Orange County Committee on School District Organization

Adjustment to Orange County Board of Education Trustee Area Boundaries Following 2020 Census

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11.	12/1/21	Option 10	Submitted by MALDEF. Considered by OCBE on December 1, 2021.
12.	12/3/21	Option 9A	Submitted by Billie Joe Wright.

13.	12/8/21	OCBOS	Redistricting Map adopted by the Orange County Board of Supervisors. Provided as a reference.

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ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION
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AGENDA FOR THE ANNUAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Monday, November 8, 2021
6:00 p.m.

Meeting Location
Orange County Department of Education
Board Room
200 Kalmus Drive
Costa Mesa, CA 92626

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1. Call to Order
2. Flag Salute
3. Roll Call
4. Adoption of Agenda (ACTION)
5. Acceptance of Minutes – December 16, 2020 (ACTION)
6. New Business:

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A. Annual Organizational Meeting

1. Nominating Committee results and welcome of elected returning members:
   (a) 1st Supervisorial District member – Jo-Ann Purcell
   (b) 4th Supervisorial District member – Jackie Filbeck
   (c) 5th Supervisorial District member – Sheila Benecke

2. Administer Oath of Office for returning members

3. Election of Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson. (ACTION)

7. Old Business:

A. Update on District Elections By-Trustee Area

B. Update on Transfer of Territory from the Orange Unified School District to the Tustin Unified School District (Panorama Heights II): Orange Unified School District Appeal

8. Discussion Items:

A. Santa Ana Unified School District's anticipated proposal to establish trustee areas and change to a by-trustee area method of election

B. Legislative Update and Decennial Federal Census Data Adjustment to Trustee Area Boundaries

9. Presentations from the Public: Not to exceed 3 minutes per person/ 30 minutes total
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10. Next Meeting: To Be Determined

11. Adjournment

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ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION
REVISED MINUTES
Annual Organizational Meeting
November 8, 2021

1. CALL TO ORDER — ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

The Annual Organizational Meeting of the Orange County Committee on School District Organization was called to order by Chairperson Sheila Benecke at 6:05 p.m., November 8, 2021 in the Board Room of the Orange County Department of Education, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California, 92626.

2. FLAG SALUTE — The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Jo-Ann Purcell.

3. ROLL CALL — Chairperson Benecke asked Ms. Laurie Weiss if she would take roll.

Present:

Sheila Benecke, Chairperson	Marilyn Buchi
Meg Cutuli	Jackie Filbeck
Karin Freeman, Vice-Chairperson	Kathleen Heard
Jo-Ann Purcell	Francine Scinto
Suzie Swartz	Virginia Wilson

Absent:
Kathy Moffatt

Brief introduction by each County Committee member and Orange County Department of Education staff who were present, which included: Howard Marinier, Laurie Weiss, Jeff Riel, Ruth Brewda, and Dean West.

4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA — Motion by Meg Cutuli, seconded by Karin Freeman, and carried by unanimous vote of all members present to adopt the agenda as presented.

5. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES — Motion by Marilyn Buchi, seconded by Virginia Wilson, and carried by unanimous vote of all members present, approving the County Committee minutes of the December 16, 2020 meeting.

Chairperson Benecke noted that no members of the public were present for public comment.

6. NEW BUSINESS

A. Annual Organizational Meeting

1. Chairperson Benecke asked Mr. Howard Marinier, Secretary to the County Committee, to please report on the results from the Nominating Committee meeting.

Mr. Marinier stated that on Wednesday, October 27, 2021, the Nominating Committee met for the annual County Committee elections. Elections were held for the 1st, 4th, and 5th Supervisorial member seats. Nominating Committee Members were given the option to vote via absentee or traditional in person paper ballot. In all, 28 ballots were cast, 16 ballots were cast via absentee, and 12 ballots were cast in-person.

Mr. Marinier then congratulated the re-elected members:

- Jo-Ann Purcell representing the 1st Supervisorial District
- Jackie Filbeck representing the 4th Supervisorial District
- Sheila Benecke representing the 5th Supervisorial District

2. Chairperson Benecke asked Ms. Karin Freeman, Vice Chairperson to administer the oath of office to re-elected members who were present: Jo-Ann Purcell, Jackie Filbeck, and Sheila Benecke. The Committee congratulated the re-elected members. Ms. Freeman administered the oath.

3. Mr. Marinier then sought nominations for the position of Chairperson. A nomination was made by Virginia Wilson for Sheila Benecke to continue to serve as Chairperson, seconded by Suzie Swartz, and carried by unanimous vote of all members present.

   Chairperson Benecke then conducted the election for Vice-Chairperson. A nomination was made by Virginia Wilson for Karin Freeman to continue as Vice-Chairperson, seconded by Suzie Swartz, and carried by unanimous vote of all members present.

7. OLD BUSINESS

A. Update on District Elections By-Trustee Area

Chairperson Benecke asked Mr. Marinier to give the County Committee an update on the District Elections By-Trustee Area.

Mr. Marinier reported that each County Committee member was provided a document entitled "Orange County Method of Voting for District Governing Boards," which lists all Orange County K-12 school districts, community college districts, and the County Board of Education, as well as the method of election. Mr. Marinier also reported that currently, nine of the thirty-two K-12 school districts and community college districts elect their governing board by the at-large method of election. Of the nine districts, four are elementary school districts, one is a high school district, three are unified school districts, and one is a community college district. One of the three school districts considering transitioning to a by-trustee area method of election will be discussed later at this meeting.

B. Update on Transfer of Territory from the Orange Unified School District to the Tustin Unified School District (Panorama Heights II): Orange Unified School District Appeal.

Chairperson Benecke asked Mr. Marinier to please give the Committee an update on the status of the Orange Unified School District Appeal.

Mr. Marinier explained that on July 28, 2021, the California Department of Education (CDE) requested additional information from the County Committee regarding the territory transfer appeal in order to prepare its analysis and recommendation to the State Board of Education. Mr. Marinier also reported that CDE anticipates that the State Board of Education will hear the appeal in the first half of 2022 but will give all affected parties approximately two-month's notice of when the appeal will be heard. He also reported that under Education Code section 35752, the SBE is required to provide at least 30-day's notice of its hearing of the proposal.

8. DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. Santa Ana Unified School District's anticipated proposal to establish trustee areas and change to a by-trustee area method of election

Chairperson Benecke asked Mr. Marinier to provide the Committee an update on the status of the Santa Ana Unified School District's proposal.

Mr. Marinier explained that on August 10, 2021, the Santa Ana Unified School District's Board adopted a resolution to initiate the process of establishing Trustee Areas and elections By-Trustee Areas to take effect commencing with the November 2022 election. Based on the District's timeline, he reported that staff anticipated a formal proposal will be submitted in January 2022 to the County Committee.

B. Legislative Update and Decennial Federal Census Data Adjustment to Trustee Area Boundaries

Chairperson Benecke asked Ms. Ruth Brewda, OCDE Legal Counsel, to provide information on the Legislative Update and Decennial Federal Census Data Adjustment to Trustee Area Boundaries.

Ms. Brewda began with a PowerPoint presentation that provided an overview of SB 442, specifically Education Code 5020, and how it will impact the County Committee, and then the Decennial Federal Census Adjustments to Trustee Area Boundaries, specifically Education Code section 5019.5 for school districts and community college districts, and Education Code section 1002 for the County Board of Education. Ms. Brewda also provided an overview of Constitutional and Federal Considerations in Adjusting Trustee Area

Boundaries, and reviewed the Orange County Board of Education's progress and proposed timeline for redistricting.

Ms. Brewda and Mr. Riel answered questions from the County Committee members regarding: the impact of SB 442, change in Education Code 5020, and the scope of the County Committee's responsibility as to school districts, if school districts do not meet the March 1, 2021 deadline to adjust trustee areas following the decennial federal census.

County Committee members asked questions regarding the scope of the County Committee's authority under Education Code section 1002, and the deadline to submit maps to the Orange County Registrar of Voters for the June 2022 elections. Mr. Riel answered that his office will look further into the questions to provide more information.

9. PRESENTATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

None.

10. NEXT MEETING

Chairperson Benecke reported that there are no meetings scheduled at this time. However, the County Committee will be required to review the trustee area boundaries of the County Board of Education. Chairperson Benecke explained that it is anticipated that the County Board of Education may request that the County Committee approve its proposed maps by December 15, 2021. The County Committee agreed that they would like to begin the next meeting at an earlier time.

11. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business Chairperson Benecke requested a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was moved by Virginia Wilson, seconded by Suzie Swartz, and unanimously approved by all members present. The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Legislative Update and Decennial Federal Census Adjustment to Trustee Area Boundaries



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Topics to be Covered

- Legislative Update - SB 442 (Newman)
- Decennial Federal Census Adjustments to Trustee Area Boundaries
  - Education Code section 5019.5 (School Districts and Community College Districts)
  - Education Code section 1002 (COE)

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SB 442 Will Allow School Districts to Adopt Trustee Areas Without Voter Approval

- Effective on January 1, 2022, Education Code section 5020 allows a county committee on school district organization to approve a school district or community college district's adoption of a by-trustee area election method, without the need to call an election to seek voter approval.
- Historically, once the County Committee approved a school district's proposal to change from an at-large method of election to a by-trustee area method of election, the school district was required to either seek voter approval by placing the matter on the ballot or request a waiver of the election requirement from the State Board of Education.

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SB 442 Streamlines the Process

- In order for the County Committee to approve the school district's proposal to establish a by-trustee area method of election <u>without</u> satisfying the election or waiver requirement, the County Committee's resolution must include a declaration that the change in the method of electing members of the governing body is being made in furtherance of the purposes of the California Voting Rights Act of 2001.
- The resolution will take effect upon adoption by the County Committee and will govern all elections for the district governing board members occurring at least 125 days after the adoption of the resolution.

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Delayed Release of 2020 Federal Census Data

- Every ten years, a new U.S. Census is conducted and school districts, community college districts and county boards of education (school agencies) that use by-trustee area election systems to elect their governing boards, are required to adjust the boundaries of those trustee areas based on the population counts from the most recent federal census.
- Typically, redistricting data from the U.S. Census Bureau would have been released in March 2021. However, due to COVID-19, redistricting data was delayed and not available to school agencies until September 2021.

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Education Code Section 5019.5(a)
School Districts and Community College Districts

Based on federal census data, the governing board of each school district or community college district in which trustee areas have been established, and in which each trustee is elected by the residents of the area the trustee represents, shall adjust the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the district so that one or both of the following conditions is satisfied:

1. The population of each area is, as nearly as may be, the same proportion of the total population of the district as the ratio that the number of governing board members elected from the area bears to the total number of members of the governing board.
2. The population of each area is, as nearly as may be, the same proportion of the total population of the district as each of the other areas.

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Education Code Section 5019.5(b)
School Districts and Community College Districts

- The governing board of each school district or community college district must adjust the boundaries of the trustee areas by **March 1, 2022**.
- If the governing board fails to adjust the boundaries by that deadline, the County Committee is required to do so by **April 30, 2022**.
- The governing board of the school district or community college district would be required to reimburse all reasonable costs incurred by the County Committee in adjusting the boundaries based on the federal census data.

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Education Code Section 1002(a)
County Board of Education

Upon being so requested by the county board of education, the county committee on school district organization, by a two-thirds vote of the members, may either change the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the county, or propose to increase or decrease the number of members of the county board of education, or both. The trustee areas shall be as nearly equal in population as may be, except that in establishing or changing the boundaries of the trustee areas the county committee may give consideration to the following factors:

(1) Topography.

(2) Geography.

(3) Cohesiveness, contiguity, integrity, and compactness of territory.

(4) Community of interests of the trustee areas.

In any event, the county committee shall ensure that trustee areas are as nearly equal in population as practicable.

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Education Code Section 1002(b) and (c) County Board of Education

(b) Following each decennial federal census, and using population figures validated by the Demographic Research Unit of the Department of Finance as a basis, the county committee shall adjust the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the county board of education as necessary to meet the population criteria set forth in subdivision (a).

(c) Changes in trustee area boundaries or a proposed reduction in the number of county board of education members shall be made in writing and filed with the county board of supervisors not later than the first day of March of any school year.

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Constitutional and Federal Considerations in Adjusting Trustee Area Boundaries

- The Equal Protection Clause of the 14th Amendment provides: No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States.
- Race may not be the "predominant" factor in drawing trustee area boundaries.
- Bizarrely shaped trustee areas may be evidence that racial considerations predominate.
- The Voting Rights Act of 1965 is a landmark civil rights law that prohibits voting practices, including redistricting plans, that discriminate on the basis of race, color, or membership in a language minority.
- Voter dilution may exist when:

1. Minority group is sufficiently large and geographically compact to constitute a majority of the voting-age population in a single member district.
2. Minority group is politically cohesive.
3. There is majority block voting.

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Orange County Board of Education Progress and Proposed Timeline

November 3, 2021	Redistricting Presentation and Proposed Maps • https://ocde.us/Board/Pages/2021redistricting.aspx • https://youtu.be/7siuyDLhqB8
November 3, 2021	Public Hearing on OCBE Redistricting • https://youtu.be/7siuyDLhqB8
November 12, 2021	Deadline to Submit Map Plan Options for Consideration
December 1, 2021	Public Input and Hearing
December 8, 2021	Final Adoption



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ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

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November 24, 2021

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Dear President Barke:

I am writing on behalf of the Orange County Committee on School District Organization (County Committee) to request information from the Orange County Board of Education (County Board) regarding the redistricting process following the 2020 federal census. As you are aware, following each decennial federal census, the County Committee is required to adjust the boundaries of the trustee areas of the County Board in accordance with Education Code section 1002. As in past redistricting, the County Committee works with the County Board to review information related to redistricting.

Based on information presented during the County Board meeting held on November 3, 2021 and provided on the County Board's redistricting webpage, it is our understanding that the County Board will hold a public hearing on December 1, 2021 to receive public input and further discuss proposed trustee area maps submitted by the County Board and the public. Further, the County Board anticipates adopting a proposed map at a special meeting on December 8, 2021, which will be submitted to the County Committee for review. It appears that the County Board's intent is that a final map will be adopted by the County Committee on or before December 15, 2021. With respect to the County Board's proposed timeline, the County Committee has tentatively scheduled a special meeting for December 10, 2021.

Given the impact of the delayed release of census data and the County Board's proposed timeline, the Chairperson of the County Committee requested that the County Committee have the opportunity to review as much information as possible in preparation for the tentatively scheduled County Committee meeting. To assist the County Committee's review of information leading to the County Board's recommended map, the County Committee is requesting the following information:

- The County Board's trustee area map adopted in 2011 with demographic information from the 2020 federal census data broken down per trustee area.

- All maps reviewed by the County Board including all demographic information considered by the County Board broken down per trustee area.

- All maps submitted by members of the public to be considered by the County Board including all demographic information broken down per trustee area.

On behalf of the County Committee, I request that this information be provided by December 3, 2021, so that the information may be shared with the County Committee in preparation for its upcoming meeting. To further assist the County Committee, a request has also been made that the demographer retained by the County Board be available during the County Committee meeting to help explain the recommended map(s) and answer any questions from the County Committee.

Should you need any further information or if I can be of assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Howard Marinier,
Designated Secretary to the Orange County Committee on School District Organization

cc: Chairperson Orange County Committee on School District Organization
Orange County Board of Education

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Marie Barke
President, Orange County Board of Education

Monday, November 28, 2021

Via Email

Howard Marinier
Designated Secretary, OCCSDO

Re: Your Letter dated November 24, 2021

Dear Mr. Marinier,

I am writing to you regarding the letter you sent to me at my Board email at 4:02 p.m. on November 24, 2021. Thank you for your communication.

Although I haven't been able to write you until today due to your letter coming at the end of the day before the long holiday Thanksgiving weekend, I agree that the delay in receiving census data due to COVID-19 has created some time pressure, and the Board and the Executive Committee have been working hard to meet tight deadlines for the redistricting process in light of this delay.

In regard to your request for maps and associated data, most if not all of this information was publicly posted by your colleagues in the Department of Education on November 24, 2021 on the Board's web page for our proposed December 1, 2021 board meeting agenda. Please see this URL link, pages 25 through 70: https://ocde.us/Board/Documents/2021%20Agendas/AGENDA%2012.01.2021.pdf.

To the extent additional information is desired, please contact our legal counsel, Gregory Rolen, who is copied on the email transmission of this letter, and who will be happy to assist further.

In regards to the County Committee's meeting on December 10, 2021, the demographer, Board legal representatives, and the Board Vice-President and I will be in attendance to address the Committee's questions.

Thank you for your involvement in this important process.

Regards,

Mari Barke,
President, Orange County Board of Education

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SPECIAL MEETING AND PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA

Friday, December 10, 2021
3:00 p.m.

Meeting Location
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6. Public Comments of Persons Desiring to Address the County Committee: Not to Exceed 3 minutes per person/30 minutes total

7. Closed Session: Conference with Legal Counsel – Anticipated Litigation
Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to subdivision (d) of Government Code section 54956.9 (one potential case)

8. New Business: Time Certain 4:30 (Attachment A)

   A. Staff Report – Adjustment to Orange County Board of Education Trustee Area Boundaries following 2020 Federal Census

   B. Public Hearing – Request by the Orange County Board of Education to Adopt Trustee Area Redistricting Plan:

      1. Open Public Hearing
      2. Demographics and Plan Presentation – Orange County Board of Education
      3. Public Comment
      4. Rebuttal
      5. Questions from County Committee Members
      6. Close Public Hearing

   C. Discussion from County Committee Members.

   D. Vote on the Redistricting Plan submitted by Orange County Board of Education (ACTION).

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2020 Federal Census Adjustment to Trustee Area Boundaries of the County Board of Education by the County Committee on School District Organization

December 10, 2021

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County Committee on School District Organization

- The California State Legislature created a County Committee on School District Organization (County Committee) in each county, except a county which is also a city and county. (Education Code section 4000)
- County Committee members are elected by the representatives from local school district boards of education. (Education Code section 4005)
- The County Superintendent of Schools, employees of the Office of a County Superintendent of Schools, employees of a school district, or employees of a community college district are prohibited from being a member of the County Committee. (Education Code 4007)

2020 Federal Census Data

- Release of 2020 Federal Census data was delayed due to the Covid-19 pandemic.
- Typically, the data required is released by March 31 of the year following the Census.
- California Department of Finance (DOF) released adjusted population figures in September 2021.

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Census Data and Redistricting Education Code Section 1002

- Following the census, the governing boards of local school districts are required to adjust trustee area boundaries to meet population criteria.
  - The County Committee does not review or adjust the trustee areas unless the local governing board does not complete the adjustment by March 1 of the year following the release of the census.
- For county board trustee areas, the County Committee is required to:
  - Review population data that has been validated by the Department of Finance, and
  - Adjust the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the county board of education to ensure that the trustee areas are as nearly equal in population as practical with consideration to other criteria.

Education Code Section 1002(a)

Upon being so requested by the county board of education, the county committee on school district organization, by a two-thirds vote of the members, may either change the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the county, or propose to increase or decrease the number of members of the county board of education, or both. The trustee areas shall be as nearly equal in population as may be, except that in establishing or changing the boundaries of the trustee areas the county committee may give consideration to the following factors:

(1) Topography.

(2) Geography.

(3) Cohesiveness, contiguity, integrity, and compactness of territory.

(4) Community of interests of the trustee areas.

In any event, the county committee shall ensure that trustee areas are as nearly equal in population as practicable.

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Education Code Section 1002(b)

- Following each decennial federal census, and using population figures validated by the Demographic Research Unit of the Department of Finance as a basis, the county committee shall adjust the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the county board of education as necessary to meet the population criteria set forth in subdivision (a).

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Prior Boundary Adjustments

- In 1992, Education Code section 1002(b) was amended to add subsection (b) affirmatively requiring the County Committee to adjust the County Board trustee areas following the decennial census.
- Prior to 2000, the County Board Trustee boundaries were coterminous with the Orange County Board of Supervisors boundaries.
- In 2001, the process began with consideration of the map adopted by the Board of Supervisors. Through the redistricting process there were minor adjustments made to the BOS map which was then recommended by the County Board and adopted by the County Committee.
- In 2011, the adopted BOS map was considered during the process. Ultimately, a redistricting plan that made minor adjustments to the 2001 County Board trustee areas was recommended by the County Board and adopted by the County Committee.

Timeline

- Changes in trustee area boundaries shall be made in writing and filed with the county board of supervisors no later than the **first day of March** of any school year. Education Code section 1002(c)
- For municipalities and cities, the Fair Maps Act (2019) requires that redistricting boundaries be adopted no later than 174 days before the June 7, 2022 election, which is December 15, 2021.
- The Fair Maps Act and its timeline does not apply to county board of education boundary changes.

Timeline

- Elections Code section 12262 indicates that changes to jurisdictional boundaries that occur at least 125 days before an election will apply to that election.
  - Voters residing within an area affected by a boundary change, occurring within 125 days before an election, shall vote at the ensuing election in all respects as if a boundary change had not occurred.
- For changes to the Board of Education boundaries to apply to the June 7, 2022 election, the County Committee would need to adopt and file the boundary changes with the Board of Supervisors by February 2, 2022.

Considerations for Trustee Areas of the County Board of Education

- Each area shall be nearly equal in population as practicable.
- Comply with the Federal Voting Rights Act
- Comply with Constitutional Requirements of Equal Protection and No Racial Gerrymandering
- Compact and contiguous
- Respect Communities of Interest
- Follow man-made and natural geographic features

Constitutional Requirements

- The Equal Protection Clause of the 14th Amendment requires districts to have reasonably equal populations: "One Person, One Vote."
- Race may not be the "predominant" factor in drawing trustee area boundaries.
- Bizarrely shaped trustee areas may be evidence that racial considerations predominate.

Federal Voting Rights Act of 1965

- The Voting Rights Act of 1965 (VRA) prohibits voting practices that discriminate on the basis of race, color, or membership in a language minority.
- Section 2 of the VRA prohibits not only election-related practices and procedures that are racially discriminatory, but also those that are shown to have a racially discriminatory impact, such as redistricting plans.

Minority Vote Dilution

- Minority vote dilution refers to the use of redistricting plans and other voting practices that minimize or cancel out the voting strength of racial and other minorities.
- Districting plans may dilute minority voting strength by cracking or "fragmenting the minority voters among several districts where a bloc-voting majority can routinely outvote them" or by "packing them into one or a small number of districts to minimize their influence." *Johnson v. De Grandy,* 512 US 997 (1994).

Population Criteria under Education Code section 1002

The trustee areas shall be as nearly equal in population as may be, except that in establishing or changing the boundaries of the trustee areas the county committee may give consideration to the following factors:

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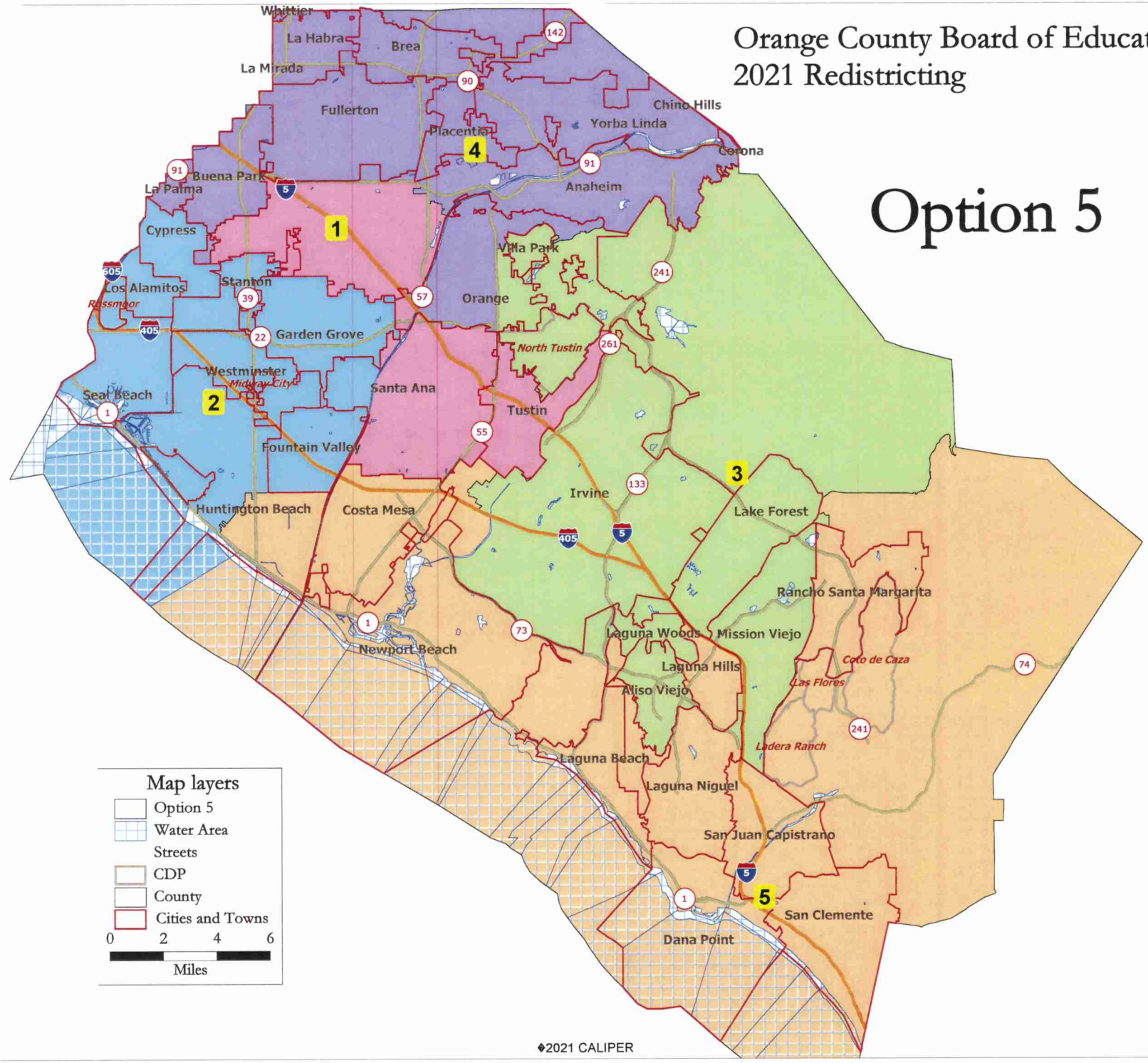
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OCBE Redistricting Map – Option 5

Submitted to the County Committee on December 10, 2021

Orange County Board of Education
2021 Redistricting

Option 5



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Option 5							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,602	638,601	638,601	638,602	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1	1			1	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	17%	37%	21%	34%
	% NH White	15%	30%	45%	34%	63%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	36%	32%	24%	11%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	432,683	403,750	415,852	460,862	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	22%	14%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	41%	60%	47%	74%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	34%	24%	21%	10%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	362,436	371,403	363,946	424,525	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	20%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	19%	12%	25%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	28%	16%	13%	5%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	49%	67%	56%	80%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	303,976	326,449	311,365	376,495	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	19%	12%	26%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	17%	11%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	28%	15%	13%	5%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	51%	68%	58%	81%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	206,918	234,383	216,928	274,867	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	17%	11%	23%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	16%	11%	21%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	23%	12%	10%	4%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	58%	72%	63%	84%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	643,050	602,064	624,048	638,572	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	24%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	21%	20%	23%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	35%	30%	27%	18%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	57%	57%	58%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	29%	48%	62%	58%	76%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	10%	24%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	27%	18%	13%	5%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	10%	5%	6%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	31%	26%	13%	17%	8%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	42%	42%	29%	40%	33%	37%
	bachelor	15%	22%	34%	26%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	10%	23%	14%	20%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	44%	34%	33%	35%	28%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	64%	66%	67%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	12%	11%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	11%	15%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	19%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	41%	45%	45%	42%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	11%	20%	14%	23%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	68%	69%	70%	67%	66%
	multi-family	48%	32%	31%	30%	33%	34%
	rented	57%	43%	37%	39%	39%	43%
	owned	43%	57%	63%	61%	61%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

Surname-based Voter Registration and Turnout data from the California Statewide Database.

Latino voter registration and turnout data are Spanish-surname counts adjusted using Census Population Department undercount estimates. NH White and NH Black registration and turnout counts estimated by NDC. Citizen Voting Age Pop., Age, Immigration, and other demographics from the 2015-2019 American Community Survey and Special Tabulation 5-year data.

National Demographic Corporation Power Point Presentation

Presented during the County Committee's Public Hearing on December 10, 2021

Redistricting Rules and Goals

Federal Laws

Equal Population

Federal Voting Rights Act

No Racial Gerrymandering



Traditional Redistricting Principles

Communities of interest

Compact

Contiguous

Visible (Natural & man-made) boundaries

Respect voters' choices / continuity in office

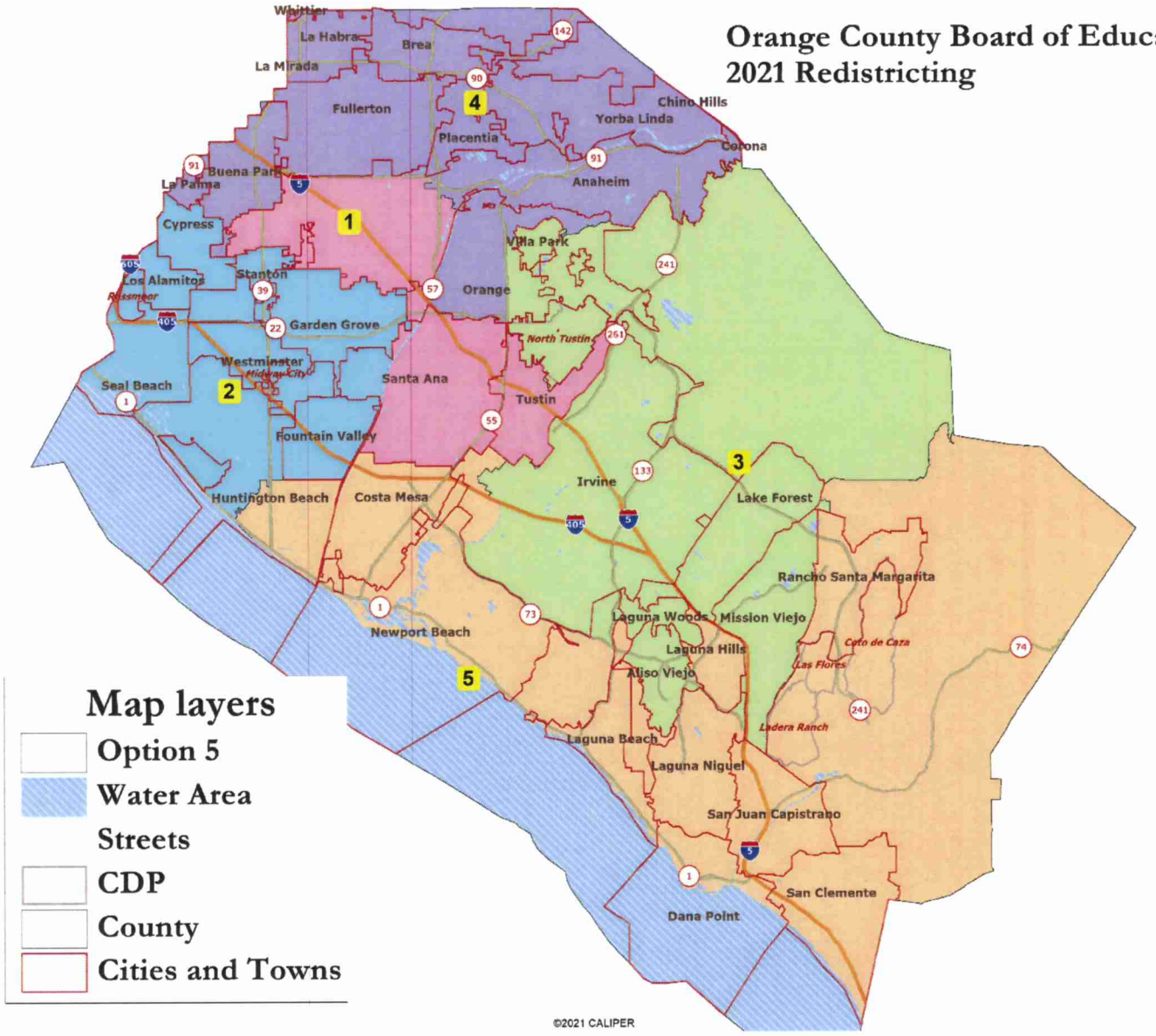
Planned future growth

Minimize voters shifted to different election years

Preserving the core of existing election areas

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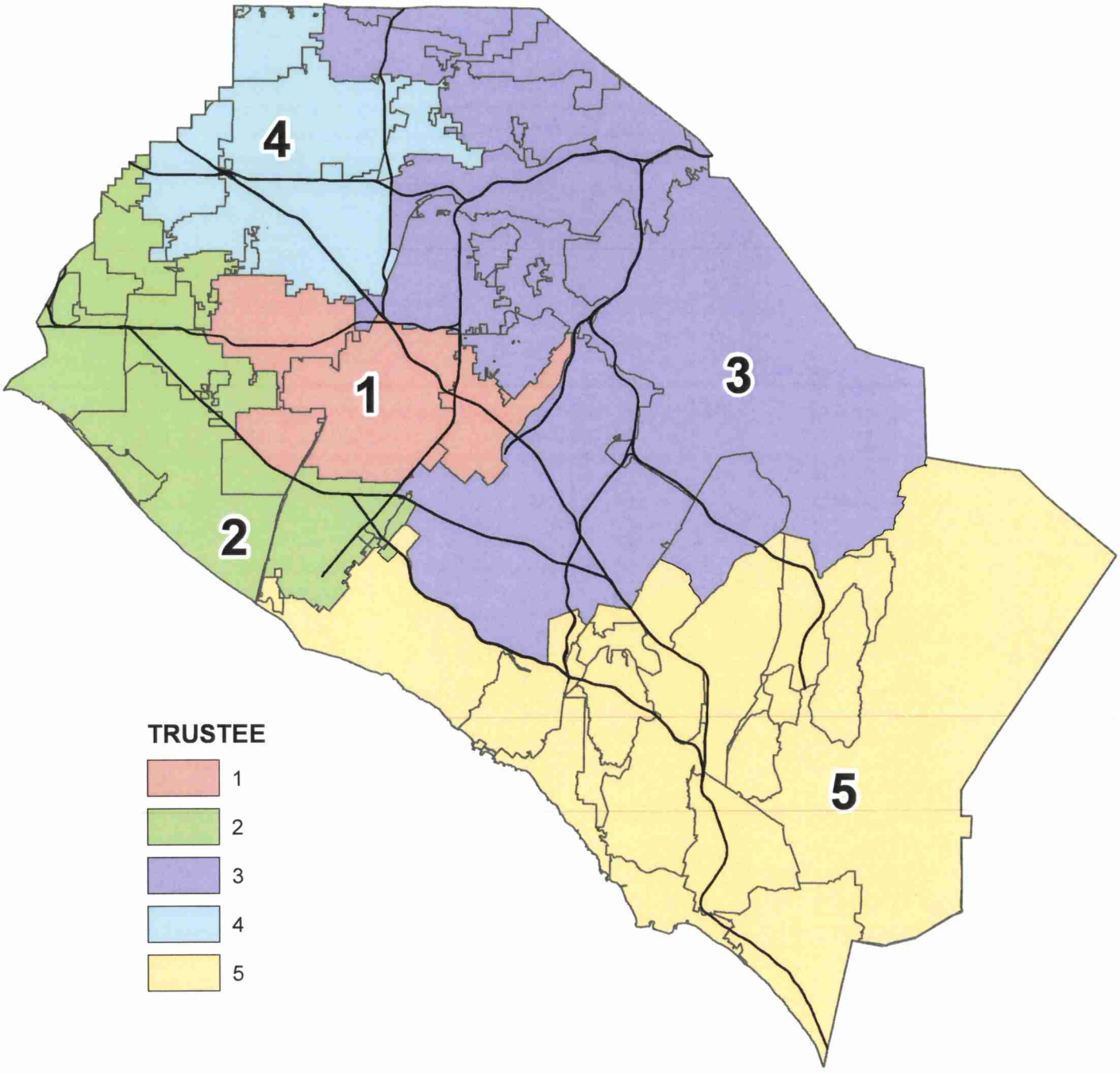
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2021 Redistricting
Whittier
La Habra
Brea
La Mirada
Fullerton
Placentia
Chino Hills
Yorba Linda
Corona
Anaheim
Buena Park
La Palma
Cypress
Los Alamitos
Rossmoor
Stanton
Garden Grove
Orange
Villa Park
North Tustin
Westminster
Midway City
Seal Beach
Santa Ana
Tustin
Fountain Valley
Huntington Beach
Costa Mesa
Irvine
Lake Forest
Rancho Santa Margarita
Laguna Woods
Mission Viejo
Newport Beach
Laguna Hills
Coto de Caza
Las Flores
Aliso Viejo
Ladera Ranch
Laguna Beach
Laguna Niguel
San Juan Capistrano
San Clemente
Dana Point
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Map layers
Option 5
Water Area
Streets
CDP
County
Cities and Towns
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Demographic Comparison

Option	Latino D1	Asian D2	Balance	Pct. Dev.
1	51%	33%	1 person	0%
2	51%	33%	1 person	0%
3	51%	33%	1 person	0%
4	52%	33%	2,349	0.37%
5	51%	34%	1 person	0%
9	52%	25%	13,940	2.18%
10	56%	31%	58,864	9.22%

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Resolution on County Board Of Education Redistricting Plan

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

DECEMBER 8, 2021

WHEREAS, Article I, Section 2 of the United States Constitution mandates that an apportionment of representatives among the states be carried out every ten (10) years; and

WHEREAS, the United States Census Bureau collected census data as required by Article I, Section 2. The final census population data was validated by the Demographic Research Unit of the United States Department of Finance; and

WHEREAS, on September 16, 2021, the United States Census Bureau released the 2020 Census Redistricting Data (Pub. Law 94-171) Summary File to all states representing a significant delay in the ability of government entities to meet their mandate; and

WHEREAS, subsequent thereto, the State of California adjusted redistricting data file to reflect the reallocation of data from certain incarcerated persons to their last residential address; and this data had to be returned for another review and was eventually released back to governing entities; and

WHEREAS, as it has historically done in 2001 and 2011, the Orange County Board of Education ("Board") proceeded to exercise its authority under Education Code §§ 1040 and 35160-35162 to create a trustee area redistricting plan; and

WHEREAS, at the May 5, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, the agenda of the Board included BOARD DISCUSSIONS - 2021 Board Census Presentation - Gregory Rolen; and

WHEREAS, at the June 2, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, the Board the publicly approved the Redistricting Contract for National Demographics Corporation; and

WHEREAS, National Demographics Corporation has successfully performed redistricting plans in several states and have received State and National recognition for its demographic expertise; and

WHEREAS, at the June 16, 2021 Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education, the Board publicly appointed Trustee Williams and Trustee Shaw to the Redistricting Committee; and

WHEREAS, at the August 4, 2021 Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education, Dr. Douglas Johnson of National Demographics Corporation made a public presentation on redistricting; and

WHEREAS, at the October 6, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, the Board received a public update on the Board redistricting process; and

WHEREAS, at the November 3, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, the Board received a public presentation by Dr. Douglas Johnson of National Demographics Corporation on the redistricting process and creation of three (3) proposed redistricting maps with relevant demographic data; and

WHEREAS, at the November 3, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, the Board conducted its first public hearing on the redistricting plan. The Board received public comment on the redistricting plan, not only during the public comment portion of the Board agenda, but also during the public hearing via electronic mail; and

WHEREAS, at the November 3, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, Dr. Douglas Johnson presented three (3) proposed maps for Board and public consideration; and

WHEREAS, at the November 3, 2021 Public Hearing on the Board redistricting plan, the Board welcomed additional maps to be presented by the Board and public no later than November 12, 2021; and

WHEREAS, on or about November 3, 2021, the three (3) presented maps were posted on the Board REDISTRICTING 2021 website; and

WHEREAS, on or before November 12, 2021, the Board received seven (7) additional maps for Board consideration; and

WHEREAS, the ten (10) proposed maps were posted on the Board REDISTRICTING 2021 website on or about November 22, 2021; and

WHEREAS, at the December 1, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, the Board conducted its second public hearing on the redistricting plan. The Board received public comment on the redistricting plan during the public hearing and via electronic mail; and

WHEREAS, at the December 1, 2021 Regular Board Meeting, the Board considered each proposed map separately. The Board summarily commented on each proposed redistricting map as follows:

- Map 1 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 1, for reasons including but not limited to: (1) it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress residing in Trustee Area 2 (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 2 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 2, for reasons including but not limited to: (1) it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2 (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 3 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 3, for reasons including but not limited to: (1) it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2 (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 4 - by consensus, the Board agreed to consider Map 4 at the December 8, 2021 Public Hearing, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 4 appeared responsive to the public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2; (2) Map 4 maintained a 52% Latino Voting Age Population in Trustee Area 1; (3) Map 4 maintained a 33% Asian Voting Age Population in Trustee Area 2; and (4) Map 4 has a mere .37% deviation (2349 voters) between the largest and smallest Trustee Area (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 5 - by consensus, the Board agreed to consider map 5 at the December 8, 2021, Public Hearing, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 5 appeared responsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2; (2) Map 5 maintained a 51% Latino Voting Age population in Trustee Area 1; (3) Map 5 maintained a 34% Asian Voting Age population in Trustee Area 2; and (4) Map 5 has a 0% deviation (1 voter) between the largest and smallest Trustee Area (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 6 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 6, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 6 was created for the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board; (2) Map 6 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly equal in population as may be; and (3) Map 6 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 7 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 7, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 7 was created for the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board; (2) Map 7 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly equal in population as may be; and (3) Map 7 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 8 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 8, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 8 was created for the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board; (2) Map 8 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly

equal in population as may be; and (3) Map 8 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and

- Map 9 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 9, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 9 appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2; (2) Map 9 had the lowest Asian Voting Age Population in Trustee Area 2, at 25%; (3) Map 9 had a 2.18% deviation (13,940 voters) between the largest and smallest trustee Area; (4) Map redistricted two existing incumbent board members in the same trustee area; and (5) Map 9 was submitted with extraneous partisan voter registration data (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and 6) Map 9 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act; and

- Map 10 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 10 for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 10 has a 9.22% deviation (58,864 voters) between the largest and smallest trustee area; (2) several districts are renumbered; (3) Map 10 alters many current trustee areas and thereby does not respect voter choices/continuity in office (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

THEREFORE THE ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION hereby resolves as follows:

1. At the December 8, 2021 Public Hearing, the Board will consider public comment in advance of its consideration of Maps 4 and 5; and

2. The Board will approve a trustee Area Redistricting Plan at the December 8, 2021 Public Hearing; and

3. The Board will submit the Board Approved Redistricting Plan to the Orange County Registrar of Voters ("Registrar") as soon as practicable in advance of the December 15, 2021 adjustment process deadline to assist the Registrar in performing its function under such a truncated/compressed timeline; and

4. As was done in 2001 and 2011, on December 10, 2021, the Board will present its approved plan to the County Committee on School District Organization ("County Committee") exclusively pursuant to Education Code § 1002(b) which states in relevant part (emphasis added), "Following each decennial federal Census, and using population figures validated by the Population Research Institute of the Department of Finance as a basis, the County committee shall adjust the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the County Board of Education *as necessary to meet the population criteria set forth in subdivision (a)"*;

5. The Board has not previously made any request, and the Board makes no request, to the County Committee under Education Code § 1002(a) to change

the boundaries of any trustee area of the county, to increase or decrease the number of members of the county board of education, or otherwise to take any action under Education Code § 1002(a).

ADOPTED by the Orange County Board of Education on the 8th day of December 2021.

AYES: Williams, Barke, Sparks

NOES: Gomez

ABSENT: 0

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF ORANGE

I, **Mari Barke,** President to the Board of Education of Orange County, California hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted by the said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 8th day of December 2021 and passed by a vote of said Board Members present.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of December 2021.

Mari Barke, President
Orange County Board of Education

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Serving Local Governments for Over 40 Years

NDC has served hundreds of local governments in California, Arizona and Nevada since our founding in 1979. While primarily focused on California, Arizona and Nevada, NDC has performed work in all regions of the country, serving clients as varied as community service districts, water districts, health care districts, airport districts, school districts, cities, counties, and states.

With over 375 successfully completed projects, NDC can easily say no company has been responsible for successfully districting and redistricting more local governments.

NDC is nationally recognized as a pioneer in good government districting and redistricting. As a non-partisan firm, NDC is focused on guiding our clients through the process of their projects, while leaving the final policy choices to the residents, staff and elected leaders of our client jurisdictions.

NDC personnel are nationally recognized as leaders in the districting field, and are responsible for numerous books and articles on the subject. Company principals are frequently asked to speak at local and national redistricting conferences, and have been interviewed on CNN, Fox News, Public Television, Local TV News, public radio, and for hundreds of newspaper articles:

- National and Arizona Expert panelist appearances
- California Expert panelist appearances
- Expert Witness and Litigation Consultant
- Redistricting Reform Charter / Ordinance consultant
- Testimonials
- Television / Radio / Newspaper interviews (*coming soon*)

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"In addition to his technical expertise, Doug had a keen sense of how to help us navigate the complexities of the process. He understands redistricting better than any person I know. He has a unique ability to synthesize that which is very complicated and make it very understandable for the public. He frequently would present various options, without representing any position, clearly delineating

differences and challenges of each option in a clear and succinct manner."

– Iosh Hall.





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National and Arizona Expert panelist appearances

National Conference of State Legislatures, 2011 Winter Forum, *Citizen Voting Age Data from a line-drawer's viewpoint*

Arizona League of Cities 2010 Seminar, *Redistricting Law and the Voting Rights Act: What It Means for Your City or Town in 2011*

National Conference of State Legislatures, 2010 Spring Forum, *Communities of Interest in Redistricting: A key to drawing 2011 plans (and for their defense)*

Arizona Bar Association 2010 Conference, *Communities of interest and technology in redistricting*

National Conference of State Legislatures, 2009 Fall Forum, *The Key to Successful Redistricting*

National Conference of State Legislatures, 2008 Spring Forum, *Communities of Interest In Redistricting: A Practical Guide*

National League of Women Voters 2006 Conference, *Building a National Reform Movement*

Texas Tech University 2006 *Symposium on Redistricting*

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California Expert panelist appearances

2020 **Rose Institute of State and Local Government** *2021 Redistricting: New Rules for California Local Governments*

2020 **League of Cities** Executive Forum *Coping with the New Reality of By-District Elections*

2020 **League of Cities** City Clerk Dept. *2021 Redistricting Is Here – And the Rules Have Changed Again*

2020 **County Committee Secretaries** Annual Summit *The California Voting Rights Act*

2020 **California Special Districts Association** *California Voting Rights Act Challenge Factors*

2020 **California Municipal Law Conference** *Municipal Redistricting in 2021: New Rules of the Road*

2020 **Associated Cities of California – Orange County** *2021 Redistricting: The Rules have Changed*

2020 **"Voice of San Diego"** Politifest *Redistricting–What it means for our community*

2019 **USC City/County Fellowship Program** *The Challenges of Municipal Election Districts*

2019 **League of Cities** City Manager Dept. *CVRA and the Profound Impact on Local Governance*

2019 **League of Cities** City Clerk Dept. *Transitioning From At-Large to By-District Elections: A Practical Guide for City Clerks*

2019 **League of Cities** City Clerk Dept. *Redistricting 101 for Municipalities*

2019 **California Special Districts Association** *District Elections and the California Voting Rights Act*

2019 **California Association of School Business Officials** *Transitioning to By-Trustee-Areas Elections*

2018 **Riverside County Bar Association** *Redistricting and the California Voting Rights Act*

2018 **League of Cities** Executive Forum *The California Voting Rights Act and the District-Drawing Process*

2018 **League of Cities** City Clerk Dept. *Transitioning From At-Large To By-District Elections: A Practical Guide For City Clerks*

2018 **League of Cities** City Attorney Dept. *CVRA Recent Legislation & Litigation Outcomes*

2018 **California Special Districts Association** *Converting From At-Large to By-District Elections Under the California Voting Rights Act*

2018 **California School Board Association** *Voter Districts: The Link Between Strong Community Engagement and a Successful Process*

2017 **UC's National Public Service Law Conference** Moderator, *"Voting Rights 101"*

2017 **League of Cities** City Clerk Dept. *California Voting Rights Act: Putting the 2016 Legislation into Practice*

2017 **California School Board Association** *15 Years with the California Voting Rights Act: Lessons Learned and Challenges Ahead*

2016 **Los Angeles County School Trustees Association** *The CVRA: What School Board Members Need to Know*

2016 **Los Angeles County School Business Officials** *CVRA: What CBO's Need to Know*

2016 **League of Cities** Inland Empire Chapter *The California Voting Rights Act and Districting: The Demographer's Perspective*

2015 **Los Angeles County School Boards Association** *CVRA & Districting: The Demographer's Perspective*

2015 **League of Cities** City Manager Dept. *Opportunity to Engage Residents: The California Voting Rights Act*

2015 **California School Board Association** *The California Voting Rights Act: What Board Members Must Know*

2015 **Associated Cities of California – Orange County** *The California Voting Rights Act*

2014 **League of Cities** City Clerk Dept. *Whose Line Is It Anyway: Making the transition from at-large to by-district elections*

2011 **Channel Cities Club** Lunch Keynote: *"California's next experiment: independent, public redistricting"*

2006 **League of Cities** General Meeting *Introduction to the California Voting Rights Act*

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Expert Witness and Litigation Consultant

Expert Witness Appearances

2020	*Chestnut v Merrill* (Alabama)
2019	*City of Redondo Beach vs State of California*
2019	*Ruiz-Lozito vs West Contra Costa Unified School District*
2019	*Common Cause v Lewis* (North Carolina)
2018	*Phillip Randolph Institute v Smith* (Ohio)
2018	*League et al. v. Johnson* (Michigan) *
2017	*Luna v County of Kern*
2018	*Covington v State of North Carolina*
2016	*Garrett v City of Highland*
2015	*Jamarillo v City of Fullerton*
2015	*Harris vs Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission*
2015	*Solis v Santa Clarita Community College District*
2015	*Jauregui et al vs City of Palmdale*
2014	*Diego v City of Whittier*

** The "Johnson" in the title of this case is a reference to Michigan Secretary of State Ruth Johnson,* ***not*** *NDC President Douglas Johnson.*

Voting Rights Litigation Consultant for the following jurisdictions:

1. Anaheim
2. Carson
3. Compton
4. Escondido
5. Modesto
6. Poway
7. Santa Clarita
8. Whittier
9. Santa Clarita Community College District
10. Tulare Health Care District

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Redistricting Reform Charter / Ordinance consultant

2020	Advisor to the California **League of Cities** on AB 1276 redistricting reform measure
2019	Advisor to the California **League of Cities** and **California School Board Association** on AB 849, the FAIR MAPS Act
2016	City of **El Cajon** charter revision and public education outreach
2015/16	**Castaic Lake Water Agency and Newhall County Water District** merger
2015/16	City of **Corona** Charter Revision
2011/12	**Pasadena Unified** advisor to Charter Revision Commission creating a redistricting commission and moving District to by-district elections
2009/10	City of **Menifee** advisor to by-district-elections ordinance language committee
2008	Informal advisor to the Common Cause-led Coalition that wrote and ultimately passed **California 2008 Proposition 11**, creating the California Independent Redistricting Commission
2006-08	City of **Modesto** advisor to Charter Revision Commission creating an independent redistricting commission and public education outreach
2003	City of **Goleta** ordinance writing and public education outreach

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Douglas Johnson

Current Employment

President, National Demographics Corporation, *2006 – present*

Research

Research Affiliate, Rose Institute of State and Local Government at Claremont McKenna College, *2001 – present*

Past Employment

Senior Analyst, National Demographics Corporation, *2001 – 2006*
Project Manager and Senior Manager at three internet startup companies, *1999 – 2001*
U.S. Representative Stephen Horn, Legislative Director and System Manager, *1993 – 1997*
Coro Foundation, Fellowship in Public Affairs, *1992 – 1993*
Rose Institute for State and Local Government, Student Manager, *1989 – 1992*

Education

Ph.D.: Claremont Graduate University, Political Science, 2015, Dissertation: "*Independent Redistricting Commissions: Hopes and Lessons Learned.*"
MBA: UCLA Anderson Graduate School of Management, 1999
BA: Claremont McKenna College, 1992
Graduated Cum Laude and Phi Beta Kappa from Claremont McKenna College, with the Philip Roland Prize for Excellence in Public Policy

Publications and Articles

- Quiet Revolution in California Local Government Gains Momentum, Rose Institute of State and Local Government White Paper on California Voting Rights Act, November 3, 2016.
- Visalia Times, "How to draw new city council districts," September 19, 2014.
- Christian Science Monitor "Let the public help draw voting districts," October 25, 2013.
- Redistricting in America. Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 2010.
- New York Times, "The Case for Open Primaries," February 19, 2009.
- Los Angeles Times Opinion Articles:
  - "A neighbor's help on redistricting" June 24, 2007.
  - "A Trojan horse primary for the GOP" February 25, 2007.
  - "Where a porn palace stood" (article on redevelopment in Long Beach, California), July 30, 2006.

- Restoring the Competitive Edge: California's Need for Redistricting Reform and the Likely Impact of Proposition 77. Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 2005.
- Competitive Districts in California, Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 2005.
- Fresno Bee Opinion Article: "The Poison Handshake" June 15, 2004.
- Latinos and Redistricting: "Californios For Fair Representation" and California Redistricting in the 1980s. Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 1991.
- Quoted hundreds of times in newspaper, radio and television, including interviews on CNN, the Los Angeles PBS Affiliate, Fox, and in the 2010 documentary "Gerrymandering."

