



# ***Municipal Boundary Working Group Update***

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## Census Geospatial Highlights

- 2020 Census geospatial resources were released on January 26, 2021  
<https://www.census.gov/geographies/mapping-files/time-series/geo/tiger-line-file.html>
- Recommended Changes to the 2010 Census Standards for Delineating Metropolitan and Micropolitan Statistical Areas Federal Register Notice released on January 19, 2021  
<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/01/19/2021-00988/recommendations-from-the-metropolitan-and-micropolitan-statistical-area-standards-review-committee>
- 2021 Boundary Annexation Survey materials have been mailed  
Boundaries reported by March 1 will be reflected in 2021 Census estimates

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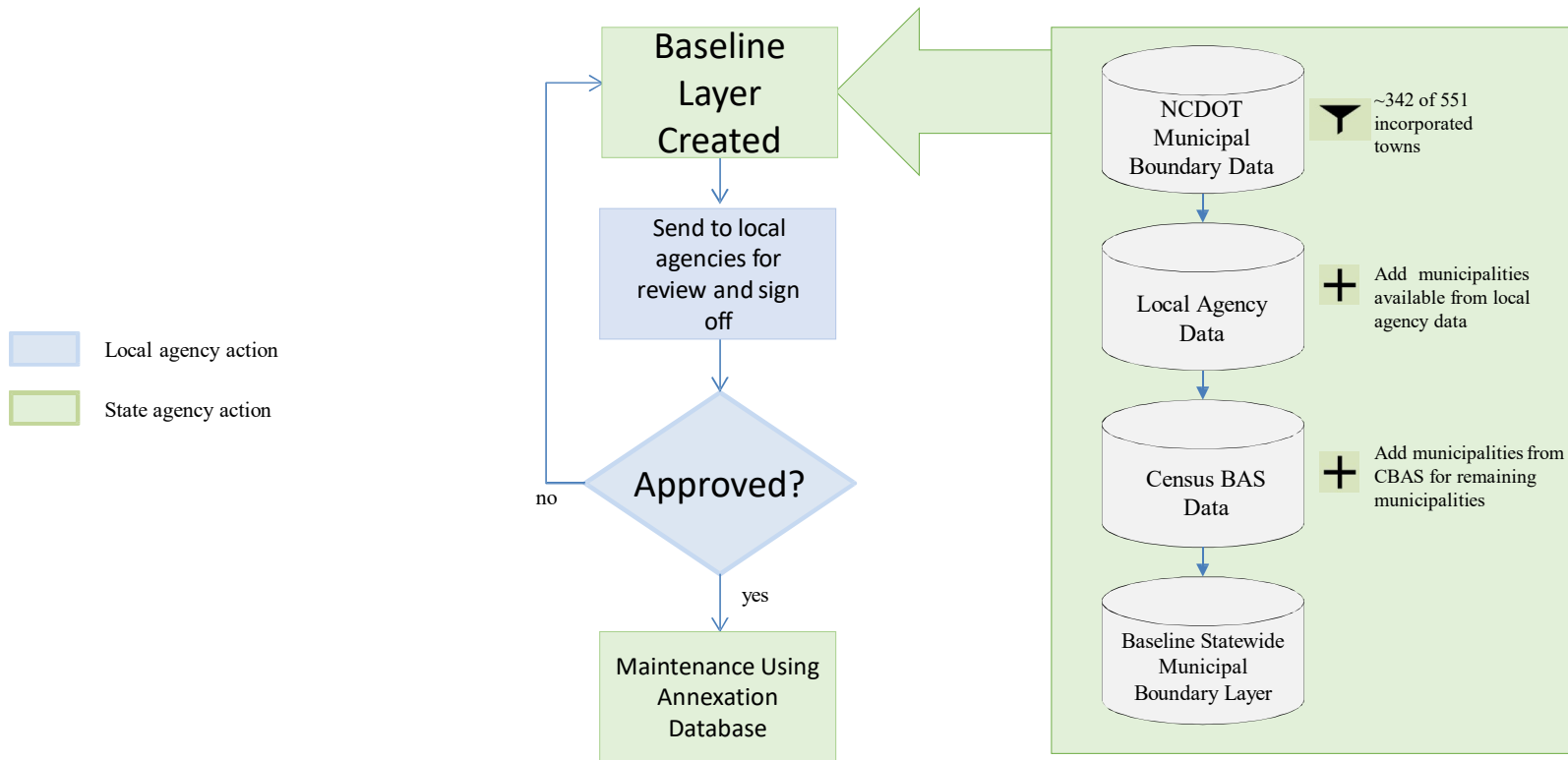


## Statewide Municipal Boundary Resource Goals

- Maintain a single municipal boundary resource to serve the needs of emergency management, state agencies, US Census Bureau, and other stakeholders.
- Streamline the boundary change reporting process and reduce reporting burden on local governments.
- Provide regular review and quality control opportunities for all partners
- Pilot test of procedures was successful.



# Baseline Municipal Boundary Layer Creation Process





## Statewide Municipal Boundary – Next Steps

- Finalize and document municipal boundary database design and submit to the GICC Statewide Mapping Advisory Committee.
  - Working Group meeting in March
  - SMAC meeting in April
  - Database design goal – Summer 2021
- Create baseline municipal boundary layer
  - Staff workload considerations in processing



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