## Rescheduled to Thursday, March 22, 2018

Board of Election Commissioners Meeting Wednesday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018 6:30 p.m.

**Esther Howland Chamber, City Hall** 

Call to Order by the Chairperson

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Approval of the Minutes of the February 21st Meeting

**Old Business:** 

- 1. Update concerning the 2020 U.S. Federal Census.
- 2. Update concerning the implementation of Early Voting (EV) for the November 6, 2018 State Election.
- 3. Update concerning state reimbursement of early voting costs for the 2016 Election.

**New Business:** 

4. Update concerning the construction of shelving in Room 208.

**Next Meeting Date:** 

**Adjournment:** 

# The 2020 Census Local Update of Census Addresses Operation (LUCA)



LUCA is the only opportunity offered to tribal, state, and local governments to review and comment on the U.S. Census Bureau's residential address list for their jurisdiction prior to the 2020 Census. The Census Bureau relies on a complete and accurate address list to reach every living quarters and associated population for inclusion in the census.



#### Why participate in LUCA?

- To help ensure an accurate decennial census count in your community.
- To help the federal government distribute more than \$400 billion in funds annually for infrastructure, programs, and services.
- To help your community plan for future needs.

#### Who can participate in LUCA?

Active, functioning, legal governments can participate in LUCA. These include:

- Federally recognized tribes with a reservation and/or off-reservation trust lands.
- States.
- Counties.
- Cities (incorporated places).
- Townships (minor civil divisions).

If you are unable to participate in LUCA, you may designate an alternate reviewer for your government, such as your county, state data center, or regional planning agency.



### Schedule

 January 2017: Advance notification of LUCA mailed to the highest elected official (HEO) or Tribal Chairperson (TC) of all eligible governments and other LUCA contacts.

- March 2017: LUCA promotional workshops begin.
- July 2017: Invitation letter and registration forms mailed to the HEO or TC of all eligible governments.
- October 2017: Training workshops begin. Self-training aids and Webinars will be available online at the LUCA Web site.
- February 2018: Participation materials mailed to registered participants. Participants have 120 calendar days from the receipt of materials to complete their review.
- August 2019: Feedback materials offered to participants with the results of Address Canvassing.
- April 1, 2020: Census Day.

For more information about LUCA, call 1-844-344-0169, e-mail us at <GEO.2020.LUCA@census.gov>, or visit our Web site at <www.census.gov/qeo/partnerships/luca.html>.