Speaker or Panelist

- California School Board Association, Panelist: "Voter Districts: The Link Between Strong Community Engagement and a Successful Process," November 30, 2018 (upcoming).
- California League of Cities, Mayors and Councilmembers Executive Forum, Moderator, "The California Voting Rights Act and the District-Drawing Process," June 29, 2018.
- League of Women Voters of Burbank and Glendale, Keynote Speaker, "Town Hall meeting on SB415" (The California Voter Participation Rights Act), May 8, 2018.
- California League of Cities, City Attorney Department, panelist, "The California Voting Rights Act: Recent Legislation & Litigation Outcomes," May 3, 2018.
- California League of Cities, City Clerk Department, keynote, "California Voting Rights Act – Transitioning From At-Large To By-District Elections: A Practical Guide For City Clerks," April 19, 2018.
- California School Board Association, Panelist: "15 Years Later: The California Voting Rights Act & Lessons Learned," December 1, 2017.
- California League of Cities, City Clerk Department, Panelist: "California Voting Rights Act: Putting the 2016 Legislation into Practice," April 13, 2017.
- California League of Cities, Riverside County Chapter, presenter: "The California Voting Rights Act and Redistricting: The Demographer's Perspective," May 9, 2016.
- California League of Cities, Inland Empire Chapter, presenter: "The California Voting Rights Act and Redistricting: The Demographer's Perspective," April 14, 2016.
- California School Board Association, Panelist: "The California Voting Rights Act: What Board Members Must Know," December 4, 2015.
- National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2011 Winter Forum, "Citizen Voting Age Data from a line-drawer's viewpoint."
- Luncheon Keynote Speaker, Santa Barbara's Channel Cities Club, "California's next experiment: independent, public redistricting," January 18, 2011.
- Annual Conference, Arizona League of Cities and Towns, Presenter at "Redistricting Law and the Voting Rights Act: What It Means for Your City or Town in 2011," August 25, 2010.
- National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2010 Spring Forum, "Communities of Interest in Redistricting: A key to drawing 2011 plans (and for their defense)."
- Arizona Election Law 2010 Continuing Legal Education Conference, "Communities of interest and technology in redistricting," sponsored by the Arizona State Bar Association, March 2010
- Redistricting, The 2010 Census, and Your Budget, Sponsored by the Rose Institute of State and Local Government, California League of Cities, October 15, 2009.
- California's New Independent Redistricting Commission, sponsored by the Irvine Foundation and the California Redistricting Collaborative, December 15, 2009
- Tribal Association of Sovereign Indian Nations (TASIN) Legislative Day 2009, "The 2010 Census and 2011 Redistricting in California," December 2, 2009.
- California School Board Association, "Litigation Issues and the California Voting Rights Act," December 4, 2009.

- National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2009 Fall Forum, "The Key to Successful Redistricting."
- California Latino School Boards Association, "Introduction to the California Voting Rights Act," August 20, 2009.
- National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2008 Spring Forum, "Communities of Interest In Redistricting: A Practical Guide."
- Voices of Reform, a project of the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco: multiple forums on redistricting and / or term limits, 2006 – 2007
- National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2007 Spring Forum, "The Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission's experiences with the first-ever independent redistricting."
- "Building a National Reform Movement," Salt Lake City, Utah, conference on redistricting reform hosted by the League of Women Voters, Campaign Legal Center, and The Council for Excellence in Government, 2006
- Texas Tech University, "A Symposium on Redistricting," May, 2006
- California League of Cities, "Introduction to the California Voting Rights Act."
- Classroom speaker at Pepperdine University, the University of La Verne, Pomona College, Claremont McKenna College, and Bellflower High School.

Independent and Advisory Commission Redistricting Projects

- City of Menlo Park Advisory Districting Commission, lead technical consultant, 2018
- Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission, lead technical consultant, 2001-2008
- San Diego City Council Independent Redistricting Commission, lead technical consultant, 2011
- City of Surprise Advisory Commission on Redistricting, 2011
- Pasadena City Council Advisory Commission on Redistricting, co-lead technical consultant, 2011
- Pasadena Unified School Board Advisory Commission on Redistricting, co-lead technical consultant, 2011
- City of Modesto Independent Redistricting Commission, lead technical consultant, 2011
- City of Modesto Independent Districting Commission, lead technical consultant, 2008

Traditional Districting and Redistricting Projects

- Initial as Senior Analyst and later as President, Dr. Johnson led NDC's work on **over 250** districting and redistricting projects across California, Nevada and Arizona between 2001 and today. Many are listed on NDC's sample client list page.

Expert Witness Testimony and other Litigation Experience

- Expert witness declaration for the City of Redondo Beach, California, in *City of Redondo Beach vs State of California*, Los Angeles County Superior Court Case Case No. BS172218, litigation regarding the California Voter Participation Act (currently pending).
- Expert witness declaration for West Contra Costa Unified School District in *Ruiz-Lozito vs West Contra Costa Unified School District* litigation under the California Voting Rights Act, Contra Costa Superior Court Case Number C18-00570 (currently pending).
- Expert witness declaration, deposition and testimony for Kern County, California, in *Luna v County of Kern* litigation under the Federal Voting Rights Act.
- Expert witness declaration and testimony for North Carolina in *Covington v State of North Carolina* litigation under the Federal Voting Rights Act.
- Expert witness declaration for City of Fullerton in *Jamarillo v City of Fullerton* litigation under the California Voting Rights Act.

- Expert witness declaration for City of Whittier in *Diego v City of Whittier* litigation under the California Voting Rights Act.
- Expert witness declaration and deposition for plaintiff in *Harris vs Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission* litigation.
- Expert witness declaration and deposition for Santa Clarita Community College District in *Solis v Santa Clarita Community College District* litigation under the California Voting Rights Act.
- Expert witness declaration, deposition and testimony for City of Highland in *Garrett v City of Highland* litigation under the California Voting Rights Act.
- Expert witness declaration, deposition and testimony for City of Palmdale in *Jauregui et al vs City of Palmdale* and *Garrett v City of Highland* litigation under the California Voting Rights Act.
- Testified as 30(b)(6) "Most Knowledgeable" witness for Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission in *Arizona Minority Coalition v Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission*, including seven days of direct testimony and cross-examination in the state court case. Also testified in the related federal court case.
- Consulting expert for the following jurisdictions on their California Voting Rights Act-related cases, including preparing analysis and assisting with witness and attorney preparation:
  - City of Anaheim
  - City of Compton
  - City of Modesto
  - City of Poway
  - City of Santa Clara
  - City of Santa Clarita
  - City of Whittier
  - Santa Clarita Community College District
  - Tulare Health Care District.

Charter and/or Ballot Language Consultant

- City of **El Cajon**: consulted on writing of charter revision and public education campaign for ballot measure changing from at-large to by-district City Council elections. (2016)
- **Castaic Lake Water Agency and Newhall County Water District** consultant advising on process, rules and legislation language for merger of the two districts including changing from at-large to by-district election system. (2015-2016)
- City of **Corona**: consultant for City Council on a potential city charter and a move to by-district elections. (2015-2016)
- City of **Pasadena** (on behalf of Pasadena Unified School District): advised commission that successfully developed a city charter change moving Pasadena Unified from at-large to by-district elections and created a redistricting commission. (2011 – 2012)
- City of **Menifee**: advised commission considering language on by-district elections. (2009 – 2010)
- City of **Modesto**: advised commission that successfully developed a city charter change moving Pasadena Unified from at-large to by-district elections and created an independent redistricting commission. (2006 – 2008)
- City of **Goleta**: consulted on development of ordinances and ballot language asking voters what election system they preferred. (2003 – 2004)

Racial Bloc Voting Analysis

Extensive experience with all racial bloc voting statistical methods: homogeneous precinct analysis, Ordinary Least Squares (OLS) regression, Weighted OLS, Seemingly Unrelated Regression (SUR) and EZI ecological inference analysis.

Attorney-client privilege bars the listing of most of NDC's specific clients, but NDC has performed racial bloc voting analysis for clients of the following law firms: Nielsen, Merksamer, Parrinello, Gross & Leoni; Lozano, Smith; Atkinson, Andelson, Loya, Ruud & Romo; Dooley, Herr & Peltzer; Fagen Friedman & Fulfrost; Rutan & Tucker; among others.



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Justin Levitt

Experience

National Demographics Corporation – Vice President
2003 – Present

Jesse M. Unruh Assembly Fellowship
2006 – 2007

Rose Institute of State and Local Government – Assistant Student Manager
2002 – 2006

Research

Rose Institute of State and Local Government Research Affiliate
2011-Present

Education

University of California, San Diego
2007-Present Ph.D., M.A. in Political Science

- Dissertation title: "Beyond the Circle: Geographic Constraints on Tradeoffs in Redistricting"
- Masters completed in 2009, with a focus on Urban Politics
- Graduate Research Fellow at the Center for US-Mexico Studies, 2009-Present

Claremont McKenna College
2002-2006 B.A. in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (PPE)

- Graduated cum laude
- Senior thesis title: "Applying Redistricting Methods from the Commonwealth to the United States."



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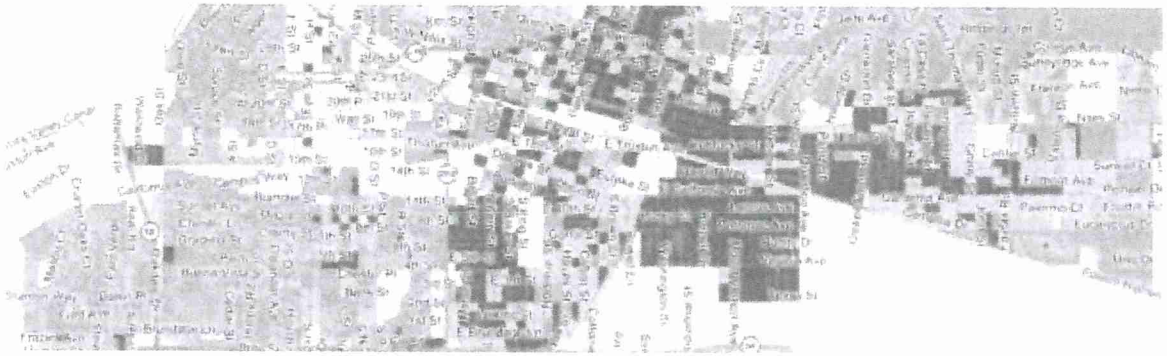
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"Doug Johnson and his staff were absolutely outstanding. They were always very responsive to whatever requests we made. Their desire was to always serve us. Throughout the process, Doug was impartial and unbiased. He never seemed to have an agenda other than to make us happy. His demeanor and actions was always polite, courteous, professional and productive"

– Josh Hall,
Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission

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Districting & Redistricting



Nationally recognized as a pioneer in good government districting and redistricting, NDC is especially experienced in working with local jurisdictions in California, Arizona and Nevada. With over 250 successful county, city, school district, community college district, water district, and special district districting and redistricting projects completed, NDC is, by far, responsible for successfully districting and redistricting more local governments than any other firm.

Since our founding in 1979, NDC has successfully guided clients nationwide through every aspect of the districting and redistricting process. We have a unique combination of expertise in the Federal and California Voting Rights Act requirements, the technical challenges of districting, and in public education and outreach on these issues.

NDC's trademark "3 E's" approach to districting and redistricting — Engage, Educate, and Empower — has a proven record of generating constructive public participation in these projects.

If your county, city, school district, water district, or special district is considering redistricting or contemplating a move from at-large to by-district and from-district election systems, contact NDC today.

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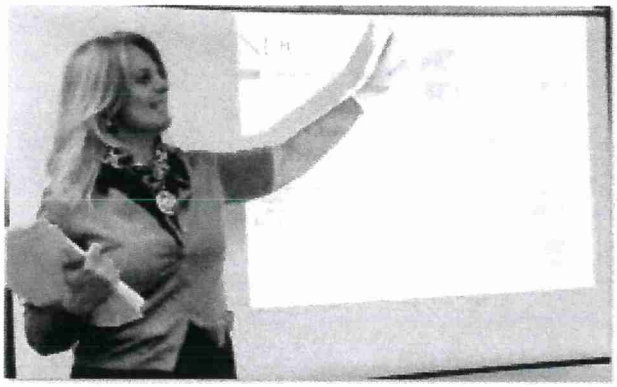
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From Fort Bragg to San Diego, from Santa Cruz to Las Vegas, and from Inglewood to Scottsdale, NDC serves local government clients of all types across California, Arizona and Nevada.

Districting and redistricting do not have to cause difficult, distracting political and legal battles.

Without experienced and impartial management, the districting process can rapidly devolve into accusations of hidden agendas and favoritism.

NDC's most valuable service is the firm's experience transforming often-contentious and passionate debates into thoughtful, constructive discussions focused on options and outcomes rather than individual personalities or positions. We pioneered the "transparent districting" approach, which involves and guides the public at every stage of the process.

Our innovative tools and methods encourage public involvement in the process, such as "public participation kits" and online mapping tools that enable every resident to draw their own proposal at their own kitchen table, and NDC's exclusive online redistricting tools provide every resident with the power to draw their own lines.

Our philosophy of "NDC expertise, local decision making" embraces projects where resident-drawn maps are adopted — though of course we are here to to provide ideas and smooth out rough edges as needed.

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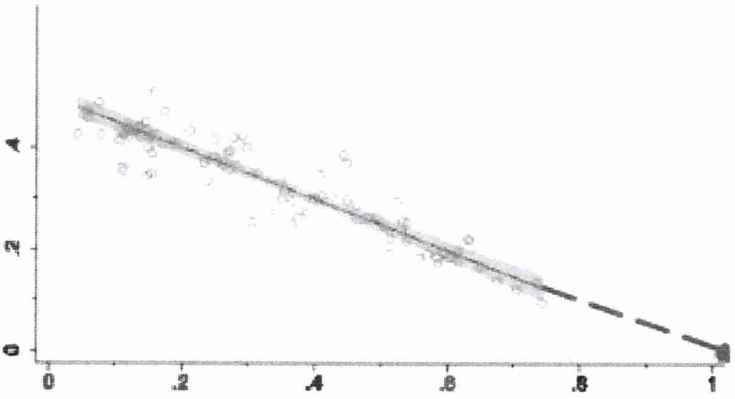
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Voting Rights Act & Demographic Analysis





No company has met the voting rights act-related demographic needs of more local governments than NDC.

NDC performed analysis of potential California Voting Rights Act liability for over 300 California jurisdictions, and every one of our hundreds of districting and redistricting projects includes compliance with the Federal Voting Rights Act.

The longer you put off receiving the expert assistance you need, the more you risk unnecessary and costly legal disputes. NDC's analysis will answer your questions regarding compliance with the California and Federal Voting Rights Acts. Our analysis provides you with the informed confidence you need to safely make the right decisions for your community. And NDC's experience ensures the smooth implementation of any needed changes. Contact NDC today.

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NDC is the leading demographic expert on the CVRA, having performed demographic assessments of potential CVRA liability for more than 300 California local governments.

Tulare, Madera Unified, Modesto, the City of Madera, Visalia, Compton, Escondido, Palmdale, San Mateo County, Anaheim and other jurisdictions all came to NDC for assistance when facing CVRA lawsuits. Hundreds of other jurisdictions came to NDC for analysis of potential liability before the plaintiffs appeared.

The 2002 passage of the California Voting Rights Act triggered a "quiet tsunami" of change in local government elections. So far CVRA led to election system changes in:

- 216 school districts
- 34 community college districts
- 137 cities
- 1 County Board of Supervisors (all counties are now by-district)
- 35 water and other special districts

To put the scale of change in context, prior to 2002 only 29 of California's 482 cities elected Councilmembers by-district. In less than 20 years, that number jumped to over 160. (Numbers last updated May 20, 2020.)

NDC President Douglas Johnson has served as an expert witness or consultant in prominent CRVA cases such as Jauregui v. Palmdale (2013). He has been a speaker on the CVRA at conferences of the

California School Board Association, the California Latino School Board Member Association, the California League of Cities, and other state and national conferences on redistricting and the Federal and California Voting Rights Acts.

NDC welcomes the opportunity to assist your jurisdiction with low-cost analysis of potential CVRA liability. Our unmatched experience provides 'real world' insights into what plaintiffs claim and how such cases proceed, both in court and in the court of public opinion.

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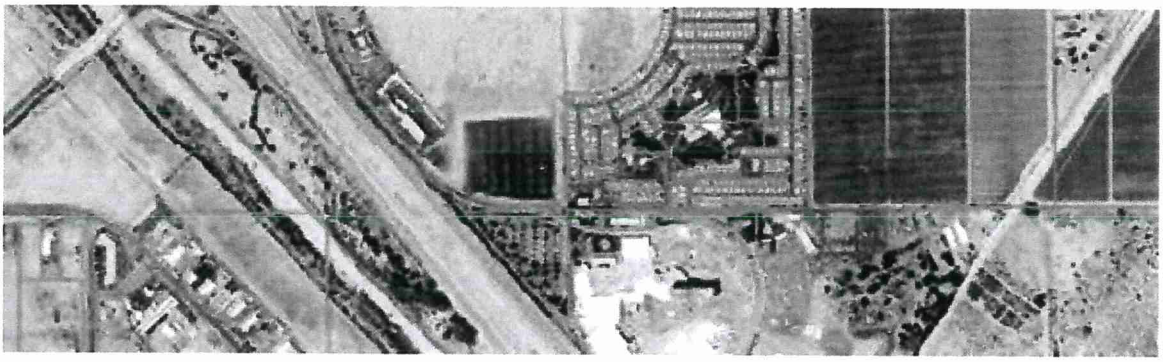
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GIS Mapping



For local governments, mapping data is the new frontier for innovation and cost-effective improvements in service. Accurate mapping can ensure voters get the right ballots in each election; ensure accurate population counts by the US Census lead to the proper allocation of federal program money to the jurisdiction; and enable the public to understand and participate in their community through activities such as reporting crimes, wild animal sightings, graffiti clean up requests, and the like.

NDC's experience in GIS and online mapping can help.

NDC's primary focus is on assisting county registrars and city clerks with election-related mapping of voters, precincts, ballot types, and live-precinct-by-precinct election night result reporting.

NDC also acts as liaison between the Census Bureau and local jurisdictions, updating Census maps to ensure accurate population counts (and the dollars that come with them). NDC can assist with LUCA, BBSP, or any of the other "alphabet soup" list of Census geography partnership programs – each of which leads to better geographic data and a more accurate population count.

Finally, NDC can assist with online mapping (both Google Maps and ArcGIS Online), which enables jurisdictions to share internal data with their constituents, and to gather input and ideas from those constituents.

Whether your jurisdiction seeks assistance for your internal GIS team or to completely outsource the work, NDC is ready and willing to help.

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Sierra CCD
Southwestern CCD
San Diego County Office of Education
San Joaquin County Office of Education
San Luis Obispo County Office of Education
Tuolume County Office of Education
Alpine Union
Alpine Union Elementary
Alta Vista
Bakersfield City Schools
Bonsall Union Elementary
Borrego Springs Unified
Burton Elementary
Cajon Valley Union
Cajon Valley Union

Cities

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Cathedral City
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Special Districts

Alta Irrigation
Antelope Valley-East Kern
Apple Valley Fire
Carpinteria Sanitary District
Citrus Heights Water
Coalinga Healthcare
Coastside County Water
Desert Healthcare
Eatern Municipal Water
Elsinore Valley Municipal Water
Fallbrook Regional Healthcare
Foothill Municipal Water
Fresno Irrigation
Goleta Sanitary District
Goleta Valley Water
Grossmont Healthcare
Hi Desert Water
Imperial Irrigation District
Joshua Basin Water
Jurupa CSD
Lake Arrowhead CSD
Leucadia Wastewater
Mojave Water
Monterey Airport

Counties

Clark County
Kings County
Los Angeles County
Merced County
San Bernardino County
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Yuma County

Community College Districts

Antelope Valley
Barstow
College of the Canyons
Coast
Cuesta
Glendale
Grossmont-Cuyamaca
MiraCosta
Palomar
Rancho Santiago
San Diego
Sierra

Other Entities

Atlantic Richfield Company
Los Angeles County Fairplex
National Association of Manufacturers

Elementary
Calistoga Joint Unified
Capistrano Unified School District
Capistrano Uniifed
Cardiff Elementary
Carlsbad Unified
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Cayucas
Centinela Valley
Central Unified
Chula Vista Elementary
Chula Vista Elementary
Clay Elementary
Clovis Unified
Coalinga – Huron
Board of Education
Coronado Unified
Dehesa Elementary
Del Mar Union Elementary
Dinuba Unified
Eastern Sierra Unified
Elk Grove Unified
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On the state of Arizona's behalf, NDC is coordinating the state's 2020 Census "Block Boundary Suggestion Program." This is the first opportunity for state, county and local officials to draw the Census Blocks that will be used for the 2020 Census counts, and, in so doing, influence the flexibility to draw precincts and Congressional, state [...]

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On August 20, 2014, the California Supreme Court declined to review a Second District Court of Appeal ruling that charter cities are vulnerable to litigation under the California Voting Rights Act. The ruling is the latest in the City of Palmdale's ongoing CVRA litigation, Jauregi vs. City of Palmdale, S219809. The Los Angeles Times, San Francisco Chronicle, [...]

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NDC President Douglas Johnson is prominently quoted in the Orange County Register's in-depth coverage of the California Voting Rights Act and the Act's impact on Orange County jurisdictions.

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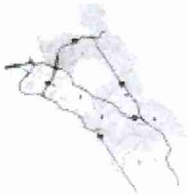


NDC President on Voting Districts

Christian Science Monitor publishes NDC President Johnson's thoughts on redistricting.

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Oakland selects NDC to assist 2013 Council and School Board Redistricting.

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NIELSEN MERKSAMER'S REDISTRICTING AND VOTING RIGHTS PRACTICE

One of Nielsen Merksamer's specialties is voting rights and redistricting law. Marguerite Leoni heads the firm's redistricting and voting rights practice. Chris Skinnell works closely with Marguerite and brings to the practice, in addition to his knowledge of redistricting law, knowledge of and facility with the GIS systems and databases fundamental to redistricting and voting rights analysis. Other experienced voting rights litigators and advisors include Sean Welch and David Lazarus.

In 2011-12 alone, the firm advised over 100 public entities on all aspects of the redistricting process, state and federal voting rights law, including the California Voting Rights Act ("CVRA"). In the years since, the firm has continued to advise many jurisdictions on questions concerning potential liability under the federal and state Voting Rights Acts and on the process of transitioning from at-large voting to district-based elections, and the substantive legal considerations regarding the drawing of the lines.

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Nielsen Merksamer's voting rights and redistricting practice includes:

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Our firm has provided legal representation in the following redistricting and voting rights matters since 2000.

SELECTED VOTING RIGHTS AND REDISTRICTING PROJECTS, 2000-PRESENT*

A. REDISTRICTING/VOTING RIGHTS COUNSEL.

- **State of Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission**: Represented consultant to the Commission concerning all aspects of the 2001 first ever citizen-commission redistricting of the state's Congressional and legislative districts including United States Attorney General preclearance under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act.

- **Senate of the State of Florida**: Represented the Florida State Senate concerning all aspects of the state's 2001 Congressional and state Senatorial redistricting including United States Attorney General preclearance under the federal Voting Rights Act; special litigation counsel in state and federal courts defending against constitutional and Voting Rights Act challenges to the plans.

- **Merced County, California**: Nielsen Merksamer has represented the County for more than a decade concerning voting rights and elections issues, including United States Attorney General preclearance under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act and voting rights litigation. In both 2001 and 2011, the firm represented the County concerning all aspects of the redistricting of the county's supervisorial districts. As discussed above, following an extensive audit process and successfully defending the County in litigation alleging Voting Rights Act violations (*Lopez v. Merced County*), the firm represented the County in successfully seeking judicial approval of bailout from its Section 5 obligations, making the County the largest jurisdiction to successfully exit Section 5 coverage. *Merced County v. Holder*, Case No. 12-cv-00354-TFH-DST-ABJ (D.D.C. 2012) (three-judge § 5 court) (consent judgment

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* Information re the firm's pre-2000 voting rights and redistricting practice can be requested.

filed Aug. 31, 2012). The firm has been retained to represent the County in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.

- **San Diego County, California:** Represented the County concerning all aspects of the redistricting of the county's supervisorial districts in 2011. The firm has been retained to represent the County's Independent Redistricting Commission in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.

- **Tulare County, California:** Represented the County concerning all aspects of the redistricting of its supervisorial districts in 2001 and 2011. The firm has been retained to represent the County in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.

- **Monterey County, California**: Special voting rights counsel to the County with regard to its 2011 supervisorial redistricting. Represented the County as special counsel with regard to United States Attorney General preclearance of the county's 2001 and 2011 supervisorial redistrictings under the federal Voting Rights Act.

- **Yuma County, Arizona**: Special voting rights counsel to the County with regard to its 2011 supervisorial redistricting. Represented the County with regard to United States Attorney General preclearance of the county's 2011 supervisorial redistricting under the federal Voting Rights Act.

- **Numerous Cities:** Represented the following cities concerning the redistricting of the cities' councilmanic districts in 2011-2012:

    - *City of Stockton, California:* Represented the City concerning all aspects of the redistricting of the City's councilmanic districts in 2011.

    - *City of San Diego, California:* Represented the City concerning voting rights aspects of the redistricting of the City's councilmanic districts in 2011.

    - *City of Elk Grove, California:* In connection with the City's decennial redistricting process, advised the City regarding the move from five councilmanic districts to four districts with a separately-elected Mayor.

    - *City of Compton, California:* Following a vote to adopt by-district elections, advised the City regarding the readjustment of its councilmanic district boundaries based on the 2010 Census.

- *City of Glendale, Arizona:* Represented the City concerning Voting Rights Act compliance—including preparation of Attorney General preclearance submission—in connection with the redistricting of the City's councilmanic districts in 2011.

- *City of Buckeye, Arizona:* Represented the City concerning Voting Rights Act compliance—including preparation of Attorney General preclearance submission—in connection with the redistricting of the City's councilmanic districts in 2011.

- *City of Surprise, Arizona:* Represented the City concerning Voting Rights Act compliance—including preparation of Attorney General preclearance submission—in connection with the redistricting of the City's councilmanic districts in 2011.

- **City of Los Banos, California:** In response to threatened litigation under the California Voting Rights Act, advised the City on a course of action to move to council districts, by submitting a change of electoral system to the voters, which avoided the filing of litigation and resulted in no attorneys' fees paid to plaintiffs' counsel. The firm has been retained to represent the City in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.

- The firm has similarly represented the following additional cities in in responding to threatened litigation under the CVRA:

  - City of Chino
  - City of Encinitas
  - City of Fremont
  - City of Hemet
  - City of Kingsburg
  - City of Martinez
  - City of Napa
  - City of Novato
  - City of Redlands
  - City of San Rafael
  - City of Santa Maria
  - City of Solana Beach
  - City of Sunnyvale
  - City of West Covina
  - City of Wildomar
  - Town of Yucca Valley

  It has been retained to represent a number of this cities in their 2021-2022 redistricting processes as well.

- **City of Fresno, California:** The firm has been retained to represent the City in its 2021-2022 redistricting process.

- **City of Modesto, California:** Following litigation under the California Voting Rights, retained to advise the City regarding compliance with federal voting rights law and its commission process for moving to by-district councilmanic elections.

- **City of Atwater, California**: Represented the City seeking preclearance of voting changes under the federal Voting Rights Act.

- **Numerous Community College Districts:** Legal representation concerning redistricting of the district's trustee area boundaries and potential liability under the California Voting Rights Act. Representations included:

    - Coast Community College District
    - Cerritos Community College District (litigation discussed above)
    - Glendale Community College District (voluntary move to trustee areas after litigation, discussed above, was dismissed)
    - Santa Clarita Community College District (litigation discussed above). The firm has been retained to represent the District in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.
    - San Diego Community College District
    - College of the Sequoias
    - Merced College
    - State Center Community College District
    - West Hills Community College District

- **Tulare County Board of Education**: Represented the County Board of Education concerning all aspects of the redistricting of its trustee areas in 2001 and 2011, including United States Attorney General preclearance under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act. Ongoing representation regarding electoral and voting rights matters.

- **Tulare County School Districts:** represented more than a dozen school districts concerning CVRA matters and redistricting:

    - Visalia Unified School District
    - Tulare Joint Union High School District
    - Tulare City School District
    - Porterville Unified School District
    - Lindsay Unified School District
    - Woodlake Public Schools (in connection with unification)
    - Cutler-Orosi Joint Unified School District
    - Monson-Sultana Joint Elementary School District
    - Burton School District
    - Kings River Elementary School District
    - Strathmore Elementary School District
    - Sundale Elementary School District
    - Sunnyside Elementary School District
    - Sunnyside Elementary School District
    - Alta Vista School District

- Alpaugh Unified School District
- Buena Vista Elementary School District
- Farmersville Unified School District
- Liberty School District
- Columbine Elementary School District
- Oak Valley Elementary School District
- Palo Verde Elementary School District
- Pixley Elementary School District
- Pleasant View Elementary School District
- Rockford Elementary School District
- Terra Bella Union School District
- Traver Joint Union Elementary School District
- Waukena Joint Union Elementary School District

- **Fresno County Office of Education**: Ongoing representation advising the County Superintendent regarding potential liability and issues under the California Voting Rights Act.

- **Fresno County School Districts:** represented several Fresno County school districts in moving to trustee areas, to avoid any potential for CVRA liability:

  - Fresno Unified School District (ongoing representation relating to election issues, and the firm has been retained to represent the District in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.).
  - Firebaugh-Las Deltas Joint Unified School District.
  - Fowler Unified School District.
  - Golden Plains Unified School District.
  - Caruthers Unified School District.
  - West Fresno Elementary School District.

- **Kern County Office of Education:** Advised the County Superintendent regarding potential liability and issues under the California Voting Rights Act.

- **Kern County School Districts:** represented several Kern County school districts concerning CVRA matters and redistricting:

  - Kern Union High School District.
  - Bakersfield City School District.
  - Panama-Buena Vista Union School District
  - McFarland Unified School District
  - Rosedale Union School District
  - Greenfield Union School District
  - Fruitvale School District

- Arvin Union School District

- **San Diego County Board of Education**: Represented the County Board of Education concerning all voting rights aspects of the redistricting of its trustee areas in 2011. The firm has also consulted with this office regarding numerous school districts' proposals to adopt by-trustee area voting. The firm has been retained to represent the Board in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.

- **San Diego County School Districts**: represented numerous San Diego County school districts concerning CVRA matters and redistricting:

  - Cajon Valley Union School District
  - Chula Vista Elementary School District
  - Coronado Unified School District
  - Del Mar Union School District
  - Escondido Union High School District
  - Fallbrook Union Elementary District
  - Fallbrook Union High School District
  - Grossmont Union High School District
  - Jamul-Dulzura Union School District
  - La Mesa-Spring Valley School District
  - Lakeside Union School District
  - Lemon Grove School District
  - National School District
  - Palomar Community College District
  - Poway Unified School District
  - San Marcos Unified School District
  - South Bay Union School District
  - Spencer Valley Elementary School District
  - Sweetwater Union High School District
  - Vallecitos School District
  - Valley Center-Pauma Unified School District

- **Napa County Office of Education:** Advised the County Superintendent regarding potential liability and issues under the California Voting Rights Act.

- **Madera Unified School District**: Represented the school district that had been sued under the California Voting Rights Act in the legal process for moving to by-trustee area elections.

- **Merced Union High School District**: Represented the school district in the process of moving to by-trustee area elections, and adjusting its existing trustee area boundaries in time for its 2009 elections.

- **Numerous Other School Districts:** Retained to assess dozens of districts' potential risk of suit and liability under the California Voting Rights Act, and to advise the districts regarding the legal significance of demographic studies commissioned by the districts.

- **Monterey County Office of Education:** Represented the county committee in its consideration of a proposal to change the at large electoral system of Monterey Peninsula Community College District to by-trustee area elections. Obtained United States Attorney General preclearance of the adopted change.

- **Consolidated Irrigation District**: Represented CID in conducting first redistricting in 80 years in 2001; sought and obtained preclearance of new redistricting plan and dozens of historical annexations. Represented the District in readjusting its director division lines in 2011 following release of the 2010 Census.

- **Santa Clara Valley Water District**: Represented the water district in implementing a redistricting plan pursuant to recently enacted AB 466, and in readjusting its director division lines in 2011 following release of the 2010 Census.

- **Fresno Irrigation District**: Represented this large irrigation district with regard to revising and updating its electoral system in compliance with federal and state redistricting and voting rights laws in 2001, and in readjusting its director division lines in 2011 following release of the 2010 Census.

- **Santa Clara County Open Space Authority:** Represented the District in readjusting its director division lines in 2011 following release of the 2010 Census.

- **Yes on Proposition 11**: Represented the campaign regarding preclearance of Proposition 11, the 2008 ballot measure that established an independent commission for redistricting of state legislative offices in California.

- **Yes on Proposition 20:** Represented the campaign regarding preclearance of Proposition 20, the 2010 ballot measure that expanded the duties of Proposition 11's independent commission for redistricting to congressional offices in California.

- **California Administrative Office of the Courts**: Represented the AOC in obtaining United States Attorney General preclearance for the unification of California's trial courts. The firm also obtained preclearance of statewide constitutional and statutory amendments (Proposition 220, Proposition 191, S.B. 2139) and the Rules of Court enabling trial court unification. Also, obtained United States Attorney General preclearance of the unification of the superior and municipal courts of Monterey and Kings Counties.

- **Redistricting & Voting Rights Counsel** to numerous other counties, boards, college districts, school districts, water districts in California and Arizona for redistricting and voting rights advice, including among others the City of Rancho Mirage, City of Hanford, City of Reedley, City of Surprise, AZ, Alta Irrigation District, Merced Irrigation District, Riverdale Unified School District, Twin Rivers Unified School District, and Kings Canyon Unified School District, among others.

B. LITIGATION.

- ***Higginson v. Becerra*, 590 U.S. __, 140 S. Ct. 2807, 207 L. Ed. 2d 144 (2020):** Filed brief *amicus curiae* on behalf of six California cities supporting review of the constitutionality of the California Voting Rights Act by the United States Supreme Court.

- ***Robles v. City of Ontario*, Case No. DS2007038 (San Bernardino County Super. Ct. filed 2020):** Currently defending the City's determination to move to district-based voting starting in 2022, following the release of new Census data.

- ***Sanchez v. City of Martinez*, Case No. C-18-02219 (Contra Costa County Super. Ct. filed 2018):** Successfully represented city in defense of its redistricting plan, adopted under the "safe harbor" of the California Voting Rights Act, against a claim that the map considered improper criteria.

- ***Southwestern Voter Registration & Educ. Project v. City of Orange*, Case No. 30-2019-01051924-CU-CR-CJC (Orange County Super. Ct. filed 2019):** Representing City in defense against claim under the CVRA and districting process.

- ***Salas v. City of Palm Desert*, Case No. PSC-1903800 (Riverside County Super. Ct. filed 2019):** Representing Defendant in action under the California Voting Rights Act and in adoption of district lines.

- ***Southwestern Voter Registration & Educ. Project v. City of Camarillo*, Case No. 56-2018-00522031-CU-CR-VTA (Ventura**

County **Super. Ct. filed 2018):** Representing City in defense against claim under the CVRA, where City had not adopted "safe harbor" resolution but had informed plaintiffs' counsel of its intention to consider plaintiffs' demand in advance of next municipal election.

- ***Va. House of Delegates v. Bethune-Hill*, 587 U.S. __, 139 S. Ct. 1945, 204 L. Ed. 2d 305 (2019):** Filed brief *amicus curiae* on behalf of the American Legislative Exchange Council arguing in favor of the standing of legislators to defend a redistricting plan when the State's governor and/or attorney general decline to do so.

- ***No. Carolina v. Covington*, 583 U.S. __, 138 S. Ct. 974 (2018):** Filed brief *amicus curiae* on behalf of multiple states' chief elections officials concerning logistical issues relating to last-minute injunctions against districting plans.

- ***Luna v. County of Kern*, Case No. 1:16-cv-00568-DAD-JLT (E.D. Cal. filed Apr. 22, 2016):** Represented the County of Kern, California, in defending against a challenge to its 2011 supervisorial districts under Section 2 of the federal Voting Rights Act.

- ***Bethune-Hill v. Va. State Bd. of Elections*, 580 U.S. __, 137 S. Ct. 788, 197 L. Ed. 2d 85 (2017):** Filed brief *amicus curiae* on behalf of political scientists concerning techniques for identifying racially polarized voting in a case concerning the legal standard for determining whether race predominated in the drawing of Virginia's legislative districts.

- ***Jaramillo v. City of Fullerton*, Case No. 30-2014-007375780-CU-CR-CJC (Orange Co. Super. Ct. filed 2014):** Advised city on voting rights aspects of settlement of litigation under the CVRA.

- ***Ariz. Legislature v. Ariz. Independent Redistricting Comm'n*, 576 U.S. 787, 135 S. Ct. 2652, 192 L. Ed. 2d 704 (2015):** Represented former California Governors Deukmejian, Wilson and Schwarzenegger; the California Chamber of Commerce; Charles Munger, Jr.; and Bill Mundell, as *amici curiae* on a brief that successfully urged the Supreme Court to reject a challenge to congressional districting by an independent commission, rather than a state's legislature; the majority opinion quoted (without attribution) a passage from the firm's brief discussing the original meaning of the term "Legislature" as reflected in founding-era dictionaries.

- ***Vandermost v. Bowen*, 53 Cal. 4th 421 (2012):** Represented Charles T. Munger, Jr., the leading proponent of Propositions 11 and 20, as

amicus curiae, addressing the possible remedies that the Court could employ in the event that it concluded the Senate Map drawn by the Citizens Redistricting Commission could not be used in 2012 due to a pending referendum petition against the map.

- ***Jauregui v. City of Palmdale,* Appeal Nos. B251793 & B253713 (Cal. Ct. App. 2d Dist.):** Retained following entry of trial court's July 23, 2013 order finding liability under the California Voting Rights Act, to represent the City in connection with the remedial stage of trial court proceedings, and on appeal. The case ultimately settled.

- ***Banales, et al. v. City of Santa Barbara,* Case No. 1468167 (Santa Barbara Superior Court filed July 29, 2014):** Represented City of Santa Barbara in defense of suit challenging at-large electoral system under CVRA; settled prior to trial, resulting in adoption of district-based elections. The firm has been retained to represent the City in its 2021-2022 redistricting process as well.

- ***Melliz v. City of Bellflower*, Case No. 551555 (Los Angeles Super. Ct. filed July 14, 2014):** Represented the City of Bellflower in defense of suit challenging at-large electoral system under CVRA; settled, resulting in adoption of district map, and placing the questions of changing to district-based elections on the ballot.

- ***Diego v. City of Whittier,* Case No. BC517363 (Los Angeles Super. Ct. filed Aug. 5, 2013):** Represented the City of Whittier in defense of suit challenging at-large electoral system under the CVRA, and on appeal from trial court order in favor of City dismissing action after City implemented district-based elections through the political process.

- ***Soliz v. Santa Clarita Community College District,* Case No. BC512736 (Los Angeles Super. Ct. filed June 20, 2013):** Represented Santa Clarita Community College District in defense of suit challenging at-large electoral system under CVRA. This case settled on the eve of trial. The firm advised the District on subsequent implementation of the settlement agreement and the adoption of trustee areas.

- ***Soliz v. City of Santa Clarita,* Case No. BC512735 (Los Angeles Super. Ct. filed June 20, 2013):** Represented the City of Santa Clarita in defense of a suit challenging at-large electoral system under CVRA; as part of the settlement process, successfully litigated complicated issues relating to the viability of cumulative voting as a remedy under the California Voting Rights Act.

- ***Avitia v. Tulare Local Healthcare District*, Case No. 07-224773 (Tulare County Super. Ct. 2007):** Represented the individual board members, named as defendants in their official capacities in an action under the California Voting Rights Act alleging that the healthcare district's at-large electoral system is illegal under the Act. Successfully opposed a motion for preliminary injunction and summary judgment, and conducted extensive expert discovery. This case settled the Friday before opening statements to commence trial.

- ***Moreno v. City of Anaheim*, Case No. 30-2012-00579998-CU-CR-CXC (Orange Co. Super. Ct. filed June 28, 2012):** Represented the City of Anaheim in defense of a suit challenging at-large electoral system under CVRA. The City settled the case by agreeing to submit the issue of district-based voting to the City's electorate. Following approval of district-based voting by the electors, our firm advised the City in connection with the districting process.

- ***Pinto v. Glendale Community College District*, Case No. BC490354 (Los Angeles Co. Super. Ct. filed Aug. 15, 2012):** Represented the District (as co-counsel with the District's general counsel firm) in defense of suit challenging at-large electoral system under CVRA. The suit was ultimately dismissed.

- ***Gonzalez v. City of Compton*, Case No. BC450494 (Los Angeles Co. Super. Ct. filed Dec. 2, 2010):** Represented City in defense of a suit challenging from-district electoral system under CVRA. Successfully opposed a motion for preliminary injunction and summary judgment, and conducted extensive expert discovery. After the case was mooted by a public vote to adopt by-district elections, represented the City in successfully mediating plaintiffs' demand for attorneys' fees resulting in an award of less than a third of the demand. The firm also represented Compton in its subsequent redistricting process.

- ***Chavez v. Cerritos Community College District*, Case No. BC470595 (Los Angeles Super. Ct. filed Sept. 27, 2011):** Represented the District in opposing an action under the California Voting Rights Act; moving to trustee area elections; and negotiating an attorneys' fee award of approximately 1/3 the amount demanded by plaintiffs.

- ***Gomez v. Hanford JUHSD*, Case No. 04C0294 (Kings County Super. Ct. 2004):** Represented the school district and Kings County Board of Education in defense of one of the very first actions under the California Voting Rights Act, negotiating a very favorable settlement of the action.

- ***Brown v. Bowen,* Case No. 12-cv-05547-PA-SP (C.D. Cal. 2012):** Represented Californians to Defend the Open Primary, the Independent Voter Project, former Lt. Governor Abel Maldonado, and David Takashima, in successfully seeking intervention and in defending against challenges to Proposition 14, the Top Two Open Primary Act, based on the U.S. Constitution and Section 2 of the federal Voting Rights Act.

- ***Lopez v. Merced County,* Case No. 06-CIV-01526-OWW-DLB (E.D. Cal. filed Oct. 27, 2006):** Successfully opposed motions for TRO and preliminary injunction seeking to enjoin the certification of municipal election results in November 2006 under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act. *Lopez v. Merced County*, 473 F. Supp. 2d 1072 (E.D. Cal. 2007). Successfully moved to dismiss first amended complaint on jurisdictional grounds, *Lopez v. Merced County*, 2007 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 44426 (E.D. Cal. June 8, 2007), and successfully moved for summary judgment on the second amended complaint based upon plaintiffs' lack of standing to challenge historical polling place changes. *Lopez v. Merced County*, 2008 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 3941 (E.D. Cal. Jan. 16, 2008).

- ***Merced County, Cal. v. Holder*, Case No. 1:12-cv-00354-TFH-DST-ABJ (D.D.C.) (three-judge § 5 court) (consent judgment and decree filed Aug. 31, 2012):** Represented the County of Merced in successfully obtaining "bailout" from its obligations under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act, making it the largest jurisdiction ever to obtain bailout.

- ***Alta Irrig. Dist., Cal. v. Holder*, Case No. 1:11-cv-00758-RJL-DHG-PLF (D.D.C.) (three-judge § 5 court) (consent judgment and decree filed July 15, 2011):** Represented the District in successfully obtaining "bailout" from its obligations under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act, making it the first jurisdiction in California ever to obtain bailout.

- ***Shelby County, Alabama v. Holder*, 570 U.S. 529, 133 S. Ct. 2612, 186 L. Ed. 2d 651 (2013):** On behalf of Merced County, filed an amicus brief in the Supreme Court in this challenge to Section 5's constitutionality, pre-emptively defending the County's recent bailout from anticipated attack on the basis that the Department of Justice improperly permitted the bailout as part of a strategy to save Section 5.

- ***League of United Latin Am. Citizens v. Perry*, 548 U.S. 399 (2006):** Filed an *amicus curiae* brief in the U.S. Supreme Court on behalf of the American Legislative Exchange Council & Free Enterprise Coalition, successfully urging the Court to reject plaintiffs' claim that the 2003

legislative redistricting in Texas was invalid because mid-decade redistricting is *per se* unconstitutional.

- ***Hernandez v. Merced County*, Case No. 03-CV-06147-OWW-DLB (E.D. Cal. filed Aug., 25, 2003) & *Gallegos v. State of California*, Case No. 03-CV-06157-OWW-DLB (E.D. Cal. filed Aug. 25, 2003):** Represented the County of Merced in successfully defending against a lawsuit seeking to enjoin the conduct of the 2003 gubernatorial recall election and related statewide ballot measures under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act.

- ***United States v. Upper San Gabriel Valley Muni. Water Dist.*, Case No. 00-CV-07903-AHM-BQRx (C.D. Cal. filed 7/21/2000):** Represented the district in defending a lawsuit brought by the United States Department of Justice under Section 2 of the federal Voting Rights Act to enjoin elections and compel interdecennial redistricting. Defeated a motion for a preliminary injunction after which the case was dismissed with prejudice.

- **City of Vista**: Represented the City in an investigation and threatened litigation by the United States Department of Justice concerning a possible violation of Section 2 of the federal Voting Rights Act arising from the City's at-large electoral system. By taking a multifaceted approach to the defense, including instituting a parallel investigation that demonstrated that the legal standards under Section 2 could not be met, the Department of Justice terminated its investigation.

- ***Lopez v. Monterey County*, 525 U.S. 266, 119 S. Ct. 693, 142 L. Ed. 2d 728 (1999):** Represented the Monterey County Municipal Court in obtaining preclearance of the consolidation of the municipal and justice courts. The firm also represented the municipal courts in a related enforcement action under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act.

C. **PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS**:

Recent publications and presentations by Nielsen Merksamer attorneys on voting rights and redistricting issues include:

- Skinnell, Follow-Up Interview re 2021 Redistricting, PublicCEO Report #16 (Sept. 16, 2021) (with Dr. Douglas Johnson & Ryder Todd Smith)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *Presentation, Legal Requirements & Technical Aspects of Redistricting in 2021*, RURAL COUNTY REPRESENTATIVES OF CAL. (Mar. 5, 2021) (with Dr. Douglas Johnson)

- Skinnell, Interview re 2021 Redistricting, PublicCEO Report #6 (Feb. 18, 2021) (with Dr. Douglas Johnson & Ryder Todd Smith)
- Skinnell, Presentation, *2021 Redistricting is Here—and the Rules Have Changed Again*, LEAGUE OF CAL. CITIES - CITY CLERKS NEW LAW & ELECTIONS SEMINAR (Dec. 18, 2020) (with Dr. Douglas Johnson, Shalice Tilton, and Elio Salazar)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *Presentation, CLE Brown Bag Webinar: 2021 Redistricting – What County Counsel Needs to Know*, COUNTY COUNSEL'S ASSN. OF CAL. (Dec. 17, 2020) (with Dr. Douglas Johnson)
- Leoni, Moderator and Panelist, *Timeline and Public Records Requirements*, ROSE INSTITUTE OF STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT, CONFERENCE: 2021 REDISTRICTING: NEW RULES FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENTS (Sept. 17, 2020) (with Shalice Tilton, Randi Johl, and Neal Kelley)
- Skinnell, Moderator and Panelist, *Criteria for Redistricting*, ROSE INSTITUTE OF STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT, CONFERENCE: 2021 REDISTRICTING: NEW RULES FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENTS (Sept. 17, 2020) (with Dr. Justin Levitt and Nicolas Heidorn, Esq.)
- Skinnell & Welch, *Presentation, Redistricting After 2020 Census*, MUNI. L. INSTITUTE/BAR ASSN. OF SAN FRANCISCO (Mar. 6, 2020) (with Dr. Douglas Johnson)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *Presentation, 2020-2021 California Redistricting: A Legal and Legislative Update*, COUNTY COUNSEL'S ASSN. OF CAL., MEETING & ROUNDTABLE OF COUNTY COUNSEL LEGAL ADVISORS TO COUNTY ELEC. OFFICIALS (Jan. 17, 2020)
- Skinnell, *Presentation, Redistricting 101 for Municipalities*, LEAGUE OF CAL. CITIES - CITY CLERKS NEW LAW & ELECTIONS SEMINAR (Dec. 12, 2019)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *Webinar, Local Redistricting in California in 2021: The Same... But Different*, ROSE INSTITUTE OF STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT (Nov. 7, 2019) (with Dr. Justin Levitt).
- Leoni & Skinnell, Webinar, "The California Voting Rights Act: A Revolution in Local Governance," ROSE INSTITUTE OF STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT (Oct. 24, 2019) (with Dr. Douglas Johnson)
- Skinnell, *Presentation: 2020 Census and Redistricting*, STATE L. RES. GROUP (Sept. 20, 2019)
- Skinnell, Panelist, *Partisan Gerrymandering: 2019 Update*, AM. BAR ASSN. YOUNG LAWYERS DIV. ANNUAL MEETING (Aug. 9, 2019)
- Skinnell, *Presentation: District Elections*, SANTA CLARA & SAN MATEO COUNTIES/CITIES JOINT MANAGERS MEETING (June 13, 2018)

- Skinnell, *Presentation: Taking Voter Equality Seriously: What Does "One-Person, One-Vote" Really Mean?*, ROSE INSTITUTE OF STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT (Nov. 17, 2015)
- Leoni, *Presentation, The California Voting Rights Act: Understanding Your City's CVRA Options: 2015 Update*, LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES: 2015 ANNUAL CONFERENCE (Oct. 1, 2015)
- Skinnell & Leoni, "Victory for California Voters, Too," THE LOS ANGELES DAILY JOURNAL (July 10, 2015) (article analyzing the impact of the Supreme Court's ruling in *Arizona Legislature v. Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission*)
- Skinnell, *Presentation (Online Seminar),* Arizona Legislature v. Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission*: Supreme Court Addresses the Future of Redistricting Reform in America*, PRACTISING LAW INSTITUTE (July 10, 2015)
- Skinnell, *Presentation, Who Draws the Lines? Will the Supreme Court Strike Down Independent Redistricting Commissions?*, ROSE INSTITUTE OF STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT (Apr. 6, 2015) (Moderator)
- Skinnell & Leoni, *Guest Post: Response by Merced County's Section 5 Lawyers to J. Christian Adams's Article*, ELECTION LAW BLOG, ELECTIONLAWBLOG.ORG (Dec. 3, 2013)
- Leoni, *Presentation, The California Voting Rights Act*: LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES CITY MANAGERS DEPT. MEETING (Jan. 29, 2015)
- Skinnell, *Webinar: The Supreme Court's* Shelby County *& the Future of Voting Rights Enforcement,* PRACTISING LAW INSTITUTE (July 12, 2013)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *Chapter 12: The California Voting Rights Act*, AMERICA VOTES! A GUIDE TO MODERN ELECTION LAW AND VOTING RIGHTS (Am. Bar Assn. 2d ed. 2012)
- Skinnell, *Presentation, Redistricting: Court Challenges & Legal Issues*, THE COUNCIL ON GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS LAWS ANNUAL CONFERENCE (Dec. 5, 2011)
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- Skinnell, *Presentation, Section 203 of the Federal Voting Rights Act*, CAL. ASSN. OF CLERKS & ELECTED OFFICIALS' ANNUAL CONFERENCE (July 19, 2011)
- Leoni, *Presentation, Redistricting 2011: Legal Overview & Practical Considerations*, CAL. COUNTY COUNSELS' ASSN CONFERENCE (Apr. 14, 2011)

- Skinnell, *Presentation, Commuter Flight: Participating In Local Redistricting*, CAL. REDISTRICTING ALLIANCE: REDISTRICTINGCA CONF. (Mar. 31, 2011)
- Skinnell, *Presentation, Redistricting Essentials: 2011 Redistricting & Local/Special Districts*, LOS ANGELES COUNTY REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK (Jan. 20, 2011)
- Leoni, *Presentation, Voting Rights Law & Redistricting 2011*, ROSE INSTITUTE: CHANGES AND CHALLENGES FACING THE (CAL.) CITIZENS REDISTRICTING COMMISSION (Dec. 2010)
- Skinnell, *Presentation, Redistricting Law 2011: The same . . . but different*, NAT'L CONFERENCE OF STATE LEGISLATURES: FALL FORUM (Dec. 11, 2009)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *Presentation, The California Voting Rights Act: Developing Jurisprudence*, CALIFORNIA SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION: ANNUAL 2009 EDUCATION CONFERENCE & TRADE SHOW (Dec. 4, 2009)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *Presentation, The California Voting Rights Act: Developing Jurisprudence*, LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES: 2009 CITY CLERKS NEW LAW & LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE (Dec. 3, 2009)
- Leoni, *Presentation, Redistricting Law 2011*, ROSE INSTITUTE: REDISTRICTING, THE 2000 CENSUS, AND YOUR BUDGET (Oct. 15, 2009) (Marguerite served as the co-chair of this conference on local redistricting)
- Skinnell, *Presentation, The California Voting Rights Act: Developing Jurisprudence*, ROSE INSTITUTE: REDISTRICTING, THE 2000 CENSUS, AND YOUR BUDGET (Oct. 15, 2009)
- Leoni, *Presentation, Trends in Redistricting for 2011*, CALIFORNIA POLITICAL ATTORNEYS ASSOCIATION (Sept. 12, 2009)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *The California Voting Rights Act*, PUB. L. J. (CAL. STATE BAR) 15 (Spr. 2009)
- Leoni & Skinnell, *School Districts & the California Voting Rights Act*, CAL. SCHOOLS MAGAZINE 9 (Spr. 2009)

BIOGRAPHIES

MARGUERITE MARY LEONI is a partner of the firm, whose practice focuses on legal counseling and civil litigation relating to voting rights and redistricting questions, school district reorganizations, campaign, government and initiative/referendum law, and complex issues pertaining to elections administration. Her practice includes both advising clients on these matters as well as trial and appellate practice.

