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S.F. No. 2409 – Requirements for publishing redistricting plans

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Under current law, the revisor of statutes is required to code in statute a metes and bounds description of redistricting plans once they are enacted. **S.F. 2409** removes this requirement and replaces it with the requirement that the Geographic Information Services (GIS) Office of the Legislative Coordinating Commission (LCC) publish on its website a plan components report for each district. A plan components report must include the names and populations of the counties in each district. If a county is split between districts, the report must include the names and populations of the split county and each of the county's whole or partial cities, townships, unorganized territories, precincts, and census blocks within each district.

For reference, you may see the plan components report from the 2012 redistricting plan for Senate districts here: https://www.gis.leg.mn/redist2010/Legislative/L2012/reports/senate/plan_cmp.pdf.