

Key Dates	LUCA Events
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 to July 2017	<p>LUCA promotional workshops in person and via webinar are conducted.</p> <p>Send Contact Information Form back or call 1-844-344-0169 to make sure you are in our contact list.</p> <p>Review Census Bureau's count of residential addresses by census block for your government to get an idea of how much work will be needed.</p>
July 2018	Invitation letter and registration forms mailed to the HEO or TC of all eligible Governments the 2 nd week in July.
October 2017 to December 2017	<p>Technical Training Workshops in person and Webinars. Self-training aids and Webinars will be available online at the LUCA website.</p> <p>Prepare for LUCA program by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reviewing Census Bureau's count of residential addresses by census block for your government. • Using census geocoder to add census tract and block to your addresses. • Ensuring that your address list contains individual multi-unit structure identifiers (Apt 1, Apt 2). • Identifying local address sources such as building permits, E-911 address files, local utility records, annexation records, and assessment or taxation files
December 15, 2017	Last day to register for the LUCA program.
February 2018 to April 2018	Participation materials mailed to registered participants in February. Participants have 120 calendar days from the receipt of materials to complete their review.
August 2019 to September 2019	Feedback materials offered to participants with the results of Address Canvassing.

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April 2018 to April 2020	2020 Census Ramp up Activities. Become a Census 2020 Partner! Promote and encourage Census 2020 participation. Receive a partnership toolkit! Invite us to participate in your conference, meeting or events to offer data workshops and discuss upcoming 2020 Census activities.
April 1, 2020	Census Day

LUCA Website:

<https://www.census.gov/geo/partnerships/luca.html>

LUCA Email:

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LUCA Phone Number:

1-844-344-0169

LUCA FAQ:

https://www2.census.gov/geo/pdfs/partnerships/luca/2020LUCA_FAQ.pdf

Uses of Census Data:

- **Apportion** seats in the House of Representatives.
- **Draw** congressional and state legislative districts, school districts and voting precincts.
- **Enforce** voting rights and civil rights legislation.
- **Distribute** 400 billion annually in federal funds to state and local governments for over 1000 programs.
- **Inform** federal, tribal, state, and local government planning decisions.
- **Inform** business and nonprofit organization decisions (e.g., where to locate, size of the market).
- **Provide** population benchmark for nearly every other United States survey.
- **Provide** statistical support to fund community projects, improvements, and enhancements.
- **Help** your community plan for future needs.