Marguerite has represented numerous state agencies, municipalities, counties, school districts and other special districts on districting, redistricting, voting rights and electoral matters, including unique expertise in the California Voting Rights Act. She has assisted in all phases of voting rights and redistricting cases including design of redistricting plans, the public hearing process, analysis of proposed alternatives, enactment procedures, referenda, districting and redistricting, preparing and advocating preclearance submissions to the U.S. Department of Justice when required, and defending federal and state court litigation concerning the legality of electoral systems under the federal constitution and Voting Rights Act. Marguerite represented the Administrative Office of the Courts on federal Voting Rights Act issues and electoral questions pertaining to trial court unification in California. She also represented the Florida Senate in designing that state's 2002 Senate and congressional districts, Voting Rights Act preclearance, and in defending against ensuing state and federal court challenges. She also provided legal counsel to the consultant to Arizona's Independent Redistricting Commission for the 2001 redistricting of state legislative and congressional seats. Marguerite has substantial expertise and experience in administrative preclearance practice in the United States Department of Justice under Section 5 of the Federal Voting Rights Act.

Marguerite graduated from the University of California, Berkeley, where she earned both Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts degrees. In 1981, she received her law degree from the University of California, Hastings College of the Law. She was on the editorial staff of the Hastings Law Journal to which she was selected for academic achievement. She has published articles about Voting Rights Act issues and is a frequent panelist on redistricting and voting rights issues.

CHRIS SKINNELL is a partner of the firm and its general counsel. His practice focuses on law and civil litigation relating to redistricting and voting rights matters, elections, state and local initiative and referendum law, campaign finance compliance and litigation, lobbying compliance and government ethics, and general constitutional and government law issues.

Chris has extensive experience with redistricting and voting rights matters, from the legal, academic and technical perspectives. He has advised scores of counties, cities, school districts and special districts on compliance with state and federal laws governing redistricting; has counseled many additional public entity clients regarding the requirements of the federal Voting Rights Act and the California Voting Rights Act; has represented public entity defendants in several leading VRA and CVRA cases; and has represented *amici curiae* in several significant voting rights and redistricting cases before the United States Supreme Court, including: *League of United Latin Am. Citizens v. Perry*, 548 U.S. 399 (2006); *Arizona State Legislature v. Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission*, 576 U.S. 787 (2015); *Bethune-Hill v. Va. State Bd. of Elections*, 137 S. Ct. 788 (2017); and *No. Carolina v. Covington*, 138 S. Ct. 974 (2018).

Chris has also published and lectured extensively on voting rights and redistricting, including serving as a guest lecturer on these topics at Claremont McKenna College. Prior to law school, Chris worked as the lead researcher and demographic consultant on numerous redistricting and voting rights projects at the Rose Institute of State and Local Government, and also served as the technical/GIS consultant on several municipal redistricting projects.

Chris graduated *magna cum laude* from Claremont McKenna College and received his law degree from the University of Chicago Law School, where he served as the Editor-in-Chief of the *University of Chicago Legal Forum*.

In 2019, 2020, and 2021, Chris was selected as a *Northern California Super Lawyer*, having previously been named a Rising Star five times, from 2013-2017. He was the subject of a feature article in the 2020 edition of *Super Lawyer* magazine entitled "The Electioneer." Only the top 5 percent of all attorneys in California are named as Super Lawyers. They are selected through peer nominations and evaluations along with third-party research.

Sacramento magazine selected Chris for inclusion in its list of Top Lawyers of 2015 and *Sonoma Magazine* named Chris one of its Lawyers of Distinction in 2021. In both cases, attorneys were selected for inclusion on the list through a survey of local-area attorneys conducted for the magazines by independent third-party research firms.

SEAN WELCH is a partner of the firm specializing in law and civil litigation in the areas of election, campaign, initiative and referenda, government law, and complex litigation involving highly regulated industries.

Sean has extensive experience guiding clients through the complexities of the initiative and referendum process, from initiative drafting and the formation of ballot measure committees to mounting and defending legal challenges to ballot measures and ballot argument litigation at the state and local level. In addition to successfully litigating multiple cases in this area of law, including the removal of unlawful petitions from the ballot, Sean serves as legal counsel and Treasurer to numerous political committees in favor of or against ballot measures, providing guidance on a wide variety of state and local campaign reporting and disclosure requirements. He is also a trusted resource regarding voter registration issues, balloting, recounts, and election contests, and was a leader of ground teams and litigation strategy for the winning side during the first ever recount of a statewide ballot measure.

Sean also counsels non-profit organizations, corporations, political action committees and individuals on compliance with various federal, state and local election, campaign and government ethics laws, including conflicts of interest.

In addition, he has represented numerous clients in the private and public sectors regarding redistricting, voting rights, and constitutional and government law litigation.

Prior to joining the firm, Sean practiced in the San Francisco office of a national law firm where he represented public and corporate clients in matters ranging from public contracts and regulatory issues to antitrust and unfair competition disputes. He also served as an extern clerk to the Hon. Phyllis Hamilton, United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

HILARY GIBSON is a partner in the firm's Bay Area office. She advises clients on a wide variety of election law, government law, and voting rights matters, including litigating complex and novel issues arising in these areas of law.

Ms. Gibson has worked extensively with the firm's voting rights practice over the past decade. She was integral to Nielsen Merksamer's historic bailout of Merced County from coverage under Section 5 of the Federal Voting Rights Act and worked with the U.S. Department of Justice to address a variety complex issues related to that process. As a member of the firm's litigation practice, Ms. Gibson has assisted in the firm's representation of public entity clients in numerous voting rights act cases, and in that context, has developed expertise in the legal requirements of both the California and Federal Voting Rights Acts. She has worked closely with leading demographics and statistical consultants, and has experience reviewing, interpreting, and analyzing statistical and demographic data as it pertains to the redistricting process. Ms. Gibson is also an expert in election law and political reform legislation including conflict of interest laws and regulations.

Ms. Gibson also frequently advises both public agencies and private entities on issues within her area of expertise. She works with public agencies primarily on specialized matters such as redistricting, voting rights, and questions related to measures appearing on the ballot, but also by providing routine guidance on public transparency laws such as the Brown Act, the Public Records Act, and the Political Reform Act.

Ms. Gibson is currently serving as general counsel to the San Diego County Independent Redistricting Commission.

DAVID LAZARUS is an associate specializing in election law, voting rights matters, ballot measure legal compliance, school district reorganizations and related education law issues, and state and federal campaign, ethics, and lobbying compliance.

David's representative work includes defending officeholders, political committees, and corporations in ethics and political law enforcement matters before the Federal Election Commission, House Ethics Committee, Office of Congressional Ethics, and various state and local agencies, counseling a technology corporation's response to a government agency subpoena, developing corporate political activity policies, litigating election law, campaign finance, and voting rights matters, and forming and counseling non-profit organizations on tax and charitable registration laws. David also has extensive experience advising consulting firms, investors, law firms, and non-profit organizations on the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

David has worked on a wide range of voting rights and redistricting matters. During the 2018 election cycle, he represented committees in multiple state court proceedings to vindicate the rights of disenfranchised voters. He has drafted briefs and worked with expert witnesses in cases challenging restrictive election laws and practices that disproportionately impact older voters, disabled voters, and disenfranchised communities. David has also advised elected officials on the constitutionality of redistricting proposals.

David is a 2014 graduate of Stanford Law School, where he was a member of the Stanford Law & Policy Review. During law school, he worked as a law clerk in the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Northern District of California and assisted nonprofits with election law reform initiatives. Following graduation, David clerked on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit for Judge Michael Daly Hawkins.

Prior to law school, David worked on campaigns and public policy. He served on President Obama's Presidential Transition Team and then as Senior Advisor to Secretary Tom Vilsack at the U.S. Department of Agriculture. David was also Legislative Assistant to U.S. Senator Richard Durbin, where he worked on the 2008 Farm Bill and helped draft legislation that became the Food Safety Modernization Act (P.L. 111-353).

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Public Comments sent by email to County Committee regarding OCBE Redistricting Plan

Received PRIOR TO 12pm on December 10, 2021

	Date/Time Received	From	Notes/Description
1.	Wed., December 7, 2021, 8:06pm	Lois Anderson	Supports OCBE Map 9
2.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 10:31am	Sharon O'Hara	Supports OCBE Map 9
3.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 11:12am	Herb Cohen	Supports OCBE Map 9, alt. Map OCBE 4
4.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 2:21pm	Amabel Capelle	Supports OCBE Map 9, alt. Map OCBE 4
5.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 2:22pm	Richard Meyers	Supports OCBE Map 9
6.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 2:23pm	Meg Wolff	Supports OCBE Map 9, alt. OCBE Map 4
7.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 3:59pm	Janet M. Henry	Supports OCBE Map 9, alt. OCBE Map 4
8.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 4:03pm	Marc Lerner	Supports OCBE Map 9
9.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 4:15pm	Patricia DeLaunay	Supports OCBE Map 9
10.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 4:32pm	Felicity Figueroa	Supports OCBE Map 9
11.	Wed., December 8, 2021, 10:00pm	Catherine Palmer	Supports OCBE Map 9
12.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 11:08am	Christy Moshenko	Supports OCBE Map 9
13.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 12:59pm	Katie Arthur	Supports OCBE Map 9, alt. OCBE Map 9A
14.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 1:52pm	Rhea Dorn	Supports OCBE Map 9
15.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 2:39pm	Laura Shapiro	Supports Map 9A
16.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 5:10pm	Arlene Silverman	Supports Map 9A
17.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 5:16pm	Gisela Meier	Supports OCBE Map 9
18.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 5:55pm	Dorie Krepton	Supports Map 9A
19.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 6:39pm	Lynne Riddle	Supports Broader Consideration

20.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 6:42pm	David Salahi	Supports Map 9A
21.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 6:48pm	Debra Kim	Supports OCBE Map 9
22.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 8:00pm	Rona Henry	Supports OCBE Map 9
23.	Thur., December 9, 2021 10:35pm	Susan Guilford	Supports Map 9A
24.	Thur., December 9, 2021 10:47pm	Lauren Pliska	Supports Map 9A
25.	Thur., December 9, 2021 11:17pm	Billie Joe Wright	Supports OCBE Map 9
26.	Thur., December 9, 2021, 11:35pm	Debbie Salahi	Supports OCBE Map 9
27.	Fri., December 10, 2021 6:35am	Nancy Watkins	Supports Map 9A
28.	Fri., December 10, 2021 8:33am	Libby Frolichman	Supports Map 9A

From:	Lois Anderson
To:	County Committee on School District Organization
Cc:	george anderson
Subject:	Redistricting proposals
Date:	Tuesday, December 7, 2021 8:05:54 PM

Dear Committee Members:
I urge you to reinstate Option 9 map for consideration in redistricting. This map keeps communities together and offers best opportunities for representation. Other maps being considered appear to be very gerrymandered and not in the interest of communities and their students.
Please listen to the input of community and education leaders and do the right thing for our students.

Thank you for your consideration.

Lois Anderson
24405 Calle Torcido
Lake Forest, CA. 92630

From: sharon ohara
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Map 9
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 10:31:26 AM

Please add Map option 9 to your agenda for consideration and adoption.
I'm a retired teacher from SAUSD and believe that it's the best option.
Thanks,
Sharon OHara
700 W Walnut Ave
Unit 21
Orange 92868

Sent from Sharon's iPhone

From: HERB COHEN
To: County Committee on School District Organization; ocbe
Subject: District Maps_OCBOE Meeting
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 11:11:52 AM

Dear OCBOE:

Please add Option 9 back to today's agenda. Options 4 & 5 violates the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together. Should the Board not reinstate Map #9 then Map #4 is the next best option.

Map 9 was submitted by a coalition of community members whose intention is to eliminate gerrymandering and ensures communities remain together, especially Latinx and the AAPI communities; and that each district have an elected member of their community on the Board.

-herb cohen / Lake Forest

From: Amy Capelle
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Request for Re-Consideration of Districting Map Option 9 (OCBE)
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 2:21:27 PM

I request that map Option 9 be brought up for approval by this independent committee.

Map 9:

1. Ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE

2. The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency.

If this request cannot be accommodated, then I advocate for Map 4 over Map 5 -- though in reality, neither is an acceptable option.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Amabel Capelle
Parent and Registered Voter
San Juan Capistrano

From: Richard Meyers
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Map Option 9
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 2:22:18 PM

I am formally requesting that map OPTION 9 is voted back into the agenda, as allowed by Roberts Rules of Order with 3 of the 4 members of this board agree to bring back for consideration and a vote. Map 9 was submitted by a coalition of community members, organizations, and individuals that support strong public schools is OPTION 9 and the Board has removed this map from consideration. Map Option 9:

1. Ensures communities remain together, especially Latinx and the AAPI communities & ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE
2. Options 4 & 5 clearly violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and without ANY real community input or transparency

Sent from my iPhone

From: Meg Wolff
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Please Reconsider Map Option 9
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 2:23:19 PM

County Committee on District Organization,

I am a TUSD parent and I request that map Option 9 brought up for approval by this independent committee. Map 9 was submitted by a coalition of community members, organizations and individuals that support strong public schools.

Map 9:

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2. The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency.

If option 9 is completely off the table, please advocate for Map 4 over Map 5.

Thank you,

Meg Wolff

From: Janet M Henry
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Re-Districting Maps
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 3:58:55 PM

Dear County Committee on District Organization:

As a long-time active educational leader, I have grave concerns about some of the maps that the majority of the Board of Education has been contemplating, especially since one of these is going to be in place for the next ten years. There is much to questions here. While I am a strong advocate of map #9, in the spirit of compromise, I would be willing to accept map #4.

Map #4 does a necessary job of keeping Laguna Woods as a vital part of our educational community. We have been partners in educational advocacy for many decades, and it has worked to the benefit of all.

Moreover, map #4 keeps Saddleback Valley Unified School District intact. The District must already overcome problems with multiple cities sharing multiple school districts, so why do we want to add yet another layer of chopping up what is supposed to be a unified district?

I urge you to support map #4.

Sincerely,

Janet M. Henry

From: Marc Lerner, MD
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Redistricting
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 4:02:57 PM

I request that map Option 9 brought up for approval by this independent committee.
Map 9:

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2. The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency

Marc Lerner
4 Owen Court, Irvine CA 92617

From: Patricia DeLaunay
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Map Option 9
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 4:16:05 PM

Hello,

I request that map Option 9 brought up for approval by this independent committee. Map 9:

1. Ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE
2. The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency

Thank you,
Patricia

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Kind regards,

Patricia DeLaunay
pdelaunaydesign@gmail.com

From: Felicity
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Please vote for OPTION 9 for county redistricting!
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 4:32:05 PM

Dear County Committee on District Organization --

I request that Map Option 9 be brought up for approval by this independent committee.

Map 9 (see bottom of this email):

1. Ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE

2. The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency.

Thank you for your attention to this email and your help in ensuring ALL OC students are taken into consideration --

Best,

Felicity Figueroa
Irvine, CA

From: Catherine Palmer
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Public Comment: Special Meeting/Public Hearing on OCBOE Redistricting
Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 10:00:37 PM

As a current resident of OC Board of Education District 5 (based on 2010 census data), I am requesting that the County Committee on School District Organization review and support MAP OPTION 9. This is the only map which does not gerrymander District 1, and which keeps communities together. It gives fair representation to communities that are strong supporters of PUBLIC EDUCATION.

Options brought forward by the majority of the Orange County Board of Education violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together. They gerrymander districts to remove political foes. These maps were created by OCBE members, the majority of whom support private and charter schools over public schools, without any real community input or transparency.

Map Option 9 is the best option for communities to elect Board of Education members who will support public education. Please support the districts created by Map Option 9 and keep Orange County Public Schools excellent.

Thank you for your time and attention,

Catherine Palmer
27631 Agrado
Mission Viejo, CA 92692

From: Christy Moshenko
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Map Option 9
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 11:08:05 AM

Dear Sir/Madam:

I request that map Option 9 brought up for approval by this independent committee.
Map 9:

1. Ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE
2. The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency

Regards,
Christy Moshenko
christymo@cox.net

From: KATHERINE ARTHUR
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Please approve map 9A
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 12:59:00 PM

Dear OC BOE:

Please approve Map 9!

It ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE

The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency

Based upon Cypress community concerns, Map 9A has been amended to now continue Cypress remaining in District 2.

Sincerely,

Katie Arthur

400 Cabrillo St., Costa Mesa

From: Rhea
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: redistricting
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 1:52:06 PM

Dear OC board of Ed:

I am deeply concerned about the redistricting decisions you are making.

Each district needs to reflect the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE.

"Option 9-A" reflects the community's input and does meet the Voting Rights Acts laws in both the letter of the law and spirit of the law.

The original map 9 was amended based upon Cypress community concerns to keep Cypress in District 2. This is the best map for the entire county's population.

Yours,

Rhea Dorn

19191 Harvard Ave 168D

Irvine, CA

From: Laura Shapiro
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: redistricting comments
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 2:39:36 PM

Urging this committee to consider MAP 9-A!

1. Ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE

2. The option 5 brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency

3. In addition: this original map 9 was amended based upon Cypress community concerns, Map 9A has been amended to now continue Cypress remaining in District 2 so it is the BEST map for the entire county's population.

Sincerely,

Laura Shapiro, Irvine

From: Arlene Silverman
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Map 9-a
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 5:10:17 PM

Please consider choosing map 9-a when considering which map to choose. It best reflects the members of the community that the elected official will represent.

Arlene Silverman
Retired teacher Newport Mesa

Sent from my iPad

From: ghmstein@aol.com
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Map approval
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 5:16:20 PM

Greetings,

I would like to state my support for the approval of Map 9 for Orange County Board of Education districts. This map is fair and ensures that Latino and AAPI communities stay together.

Please vote to approve Map 9.

Gisela Meier
4420 E. Wickham Avenue
Orange, CA 92867

From: Dorie Krepton
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Redistricting in Orange County
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 5:55:19 PM

Sent from my iPhone
My name is Dorie Krepton. I attended the Orange County Board of Education meeting last night,December 8,2021. At the meeting I and others presented our views and support for map 9 revise.
I was appalled at the boards dismissive attitude regarding my open comments and others on this position.
A substantial number of people spoke and others sent Emails only to have their views disregarded. When a significant number of community people support a given viewpoint they have a right to have their common interest hear. We were not acknowledged and we were unfairly ignored.
Was it too much to expect the Orange County board members to listen? To be open to another view?
Isn't that what these open forums are about —meaningful dialogue?
The public has a right to openly comment and present their views. The Orange County Board of Education suppresses the rights of its voters and doesn't allow for democracy to flourish. They are in violation of our civil liberties and they do not represent the county or its members.

From:	Lynne Riddle
To:	County Committee on School District Organization
Subject:	Public Comment 12-10 - OCBE violated Due Process
Date:	Thursday, December 9, 2021 6:39:08 PM

Members of the County Committee on School District Organization, thank you for the opportunity to share my views/concerns regarding OCBE redistricting process and their decision.

While I have placed my personal background and qualifications at the end of this message, I'll just cut to the chase.

Here are my conclusions regarding the unfairnesses – the *violations of fundamental due process* -- I witnessed personally and I strongly suggest are sufficient to negate the OCBE's redistricting map recommendation and that argue in favor of your consideration Maps 4, 5 and 9:

First, at the December 1st meeting when the board decided to exclude certain maps from further/final consideration – and only after public comments were closed -- did the Board appeared to informally discuss a slowly *evolving set* of criteria for map elimination. Those criteria had never before been shared with the public. Therefore we, the public, had no opportunity to fairly comment or even to ask for an opportunity to amend our preferred maps to conform to the newly emerging set of strictly applied criteria.

Second, when the board decided to advance Trustee Williams' Maps 4 (and 5) it did so giving Williams the right to AMEND his Map 4 to accommodate any new considerations that he and his board colleagues might later come to realize. YET, Map 9 advocates – six of which had personally spoken in favor --were NOT accorded any opportunity to AMEND their preferred map in light of the board's newly announced, your never previously, shared criteria.

That was grossly unfair/unjust.

In addition, in its discussion and justification for eliminating Map 9, the Board, generally, gave two reasons:

First, both Williams and Barke said they'd received more than 50 emails urging that Cypress be kept in District 2 rather than it being shifted to District 4 (as Map 9 did). When Trustee Gomez asked her board colleagues about the persuasiveness of the 6 speakers favoring Map 9, Williams and Barke (with Sparks apparently agreeing) cited the 50+ emails addressing Cypress concerns as being "overwhelmingly" compelling. Williams words. 51 was greater than 6 was the indication.

YET, after fully reviewing copies of 51 Cypress-related redistricting emails the OCBE received here's what I found.

-- When I culled out all the *exact* duplicates, the actual number was less than 30.

-- When I then *reduced to one* the number of emails credited to a single sender, the number dropped to about 17. (Remember: public speakers get just one shot)

Next I looked at content. Here's what I found.

The reasons Cypress writers advanced almost exclusively had no relevance to electoral office redistricting principles. Many spoke of shopping, festivity attendance and restaurant convenience.

About half were concerned that their children's school districts—or indeed the place they actually attend school -- would change. That's not the case. Many suggested if Cypress was placed in OCBE District 4 that their children would not be able to attend Los Alamitos middle and high schools. And factually, in the ordinary course, that's too is simply wrong.

> NOTE: Cypress K-6 kids attend schools in the Cypress Elementary School District (with includes children from La Palma. And the Middle/Junio and high school kids attend Lexington and Cypress High – both part of Anaheim Union High School district.

Finally, during the Board's discussions, it was suggested that Map 9 would prejudice the Asian American community – something Williams said was "unacceptable."

Yet, in none of the 51 Cypress mentioning emails was there expression of concern about ethnic -- Asian American or any other – diversity/representational concerns.

Accordingly, I strongly suggest the OCBE's decision to eliminate Map 9 was grossly unfair. It was a total *violation of due process.* And on that account, I urge the CCSDO, to *set aside the OCBE's elimination of the now amended Map 9A* – which has placed Cypress back in District 2 – and consider for your final determination Maps 4, 5 and 9.

Finally, and just FYI, I asked the OCBE in public comment on 12-8 the reconsider its elimination of Map 9. That request was summarily ignored.

Thank you for your consideration of my comments.

Very truly yours,

Lynne Riddle, Orange County resident

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The Background to my observations and argument?

I know due process when I see it. I know when it has been fatally ignored. Why? How?

Only for the purpose of putting my comments into context, let me share I served as a federal judge for 14 years, at the Regan Federal Courthouse in Santa Ana. In that capacity I heard and decided not less than 50,000 contested matters. But importantly there, and here, the absolute beginning point at in every hearing was to assure that due process – fair notice, fair access to all facts and an opportunity to be heard -- was afforded to all parties.

Without due process, there is no justice. Plainly, no fairness.

Moreover, I've personally attended all the 2021 OCBE meetings regarding redistricting, carefully studied all the meeting transcripts, and pursuant to a Public Records Request

received copies of and have studied the 51 email public comments the OCBE received between November 1 and December 2nd.

Again, I conclude, based on the evidence presented at the meetings, transcripts and the 51 emails, the OCBE's conduct of its redistricting process and public hearings on December 1 and 8th were fatally flawed as they violated every principle of due process and of the Brown Act.

From: David Salahi
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Item 8 Request by the Orange County Board of Education to Adopt Trustee Area Redistricting Plan
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 6:42:56 PM

It is my understanding that Option 9 was removed from the list because OCBE received "50 or more" emails asking that Cypress, Los Alamitos and Rossmoor be kept together. Based on this concern, Map 9 was amended to keep Cypress in District 2.

Option 9 is the fairest map. It was made by a coalition of community members, organizations, and individuals. Option 9 ensures that communities remain together, especially Asian American and Pacific Islander and Latinx.

Please consider Map 9A in addition to Map 5 today and **approve** Map 9A. Map 9A is a community choice. I want my comments to go into the record.

David Salahi

From: Debra Kam
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Public comment - CCSDO 12-10-21 Redistricting
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 6:48:09 PM

I am writing to request that the CCSDO consider Map Option 9 at the December 12th meeting.

Despite the OCBE's decision to advance Map 5 and not even consider Map 9, Map 9 is the only map that was submitted by a coalition of community members, organizations, and individuals who support strong public schools. Map 9 ensures that communities of interest remain together - especially Latinx and AAPI communities.

After attending the OCBE meetings on both November 3 and December 1, it was clear to me that the board was giving undue weight to the concerns of a handful of residents in Cypress, and generally ignoring the concerns of supporters of Map 9. I saw at least one public comment from a Cypress resident who did not want to be broken off from OC and represented by Los Angeles County BOE! Most commenters made it sound like they would no longer be able to shop or attend festivals in Los Alamitos or Rossmoor if their city was placed in a different district. I did not see anyone from Cypress saying they wanted to stay in District 2 because of any concerns over dilution of or desire to preserve their minority Asian American community - something which would have been a more legitimate concern for the Board to address. And, for what it's worth, I did not see anyone from Los Alamitos complaining about being separated from Cypress....

Nevertheless, after hearing the concerns of residents, the community members who drew up Map 9 amended their map to keep Cypress with Los Alamitos in District 2. Still, the OCBE would not give Map 9 any consideration, thus denying the public the opportunity to participate fully in the redistricting process as required by law.

I live in Dove Canyon, the land of the fungible district. I moved here three years ago after my children graduated from Northwood High School in Irvine in 2015 and 2017. To this day, I could not tell you which local school district my current house is zoned for. In 2020 I counted yard signs for graduating seniors from at least four different high schools in both Capistrano and Saddleback districts on my block alone. My next door neighbor has a kindergartner, but the neighbors on their other side attend different schools. I live in Rancho Santa Margarita, but my zip code is in Trabuco Canyon. And, our neighborhood is likely to be lumped in with Riverside County and/or northern San Diego County when the Congressional, Assembly, and State Senate maps are finalized and adopted.

All this is a long way to say that while I certainly understand the desire of some residents to stay in a district with their neighbors, this redistricting process is, by definition, one of compromise. I believe, and the state's voting rights act requires, the most important criteria for the Board to consider are keeping communities of interest together and not creating gerrymandered districts for political gain - all while taking in community input and maintaining transparency throughout the process. With those concerns in mind, I again request you consider Map Option 9 - really Map 9A - when making the important decision on redistricting. Our community members deserve to be heard.

Thank you.
Debra Kam

From: Rona Henry
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Fwd: For the Record: Favor Option 9 - OCBE Re-districting Map
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 8:00:01 PM

I ask you to please consider not only Option #5 for the Redistricting but also Option 9.

Please see my public comment below

Rona Henry

---------- Forwarded message ---------
From: **Rona Henry** <rona.s.henry@gmail.com>
Date: Wed, Dec 8, 2021 at 11:36 AM
Subject: For the Record: Favor Option 9 - OCBE Re-districting Map
To: <ocbe@ocde.us>

Dear OC Board of Education Members,

I attended the December 1, 2021 OCBE meeting and made a comment **in favor of OPTION 9 Redistricting Map.**

Many other people showed up in person that night but their comments were not given any consideration and the Board majority voted not to move Option 9 forward. **In my view this demonstrated a complete lack of consideration of community input and I am feeling shame for the Board's performance.**

Option 9 does a good job of ensuring representation for AAPI and LatinX communities. Moreover, I understand that **Option 9 represents the views of a coalition of community members, organizations and individuals - arguably having more support than other options that were moved forward.**

I also observe that Option 4 and 5 are strangely shaped and appear to me to be gerrymandered.

At the meeting I observed alot of comments by Dr. Lisa Sparks about how the maps would affect her personally. Also, during the Board discussion, much was made of the 50 emails from Cypress residents. I understand several were duplicates - and concerns raised were often irrelevant or inaccurate (e.g., being moved to LA County).

I ask that you will more rigorously take into account community input - and set aside your personal interests - for the best interests of the children in our public schools. It is your solemn duty, as elected officials, to do this.

Finally, I ask that you approve the Option 9 Redistricting Map.

Thank you, Rona Henry, Resident of Laguna Woods

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Rona Smyth Henry
609-216-1784
rona.s.henry@gmail.com

Respect science, respect nature, respect each other.

From: Susan Guilford
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Item 8D - Redistricting map
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 10:35:52 PM

I urge the committee to select Map 9A because it ensures that communities remain together, in particular the Latino and AAPI, and provides those communities with an elected member of their community on the OCBE.

I am especially concerned about the options proposed by the majority on the OCBE that violate the state's voting rights act with respect to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymandered districts that remove political rivals and were developed with no real community input or transparency.

In response to Cypress community concerns, map 9A was amended to keep Cypress in District 2.

Thank you,

Susan Guilford
Orange CA

From: L Pliska
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Item 8 - Request by the OCBE to adopt Trustee District Plan
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 10:47:19 PM

Dear Orange County Committee on School District Organization,

Please ensure all my comments below are read into the record.

Please consider my favored Option Map 9A, not only the OCBE Map 5. In spite of numerous people asking that the OCBE approve Map 9A, by email and public in person requests, most of the OCBE members refused to bring this map forward. See my own submitted comments to the OCBE below this email.

I ask that Option 9A be brought up for approval by this independent CCSDO committee. Map 9A ensures that Latinx and Asian communities remain together. It means that they have a member of their own community, whom they have elected, on the Orange County Board of Education.

Cypress community concerns have been addressed on Map 9A by allowing them to remain in District 2.

OCBE has violated the state's voting rights act by bringing forward Map 5. This map does not keep communities together, but instead gerrymanders districts in such a way as to specifically remove political rivals that have been elected to represent their own unique communities. Map 5 was developed without any real actioned community input or transparency.

Please rectify this situation by approving Map 9A which was developed with community input, support, and comment.

Thank you.

Your frustrated Orange County resident,

Lauren Pliska
Santa Ana

---------- Forwarded message ---------
From: **L Pliska** <lauren.pliska@gmail.com>
Date: Wed, Dec 8, 2021 at 12:10 PM
Subject: Fwd: Option 9 Re-districticting
To: <ocbe@ocde.us>

Had to resend, failed the first time but this important.

Thank you.

---------- Forwarded message ---------
From: **L Pliska** <lauren.pliska@gmail.com>

Date: Wed, Dec 8, 2021 at 11:50 AM
Subject: Option 9 Re-districtricting
To: <ocbe@ocde.us

Dear Board of Education Trustees,

I want my comments below read into the record. If they go missing or are disregarded, I will assume that you have made an unfair political decision to omit them.

I am upset that Options 4and 5 are in consideration because both weirdly shape District 1. It looks as though Trustee Williams is choosing his own district and that it is designed to hurt District 1 Trustee Gomez. Please explain what happened to all the public comments in favor of Option 9 made by those who showed up in person at the earlier meeting.

I am writing in favor of Option 9 because it ensures that the Asian and Latinx communities have fair representation. It is unconscionable that you would seek to limit their voices.

If you choose Option 4 or 5, I will assume that you do not care about the people of Orange County, and that you are making a purely political decision for yourself, and not the communities you serve.

Very concerned,

Lauren Pliska
Santa Ana

From: Billie Joe Wright
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Cc: Billie Joe Wright
Subject: OCBE Trustee Redistricting Map
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 11:17:29 PM

Good evening Committee Members,

Please consider Map 9A (attached) that was submitted as a revision of Map 9 after hearing public feedback at the OCBE meeting on December 1st. As should be, originally submitted maps should be able to be revised to reflect public input.

Instead, the OCBE pushed only two maps forward. Map 4 created by Trustee William's and Map 5, an almost duplicate of Map 4. The board majority was going to allow William's to create 4a but decided to stick with 4 and 5 with no revision, just to not allow Map 9 to be revised.

This process has been shameful, unfair, and borderline corrupt. Most importantly, it has disrespected the spirit of community involvement. Instead, it has reflected the worst in political gerrymandering. I ask that you correct this.

The OCBE has gone out of it's way to threaten suing your committee if you do not fall in line with their actions. They purposely repeatedly stated that on the record and approved a resolution basically warning you at their last meeting.

Please stand up for our students, for our communities, for our democratic process. Do not fear the OCBE's majority's tyrannical threats.

My name is Billie Joe Wright, a government and economics teacher, that decided to model for my students how to fully participate in our local government by submitting a map to be considered for adoption as part of the OCBE Trustee redistricting. This is the first time I have ever done this but I wanted to ensure community input was prioritized, all legal requirements met, and that my students could learn about and respect our democratic process.

Unfortunately, we are angered and disheartened that the OCBE chose to circumvent the process, disrespect community supporters of our map like LULAC, and would not even allow our map to move forward for discussion and consideration.

Thank you for reading this email. I appreciate you considering what I wrote and taking a bold stand for our students and communities.

Billie Joe Wright
Anaheim, CA

Laurie Weiss

From: Debbie Salahi <debbiesalahi@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 9, 2021 11:35 PM
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Item 8 Request by the Orange County Board of Education to Adopt Trustee Area Redistricting Plan

To: Committee Members

I am asking that you consider not only Map 5, but the much fairer Map 9. This map ensures that the AAPI and Latinx communities have representation. My understanding is that Option 9 was made by a coalition of community members, organizations, and individuals.

One of the big objections at the OCBE meeting to Map 9 was that it put Cypress in a different district than Los Alamitos and Rossmoor. Because of this concern, Map 9 was amended to keep Cypress in District 2 (Map 9A).

There are serious questions of violations of the State's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together and gerrymandering districts without any real community transparency.

Please listen to the community and consider Map 9A along with Map 5 today. It is time for our AAPI and Latinx voters to have true representation, an elected member of their community on the OCBE. Please ensure that my statement is included in the record. I have also added a copy of my comments to the OCBE for the December 8th meeting, and comments made in person on December 1st to the OCBE

Debbie Salahi

Concerned OC resident and retired teacher

December 8th Redistricting Meeting
Debbie Salahi <debbiesalahi@gmail.com>

to ocbe
Board of Education Trustees:

I am writing to state **I am strongly in favor of Option 9.** I want my comments to go into the record. It should not have l members, organizations and individuals. It wasn't made by just one person.

Options 4 and 5 have a very strangely shaped District 1. This looks like a very political map. I am very surprised that Trustee Willia was many, many duplicates. If you pick Option 4, I will assume that this is just a political decision and as in the past you don't care

Please listen to the community and approve the fairer map, Option 9.

Debbie Salahi
Laguna Niguel

December 1st given in person OCBE

My name is Debbie Salahi. I have lived in Orange County for over 50 years. I am currently a resident of Laguna Niguel located in the Capistrano Unified School District. I was a teacher in the Anaheim Elementary School District for almost 20 years before I retired. I am here this evening to ask for your support of Map Option 9.

Option 9 is by far the fairest of the proposals because it is sticking to city boundaries, main streets, and freeways.

Option 9 keeps the Little Saigon community together.

Option 9 makes sure that the Central, Northern, Western, Eastern and Southern parts of the county all have representation.

Please approve a fair Board of Education map for Orange County by approving Option 9.

From: Nancy Watkins
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: OCBE redistricting
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 6:35:20 AM

Hello,

Please consider Map 9A as you review redistricting option for the OC Board of Education.

While the Current Board of Ed did not advance Map 9A for your review, the reasons provided are not a sound argument to eliminate this version from review.

Selfish political motivation by Board members that disregard fidelity of district lines and community and eliminated viable redistricting options demonstrate why Map 9A should be consider by the committee.

As a resident of Orange, I encourage you to review this option.

Thank you.

Nancy Watkins, Ed.D
729 E Glendale
Orange

From: libbyvince@socal.rr.com
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Redistricting
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 8:33:34 AM

I am writing today in hopes that this Committee will consider Map 9-A, submitted by a member of the public, before making a final decision on the County Districts that we will live with for the next 10 years.

Map 9-A is a revision of a map that was originally submitted by the OCBE before its November deadline. The revision accommodates the community desire to keep Los Alamitos and Cypress united in one district.

As a Fountain Valley resident, I am advocating for Map 9-A because it is the map that keeps Huntington Beach united in one district. Furthermore, it keeps Fountain Valley united with Huntington Beach—an important consideration since we share school districts. Two K-8 districts, Fountain Valley School District (FVSD) and Ocean View School District (OVSD), have schools in both cities, as well as the Huntington Beach Union High School District (HBUSD). Map 9-A complies with voting rights laws and keeps communities of interest together to voters the opportunity to elect a voice from their own community.

Thank you for your consideration,
Libby Frolichman

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Public Comments sent by email to County Committee regarding OCBE Redistricting Plan Received AFTER 12pm on December 10, 2021

	Date/Time Received	From	Notes/Description
1.	Fri., December 10, 2021, 12:08pm	Flossie Friedman	Supports Map 9A
2.	Fri., December 10, 2021, 12:28pm	Cindy Ashley	Supports Map 9A
3.	Fri., December 10, 2021, 1:23pm	Anne Krinsky	Supports OCBE Map 9, alt. Map OCBE 4
	Mon., December 13, 2021, 1:18pm	Darou Sisavath	**Forwarded Emails 4-15 from OCBE to County Committee**
4.	Fwd from Dec. 9, 2021, 10:44pm	Chuck Hsiu	Supports OCBE Map 5
5.	Fwd from Dec. 9, 2021, 10:53pm	Tobie Huff	Supports OCBE Map 5
6.	Fwd from Dec. 9, 2021, 11:30pm	Harumi Lucak	Supports OCBE Map 5
7.	Fwd from Dec. 9, 2021, 11:57pm	Amanda Huston	Supports OCBE Map 5
8.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 6:43am	Sara Espinosa	Supports OCBE Map 5
9.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 7:04am	Jason Miner	Supports OCBE Map 5
10.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 7:10am	Kasey Ventura	Supports OCBE Map 5
11.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 7:17am	Shannon Wooton	Supports OCBE Map 5
12.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 7:27am	Esther Yoon	Supports OCBE Map 5
13.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 7:53am	Jake Yoon	Supports OCBE Map 5
14.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 8:21am	Belen Smith	Supports OCBE Map 5
15.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 8:33am	Andrea Kazarian	Supports OCBE Map 5
	Mon., December 13, 2021, 1:19pm	Darou Sisavath	**Forwarded Emails 16-27 from OCBE to County Committee**
16.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 8:57am	Joyce Thomason	Supports OCBE Map 5
17.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 8:59am	Sara Espinosa	Supports OCBE Map 5
18.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 9:00am	Linda Bakker	Supports OCBE Map 5
19.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 9:01am	Cierra Nevada	Supports OCBE Map 5
20.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 9:12am	Patricia Allen	Supports OCBE Map 5
21.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 10:08am	Robin & Larry Itzler	Supports OCBE Map 5

22.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 10:09am	Clare Chu	Supports OCBE Map 5
23.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 10:27am	Diane Holdaway	Supports OCBE Map 5
24.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:28am -	Julie Buster	Supports OCBE Map 5
25.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:32am	Beth Culver	City of Cypress
26.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:39am	Whitney Mittmann	Supports OCBE Map 5
27.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:38am	Ingrid Galyan	Supports OCBE Map 5
	Mon., December 13, 2021, 1:20pm	Darou Sisavath	**Forwarded Emails 28-39 from OCBE to County Committee**
28.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:43am	Angela Epstein	Supports OCBE Map 5
29.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:49am	James M. George	Supports OCBE Map 5
30.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:49am	Heather Bessolo	Supports OCBE Map 5
31.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 11:59am	Tucker L	Supports OCBE Map 5
32.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:02pm	Michelle Dawson	Supports OCBE Map 5
33.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:06pm	Julie Sbicca	Supports OCBE Map 5
34.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:10pm	Michele Brown	Supports OCBE Map 5
35.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:14pm	Sedamar Fitzgerald	Supports OCBE Map 5
36.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:15pm	Soloman Brown	Supports OCBE Map 5
37.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:19pm	Jan Campell	Supports OCBE Map 5
38.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:20pm	Jean Chong	Supports OCBE Map 5
39.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:28pm	Candace Mendoza	Supports OCBE Map 5
	Mon., December 13, 2021, 1:21pm	Darou Sisavath	**Forwarded Emails 40-56 from OCBE to County Committee**
40.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 12:46pm	Claudia Schuetze	Supports OCBE Map 5
41.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:10pm	Yaseng Yann	Supports OCBE Map 5
42.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:13pm	Bethany Thomas	Supports OCBE Map 5
43.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:18pm	Joan Garnett	Supports OCBE Map 5
44.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:32pm	The Willmers	Supports OCBE Map 5

45.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:37pm	Nancy Cho	Supports OCBE Map 5
46.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:40pm	G De Perio	Supports OCBE Map 5
47.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:42pm	Nikki Leeper	Supports OCBE Map 5
48.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:43pm	Deanna Fogarty	Supports OCBE Map 5
49.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 1:59pm	Donna Barron-McGuire	Supports OCBE Map 5
50.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 2:53pm	Ronald (Chris Lucak email)	Supports OCBE Map 5
51.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 3:13pm	Misty Matz	Supports OCBE Map 5
52.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 3:40pm	Patrick & Norma Yarbrough	Supports OCBE Map 5
53.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 3:44pm	James & Claire Jessen	Supports OCBE Map 5
54.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 4:28pm	Colleen Cavalieri	Supports OCBE Map 5
55.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 4:43pm	Courtney Haldeman	Supports OCBE Map 5
56.	Fwd from Dec. 10, 2021, 5:00pm	Roxy Niksch	Supports OCBE Map 5

From: Flossie Friedman
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: mapping the districts in OC
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:08:52 PM

As a parent, grandparent, and retired teacher, I beg you to consider Map 9-A:

1. Ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE

2. The option 5 brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or transparency

3. In addition: this original map 9 was amended based upon Cypress community concerns, Map 9A has been amended to now continue Cypress remaining in District 2 so it is the BEST map for the entire county's population.

Florence W. Friedman

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Flossie

From: cindy.ashley@cox.net
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: OCBE Redistricting - Keep Map 9
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:27:52 PM

Good Afternoon,

I request that map Option 9a brought up for approval by this independent committee. Map 9 was submitted by a coalition of community members, organizations, and individuals that support strong public schools and the Board has removed this map from consideration. The Board has not treated all parties equally allowing Ken Williams an opportunity to amend his map at the last minute but not the creators of Map 9.

Map Option 9a ensures communities remain together, especially Latinx and the AAPI communities & ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE. Do not seek to disenfranchise people who live in Orange County and further tarnish Orange County's reputation. Map Options 4 & 5 clearly violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymandered districts to remove political rivals, and without ANY real community input or transparency.

Sincerely,

Cindy Ashley

RSM, CA

From: Annie Krinsky
To: County Committee on School District Organization
Subject: Map Options for redistricting
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:23:07 PM

Dear committee members,

I strongly urge you to support the selection of **map Option 9.** The basis for this request follows:

1. Ensures that communities remain together, especially Latinx and AAPI and ensures that each district reflects the voters from those communities have an elected member of their community on the OCBE.
2. The options brought forward by the majority of the OCBE violate the state's voting rights act with regards to keeping like communities together, creating gerrymander districts to remove political rivals, and were developed without ANY real community input or In

In the alternative, if Option 9 has been ruled out, **I urge you to select map Option 4.**

Thank you for your consideration.
Sincerely,
Anne Krinsky
Resident of Lake Forest

From: Chuck Hsiu
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 10:43:53 PM

To OCBE Board Members:

As a resident of the City of Orange, My wife and I favor Map #5. I was at the board meeting last night (Wednesday), and I will be at the board meeting tomorrow night. As an Asian American, I am not a fan of map #9. It will be a great disappointment if there is a re-vote even though the board voted for map #5 already.

Sincerely,

-Chuck

From: Tobie Huff
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 10:53:19 PM

Good Evening,

As I am unable to attend to meeting at OCBE tomorrow, I want to send a quick email to voice my support for the boards previous vote in favor of Map 5. Map 5 creates an equal number of voters in each district and keeps all current trustees in their current districts where they were elected by voters. Map 5 is simple and easy to read and understand. Boundaries are clear. Other maps presented do not provide these same ideas and some in fact are in violation of CA law.

Please let the well thought out vote stand and adopt Map 5.

Kindly,

Tobie Brown

From: Harumi Lucak
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and The Board of Trustees
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 11:29:52 PM

Hi,
I am a long time resident of Cypress and I am writing in support of redistricting map #5. It keeps Cypress within district 2. Cypress should not be separated from its sister cities Los Alamitos, Rossmoor. These 3 cities are so intertwined, the children from Cypress goes to Los Alamitos School district and vice versa. We celebrate each other's city festivals, holidays, sports events, and so on
The map is also very easy to understand, there is zero deviation, with each district with same number of people, unlike map #5 which has 2.36% deviation.
It keeps community of interest together
It keeps the trustees for each district they were elected to serve.
Like most residents of Cypress, I completely support map #5
Thank you

From: Orange Hustons
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Thursday, December 9, 2021 11:57:06 PM

Dear OCBE,

I am very concerned with the possible revoting regarding the redistricting of OCDE. Map 5 shows the true representation that Orange County residents elected into office. It also keeps an equal amount of voters in each district which is imperative for equal voting representation. In addition Map 5 is clear, concise and keeps micro communities together.

Contrary, Map 9 would move elected trustees away from where they were elected and does not have equal voting representation in each district.

If I didn't have work meetings already scheduled for tomorrow, I would most definitely have made it down to voice my concerns and objections to the proposed Map 9 redistricting.

Thanks,
Amanda Huston
Orange Resident

From: Sara Espinosa
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 6:42:56 AM

Hi OC Board of Education,

Thank you for taking the time to read my email.

I was there Wednesday night in support of map 5 & now I'm hearing there is another vote tonight. Why? It was clear by the people there, the majority, was in favor of your vote 3-1 in favor.

Map 5 is clear & it's fair!
We want you BOARD as our trustees!

Thank you!
Sara Espinosa

Sent from my iPhone

From: Madison Miner
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 county redistricting
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 7:03:52 AM

Good morning,

I am very disappointed to hear there is yet another meeting this evening regarding an issue that was voted in by majority Wednesday evening. I am not in favor of Map 9. I feel that map does not give equal vote to the people in our county according to our recent census. I support Map 5. Please listen to your constituents!

Sincerely,

Jason Miner
OCBE Parent

From: Kasey Ventura
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 -county redirecting committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 7:10:34 AM

Hello!

I am writing because I am in favor of Map 5, because it represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction.

Map 9 is against the law because it doesn't represent an equal vote for our county.

Blessings, Kasey Ventura

From: Shannon Wooton
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 county redistricting committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 7:16:44 AM

Hello,
I am writing to encourage you to vote and commit to Map 5 in the county redistricting. Please represent equally the jurisdiction of voters and do not vote in Map 9 but select Map 5.
Thank you very much!
Shannon Wooton
North Tustin resident

Sent from my iPhone

From: ESTHER YOON
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5- county redistricting committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 7:27:27 AM

Dear board members & committee members

I am not even sure why I need to write this email. I was at the board meeting on Wednesday evening and know that Map 5 have been voted on. Is it even legal to try to override the board's decision and change this??

I FULLY support MAP 5 because it makes sense and it is easy to read. I echo all the comments that were clearly made in support for Map 5. I am beyond upset that we are wasting time trying to reiterate everything we have said on Wednesday.

Board members are voted in by their constituents, and their job is to do What the majority wants them to do on behalf of them. Clearly, support for Map 5 is the majority. To go over this is waste of time and tax payers money.

Sincerely,
Esther Yoon

Sent from my iPhone

From: JAKE YOON
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 7:53:33 AM

As registered voter and resident of Orange County in California, I support Map 5 which is alreqdy voted on past Wednesday.

Let's Go Brandon.

From: Belen Smith
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 8:21:33 AM

Greetings County Committee & Board of Trustees,

I am sending this message in support of map#5,
There is Zero deviation, each district has the same number of people.

This allows the community of interest to stay together.

This keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.

Elections means a lot to all of us.

We really don't see the fairness in putting us into a different district with a politician we did not vote for or agree with.

My petition I bring before you is that you do not change what has already been voted on. ~ I implore you to not make additional changes.

Most Sincerely,

Belén Smith
Seal Beach Resident
(Leisure World)

Sent from Belén ~ From my iPhone

From: ANDREA KAZARIAN
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 county redistricting committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 8:32:59 AM

I'm in favor of Map 5, because it represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction. Map 9 is against the law because it doesn't represent an equal vote for our county.

Andrea kazarian

From: Joyce Thomason
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 8:57:41 AM

I live in the City of Orange and I'm in support of keeping Map 5. Why at this point do they want to change to Map 9, is it for political reasons?
Thank you for taking my support of Map 5 into consideration at your Board meeting as it means a lot to our City and children that live in Map 5 district.
Regards,
Joyce Thomason
42 year resident of Orange

Sent from my iPad

From: Sara Espinosa
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 county redistricting committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 8:59:30 AM

Hello OC Board of Education,

Please put our children first & not politics!
I attended Wednesdays meeting when you voted correctly 3-1 on Map 5 NOT Map 9. Now it goes to re vote tonight when I can't attend to voice my thought, because why? Of tantrums!?!
I saw who attended & spoke for map 9, they have zero kids in the district like us parents who don't want it. It's all political & awful!

Shame on you Beckie Gomez! We see you & your true colors & won't forget it!

Parent of two children in orange,
Sara Espinosa

Sent from my iPhone

From: Linda Bakker
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 9:00:26 AM

Hello,
I am in favor of Map 5, because it represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction. I am against Map 9. Map 9 is against the law because it doesn't represent an equal vote for our county.

Vote yes on Map 5

Thank you
Linda Bakker

From: CierraNevada
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 9:01:27 AM

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Dear members of County Commitee and Board of Trustees

Hi, my name is Cierra and I am writing this in support of redistricting map #5.
The map #5 was voted by the trustees on Wednesday the 8th and I fully support the consensus vote.
The map is nearly perfect, if not perfect!
-There is zero deviation, with each district having the same # of people, unlike map #9, which has a deviation of 2.8%.
I understand that there is an allowed room for deviation, however per redistricting expert, you want to be as close to zero deviation as possible.
When there is a near perfect map, with zero deviation, along with all the other criterias met, map #9 shouldn't even be considered.
Map #9 places current trustees in areas where they were not elected.
Again, when there is map #5, with zero deviation, all the trustees remaining in the areas where they were elected to serve, map #9 shouldn't even be a consideration.
Map #9 also does not respect the voters. It removes Cypress out of district #2.
Again, map #5 keeps all current trustees in the same area
It also keeps community of interest together.
Hands down map #5 is the best choice for the voters of Orange County, for the trustees where they represent and all the school district will greatly benefit with this selection, and I am completely in support of the consensus vote on Wednesday 12/08/21 for Map #5.
Sincerely,
Cierra

From: Patricia Allen
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 9:12:42 AM

I live in Newport Beach and I'm in favor MAPS 5 because it represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction. MAP 9 is against the law because it doesn't represent an equal vote for our county.
I appreciate you reviewing this matter and following the law.
Respectfully,
Patricia Allen

Sent from my iPhone

From: robinitzler@aol.com
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 10:08:13 AM

Dear County Committee and Board of Trustees:

We have lived in Cypress since 1978. We voted for MARI BARKE to be our Board of Education Supervisor and would be quite dismayed if our votes were discarded. We want Ms Barke to continue to represent Cypress along with Los Alamitos, Rossmoor and other communities of interest.

That is why we are asking that you support MAP #5.

Sincerely,

Robin & Larry Itzler

From: Clare Chu
To: ocbe
Subject: To County Committee and Board of trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 10:09:10 AM

Dear County Committee and Board of trustees,

This is Clare Chu, resident of Cypress, I am writing in strongly support of map#5.

The map#5
-has Zero deviation, each district has the same amount of people.
-keeps community of interest together
-it helps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.

I take this chance to emphasize that I voted for Marie Barke, and I want her to continue to be my trustee. Map #9 does not do that.

Thank you so much for your kind attention!!!

B. Regards,
Clare Chu

From: Diane Holdaway
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 10:27:47 AM

Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees

- I am in support of Map #5, which has zero deviation (i.e., each district has the same number of people)

- Map #5 keeps communities of interest together

- Map #5 keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.

My Board of Education Supervisor is Mari Barke,I want her to continue to be our trustee. Mari currently represents cities such as Cypress, Rossmoor and Los Alamitos.

Diane Holdaway

11249 Maple St

Los Alamitos, CA 90720

From: jullie buster
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:28:17 AM

To whom it may concern,

I am a voter in Orange Unified, a concerned and committed parent, and I support Map 5. We want to continue to be represented by who we voted for. We want our districts to keep communities of interest together. We want the right to protect our children.

Thank you,

Jullie Buster

Sent from my iPhone

From: Beth Culver
To: ocbe
Subject: Please Forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:32:48 AM

Please END these Destructive Redistricting shenanigans by breaking up the "sister cities" School Districts. Cypress does NOT belong in the LA School District!
These actions are NOT in the interest of the families and children of Cypress but, purely self-seeking, capricious and arbitrary...and naive!
"Qui bono?"

Please Continue with the current Board of Education Supervisor, Mari Barke! She's done an excellent and fair job!

Thank you,
Beth

From: Whitney Mittmann
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5- County Redirecting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:38:53 AM

Good morning OCBE!
I am emailing to say that I SUPPORT Map 5. I am AGAINST Map 9. I am in the Orange Unified School District. Trying to bring MAP 9 up for discussion again just shows an unwillingness to accept what was already voted on. The majority of your constituents want Map 5.

Thank you for your time! Praying for what's best and that MAP 9 can be taken off the table for good.

- Whitney

From: ingrid
To: ocbe
Subject: MAP 5 County Redistricting
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:41:41 AM

Hello,
I am a voter in Orange Unified area. I had 2 children in OUSD all the way thru high school. I am now a very concerned Grandparent. I support MAP 5, we want to continue to be represented by who we voted for.
We want our districts to keep communities of interest together. We want the right to protect our children.

Thanks for reading and supporting us!
Ingrid Galyan
170 S. Amberwood Orange

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

From: Angela Epstein
To: ocbe
Subject: Redistricting concerns
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:42:48 AM

Dear Commissioners,
Please reconsider your latest redistricting map!!!!! Not good!!!

I am writing in support of Map #5, which has zero deviation (i.e., each district has the same number of people)
- Map #5 keeps communities of interest together
- Map #5 keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.

My current Board of Education Supervisor is Mari Barke, add I want her to continue to be my trustee. Mari currently represents cities such as Cypress, Rossmoor and Los Alamitos.

We must remain whole and coi!!!!

Sent from my iPhone

From: George, James M
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:49:13 AM

I am writing in support of the Map #5 which was voted on previously, and do not want any special interests to overturn what the people want. Please support the voters, not special political interests.

Map #5 has the same number of people for each district, it keeps communities of interest together so their voice is not diluted by special interests and keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.

Mari Barke is my trustee representing Rossmoor and Los Alamitos and I wish for her to continue to be my trustee.

