

1 super counties, regions or whatever you want to call them.  
2 Simply authorize the Legislature to do it in the future  
3 if the need arises. That is one approach. The other  
4 approach is create in the Constitution the framework,  
5 not the detail, but the framework of a regional  
6 government and provide that if the Legislature in any  
7 given area does not call it into being, then either  
8 the governments of the participating counties can call  
9 it into being or the voters in those counties can call  
10 it into being. Now this we have laid open for convenience  
11 the dormant region of government approach. Now in order  
12 to make it effective since you can't authorize the  
13 people to call into being something without at least a  
14 structure, this would mean that you would provide in  
15 the Constitution that the Legislature must divide the  
16 State into regions, always giving the Legislature  
17 control to change the regions whenever they want and  
18 since you can't mandamus the Legislature to do something  
19 you would have to provide that if the Legislature  
20 within a certain time does not provide regions, then  
21 here they are. Therefore, the second policy question