

**Symposium on “Lines in the Sand”
And
The 2003 Congressional Redistricting in Texas
March 2, 2007**

Location: Eidman Courtroom, University of Texas School of Law

8:45 am. Introduction

9:00 am. Panel 1: **The 2003 Redistricting Process**

Chair: Professor Larry Sager, Dean of the University of Texas Law School

Participants: Senator Robert Duncan; Representative Pete Gallego; Former Lieutenant Governor Bill Ratliff; Senator Jeff Wentworth; and Senator Royce West.

10:40 am. Break

10:50 am. Panel 2: **The 2002 Election Campaign and the Criminal Prosecutions**

Chair: Professor George Dix, George R. Killam Jr. Chair of Criminal Law (University of Texas)

Participants: Defense Attorneys Dick DeGuerin, Roy Minton, and J.D. Pauerstein; and Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle.

12:30 pm. Lunch in the Sheffield Room (Limited Seating Available – Requiring attendance by invitation only). Steve Bickerstaff will discuss his book.

1: 30 pm. Panel 3: **The Civil Litigation**

Chair: Bob Heath, Austin attorney

Participants: Attorneys Nina Perales (MALDEF); Gerald Hebert (Counsel for Democratic delegation); Cris Feldman (Represented plaintiffs in TRMPAC and District 22 litigation). The Attorney General’s Office has asked that the following statement be added to this schedule: "The symposium organizers invited the State to participate on the panel, but the Office of the Attorney General declined the invitation."

3:10 pm. Break

3:20 pm Panel 4: **The Legal Implications**

Chair: Professor Sandy Levinson, W. St. John Centennial Chair (University of Texas)

Participants: Professor Sam Isaacharoff, Bonnie and Richard Reiss Professor of Constitutional Law (New York University); Professor Nate Persily, Professor of Election Law (University of Pennsylvania); Professor Scot Powe, Anne Green Regents Chair in Law (University of Texas); and Professor Ernie Young, Charles Alan Wright Chair in Federal Courts (Texas)

5:00 pm. Reception

Please note that some adjustments may be necessary in this schedule and the participants at the time of the symposium.