James M. George

From: Heather Bessolo
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:49:21 AM

I am a voter in Yorba Linda.
My children attend school in OUSD.
I am a concerned and committed parent.
I support Map 5.

Thank you,

Heather Bessolo

From: Tucker L
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 11:59:14 AM

Dear County Committee and Board of trustees:

I'm a resident of Cypress and I am writing this in strong support of redistricting map #5 that was just approved by the board.
It is a very good map, meets all federal law criteria, with no racial gerrymandering, it respects federal voting act, and
there is zero deviation, with equal number of people in each district, unlike map #9, with 2.18% deviation.
It keeps the trustee areas they represent now in the same area, with no shift, no change in district, avoiding voters being shifted to different year, or different trustee that they did not vote for.
In my case, my trustee is Marie Barke and I want to keep that way. Map #9 would take Cypress out of her district and that is not fair, nor acceptable.
Thank you for approving map #5.
The map is very fair, very well redistricted and it will get the strong support of most residents of Orange County as well as of all school districts.
Thank you
Sincerely,
Tucker

From: Michelle Dawson
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:02:13 PM

To whom it may concern,

I have been an Orange resident since 1987. My three children attended OUSD schools and my two grandchildren do as well. As a concerned resident, parent and grandparent, I support Map 5. I desire to continue to be represented by those I have voted for. I want our districts to keep communities of interest together and to maintain the right to protect our children.

Thank you,
Michelle Dawson

From: Julie Sbicca
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:05:54 PM

To whom it may concern,

I am a lifelong citizen of Newport Beach and am writing in favor of map 5 because it represents the census equal voters in each jurisdiction. Map 9 is against the law because it doesn't represent an equal vote for our county.

Best,

Julie Sbicca

From: brownies7777
To: ocbe
Subject: In Support of Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:10:24 PM

My name is Michele Brown and I live in the North Tustin area.

I completely endorse and support Map 5 for the OCBE. There is zero deviation in the districts which means each district has the same number of people which seems amazingly fair to me. Map 5 keeps together communities of common interests which is helpful when trying to have a united voice.

Thanks and keep Map 5.

Michele Brown

From: Sedamar Fitzgerald
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:14:13 PM
Importance: High

Good afternoon,

I am writing in support of Map #5, which has zero deviation (each district has the same number of people)

- Map #5 keeps communities of interest together
- Map #5 keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.

Sedamar Fitzgerald
949-320-3790

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From: Solomon Brown
To: ocbe
Subject: In support of Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:15:28 PM

My name is Solomon Brown and I live in Santa Ana.

I completely endorse and support Map 5 for OCBE. There is zero deviation in the districts which means each district has the same number of people which seems extremely fair to me.

Map 5 keeps together communities of common interests which is helpful when trying to have a united voice.

Thank you.

Solomon Brown

From: Jan Campbell
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:19:06 PM

My family lives in Rossmoor and we are in full support of Map #5

This map/plan will keep communities of interest together.

This map/plan will keep the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.

We love Mari Barke and want her to continue as our Board of Education Supervisor because she represents our values perfectly.

Thank you,

Jan Campbell

Rossmoor resident

From: jean1175@gmail.com
To: ocbe
Subject: Keep Map#5
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:20:03 PM

****Please forward to the County Committee and Board of Trustees

I would like to express my concern about redistricting the State of California.
I currently live in Brea and according to new proposal changes, Map #9 where I live would be subject to change to District #1 and I do not agree with this.
I am in favor of keeping Map #5. Map #9 is very confusing and I voted for Ken Williams who currently represents District #3 because of his values and what he stands for.

Keeping Map #5 would allow the current trustees that we voted in to continue representing their respective areas of people who trust them.
Additionally, this would keep the same number of people to keep their community interests together which would allow each district Zero deviation.

We ask changes not be made from Map #5.

Respectfully,

Jean Chong

From: Candace Mendoza
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:28:05 PM

This should not be about politics, these are my children. There should be equal voters in each jurisdiction. We are for Map 5. I will pull my child out of OUSD if there is to be re-zoning.

-Candace Mendoza

From: Claudia Schuetze
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:45:47 PM

Hello,

I am writing in support of map #5. The map has:

- Zero deviation. Each district has the same number of people.
- It keeps communities of interest together.
- It keeps current trustees in the areas where they were elected to serve.
- The map is very simple and easy to understand.

Thank you.

Claudia Schuetze
Rossmoor, CA

From: Yaseng Yann
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee & Board of Trustees: In support of Map #5
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:09:46 PM

Hello OCBE,

My name is Yaseng, 39-year resident of Orange County, and business owner in Seal Beach, CA.
I am writing in support of Map #5 for these reasons:

* this map has ZERO deviation
* each district has the same population count
* this map keeps the community of interest together
* this map keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve
* this map is simple, easy to understand

Thank you for your service.

Warm regards,
Yaseng Yann
Westminster, CA

From: Bethany Thomas
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:12:55 PM

To Whom it May Concern,

Thank you for taking the time to read this. I am a single mom and a voter in the Orange Unified School District area. It's not often that I email my elected representatives, but I feel that this issue is incredibly important. Community is not only beneficial to me as a single parent, but it is often essential. I am so proud to be from Orange County and the city of Orange. California regularly leads the nation in despotism and corruption, but we here in Orange are a shining beacon of what California should be. We stand together when the times get tough. We have changed the way our streets are laid out in order to give small businesses a fighting chance to stay open in the midst of a pandemic. We have kept our schools open and thriving despite nearby districts fighting to keep theirs closed. Community is the backbone of what makes Orange County great and it should be a priority in considering district lines. Map 5 accomplishes this. I want my elected representative that I voted for to continue to represent me. I want my community to not be divided up. I want to see our values here in Orange County preserved so we can continue to see our county shine. I urge you to choose Map 5 this evening. Please don't LA my Orange County.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Bethany Thomas

From: Joan Garnett
To: ocbe
Subject: In support of Map 5-County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:18:17 PM

Please do not change Map 5. This has already been approved by the Board of Supervisors.

Any emergency effort to change this should be vehemently discouraged since it is already decided.

Thank you.

Joan Garnett
San Juan Capistrano
949.616.8361

From: willmerfamily@gmail.com
To: ocbe
Subject: SUPPORT of Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:32:27 PM

Hello,
This email is showing support for Map 5.
Thank you for receiving it and we hope you have a great Friday!

-The Willmers

From: Nancy Cho
To: ocbe
Subject: In SUPPORT of Map 5
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:37:33 PM

To whom it may concern,

I am emailing to show my disapproval of redistricting the area!!
I do not approve of map 9 as it is not a perfect map with zero deviation like map 5! Please keep it the same as the board already approved map 5.

Thank you,

Nancy Cho

From: G De Perio
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:40:23 PM

I'm writing in support of map #5, which has
Zero deviation, and each district has the same # of people.
It also keeps community of interest together
It keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve.
Thank you for your consideration.
GDP

From: Nikki Leeper
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:41:58 PM

I am in favor of Map 5, because it represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction. Map 9 is against the law because it doesn't represent an equal vote for our county.

Sincerely,

Nikki Leeper (Mom of 3, long time Newport Beach resident)

Sent from my iPhone

From: DEANNA fogarty
To: ocbe
Subject: Please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 1:42:58 PM

-I'm writing in support of map #5, each district has the same # of people.
-It keeps community interests together
-It keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve
-and the map is very simple and easy to understand

Thank you for your consideration,
Deanna Fogarty
(Rossmoor and Seal Beach homeowner)

From:	Donna McGuire
To:	ocbe
Subject:	Please forward to "County Committee and Board of Trustees"
Date:	Friday, December 10, 2021 1:59:28 PM

To Whom it May Concern,
I am writing in support of Map#5. This map has zero percent deviation, each district has the same number of people.
Further, this map
***keeps communities of interest together**
***keeps current Trustees in the areas they were elected to serve**
***map#5 is very simple and easy to understand.**

Wishing you Many Blessings,
Donna Barron-McGuire
562-881-0793

"You can't live a perfect day without doing something for someone who will never be able to repay you."
John Wooden

From: Chris Lucak
To: ocbe
Subject: please forward to County Committee and Board of Trustees
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 2:53:34 PM

Dear Board of Trustees and County Committee:

My name is Ronald. I live in the city of Cypress.
Thank you very much for approving map #5. I was very concerned that Cypress was no longer going to be in District 2, because of many visualization maps that excluded Cypress from district 2.

I am represented by trustee Marie Barke, I voted for her and I really wanted her to continue to be my trustee.
It's not right that you vote for someone, and because of redistricting, the person who I voted for no longer represent me.

It was also very important for me that the cities of Cypress, Los Alamitos, Rossmoor and Seal Beach stay within the same district, represented by the same trustee, because we are sister cities. They call it community of interest. These four cities are definitely community of interest and should not be split.

Again, thank you very much for keeping our cities together, and keeping Cypress in district 2, under trustee Marie Barke.
Thank you for voting for map #5.

Ronald

From: Home
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County redistricting committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 3:13:28 PM

Hi:

I'm a voter in Orange Unified, a concerned and committed parent, and I support Map 5. We want to continue to be represented by who we voted for. We want our districts to keep communities of interest together. We want the right to protect our children.

Thank you for listening.

Misty Matz
Sent from my iPhone

From: Norma
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 3:40:18 PM

We are in favor of Map 5 because it represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction. We are NOT in favor of Map 9 as it is against the law and doesn't represent an equal vote for our county.

Patrick & Norma Yarbrough

From: Claire Jessen
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5- County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 3:44:02 PM

Dear Board Members,

We are in favor of Map 5 because it represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction. Map 9 is against the law because it doesn't represent an equal vote for our county. Please do the right and legal thing!

Sincerely,
James and Claire Jessen

Sent from my iPhone

From: Colleen Cavalieri
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 4:28:24 PM

Dear Board Members,

I've been an OC County resident for many years with children having gone thru OC schools and grand-children now going thru OC schools.

I am in support of Map 5 as it represents the census of equal voters in each district.

I am opposed to Map 9 as it DOESN'T represent an equal vote for our county.

Thank you

Colleen Cavalieri
Huntington Beach, CA

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

From: Courtney Haldeman
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 county redistributing committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 4:43:17 PM

I vote for Map 5. It is the best map for obvious reasons that everyone mentioned at the last meeting. Keep Map 5 please.
Courtney Haldeman

Sent from my iPhone

From: roxyniksch@gmail.com
To: ocbe
Subject: Map 5 - County Redistricting Committee
Date: Friday, December 10, 2021 5:09:18 PM

In regards to the redistricting maps, please adopt and vote in favor of map 5. Map 5 represents the census of equal voters in each jurisdiction.

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ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

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December 14, 2021

VIA EMAIL AND U.S. MAIL
Neal Kelley
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Re: Education Code Section 1002(b): Adjustment of Orange County Board of Education Trustee Area Boundaries following 2020 Federal Census

Dear Mr. Kelley:

On behalf of the Orange County Committee on School District Organization ("County Committee"), this letter provides the current status of adjusting the Orange County Board of Education Trustee Area Boundaries following the 2020 Census.

In accordance with Education Code section 1002(b), following each decennial federal census, the County Committee is charged with the responsibility and authority to review validated population figures and adjust the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of the Orange County Board of Education, as necessary, to ensure that the trustee areas are as nearly equal in population as practicable with consideration given to other criteria as provided in Education Code section 1002(a). Pursuant to Education Code section 1002(c), the County Committee must file in writing any changes in trustee area boundaries with the County Board of Supervisors by March 1.

Elections Code section 12262 provides that boundary changes that occur more than 125 days prior to an election shall be effective for that election. Based on Elections Code section 12262, the County Committee would need to submit an adjusted map for the trustee areas of the Orange County Board of Education to the County Board of Supervisors before **February 2, 2022,** to be effective for the June 7, 2022 primary elections.

On December 8, 2021, the Orange County Board of Education approved a map referred to as Orange County Board of Education 2021 Redistricting Option 5 (Map 5). In addition, the Orange County Board of Education adopted a Resolution stating that the Orange County Board of Education would submit its redistricting plan directly with the Orange County Registrar of Voters by December 15, 2021.

On December 10, 2021, the County Committee held a public hearing to receive input and consider Map 5 submitted by the Orange County Board of Education. At the December 10, 2021 meeting, the County Committee did **not** approve or adopt Map 5. Instead, the County Committee voted to postpone taking action and will bring this matter back in January 2022 for further review, discussion, and consideration. The County Board's trustee area map adopted in 2011 with demographic information from the 2020 federal Census data broken down per trustee area.

The County Committee is committed to working collaboratively with the Orange County Board of Education and to considering information provided by the Orange County Board of Education, as it has done in the past, as part of its process to meet its legal obligation to adjust the Orange County Board of Education trustee area boundaries under state and federal requirements. Education Code section 1002(b) is clear and unambiguous that the County Committee has the final responsibility and authority to adjust the boundaries of the trustee areas following a decennial federal census.

Should the Orange County Registrar of Voters receive a redistricting map from the Orange County Board of Education that has not been approved or adopted by the County Committee, the redistricting map must not be implemented unless or until the County Committee approves or adopts a redistricting map that is filed with the Orange County Board of Supervisors pursuant to Education Code section 1002(c).

We appreciate the Orange County Registrar of Voters' assistance in ensuring the statutory process for adjusting the Orange County Board of Education trustee area boundaries following the 2020 federal census is followed. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey J. Riel
General Counsel

cc: Mark Servino, Supervising Deputy County Counsel, County of Orange
Orange County Committee on School District Organization
Howard Marinier, Secretary to the Orange County Committee on School District Organization

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Howard Marinier

From: Howard Marinier
Sent: Thursday, December 16, 2021 4:54 PM
To: 'sbenecke@cox.net'; 'pvmar@aol.com'; 'megcutuli@gmail.com'; 'jackiefilbeck@gmail.com'; 'kmfinylca@aol.com'; 'libgodess@yahoo.com'; 'kamoffat3@gmail.com'; 'fscinto@gmail.com'; 'purcelljoannw@gmail.com'; 'suzieswartz@prodigy.net'; 'vfwilson@earthlink.net'
Cc: Jeffrey Riel; Ruth Brewda; Lysa Saltzman; Laurie Weiss
Subject: Update Following December 10, 2021 County Committee Meeting
Attachments: J. Riel Letter Re OCBE Trustee Area Boundaries.pdf

Dear County Committee Members:

I wanted to wish you Happy Holidays and thank you for all or your time and your commitment to serving on the Orange County Committee on School District Organization. We wanted to provide you an update following the County Committee meeting on Friday, December 10, 2021.

- On December 14, 2021, on behalf of the County Committee, OCDE Legal Services sent the attached letter to the Orange County Registrar of Voters, to provide information regarding the status of the County Committee's process on adjusting trustee area boundaries for the Orange County Board of Education as well as information regarding the Orange County Board of Education's resolution. Additionally, the letter confirmed our understanding that an adjusted map submitted by February 2, 2022 would be in effect for the June 7, 2022 primary election.
- Laurie Weiss is in the process of reaching out to each County Committee member to secure availability for County Committee meetings in January 2022. Due to time constraints, we think it would be best to reserve several dates in January in case multiple meetings are necessary to complete the process. Given the importance of the County Committee's responsibility in adjusting the County Board of Education's trustee area boundaries, we would appreciate your flexibility in providing as many dates as possible so that the full County Committee can participate in the review and approval process. We will notify you as soon as the January meeting dates are confirmed.
- In preparing for the next meeting, staff is compiling all of the relevant information in a comprehensive and organized binder which will include maps and demographic information clearly labeled for your review. We plan on delivering the binders by the end of the month.
- Given the short timeframe, please email me any questions that you may have, including questions for a demographer, as soon as possible. The approved motion from the County Committee on December 10, 2021 indicated that questions must be forwarded to staff by January 5, 2022, however, given the compressed schedule we would like to collect any questions as soon as possible to provide sufficient time to gather additional information, prepare and respond.

To avoid any Brown Act issues, please only respond to staff through this email without including other County Committee members. Please contact me if you have any question or if I can provide any assistance.

Thank you,

Howard Marinier
Executive Director, Business Services
Orange County Department of Education
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Costa Mesa, CA 92628
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BYLAWS
OF THE
ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE
ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION



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Updated: January 7, 2015

Bylaws and Standing Rules
of the
Orange County Committee on School District Organization

Updated: January 7, 2015

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ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON
SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION
Updated: January 16, 2014

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BYLAWS
OF THE
ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON
SCHOOL DISTIRCT ORGANIZATION

100 - ROLE OF THE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

101 - ***Purpose, Powers, Duties***

The Orange County Committee on School District Organization (County Committee) shall conduct hearings on petitions to reorganize school districts and shall either approve, disapprove or make recommendations to the State Board of Education regarding such petitions; and the County Committee shall formulate plans and recommendations for the organization or reorganization of school districts in the county or any portion thereof including, if appropriate, a portion of one or more adjacent counties. "Reorganize" is defined as an action to form, dissolve, or lapse a school district or community college district, to annex all or part of the territory of one district to another district, to transfer all or part of one district to another district, to unify or de-unify a school district, or to otherwise alter the boundaries of a school district. The County Committee shall also receive, consider, and decide petitions and resolutions for the creation, abolishment, and rearrangement of trustee areas. The County Committee exists under the authority of the California Constitution and acts of the legislature of the State of California and the regulations of the California State Board of Education.

Reference: E.C. 35700 et. seq.
E.C. 35720 et. seq.
E.C. 35511
E.C. 5019

Revised: 12/12/2007

200 - ORGANIZATION

210 - ***Membership***

211 - ***Composition***

The Orange County Committee on School District Organization (County Committee) consists of eleven members – two from each of the five Supervisorial districts in the county and one member-at-large.

No county superintendent of schools, employee of the office of a county superintendent of schools, employee of a school district, or employee of a community college district shall be a member of the County Committee. Board members of school districts or community college district may be County Committee members.

Reference: E.C. 4007, 4008
Revised: 12/12/2007

212 - *Term of Membership*
The term of each member of the County Committee shall begin upon election or upon appointment, as appropriate, and shall be for four years, except that when a member is appointed to fill a vacancy due to resignation or death in office, he/she shall serve the remainder of that person's term.

Reference: E.C. 4006, 4009
Revised: 12/12/2007

213 - *Vacancies in Membership*
Vacancies created by the expiration of the term of office of a member of the 11-member Orange County Committee on School District Organization shall be filled by the majority vote (sixteen members) of the representatives of the thirty-one governing boards (known as the Nominating Committee) at the annual meeting called and held between October 1 and December 1, as provided in Education Code section 4006.

A vacancy created by the early resignation of a County Committee member or for any other reason, shall be filled by the majority vote of the remaining County Committee members and such an appointment shall be for the duration of the unexpired term. If the County Committee fails to fill such vacancy within 70 days, the county superintendent will make an appointment to fill the seat. Persons appointed to fill such vacancies shall hold office for the remainder of the unexpired term.

Reference: E.C. 4006
Revised: 12/12/2007

214 - *Attendance*
Attendance at meetings shall be on a regular basis to insure continuity of thought and discussion to achieve the purpose and goals of the committee.

Adopted: 12/7/2005

220 - *Compensation*
The members of the County Committee shall serve without compensation. However, they shall receive reimbursement for any actual and necessary travel expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. These travel expenses shall be approved by the County Superintendent of schools or his/her designee and shall be paid out of the County School Service Fund.

Reference: E.C. 4010
Adopted: 12/7/05

230 - *Officers and Auxiliary Personnel*
Within 30 days after the election of members at the Nominating Committee meeting, the County Committee shall call an organizational meeting to elect one member Chairperson, and one member Vice-Chairperson.

Reference: E.C. 4012
Adopted: 12/7/2005

231 - *Vacancies in Office*
If the office of Chairperson is vacated for any reason, the Vice-Chairperson shall become Chairperson for the remainder of the year, and the office of Vice-Chairperson shall be vacated. If the office of Vice-Chairperson is vacated for any reason, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the majority of the County Committee, if it desires to do so, and the appointee shall hold office for the remainder of the year. If the offices of Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson are vacated at the same time for any reason, the secretary of the County Committee shall preside over the election of the new officers.

Revised: 12/12/2007

232 - *Secretary*
The County Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee shall serve as Secretary to the County Committee. The Secretary shall act in an advisory capacity to the County Committee. The secretary shall not make recommendations to chief petitioners, districts, or other parties.

Reference: E.C. 4012
Revised: 12/12/2007

233 - *Attorney*
The Legal Services unit of the Orange County Department of Education shall provide legal services for the County Committee, except that other counsel may be employed as needed.

Reference: E.C. 4011
Adopted: 12/7/2005

240 - *Temporary Special Committees*
The Chairperson may appoint such temporary and special committees as deemed necessary or advisable and the Chairperson shall be, ex officio, a member of each committee. The duties of the special committee shall be outlined at the time of appointment, and the committee shall be considered dissolved when its final report has been made.

Adopted: 12/7/2005

250 - *Travel Reimbursement*
All expenses will be recorded on the Orange County Superintendent of Schools Travel Expense Claim form. Claims may be submitted at any time, but preferably before June 30 of the fiscal year.

1. Privately Owned Automobiles. Mileage is allowed at the current allowable rate for employees of the Orange County Department of education.

2. Compensation and Expense Claims. Actual and necessary travel expenses incurred as a result of official County Committee activity shall be allowed.

3. Allowance for Meals. Actual expenses will be allowed for a breakfast, lunch or dinner.

260 - *Liability Insurance*
Liability coverage shall be provided to protect against personal liability of the members of the County Committee while acting as volunteers in the scope of office, as required by law.

Revised: 12/12/2007

300 - MEETINGS/PUBLIC HEARINGS

310 - *Quorum*
Meetings of the County Committee may be called by the Chairperson or by a quorum of the County Committee.

Reference: E.C. 4013
Revised: 12/12/2007

A majority of the members of the County Committee shall constitute a quorum.

Reference: E.C. 4014
Adopted: 12/7/2005

311 - *Motion Carried*
If a quorum is duly assembled, affirmative votes by a majority of the County Committee members present and voting are required to approve any action item under consideration unless otherwise provided by law.

Revised: 11/2/2011

312 - *Abstentions/Conflicts of Interest*

It is the duty of every member who has an opinion on a question to express it by his/her vote; however, since a member cannot be compelled to vote, he/she may abstain.

Members of the County Committee shall comply with the requirements of Government Code sections 1090 et seq., pertaining to contractual conflicts of interest, and with the conflict of interest provisions of the Political Reform Act of 1974 (Government Code sections 87100 et seq.). A conflict of interest exists when a member has a competing financial or non-financial personal interest on any issue.

When a matter before the County Committee involves a school district or community college district where a County Committee member also serves on the district governing board, the member has discretion to abstain from voting on the matter, but is not legally required to abstain.

A member who abstains is counted for the purpose of establishing a quorum on a particular question but the abstention is not included when counting the votes on the motion. However, a member who is not entitled to vote because of a conflict of interest is not counted for the purpose of establishing a quorum on a particular question. When a member abstains because of a conflict of interest, he or she shall (a) state on the record that he/she is abstaining because of a conflict of interest; and (b) refrain from taking part in the discussion or otherwise influencing the vote on the matter.

The County Committee shall adopt a resolution that specifies the County Committee's conflict of interest code, the designated positions, and the disclosure categories for each position.

County Committee members shall file an initial, and annual, Statement of Economic Interest (Form 700) in accordance with the disclosure categories specified in the conflict of interest code, which shall be filed with the Assistant Superintendent, Human Resources and Support Services or designee, who will make and retain a copy and forward the original to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, who is the filing officer.

Revised: 11/2/2011

313 - *Voting on Issues*

An act by the County Committee to approve or disapprove a proposal to transfer territory or an act to recommend approval or disapproval of a unification or formation proposal occurs by a majority vote of the County Committee members present.

An act by the County Committee to approve or disapprove a proposal to rearrange, abolish, or create trustee areas in a school district or community college district occurs by a majority vote of the County Committee members present.

An act by the County Committee to approve or disapprove a proposal for rearrangement of the trustee areas of the county board of education occurs by a two-thirds vote (e.g., eight of eleven members) of the County Committee members present.

Reference: E.C. 1002
Adopted: 12/7/2005

320 - *Construction of Agenda*

The County Superintendent or his/her designee, as secretary to the County Committee, shall prepare an agenda for each meeting, after consulting with the Chairperson. Any County Committee member may call the County Committee secretary and request an item be placed on the agenda.

Revised: 12/12/2007

321 - *Distribution of Agenda*

Copies of the agenda of the County Committee will be mailed to the following and emailed, if the recipient has provided the County Committee with an email address.

a. Members of the County Committee
b. The superintendent/chancellor of each school district or community college district that would be affected by the action of the County Committee on any agenda item.
c. Chief petitioners
d. Concerned individuals upon request.

A copy of the agenda of the County Committee will also be posted on the County Committee on School District Organization website at http://www.ocde.us/CCSDO/Pages/Meeting-Agendas.aspx.

Revised: 8/4/2010

322 - *Posting of Agenda*
The agenda shall be posted at least 24 hours prior to the time of a special meeting, the items to be included on the agenda shall be posted in a place readily available to the public, in accordance with the Orange County Board of Education posting guidelines as well as on the County Committee on School District Organization website at http://www.ocde.us/CCSDO/Pages/Meeting-Agendas.aspx. The agenda will be posted at least 72 hours in advance of a regular meeting.

Revised: 8/4/2010

330 - *Public Hearings*
The County Committee may occasionally convene public hearings at which no action is to be taken. Such public hearings are held solely to allow the County Committee and members of the public to receive information. A hearing may take place at any time and place as designated by the County Committee.

Notice of the public hearing shall be provided according to procedures specified for special meetings unless the county Committee directs otherwise, or as provided by law.

Adopted: 12/7/2005

340 - *Meeting Conduct*
Meetings of the County Committee shall be conducted in a manner consistent with the adopted bylaws of the Committee.

All County Committee meetings shall commence at the stated time and shall be guided by an agenda, which will have been prepared and delivered in advance to all County Committee members and other designated persons.

The conduct of the meetings shall, to the fullest extent possible, enable members of the County Committee (1) to consider problems to be solved, weigh evidence related thereto, and make wise decisions intended to solve problems; and (2) to consider and take any needed action with respect to the organization of school districts.

Revised: 12/12/2007

350 - *Public Hearing Guidelines*
Guidelines for speakers at public hearings will be provided in advance of the specific public hearing or special meeting as needed.

Transfer of Territory:
Speakers for public hearings regarding transfer of school district territory should observe the following guidelines:

Chief Petitioners (school districts or citizens):	15 minutes
School District A:	15 minutes
School District B:	15 minutes
*Public Comment:	30 minutes total

Rebuttals	
Chief Petitioners:	5 minutes
School District A:	5 minutes
School District B:	5 minutes
*Public Comment:	5 minutes

Questions from County Committee

Additional requests may be recognized by the Chair.

When conducting two public hearings at separate school districts, the order in which the school districts presented at the first hearing will be reversed for the second hearing.

* The per person time limit will be dependent on how many people sign-up to speak prior to the public hearing divided by the total 30 minutes. For example, if 15 people sign-up to speak, then each person would have 2 minutes to speak.

Trustee Area Realignment:
Speakers for public hearings regarding trustee area realignment should observe the following guidelines:

Chief Petitioners Presentation (school districts or citizens): 15 minutes
*Public Comment: 30 minutes total

Rebuttals	
School District:	5 minutes
*Public Comment:	5 minutes

Questions from County Committee

Additional requests may be recognized by the Chair.

* The per person time limit will be dependent on how many people sign-up to speak prior to the public hearing divided by the total 30 minutes. For example, if 15 people sign-up to speak, then each person would have 2 minutes to speak.

Changing the Method of Elections:
Speakers for public hearings regarding changing the method of elections should observe the following guidelines:

Chief Petitioners (residents of school district):	15 minutes
Representatives for school district/board of trustees:	15 minutes
*Public Comment:	30 minutes total

Rebuttals

Chief Petitioners:	5 minutes
Representatives for school district/board of trustees:	5 minutes
*Public Comment:	5 minutes

Questions from County Committee

Additional requests may be recognized by the Chair.

* The per person time limit will be dependent on how many people sign-up to speak prior to the public hearing divided by the total 30 minutes. For example, if 15 people sign-up to speak, then each person would have 2 minutes to speak.

CEQA Hearing:
Speakers for public hearings regarding California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) should observe the following guidelines:

Environmental Study Author/Consultant:	15 minutes
Chief Petitioners (school districts, citizens, land-owners):	15 minutes
School District(s) representatives:	15 minutes (each)
*Public Comment:	30 minutes total

Rebuttals

Environmental Study Author/Consultant:	5 minutes
*Public Comment:	5 minutes

Questions from County Committee

Additional requests may be recognized by the Chair.

* The per person time limit will be dependent on how many people sign-up to speak prior to the public hearing divided by the total 30 minutes. For example, if 15 people sign-up to speak, then each person would have 2 minutes to speak.

Unification/Annexation:
Speakers for public hearings regarding school district unification or annexation should observe the following guidelines:

Chief Petitioners (school districts or citizens):	15 minutes
School District A:	15 minutes
School District B:	15 minutes

*Public Comment:	30 minutes total
Rebuttals	
Chief Petitioners:	5 minutes
School District A:	5 minutes
School District B:	5 minutes
*Public Comment:	5 minutes

Questions from County Committee

Additional requests may be recognized by the Chair.

* The per person time limit will be dependent on how many people sign-up to speak prior to the public hearing divided by the total 30 minutes. For example, if 15 people sign-up to speak, then each person would have 2 minutes to speak.

These **Public Hearing Guidelines** may be changed or suspended for a specific period of time by a majority vote of the County Committee.

Revised: 8/4/2010

360 - *Parliamentary Procedure*
Robert's rules of Order shall govern the parliamentary procedure when procedures are questioned; otherwise, an informal, expedient procedure will be followed.

Reference: Robert's Rules of Order
Adopted: 12/7/2005

370 - *Suspension of Bylaws*
Bylaws shall be subject to suspension for a specified purpose and limited time by a majority vote of members of the County Committee.

Reference: Robert's Rules of Order
Revised: 12/12/2007

371 - *Amendments to Bylaws*
Bylaws changes may be proposed by any member by requesting that the proposed change be included on the agenda for the next meeting. Changes, additions, or deletions to the bylaws will be effective upon a majority 2/3 vote of the members of the County Committee.

Adopted: 12/7/2005

380 - *Actions by Committee*
No action shall be taken except in a regular or special meeting of the County Committee.

No action shall be taken unless the subject acted upon was listed in the agenda published for that meeting, or as specifically authorized by law.

The County Committee shall adopt resolutions when it is required by law, or when the County Committee intends to publish a status position of the County Committee.
All actions taken by the County Committee shall be clearly identified in the minutes of the County Committee meeting.

Revised: 12/12/2007

390 - *Minutes*
The County Superintendent, or his/her designee, as Secretary to the County Committee, shall keep minutes of all meetings of the Committee. Copies of the proceedings shall be made for distribution to the County Committee members with the agenda for the next regular meeting. The official minutes of the County Committee meetings shall be kept in a reasonably secure place in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. Approved minutes shall also be posted to the County Committee on School District Organization website at http://www.ocde.us/CCSDO/Pages/Minutes.aspx.

Revised: 8/4/2010

391 - *Recording of Votes*
Motions or resolutions shall be recorded as having passed or failed. Individual votes will be recorded only if the action was not unanimous, if requested by any County Committee member, or if a roll call vote is required.

Revised: 12/12/2007

392 - *Maintaining the Minutes*
The County Committee minutes shall be maintained as outlined below:

1. Content – County Committee procedure
   a. The date, place, and type of each meeting or public hearing
   b. County Committee Members present and members absent by name
   c. Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
   d. Arrival of tardy members by name
   e. Departure of members by name before adjournment or if absence takes place when any agenda items are acted upon.
   f. Date and place of next meeting
   g. Adjournment of the meeting

2. Content – County Committee Actions
   a. Approval or amended approval of the minutes of preceding meetings
   b. Information as to each subject of the County Committee's deliberation
   c. Information as to each subject including the roll call record of the vote on a motion if not unanimous or by request
   d. A record of all important correspondence
   e. A record of the County Superintendent's reports to the County Committee
   f. A record of all consultants' reports to the County Committee
   g. Approval of al bylaws

Revised: 12/12/2007

ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES

CODE OF ETHICS

Committee Responsibility to Community
A County Committee member should honor the responsibility which committee membership demands

BY thinking always in terms of "students first",

BY refusing to "play politics" in either the traditional partisan, or in any petty sense,

BY representing at all times the entire school community,

BY accepting the responsibility of becoming well informed concerning the duties of committee
members, and the laws regarding the organization of school districts,

BY attempting to appraise fairly both the present and future educational needs of the community,

BY insisting that all school district organization transactions be on an open, ethical, and above-board basis,

BY refusing to use the position of Committee Member in any way whatsoever for personal gain or for personal prestige,

AND BY winning the community's confidence that all is being done with the intent of serving the best interest of school children.

Adopted: 12/7/2005

Committee Relationship with Other Members
A County Committee member should respect relationships with other members of the committee

BY recognizing that authority rests only with the Committee in official meetings, and that the individual member has no legal or moral status to bind the Committee outside of such meetings,

BY recognizing the integrity of his/her predecessors and associates, and the merit of their work,

BY refusing to make statements or promises as to how the member will vote on any matter which should properly come before the Committee as a whole,

BY making decisions only after all facts bearing on a question have been presented and discussed,

AND BY respecting the opinion of others and by graciously conforming to the principle of majority rule.

Adopted: 12/7/2005

VOTING PROCESS

Nominating Committee Voting Procedures

In accordance with Education Code Section 4005(a), an annual meeting of one board member representative from each of the 31 school districts and community college districts must be held between October 1 and December 1. A quorum (16 of 31) of votes is required for any action to be taken.

The meeting is scheduled immediately prior to the commencement of the joint dinner meeting of the ACSA/OCSBA, which is currently in the fall.

Two options are available to the voting representative (Nominating Committee Member) to cast his/her vote. Either option is acceptable.

Option one is to vote using an absentee ballot process. Option two is to vote at the Nominating Committee Meeting (same night as ACSA/OCSBA). A majority of all those who vote (through both voting options) will determine the new County Committee members.

If the voting representatives fail to elect members to fill the vacancies by majority vote (through both voting options), a run-off election will be held between the two candidates receiving the most votes. If there are only two candidates and neither receives a majority vote (through both voting options), a run-off election will be conducted.

The run-off election will be conducted by absentee ballot and the voting period will be open for 10 days from the date the run-off absentee ballots are mailed to the 31 Nominating Committee Members (voting representatives). Any absentee ballots received after the 10 day period will not be counted. Votes will not be counted until the 10 day period is complete. In the event that an even number of absentee ballots are received, one absentee ballot will be randomly selected and discarded. This will prevent the run-off vote from ending in a tie. The absentee votes will be totaled and the elected County Committee member will be announced.

Statements of Qualifications are required from the Nominees. This information should allow each member of the Nominating Committee to vote with knowledge of the nominee's qualifications. The deadline for submitting completed statements of qualifications is absolute. No nominations are accepted after that date.

Nominees will not be allowed to make, or have made, a presentation on their behalf at the Nominating Committee Meeting. The Statement of Qualifications will serve as the Nominees Candidate Statement to serve on the County Committee.

Adopted: 04/09/2008

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SECTION B: ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS/INFORMATION

NO	DATE	DOCUMENT	DESCRIPTION
1.	5/5/21	Agenda/Minutes/Transcript	2021 Board Census Presentation by Greg Rolen
2.	6/2/21	Agenda/Minutes/Transcript	Board Action on Redistricting Contract with National Demographics Corporation (NDC)
3.	6/16/21	Agenda/Minutes/Transcript	Redistricting Committee Appointment
4.	8/4/21	Agenda/Minutes/Transcript	Redistricting Presentation by OCBE Redistricting by Doug Johnson, NDC
5.	10/6/21	Agenda/Minutes/Transcript	Update on Redistricting
6.	11/3/21	Agenda/Minutes/Transcript	Redistricting Presentation and Proposed Map Option 1, Option 2, Option 3 by Greg Rolen and Douglas Johnson Public Hearing on OCBE Redistricting
7.	12/1/21	Agenda/Transcript	Redistricting Update by Douglas Johnson & Greg Rolen Public Hearing on Redistricting Map Options 1-10
8.	12/8/21	Agenda/ Transcript	Public Report of Action Taken in Closed Session Redistricting Update by Douglas Johnson and Greg Rolen Redistricting Public Hearing on Redistricting Map Option 4 and Map Option 5 Final Board Approval 2021 Trustee Districts

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Item: Agenda - May 5, 2021
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REGULAR MEETING
May 5, 2021
2:30 p.m.
Location: *The public meeting will be conducted onsite with limited seating at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 and via YouTube live stream at* https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nPv7_TIWXrY

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

(*)AGENDA — Regular Meeting of May 5, 2021 – adoption

TIME CERTAIN

2:30 p.m.

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 050520210011 – Savanna School District to ABC Unified School District.

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 050520210021 – Brea-Olinda Unified School District to Fullerton School District.

3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 050520210031 – Anaheim Union High School District to Fullerton Joint Union High School District.

CLOSED SESSION 1
4:00 p.m.
CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION
Orange County Board of Education v. Orange County Superintendent of Schools, Case No. 30-2018-01023385-CU-MC-CJC
Government Code Section 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

CLOSED SESSION 2
CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION
Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC -Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

INVOCATION
5:00 p.m.
Rabbi Peter S. Levi
President, Orange County Board of Rabbis

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
Sunburst Color Guard
Scott Williams

INTRODUCTIONS

PRESENTATIONS

4. In Memoriam, the May 5th 2021 board meeting is dedicated to former Trustee, 4th District, John "Jack" Bedell, Ph.D. (1942-2021).

5. Special Awards Presentation –Presentation of awards to the Seventh Annual Jack R. Hammett Memorial Day Essay Contest participants and winners.
   - Mr. Scott Williams – Jack Hammett Bio
   - Jeff Hittenberger, Ph.D. – Introductions and Program Overview
     - First Place Essay Winner – Cadet Wilson, Sunburst Youth Academy

PUBLIC COMMENTS

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION
- Esplanade Quarterly Report
- FCMAT Update (Williams)
- Harbor Learning Center North

BOARD DISCUSSIONS
- 2021 Board Census Presentation- Greg Rolen (Williams)

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Superintendent
Associate Superintendent

(*)MINUTES
Regular Meeting of April 7, 2021 – approval
Special Meeting of April 14, 2021 – approval

CONSENT CALENDAR

(*) 6. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

(*) 7. Adopt Resolution #07-21 to recognize May 31, 2021 as Memorial Day.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

8. Charter submissions

(*) 9. Charter School Public Hearing – Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School material revisions – Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.

Discussion Format:
Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School
Orange Unified School District
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 10. Approve the Orange County Department of Education's Expanded Learning Opportunity plan pursuant to EC 43521 (b) and 43522(a)(1) by June 1, 2021.

(*) 11. Approve the College and Career Preparatory Academy's Expanded Learning Opportunity plan pursuant to EC 43521 (b) and 43522(a)(1) by June 1, 2021.

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 12. Board action on Ethnic Study Forum (Sparks and Williams)

(*) 13. Board action on board statement regarding vaccination. (Williams)

(*) 14. Board action on resolution against digital vaccine passport mandates. (Williams)

(*) 15. Board action on AB 1316. (Williams)

(*) 16. Approve a new contract with the Law Offices of Margaret A. Chidester & Associates.

INFORMATION ITEMS (continue)

Legislative Updates
-CSBA Update
-CCBE Update
-NSBA Update
-Capitol News Update
-School Services Update

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORT

PUBLIC COMMENTS (15 minutes)

ADJOURNMENT

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

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(*) Printed items included in materials mailed to Board Members

MINUTES
Regular Meeting
May 5, 2021

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by Board President Williams at 2:35 p.m., May 5, 2021 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California and via YouTube live stream.

ROLL CALL

Present:
Lisa Sparks, Ph.D. (virtual zoom)
Tim Shaw
Mari Barke
Ken L. Williams, D.O.

Absent:
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez

(*)AGENDA

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 4-0 (Gomez Absent) to approve the agenda of the Regular meeting of May 5, 2021.

Trustee Williams recessed the board meeting to go into closed session.

TIME CERTAIN

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 05052021001I – Savanna School District to ABC Unified School District

Motion by Barke, seconded by Shaw, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Barke, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes: Gomez Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the ABC Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 05052021002I – Brea-Olinda Unified School District to Fullerton School District

Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Barke, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes: Gomez Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Fullerton School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 05052021003I – Anaheim Union High School District to Fullerton Joint Union High School District

Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Barke, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes: Gomez Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Fullerton Joint Union High School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Terrance Dunn, Coordinator, Educational Services facilitated the hearings.

CLOSED SESSION 1

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. Orange County Superintendent of Schools, Case No. 30-2018-01023385-CU-MC-CJC-Government Code Section 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

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The Board received an update from counsel and took the following two actions in closed session 1 and closed session 2:

1. Approved Height, Brown & Bonesteel Invoices # 3242253 and 3242252, dated April 23, 2021 by a vote of 3-1-0 (Williams, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Sparks abstained, Gomez was not present for the vote.)
2. Approved Epstein, Becker & Green invoices #1048475 and 1048476, dated April 30, 2021 by a vote of 3-1-0 (Spaw, Barke and Williams voted Yes; Sarks abstained, Gomez was not present for the vote.)

Trustee Gomez arrived at 4:31 p.m.

INVOCATION	Rabbi Peter S. Levi President, Orange County Board of Rabbis
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	Sunburst Color Guard Scott Williams
NATIONAL ANTHEM	Cadet Gomez
INTRODUCTIONS	None
PRESENTATIONS	Video presentation in memory of former Trustee, 4th District, John "Jack" Bedell, Ph.D. (1942-2021). Presentation of awards to the Seventh Annual Jack R. Hammett Memorial Day Essay Contest participants and winners: ■ Mr. Scott Williams – Jack Hammett Bio ■ Jeff Hittenberger, Ph.D. – Introductions and Program Overview • First Place Winner – Cadet Wilson, Sunburst Youth Academy

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Brian Colondra
- Florida
- Robert Lawton
- Saga
- Elizabeth
- Jeff Barke
- Linda
- Nate
- Jenna
- Ahn Nguyen
- Blaie
- Kent
- Susan
- Mindy
- Krishna
- Nicole
- Gexin
- George
- Lynne Riddle
- Laurie
- Jeanette

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

- Esplanade Quarterly Report
- FCMAT Update (Williams)
- Harbor Learning Center North

MINUTES

Motion by Barke, seconded by Shaw, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the minutes of the April 7, 2021 regular meeting.

Motion by Barke, seconded by Shaw, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the minutes of the April 14, 2021 special meeting.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the adoption of Resolution #07-21 to recognize May 31, 2021 as Memorial Day.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

Charter School Public Hearing – Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School material revisions - Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, facilitated the public hearing.
Discussion Format:
Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School
Public Comments
Board Questions

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Motion by Barke, seconded by Shaw, and approved by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the Orange County Department of Education's Expanded Learning Opportunity Plan pursuant to EC 43521(b) and 43522 (a)(1) by June 1, 2021.

Motion by Gomez, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the College and Career Preparatory Academy's Expanded Learning Opportunity Plan pursuant to EC 43521(b) and 43522(a)(1) by June 1, 2021.

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the resolution to conduct the Ethnic Study Community forum.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke and carried by a roll call vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the Board statement regarding vaccination.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the resolution against digital vaccine passport mandates.

The board unanimously agreed to bring back item #15 regarding action on AB 1316.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve a new contract with the Law Offices of Margaret A. Chidester & Associates

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION
-Teacher Appreciation Week (Gomez)
-Services for Jack Bedell (Gomez)
-Jack Bedell (Shaw)

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion duly made, and seconded, the Board meeting of May 5, 2021 adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Ken L. Williams, D.O.
President, Board of Education

Next Regular Board Meeting, Wednesday, June 2, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. - The meeting will be in the Board Room at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA and via virtual conference.

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

MAY 5, 2021

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nPv7_TIWXrY

Excerpts with Reference to Agenda:

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2. INFORMATION ITEMS

    a. BOARD DISCUSSIONS

        i. 2021 Board Presentation – Greg Rolen (Williams)
        Pages 28-29
        Timestamp 4:45:50

BOARD MEETING 5-5-2021 TRANSCRIPTION

https://soundcloud.com/user-872730075/5521a?in=user-872730075/sets/2021-oc-board-meetings

[PRESIDENT WILLIAMS STRIKES THE GAVEL TWICE TO SIGNAL THE BEGINNING OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING]

Williams: The Orange County Board of Education is now called to order. The time is approximately 2:35 and today is May 5th, 2021. And for the benefit of the record, this meeting is called to order. And lots of good things are going to happen today. I'll say more as the meeting continues after closed session, but for now, may we have roll call, Nina?
Boyd: Trustee Shaw?
Shaw: Here.
Boyd: Trustee Gomez? Trustee Sparks?
Sparks: Here.
Boyd: Vice President Barke?
Barke: Here.
Boyd: And President Williams?

Williams: I am here. And for the record, Trustee Gomez will be joining us a little bit later. We had a couple of early items to our Agenda and she had already meetings that were prearranged. So, she will be with us fairly shortly. Moving on with the Agenda, I will make the motion to adopt the Agenda, as well as pulling number seven from the consent calendar to be discussed and voted separately at the same time. And I will need a second on that motion to adopt the Agenda.

Barke: I'll second that.
Williams: Seconded. Any discussion? Barring no further discussion, all those in favor say, "aye."
Board: Aye.
Williams: Lisa?
Sparks: Aye.
Williams: The motion passes 4-0 with Trustee Gomez not being present at this time. At this time, the Agenda will go into closed session, and I'll give time for the audio/visual to bring us into closed session.
Boyd: Just to confirm, you're going to do a report out first, right? Closed session?
Williams: No. We're going to wait until after public comments.
Boyd: Okay.

[PRESIDENT WILLIAMS STRIKES THE GAVEL ONCE TO SIGNAL THE BEGINNING OF CLOSED SESSION. UPON CONCLUSION, HE STRIKES THE GAVEL ONCE AGAIN TO CONTINUE THE REGULAR MEETING]

Williams: Okay. The Board of Education is back into session out of closed session, and I want to honor all of the great men and women who are here. Those who serve the country by leading us by faith and service, as well as those who give their lives for our liberties and freedoms.

Williams: Is that it?
Boyd: That's it.

Williams: Very good. Okay. Moving on with the Board Agenda - Board discussion. We're going to have a presentation by our special attorney, Mr. Greg Rolen, on the Board census. A little bit of background. So, every 10 years, obviously, we have a redistricting. This is my third re-districting opportunity. This year we're going to be having Mr. Rolen be the chief legal advisor for the Board to guide us through the process. It's not as simple and straightforward as one would think. There's a lot of landmines. And so, we're going to rely upon him and his expertise and knowledge to guide us. So, Mr. Rolen?

Rolen: Mr. President, Madam Vice President, members of the Board. The President took some of my material. The Article 1, Section 2 of the United States Constitution requires us to conduct a census every 10 years. Accordingly, local government agencies have to redraw their districts to assure that there's equal representation among the population based on the changing demographic data. The Election Code and the Education Code requires that they set certain criteria for that redistricting, including topography, geography cohesiveness, and community interest. We also must comply with the state and federal Voting Rights Acts.

So, and like I said, the local governing body, the Board, is responsible for adopting new trustee areas based on that data. So, this is just not as easy as taking a magic marker out and redrawing boundaries. We have to consider demographic analyses, project specific software, online mapping tools, determine levels of public engagement, conduct public hearings, create a project website, and engage the County Registrar about the existing lines and the changes in the voter demographics, the census data. And also, most importantly, the Board wants this process to be professional and wants it to be above reproach. So, in accordance with that goal, we propose engaging the nationally renowned Glendale firm of National Demographics Corporation, or NDC. NDC is a nonpartisan redistricting company.

They redistricted or districted over 250 counties, school districts, and other jurisdictions, some as noteworthy as the city of Oakland, the city and County of San Diego, the city of Phoenix, and some small as some elementary school districts. The team has 40 years of experience and is led by a PhD., Dr. Doug Johnson. I've spoken with him and he appears to be just quite a gentleman, very quiet gentlemen. They have many endorsements, including the California League of Cities, CSBA, the League of Women Voters, the California Special Districts Association, and the National Conference on State Legislators. And they have endorsements from elected officials from Ted Liu to the City Clerk of Buckeye, Arizona.

And they have served as litigation consultants and experts for a number of Southern California public entities, including Anaheim. So, the Board's vision is that counsel interact with NDC and bring options to the Board. The hope is that we'll bring a contract before the Board on the second meeting in June, and this will allow the Board and public to begin formulating questions about the process and do their due diligence on NDC. From June to August, we intend to decide on a public mapping tool, set up a project website, and confirm existing boundaries with the registrar, and add the socioeconomic data from the new census. Then, we will prepare a report regarding

demographics and compliance with state and federal criteria of existing election areas, including protected class population concentrations and other socioeconomic data.

And that will be done before a set of public hearings of one public hearing or two public hearings. The goal is for the Board to adopt a new map in either November or December of 2021. Their pricing is contingent on the amount of service, but the most noteworthy fact about NDC is that neither the Department of Justice nor any court has ever rejected any of the 350 local government maps adopted and managed through their processes. So, I think we're in good hands. Mr. President?

Williams: I have no questions. Lisa, you out there?
Sparks: Yes, I'm still here.
Williams: Any questions? Speak up?
Sparks: I will. Thank you.
Williams: Very good. To my right. Beckie, Tim, Mari? Any questions?
Gomez: No.
Barke: Thank you for that comprehensive report. I appreciate it.
Shaw: Well, I'll just ask one. I mean, sorry. Do you know anything about…I know the census data was going to be delayed and there's talk of even moving the primary election next year. I mean, I don't know if you've…do you have any information?
Rolen: I don't know. Nobody gave me a memo on that, but Mr. Johnson did inform me that they are yet to have the data. So, the process is behind schedule already.
Shaw: Yes. Okay.
Hendrick: So, they are not, except- they don't expect that data to be out until this summer is the last we heard from the county. They're still delayed.
Shaw: Okay.
Barke: Appreciate the information. Thank you.
Williams: Okay. Moving on with the meeting, I need a motion to adopt the Minutes from the regular meeting of April 7th. May I have a motion?
Barke: So moved.
Williams: And a second by -
Shaw: Second.
Williams: - by Mr. Shaw. Any corrections? Discussion? Barring none, we will do a roll call vote, Nina?
Boyd: Yes. Trustee Sparks?
Sparks: Yes.
Boyd: Trustee Gomez?
Gomez: Yes.
Boyd: Trustee Shaw?
Shaw: Yes.
Boyd: Vice President Barke?
Barke: Yes.
Boyd: And President Williams?
Williams: Yes. I will need a motion for the adoption of the Minutes for April 14th.
Barke: So moved.
Shaw: Second.

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Item: Agenda - June 2, 2021
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REGULAR MEETING
June 2, 2021
2:00 p.m.
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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

(*)AGENDA — Regular Meeting of June 2, 2021 – adoption

TIME CERTAIN

2:00 p.m.

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (Open) – 060220210011 – Buena Park School District to Centralia School District.
2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 060220210021 – Buena Park School District to Anaheim Elementary School District.
3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 060220210031 – Buena Park School District to Fullerton School District.
4. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 060220210041 – Buena Park School District to Cypress School District.
5. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 060220210051 – Buena Park School District to Centralia School District.

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4:00 p.m.
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INVOCATION
5:00 p.m.
Rev. Sarah Averette-Phillips
Brea Congregational United Church of Christ

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTIONS

(*)MINUTES
Regular Meeting of May 5, 2021 – approval

PUBLIC COMMENTS

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION
- FCMAT Update (Williams)
- Board Webpage (Williams and Shaw)

BOARD DISCUSSIONS

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Superintendent
Associate Superintendent

PRESENTATIONS

(*) 6. Budget Presentation - Renee Hendrick, Associate Superintendent, will conduct the presentation regarding the Orange County Department of Education budget for 2021-2022 fiscal year.

7. Public Hearing - Renee Hendrick, Associate Superintendent will conduct a public hearing regarding the Orange County Department of Education budget for 2021-2022 fiscal year.

(*) 8. Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) – Jeff Hittenberger, Ph.D., Chief Academic Officer and Analee Kredel, Chief, Special Education Services will conduct the presentation regarding LCAP for the Orange County Department of Education.

9. Public Hearing – Analee Kredel, Chief, Special Education Services, will conduct a public hearing regarding the Orange County Department of

(*) 10. Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) – Jeff Hittenberger, Ph.D., Chief Academic Officer and Dave Connor, Principal will conduct the presentation regarding LCAP for the College and Career Preparatory Academy.

11. Public Hearing – Jeff Hittenberger, Ph.D., Chief Academic Officer, will conduct a public hearing regarding the College and Career Preparatory Academy Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP).

CONSENT CALENDAR

(*) 12. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

13. Charter submissions

14. ISSAC Update

(*) 15. Approve Orange County Workforce Innovation High School's amended resolution extending the deadline for the execution of an agreement on May 31, 2021.

(*) 16. Charter School Public Hearing – Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School material revisions – Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.

Discussion Format:
Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School
Orange Unified School District
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

(*) 17. Approve Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School's requested material revisions to add a location the school's charter, beginning 2021-2022 academic year, and approve the amendments to the school's governing board bylaws.

(*) 18. Charter School Public Hearing – Samueli Academy material revision – Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.

Discussion Format:
Samueli Academy
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 19. Board action on AB 1316. (Williams)

(*) 20. Board action on Redistricting Contract. (Williams)

(*) 21. Ethnic Studies Forum (carryover)

INFORMATION ITEMS (continue)

Legislative Updates
-CSBA Update
-CCBE Update
-NSBA Update
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BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORT

PUBLIC COMMENTS (15 minutes)

ADJOURNMENT

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

DATE: June 2, 2021

TO: Nina Boyd, Associate Superintendent

FROM: Ken L. Williams, D.O., Board President

SUBJECT: Redistricting Contract

BACKGROUND:

RECOMMENDATION:

Board action on Redistricting contract

AGREEMENT FOR DEMOGRAPHIC SERVICES

I. PARTIES.

The Parties to this agreement are National Demographics Corporation ("NDC"), P.O. Box 5271, Glendale, CA 91221, and the Orange County Board of Education ("the Client"), located at 200 Kalmus Dr, Costa Mesa, CA 92626.

