	\$650,000-\$750,000
April 2010	Citywide (standalone)	\$850,000-\$950,000