

## The Timeline of Events

### Regarding the Conversations about Churches Transferring Presbyteries

March 15 – San Diego Presbytery Council asked the Executive Presbyter to pull together an informal group to discuss impact/possible responses of our presbytery to changes going on in our denomination related to Amendment 10A (changes in fidelity and chastity), the possible new Form of Government (nFOG), and the Middle Governing Body Commission

March 17 – Executive Presbyter's meeting in Anaheim about new discussions emerging that some congregations in our synod might want to transfer to other presbyteries

April 1 – Executive Presbyter was informed that the session of the Glenkirk Church in Glendora had voted that they would like to transfer to the Presbytery of San Diego

April 6 – Discussion at regular monthly Executive Presbyter's meeting with new synod executive/stated clerk Doska Ross about March 17 meeting

April 6 – Executive Presbyter received a request from the session of First Pres Honolulu for a couple of people to visit with them about a possible transfer to our presbytery

April 14 – First meeting of the Next Wave group – discussion of possible presbytery responses to denominational happenings, Glenkirk session request, Honolulu session invitation

April 16 – Regular presbytery meeting – Executive Presbyter's address about denominational changes and information that two churches might want to transfer to us

April 18-20 – Clark Cowden, Mike McClenahan, and Bob Davis visit with Honolulu First staff and session

April 19 – Honolulu First session surprisingly votes to transfer to San Diego

April 25 – Mike McClenahan and Bob Davis visit with elders from Glenkirk and Covina First (at their request) to discuss a possible transfer

April 26 – Discussion of transfer possibilities with Committee on Ministry

May 3 – Next Wave group meets with Executive Committee of Council to give update

May 8 – Honolulu First has congregational meeting – unanimous vote to transfer to San Diego

May 15 – Glenkirk has congregational meeting – 97% vote to transfer to San Diego, Covina First has town hall meeting to discuss transfer with congregation (session had already voted to recommend transfer)

May 17 – Presbytery Council meeting – Council discusses related issues, votes to make the Next Wave group an official task force

May 24 – Further conversation with Committee on Ministry

May 25 – Executive Presbyter and Stated Clerk attend a meeting at Pacific Presbytery office in LA with people from the synod, Pacific Presbytery, Santa Barbara Presbytery, and San Gabriel presbytery, along with Tod Bolsinger from the Middle Governing Body Commission and Gradye Parsons, stated clerk of the General Assembly, to discuss how to handle possible church transfers

May 31 – Presbytery conversation

June 1 – Continued conversation at monthly synod Executive Presbyter's meeting

June 3 – Pacific Presbytery Council votes to recommend that their presbytery approve the transfer of Honolulu First to San Diego and Malibu to Santa Barbara

June 7 – Next Wave Task Force meeting

June 21 – Presbytery meeting – AC to do background work and bring back recommendations on churches wanting to transfer in is approve 73-9 or 89% - 11%

July 9 – Presbytery of Pacific voted to transfer Honolulu to the Presbytery of San Diego

Clark Cowden 6/8/11