II. SCOPE OF WORK AND FEES.

A. NDC shall provide to the client the GIS/demographic services ("Services") identified in the attached proposal (the "Proposal") that the Client directs NDC to undertake.
B. The estimated commencement date for the Services is upon execution of this Agreement.

III. BILLING.

NDC shall submit monthly invoices to the Client. NDC will bill Client monthly for all fees and expenses incurred in connection with the Services during the preceding billing period. Payments will be made by Client within fifteen (30) working days of Client's receipt of the invoice.

IV. CONFIDENTIALITY.

A. NDC understands that in connection with the Services, the Client may deliver to NDC proprietary or confidential information. At all times, both during this Agreement and after its termination, NDC will protect such confidential information from unauthorized dissemination and use and shall not disclose any confidential information or the results of its study without the prior written consent of the Client. NDC may use such confidential information solely for the purpose of performing the Services under this Agreement and for no other purpose.
B. NDC agrees that immediately upon the Client's request, and in any event upon completion of the Services, NDC shall deliver to the Client any confidential information and all copies, derivatives, and extracts thereof.

V. TERMINATION.

The Client may terminate this Agreement at any time, with or without cause, by giving written notice to NDC, and such termination will be effective upon NDC's receipt of such written notice. In the event of such termination, the Client will be obligated to pay NDC any outstanding fees due under this Agreement, only for such Services actually completed by NDC and reasonably acceptable to the Client as of the effective date of termination.

IV. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR.

A. NDC is an independent contractor and is solely responsible for all taxes, withholdings, and other similar statutory obligations, and NDC agrees to defend, indemnify and hold the Client harmless from any and all claims made by any entity on account of an alleged failure by NDC to satisfy any such tax or withholding obligations.
B. NDC has no authority to act on behalf of or to enter into any contract, incur any liability or make any representation on behalf of the Client.
C. NDC will supply all tools and equipment necessary to perform the Services except as otherwise stated in the Proposal.
D. NDC is not required to report to work at the offices of the Client during any particular work hours.

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Douglas Johnson
President, National Demographics Corporation

Date

_____ _____

Orange County Board of Education

Date

A Proposal to Orange County Board of Education for Demographic Services

By National Demographics Corporation
Douglas Johnson, President

April 25, 2021

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National Demographics Corporation

April 25, 2021

Ken L. Williams, Jr., D.O.
President
Orange County Board of Education
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Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Dear President Williams,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this proposal to County Board of Education. NDC has more than 40 years of experience districting and redistricting hundreds of cities, school districts and other local jurisdictions across California, including numerous cities and school districts across Orange County (a full client list is available at www.ndcresearch.com/clients/). We welcome the opportunity to bring the firm's expertise and skills to assist the Board.

For each project, there are certain required basic elements, and there are several options that the Board can include or leave out at its option. NDC carefully tailors each project to the needs and goals of the individual client partner. NDC also welcomes the opportunity to work with our clients to encourage public participation in this process, as we offer several tools developed specifically for public engagement in districting and redistricting.

The attached proposal consists of a brief introduction; specific proposed project elements and options; timeline and cost information; conclusion; and signature section. NDC looks forward to working with you on this effort. Please call or email anytime if you have any questions, concerns, or requests regarding this proposal.

Sincerely,

Douglas Johnson
President

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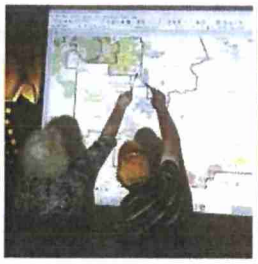
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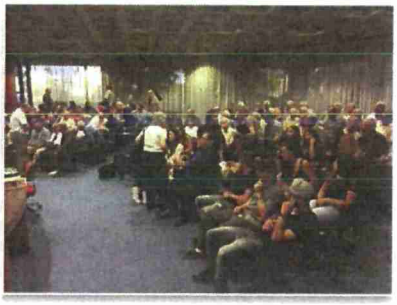




Brief History of National Demographics Corporation

NDC has served hundreds of local governments since our founding in 1979. While most of NDC's work is in California and Arizona, the firm has performed projects in all regions of the country, serving clients as varied as the States of Mississippi, Arizona, Florida and Illinois; Clark County (Nevada); the California counties of Merced, San Bernardino, and San Diego; the San Diego Unified School District; the City of Oakland; Yuma County (Arizona); the Arizona cities of Glendale, Mesa, Peoria, Phoenix, and Surprise; and relatively smaller jurisdictions such as the City of Bradbury and Clay Elementary School District.

The company is especially well known for its districting and redistricting work with local governments. NDC has established a reputation as the leading demographic expert on the California Voting Rights Act (CVRA), having performed demographic assessments of potential CVRA liability and/or moves to by-district elections for over 350 jurisdictions. No company has been responsible for addressing the electoral demographic needs of more local governments, as NDC has districted and/or redistricted more than 250 counties, school districts, cities, water districts, and other local jurisdictions.

Nationally recognized as a pioneer in good government districting and redistricting, NDC has unmatched expertise in the issues, questions, and decisions jurisdictions face in any discussion regarding districting, redistricting, the California and Federal Voting Rights Act and related election system choices.




Company Philosophy

Professionalism

NDC's personnel are nationally recognized as leaders in the districting field and are responsible for numerous books and articles on the subject. NDC possesses all the hardware and software necessary to meet the districting and redistricting needs of any jurisdiction, and its personnel have unmatched experience in the line-drawing side of this work, as well as in developing the databases used for these purposes. But more important are the firm's interpersonal skills and the team's understanding of the perspective of all parties in this process.

Partnership

In recognition of the vital role these groups play in informing and assisting their members, NDC is a sponsor of the California League of Cities, the California Special Districts Association, and we are currently finalizing our sponsorship of the California School Boards Association and the California Association of Counties.

For years, NDC has frequently appeared on panels organized by these organizations to share information with their members about the California Voting Rights Act, the Census, and the districting and redistricting rules and process.

NDC also assists the League of Cities and CSBA with negotiations and suggested language for legislation on districting/redistricting and the California Voting Rights Act.

Local Leadership and NDC's Non-Partisan Approach

NDC is an advisor and technical resource. The firm's role is to assist our clients in implementing our clients' goals and directions within the complicated demographic and legal constraints of the project. NDC shares its experience and expertise, but the final plan is selected by the jurisdiction's elected leaders, not NDC. The firm is sometimes criticized, usually by people from outside of the client jurisdiction, for not acting as an advocate or proselytizer for what these outsiders think is "right" for the client. But NDC team members are expert advisors, not proselytizers. NDC guides our clients through the process to a map that meets all legal requirements and the goals of our client – not the goals of outside critics. NDC welcomes the chance to assist each client through this process following the direction of the jurisdiction's elected leadership, key staff members, and the entire community.

A common question in many redistricting projects is whether there is any influence of any improper political bias on the process. NDC's four decades of success working for jurisdictions with all-Democratic leadership, jurisdictions with all-Republican leadership, and every possible combination in between, reflects our steadfast dedication to non-partisan service. At work, each of us puts our personal political feelings aside and focuses on implementing the policy goals and directions of our clients using NDC's non-partisan, professional and expert guidance regarding the requirements and options facing each client. We believe most of our clients would be hard-pressed to guess which NDC team members are registered as independents or with any political party, and we are proud to have satisfied customers and clients whose partisan leanings (even in their non-partisan local government offices) similarly cross the entire partisan spectrum.

Openness

Any change in election systems can have momentous implications for the distribution of political power in a jurisdiction and for access by groups and individuals to the governance process. Not surprisingly, such changes often attract considerable public attention, sometimes generate intense controversy, and may draw charges of manipulation and abuse of power. It is crucial, therefore, that the jurisdiction establish, at the beginning, a process that is not only fair, but that is seen to be fair, to all contending groups and individuals.

Public Engagement

NDC pioneered the "transparent districting" approach that involves the public at every stage of the process and the company invented the "public participation kit" back in 1990. But NDC's most valuable service is the firm's experience transforming often contentious and passionate debates into thoughtful, constructive discussions focused on the options and outcomes rather than individual personalities. NDC also has considerable experience working with translators in public forums and providing materials in English and Spanish.

NDC's approach has been widely praised in the media, and NDC has worked extensively with all types of press including radio, television, newspaper, and new media.

Project Software

NDC uses Caliper Corporation's Maptitude for Redistricting software for processing public map submissions and drawing NDC's draft maps and Board-directed revisions. Maptitude for Redistricting can open and use the standard "Shapefile" and "File Geodatabase" GIS data formats, and Maptitude for Redistricting can export all files to "Shapefile" and "File Geodatabase" formats.

NDC uses ESRI's ArcGIS Online to present those maps for Board, Staff and Public review in an easy-to-use, interactive format. NDC also uses ArcGIS Pro for some specialized Geographic Information System (GIS) analysis; for opening and reviewing data received from clients or from other jurisdictions; and when needed for final map post-adoption processing for delivery to the jurisdiction and to the County Registrar. Microsoft PowerPoint is also used for many presentations, though NDC is currently experimenting with a possible move to ESRI's "Story Maps" for some presentations.

NDC Approach to Public Engagement

The Three E's of Public Participation: Engage, Educate, and Empower

NDC's "Three E's" approach recognizes the complex and daunting nature of districting and redistricting projects, while emphasizing the importance of public participation in such projects.

Given the complexity of the issue, the public cannot be expected to jump in with constructive ideas and input without encouragement. So NDC's approach begins with the first "E": **Engage**. NDC works with our clients to get the word out about why the project matters – and how input from residents can be a decisive element of the project.

Once their interest is engaged, the second "E" is **Educate**. Most media coverage of this topic focuses on congressional gerrymandering, giving the entire field a tainted and hopeless feel. NDC works with our clients to explain how local districting and redistricting is based on neighborhoods and communities – not national politics. We educate the public on the data, requirements and goals of redistricting, and on the many options residents have to formulate and share their own maps or other constructive input.

The third "E" is **Empower**. For those projects where the level of public interest and engagement justify the expense, NDC offers an unmatched array of paper, Excel-based, and online mapping tools that residents can use to draw detailed, population-balanced maps for consideration by the jurisdiction.

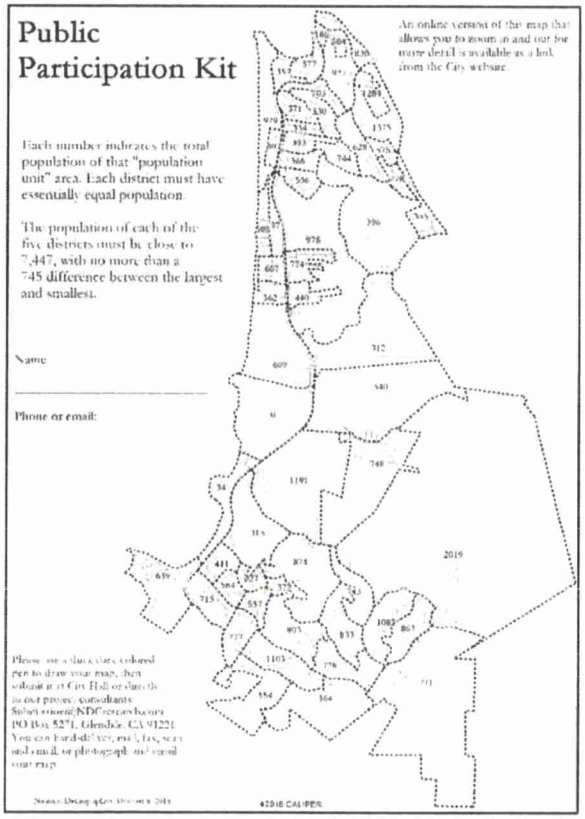
When included in a project, NDC has seen considerable public interest in these optional public participation tools. Often five, ten or even twenty or thirty draft maps are proposed by community residents. And NDC developed a highly refined and proven methodology for efficiently guiding our clients through selecting and refining a map, even when starting from 10, 20, 30 or more initial draft maps.

For those jurisdictions where the expense of the optional mapping tools is too high, NDC always welcomes any letters, comments, or hand-drawn maps that residents wish to submit during the districting or redistricting process.

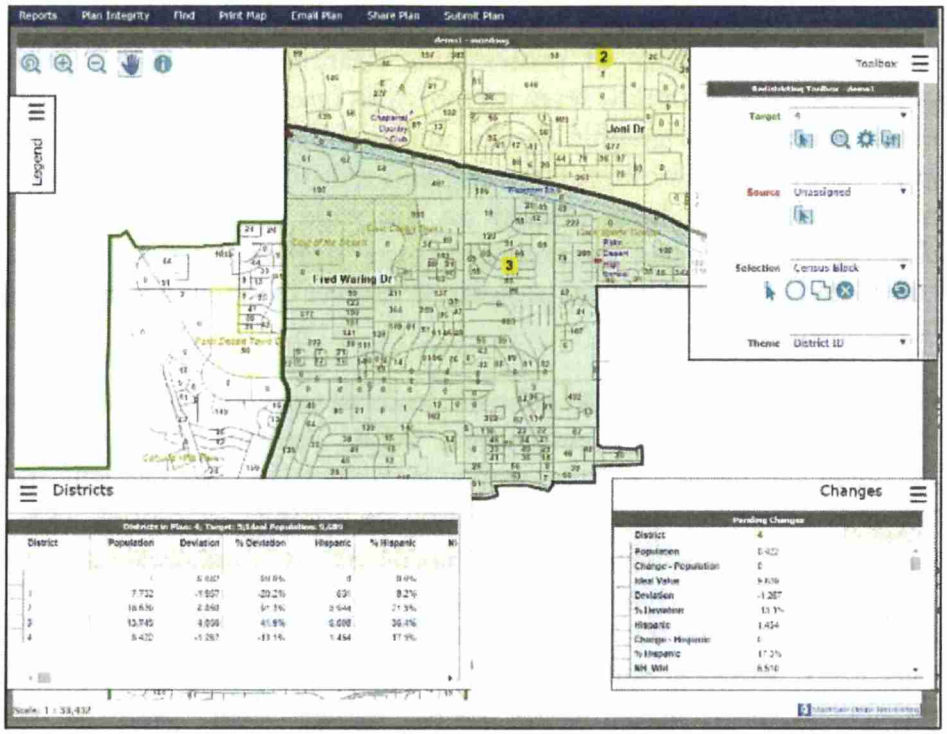
For every project, at no extra expense, NDC includes an online "interactive review map" that allows residents to analyze draft maps zooming in and out, searching for specific addresses, and by changing between street maps, satellite images, and other underlying base maps.

Samples of these tools are shown on the following pages, and additional details on each of them appears later in this proposal.

Sample Public Participation Mapping Tool

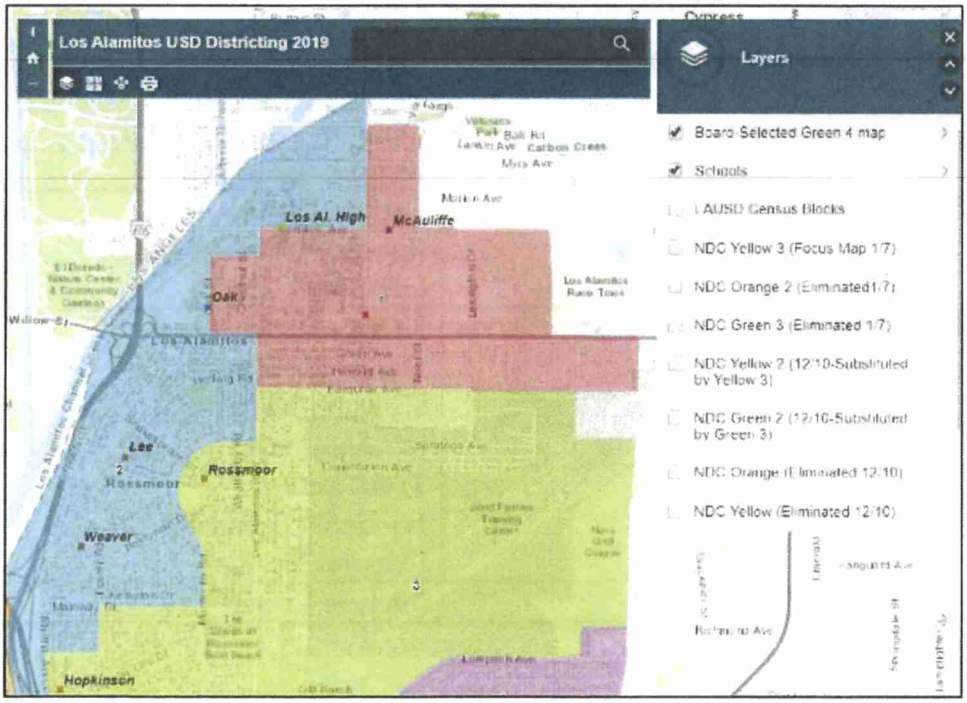


Sample Online Mapping Tool



Sample NDC "Interactive Review Map"

(used to view and evaluate, not to draw, maps)



The NDC Team

NDC's 40 years of service to local governments is grounded in our academic founding and decades of professional relationships with all forms of local governments. Each NDC team member has been extensively trained in the legal requirements, demographic details, and complicated personal and community interests involved in every districting and redistricting project. And every NDC team member has been briefed on the wide range of unusual and bizarre challenges NDC has encountered over our more than 250 successfully completed local government projects. Whatever question or situation arises, your NDC team can handle it.

NDC President Dr. Douglas Johnson leads all team training and closely monitors the progress of every client project. NDC President Dr. Johnson and Vice President Dr. Levitt are always available to all clients, and typically are personally involved whenever particularly unusual or complex situations arise. And each NDC project has an NDC Consultant or Senior Consultant as a primary point of contact to ensure seamless information flows and continuity. All NDC project leaders are a fully trained Consultants or Senior Consultants with years of experience working with local government elected leadership and top staff members. Each NDC team leader brings their personal expertise in demographics, city governance, school district governance and/or special district management to every project. And each team leader has particular expertise and focus in specific geographic areas. All team members resumes are available on www.ndcresearch.com/about-us/.

NDC Current Organization Chart

NDC President	Douglas Johnson, Ph.D.
NDC Vice President	Justin Levitt, Ph.D.
Senior Consultants	Shalice Tilton Robert McEntire, Ed.D. Jeff Tilton, Ed.D.
Consultants	Kristen Parks Daniel Phillips, Ph.D. Shannon Kelly Jeff Simonetti Todd Tatum Ivy Beller Sakansky Douglas Yoakam
Records Manager	Michele Lewis

Recognition of NDC's Expertise

Both national and local organizations have recognized NDC's unmatched experience and expertise in the Census, districting, and redistricting.

National Recognition

Nationally, the National Conference of State Legislatures hosted NDC as a panelist at five different forums held for state legislators and legislative staff from across the country. NDC President Douglas Johnson addressed these forums on the following topics:

1. *Citizen Voting Age Data from a line-drawer's viewpoint*
2. *Communities of Interest in Redistricting: A key to drawing 2011 plans (and for their defense)*
3. *The Key to Successful Redistricting*
4. *Communities of Interest In Redistricting: A Practical Guide*
5. *The Arizona Independent Redistricting Commissions' experiences with the first-ever independent redistricting*

In addition:

- The National League of Women Voters hosted NDC President Douglas Johnson at a 2006 conference on "Building a National Redistricting Reform Movement,"
- Texas Tech University hosted Dr. Johnson as a panelist at its "Symposium on Redistricting;"
- The Arizona League of Cities and Towns hosted Dr. Johnson as a panelist on "Redistricting Law and the Voting Rights Act: What It Means for Your City or Town in 2011" and
- The Arizona Bar Association hosted Dr. Johnson as a panelist on "Communities of interest and technology in redistricting."

California League of Cities Recognition

The California League of Cities hosted NDC as panelists over a dozen times to date:

General Meeting panel: 2006 and 2015
Executive Forum panel: 2018 and 2020
City Clerk Department panel: 2014, 2017, 2018, twice in 2019, and 2020
City Manager Department panel: 2015 and 2019
City Attorney Department panel: 2018

Inland Empire Chapter presentation: 2016
South Bay Chapter presentation: 2020 and 2021

Recognition by Additional California Organizations

Other California organizations and conferences since 2011 recognizing NDC's expertise in this field include:

2020	California County Counsel Assoc.	2021 Redistricting - What Local Government Attorneys Need to Know
2020	"Voice of San Diego" Politifest	Redistricting--What it means for our community
2020	County Committee Secretaries Annual Summit	The California Voting Rights Act
2020	Rose Institute of State and Local Government	2021 Redistricting: New Rules for California Local Governments
2020	California Special Districts Association	California Voting Rights Act Challenge Factors
2020	Associated Cities of California – Orange County	2021 Redistricting: The Rules have Changed
2020	California Municipal Law Conference	Municipal Redistricting in 2021: New Rules of the Road
2019	California Association of School Business Officials	Transitioning to By-Trustee-Areas Elections
2019	USC City/County Fellowship Program	The Challenges of Municipal Election Districts
2019	California Special Districts Association	District Elections and the California Voting Rights Act
2018	California Special Districts Association	Converting From At-Large to By-District Elections Under the California Voting Rights Act
2018	Riverside County Bar Assoc.	Redistricting and the California Voting Rights Act
2018	California School Board Assoc.	Voter Districts: The Link Between Strong Community Engagement and a Successful Process

2017	California School Board Assoc.	15 Years with the California Voting Rights Act: Lessons Learned and Challenges Ahead
2017	UC's National Public Service Law Conference	Moderator, "Voting Rights 101"
2016	Los Angeles County School Business Officials	CVRA: What CBO's Need to Know
2016	Los Angeles County School Trustees Assoc.	The CVRA: What School Board Members Need to Know
2015	Associated Cities of California – Orange County	The California Voting Rights Act
2015	California School Board Assoc.	The California Voting Rights Act: What Board Members Must Know
2015	Los Angeles County School Boards Assoc.	CVRA & Districting: The Demographer's Perspective
2011	Channel Cities Club	Lunch Keynote: "California's next experiment: independent, public redistricting"

Advisor to Charter Review Commissions on Redistricting Provisions

NDC advised the following groups on the redistricting and voting rights provisions of their charter revisions and ordinances:

2016	City of El Cajon charter revision and public education outreach
2015/16	Castaic Lake Water Agency and Newhall County Water District merger
2015/16	City of Corona Charter Revision
2011/12	Pasadena Unified advisor to Charter Revision Commission creating a redistricting commission and moving District to by-district elections
2009/10	City of Menifee advisor to by-district-elections ordinance language committee
2006-08	City of Modesto advisor to Charter Revision Commission creating an independent redistricting commission and public education outreach
2003	City of Goleta ordinance writing and public education outreach

Expert Witness and Litigation Consultant

NDC President Douglas Johnson served as an expert witness in the following election and redistricting law cases:

2020	Chestnut v Merrill (Alabama)
2019	City of Redondo Beach vs State of California
2019	Ruiz-Lozito vs West Contra Costa Unified School District
2019	Common Cause v Lewis (North Carolina)
2018	Phillip Randolph Institute v Smith (Ohio)
2018	League et al. v. Johnson (Michigan)
2017	Luna v County of Kern
2018	Covington v State of North Carolina
2016	Garrett v City of Highland
2015	Jamarillo v City of Fullerton
2015	Harris vs Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission
2015	Solis v Santa Clarita Community College District
2015	Jauregui et al vs City of Palmdale
2014	Diego v City of Whittier

NDC Staff also served as litigation consultants for jurisdictions in the following California Voting Rights Act cases:

1. Anaheim
2. Carson
3. Compton
4. Escondido
5. Modesto
6. Poway
7. Santa Clarita
8. Whittier
9. Santa Clarita Community College District
10. Tulare Health Care District

NDC Testimonials

Here is a sampling of what people have to say about NDC:

"Our decision to work with National Demographics came out of our extraordinary city-wide success in 2015 with their work designing the original districts. I think anyone who participated in that process realized that the technical solutions they created opened access to literally dozens of people creating their own maps and it created a vibrant process."

Santa Barbara City Attorney Ariel Calonne

"Here's a great expert. . . . today you bring him in for what sounds like good information, very smart man up here."

United States Fourth District Court Judge James A Wynn, Covington v North Carolina, United States District Court for the Middle District of North Carolina, Case No. 1:15CV399

"I have worked on Congressional, Legislative, Los Angeles County and Los Angeles City redistricting maps on behalf of the Latino Caucus and grassroots Latino organizations for over 30 years. Douglas Johnson is one of the top redistricting experts in California, and he is who I would pick to draw a map for me anywhere in the state."

Alan Clayton, retired Executive Director of the Los Angeles County Chicano Employees Association

"The excel spreadsheet is a fantastic tool. Just plug in the letter by district and on the tab see a running total of population by assigned district. It's cool."

Modesto resident's comment, June 16, 2008

"One of the first, and in retrospect one of the best, decisions made by our commission was to hire Douglas Johnson and his colleagues at National Demographics Corporation as our primary consultants. I have never had the opportunity to work with a more highly qualified, hard-working, dedicated, professional and classy individual or group than Mr. Johnson and his associates at NDC."

Jim Huntwork, Arizona Independent Redistricting Commissioner (Republican)

"In addition to his technical expertise, Doug had a keen sense of how to help us navigate the complexities of the process. He understands redistricting better than any person I know. He has a unique ability to synthesize that which is very complicated and make it very understandable for the public. He frequently would present various options, without representing any position, clearly delineating differences and challenges of each option in a clear and succinct manner."

Josh Hall, Arizona Independent Redistricting Commissioner (Democrat)

"It was a great pleasure to work with Doug Johnson and NDC during the first Independent redistricting effort in Arizona. Doug and his staff were professional, efficient, responsive, and even-handed. They listened very carefully to the instructions given by the commission and performed each mapping task without bias of any kind. I would highly recommend NDC to any jurisdiction, or commission, wishing to have a successful redistricting process."

Steven W. Lynn, Chair, Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission (Independent)

"Thank you for all of your hard work, assistance, and patience with me during this year of CVRA conversion to by-area trustee elections. Your continual reassurance and support in dealing with all of the details was sincerely appreciated. We all have jobs to do, but when working with all of you I felt that you always went the extra mile to support our District with excellent customer service. The multiple revisions, extra conference calls, and follow up suggestions made a difference to Scott, Linda, and me. I personally enjoyed joking around with each of you while remaining professional in all presentations. It was a pleasure working with all of you. "

Jennifer Williams, Ed. D., Fullerton Joint Union High School District, Executive Director Administrative Services

"Thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to participate in the City Official Roundtable I hosted on the 2020 U.S. Census at the Redondo Beach Performing Arts Center. I appreciate that you shared your expertise on the Census to the government officials who were present. It is critical that we work together to ensure that everyone is counted in the upcoming Census."

Ted W. Lieu, Member of Congress, California 33rd District.

Impeccable References

All of NDC's former clients – without exception – can be contacted for references. The following is only a sample of references:

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Mr. Jason Stilwell. City Manager. City of Santa Maria. 110 E. Cook Street. Santa Maria. CA 93454-5190. (805) 925-0951 ext. 2200. jstilwell@cityofsantamaria.org.

Mr. Marcus Walton. Communications Director. West Contra Costa Unified. 1108 Bissell Ave., Room 211-215. Richmond, CA 94801. 510-205-3092. mwalton@wccusd.net.

Mr. Jonathan Vasquez. Superintendent. Los Nietos School District. 8324 S. Westman Ave., Whittier, CA 90606. (562) 692-0271 Ext. 3212 jonathan_vasquez@lnsd.net.

Ms. Jennifer Fitzgerald, Mayor, City of Fullerton. 303 W. Commonwealth Avenue. Fullerton, CA 92832. (714) 402-3106. jennifer@curtpringle.com.

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Ms. Pam Abel. Superintendent. Modesto City Schools. 426 Locust Street. Modesto. CA 95351-2631. (209) 574-1616. able.p@mcs4kids.com.

Mr. Darrell Talbert. City Manager. City of Corona. 400 S Vicentia Avenue. Corona. CA 92882-2187. 951.279.3670. Darrell.Talbert@ci.corona.ca.us.

Mr. David Silberman. Deputy County Counsel. San Mateo County. 400 County Center. 6th Floor. Redwood City. CA 94063. 650-363-4749 dsilberman@smcgov.org.

Judge Hugh Rose (retired). Chairman. City of Modesto Districting Commission. 508 King Richard Lane. Modesto. CA 95350. Phone (209) 522-0719. Email: hhrose@hotmail.com.

Ms. Lucinda Aja. City Clerk, City of Buckeye, Arizona. 100 N Apache Rd, Suite A, Buckeye, AZ 85326. Phone (623) 349-6007. Email: laja@buckeyeaz.gov.

Summary Scope of Work

NDC tailors each project to the needs and goals of each jurisdictions. Below is a typical NDC-suggested timeline and description of project elements.

The dates provided below are general guidelines and will vary according to the goals, project choices, and deadlines of each jurisdiction.

This timeline is subject to change based on ongoing changes in the date when official population data will be available and possible changes in state deadlines.

May – June	Project Planning and decisions on public mapping tools, whether to use a commission, and other project options. Begin project communications and outreach.
June – September	Any mapping tools prepared with preliminary population data; initial pre-draft-map hearing(s) held.
October – November	Census data received and processed; draft maps prepared, considered, and revised (in hearings and, if desired, less formal public workshops)
November – December	Final plan revisions made and plan adopted and implemented.

Detailed Project Scope of Work

May – June, 2021: Project Planning and Initial Outreach

a. NDC works with the jurisdiction to prepare a detailed project timeline of expected outreach efforts hearings, draft map dates, and final map adoption dates.

b. Decide what public mapping tool(s) to provide, if any.

c. Create the project website: NDC will provide advice and text for the jurisdiction's website, or as an optional project element NDC will build a project website that the jurisdiction can simply link to from the jurisdiction site.

d. NDC will work with jurisdiction and County Registrar staff to confirm GIS boundaries and to identify and include in our redistricting database

any available GIS data that NDC and the jurisdiction identify are likely to be useful as mapping references for NDC, the public, and for the jurisdiction.

June – September, 2021: Initial Data Analysis and Initial Hearings / Forums

e. NDC prepares total population estimates for use any public mapping tools.

f. NDC adds socio-economic data from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey to the state demographic data.

g. NDC matches the demographic database to the existing election areas.

h. NDC prepares a report regarding the demographics and compliance with state and federal criteria of the existing election areas, including maps of "protected class" population concentrations and other socio-economic data often referenced in redistricting (such as income, education levels, children at home, language spoken at home, renters / homeowners, and single-family / multi-family residences).

i. If the optional public mapping tools and/or Public Participation Kit are included in the project, their use is demonstrated to the public (typically via videos posted on the project website).

j. If the optional public mapping tools and/or Public Participation Kit are included in the project, NDC provides email and phone support for any residents with questions regarding their use.

October – November, 2021: Draft Mapping Time

k. 2020 Census total population counts released and California Statewide Database completes "prison adjustments" of the data. Total population counts in mapping tools are updated with the official Census data.

l. If the existing election areas are in compliance with state and federal rules and balanced, the jurisdiction decides whether to stop at this "Still Balanced" point or to continue with a standard redistricting.

m. If the existing election areas are in compliance with state and federal rules and close to, but not quite, population balanced, the jurisdiction decides whether conduct only a "Minimal Change" redistricting or to proceed with a full "Standard" redistricting project.

n. The public deadline for submitting any initial draft maps will be approximately seven days prior to the official deadline to post all draft maps online (to provide NDC time to process any draft maps received, and for NDC to develop our own two to four initial draft maps).

o. NDC processes all public draft map submissions, drafts NDC's draft maps, summarizes all of the draft maps. The maps, related demographics, and summaries are provided by NDC in web-friendly formats. These process maps are posted on the project website and on the NDC-provided interactive review map.

p. The jurisdiction holds a hearing to review the draft maps, narrow down the list of initial draft maps, and provide direction on any desired new or revised maps.

November – December, 2022: Map Adoption

q. Any new or revised maps, related demographics, and summaries are posted on the project website.

r. Final Board meeting(s) to continue the review and refinement of the map(s) and, ultimately, adopt the final map.

s. Following map adoption, NDC coordinates map implementation with the County Registrar, informing the jurisdiction staff of the progress, any issues, and ultimate completion of that work.

Details of Optional Project Elements

Advisory or Independent Redistricting Commissions

NDC anticipates that many California jurisdictions will create advisory or independent commissions to manage the redistricting process. NDC welcomes the use of such commissions, and our pricing does not change for jurisdictions creating commissions. But the creation, training, operation and reporting of such commissions often leads to more meetings (and a resulting increase in the "per meeting" project expenses) than a traditional redistricting process conducted primarily by the jurisdiction's elected leadership.

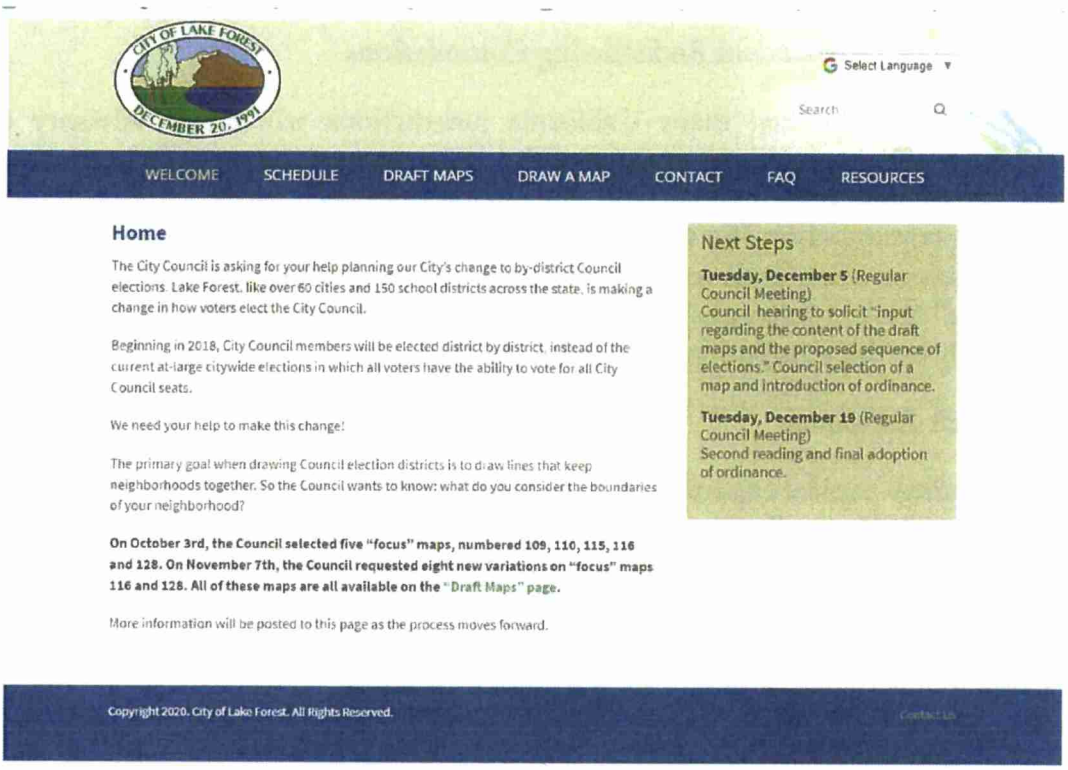
Outreach Assistance

NDC brings topical expertise to your jurisdiction's outreach efforts, and NDC makes available to all clients our library of sample outreach materials including op-ed articles, postcards, utility bill inserts, flyers, and social media messages. NDC provides all of these materials along with our advice and input on outreach strategy and materials to any interested jurisdiction, but we do not have graphic artists to customize or design such materials in-house.

For larger-scale outreach efforts, especially where jurisdictions wish to send representatives out to regular meetings of existing community organizations, NDC typically works together with a jurisdiction's in-house communications staff and/or with one or more outreach organizations. We often work with, and highly recommend, Tripepi-Smith, and some information on the services they offer is included at the end of this proposal. And we would be happy to work with any in-house team at the jurisdiction or with any firm or organization the jurisdiction selects. Many projects can be handled by a jurisdiction's in-house or regular outreach and communications teams (with samples and topic expertise provided by NDC), but a number of jurisdictions seek supplemental outside communications assistance.

Project Website

NDC provides all project materials in website-friendly formats for posting on the jurisdiction's website. At no cost, NDC will provide project website samples and website language for use on the jurisdiction's project website. But for jurisdictions that prefer not to take on the challenge of creating and managing a rapidly-changing project website, NDC will create, host, and update project website (visit to see one such site – though note that site was created prior to passage of the new AB849 requirements).

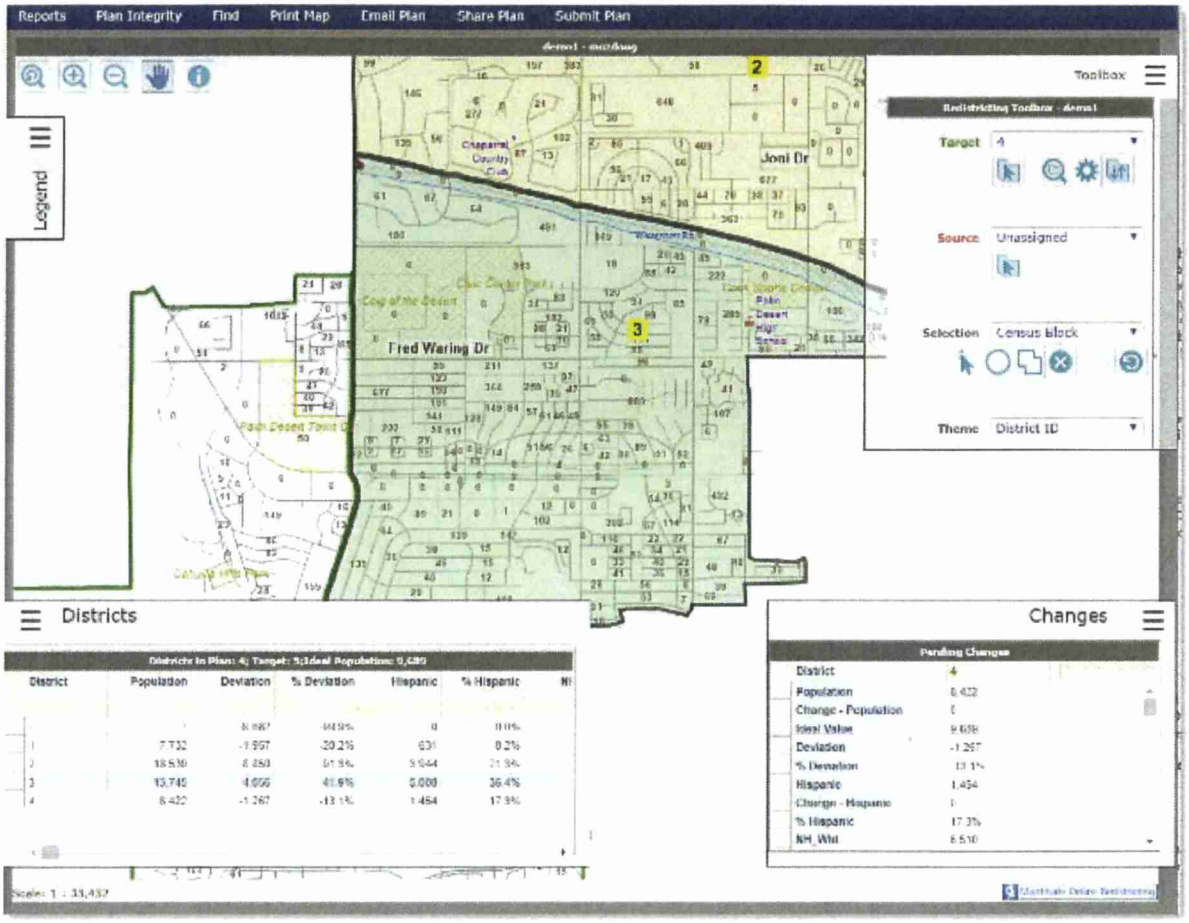


Background on Online Mapping Tool Options

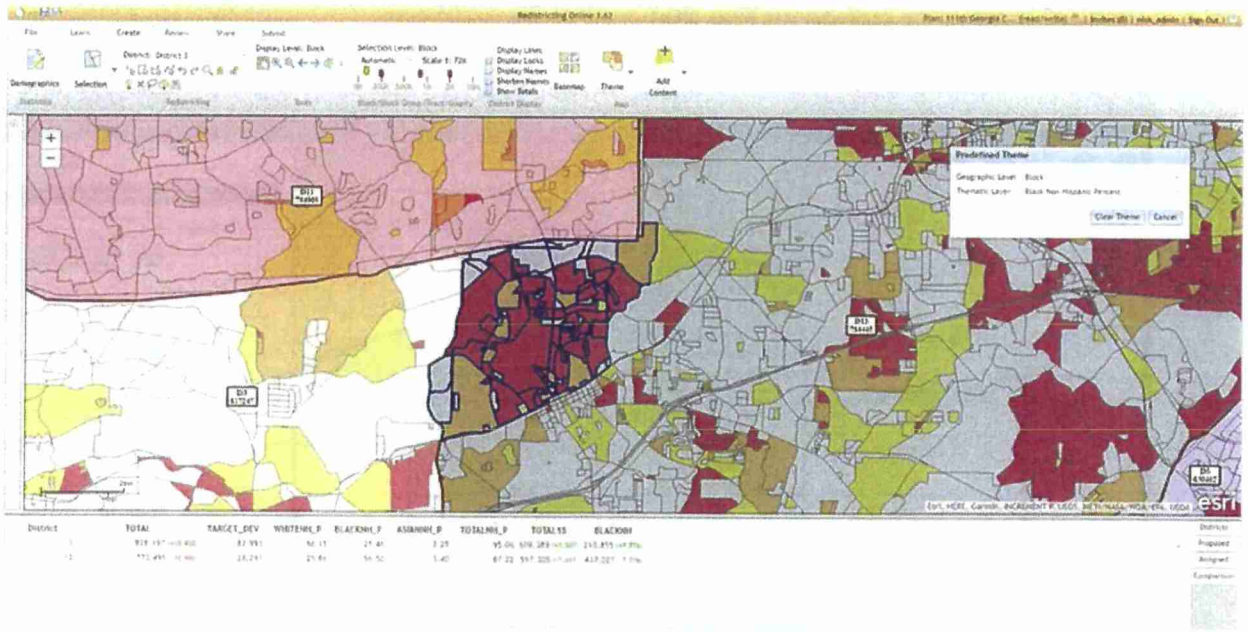
NDC is the unmatched leader in redistricting tools that empower residents to review draft maps and to develop and submit their own map proposals. NDC is the only firm that has used the online mapping solutions from both ESRI and Caliper Corporation in major redistricting projects.

Only NDC has repeatedly trained members of the public, processed public map submissions, and presented the public map proposals to public hearings and commission meetings. NDC's online mapping tool options provide user support, hosting, managing, and processing submitted plans for an online interactive system that allows public to draw and submit proposed maps through a standard web browser.

In the more than 200 California local districting projects between 2012 and 2020, NDC is the only consultant providing clients access to Caliper Corporation's "Maptitude Online Redistricting" tool. Even with the technical challenges arising from such tools' power and flexibility, NDC's training and encouragement frequently results in 10, 20, 30 or more different maps drawn by residents of the school district or city providing that tool to its residents.



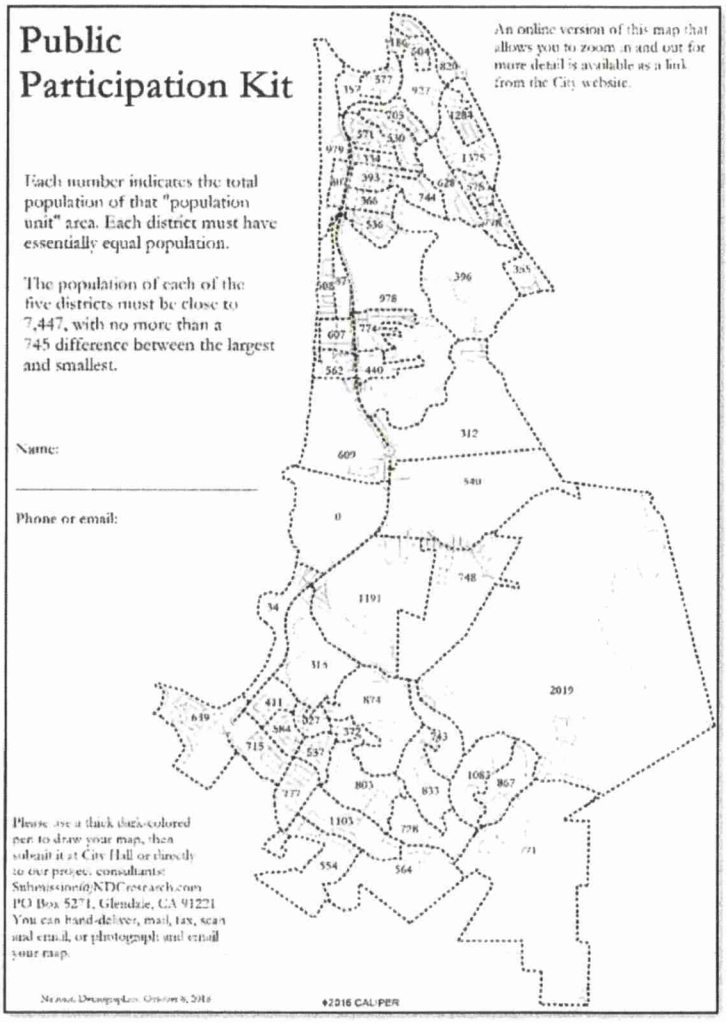
The other primary public mapping tool currently on the market is ESRI's online districting tool. While easy to use, the ESRI product costs significantly more. As a result, traditionally only the largest jurisdictions have been able to afford it.



When it is time to start the project, NDC will work with each interested client to determine which, if any, online mapping tool best meets the goals and budget of the jurisdiction.

Paper- and Excel-based Public Mapping Tools

While online mapping tools are very popular, NDC never forgets those residents who do not have internet access or who simply prefer to not drawing maps online.



At no cost with every online mapping tool, and as a separate option for jurisdictions that for budget or other reasons do not include an online mapping tool, NDC offers our "Public Participation Kit." Each "Kit" includes two formats.

The first, and most simple, Kit is a one-page map showing streets, city borders, and population counts for NDC-created "Population Unit" geographic areas. Residents draw the map they wish to propose and add up the population counts by hand until they get the right population count in each district. All of the directions needed are right on the single-page form. Examples of these tools, from our work for the City of Lake Forest, are available here: https://drawlf.org/draw-a-map/.

The second form of offline mapping tool is for those residents who do not want to deal with an online mapping tool, but who are already comfortable with Microsoft Excel. NDC provides a similar simple one-page map of those same "Population Units," but this time the map shows the Unit ID number rather than the population count in that Unit. Residents then enter their preferred district assignment for each Population Unit into the pre-formatted Excel spreadsheet (also available on the Lake Forest website), and Excel calculates the total population and demographics of each District. When the resident has the map the way they like it, they simple email in the Excel file.

Project Pricing

1. **Basic Project Elements** (covers everything except for per-meeting and optional expenses): ..... $ 36,500

2. **Per-Meeting expense:**

- In-person attendance, per meeting ..... $ 2,750
- Virtual (telephonic, Zoom, etc.) attendance, per meeting..... $ 1,250

For each meeting, NDC will prepare meeting materials, including presentation materials and maps; present and explain key concepts, including mandatory and traditional redistricting criteria and "communities of interest"; facilitate conversations; answer questions; and gather feedback on existing and proposed boundaries. Per-meeting prices include all travel and other anticipated meeting-related expenses. Telephone calls to answer questions, discuss project status, and other standard project management tasks do not count as meetings and do not result in any charge.

3. **Optional Project Elements:**

a) Project website ..... $ 5,500

b) Public mapping tool options:

- ESRI Redistricting ..... *
- Caliper-centered system including all elements below ..... **
  - "Maptitude Online Redistricting" (MOR)
  - Tuft University's "DistrictR" (a simple neighborhood mapping tool)
  - Public Participation Kit paper- and Excel-based mapping tool

c) DistrictR without MOR or ESRI ..... $ 20,000

d) Public Participation Kit mapping tool without MOR or ESRI..... $ 6,500

e) Working with independent or advisory redistricting commission ..... no additional charge

f) Additional outreach assistance..... separately contracted

* ESRI prices its software on a jurisdiction-by-jurisdiction basis. The lowest prices we have seen are $80,000 and up. If that is an option the jurisdiction would like to pursue, NDC will request a specific price for your jurisdiction from ESRI.

** NDC is awaiting pricing from the software provider, Caliper Corporation. We should have that later this week.

Other Potential Project-Related Expenses:

The most common additional project expenses would be any site or staff costs for conducting the community forums and the cost of printing or copying paper copies of the "Public Participation Kit." In NDC's experience, most participants will download and print the Kits in their own homes or offices.

Additional Analysis

NDC is happy to assist with any additional analysis that the client requests at our standard hourly rates:

Principal (Dr. Douglas Johnson)..... $300 per hour
Vice President (Justin Levitt)..... $250 per hour
Senior Consultant..... $200 per hour
Consultant..... $150 per hour
Analyst / Clerical..... $50 per hour

Dr. Johnson is also available for deposition and/or testimony work if needed, at $350 per hour.

Requested Payment terms:

NDC requests that the "Still Balanced" project fee be paid at the start of the project; that the difference between the "Still Balanced" fee and half of the "Basic Project Elements" be paid once the decision to update the district lines is made; and the balance of the project costs be paid at the conclusion of the project.

Exception: "Still Balanced" Jurisdictions

For a few jurisdictions, the existing election areas will still meet the equal population and voting rights act requirements using new 2020 Census data. These jurisdictions have the option simply retain the existing map without drawing and holding hearings on alternative maps. For jurisdictions electing this approach, the project would conclude with that decision.

Includes all the services listed below: ..... $ 9,500

- Compile total population and Citizen Voting Age Population data.
- Import existing election area lines.
- Compile population data by election area and calculate population deviations, prepare memo summarizing findings.

"Still Balanced" optional project elements and per-meeting expenses

Meeting attendance and optional project elements are not included in the "minimal change" project base fee. If requested, NDC team members participate in "minimal change" project hearings or forums at the same "per meeting" expenses, and optional project elements are provided at the same prices listed for a standard project in the previous section of this proposal.

Conclusion

Since its founding NDC has been the nation's preeminent company devoted to local election systems. To summarize:

- NDC has more experience in the field of municipal political election systems than any other company.
- NDC's experience and expertise has been recognized by our hundreds of clients, the California League of Cities, the California School Board Association, the California Special District Association, and the National Conference of State Legislatures.
- NDC, founded in 1979, has a demonstrated record of financial solvency.
- NDC's hardware and software resources were specially designed and acquired for districting and redistricting purposes.
- NDC's highly respected personnel have impeccable credentials in each aspect of the districting and redistricting processes.
- NDC's suggested approach has been tested in many jurisdictions.
- Any NDC client can be contacted for testimonials and reference.
- NDC has demonstrated experience over many years in working with the press and media on local election system issues.
- Neither the Justice Department nor any Court has ever rejected any of over 350 local government maps adopted through NDC-managed districting and redistricting projects.

NDC takes pride in tailoring each project to the needs and goals of each individual client. NDC is open to any feedback, concerns, requests, or changes regarding this proposal.

NDC looks forward to the opportunity to work with you on this project.

Proposal Acceptance

The terms of this proposal are available for 90 calendar days from its delivery to you. In most situations, NDC is open to extending that period of time to meet any particular needs of your jurisdiction.

If your jurisdiction has specific contract and/or letter of agreement language you prefer to use, please provide it and ignore the signature block below. If you prefer, simply sign two copies of this proposal in the signature block below and return them to NDC. Once signed by NDC, one copy will be returned to you.

Thank you.

For National Demographics Corporation	For Orange County Board of Education
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Douglas Johnson, President	
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Date	Date

Appendix

Resumes of NDC President Dr. Douglas Johnson and Vice President Dr. Justin Levitt are attached.

A client list and resumes of all NDC team members are available at www.ndcresearch.com/about-us/.

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Employment

President, National Demographics Corporation, 2006 – present.
Senior Analyst, National Demographics Corporation, 2001 – 2006.
Fellow, Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 2001 – present.
Project Manager and Senior Manager at three internet startup companies, 1999 - 2001.
U.S. Representative Stephen Horn, Legislative Director and System Manager. 1993 – 1997.
Coro Foundation, Fellowship in Public Affairs. 1992 – 1993.
Rose Institute for State and Local Government, Student Manager. 1989 – 1992.

Education

Claremont Graduate University, Ph.D. in Political Science, 2015. Dissertation: "Independent Redistricting Commissions: Hopes and Lessons Learned."
UCLA Anderson Graduate School of Management, MBA, 1999.
Claremont McKenna College, BA in Government (Political Science), 1992.

Academic Honors

Graduated Cum Laude from Claremont McKenna College.
Phi Beta Kappa. Philip Roland Prize for Excellence in Public Policy.

Publications and Articles

Christian Science Monitor "Let the public help draw voting districts," October 25, 2013.
New York Times, "The Case for Open Primaries," February 19, 2009.
Los Angeles Times Opinion Articles:
"A neighbor's help on redistricting" June 24, 2007.
"A Trojan horse primary for the GOP" February 25, 2007.
"Where a porn palace stood" (article on redevelopment), July 30, 2006.
Fresno Bee Opinion Article: "The Poison Handshake" June 15, 2004.
Redistricting in America. Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 2010.
Restoring the Competitive Edge: California's Need for Redistricting Reform and the Likely Impact of Proposition 77. Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 2005.
"Competitive Districts in California" Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 2005.
Latinos and Redistricting: "Californios For Fair Representation" and California Redistricting in the 1980s. Rose Institute of State and Local Government, 1991.

Speaker or Panelist

California School Board Association Annual Education Conference panelist: "The California Voting Rights Act: What Board Members Must Know." December 4, 2015.
Associated Cities of California – Orange County, Keynote Speaker, Newly Elected Officials' Reception and Dinner, "The California Voting Rights Act," January 29, 2015.
California League of Cities, City Manager Department, 2015 Department Meeting: "Opportunity to Engage Residents: The California Voting Rights Act." January 29, 2015.
California League of Cities, City Clerk Department, 2014 Annual Meeting: "Whose Line Is It Anyway: Making the transition from at-large to by-district elections." September 3, 2014.
National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2007 Spring Forum, "The Arizona Independent Redistricting Commissions' experiences with the first-ever independent redistricting."
National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2008 Spring Forum, "Communities of Interest In Redistricting: A Practical Guide."

National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2009 Fall Forum, "The Key to Successful Redistricting."

National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2010 Spring Forum, "Communities of Interest in Redistricting: A key to drawing 2011 plans (and for their defense)."

National Conference of State Legislatures, Redistricting and Elections Standing Committee: 2011 Winter Forum, "Citizen Voting Age Data from a line-drawer's viewpoint."

Luncheon Keynote Speaker, Santa Barbara's Channel Cities Club, "California's next experiment: independent, public redistricting," January 18, 2011.

Annual Conference, Arizona League of Cities and Towns, Presenter at "Redistricting Law and the Voting Rights Act: What It Means for Your City or Town in 2011," August 25, 2010.

Redistricting, The 2010 Census, and Your Budget, Sponsored by the Rose Institute of State and Local Government, California League of Cities, October 15, 2009.

Arizona Election Law 2010 Continuing Legal Education Conference, "Communities of interest and technology in redistricting," sponsored by the Arizona State Bar Association, March 2010

California's New Independent Redistricting Commission, sponsored by the Irvine Foundation and the California Redistricting Collaborative, December 15, 2009

Tribal Association of Sovereign Indian Nations (TASIN) Legislative Day 2009, "The 2010 Census and 2011 Redistricting in California," December 2, 2009.

California School Board Association, "Litigation Issues and the California Voting Rights Act," December 4, 2009.

California Latino School Boards Association, "Introduction to the California Voting Rights Act," August 20, 2009.

Building a National Reform Movement, Salt Lake City, Utah, 2006, conference on redistricting reform hosted by the League of Women Voters, Campaign Legal Center, and The Council for Excellence in Government

Texas Tech University, "A Symposium on Redistricting," May, 2006

California League of Cities, "Introduction to the California Voting Rights Act."

Voices of Reform, a project of the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco: multiple forums on redistricting and / or term limits, 2006 – 2007

Classroom speaker at Pepperdine University, the University of La Verne, Pomona College and Claremont McKenna College

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Employment

Vice-President, National Demographics Corporation, 2012 – present.
Senior Analyst, National Demographics Corporation, 2003 – 2011.
Instructor in Political Science, University of California, San Diego, 2012 – present.
Graduate Research Fellow, Center for US-Mexico Studies, 2010 – present.
Graduate Research Fellow, University of California, San Diego, 2008 – 2010 and 2013 – 2014.
Jesse M. Unruh California Assembly Fellow. 2006 – 2007.
Rose Institute for State and Local Government, Student Manager. 2005 – 2006.

Education

University of California, San Diego, Ph.D. Political Science, 2016. Dissertation title: "The Impact of Geographic Patterns on Tradeoffs in Redistricting."
Claremont McKenna College, BA in Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE), 2006.

Academic Honors

California Studies Fellow, University of California, San Diego, 2007 – 2009
Graduated Cum Laude from Claremont McKenna College.

Publications and Conference Presentations

Settle, Jamie, Robert Bond, and Justin Levitt. 2011. "The Social Origins of Adult Political Behavior." *American Politics Research*: 39 (2). 239-263

Miller, Kenneth and Justin Levitt. 2007. "The San Joaquin Valley." In The New Political Geography of California. Eds. Frederick Douzet, Thad Kousser, and Kenneth Miller. Berkeley: Institute of Government Studies.

"The Political Geography of Tradeoffs in Redistricting" Paper presented at the State Politics and Policy Conference, Iowa City, IA, 2013

Getting What You Want: A Bargaining Approach to Fair Division in Redistricting. Paper presented at the "Challenging Urban Borders : the geopolitics of immigration and segregation" workshop, Berkeley, CA, 2013 and the State Politics and Policy Conference, Houston, TX, 2012

"An Atlas of Public Health in Mexico" (with Alberto Diaz Cayeros). Paper presented at the Hewlett Foundation Conference on Public Health, Mexico City, DF. 2012

"Remoteness and the Territoriality of Public Health" (with Alberto Diaz Cayeros).
Paper presented at the American Political Science Association conference, Seattle, WA. 2011

"Initiatives as revealed preferences"
Paper presented at the American Political Science Association conference, Seattle, WA. 2011

"No Se Puede: Latino Political Incorporation in Phoenix.". Paper Presented at the New Political Geography of California conference, Berkeley, CA., 2009

"Political Change in the Central Valley". Paper Presented at the Western Political Science Association conference, Las Vegas, NV.,2007

Working Papers

Hill, Seth, Thad Kousser, Alex Hughes, and Justin Levitt. ND. *"How Competitiveness Shapes Infrequent Primary Voters Response to Receiving a GOTV Mailer."*

Diaz-Cayeros, Alberto and Justin Levitt. ND. *"Remoteness and the Territoriality of Public Health."*

Levitt, Justin. ND. *"Getting What You Want: A Bargaining Approach to Fair Division in Commission-led Redistricting."*

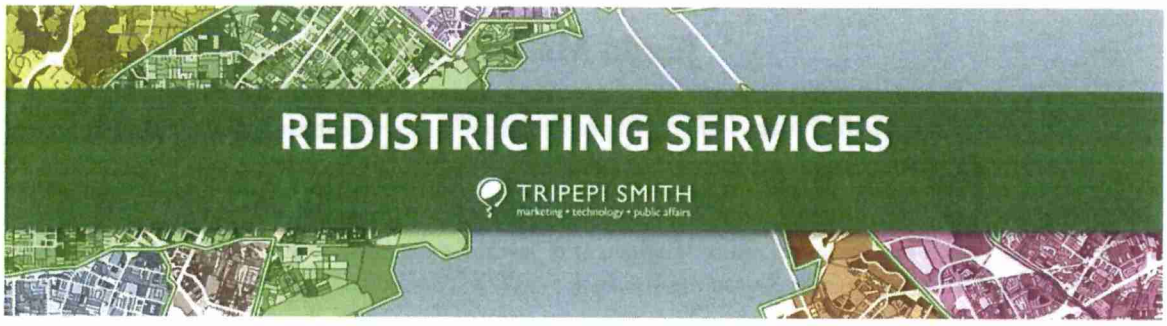
Teaching Experience

California State University, Long Beach, Department of Political Science

Adjunct Professor—POSC 327 (Urban Politics)	Spring 2016-Present
Adjunct Professor—POSC 229 (Cases in Policy Analysis)	Present
Adjunct Professor—POSC 412 (Law and Social Change)	Spring 2016-Present
Adjunct Professor—POSC 399 (California Politics Short Course)	Present

University of California, San Diego, Department of Political Science

Co-Instructor—UPS 170 (Regional Governance Reconsidered)	Spring 2015
Instructor—Poli 100A (The Presidency)	Fall 2014
Instructor—Poli 160AA (Introduction to Public Policy Analysis)	Fall 2013
Instructor—Poli 10 (Introduction to American Politics)	Summer 2013



Redistricting with Tripepi Smith

By-district elections are becoming increasingly common in local government agencies throughout California. The California Voting Rights Act, passed in 2001, was the impetus for much of this change. Today, more than 300 local government agencies have districts of some form, and the number continues to rise as local government agencies are compelled to settle lawsuits or avoid legal battles.

About Tripepi Smith and Our Redistricting Team

Tripepi Smith is a team of 23 communications experts—robust enough to offer experienced and effective professionals for the job, yet small enough to be nimble and responsive. Tripepi Smith offers a spectrum of skills that allows us to match the appropriate resource to the task at hand, letting us execute faster and reduce engagement costs. These resources vary by both years of experience and core hard skills (public policy versus graphic design versus videography versus writing versus social media, for example).

Tripepi Smith is experienced in helping local governments execute community education and outreach initiatives for district formation and redistricting processes. We have worked extensively with agencies on their district public forums, created districting information portals and organized a conference on local redistricting for nearly 200 local government practitioners.

The combined talent of our policy experts, in-house design team and videographers delivers professional communications that make our clients proud and better inform the public about this complex process. Tripepi Smith has the skills and experience to help local governments implement successful outreach strategies for district formation and redistricting outreach. The team's skills and certifications range from excellent written communication skills to Tableau for data analytics to Google Ads to event planning and project management.

Tripepi Smith Redistricting Services

California State law has identified outreach as a core component of the redistricting process. The Tripepi Smith team can provide jurisdictions with some or all of the following services:

Project Management

Tripepi Smith can facilitate all project calls for this engagement and create a living agenda to manage the efforts and timing between the demographer, legal counsel, City and Tripepi Smith from the beginning of the outreach process to the map adoption.

In-Person Meetings

If possible with COVID-19 limitations, Tripepi Smith can coordinate with City staff to identify venues and dates to host in-person workshops and meetings to seek public feedback on new district lines and provide information on map-drawing tools. Tripepi Smith can devise an agenda, facilitate discussions, document community feedback and promote positive engagement around the process. Additionally, Tripepi Smith can provide graphic design services to create bilingual PowerPoint decks for the presentations and flyers for attendees. We can coordinate simultaneous translation with local partners.

Tripepi Smith can also facilitate recording the meetings and provide videos, with any relevant slides interspersed and closed captions. These videos would likely fulfill the requirement to post a summary of the meeting.

Virtual Meetings

Tripepi Smith can also coordinate and facilitate virtual meetings and workshops to seek public feedback and educate residents on map-drawing tools. Tripepi Smith can also work with City staff to promote the meetings and to leverage our identified outreach and advertising work to promote meeting participation. Our videographers can process recordings of the meetings to fulfill posting requirements.

Press Release/News Article for Website

Tripepi Smith can draft press releases on the jurisdiction's redistricting efforts and manage media relations to promote each step in the redistricting process reaches local and broad-reaching media.

Creation and Updates to Bilingual Redistricting Website

Tripepi Smith can create and maintain a bilingual redistricting website or subpages in coordination with the demographer. The website/pages would include resources for the community, including all required information about meetings and draft maps.

Social Media Support

Tripepi Smith can create bilingual copy and graphics for social media posts about the redistricting process, as well as boost posts (paid advertising) on Facebook and Instagram to help spread the word about meetings and solicit public commentary.

Get in touch with Tripepi Smith President Ryder Todd Smith (626.536.2173 | Ryder@TripepiSmith.com) to start planning.

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MINUTES
Regular Meeting
June 2, 2021

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
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WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by Board President Williams at 2:06 p.m., June 2, 2021 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California and via YouTube live stream.

ROLL CALL

Present:
Lisa Sparks, Ph.D. (virtual zoom)
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez
Tim Shaw
Mari Barke
Ken L. Williams, D.O.

(*)AGENDA

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to remove the approval of the minutes from May 5, 2021 and approve the agenda of the Regular meeting of June 2, 2021.

Trustee Williams recessed the board meeting to go into closed session at 2:08 p.m.

TIME CERTAIN

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06022021001I – Buena Park School District to Centralia School District

Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Centralia School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06022021002I – Buena Park School District to Anaheim Elementary School District

   Motion by Barke, seconded by Shaw, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 (Williams, Barke, Sparks, Gomez and Shaw voted Yes) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Anaheim Elementary School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06022021003I – Buena Park School District to Fullerton School District

   Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-1-0 (Williams, Barke, Sparks voted Yes; Gomez voted No; Shaw not present for vote) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Fullerton Joint Union High School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

4. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06022021004I – Buena Park School District to Cypress School District

   Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-0-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks voted Yes; Gomez voted No; Shaw abstained) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Cypress School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

5. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06022021005I – Buena Park School District to Centralia School District

   Motion by Sparks, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Centralia School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

   Terrance Dunn, Coordinator, Educational Services facilitated the hearings.

CLOSED SESSION 1

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. Orange County Superintendent of Schools, Case No. 30-2018-01023385-CU-MC-CJC-Government Code Section 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

CLOSED SESSION 2	CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC -Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1) The Board approved the following: 1. Haight, Brown & Bonesteel Invoices # 3243116 and 3243117, dated May 14, 2021 by a vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) 2. Epstein, Becker & Green invoices # 1051182 and 1051183, dated May 31, 2021 by a vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No)
INVOCATION	Rev. Sarah Averette-Phillips (Virtual) Brea Congregational United Church of Christ
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	Trustee Shaw
INTRODUCTIONS	None
PUBLIC COMMENTS	- Lori – School mask for children - Michelle – item #19&21 support - Allison – student of charter school - Sara - Item #19 - Mrs. Co - CRT, masking of students - Kelly – Ethnic Studies, no CRT - Brian – Operation Dark Winter, etc - Lori – AB1316, Ethnic Studies - Dorothy – CRT, Ethnic Studies - Nate – Multiple items - Grandfather - CRT, mask of students, Common Core, Zero Tolerance Policy
INFORMATION ITEMS	COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION - Board Webpage - Questions re: URL - Questions re: Mapping - Request for Board photo at a future meeting (Executive Committee will respond)

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

- $50,000 award from Cox Communications for Digital Literacy and Translation
- 3 OC 2021 State Classified Employees of the Year
- 2 OC Middle Schools earn top honors at 2021 National Academic Pentathlon

ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

- Next Board meeting – June 16, 2021
- CCBE
- CSBA
- July Organizational Meeting

PRESENTATIONS

Jeff Hittenberger, Chief Academic Officer and Analee Kredel, Chief, Special Education Services presented the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) for the Orange County Department of Education.

Analee Kredel, Chief, Special Education Services, conducted the public hearing regarding the LCAP for the Orange County Department of Education.

Dave Connor, Principal, presented the Local Control and Accountability plan (LCAP) for the College and Career Preparatory Academy.

Jeff Hittenberger, Chief Academic Officer, conducted the public hearing for the LCAP for the College and Career Preparatory Academy.

Renee Hendrick, Associate Superintendent, Business Services, presented the Orange County Department of Education budget for the 2021-2022 fiscal year.

Renee Hendrick, Associate Superintendent, Business Services, conducted the public hearing regarding the Budget for the 2021-2022 fiscal year.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

Trustee Sparks left the meeting at 7:23 p.m.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and approved by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Barke, Williams, Gomez and Shaw voted Yes; Sparks absent) to approve the contract execution of Orange County Workforce Innovation High School's amended resolution extending the deadline for the execution of an agreement on May 31, 2021.

Charter School Public Hearing

Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School material revisions - Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, facilitated the public hearing.

Motion by Barke, seconded by Gomez, and approved by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Barke, Gomez and Shaw) to approve Tomorrow's Leadership Collaborative Charter School's requested material revisions.

Aracely Chastain facilitated the public hearing for Samueli Academy. No action will be taken until the July board meeting.

ISSAC Material Revisions were discussed.
Update to be provided at the July board meeting.

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

Motion by Barke, seconded by Shaw, and approved by a roll call vote of 3-1 (Williams, Barke and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the Board's action in opposition to AB 1316.

Motion by Shaw, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Barke, Shaw and Gomez voted Yes) to approve the Redistricting Contract to include designated scope of work, not to exceed $50,000.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-1 (Williams, Barke and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve using the Rossmoor Auditorium for the Ethnic Studies Community forums on July 27th and August 24th, with a budget of $7,500.

The board recessed from 9:15 pm – 9:26 pm.

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion duly made, and seconded, the Board meeting of June 2, 2021 adjourned at 9:34 p.m.

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Ken L. Williams, D.O.
President, Board of Education

Next Regular Board Meeting, Wednesday, June 16, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. - The meeting will be in the Board Room at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA and via virtual conference.

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

JUNE 2, 2021

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2. BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

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TRANSCRIPT OF JUNE 2, 2021
ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

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[PRESIDENT WILLIAMS STRIKES THE GAVEL THREE TIMES TO SIGNAL THE BEGINNING OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING]

WILLIAMS: Good afternoon. Welcome. For the benefit of the record, this regular meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order. May we have roll call?

BOYD: Trustee Sparks?

SPARKS: Here.

BOYD: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: Present.

BOYD: Trustee Shaw?

SHAW: Here.

BOYD: Vice President Barke?

BARKE: Here.

BOYD: And President Williams?

WILLIAMS: Here. Hello. We have to go through some formality here, so we will be right with you. Okay, next on the Agenda is the adoption of today's meeting. Darou was absent today- or last week, so there is a few items that have to be removed from the meeting and that is the Minutes from May 5th, and then we are also going to be in the adoption of today's meeting, taking the LCAPs which is agenda item eight, nine, ten, eleven, before six and seven so if I can have- well, I will make that motion for the adoption, if I can have a second?

BARKE: I will second.

GOMEZ: I am sorry, could you clarify eight, nine and ten, you are going to move before six and seven?

WILLIAMS: Yeah. Nina, if you can throw some vision to this?

BOYD: I can explain, yes. The LCAP is supposed to be presented before the budget according to code, and so in the agenda development, they were not put in the right location, and so we

WILLIAMS: Mary seconded, yeah. Do you want to call the question?

BARKE: Sure, I will call the question.

WILLIAMS: Call the question, okay. So, this is a resolution. Will you poll the Board, Nina?

BOYD: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: Oppose.

BOYD: Trustee Shaw?

SHAW: Yes.

BOYD: Vice President Barke?

BARKE: Yes.

BOYD: And President Williams?

WILLIAMS: Yes. Motion passes 3-1. Moving on to 20. We talked about this last time. We have a contract for every district redistricting. Mr. Greg Rolen if you will lead us in this as a recap for the Board? I asked Mr. Rolen to be involved in this legal process of reviewing the company as well as talking with the president of the company, Mr. Douglas Johnson. I will let you continue.

ROLEN: Last week, I had some conversations with the associate superintendent and Dr. Johnson about this contract. There was some concern that the contract did not include a specific scope of work. So, I addressed that with Dr. Johnson, and he is providing the Board with a number of different options in that regard. First of all, he said that he is willing to include a not to exceed amount, willing to have his contract amended as the Board sees fit. He is willing to meet with a board subcommittee, or he is willing to come and address the Board and ask any, again, answer any questions that the Board may have about the appropriate scope of work as it relates to the pricing of the contract. But he was somewhat insistent because of his press of business that we get the contract signed this evening. And then we can work out the details later, because we do have a little bit of time. Because he did inform me, and I did inform the associate superintendent that the census data will not be available until September of this year. So, he applauded the Board for the inertia to move forward, but- and wanted the contract signed. We can sign a contract and amend it as we see fit.

WILLIAMS: So, the language allows us to amend the contract and to take back or add to the contract?

ROLEN: Right. We can set a scope of work. He will price it. If the Board does not like that or the Board wants to make changes. That would be appropriate

WILLIAMS: Okay. So, the initial contract gave us a price.

ROLEN: The initial proposal, gave a framework.

WILLIAMS: A basic a basic, a project of $36,500. And then there was- that is on page 25 for my colleagues here. And then there is other elements that are in here.

ROLEN: And that is to be discussed. Those other elements - the website, the staff involvement, that type of thing. We can set that scope of work, because we have the time to do that.

WILLIAMS: So, if we do make the motion for the basic elements, which is $36,500. Renee needs that for the budget. She needs an amount as I think we earlier talked about. If we make that motion and we approve the contract, we can add these other items later.

ROLEN: Right. You can approve the contract with a not to exceed amount of $36,000. We can discuss the scope of work, or he can discuss the scope of work with the Board.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

ROLEN: And then you can make amendments to that contract as you see fit. You can reduce, add, see what kind of bells and whistles you may want.

WILLIAMS: So, there is some flexibility there. So, these bells.

ROLEN: That was a word he used a lot was flexibility.

WILLIAMS: Okay. So, the data is not going to be available until when?

ROLEN: September 2021.

WILLIAMS: Okay, 2021. And so, if we approve this tonight, not to exceed $36,500, we cannot, again, I think this is very important, we cannot add to it later? Is that correct?

ROLEN: If the Board sees fit, yes?

WILLIAMS: Yes. Okay. I am through with my questions. Any other questions? Yes.

SHAW: My thoughts, I do not know if you mentioned this. But just thinking about the work of redrawing districts. I think we all know that in the last several years, lots of cities, lots of local school districts have all gone into districts, right? I mean, so there used to be every city I knew of elected their city council members at large. Anaheim, a whole bunch of cities have gone into districts. So, I am imagining if I am in the business of redrawing districts, maybe 10 years ago, there was this many government agencies that needed help. Now we got a lot more. I am guessing cities and school districts, and everyone is now electing their trustees or council members this way. So, my thought is, it would probably be important. These people are obviously quite reputable, they seem to have great credentials and experience. So, I think it

would be important that we get them under contract. Because I think that they are going to be, their phone is probably ringing off the hook from every district, every waterboard, every school district, every city out there now has to be redrawing their district boundaries. So, I do think it would be important to maybe do this, subject to amendments in the future, but it is clearly something we need to do right.

Ten years ago, I had a job where I was following around the Redistricting Commission as they were redrawing State Senate, State Assembly, and House Districts for California. And I kind of saw firsthand where that gets- those meetings get fun. I am sure we are going to have lots of visitors and people making- watching us and making sure we do this right. So, I think it is very important we get someone very reputable who will guide us through this process well, so we, you know, as we look at our five trustee areas, draw those maps in accordance with the California Voting Rights Act and all those important laws. So, I think I would be happy to move that we move forward with this company or whatever is needed. But I think it would be important we kind of do it sooner rather than later. We do not want to be behind the eight ball on this. Our election is in June of next year. Is that right? So, I will, just trading in rumors here, I have heard that if- with the Census data coming out so late, there may be- there is concern I think in the state that they might have to move back that primary election, because they will not have time once all the Census data is available to you know, go through the proper process properly to redraw districts. But I do not think that has been done yet. But, we will have to watch that.

ROLEN: At the very least, it will compress the timeframe that I presented to the Board the last meeting.

SHAW: Very compressed. Yeah.

BARKE: If you are making a motion then, I would second that?

SHAW: I make that motion then.

WILLIAMS: Okay. So, we have a motion. Let me interpret you. We have a motion for the basic project element costs of $36,500 and the approval of the contract. Is that correct?

SHAW: That would be my motion. Yes.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Boy, you took the thunder out.

SHAW: Well, I am sorry, but you can do it so much better. Go ahead.

WILLIAMS: No, no, no, no, that is fine. I am just kidding. Okay. Okay. So, we have a motion by Trustee Shaw and a second by Trustee Barke. I have not heard from you Becky.

GOMEZ: I have some questions.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

GOMEZ: Dr. Mijares, maybe you could answer this for me? This is something we have to do every ten years.

MIJARES: Correct.

GOMEZ: Who has done the leg work on this type of redistricting? Is it the Department or is it the Board?

MIJARES: I think in previous years the Board took the lead with the Departments support.

GOMEZ: Okay. So, my question every time we enter into these contracts is did we do an RFP? We did not, correct?

WILLIAMS: So, technically no, we did not. But from Mr. Rolen conversation, I did ask that question. Because this is such specialized, I believe Greg your response was it was not necessary. And to put onto the record, this is my third time going through redistricting and it was the Board who has done it in the past. They contracted out.

GOMEZ: So, the Board took the lead?

WILLIAMS: The Board has done this. This is again my third time in this as president.

GOMEZ: Okay.

BOYD: So just as a correction. The staff did the agreement with the county previously and the demographer worked with the Board. So, the Board was working with staff on it, but it was not the Board that actually entered into any agreements.

WILLIAMS: The Board approved it.

BOYD: Yes. That is what I am saying. It was driven by the Board, but the staff did all the legwork and brought that before the Board in terms of all the different meetings and the things that you all wanted to consider and so forth.

WILLIAMS: That would not be my impression with working with April Lynn Hartline. I think it was a really a Board driven issue. The staff may have been participating. I do not know what your role was in there, but I remember many meetings with Lynn Hartline.

BOYD: Right. And I am not disputing that, what I am saying is because it goes through county committee and so forth. That is- staff communicated with Lynn April Hartline, who then communicated and worked with the Board. So, just a layer that was not involved with you directly, because staff was not working with you. It was the deputy sup. who was working with you.

WILLIAMS: Right. Lynn April was working directly with the Board.

BOYD: Right.

GOMEZ: So, the staff did the RFP or the staff initiated the contract? Is that a yes?

HENDRICK: That is a yes. We did not do an RFP because it is specialized services. There is very few companies. In the past two times that we have seen, we use the same demographers as the Board of Supervisors. And so, and I am not sure if they are using this company this time, I do not know what company they are using.

GOMEZ: So, do we usually tag onto the Board of Sups so that it is a little more cost efficient? Or how did we do that?

HENDRICK: That was part of the reasoning of using the same company is because you are combining data.

BOYD: But that was brought to the Board and the Board made that determination.

HENDRICK: Yes, the Board made that decision.

BOYD: Staff did not make that determination. That is why I am saying that there was- we provided all the information and so forth to the deputy sup who then brought that forward.

HENDRICK: There is very few companies that provide this type of service though. There is not a lot out there.

GOMEZ: There is probably a handful if that.

BOYD: Right.

GOMEZ: But we did not- we did not look at other companies?

ROLEN: I did not.

SHAW: I thought these people are working for the County Board of Supervisors.

ROLEN: That is what I thought as well.

HENDRICK: They could be, I am just not aware.

WILLIAMS: That is where I got the reference from talking to the individual who works for the CEO of the county. They gave me the reference, Mr. Jeff Johnson.

GOMEZ: Okay. And I am concerned about signing a contract without a scope of work and also, you know, the cost. The cost that- I have just lost the page again. Yeah. Thank you. The cost really is not only $36,000. I am assuming that we would have a, is it Mr. Johnson, come to some

meetings. So right off the bat, that is some additional costs there. I am just a little bit concerned that we- it is like signing a blank check here. So, I am really uncomfortable with doing that.

SHAW: Well, if I am looking at this, right. So, on page 25, he lists for a website, it would be $5,500. I would assume we would want to have a website. I think that would be appropriate for taking public comment and input. And you are right, Becky, I mean, certainly he will be coming to some meetings. I mean that $36,500 was listed as basic project elements, but there- you are absolutely correct that several of those things listed on there are things we are going to want to also, you know, purchase or, you know, have as part of this process. So, it would not be probably accurate to say $36,500. It will ultimately be more than that, but would it be okay if we just approve the $36,500 for the basic project element here this evening. And as we talked about, as we are moving forward, we will almost certainly be amending it to add some of those other features.

BARKE: I thought we would also wanted to move it along so you would have a number for the budget that.

GOMEZ: But the number is not a good number if we are talking only about $36,000. Because, you know, not only is it meeting costs, but you are also talking about travel and other meeting related expenses. So yeah, I am disappointed that this gentleman is not here tonight so we could ask a few of these questions to maybe iron out the cost. But I would think we definitely have to have, I believe if I remember correctly, at least four public meetings.

WILLIAMS: No. Greg, can you help? What is required. That is not true.

ROLEN: I do not recall there being formal public meetings.

GOMEZ: Okay. Is that just for new districts that is was for?

ROLEN: I could not tell you, to tell you the truth.

WILLIAMS: Mr. Johnson told me one.

ROLEN: Yeah. That is what he told me. I have not done independent research to determine where there is four meetings. That does not sound right to me, but.

GOMEZ: Well, I know that is true for new districts. I do not know about redistricting.

ROLEN: He said he would bill by meeting. There is going to be an additional charge for every meeting. And if the Board directs me to tell him to show up at the next meeting, I am sure he will do that. Because these are the kinds of discussions we have to have with them, unless there is an Executive Committee appointed, so.

GOMEZ: Well, I think we would probably be better served if we looked at a couple of these costs and maybe agree to a contract, not to exceed, at least in order to sign this if we really feel like we need it tonight. So just the $36,000, we know that is the basics, right? So, we could plan

for, you know, two to three meetings or something and then add that to the $36,000. And if we are looking at a website, then you add that. Okay, I am not the math person. Who is adding up?

SHAW: You want to have two meetings?

GOMEZ: Well, I am just saying just for budgetary purposes. So, if we were looking at, you know, two to three meetings and then the website. Then maybe we are looking at, you know, like- up to $50,000.

ROLEN: If the Board wants to amend their motion and increase the not to exceed amount to $50,000, that would be appropriate. We can always come in under that.

GOMEZ: I think that is more reasonable than just saying 36. If we are talking about trying to get a number for the budget.

BARKE: Tim, are you comfortable that 50 is enough? Do you want to amend your motion, and I will second it?

SHAW: I would be happy to amend it. So, it will be not to exceed $50,000.

BARKE: And I will second that motion.

ROLEN: Do you guys have that?

GOMEZ: I am just doing round numbers.

ROLEN: We changed the motion to $50,000.

WILLIAMS: Not to exceed. Not to exceed. But, Mr. Johnson is gonna know the base price is what we are getting, then he can, you know, you are gonna need to talk with him about negotiating these prices if he attends virtually. That is quite a bit per hour.

ROLEN: Attending virtually, that is true. That will be negotiated. That is a good point.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. And I think that the first visit or the first in the virtual is included in that, that base price. Right? That is what we are going to do. Yeah.

ROLEN: As you wish.

GOMEZ: Well, I would just like to say, you know, up to the $50,000 as well as getting a designated scope of work.

ROLEN: Absolutely.

GOMEZ: Because I do not think that we want to just write a blank check until we know what the scope of work is so that we are all comfortable with that.

BOYD: So, has the original motion been amended or withdrawn or?

SHAW: I made- I amended my motion to say not to exceed $50,000.

BARKE: And I seconded it.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

GOMEZ: And to include a scope of work.

SHAW: And to include a scope of work.

GOMEZ: Thank you.

BARKE: I had to get a free first virtual meeting.

WILLIAMS: Right. Okay.

ROLEN: Have him cut the lawn.

WILLIAMS: Any other issues?

ROLEN: Do you guys have that?

WILLIAMS: Questions? Okay. All those in favor, say aye?

BARKE, SHAW, GOMEZ, WILLIAMS: Aye.

WILLIAMS: Opposed? Motion passes 4-0. Okay. Moving forward with item number 21. This is a carry over as we are getting more specific with the time and dates. We need to make some approvals. The first approval is the facility. And the Executive Committee has determined that based upon the restrictions by the state public health, that it might be best if we go to an outside facility. And so, the Executive Committee is recommending Rush Auditorium, which seats approximately 500 individuals. It is in the Rossmoor Service District. And it will certainly serve our needs, so I need a motion to adopt the Rush Auditorium as the facility for our forum.

BARKE: So moved.

WILLIAMS: I will second that. Any conversation?

GOMEZ: Yes.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

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Item: Agenda - June 16, 2021
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REGULAR MEETING
June 16, 2021
2:30 p.m.
Location: *The public meeting will be conducted onsite with limited seating at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 and via YouTube live stream at* https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YQHkl21fqkE

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

(*)AGENDA — Regular Meeting of June 16, 2021 – adoption

PUBLIC COMMENTS

TIME CERTAIN

2:30 p.m.

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (Open) – 06162021001I – Orange Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06162021002I – Garden Grove Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.

3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06162021005I – Placentia Yorba Linda Unified School District to Fullerton Joint Union High School District.

CLOSED SESSION 1 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION
Orange County Board of Education v. Orange County Superintendent of Schools, Case No. 30-2018-01023385-CU-MC-CJC
Government Code Section 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

CLOSED SESSION 2 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-PENDING LITIGATION
Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC -Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

CLOSED SESSION 3 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to subdivision (d)(2) of Section 54956.9

INVOCATION
5:00 p.m.

Rev. Dr. Mandye Yates
First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTIONS

(*)MINUTES

Regular Meeting of May 5, 2021 – approval

PUBLIC COMMENTS

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

BOARD DISCUSSIONS
- Concept of FAQ document for Ethnic Studies Forum

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Superintendent
Associate Superintendent

CONSENT CALENDAR

(*) 4. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

5. Approve Resolution #11-21 in accordance of regulations required under Proposition 30 and 55 regarding the Education Protection Account Proposed Expenditures.

6. Approve apportionment of Federal Forest Reserve receipts in the amount of $27,506.38.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

7. Charter submissions

8. ISSAC Update

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

9. Board action on Countywide Expulsion Plan

10. Board action on 2021/2024 Local Control Accountability Plan and 2022/2024 Dashboard/LCAP Local Control Indicators Report for OCDE ACCESS and Special Education Divisions

11. Board action on 20/21 Local Control Accountability Plan for College and Career Pathways Academy (CCPA)

12. Board review and action on updated Board Policy 400-14 - Suicide Prevention Policy

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 13. Board action to approve 2021-22 Annual Budget of the Orange County Department of Education (Executive Committee)

(*) 14. Redistricting Committee Appointment (Executive Committee)

(*) 15. Board action – Notice of violation ISSAC Charter School

(*) 16. Media Committee Appointment – Orange County board of Education Forums: July 27, 2021 and August 24, 2021

(*) 17. Security Detail – Orange County Sheriff Department Deputies (minimum – 4)

INFORMATION ITEMS (continue)

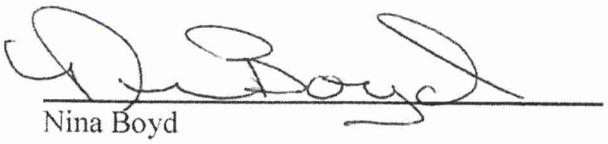
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-Capitol News Update
-School Services Update

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORT

PUBLIC COMMENTS (15 minutes)

ADJOURNMENT



Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by Board President Williams at 2:34 p.m., June 16, 2021 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California and via YouTube live stream.

ROLL CALL

Present:
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez
Tim Shaw
Mari Barke
Ken L. Williams, D.O.
Absent:
Lisa Sparks

(*)AGENDA

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 4-0 to approve the agenda of the Regular meeting of June 16, 2021.

Trustee Williams recessed the board meeting to go into closed session at 2:37 p.m.

TIME CERTAIN

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06162021001I – Orange Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-1 (Williams, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No; Sparks Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Tustin Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06162021002I – Garden Grove Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-1 (Williams, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No; Sparks Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Tustin Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 06162021005I – Placentia Yorba Linda Unified School District to Fullerton Joint Union High School District

Motion by Barke, no second. Motion by Gomez, seconded by Williams, and denied by a roll call vote of 3-1 (Williams, Gomez and Shaw voted Yes; Barke voted No; Sparks Absent) to deny the appeal.

Terrance Dunn, Coordinator, Educational Services facilitated the hearings.

Trustee Sparks joined the Closed Session via zoom at approximately 4:00 p.m.

CLOSED SESSION 1

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. Orange County Superintendent of Schools, Case No. 30-2018-01023385-CU-MC-CJC-Government Code Section 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

No action taken.

CLOSED SESSION 2

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC -Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

No action taken.

CLOSED SESSION 3

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to subdivision (d)(2) of Section 54956.9

No action taken.

INVOCATION

Rev. Mandy Yates
First Christian Church

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE — Trustee Barke

(*) MINUTES — Motion by Barke, seconded by Gomez, and approved by a 5-0 vote to approve the minutes of the May 5, 2021 regular board meeting.

INTRODUCTIONS — None

PUBLIC COMMENTS — Kelly – CRT

CHARTER SCHOOLS

8. ISSAC Update – Padmini Srinivasan, Michelle Anderson, Marisol Felix, Carmen Basu, and Thu Nguyen attended virtually to represent ISSAC Charter School. Janelle Ruley, Legal Counsel attended in person.

15. Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams table item #15 of the agenda until September. Williams requested Barke consider changing her motion to July.

Amended motion by Barke, seconded by Williams and carried by a 5-0 vote to table item #15 until the July 7th board meeting.

The board recessed from 7:00 p.m. – 7:06 p.m.

Lisa Sparks left the meeting at 7:09 p.m.

INFORMATION ITEMS — COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT
- ACCESS Graduations

ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT REPORT
- Next Board meeting – July 7, 2021

CONSENT CALENDAR — Motion by Barke, seconded by Shaw, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0 to approve the Consent Calendar which included the following:

4. Approved the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

5. Approved Resolution #11-21 in accordance of regulations required under Proposition 30 and 55 regarding the Education Protection Account Proposed Expenditures.

6. Approved apportionment of Federal Forest Reserve receipts in the amount of $27,506.38.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

9. Motion by Williams, seconded by Gomez and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Gomez, Barke and Shaw) to accept the 2021-2024 Countywide Expulsion Plana.

10. Motion by Williams, seconded by Shaw and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Shaw, Gomez and Barke) to approve the 2021/2024 Dashboard LCAP Local Control Indicators Report for OCDE ACCESS and Special Education Divisions.

11. Motion by Gomez, seconded by Shaw and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Gomez, Shaw, Barke and Williams) for College and Career Pathways Academy.

12. Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Barke, Shaw and Gomez) to approve the changes to Board Policy 400-14.

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

13. Motion by Williams, seconded by Gomez and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Gomez, Shaw and Barke) to approve the 2021-22 Annual Budget of the Orange County Department of Education.

14. Motion by Williams, seconded by Shaw and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Shaw, Gomez and Barke) to appoint Trustee Williams and Trustee Shaw to the Redistricting Committee.

16. Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Williams, Barke, Gomez and Shaw) to appoint Trustee Sparks and Trustee Barke to the Media Committee for the Orange County Board of Education Forums on July 27, 2021 and August 24, 2021.

17. Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams and carried by a roll call vote of 4-0 (Barke, Williams, Gomez and Shaw) to approve the Orange County Sheriff Department Deputies (minimum of 4) to serve as security detail for the upcoming forums.

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion duly made, and seconded, the Board meeting of June 16, 2021 adjourned at 7:41 p.m.

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Ken L. Williams, D.O.
President, Board of Education

Next Regular Board Meeting, Wednesday, July 7, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. - The meeting will be in the Board Room at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA and via virtual conference.

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

JUNE 16, 2021

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2. BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

    a. ITEM 14. Redistricting Committee Appointment (Executive Committee)
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TRANSCRIPT OF JUNE 16, 2021
ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING

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[PRESIDENT WILLIAMS STRIKES THE GAVEL TO SIGNAL THE BEGINNING OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING]

WILLIAMS: Welcome to the June 16th regular meeting of the Orange County Department of Education. The time now is about 2:34. For the benefit of the record, this regular meeting is called to order. The first information that needs to be recorded is roll call, Nina?

BOYD: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: Present.

BOYD: Trustee Shaw?

SHAW: Here.

BOYD: Vice President Barke?

BARKE: Here.

BOYD: Trustee Sparks?

BOYD: President Williams?

WILLIAMS: I am present. Trustee Sparks will be here.

BARKE: About four.

WILLIAMS: About 4 o'clock - a little bit later on. Moving on with the Agenda. I will make the motion to adopt the Agenda.

BARKE: I will second it.

WILLIAMS: I am not done. You get to second it in a little bit - with the moving up of item number eight right after public comments.

BARKE: I'll second that, too.

WILLIAMS: Oppose. Abstain? Motion passes 4-0. Item number 14 - this is the Re-districting Committee. Because this is getting a little bit more complicated, I will have Mr. Rolen talk about it. I would like to make a motion for Tim to serve as the chairman for this special committee. Because this will be my third time around, I think I will offer a little bit of experience to help this committee. Mr. Rolen, will you share with the Board what you have learned in our situation?

ROLEN: Certainly, we have such good momentum going. I'll try to be brief. I had a meeting with Mr. Johnson - Dr. Johnson on June 14. I shared with him the outcomes of the June 3rd board meeting whereby we set a $50,000 base price. The Board asked me to get him to agree to at least one virtual meeting as part of that scope of work. He also agreed to provide a more robust scope of work for the Board's review. We had a discussion about what that scope of work would entail. There is two conceivable ways we could do it. One, he explained is a more simple internal process whereby NDC receives the demographic data. They meet with the Board on a number of occasions. Either he will do public meetings and Executive Committee meetings if so desired and meet with board members one-on-one. He would draw the maps and present the maps at a public hearing. He explained that this is the process generally employed by a county board of education.

The timeline is critical. The Census data will become available in August of 2021. There is a California adjustment whereby incarcerated individuals are readjusted to their county of residence. That is about a six to eight-week process. He explained that the data would be available in or about September of 2021. He would bring the data to a board meeting in October 2021 and explain what, if any, other changes occurred at that time. Then, we would go through a mapping process whereby he would create maps. He would attend board meetings in October and November of 2021. Again, he is also available to meet with Board sub committees as necessary. Because the Board has a June 22 winner take all primary sort of election, the voting trustee areas must be approved by no later than December 15th, 2021. That somewhat truncates our timeframe.

He also explained that there is another more robust public engagement process whereby we do community outreach and we accept mapping suggestions by any and all members of the community. Some jurisdictions even use professional outreach firms to accomplish this. He explained that this is much more expensive, and it is going to be very difficult given the truncated timeframe that he explained. Had some discussions about perhaps moving back to the election, he said he didn't think those things were going to happen. In light of the two options, we discussed a sort of a hybrid process where he would go through the internal process with the Board. He would then post the demographic data for public consumption and accept and consider any maps created by the public. I said I would bring this option to the Board. Of course, when Board gives me direction, he would create the exact scope of work.

WILLIAMS: Do you need- you don't need anything now?

ROLEN: I don't need a vote. I just need some direction to tell Dr. Johnson, which direction we would like to go so he could create the scope of work and start the process and start perhaps meeting with Board Executive Committee/

WILLIAMS: The Redistricting Committee.

ROLEN: Did I say exec- Redistricting Subcommittee. Yes.

SHAW: I want to make sure Ken, I don't know that- you may have misspoken a little. You were putting myself and yourself on that?

WILLIAMS: That's my recommendation and motion. That's correct.

SHAW: Okay. I don't know if you fully finished that sentence earlier.

WILLIAMS: Help me out here, Greg. Your conversations indicated that the June Primary is not going to be moved back. It's going to be there. The data is going to be available like October.

ROLEN: The data would be available would be August

WILLIAMS: But you have the incarcerated-

ROLEN: Yeah, we have the six-week incarceration readjustment. Then, he would come to a board meeting in October and November.

WILLIAMS: We have to have decision by December 15th?

ROLEN: That's correct. We'd have to vote and approve a map.

WILLIAMS: We are not going to see actually anything until October-November. Then the meeting in December is where we actually make the decision?

ROLEN: That's correct.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Okay. Okay. Any questions for Greg? Beckie? Tim?

GOMEZ: I know the data is not going to be available till August – Augustish.

ROLEN: Augustish.

GOMEZ: He is going to draw the maps and then put it out on -

ROLEN: He is going to bring it here. He is going to bring it for public consumption. We didn't discuss the website because of cost.

GOMEZ: Okay. But it could be on our board website?

ROLEN: Right. He could post the data for the public to review. Then, they could draw their own maps, and they would be considered. I thought that was an important add on that the Board may like.

WILLIAMS: That would take place when?

ROLEN: That would take place in the same timeframe. He would do his work. If the public saw the data and wanted to draft their own maps, he would consider them in the final map decision.

WILLIAMS: But it's the Board who makes the decision.

ROLEN: Correct.

WILLIAMS: We have to have some public input. It could be a lot, or it could be minimal as far as my experience doing this, this is the third time.

ROLEN: Correct. It's usually a lot when you have more time.

WILLIAMS: Right. There is not much time.

ROLEN: Right.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

HENDRICK: Dr. Williams, if I could remind you? Last time you did have members of the public give you maps also. That would help that process if they were able to present those. I believe the last round we did have members submit their own maps also.

ROLEN: Yeah. Thank you for that. The problem with the December 15 date is he hypothesized that the public would only have about 10 days to do that in this truncated timeframe. That is why we talked about having him make the data available on our website.

WILLIAMS: That would be September?

ROLEN: That would be September-October, I think.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

ROLEN: No, actually you are right. As soon as he has the data, he said he would provide some sort of a tech thing. A zip file or a link or some such thing.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Very good. Any other questions for Greg before we move on?

GOMEZ: Greg, we would get it - could you provide us a timeline then - after you talk to him so that we all are aware of the timeline?

ROLEN: Why don't I have another meeting with him, then do a communication to the Board with specific timelines.

GOMEZ: Yeah. I think we can all kind of figure that- then you guys will have to -

ROLEN: I can communicate it with staff as well. They are going to have to -

WILLIAMS: This is probably going to be on each and every subsequent board until December. This would be a monthly process where we would be updated.

ROLEN: Certainly. Certainly. I don't think it would be difficult for me to get a specific timeline. He is going to be providing me a scope of work. I don't think that would be a difficult ask.

GOMEZ: Since we only meet once a month it's going to be -

ROLEN: We meet twice a month, don't we?

GOMEZ: No.

WILLIAMS: Only in June.

SHAW: I would just say I'm very honored. I know how important and serious this is. Making our trustee districts for the next decade. It's kind of a big, important thing. Make sure we get it right in accordance with the California Voting Rights Act.

ROLEN: There is a lot of discussion about the California Voting Rights Act.

BOYD: Mr. Rolen, you are also aware of county committee involvement?

ROLEN: I am not aware of a county committee involvement.

BOYD: We will need to talk about that, because there is a county committee process that falls on us to be included in this.

ROLEN: Okay.

WILLIAMS: Was that involved last time? I didn't know that. No one told me.

ROLEN: We are always the last to know.

BOYD: That is some of the staff work, because what came from you and-

BARKE: Is everybody hearing that noise?

ROLEN: What are you talking about?

BOYD: We will get you that information.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Very good. Okay. For number 14 - it's a Redistricting Committee appointment. We have a motion and a second. Any other further questions or thoughts before we vote? All those in favor say aye.

WILLIAMS, BARKE, SHAW, GOMEZ: Aye.

WILLIAMS: Opposed? Abstain? Motion passes 4-0. We already have taken up item 15. That is laying on the table for next July. Number 16 - I am going to make the motion to assign Lisa and Mari for our Media Committee. This is before the event for the forum we are going to be having. To make it easier for discussion and public information, we are going to have about an hour and half where we are going to have media that will be present. I think Lisa and Mari would do a good job in handling that and arranging that. The idea and concept that we had talked about is that the experts as well as board members would voluntarily if you want to participate in the media event and have the interviews and whatever that may be. I don't know much more about that. We have nobody officially invited, although you did invite Roxanne Kopetman.

BARKE: I did, I did. I happened to be chatting with her about that. She called me to ask me about it. So, I thought I might as well invite her.

WILLIAMS: Okay. You invited her good, good. We'll probably invite all the local print media and local news and all of that. Okay.

BARKE: Am I responsible for invites as well? Is that what you are telling me?

WILLIAMS: Well, yeah.

BARKE: I just want to know, just so I know.

WILLIAMS: That needs to be done, and I trust that you and Lisa will do it.

BARKE: All right, Lisa. Are you listening, Lisa? Okay.

WILLIAMS: Lisa is not on.

BARKE: I know.

ROLEN: Why don't you just assign it to her then?

BARKE: Yeah. Since she's not here, why don't we just- all right, invites.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Any other discussion on that subcommittee?

BOYD: Who seconded?

BARKE: I will second it.

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Item: Agenda - August 4, 2021
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REGULAR MEETING
August 4, 2021
2:30 p.m.
Location: *The public meeting will be conducted onsite with limited seating at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 and via YouTube live stream* https://youtu.be/FmhcaMz-L9Q

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

(*)AGENDA — Regular Meeting of August 4, 2021 – adoption

TIME CERTAIN

2:30 p.m.

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210011 – Ocean View School District to Fountain Valley School District.
2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210021 – Ocean View School District to Fountain Valley School District.
3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210031 – Tustin Unified School District to Irvine Unified School District.
4. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210111 – Fountain Valley School District to Huntington Beach City School District.
5. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210121 – Westminster School District to Huntington Beach City School District.
6. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210131 – Newport-Mesa Unified School District to Huntington Beach City School District.
7. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210141 – Newport-Mesa Unified School District to Huntington Beach City School District.
8. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210151 – Newport-Mesa Unified School District to Huntington Beach City School District.

9. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210071 – Huntington Beach City School District to Newport-Mesa Unified School District.

CLOSED SESSION 2 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION
Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC -Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

INVOCATION
5:00 p.m.
Rabbi David N. Young (via Zoom)
Congregation B'nai Tzedek
9669 Talbert Ave
Fountain Valley, CA 92708

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

10. Board President will preside for the election of the Clerk of the Board.

INTRODUCTIONS

(*)MINUTES
Regular Meeting of June 16, 2021 – approval
Regular Meeting of July 7, 2021 - approval

PUBLIC COMMENTS

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION
- FCMAT

BOARD DISCUSSIONS
- Redistricting
  - Presentation - OCBE Redistricting by Doug Johnston, National Demographics Corporation

- Ethnic Studies Forum

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Superintendent
Associate Superintendent

Legislative Updates
-CSBA Update
-CCBE Update
-NSBA Update
-Capitol News Update
-School Services Update

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORT

(*) 11. Executive Committee Recommendation: Adopt Board Policy - Executive Committee Approval Legal Counsel Invoices

TIME CERTAIN

12. **Public Hearing** – Textbooks and Instructional Materials, Renee Hendrick, Associate Superintendent, Administrative Services will facilitate.

(*) 13. Adopt Resolution #13-21 stating that each pupil of the county office has available textbooks and instructional materials in each subject that are consistent with the content and cycles of the curriculum framework adopted by the State Board and in accordance with the procedures as established. Adopted resolution will be posted on the Orange County Department of Education website and will be distributed as requested.

Recess Regular Board Meeting to a Meeting of the Orange County Department of Education Facilities Corporation.

CONSENT CALENDAR

(*) 14. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

(*) 15. Accept the 4th Quarter Report on Williams Uniform Complaints for OCDE Student Programs for the period of April 1 to June 30, 2021.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

16. Charter submissions

(*) 17. Charter School Public Hearing – Explore Academy
Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.
Discussion Format:
Explore Academy
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

(*) 18. Charter School Public Hearing – Scholarship Prep Charter School Material Revision
Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.
Discussion Format:
Scholarship Prep Charter School
Public Comments (30 minutes)

Board Questions

19. ISSAC Update

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 20. Approve disbursement of funds for Orange County Board of Education professional organizations membership dues for 2021-2022 fiscal year.

(*) 21. Approve registration and travel for Board Members to attend education related events/meetings sponsored by CCBE, CCSA, CSBA, NSBA, OCSBA, CUBE, and National Alliance for Public Charter Schools, effective July 1, 2021 for the 2021-22 fiscal year.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

PUBLIC COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Next Regular Board Meeting: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. The meeting will be held onsite at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 with limited seating and via YouTube live stream.

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(*) Printed items included in materials mailed to Board Members

Item: Meeting Minutes - August 4, 2021
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MINUTES
Regular Meeting
August 4, 2021

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by Board President Barke at 2:37 p.m., August 4, 2021 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California and via YouTube live stream.

ROLL CALL

Present:
Lisa Sparks, Ph.D.
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez
Tim Shaw
Ken L. Williams, D.O.
Mari Barke

AGENDA

Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the agenda of the Regular meeting of August 4, 2021, amending the agenda to reflect deletion of item #18.

The Board went into closed session from 2:39 p.m. to 6:07 p.m.

TIME CERTAIN

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 080420210011 – Ocean View School District to Fountain Valley School District

   Motion by William, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Sparks, Barke, Williams, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Fountain Valley School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

   Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 080420210031 – Tustin Unified School District to Irvine Unified School District

   Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Williams, Sparks, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Irvine Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

   Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

4. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 080420210111 – Fountain Valley School District to Huntington Beach City School District

Motion by Sparks, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Williams, Sparks, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Huntington Beach City School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

5. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 08042021012I – Westminster School District to Huntington Beach City School District

Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Huntington Beach City School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

6. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 08042021013I – Newport-Mesa Unified School District to Huntington Beach City School District

Motion by Sparks, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Sparks, Barke, Williams, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Huntington Beach City School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

7. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 08042021014I – Newport-Mesa Unified School District to Huntington Beach City School District

Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Barke, Williams, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Huntington Beach City School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

8. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 08042021015I – Newport-Mesa Unified School District to Huntington Beach City School District

Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Barke, Williams, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Huntington Beach City School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

9. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 08042021007I – Huntington Beach City School District to Newport-Mesa Unified School District

Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Newport-Mesa Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) - 080420210021 – Ocean View School District to Fountain Valley School District

Ocean View representatives were in attendance via Zoom.

Representatives for the student were not in attendance to present the case. By default, the decision of the Ocean View School District to deny the transfer was upheld.

Jami Parsons, Director, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

CLOSED SESSION 2 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC - Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

Closed Session Report Out — Mr. Brenner reported, for Closed Session 2, the Board received an update from counsel. No action was taken with the exception of approval of Epstein, Green & Becker invoice 1056886 by a vote of 4-1 (Barke, Shaw, Sparks, and Williams voted Yes; Gomez voted No).

INVOCATION — Padmini Srinivasan

PLEDGE — Board Vice President Williams

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

10. Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the election of Trustee Lisa Sparks as Clerk of the Board.

Associate Superintendent Nina Boyd announced that the Superintendent was on vacation and would not be joining the meeting.

MINUTES — Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the minutes of the June 16, 2021 Regular Board Meeting with the following amendments:

- amend items #2 and #3 to reflect Trustee Sparks was absent for both items
- add comment to reflect Trustee Sparks joined the board meeting during Closed Session via zoom at approximately 4:00 p.m.
- on page 8, item # 11, indicate that the motion was to approve the 20/21 Local Control Accountability Plan for College and Career Pathways Academy (CCPA); and note that Trustee Sparks was absent for all action items after her departure.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the minutes of the July 7, 2021 Regular Board Meeting with the following amendments:
- on page 11, indicate the time Trustee Sparks joined the meeting
- on page 14, item #13, correct the vote to 5-0 and delete the comment that Trustee Williams as Absent

PUBLIC COMMENTS (ISSAC Only)

- Ana
- Lauren
- Steven
- Rachita
- Kathi
- Faith
- Pedro
- Chris
- Miles

INFORMATION ITEMS

BOARD DISCUSSIONS
- FCMAT – tabled to the September 1st meeting
- Ethnic Studies

ANNOUNCEMENTS
- Renee Hendrick – Budget Update
- Next board meeting is September 1st, submission deadline is August 18th

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS
- Trustee Shaw – Media/ News
- Trustee Barke - Vista Condor lighting for buses , Irvine International Academy grand opening

BOARD DISCUSSIONS (continue)
- Redistricting Presentation - Doug Johnston, National Demographics Corporation

CHARTER SCHOOLS

17. Charter School Public Hearing – Explore Academy – Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, facilitated the public hearing.
- Gloria Romero
- Robert Giordano
- Janelle Ruley
- Cecilia Iglesias
- John Phan
- Justin Baiardo
- Elisha Varela

PUBLIC COMMENTS (Explore Academy Only)

- Mary Grace, Anaheim Elementary

The Board took a recess from 7:51 p.m. to 8:03 p.m.

19. ISSAC Update
- Dr. Kimberly Saguilan
- Arturo Garcia
- Janelle Ruley
- Dr. Chiung-Sally Chou

11. Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Williams, Sparks, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to Adopt Board Policy regarding Executive Committee Approval of Legal Counsel Invoices.

12. **Public Hearing** – Textbooks and Instructional Materials, Renee Hendrick, Associate Superintendent, Administrative Services facilitated the public hearing. The hearing was opened at 8:36 p.m. There being no input from the audience, the hearing was closed at 8:37 p.m.

13. Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 4-0-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez Abstained) to adopt Resolution #13-21 stating that each pupil of the county office has available textbooks and instructional materials in each subject that are consistent with the content and cycles of the curriculum framework adopted by the State Board and in accordance with the procedures as established. Adopted resolution will be posted on the Orange County Department of Education website and will be distributed as requested.

The Board took a recess from 8:38 p.m. to 8:40 p.m. to conduct the Regular Meeting of the Facilities Corporation.

CONSENT CALENDAR Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve Consent Calendar items #14 and #15.

14. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

15. Accept the 4th Quarter Report on Williams Uniform Complaints for OCDE Student Programs for the period of April 1 to June 30, 2021.

CHARTER SCHOOLS (continue)

16. Charter submissions – None

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

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PUBLIC COMMENTS None

ADJOURNMENT On a motion duly made, and seconded, the Board meeting of August 4, 2021 adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Mari Barke
President, Board of Education

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[President Barke strikes the gavel to signal the commencement of the board meeting.]

BARKE: Calling the meeting to order. Will you please do roll call?

BOYD: Trustee Sparks?

SPARKS: Here

BOYD: Trustee Shaw?

SHAW: Here

BOYD: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: Present.

BOYD: Vice President Williams?

WILLIAMS: I am here.

BOYD: President Barke?

BARKE: Here. Do I have a motion to accept the Agenda?

WILLIAMS: Yes, I will make the motion to adopt the Agenda for today.

SPARKS: Second.

BARKE: All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE, SHAW, GOMEZ: Aye.

WILLIAMS: Yeah, it was my understanding, please correct me if I'm wrong, that the Department was going to respond to the FCMAT report?

BOYD: Yes.

WILLIAMS: And some of the criticisms.

BOYD: Yes.

WILLIAMS: Okay. That's what I thought we would talk about it. Where is that process in the response?

BOYD: Renee, do you want to?

HENDRICK: We have drafted some responses, and the Superintendent has those currently.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Maybe next month, then? Okay. We'll carry it over.

BARKE: Okay. Our redistricting is delayed? Oh, I'm sorry.

SHAW: Okay. We're going to redistricting. Is our guest here?

ROLEN: No.

SHAW: Not yet, okay. Boy, that was anticlimactic.

ROLEN: On my law school application, I put, I am concise. He is going to be contacting me upon his arrival. He's in route.

BARKE: Okay. We can come back to that.

SHAW: Okay.

BARKE: Great. Next, is ethnic studies. Ken, did you want to lead that discussion?

WILLIAMS: Yeah. I thought it was a very good forum. I loved the bipartisan nature of it. I loved the information that was given. I think it was probably one of the best community forums

BARKE: It's the first implementation in a K-12 setting. It's at Cal State Los Angeles. It's at Duke University. It is in other educational settings, but this is the first time that we're seeing it in K-12. It's kind of exciting.

WILLIAMS: Mr. Johnson is here. Do you want to go back to that part of our meeting?

BARKE: Yes. I think that's the end of our board member comments, so we can close this piece out. We're good? Okay. Yes, we will go ahead and go back. Welcome, Mr. Johnson, we have been looking forward to your presentation.

JOHNSON: Good evening. There we go. My apologies for running late. LA rush hour is always an adventure in the greater LA area here. Thank you for your patience and understanding. I just want to introduce myself. I'm Doug Johnson. I'm president of National Demographics Corporation. Looking forward to working with all of you and with the public here on your redistricting project. Just as a bit of background, we have actually been in the redistricting business since 1979. We have done almost 400 projects for local governments in that time period. Our work really picked up, actually about the time I came back when they needed more help, in 2001 with the passage of the California Voting Rights Act and the real start of California, we call it a tsunami sweeping the state. Since 2001, we have worked with 368 cities, counties, school districts, and every kind of fire and other special district you've ever heard of.

We have drawn district lines for airport districts, fire protection districts, everything. You name it. We've been there. We've worked with jurisdictions all over the state. We worked with Imperial Beach. We are currently working with Nevada County and everyone in between on current redistricting and districting projects. We're happy to say that, of those 368 that have finished and that's not counting our current projects, not one of them has been overturned by a court or a judge. We are always very conservative in our approach to legal rules. We have a very strong approach, which is number one, openness and transparency. Number two, we are here to assist you and the community with this process. We're not here to tell you what the line should be. We're not the experts on the neighborhoods and how these areas should be drawn. You and the people who live in them are.

Our goal is to guide you and to provide you the tools and the data and ideas. Then, leave the ultimate decisions up to you. That is always our philosophy, whether it's, you know, Centralia Elementary or San Diego County. We take the same approach and same philosophy to all our projects. For those interested, our current big project is, we've been brought back for the second time, by the state of Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission, which was the country's first ever state Independent Redistricting Commission. They are actually the only state in the country that actually has a competitiveness clause in their constitution. It's a rather unique institution. We're very proud to say that they have brought us back to assist them again.

Happy to talk about the process here. It's similar to all the local jurisdictions. Right now, we are currently working with Anaheim, Orange, Westminster, Brea and then a whole bunch of school

districts as well right here in the area. I know I'm forgetting a whole bunch in that list. Oh, Costa Mesa, but they're all in somewhat the same situation. We're all waiting for data. As everyone's aware, the census data is late because of the COVID that you were just talking about and the impact on the collections of the data. It's a little bit weird in that we're going to get the federal census data August 16th. The Census has promised two different federal judges that they will release it on August 16th. We're very confident that they will release it on August 16th.

The catch is that California is doing something new that other states have done before, which is we're adjusting the census data to count prisoners at their last known home address. The state is going to take that federal data, zero out the prison populations, and move all those folks to their home addresses and count them at their home address. It's still the census count. It's just moving known individuals. That is going to take four to six weeks. From August 16, we're looking at mid to late September to have what will be the official redistricting data. We did get a little bit of clarification. There was a question in the Ed. Code about whether school institutions would use that data or the federal data, but we did just get that clarification from the state a week ago I guess. A week or 10 days ago, saying yes, the schools will all use that same data that the cities and counties are using.

So happy to, you know, get any input that you have at any point in the process. The process will really kick off in detail when that official redistricting data comes out from the state in mid to late September. Then, it's a bit of a sprint for jurisdictions such as the Board that have June elections. We have a December 15th deadline to finish. Hopefully, people will be engaged in following this process. As I always say, we are always open and transparent. Our data is, anyone who wants the data and wants to participate, we're happy to share with them. They can submit their maps as well. We'll all have to sprint together to the finish line on this project. Very excited to be working with you. Looking forward to working with all of you. Happy to answer any questions you have, but that is a quick intro to our firm and this process.

BARKE: You are the lead.

SHAW: Thank you. For those in the public who would want to submit a version of a map, can you explain how that would be done?

JOHNSON: Sure. Once the data's out, if they have their own mapping software, which more and more groups do, we can provide the data so that they're using the same data we're using and we're all on the same page. They can just use it in their system. We also have some tools that we'll be making available, once the data's out, that people can go online and draw either their neighborhood if they want to draw their neighborhood or a whole map if they wish.

SHAW: I think that since I was asked by the Board to kind of lead this. It's very clear to me, you know, if we get the data in mid-September, we have to be done by mid-December. The moment that data is out, we're going to be stepping on the gas here. We are not going to have a lot of time to take public input, to have different, you know, maps out there and finalize one that, you know,

hopefully, we have a broad consensus on. It will be a sprint. I think that's fair to say once this is ready to roll here. Can you talk at all also about the, have we made a plan as far as board meetings and other things that we're going to have as we contemplate that? Didn't we sketch out kind of a calendar or special meetings or how is that normally handled? Is this part of our monthly meeting?

JOHNSON: Yes. School districts have a lot of flexibility. If folks are following the county and the city process, there's a state law that is called the Fair Maps Act. It's very rigorous with how many hearings must be held, the rules for those hearings. The catch is that that law only applies to cities and counties. The original draft actually applied to school entities as well, but the Legislature took them out. Largely, because of the cost of all those hearings. The Legislature clearly and actively removed schools and all school related entities from that bill. You largely have a lot of board discretion in how you want to handle it. Obviously, this will all be done in public, all be done in open meetings with the Board selecting a map, you know, considering options, considering the public input and choosing a map. That will all happen in open board sessions. But the specific dates, it's possible I've forgotten them. I don't think we've set them yet though. We are managing about 100 projects right now. Off the top of my head, I'm not that quick with individual details.

WILLIAMS: I was going to say. I'm just looking at the calendar ahead. Basically, the data will be September 30, let's just say August, excuse me, October 1st. Our board meeting is the sixth. We're going to absolutely do nothing for that first board meeting.

JOHNSON: Right. We wouldn't be able to do anything.

WILLIAMS: Our next board meeting is November 3rd. Is that when you anticipate a public hearing? By the way, how many public hearings do we have to have?

JOHNSON: Well, one of the weird quirks of the Ed. Code is that I don't believe you have to have any. Either schools or special districts don't have to have any, and the other one has to have one. Obviously, we want to have one as a minimum either way. So, yes, I think that would, given the timing and given the challenge, yes, that would be the date at which we'd want to have draft maps available and have the Board consider, you know, the drafts that we put into the mix. Also, any maps that the residents have submitted.

WILLIAMS: I'm just saying these questions out loud for the staff, because the staff is who are planning the agenda for the rest of the year. In the October 6 meeting, we are probably going to be doing nothing.

JOHNSON: Right. We wouldn't have time to process the data.

WILLIAMS: It's only six days. Then, November 3rd, we should plan on having a public hearing, because the next meeting that we have is December 1st.

JOHNSON: Right.

WILLIAMS: Where we have to adopt it, because the data is due in what day in December?

JOHNSON: The map has to be adopted and over to the Registrar on December 15.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Our regular meeting on December 1st is going to be the only, unless we do a special meeting.

JOHNSON: Let's do a special, right.

GOMEZ: We may have to.

WILLIAMS: We may need to.

SPARKS: Or we could even bump that one.

WILLIAMS: Yeah.

JOHNSON: We can certainly work with you on figuring out exactly the dates, but yes, special meetings are possible for you.

WILLIAMS: When the data comes out at the end of September/first of October, is it a lot of data? How do we analyze it? I suppose that's your expertise.

JOHNSON: That is, yeah. Kind of the process and the tools are where we're the real experts, yes. It's an enormous database. We pull that all in. We actually add on a bunch of socioeconomic data from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey that's not built in the original data. We'll have all that data. We'll generate if for each of your existing Trustee Areas. That'll show us which ones are overpopulated, under-populated, and the demographics of each of the current Trustee Areas. Then, that'll give folks a good sense of, number one, the areas that have to change because they're out of population balance. Then, also the ability to use that data to draw alternative maps. In addition to the changes that have to be made, there may be communities that want to see a change in how the lines are currently drawn.

SHAW: Can you remind me? When you say, is it equally populated just by human beings? Can you have a map that's equally, have the same number of voters? I mean, what makes our districts equal? Is it just human beings living in them or registered voters or do we have a choice?

JOHNSON: No. It's set by the Federal Government and by the State Government, not by Federal Government, by the Supreme Court. The U.S. Supreme court and by the state, that it is equal population as counted by the census data. It is total people. A lot of people get confused, because the ruling that put that in place is often referred to as one person, one vote. They think it's an equal number of voters. It's actually each vote in the elected body represents the same number of people. Children, citizens, non-citizens, whomever, it's just an equal number of people counted by the census as of on census day.

I haven't looked at the numbers lately. Back in the '90s, when I first checked it. There were huge differences. You may remember John Campbell, the congressman from Orange County. He used to get elected with, he used to take about 230,000 votes to win his seat. Then, there was a seat actually, where I lived, in Pico Union in L.A. that took about 30 to 30,000 votes to win that seat. That was just the difference in, the populations were essentially the same, it's just a difference in the number of eligible voters in each seat. We'll be chatting quite a bit as this process goes forward obviously. We'll be sharing information. Even before those meetings, like before the October 6 meeting, we will get you, we won't be here in person, but we'll get you an update saying we have the data. If we've been able to process the current lines, we'll get that data to you as part of that so that that can be shared with the residents even though we won't have any drafts. We certainly want to have a draft to look at.

SHAW: Give them the current map.

JOHNSON: Exactly. For those interested, you know, as I mentioned, everyone's going through this. Hopefully, the residents who are interested in the process will get involved here, get involved in the county board of sups. As I mentioned, all of their local cities and school boards are going through this, and of course, the state is also going through this as well with our own. California followed Arizona's footsteps and formed our own Citizens Redistricting Commission. They are currently working on the assembly, state, senate, and congressional lines. Hopefully, people will tune into all of them and get involved. Any questions?

SHAW: Thank you for being here.

JOHNSON: Nice to meet you all in person. Again, thank you for your patience. Sorry to be late.

BARKE, SPARKS: Thank you.

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REGULAR MEETING
October 6, 2021
3:00 p.m.
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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

(*) AGENDA — Regular Meeting of October 6, 2021 – Adoption

PUBLIC COMMENTS (related to Closed Session)

TIME CERTAIN
3:00 p.m.

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 10062021001I – Saddleback Valley Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.
2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (open) – 10062021002I – Orange Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.
3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (open) – 10062021003I – Santa Ana Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.

CLOSED SESSION 1 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC - Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

CLOSED SESSION 2 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION- Orange County Board of Education v. Newsom Case Number S270319 - Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

INVOCATION
5:00 p.m.
Rabbi Stephen J. Einstein, DHL, DD
Founding Rabbi Emeritus
Congregation B'nai Tzedek
Fountain Valley, CA

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTIONS

(*) MINUTES — Special Meeting of August 24, 2021 – Approval
Regular Meeting of September 1, 2021 – Approval

PUBLIC COMMENTS — (30 minutes)

PRESENTATIONS

4. Special Presentation - Christine Selter

CHARTER SCHOOLS

5. Charter submissions

(*) 6. Charter School Public Hearing – Scholarship Prep Material Revision
Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.
Discussion Format:
Scholarship Prep Charter School
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

(*) 7. Board Action – Scholarship Prep Material Revision

(*) 8. Charter School Public Hearing – Explore Academy Countywide Charter Petition
Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.
Discussion Format:
Explore Academy
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

(*) 9. Board Action – Explore Academy Countywide Charter Petition

10. Suncoast Prep Update

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

11. Presentation of Legal Opinion on Contracts by Chidester & Rolen (Executive Committee)

(*) 12. Board action on new Board Policy 100-22: Approval of Grants and Contracts (Executive Committee)

13. FCMAT Discussion (Executive Committee)

(*) 14. Resolution on Engagement of Educational Pollster (Executive Committee)

(*) 15. Board action on invoices for Law Offices of Margaret A. Chidester & Associate (Executive Committee)

CONSENT CALENDAR

(*) 16. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 17. Approve the Orange County Department of Education's ESSER III plan pursuant to the American Resource Plan (ARP) Act.

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION
- HLC Update
- Charter Schools Update

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- Redistricting

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- Deputy Superintendent

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- School Services Update

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PUBLIC COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by Board President Barke at 3:03 p.m., October 6, 2021 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California and via YouTube live stream.

ROLL CALL

Present:
Lisa Sparks, Ph.D.
Mari Barke
Tim Shaw
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez

Absent:
Ken L. Williams, D.O. (arrived at 3:55 pm during closed session)

AGENDA

Motion by Gomez, seconded by Shaw, and carried by a vote of 4-0 (Williams Absent) to approve the agenda of the Regular meeting of October 6, 2021.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (related to Closed Session) None

The Board took a recess to go into closed session from 3:04 p.m. to 5:03 p.m.

TIME CERTAIN

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 100620210011 – Saddleback Valley Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.

   Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 3-1 (Sparks, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No; Williams Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Tustin Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

   Spencer Gooch, Manager, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 100620210021 – Orange Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.

   Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 3-1 (Sparks, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No; Williams Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Tustin Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

Spencer Gooch, Manager, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

3. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (open) – 100620210031 – Santa Ana Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.

Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 4-0 (Williams Absent) to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Tustin Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

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Closed Session Report Out — Mr. Brenner reported, for Closed Session 1, the Board received an update from counsel. No action was taken. With respect to Closed Session 2, the Board received an update from counsel. No action was taken with the exception of approval of an Epstein, Green & Becker invoice 1062645 by a vote of 4-1 (Williams, Barke, Sparks, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No).

INVOCATION — Rabbi Stephen J. Einstein, DHL, DD

PLEDGE — Board Vice President Williams

INTRODUCTIONS — None

MINUTES — Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the minutes of the August 24, 2021 Special Board Meeting.

Motion by Williams, seconded by Shaw, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the minutes of the September 1, 2021 Regular Board Meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Karla
- Aly
- Nancy
- Ron
- Jeanette
- Diane
- Jane
- Larry
- Rudi
- Malana
- Michael
- Kristen

- Emily
- Maxine
- Chavi
- Maryann
- Lindsay
- Portia
- Erica
- Irina
- Ben
- Kristen
- Carrie
- Matt
- Jay
- Robert
- "Taxpayer"
- Catherine
- Liza
- Amanda
- Dotty
- Heather
- Tish
- Lyndi
- Magi
- George

The Board took a recess from 6:37 p.m. to 6:46 p.m.

4. Special Presentation - Christine Selter
Board President Barke presented a certificate of recognition to Christine Selter.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

5. Charter submissions - None

6. Charter School Public Hearing – Scholarship Prep Material Revision
Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, facilitated the public hearing.
- Jason Watts

7. Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve Scholarship Prep's revised charter petition and material revision to add two locations beginning the 2022-23 academic year.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (Explore Academy)
- Miles Durfee – CCSA
- Betty Chu, Explore Academy
- Andrea
- Nicole
- Sofia
- Magdalena

- Francesca
- Regina

8. Charter School Public Hearing – Explore Academy Countywide Charter Petition
Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, facilitated the public hearing.
- Gloria Romero
- Mike Tardiff
- Janelle Ruley

9. Motion by Sparks, seconded by Williams to approve Option I for Explore Academy Countywide Charter Petition.

Subsidiary motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Sparks, Williams, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve Option I for Explore Countywide Charter Petition with amendment to the resolution as recommended by board legal counsel.

10. Suncoast Prep Update

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

11. Presentation of Legal Opinion on Contracts by Chidester & Rolen

The Board took a recess from 9:52 p.m. to 9:58 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Lynne Riddle
- Alex

12. Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 4-1 (Williams, Sparks, Barke, and Shaw voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approval Board Policy 100-22: Approval of Grants and Contracts.

14. Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve resolution on Engagement of Educational Pollster.

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CONSENT CALENDAR

16. Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

17. Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 5-0 to approve the Orange County Department of Education's ESSER III plan pursuant to the American Resource Plan (ARP) Act.

13. FCMAT Discussion – Tabled to the November board meeting.

INFORMATION ITEMS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Superintendent

- National Hispanic Heritage Month
- National Blue Ribbon Schools – Seven schools in Orange County
- College and Career Discovery Fair – acknowledgement of Ian Hanigan and Communications team

Deputy Superintendent

- Next board meeting is November 3rd, submission deadline is October 20th
- Suncoast Prep

Legislative Update

- Trustee Gomez – will provide legislative update at the November board meeting

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

- Trustee Williams – resolution regarding the Attorney General NSBA letter at next board meeting

BOARD DISCUSSIONS

- Redistricting by Greg Rolen

PUBLIC COMMENTS None

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BARKE: I think we're ready to open.

GOOCH: Good afternoon, President Barke, members of the Board.

BOYD: Excuse me.

GOOCH: Oh, sorry.

BOYD: You have to start the meeting and do all that before we do yours.

BARKE: Yes. You want to do the roll call?

SISAVATH: Okay. Trustee Sparks?

SPARKS: Here.

SISAVATH: Vice President Williams?

WILLIAMS: [No response]

SISAVATH: President Barke?

BARKE: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Shaw?

SHAW: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: Present.

BARKE: Motion to adopt the Agenda.

GOMEZ: I will move.

SHAW: Second.

BARKE: All those in favor?

SPARKS, BARKE, SHAW, GOMEZ: Aye.

BARKE: 4-0.

BARKE: I think so too. I just don't think that parents should be intimidated to speaking out. I think there is some unique cases where maybe parents are acting improperly. The statement that came from the NSBA I thought was way out of line. I was very disappointed in that, and I am grateful for my memories of not spending money on them the last two years.

SPARKS: We'll talk more about that next time, correct?

BARKE: Yeah, anybody want to keep going?

GOMEZ: I'll give my report on CSBA next month.

BARKE: Okay. All right. Anybody else?

SHAW: We probably do need to mention redistricting, right?

BARKE: Oh.

SHAW: There's not much to say.

ROLEN: There is not much to report. Dr. Johnson has relayed that the census data is coming out as he predicted. It's coming out slowly.

SHAW: This doesn't change our deadline that we have.

ROLEN: No sir.

SHAW: To be done by December 15th period.

ROLEN: Correct. Correct.

WILLIAMS: Next meeting, we are going to have a public hearing.

ROLEN: Yes.

WILLIAMS: We have to get this about by, December 15, is it?

SPARKS: Yeah.

SHAW: That has to be when the map is finalized, right.

ROLEN: We are on a tight timeline.

SHAW: It is going to be tight.

ROLEN: Right.

GOMEZ: Can we get any of that information prior to them?

ROLEN: I've been trying.

GOMEZ: The data is out now, so I am not sure what is happening.

ROLEN: That data is being recalibrated for the California recalibration for the prison population.

GOMEZ: Yeah.

ROLEN: We don't have anything final. I've been checking with them pretty regularly.

GOMEZ: Okay. All right.

WILLIAMS: Great, move for adjournment.

BARKE: I'll second it, so adjourned.

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REGULAR MEETING
November 3, 2021
3:00 p.m.
Location: The public meeting will be conducted onsite with limited seating at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 and via YouTube live stream https://youtu.be/7siuyDLhqB8

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

(*) AGENDA — Regular Meeting of November 3, 2021 – Adoption

PUBLIC COMMENTS (related to Closed Session)

TIME CERTAIN

3:00 p.m.

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 1103202110011 – Santa Ana Unified School District to Newport-Mesa Unified School District.

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CLOSED SESSION 2 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION- Orange County Board of Education v. Newsom Case Number S270319 - Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

INVOCATION
5:00 p.m.
Martin J. Eaton, PhD
Licensed Clinical Psychologist
Well Family

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTIONS

(*) MINUTES Regular Meeting of October 6, 2021 – Approval

PUBLIC COMMENTS (30 minutes)

CHARTER SCHOOLS

4. Charter submissions

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

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(See attachment A)

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STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

INFORMATION ITEMS

COMMUNICATION/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

BOARD DISCUSSIONS
- Redistricting
- Board website

- 101 Website

ANNOUNCEMENTS
- Superintendent
- Deputy Superintendent

Legislative Updates
- CSBA Update
- CCBE Update
- NSBA Update
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- School Services Update

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORT

PUBLIC COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

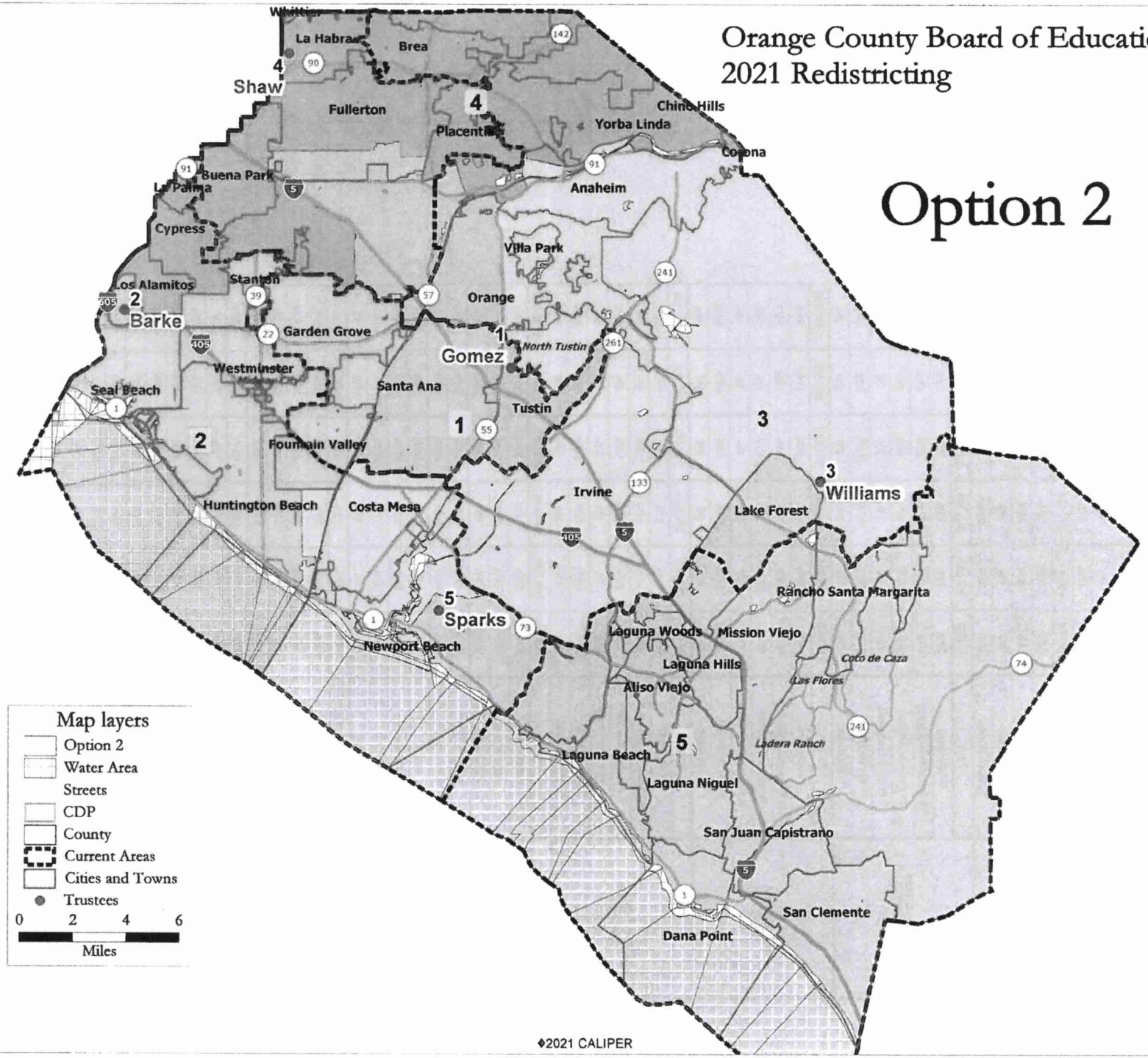
DATE: November 3, 2021

TO: Nina Boyd, Deputy Superintendent

FROM: Ken L. Williams, D.O., Board Vice President

SUBJECT: Redistricting 2021

Redistricting Presentation and Proposed Maps by Greg Rolen and Douglas Johnson

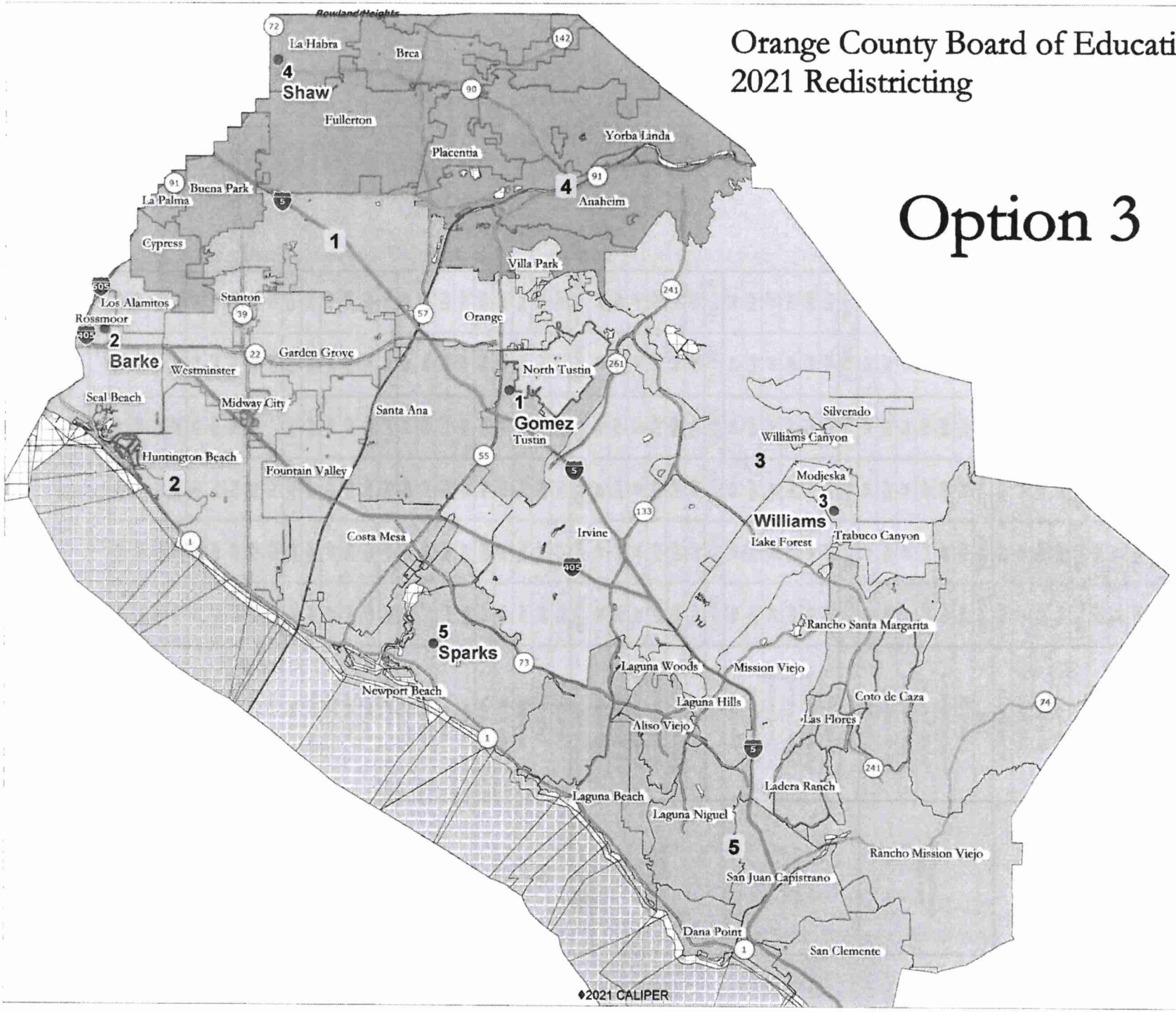

Orange County Board of Education
2021 Redistricting
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Shaw
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Barke
2
Gomez
1
Williams
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Sparks
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La Habra
Brea
Fullerton
Placentia
Yorba Linda
Chino Hills
Corona
Anaheim
Buena Park
La Palma
Cypress
Villa Park
Stanton
Los Alamitos
Orange
Garden Grove
North Tustin
Westminster
Seal Beach
Santa Ana
Tustin
Fountain Valley
Huntington Beach
Costa Mesa
Irvine
Lake Forest
Rancho Santa Margarita
Laguna Woods
Mission Viejo
Newport Beach
Laguna Hills
Coto de Caza
Las Flores
Aliso Viejo
Ladera Ranch
Laguna Beach
Laguna Niguel
San Juan Capistrano
San Clemente
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Option 2							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,601	638,602	638,601	638,602	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1		1		1	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	66.4%	30%	19%	36%	19%	34%
	% NH White	17%	32%	46%	30%	62%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	12%	34%	31%	28%	14%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,874	438,511	401,197	410,898	462,287	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	21%	15%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	31%	43%	60%	43%	72%	51%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	15%	33%	22%	25%	12%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	274,439	367,986	365,343	356,785	430,015	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	12%	26%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	9%	27%	15%	16%	6%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	37%	52%	67%	52%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	217,816	309,634	319,134	301,328	383,623	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	49%	18%	13%	26%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	16%	12%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	10%	26%	15%	15%	6%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	54%	68%	54%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	139,848	212,803	226,924	205,474	282,095	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	45%	16%	11%	24%	10%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	42%	15%	11%	22%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	8%	22%	12%	12%	5%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	44%	60%	72%	60%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	655,629	642,324	597,838	628,472	643,760	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	29%	23%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	age20-60	58%	54%	57%	55%	52%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	19%	20%	25%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	37%	34%	29%	30%	20%	30%
	naturalized	39%	66%	54%	56%	63%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	32%	49%	61%	55%	75%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	13%	23%	11%	25%
	asian-lang	8%	26%	17%	17%	7%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	9%	5%	7%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	30%	25%	13%	19%	8%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	41%	42%	29%	41%	32%	37%
	bachelor	16%	21%	34%	25%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	7%	10%	23%	13%	20%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	42%	33%	31%	36%	30%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	65%	65%	65%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	14%	15%	12%	12%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	11%	16%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	20%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	40%	41%	44%	44%	43%	43%
	income 200k-plus	7%	11%	21%	13%	23%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	54%	67%	63%	67%	74%	66%
	multi-family	46%	33%	37%	33%	26%	34%
	rented	56%	44%	45%	42%	30%	43%
	owned	44%	56%	55%	58%	70%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

Surname-based Voter Registration and Turnout data from the California Statewide Database.

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Orange County Board of Education
2021 Redistricting
Option 3
Rowland Heights
La Habra
Brea
4
Shaw
Fullerton
Placentia
Yorba Linda
Buena Park
La Palma
4
Anaheim
Cypress
1
Villa Park
Los Alamitos
Stanton
Orange
Rossmoor
2
Barke
Garden Grove
Westminster
North Tustin
1
Gomez
Tustin
Seal Beach
Midway City
Santa Ana
Silverado
Williams Canyon
Huntington Beach
Fountain Valley
2
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Modjeska
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Williams
Irvine
Trabuco Canyon
Costa Mesa
Lake Forest
Rancho Santa Margarita
5
Sparks
Laguna Woods
Mission Viejo
Newport Beach
Laguna Hills
Coto de Caza
Aliso Viejo
Las Flores
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Laguna Niguel
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Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	368,076	362,415	372,610	419,209	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	15%	26%	12%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	13%	24%	11%	21%
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Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	309,795	316,806	319,744	371,940	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	18%	14%	25%	11%	21%
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	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	15%	14%	5%	14%
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	% NH White est.	35%	54%	67%	58%	81%	61%
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Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	213,040	225,393	222,833	271,830	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	16%	12%	22%	10%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	15%	11%	20%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	21%	12%	11%	4%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	61%	71%	63%	83%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
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MINUTES
Regular Meeting
November 3, 2021

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — The Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by Board President Barke at 3:08 p.m., November 3, 2021 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California and via YouTube live stream.

ROLL CALL — Present:
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez
Mari Barke
Ken L. Williams, D.O.
Lisa Sparks, Ph.D.

AGENDA — Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 4-0 to approve the agenda of the Regular meeting of November 3, 2021.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (related to Closed Session) — None

The Board took a recess to go into closed session from 3:10 p.m. to 5:07 p.m.

TIME CERTAIN

1. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 11032021001I – Santa Ana Unified School District to Newport-Mesa Unified School District.

   Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks to approve the appeal. The motion failed by a vote of 2-2 (Barke and Sparks voted Yes, Gomez and Williams voted No). Therefore, the decision of the Newport-Mesa Unified School District is final.

   Spencer Gooch, Manager, Educational Services facilitated the hearing.

2. Inter-district Appeal Hearing (closed) – 11032021002I – Orange Unified School District to Tustin Unified School District.

   Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a vote of 4-0 to approve the appeal and allow the student to attend the Tustin Unified School District for the period of one academic year (2021-22).

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CLOSED SESSION 2	CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION- Orange County Board of Education v. Newsom Case Number S270319 - Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)
INVOCATION	Martin J. Eaton, PhD Licensed Clinical Psychologist Well Family
PLEDGE	Rebecca Gomez, Trustee Area 1
INTRODUCTIONS	Tim Shaw – Resignation Statement Board Vice President Williams announced the provisional appointment of Trustee for Area 4 will be at a Special Meeting.
MINUTES	Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 4-0 to approve the minutes of the October 6, 2021 Regular Board Meeting.
PUBLIC COMMENTS	▪ Natalie – Redistricting ▪ Andrea – Redistricting ▪ Billie Joe – Redistricting ▪ Libby – Redistricting ▪ Jeanne – Redistricting ▪ Jenny – General ▪ Harumi – Redistricting ▪ Clare – Redistricting ▪ Danielle – Vaccine Mandate ▪ Kahanah – Vaccine Mandate ▪ Michelle – Vaccine Mandate ▪ Tobreah – Vaccine Mandate ▪ Mr. Montez – Redistricting ▪ Janet – Redistricting ▪ Edith – Redistricting
Closed Session Report Out	Mr. Brenner reported, for Closed Session 1 & 2, the Board received an update from counsel. No action was taken with the exception of approval of an Epstein, Green & Becker invoice 1065091 by a vote of 3-1 (Williams, Barke, and Sparks voted Yes; Gomez voted No).

CHARTER SCHOOLS

4. Charter submissions
   - Orange County Classical Academy II
   - Oxford Prep Academy

PUBLIC COMMENTS (item #5)

- Lynne Riddle
- Kelly

5. Motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 3-1 (Williams, Barke, and Sparks voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve a resolution Opposing Tyranny of the United States Government and Intimidation of its Citizens.

6. Redistricting Presentation and Proposed Maps – Greg Rolen and Douglas Johnson

7. Public Hearing on OCBE redistricting – 7:06 p.m. to 7:11 p.m.
   - Janet
   - Billie Joe

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CONSENT CALENDAR

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11. Motion by Gomez to disapprove the payment of invoice #9717 in the amount of $19,834.50 for the Law Offices of Margaret A. Chidester & Associates. Motion failed due to lack of a second.

    Subsidiary motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 3-1 (Wiliams, Sparks, and Barke voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve invoice #9717 in the amount of $19,834.50 for the Law Offices of Margaret A. Chidester & Associates.

12. Motion by Williams, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a vote of 3-1 (Williams, Sparks, and Barke voted Yes; Gomez voted No) to approve invoice #3247609 in the amount of $1,143.36 and invoice #3247610 in the amount of $28,225 for Haight, Brown & Bonesteel LLP.

INFORMATION ITEMS

BOARD DISCUSSIONS
- Redistricting – Public Hearing on December 1st and Special Meeting in December
- Board Website
- 101 Website

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Superintendent
- Tustin USD – Dr. Mark Johnson
- OCDE ACCESS program honored – Reflections of hope and resilience
- Janice Munemitsu book
- Freddie Freeman- baseball player from Villa Park
- Godinez HS – recipient of Kindness from Helpful Honda
- MTSS – parental engagement
- Acknowledgement – Tim Shaw

Deputy Superintendent
- Next board meeting is December 1st, submission deadline is November 12th, board packet delivery on November 24th
- Special Board meeting polled – December 8th, 5:00 p.m.
- Renee Hendrick –Educator Effectiveness Block Grant, Covid Mitigation funds, and donation to Skyview

Legislative Update
- Trustee Gomez – CSBA Delegate meeting in December, OCSBA Dinner meeting- Mindfulness, and ACCESS classroom tour

PUBLIC COMMENTS None

ADJOURNMENT On a motion duly made, and seconded, the board meeting of November 3, 2021 adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Mari Barke
President, Board of Education

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

November 3, 2021

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3. BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

   a. Item 6: Redistricting Presentation and Proposed Maps – Greg Rolen and Douglas Johnson (Williams)

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   b. Item 7: Public Hearing on OCBE redistricting (Williams)

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      Timestamp 4:16:45

      Pages 62-66
      Timestamp 5:08:15

4. CONSENT CALENDAR

   a. Item 12: Approve Invoice #3247609 in the amount of $1,143.36 and invoice #3247610 in the amount of $28,225 for Haight, Brown &Bonesteel LLP

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TRANSCRIPT OF NOVEMBER 3, 2021
ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING

BARKE: Welcome everyone. Could we start with roll call, please?

SISAVATH: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: Present.

SISAVATH: Trustee Barke?

BARKE: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Williams?

WILLIAMS: I am here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Sparks?

SPARKS: Here.

WILLIAMS: I will make a motion to adopt today's agenda with the understanding that item number six; Mr. Johnson will be presenting a video on the basics and will be joining us virtually closer to the end of the meeting. You have to give a second.

BARKE: I will second that. All those in favor?

SPARKS, GOMEZ: Aye.

BARKE: Any opposed? All right, passes 4-0. Are there any public comments related to the closed session?

BOYD: There are no public comments related to closed session.

BARKE: Okay, then we will go into closed session now.

[THE BOARD GOES INTO CLOSED SESSION AND THEN RETURNS TO OPEN SESSION]

BARKE: All right, we are back. Welcome everyone. You are going to introduce?

WILLIAMS: Yeah, yeah. It's my pleasure. As we begin our board meeting today to introduce the pastor, the community expert, the well-respected clinician in Orange County here in the Tustin, Orange, Anaheim Hills community. Dr. Martin Eaton, I will share with you is an incredible human being. He has some beautiful children from his wife, and they're all growing up. He is a clinical psychologist practicing adolescent and child psychiatry, excuse me not

WILLIAMS: I'll make the motion for the approval of the Minutes from the October 6th, 2021, meeting.

BARKE: I'll second that. All those in favor?

GOMEZ, BARKE, WILLIAMS, SPARKS: Aye.

BARKE: Passes 4-0.

WILLIAMS: We go to public comments.

BARKE: We are going to start with public comments.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Public comments, there is no there is no number given. I'm going to call two names. The first person who I will call will be the one who would come to the podium to speak, and the other individual will be on deck to speak. The first person will be Natalie Thach from Anaheim. On deck is Andrea Schmidt from Costa Mesa.

NATALIE: Hi everyone. My name is Natalie Thach, and I am from Anaheim. I have two sisters in the Anaheim Union High School District, and I myself graduated from the same district. I also have a brother in the Magnolia School District. I'm here today because the Orange County Board of Education redistricting process has lacked transparency from the beginning. They have made no effort to engage with the public or the community, or have a public forum. Per the California Fair Maps Act, you are required to hear public feedback through every step of the process. So far, there has been no space or time made for that. The maps presented today were drawn without feedback from the community. We demand a public review, multiple community forums, and time to allow the community to introduce our own proposals that are fair, compact, and avoid unnecessary gerrymandering. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Thank you, Natalie. Next up is Andrea Schmidt. On deck is Billie Joe Wright.

ANDREA: Okay. Hi. Hi everybody. My name is Andrea Schmidt. I am a resident of Costa Mesa. I'm also here about redistricting just because the lack of transparency around the Orange County Board of Education's redistricting process has been extremely troubling. Up until today, the board has made no effort to engage the public in the process, unlike your counterparts on the County Board of Supervisors who have had an extremely thorough and transparent process. As I'm sure you all know, the California Fair Maps Act does require public input at every step of the process. Thus far, there has been no space or time allocated for that input. The maps presented today or technically I guess, on Friday when you released them, were drawn without any public comment or community feedback. Today I am here along with my fellow concerned citizens to demand a public review period, multiple community forums, and time to allow the community to introduce our own proposals that are fair, compact, and avoid unnecessary gerrymandering. Thank you for hearing me out. I hope now, as we move forward through the redistricting process you all will consider your constituents best interest without political interference. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Andrea. Next up, Billie Joe Wright. And after that, we'll be Libby Frolichman.

BILLIE: Good evening, Board of Education. My name is Billy Joe Wright. I'm a high school government and economics teacher that lives in Anaheim. I'm here tonight to speak on Agenda items six and seven. It is often said quote, "Hiding the truth is the same as telling a lie. Be open, honest, and tell everything. If you have to hide it, you shouldn't be doing it in the first place." The Orange County Board of Education's redistricting process has lacked transparency from the beginning. The Orange County Board of Education has made no effort to engage the public or have a public forum. Out of respect to the students and teachers in Orange County, out of respect to the parents and community members who are responsible for you being in those seats. I'm here to ask you to please follow the law. Please show respect to the communities that you represent.

The California Fair Maps Act requires you to hear public input at every step of the process, which you have failed to do. So far, there has been no opportunity allocated for this input. What are you trying to hide? The maps presented today were drawn without public comment or community feedback. Shame on you if you continue this sham of a process. We are here to demand a public review period, multiple community forums, and time to allow the community to introduce our own proposals that are fair, compact, and avoid unnecessary gerrymandering. I am asking each of you to operate with integrity. Our students need to see more integrity being modeled, not more people trying to play politics of disrespect with their future. You often profess ideas of freedom. Several of you often use the idea of freedom as a badge of honor, but do your actions exemplify what you profess? Have your actions around the redistricting maps been honorable, respectful of what freedom and democracy means? Have you operated with integrity? I would like for you to consider one of my favorite quotes by Mr. Ziglar, quote "Integrity gives you real freedom, because you have nothing to fear since you have nothing to hide" end quote. Please make this process transparent, respect your students and voters, and hold public forums for input. Basically, please operate with integrity. Thank you for all you do every time you come here, because I know it's hard work. Thank you, and good night.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Mr. Wright. Libby is next, and after Libby will be Jeanne Lepowsky.

LIBBY: Hello, my name is Libby Frolichman. I live in Fountain Valley, and I'm the parent of two children. I'm here today, because I have been waiting to see proposed redistricting maps for the Board of Education. In accordance with the California Fair Maps Act, I have seen proposed maps for all the layers of government that represent me except for this one. Maps for all those districts have been drawn with input from the community and are being considered and commented on by the public in accordance with the law. This board is finally airing its proposed maps for the first time a few days ago. As far as I'm aware, have been drawn without any public comment or community review.

The agenda doesn't include any rationale for these particular proposals. However, in proposal two, it seems that all of the incumbents live barely inside the proposed district, which certainly seems odd. I also wonder what happened to proposal one since we were only seeing number two and number three. Are there more proposals that are not being shown publicly? With so many

questions and a law to comply with, I respectfully request that the board allow for an appropriate review period, multiple community forums, and allow the community to propose their own maps for due consideration. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Thank you, Libby. Up next is Jeanne and then Jenny Golden.

JEANNE: I'm Jeanne Lepowsky. I live in Laguna Woods, California. I'm a former teacher, and a parent, and a grandparent. I'm very concerned about education and our public schools. I am concerned also about fairness and transparency in our elections. I'm concerned about making sure that voters can trust the people they elect. When there is no transparency, that's when trust goes away. I won't make the same points my colleagues have already made here. I am simply here to reiterate that there should be a public review period. There should be additional meetings to discuss the maps, and potential maps, and opportunities to make modifications as may be appropriate based on public comments. The community should be able to have input. The community should be able to participate in this political process. Thank you for all you do.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Jeanne. Next up is speaker number six, Jenny Golden. After that, it will be Harumi. We should probably give you the option. You can wait until the actual item is going to be on the Agenda, or you can speak now during public comment.

JENNY: I will speak now.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

JENNY: If that's all right with you, I'll take off my mask while I speak So you can see my face. My name is Jenny Golden. I live in Tustin. The first thing I want to do is express some appreciation for the last year and a half, two years of the board's, COVID safety precautions in the face of a lot of parental pressure. You have kept the students, and you have kept the community safe, and I appreciate that. Particularly since, there's been a lot of politicization against this unnecessary level of political input. I also want to very importantly, support the current curriculum.

It's extremely important for our democracy that we have an educated electorate and of course that starts at school. Not only do we teach our children rote facts, but how to evaluate facts. It's very important that they're able to look at ideas, and theories, and opinions, and be able to sort through them intelligently and without emotion. I support the current curriculum, and I urge you to continue your stance in support of the local school boards that do the same thing. Thank you very much.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Jenny. Next up is speaker number seven, Harumi. You have indicated you'd like to talk about board agenda items six and seven. You may wait until we actually get to them, or you may speak now.

HARUMI: I speak now. Hi, my name is Harumi, and I agree with all previous speakers that there is no transparency in redistricting process. They are not engaging the public. I only found out today about the proposal maps. I couldn't find it anywhere on the internet or on the website.

There was no opportunity for the public to be engaged, or comments, or map proposals by the community. This is unacceptable. There should be multiple community forums and engage the community to participate. That said, I live in the city of Cypress for over 30 years. The city of Cypress has always been part of District number two for as long as I remember. This time with all the proposals they were being gutted out. Our city of Los Alamitos, Rossmoor, and Cypress, they are pretty much together. It's three cities in one city. We are always- it's pretty much- it's just like one community. Even our kids in the city of Cypress go to Los Alamitos school and vice versa. They should not be separated. I'm very upset about that. I want my city of Cypress to go back to District 2 where it belongs. This is not acceptable. Thank you very much.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Harumi. Next up is speaker number eight. It looks like Clare. You may take the podium. You may speak now or wait until the item actually comes up. That's up to you.

CLARE: [Inaudible].

WILLIAMS: Okay. Yeah. Go ahead.

CLARE: Hi, good evening. The Orange County Board of Education members. Thank you for giving me a chance to speak here. I'm a resident of Cypress, but my boy in Los Alamitos High. For me, it's kind of like if you, you know, divide Cypress to part of the, you know, map district number four. It's totally, you know, tear my life apart. In my point of view is Cypress, Los Alamitos, Rossmoor it's not just to next together. We share the same family values and their culture, traditional cultures. Most of the time, we just don't feel any difference within this big community. For me, I always go to shop in Rossmoor to go grocery shopping in Sprouts. Also, you know, grab my [inaudible] snacks there.

I have no idea why this proposal comes out for, you know, separate Cypress from Los Alamitos and Rossmoor. I just sincerely wish you can consider put them together. These three cities are sister cities. It has been one big community for last half centuries. For me, I just don't know how to, you know, express my deep concern. I wish you can listen to the residents in these three cities and make these three cities united as one. Thank you so much.

WILLIAMS: Very good. Thank you, Clare. Moving on, to speaker number nine, Danielle Tanner and up on deck is Kahanah Swift.

DANIELLE: Hello, thank you for the opportunity. My name is Danielle. I have two children, and we're currently in the Irvine District. I'm here today in honor of my son and the rest of the children who face the vaccine mandates in order to go to school. Every day I wonder if I'm going to wake up from this bad dream. I received an email from my son's school that parents are no longer allowed on campus unless we are vaccinated. Policies such as that continue to divide us when we should not be fighting each other. We are not fighting against the legacy of vaccines. We are not anti-immunology. The fight is against medically mandating a free country when it is not necessary for some or proven safe yet. Dr. Eric Rubin from the FDA states, "We are never going to learn how safe the vaccine is unless we start giving it. That's just the way it goes." He's talking about our children as if they are guinea pigs.

BARKE: There is some Kleenex there if you need it.

DANIELLE: Thank you. Please help us fight against this. Please help us in protecting our children and their future. My son will be devastated if he cannot return to school after everything that they've been through the last couple of years. they don't deserve it. This is the United States of America where people fight every day to live here to be free. Help us keep it that way. Freedom over fear. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Danielle. We have Kahanah Swift at the podium and after Kahanah will be Michelle Ramelot.

KAHANAH: I'm, Kahanah, it's very hard to say. I'm used to it. I represent the North OC parents. I was educated K-12 in the public-school district. I'm a mom of five, a former public-school teacher, and I have loved and served the public-school district. I'm standing here before you today to ask you to stand up for our kids in Orange County to encourage our school districts to reject formally this vaccine mandate. They are asking our kids to be injected with an experimental shot that does not even stop the disease. The coercion and bullying to get this shot hurts our kids. We are no longer in an emergency. If you look at the data for the children that are dying from this, and I'm not saying that every life is not precious, they are. That's why I say that the vaccine mandate needs to stop.

There is more risk to harming the children with this unresearched shot and forcing our kids to choose between the schools and teachers that they love and taking the shot against better judgment to attend public school. It's wrong. You will not only be losing involved, invested, and supportive families from the public school when we pull our kids out and school them alternatively, but wonderful teachers that we all love. That being said, our districts are telling us that they have no choice. That they have to accept the mandate. They are washing their hands of this and dismissing our concerns by saying that they cannot do anything. Who will be there to represent the students and parents that want to have a choice whether or not to give the shot to our kids? We would like to know, is this true? Do the districts really have no voice? Does this decision have anything to do with accepting that the relief funds? We don't know. We can't get a clear answer. We can't find the truth.

On behalf of myself and hundreds of other concerned Orange County parents, we urge you to intervene to speak to the state, to speak to the health department, the school districts, or whoever needs to be addressed on behalf of the many concerned parents that do not want to give their kids the jab. We don't know what to do. We don't know where to send our letters. We don't know where to send our phone calls. If somehow you could advise us in some way, we will put our energy there. We are not here to be a pain in the butt to anybody. We just want to protect our kids and do what's right for our families. Thank you so much.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Kahanah. For the record, this board did pass their opposition to vaccine mandates earlier this year.

MICHELLE: I just want to echo. I'll just piggyback off of my colleague's statements, but I am so thankful for that. I continue to be so thankful for our county through this whole situation. It has been comforting to know that we as Orange County citizens have boards, and members, and people in service who stand up for our basic freedoms at the end of the day. Yes, we've had extreme circumstance. Everyone is doing their best to navigate these interesting times. Everyone should be allowed to make their own choice. Just as if they feel better being at home, they should be able to be home. If you want to go to school, you should be able to go to school. The idea of an experimental shot being mandated is shocking to me, and I continue to be perplexed over this. I would just urge the board to continue to stand firm and uphold our basic rights from, you know, the top tier of the government down and not be bullied by whatever this coming out of Sacramento these days. I didn't come here very prepared. I did not intend to speak. I have my children. I am grossly mis-underprepared here. I don't have a lot of statistics. I know that they're out there. We have so much data right now showing the negative effects of this shot, which is not even classified as a vaccine per the CDC's classifications. It's an experimental gene therapy. We have the data regarding the rise of myocarditis in juveniles right now. Blood clots in juveniles, in children. There is no reason for this shot to be mandated for any child for anything.

The minute the government is stepping in between myself and my child, we have huge problems. It's just like Kahanah was saying it's startling, because we don't know where else to turn these days. I just am here to voice my opposition to any incoming pressures. We know that it will come. Sacramento has not reversed themselves on this steam roll of a year. Remain firm and uphold the values of Orange County where we all get along wonderfully, and have all sorts of backgrounds, religions, ethnicities. I just would like to see that continue without more divisive mandates coming down in the future. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Michelle. Next up is Tobreah Richardson from Westminster. Michelle, you did a great job. Those words were felt and appreciated.

TOBREAH: Hi. Thank you. Thank you, Board for giving me the chance to share my heart with you today. Sorry. My name is Tobreah Richardson, and I'm an Orange County mom. I'm asking you to please continue to fight for us, for our families, and for our children; for the right to make medical decisions for our own children without government interference. We all know how incredibly low risk children are from dying, or being hospitalized, or seriously ill from COVID-19. As of today, from the Orange County Healthcare Agency, there are 198 total COVID-19 patients in all of Orange County. This vaccine is too new to be given to children, and there are not enough long-term studies for me as a mom to be comfortable to give it to my child.

My second concern is over the mask exemption policy currently being implemented by the state of California. My son has been given a mask exemption by a licensed psychologist. However, I've been told by our school, our district, the board that they will not honor it because it is a licensed psychologist, not an M.D., a DO., or a nurse practitioner. While I understand people are following the procedures that are put in place, the one size fits all policy is currently at the severe detriment of my child. As of now, it feels there's no concern for the expertise of a licensed mental health professional. I know this is not your personal belief. You had Dr. Eaton come and speak today, which we value his opinion.

However, my child is going to sleep every night with anxiety as a seven-year-old about not being able to breathe in his classroom the next day. I am heartbroken. There's been no response to emails, phone calls, anything other than, "This is the state mandate. We can do nothing else." You're all in such a fantastic position of power. You have a responsibility to use your voice and I know you have, and we appreciate it. As parents here today, we urge you to continue to fight for us because your voices will be heard where ours won't, so, thank you. Please allow us our God given right as parents to choose what's best for our children. We appreciate your fight. We urge you and beg you to continue to fight for us. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: We have two last speakers here who wanted to talk on agenda item number six. We are actually going to be getting to that agenda item in probably about 5-10 minutes. Mr. Henry and Mr. Montez, you are welcome to speak now, or you can wait until we actually get to the agenda item. It's up to you, sir.

MONTEZ: [Inaudible]

WILLIAMS: Mr. Janet, excuse me, Mrs. Janet Henry and Art Montel, you are the last two speakers that have requested public comments. Okay, Mr. Montel you're on deck there, sir.

MONTEZ: It is pronounced Montez. You probably couldn't read my writing.

BARKE: That is a Z.

WILLIAMS: Oh, that's a Z. It looked like an L. Sorry.

MONTEZ: That is okay.

WILLIAMS: Montez.

MONTEZ: I wanted to take the opportunity now to thank Mr. Shaw for his service. I've served on a school board since '98. I've had the pleasure of working with some of your people here with Mr. Mijares and others. This is a unique board. You guys were both the CEO of the county in education and the board both are equally elected. I worked with Mr. Shaw and the redistricting on the Board of Supervisors. Now, I've been working with redistricting since 1981. This has been against democratic governors, speakers, Republicans, and others. I think there's idiots on both sides of the aisle. There is incompetency and thieves and such. You're probably one of the few elected bodies I've seen "In God We Trust." I saw this speaking to the speaker. Coming from a family of half the family is ministers and evangelists.

We always look at keeping, you know, the wolves away from the least of our flock, which is the children. Given that you have to look at the community of interest in this county. I'm here to speak on behalf of MALDEF Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund, LULAC, and Southwest Voter Registration. If you Google your [inaudible] or any of the other legal things you're going to find us as the plaintiffs. If you look at the Mendez case, you're going to find us the plaintiffs. If you look at some of the other cases, you will find us the plaintiffs. If you look at the cases that we're working on now, you will find us as the plaintiffs on voting rights and such. I

could sit here and bring in 42 other organizations. I found in the past that doesn't really help in swinging a lot of interest, because greed and ambition seem to overpower everything. You are, and I need to notify you if Al hasn't notified you, or if legal counsel hasn't notified you. I want to thank Al and his staff for providing us some of the data. It's available to the public, which deals with the reduced lunch programs impacted by the LCAP monies and the entitlement programs. That data can be found. You can see those communities of interest. You represent the two largest Latino communities. One, the youth, which you have Santa Ana and Anaheim separately are the two largest cities in the nation with youth. When you look at some of the largest school districts, you are looking at Santa Ana. You are looking at Anaheim. You are looking at those districts. I should and I think you guys have an obligation to look at those data of where those schools are located.

That'll give you the cluster and the percentages of what the map should look like. In the past, these maps were redistricted following the county lines. Hoping that we would not come back and sue you. Now, we have filed complaints back 10 years ago. Those complaints were heard. We've met with the lawyers over the last six-seven years; with the federal lawyers in regards to this. You are named along with the County Board of Supervisors, County Board of Education, and the School Board of Anaheim Unified. We're equally, you know, both the left and the right are getting hammered in regards to their incompetency and greed when it comes to a lack of transparency. Some people try to be clever by drawing maps that will meet certain percentages. You have certain areas that were drawn. I can tell you a story.

WILLIAMS: Mr. Montez.

MONTEZ: Yes, sir.

WILLIAMS: With all due respect, sir, we allow three minutes. That buzzer that you heard.

MONTEZ: I am sorry.

WILLIAMS: Yeah.

MONTEZ: I was looking at the light.

WILLIAMS: If you want to finish up what you're saying, please feel free to do that.

MONTEZ: Okay. I just want to let you know we are willing to work with you. You guys have hired a good consultant. I think you guys should make this transparent. Doug, which you've hired I believe. You should be able to have those some type of map availability for the public to be able to draw those maps and submit those maps to you. We will be submitting maps, but you know, we are just one set of maps. Somebody may have a better set of maps. I think that's what you guys have an obligation to look at. What's the best map that fits those communities? Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, sir. Janet Henry. Then after that, we have Edith Tonkon.

JANET: Good evening, Board. Good evening, all the folks that came out tonight. I know it's not very common for the common folk to come before you. It shows how important this is to us on this evening. I am going to repeat what you have already heard, because it's that important. I think sometimes when you keep hearing it and hearing it, you know. I'm here to speak about redistricting. I am here to talk about the maps and the transparency regarding the maps. I know as public servants, I was a public servant. I taught almost for 40 years down in the south county. We can get in our little bubbles. We get working. We get endeavoring. We kind of forget that we're representing people. We are working on behalf of people. I ask you to reach out to your communities. Reach out to each of your districts there.

I am sure there must be some way. I get things from Lisa Bartlett. I get things from other people that are telling me what's going on. I hope you have an avenue of saying, "Hey, Janet, come on down. Let's take a look at these maps. What do you think?" I think several people here have made some really good points. I don't live in those communities, and I'm going, wow. I'm sure you want to hear about that and know what is going on in those individual communities. Like I said, I am all the way from the south county. That's how important this issue is that we've come all the way up.

I was a teacher for almost 40 years. One of the cornerstones of our teaching in any school is fairness. No matter if it's on the playground. No matter whether it's in the debate club. No matter whether it's choosing the prom queen and king. It's all about the democratic process and what is fair, so I would beseech you to please make sure that the process that you follow is fair and open to everybody. To give you the kind of insights that you had here this evening. To make sure that these lines are drawn correctly. Thank you very much for your time.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Janet. Edith.

JANET: I don't get a [inaudible]?

WILLIAMS: We appreciate you coming here. Very good. Mrs. Edith Tonkon.

EDITH: Hi, my name is Edith Tonkon.

BOYD: Can you lower the mic? You can lower it. There you go.

EDITH: Thank you so much for letting me speak. I actually thought there were going to be a lot more people here, so I wasn't going to speak. I was just going to applaud them all. I am here about the redistricting. I live in Laguna Beach. My children went to Laguna Beach schools. I taught special ed. in Santa Ana. I think the redistricting maps are very difficult to understand, number one. I'm fairly good, it's been a long time since I used a Thomas map book, but I still find this not that easy to understand. I know there are options and there are things that are going on now. We need to have transparency so everybody knows which districts are voting for which person in the school board. All I can ask is that you consider having better options and more open so that we can all know what's going on. Then we'd have more people out here to speak on behalf. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Edith. For those who came out to talk about redistricting, that is Agenda item number six and number seven. Actually, a public hearing to hear from the public so that ends the public comments. Ms. President, I think we have something from closed session.

BARKE: We do. We have a report out from closed session from our good attorney Johnathan Brenner.

WILLIAMS: Next up will be Agenda item five, the Resolution. Then we'll get to six and seven, which is the redistricting.

BRENNER: Good evening, President Barke and Trustees, Superintendent Mijares. This is the read out, or report out for closed session items one and two. The board conducted a discussion with counsel as to both closed sessions and took no action, except under closed session item number one. That was to approve Epstein, Becker, and Green's invoice number 1065091. The vote was three in favor. President Barke, Vice-President Williams, and Trustee Sparks voting in favor. Trustee Gomez voting against. That's the report out for the closed sessions. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you. Quickly. Are there any charter submissions?

BOYD: Yes. We have received two charter petitions. Orange County Classical Academy II is a county wide petition that has been submitted. Oxford Prep has submitted a material revision, so we will get those scheduled on the board's agenda. Okay. All right. Moving to number five, Dr. Williams.

WILLIAMS: I will make the motion to approve the Resolution.

AUDIENCE: [Inaudible]

WILLIAMS: You have a public comment?

AUDIENCE: [Inaudible] Item number five.

WILLIAMS: Oh, excuse me. As we get to item number five, you will have an opportunity. I promise you.

BARKE: We are at five.

WILLIAMS: Yeah, right. We have Lynne Riddle who will be up. Then Kelly, you will be second. Once the motion's made, then we'll take public comments.

BARKE: Okay. Okay. I will second your motion.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Going to go into public comments on item number five. The good Lynne Riddle will be up first. Then Kelly, you will be second.

LYNNE: I'm Lynne Riddell. I'm addressing your Resolution Opposing Tyranny of the United States Government Intimidation of its Citizens. This resolution is objectionable, nasty, and wrong. It's factually erroneous, communally malicious, and infectiously incendiary. No sensible person could find even a scintilla of truth or critical thinking reflected anywhere within it. For those reasons, it must be firmly opposed by every thoughtful person in our county. While the resolutions title is gut wrenching. Your introductory paragraph boldly says that "The Department of Justice is committed to using its authority and resources to discourage public discourse." Nothing in any fair reading of the Garland Memorandum or the DOJ's press release supports your claim. This fetish resolution is rife with mischaracterizations about our public schools and their curriculum. It takes a sneering aim at ethnic studies saying that our schools have, and I quote, "progressively become politically correct, and woke, and have elevated political correctness over academics."

Their woke-like curricula, you say, contains racism, Critical Race Theory, Marxism, social justice, politics, and culturally inappropriate sexual and health education curricula. That's purely false, demeaning, baseless, political rhetoric. Sensible residents of our county have a right to expect better from you. I have to ask. When did you forget that you were elected to serve in a nonpartisan manner in the best interest of our public schools? As a lawyer, a former member of the federal justice system, I'm livid at your meritless accusations leveled at Attorney General Garland and the Department of Justice. Your resolution seeks to discredit and undermine a respected and essential governmental agency.
Worse, in doing so, you call into question in fact you ridicule the lives and the values of those who serve in them; who go to work every day as noble, dedicated public servants. As a former classroom teacher, and a professor of education, I'm enraged that the Resolution appears to cast doubt upon, minimize, and in fact, again, ridicule servants of our public schools' family who have been targeted. Placed in states of anxiety and fear for their school colleagues, their families, and their children. Worse yet, your resolution reflects not one wit of care or concern about further harmful incitement. You have to know that arising from all of your resolution's disrespect, there will be future violence against our local school board members, administrators, teachers, and even students. I urge you to withdraw this thoughtless and this harmful resolution. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Very good. Up next is Kelly.

KELLY: Hello, good evening. I'm here tonight in support of Dr. William's proposal of opposing tyranny, intimidation of United States Citizens by the National School Boards Association. I agree with Dr. William's proposal that our membership should be revoked from the National School Boards Association. We should follow 21 other states exiting or distancing ourselves from the NSBA. The overreach of the government on local matters has been a growing problem in our communities. The voice of the parents need to be heard as their civil liberties are protected and allowed to address school elected school boards and appointed superintendents. School board meetings should be a place of communication, discourse, and productive decision-making for the betterment of students. The NSBA cannot apologize their way out of labeling concerned parents as domestic terrorists and do not deserve our support as a county or a state. The NSBA is a frivolous, meaningless board that uses intimidation and threats to silence any parent from

speaking to their school boards about their decision-making. Parents support their local public schools financially, emotionally, and put their trust in the hands of well-qualified teachers.

Parents have every right to question decisions. When in fact science does not support mandated masks for children, nor does it support mandated experimental shots for a protected class of citizens, our children. They have every right to see new curriculum that include divisive Marxism lessons and demand answers to lies given by school board members including a school board president that said to me, there is no CRT being taught in our school district. We can demand that our schools show transparency when it comes to the accepted sex education curriculum and intersectionality policies regarding genders. We are energetic parents that will not accept anything less than honesty and transparency from our school districts. I encourage you to lead this county and our state away from the NSBA. Protect the parents from getting reported to the United States Department of Justice. It is outrageous.

We need local autonomy to preserve our open discussions and keep vigilant watch over the local boards by participating and vocalizing as much as possible. The only thing that's standing in the way of our government getting access to our kids is we the parents and you, our elected officials. We the people hold the power with our voice and our votes. The NSBA knows that there will be a mass exodus from the public-school system if these local issues are not resolved. I encourage you tonight to support the energetic parents of Orange County, Dr. Williams, and respond to the NSBA on our behalf and call out the California State Board for their lack of response. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Madam President, that is the last public comment.

BARKE: Then we'll go back to number five.

WILLIAMS: We have a motion and a second, so it's discussion amongst the board members. I'll go ahead and begin. I appreciate the differing opinions from the good judge. What I find as offensive is the collusion between the National School Boards Association, which we do not belong to anymore, the president of the United States, and the attorney general of this great nation. We have an original letter that we know that was made September 29th, which was a day before the weekend. Less than five days later, we have an attorney general attacking parents and potentially targeting them. I find that offensive. This is nonpartisan. This is defending the rights of parents to direct the upbringing of their children as well as the citizens to address vigorously if necessary this board. We've had a lot of people criticize this board. I'm okay with that. I'm a big boy.

Everything in here is written and reviewed by legal scholars. It is the sentiment of myself as well as many good, outstanding citizens, and mostly parents who are offended by what the attorney general did in collusion with the President of the United States as well as the National School Boards Association. Obviously, I wrote this, and I will be voting for it.

BARKE: I support you, and I will be voting for it. I feel very happy that we took the initiative before any of this happened. We have not paid dues to the National School Boards Association this year or last year. I think we did the right thing.

especially around very, very difficult and challenging issues such as we have faced head on. Issues that included the inappropriate California Healthy Youth Act with inappropriate curriculum for children that's pornographic. We've talked about Common Core, and the direction that we've headed in so far with this ethnic study curricula, which is very outlandish based upon the foundational Critical Race Theory. We've seen that. We've talked about that. We've been very fair to people coming here; talking very cordial. I think we've done fairly well overall. With that, I'll call the question if we're done discussing this.

SPARKS: I want to add one more comment. I would add that I think we've been very transparent in holding all of these various forums that we've been holding. When we hear from parents, when we hear from families about what issues you all want to hear about, you want to understand more about, we've been very responsive, as responsive as we possibly can be. I agree and concur that President Barke has run the meetings as best we can while we are sun shining a lot of these very controversial issues. I think that's our job to show leadership on those issues. We've done the very best job we can in terms of being transparent.

I'm new to all this redistricting stuff, but I know that we are going to be talking about it next. I know the people who have been working on it have been working with the consultants as much as possible to be transparent. I don't know if the supervisors got priority over this board in terms of transparency. I'm not sure. But I do know that the history of this board is to be very transparent. To insinuate that we're not being transparent on any issue, I think is disingenuous.

BARKE: The other comment I would make is that we had a lot of comments about the lack of transparency. Most of them left before the hearing. We are about to have a transparent hearing. Most of those that complained are gone, so I'm a little confused by that.

SPARKS: Yeah, Absolutely.

AUDIENCE: [Noise is heard]

BARKE: No? Okay.

SPARKS: A lot of people left. Maybe, more than half of you left.

AUDIENCE MEMBER: We are here. [Inaudible]

WILLIAMS: Okay.

GOMEZ: I got to make one last comment.

WILLIAMS: Sure.

GOMEZ: I want to be clear that I never called President Barke's leadership embarrassing. Don't put words in my mouth. I also recall. Now that you brought it up about the California Healthy Youth Act, there was a time when the audience snapped their fingers. You, Mr. Williams asked them to stop doing that. They were showing their support for speaker, and you disallowed that.

There have been times where, yes, we have not appreciated, shall we say, all of our speakers. That is all I'm saying. We need to do a better job of being consistent. That's all.

BARKE: I think that, what do you call it? Is it clicking? What is it?

GOMEZ: They were snapping their fingers.

BARKE: Snapping. I'm sorry. I think the snapping that was going on during the speaking. Most of the clapping that we're hearing now is in between. It's after a comment and we just.

GOMEZ: Not necessarily. Not necessarily.

BARKE: Oh, okay.

WILLIAMS: I think we've shown a lot of dirty laundry tonight. I'll disagree on some of the things that Beckie has said. I will call the question, so we can move on with our meeting.

BARKE: Okay. All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE: Aye.

BARKE: All those opposed?

GOMEZ: Opposed.

BARKE: Okay. Moving on to number six, Redistricting. Greg Rolen will you please join us?

WILLIAMS: Nina, are we ready to play the YouTube video? Okay.

ROLEN: Just some brief comments before Dr. Johnson's video. This is the beginning of the community input process. As soon as we got the maps, you'll hear a lot about timelines, compressed timelines, data challenges, and the like. You hear a lot about that tonight, but this is the beginning of the public input process. We have a video by Dr. Johnson who unfortunately can't be here at this time. We're trying to make him available for further questions later in the evening. Just like everybody else in the state of California these experts in demography are slammed, because every jurisdiction has to do it under this compressed timeline. We're going to try to make him available later in the evening by Zoom if possible. In light of his schedule, we prepared a video that will explain the theory and practice behind all the maps.

BARKE: Just one comment. Somehow, we didn't have one either. They commented nobody [inaudible].

[VIDEO PLAYS, BUT IT IS STOPPED.]

SPARKS: Rewind.

ROLEN: I'm sorry, Renee. On the 29th, I think of October, we provided all the maps we had available to staff and asked for them to put post them immediately. There was a miscommunication between Dr. Johnson and myself with regard to option number one that you will hear about. The staff, as soon as we were made aware of the error. We provided the staff with option number one. That was simply a snafu between myself and our consultant.

[THE VIDEO PLAYS: VOICE 1]

Good evening. I'm Doug Johnson, president of National Demographics Corporation. It's my pleasure to meet with you again even if virtually this time. I'm sorry I cannot be there in person. But as you're aware, this is an extremely busy time these days. Scheduling just got a little complicated today, but I am happy to share lots of good information with you. I think you'll be very pleased with the maps that we have to show you. First of all, as you know, the map on your current screen is your currently existing board election trustee areas. These were drawn back in 2011. They are out of population balance now. Obviously, growth has not been standard across the whole county. We now have what's described as a 27% deviation amongst the trustee areas. With Area 3 being the biggest, at almost 15% overpopulated. That's where the most growth has happened. Area 5 being the smallest at 13% underpopulated. It has of course grown over the last 10 years. It just hasn't grown as fast as the county as a whole leaving it behind the target population.

As we approach redistricting, as you're aware, it's been quite a year. The data was supposed to be out in March. The federal census data was supposed to be released in March of 2021. That data was of course delayed by COVID until mid-August. We had a five month delay there. Then the state for the first time, and an unfortunate timing situation, was going to adjust for the state prison population. The population that the Census Bureau counting the prisons, the state then reallocated to their last known home address. Now, that was supposed to take no more than four to six weeks. We get the data from the census in mid-August. Then, the state takes four to six weeks. They ended up taking five and a half weeks releasing the data September 21st. Then, when we got the data and started working with it. One of the things we quickly realized, that something was wrong with the data.

It took us a couple of days to figure out what, but we did go back to the state. The state did realize that they had some messed-up data. Then the official redistricting data corrected came out on September 27th. Unfortunately, with our quick deadline. Of course, the election date doesn't move. Our finish date doesn't move no matter how late the census data is or how late the state's data are. Unfortunately, we are now in this extremely compressed timeframe where there's not much time for the board to act, but we do have some good maps. We are very comfortable presenting. We think and hope you'll be pleased with.

As we look at balancing populations we have not only the population imbalance to deal with, but of course we have an existing map or problem. Which is, District 1 is our most heavily Latino seat. It's not majority Latino by a citizen voting age population, which is our key demographic. It's under 50% according to the Voting Rights Act data. It is also our largest Asian American district. By putting in Fountain Valley, West Santa Ana, Garden Grove, the current map splits up

the Little Saigon region into multiple districts. Then puts them together with the Latino population. In our maps, we are going to try to address this and change that around.

We have three maps for you to look at today. All three of them are similar in certain respects and then differ in kind of the outer regions. Here is Map 1, option one as it says in the legend down here. As you can see, Trustee Area 1 takes on a bit of an odd shape, but the reason for that is that Trustee Area 1 is really putting together two clear Latino communities. We have the Santa Ana and Tustin fairly densely, heavily Latino neighborhoods and communities. Obviously, Santa Ana has a long history of Latino leadership together with Anaheim, which also has a very well-established community, heavily Latino community and concentration and more recently elected Latino leadership as well. We want to put those two areas together in one trustee area to unite their voice and actually draw a trustee area that's majority Latino by citizen voting age population.

Now, that takes some unusual shapes because in the Orange, and Villa Park area, and the Anaheim Hills, we have much less Latino community. Putting those areas in would dilute that Latino vote and make that a non-majority seat. Then on the west side, we have what I tend to describe as the Little Saigon Region: Westminster, Garden Grove, Fountain Valley, and West Santa Ana in particular that we want to keep together. That's, you know, both a densely packed Vietnamese and generally Asian American community. It's also clearly a cultural center and a cultural community of interest that has many bonds within it.

In order to keep both of those very significant, important communities of interest together, we end up with a somewhat odd shape of Trustee Area 1 to make that happen, but it is contiguous. Both those trustee areas do respect communities of interest. Both of them are reasonably compact. One is really two compact pieces put together, but it does work. Both of them follow either major roads. Like the top of a Trustee Area 1 is a state highway, or for the most part this map follows city borders. When you see the part of Trustee Area 1 going up to the northeast. That's following the shape of Tustin and keeping Tustin together. We are really following the city boundaries as we draw these lines. Same thing in Area 2: Garden Grove, Stanton, Westminster, Fountain Valley, Los Alamitos all drawn together into Area 2.

As I mentioned, this map has, as do all three maps I'm going to show you, a majority Latino trustee area at 51% of citizen voting age population. We do cross that line unlike in the current map. Where the current map has Trustee Area 1 also being 30% Asian-American, this map has area 2 separate from the Latino community. We finally have two separate seats. In Area 2, it is 33% Asian American in this map. Now the other three trustee areas, Areas 3, 4, and 5, we don't have the voting rights concerns, so we are really population balancing and trying to keep communities of interest for the main part cities united and to follow recognizable borders.

You can see in this map we have Area 5 really being a coastal area. Area 3 being the southern inland area. Then Area 4 is the north county area. We do divide Orange in this map. Then Huntington Beach and Irvine just purely for population balancing reasons we had to divide so that's option one. We move on to option two. We can see here in this case, we do kind of expand Area 1. It doesn't go as far west in Anaheim. In this case, we are just getting central Anaheim, and instead pushing up into south Fullerton. That does give us the numbers to offset taking in

western Orange. Then the same areas of Santa Ana and Tustin that we had before. Again, this is still a majority Latino at 51% of CVAP or Citizen Voting Age Population Trustee Area. It is a bit more compact, but it also does divide Fullerton. We have Anaheim split so that the central part of the city is separate from the western part in this map.

We again have our Little Saigon region united. Area 2 is again a heavily Asian American seat again at 33%. Because of the different shape of Area 1, Area 4 has wrapped around and is picking up west Anaheim then going up and getting north county. Then not coming across the 91 over on the eastern side of the county. In this case, we also have more of a parallel version. Instead of three and five being inland and coastal, in this case three comes down and gets Costa Mesa. Five goes all the way to the Riverside county line. It's a different configuration of three and five. No voting rights or other considerations there, but you might consider whether you think that's a better arrangement of community interest, or whether the map 2 arrangement is a better setup.

The third map is somewhat in between the two. It is not a radical departure from those two. It goes back to the original setup of Trustee Area 1. Really, four is pretty much the same. Where this differs is three and five. In this case, five is picking up less of Irvine. It is not coming all the way to the 405. It is more of a coastal Irvine piece. Then to make up for giving up that Irvine area, it is coming up and getting Rancho Santa Margarita, the south end of the county. A third option just for consideration of the board.

One thing I do want to emphasize is that I talked about the current map is 27% off. All three of these options are perfectly balanced. Each trustee area is within one person. We are really hitting it out of the park with that. The real purpose, the primary purpose of redistricting, which is balancing the population of each trustee area. That is the express purpose stated in the Ed. Code for this process is to get those numbers close. No trustee area is off by more than one person from perfect balance. I really do go above and beyond to hit that number. We achieve our perfect population balance. We keep communities of interest together. Other than for population balancing and following highways and freeways, we are keeping cities together. We are keeping regional ties together. We are following major roads whenever we can and staying as compact as we can.

We are really hitting all those traditional and statutory redistrict requirements. Again, my apologies for not being able to be there this evening, but I think you have three very good maps before you. Option one, with the coastal five. Option two, with kind of inland to coastal areas. Five and three, and Orange, Anaheim, and Santa Ana with Tustin in Area 1. Or option three, it kind of has a coastal five, but three comes farther into Irvine. Then, the coastal five it goes up into Rancho Santa Margarita. We are back to Area 1 that's entirely Tustin, Santa Ana, and Anaheim. Look forward to your comments. I'm happy to provide any additional information after this meeting that would be useful. I hope these maps meet with your approval, at least one of them. Thank you very much. Bye-bye.

[VIDEO ENDS]

ROLEN: The board charged me with directing this process. As you can see, what we have tried to do to start the process is to give a lot of data; give a lot of justification for the trustee areas.

This is a starting point. We have to have this process completed by December 15. We are going to have a hearing right now. What my directions were to Dr. Johnson was to balance the population, comply with the Voting Rights Act, and have a contiguous Vietnamese district and a contiguous Latino district. These maps are a starting point. The presentation will give the public an opportunity to really look into the data and bring us back some maps. They have an opportunity to bring us some maps this evening, but this is a legally unassailable starting point.

If there's any questions you think I can answer. Clearly, Dr. Johnson forgot more than I ever knew about the geography of Orange County. If you think there's any questions I might be able to answer before the public hearing, I'm pleased to answer them. Again, we are going to try to get Dr. Johnson available via Zoom once he becomes available. Okay.

WILLIAMS: Greg, I think it's important, because there's a lot of misinformation and a lack of understanding.

BOYD: Ken, you need to be closer to the mic.

WILLIAMS: I think it's important, Greg if you can share with the public the Voting Rights Act and how it applies differently to county, and city, and school boards.

ROLEN: I will do my very best. The Voting Rights Act simply does not want the lines drawn that will marginalize an ethnic majority and minority that creates an ethnic majority or minority. The idea in the Voting Rights Act is that you try to give majority or minority populations a voice in the process. You can see from the trustee area number one, we went above and beyond to do that. The other laws that were mentioned this evening. The California Fair Maps Act, that doesn't apply to school boards. We have engaged one of the finest election law attorneys in the state. They are helping us through this process. As you heard, Mr. Montez say, Dr. Johnson's work is well-known and respected. That is what he was talking about with racially balanced, population balance. That's with an eye towards the California Voting Rights Act.

WILLIAMS: Could you explain that according to Mr. Johnson when he shared with us several months ago when he came here, he told us only one public hearing was necessary. I think we're going to have another public hearing next month on this, but could you help explain that?

ROLEN: Yeah, we've confirmed through election law council that only one public hearing is required for a county board of education. We have discussed my work has been driven by the subcommittee on redistricting, Trustees Williams and Shaw. The idea is that we have another public hearing on the December-

WILLIAMS: First.

ROLEN: On the December 1 meeting. Then we pass something at a special meeting before December 15. We also can have other special board meetings if that's the will of the board.

SPARKS: I know I noticed on the existing map. It didn't look correct to me.

ROLEN: It fell out of correctness.

SPARKS: Yeah.

ROLEN: It changed. Ten years ago, it may have been perfect, but the population densities-

SPARKS: Oh, I see.

ROLEN: Densities grew in different parts of the state and put different parts of the county at different rates. As you heard him say, there is now a 27% divergence in the population balance. The three maps he provided, there is a zero divergence in the population balance. That's critical.

SPARKS: Okay. I see. That map was from 10 years ago?

ROLEN: Right. That is our current map.

SPARKS: The one that I'm thinking of was four years ago.

ROLEN: I don't know.

SPARKS: Well, it wasn't, because Newport Beach is one of my cities. It wasn't in my district in that existing map.

ROLEN: Have you asked Newport Beach about that?

WILLIAMS: Which map?

SPARKS: The existing map.

ROLEN: The one that he showed first.

SPARKS: The one that he showed first.

ROLEN: I don't know if that's- I will double-check that.

BARKE: It's very hard to read. I know a lot of people have a lot of- when I was running for office-

ROLEN: I think that was kind of universal in the room tonight that it's very difficult to read. I agree.

GOMEZ: Isn't the map that's on our website the most current map though?

BARKE: Yes. That's the one I find challenging, yeah.

WILLIAMS: To my knowledge, yeah.

SPARKS: The existing one was different than that one. That's why I was a little bit confused.

BARKE: Oh, was it?

SPARKS: The one showed he showed in the video.

BOYD: He should have used ours.

GOMEZ: It was a little difficult for me to see, because there's a glare. I'm looking at an angle, and I can't really see.

BOYD: That screens out.

ROLEN: One of the wonders of modern technologies. That's going to be up there for us to parse and look at for weeks to come.

GOMEZ: Yeah. I'm wondering if that map that we have on our website is consistent with what the Registrar of Voters has?

SPARKS: Right. I don't know.

GOMEZ: I haven't looked and compared the two recently, but I would not suspect that they have changed since we did the redistricting.

SPARKS: Right. Yeah. That is what I was thinking. Isn't it every 10 years? Right. That's why I was really confused the first three minutes of the presentation. Okay.

WILLIAMS: If I can make a comment to the board speaking from an historical 26 years? This is my third redistricting. We've been very transparent, very open, very honest. I think part of the process that the public doesn't understand was the significant delay in the data. I mean, we didn't get the data until about a month ago I think from the state.

ROLEN: Yeah, September 21.

WILLIAMS: In order for Douglas to give us the maps. We just got the maps recently. We are doing a public hearing. We are doing a discussion. We are going to have another one December 1 at our board meeting. We are doing more than what we've done in my previous two redistricting. I appreciate everybody who is here, but that's historical how we we've done it. We don't have to do it. We don't have a staff by the way. There's been some comments out there. "Why don't we have community forums?" We don't have the staff. We all have full-time jobs someplace else. We don't have the staff to be able to have constituent outreach. We'd love to have that, but that's going to cost more money. Oftentimes we have to depend upon good citizens coming and sharing with us their vision. I think the goal of this meeting right now and our board is to hear from our constituents. If there's any constituents out there that has maps they'd like to present, please send them to us. There is a lot of details that have to be done with balancing of

the census data. Just like he presented just now, there's a lot of work that's being done on this project.

GOMEZ: How will the public be able to submit maps?

ROLEN: At their will. They could probably submit them through the Department. Would that be acceptable?

BOYD: Depends on the process the board sets up.

ROLEN: Exactly. Exactly

GOMEZ: That's why I'm asking. What is the process to submit maps?

ROLEN: Why don't we talk about that? I would respectfully submit that somebody can submit a map through the Department. We've been working together quite well. They can provide that to me. I'll provide it to Dr. Johnson for analysis.

SPARKS: Is that how you did it in the past?

ROLEN: Then we can have those maps available for discussion at the December 1 meeting.

BARKE: Should we just let the public know what the cutoff date would be? If the December 1 meeting, I think our agenda is put together about a week prior.

BOYD: It is going to be earlier than that, because you have holidays this month.

BARKE: Do you know what the cutoff date is? Do we have that already?

BOYD: The twelfth.

BARKE: Oh, wow. December 12th. I mean November 12th.

BOYD: November 12, because we are closed for Thanksgiving and the holidays.

BARKE: Wow, okay.

BOYD: For Thanksgiving ends the week so that's when your board packet has to go out to meet that December 1.

ROLEN: We can accept them at any time before that. We don't have to wait and have our submission.

BARKE: I think we have a question.

AUDIENCE MEMBER: [Inaudible].

BOYD: Protocol.

GOMEZ: That is not the public hearing.

BARKE: Oh, sorry.

BOYD: Apologize. We can talk offline, but we can't in the middle of the meeting take questions from the public.

AUDIENCE MEMBER: [Inaudible]

WILLIAMS: Otherwise, this will last forever.

BARKE: Gotcha.

BOYD: I will tell you. Lisa asked what the process was used previously? You all are using a different process this time. The board is working through the board's attorney to work with the demographer. In the past, the board worked with staff who worked with the demographer. The forums that you're talking about, staff worked with community and brought that back to the group that was working directly with the board. Our previous deputy, one of our assistant superintendents, their team pulled that information; worked with the demographer to get that out. That's why the information that we sent previously to the committee looks a little different. I think in terms of some of the committees they talked about, LULAC and others who were involved previously. They did have the ability to meet, have some information, input. The previous demographer took that input, that information. Whether they utilized it or not, I can't speak to that. But that's why there were multiple maps previously. I think there were five maps, because some outside entities submitted maps as well.

WILLIAMS: I think the committee, Tim and myself, we understood that process. That's why specifically the two districts, one was the Asian community, the Vietnamese community there in Little Saigon as well as District 1 being primarily Latino district. We understood that process. Certainly, we invite any organization or anybody to get ahold of our attorney or the board. You can contact the board with the email to the board. This process is not over. We are still going to come back with, we have maps one, two, and three. With the input from the community, there will be other maps.

BOYD: Then once the board makes their determinations and adopts a map, then that map would go to the county committee.

ROLEN: Correct.

BOYD: To be accepted. They would also have hearings and so forth.

ROLEN: I even wrote a script that says that.

BOYD: You just didn't use it.

ROLEN: For the public hearing.

GOMEZ: Okay. Let me ask the question again. What is the process? If there is a community member out there that wants to submit a map, how do they do it?

BARKE: I would suggest that they submit it to Nina; to our staff by November 12th. That's the cutoff for our agenda. That gives about nine days to go ahead and submit a map. Does that sound reasonable?

ROLEN: That sounds reasonable.

BARKE: Okay.

GOMEZ: Okay. What are they supposed to do? They're supposed to take something like this and draw it with crayon? I am trying to-

ROLEN: There's publicly available electronic demography.

GOMEZ: Perhaps you can share that with the public as to what tool they might use?

ROLEN: I will try to find out what tool that is. I don't know right off the top of my head.

BOYD: There was a suggestion that maybe we can talk to Mr. Johnson to provide the template that he's using so that then you all are looking at the same templates or everything.

GOMEZ: Yeah.

ROLEN: It is also available through the university, CSU Riverside.

BOYD: If he sends that to us, we can get that out, or put it on the website and whatever.

ROLEN: Okay. Just so that I'm understanding, you want me to contact Doug Johnson to get us the template to make available to the public so that they can work with the data?

BOYD: One of the speakers had suggested that.

ROLEN: He did.

BOYD: I'm just offering that. This board is saying process wise, what do they use? How can you use something rather than have a bunch of different diagrams that you're trying to decipher, it would make sense to have a similar, or the same template?

ROLEN: I think that's reasonable because in our discussions Dr. Johnson, he made it abundantly clear that there are tools out there that are available to public organizations and private citizens to do this work with. If we can provide a template or some sort of demographic data that's available, we will do that.

BOYD: Pretty quickly, though, because their timeline is short.

ROLEN: He might be on by eight.

BOYD: If he's calling later, we can talk to him about that, or you can talk to him about.

GOMEZ: Back to process again. Are we going to put something on the website to allow people to access and submit maps? Is that what we are going to do? I wish we would have had that in place before tonight.

ROLEN: We just got the maps on the 29th, so that's a board discussion. I'm happy to do whatever you tell me to do. It sounds like we have some agreement they we will be submitted through staff by November 12. That as soon as humanly possible, we will ask Dr. Johnson to get us some electronic templates to help the community work through the data.

GOMEZ: Don't we have to submit the maps before then? If he has to do the statistics and everything for that?

ROLEN: I can't speak to his availability. What I can offer is that if a community member draws a map and it doesn't meet with these Voting Rights Act criteria and population balance, that's what I'm going to ask them to look at. That's all I'm going to ask him to look at.

GOMEZ: He has to be able to run the numbers, though. All I'm saying is try to give him enough time to do that so we can get our board packet on time.

ROLEN: Sure.

GOMEZ: Then those maps can be posted for the public, because I think that's where the rub is right now.

ROLEN: The public is going to get their maps posted. That's not a problem. The problem is the analysis of the maps that Dr. Johnson is going to need to do.

GOMEZ: The public can't comment on the maps unless the analysis is done so that's what I'm trying to get to is how much time does he need to do that? Now I will say, you know, Tustin just went through the redistricting. We had five public hearings between September 30th and Monday. We scrambled. There was no question about it. We scrambled to do those public hearings. Many cities are doing the same thing. I think this is again where the public is having some frustration. That we don't have the availability to submit a map. They've just seen these maps, you know. They got buried in our Agenda. I would ask that they be clearly visible on our website somewhere so that people can find them easily and have a process to submit the maps.

WILLIAMS: Mari and I, because Tim is no longer with the board, we are in the process of looking at these maps, looking at the data, processing what is being told to us tonight. Some very good comments have been made. I like your comments. I think it is reasonable to provide whatever tools/software is out there. I'm sure we can get it from Mr. Johnson. As Greg iterated,

there are software tools out there now that are available. We will be working with the consensus of the board, with our website developer to put some sort of information on our website regarding that. That will be done this week. Actually, I'll be working on it tomorrow with Mari, so we'll have that information available. We're going to be coming back on December 1st with, hopefully some new suggestions with more input from the public, maps from the public. We'll be talking with Mr. Johnson to maybe provide us with more maps.

GOMEZ: I think that would be a good option so that people can see. I would also-

WILLIAMS: I'd like to hear your input about your district. What do you think?

GOMEZ: It was messy.

WILLIAMS: You think it was messy?

GOMEZ: It was. Just because there was so- we had I want to say 20 maps.

WILLIAMS: No, no. Not for Tustin, for your county board, District 1.

GOMEZ: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: Do you think that's a good map for your district?

GOMEZ: It's hard for me to say. I couldn't blow it up big enough to actually look at where some of the lines were. I think one of the challenges is really kind of keeping communities of interest together. I know that Doug was saying something about they had to split some cities, and they had to do some other things. I don't know if there's perhaps a better way to do it. I'm not just talking about just my district, but all of our districts to make sure we don't do that. Keeping intact, again, the communities of interest and some of the population concerns that we have.

WILLIAMS: Oh, sure. I mean the communities of interest is very important. Greg, could you comment on, Beckie made a comment that her city did five public hearings. We're going to have two what's the law say how many we have to have?

ROLEN: It is my understanding that we only have to have one.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

BARKE: Do cities have to have more? Do you know?

ROLEN: The rules are different for cities and counties.

GOMEZ: Yeah, the cities do have to have more, but I think that the intent and the spirit of the law, is to again create some transparency so that people have an opportunity to look at the maps. Unfortunately, when the maps got posted on Friday, I believe. They were in our agenda. It wasn't easy for the public to find them. Perhaps if we had it somewhere prominent on the first page of

the website. People could find it easily. Even if the link sends them to another page. They at least have the ability to find it easy, and to be able to comment, and submit maps if necessary.

WILLIAMS: Your suggestions are then that we have a separate URL page for the maps and redistricting?

GOMEZ: What I'm saying is that it should be prominent on the first page. Even if that URL sends us to another page where-

SPARKS: I have a suggestion. I like the suggestion. I think, yeah. Have a link that's very prominent especially because right now this is a very important issue. We're on a timeline. Big thing on the front of the webpage that people can easily click on. Then it takes them to the link. Then they can play around with it. Then they can upload it easily. To your email? Is there a portal?

WILLIAMS: We have a board email.

SPARKS: Technology. I don't know. Okay. To the board email. Then in terms of timing, would it be reasonable because you guys are going need to get this going hopefully by Friday you could have it posted.

GOMEZ: Yesterday.

SPARKS: Yesterday. Yeah. Hopefully by Friday you could have it posted. Then people would have a week to contribute. We're running out of time.

GOMEZ: Yeah, we are.

WILLIAMS: Nina, give us the mechanics. Can we do this?

GOMEZ: Where's the in?

WILLIAMS: Can our staff do this?

SPARKS: You had to scramble in Tustin. We obviously have to scramble right now.

BOYD: Staff will work with you all to try to achieve your goal. I think for us to say right now without knowing what the software looks like, I mean mechanically, I'm not the technology wizard. Whether those pieces fall into place is really the question. Yes, definitely, we can post something on the website that is prominent that speaks to redistricting. Then whether that's a link that takes them somewhere else, or they click on that and it gives some process information that you all have determined and it also identifies timelines. That can be done. That's not an issue. When you're talking about, you know, linking in and uploading and so forth, that is really contingent upon what we are working with. Without me asking our IT staff and our Media staff to look at that and to know. Just like we got the YouTube link. We couldn't do anything with the volume.

There are things that, you know, you just can't do to certain documents. I would say that. The other thing, I know I mentioned to Mari on our Executive Committee call, we need to have two meetings in December. We were trying to get a poll out to you all today and trying to get the last-minute maps and some of the things that came. We weren't able to get that to you. That also gives you a little bit of flexibility. I'm not saying in terms of, you know, when you hold your hearing, but certainly in terms of input and or when you take action.

There is a grant that's just been identified that will benefit our students, and our special schools, and ACCESS program that needs to come before the board. Like LCAP, it takes two meetings. You have to take action before the 31st of December. Our staff is rapidly working to put together the documents to meet your December 1st to introduce the information to you. Then we would like to have a special meeting the following week if that works with your schedule. You could have redistricting also on the agenda if necessary. I'm just bringing that up so that as we are talking about rushing through this, I think we need to be thoughtful in terms of ensuring that the appropriate amount of time and energy is given based on public input, the work that the demographer's doing, and what you all will need to do.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. You used the word rushing. I think we've already planned and discussed this. I don't know if that's the correct way to describe it.

BOYD: I didn't mean it in a negative way. I just meant in terms of urgency.

WILLIAMS: We're doing our best with the time limitations and the data that was significantly delayed. The fact that we have to deal with the Brown Act, that limits conversation and dialogue. We have to bring everything here. This is the time when it came. We couldn't have done it last month, so this is the date that it took. It's taken place, and it will take place again in December. I think we're doing our best with the circumstances. These are difficult times.

ROLEN: These are difficult times. I want to repeat what the board's expecting of me in the process that the public submits maps through staff by November 12. As soon as humanly possible, we get a template from Dr. Johnson or a suggested demographic tool to help the public in constructing some maps, get the demographic data, the census data to the public as well with equal speed. We will have Dr. Johnson do an analysis of the maps submitted by the public by November 12 and have something available. He'll be here to speak to it directly, but have something available for the board packets. Also have Dr. Johnson look at a better way to balance the population taking into account communities of interest. That's Trustee Gomez suggestion. Does that about cover it?

SPARKS: Could I offer one more suggestion for those constituents that aren't as tech savvy and maybe kind of a little reticent to play around with a demographic program? I think just listing the cities that, you know, in each district that you were interested in could be a second - a Plan B if you are kind of uncomfortable with the demography program, which a lot of people would be.

BARKE: Right.

WILLIAMS: We heard tonight from a citizen who complained that Cypress is no longer a part of the Los Al. connection there. We heard from the citizen, so maybe that's a map that's redrawn from that suggestion. We look at all suggestions and would encourage it. We will be providing more maps.

BARKE: Could that be done as well, Greg?

ROLEN: That is exactly.

BARKE: Okay.

ROLEN: That is exactly Trustee Gomez suggestion. We're just going to look at different ways to accomplish the same goal.

BARKE: Okay. Just have asked that citizens submit things. I'd like Cypress back in, or I'd like Garden Grove back, you know, or whatever it might be.

ROLEN: Okay.

GOMEZ: Maybe he could just listen to the public comment portion of our meeting that address redistricting so that he could, you know, at least get a flavor of what-

ROLEN: That is a good idea. Are we going to do the same thing at the public hearing, because that's a good idea? We can have him just listen to public comment.

GOMEZ: Yeah. Some comments, you can look at it, but it will create an imbalance. But at least it's taken into account. I will just tell you that one of the tools that we had, when we talk about not being very tech savvy with some folks, we just had a map up there of the city. Then people just took it. We did get some crayons. We did get some color-ins. But you know, people were looking at some natural boundaries. Tustin is really interesting in that it intersects two freeways. We were taking that into account. There were some people that could use the tool, and it was good. Then there were other maps that were just literally drawn by hand. Then the demographer did the analysis on that. Some maps were not balanced, and we couldn't consider. But like I said, we had 20 maps submitted. I think we were able to consider, off the top of my head, I want to say eight.

WILLIAMS: These 20 maps were submitted by the good people in your district?

GOMEZ: Some were by the demographer and some were from, you know-

WILLIAMS: The citizens.

GOMEZ: The public. Yes. There was a combination.

WILLIAMS: Did they have the opportunity on your website to have that software program to manipulate? You just don't recall the name of that software program?

GOMEZ: I don't. It was something that was provided by the demographer, which is the same one.

WILLIAMS: Is it still on Tustin City Council?

GOMEZ: It is on drawtustin.org. I don't know if it's still up, because we just approved the maps.

WILLIAMS: You have already approved your maps?

GOMEZ: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

GOMEZ: That's why I said it was-

BOYD: It is still the Doug Johnson's company.

GOMEZ: Yes.

BOYD: It should be.

GOMEZ: Hopefully, he has the ability to do. Obviously, it's a much bigger space - the county as opposed to a city. But, you know, he could probably provide some other feedback to you as he talks to you.

WILLIAMS: He's a busy guy.

GOMEZ: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: He has so many cities.

GOMEZ: Everybody's got the same deadline.

WILLIAMS: When he came and presented to your board how to do this, how long ago was that?

GOMEZ: Well, it was after September.

WILLIAMS: After September? It's been really recent. You just really worked hard to meet the deadlines.

GOMEZ: Yeah. Staff worked their tail off to try to organize the public forums. There were workshops as well as public hearings. The public can do it all sorts of ways. They could literally, you know, have an outline of the county. Then look at some natural breaks. They can also see if, again, we publish the maps so people can look at them and say, "Oh, I like that map except for this part."

BARKE: Right. Minor edits.

GOMEZ: A couple things.

WILLIAMS: Part of the process when Tim and I were working on this is, thinking Mr. Montez, I don't know if he's here now, but he was talking about MALDEF and LULAC and some of the Latino communities. We specifically wanted to make a Latino community, which is primarily District 1. We knew the Vietnamese community in Fountain Valley, and Westminster, and Garden Grove, that they wanted a community and a district. We did these maps with that in mind. I didn't have any input into what he came up with. He just kind of created these. I think with what we heard from the public tonight and what hopefully the people will submit to us, whether it's an email and say, "I want my city in this district," or if they actually draw maps and use whatever software is out there. We're open to that.

Going forward, we'll be here December 1 with another public hearing; probably more maps to talk about. Then it sounds like we have, I'm the guy who strategizes for the agenda. We have this agenda that we have to have a special grant that is a two-part process. We'll vote. We'll hear it on the first, and we'll have the second meeting in December. I'm not sure what that date will be, but that will probably will be the date that we adopt the maps. That's kind of what we've been talking about.

GOMEZ: That would give the public more opportunity to comment on it. We also have a due date of December 15th, so we're looking at a meeting between December 1st and December 15th, right?

WILLIAMS: Oh yeah.

SPARKS: Just so the public understands and we all understand, the second meeting we quote, "adopt one of the" is this how it works? We adopt one of it. Then we submit it to where? Then how does it get finalized?

GOMEZ: Through the county committee, I believe.

SPARKS: County committee.

ROLEN: We submit it to the county committee with a letter of explanation. The secretary to the county committee is sitting right next to you.

SPARKS: Oh.

ROLEN: No, the other way.

SPARKS: Okay. Then a final decision was made by that committee?

ROLEN: Yeah.

SPARKS: Then it's done?

ROLEN: Then respectfully the county committee and we submit it to the Registrar of Voters. Both of us do it simultaneously.

SPARKS: A lot of people don't understand this whole process. They haven't been through it.

ROLEN: Understood.

GOMEZ: Every 10 years, then we forget.

SPARKS: That's right.

ROLEN: Just a point to alert everybody. I don't know if all of the things we've been discussing, I know the public forums and the like and the providing of the demographic tools to the public, that might not be within the scope of Dr. Johnson's contract. I'm going to have to take a look at that. These were things that we discussed when we adopted his contract. We made certain decisions on that. I'm going to have to take a look. I don't imagine it's going to be a problem. In the interest of, I don't want it to become a problem, and you didn't hear about it from me when I had an opportunity to tell you about it.

WILLIAMS: Could you also comment and give, it's more for the board, you've been working with an election attorney.

ROLEN: Right.

WILLIAMS: Could you give a comment to the board? Reflection of your conversations with this election attorney.

ROLEN: Yes. When it became unclear on the county committee's involvement, we got a direction from the board president to engage an elections attorney. Her name is Marguerite Leoni. She is understood to be the best election law attorney in the state. She is with Nielsen Merksamer in San Francisco. Every major decision or point of misunderstanding, we run by her. She's on the payroll.

WILLIAMS: Did she see any problems with the process [inaudible]?

ROLEN: No. She had the same, you know, it's gratifying. She had the same direction for Doug as I did. Make sure everything is perfectly balanced. Make sure the communities of interest are represented, and there will be no legal challenge.

WILLIAMS: There may be a legal challenge.

ROLEN: It just, yeah.

WILLIAMS: Those things happen.

ROLEN: That was her focus as well.

WILLIAMS: Right.

ROLEN: Lawyers focus on laws - California Voting Rights Act, population balance.

WILLIAMS: Very good. Move on the seven, public hearing.

BARKE: Okay. We are going to move on to number seven, the public hearing,

ROLEN: My apologies if this is repetitive after the lengthy conversation we just had. Good evening, this is agenda item- this is number seven?

WILLIAMS: Yes.

ROLEN: Agenda item number seven is a public hearing concerning adjustments to the trustee area's boundaries of the Orange County Board of Education. The Education Code requires that following each decennial federal census, the Board of Education trustee areas shall be adjusted so that trustee areas shall be nearly equal in population as may be. The final census data validated by the Demographic Research Unit of the Department of Finance became available for these purposes at the end of September 2021. This represented a six-month delay because of the impacts of COVID-19 on the operations of the United States Census Bureau. This deadline for the adjustment process has to be completed by December 15th, 2021.

Today the board has heard from its retained consultant, Dr. Douglas Johnson of National Demographic Corporation who has performed in an analysis of the current Board of Education trustee areas for compliance with equal population standard, determined whether adjustments are required, and developed sample maps to meet the nearly equal population standard. After Dr. Johnson's presentation, the board has asked questions of council and may ask further clarifying questions of Dr. Johnson if he is available. After clarifying questions, the board will open a public hearing to hear from our community about the proposed options for boundary adjustments to the board of education trustee areas.

After this public hearing, we're going to have another public hearing on this matter on December 1st, 2021, and perhaps another special meeting after that date. After these hearings, the board of trustees will adopt adjustments to the trustee area boundaries to balance population as required by law. The board will then request the Orange County Committee on School District Reorganization to approve the new trustee area boundaries as complying with the equal population criteria. They don't give me a hammer, because I don't know what to do with it. With that, we open the public hearing.

WILLIAMS: Nina, are there any cards for the public hearing for public comments?

BOYD: There are not.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

ROLEN: We will refer Dr. Johnson to the comments in public comment.

BARKE: Can we let somebody get a card now?

AUDIENCE MEMBER: [Inaudible]

WILLIAMS: I am open for it.

BARKE: I am open for it.

GOMEZ: Just open the public hearing.

BOYD: If you want to speak for the public hearing, if you can line up at the podium? You can fill out just your name on a slip of paper so that we can record it. You can do it after you've spoken.

ROLEN: That would be fine.

BOYD: That works for you all?

ROLEN: Are we going to do the three-minute timing as per usual?

BARKE: That makes sense.

BOYD: I'm sorry.

JANET: That's okay.

BOYD: I'm communicating with Doug right now, so I'm just letting you know.

JANET: Okay. Janet Henry. Thank you for illuminating a lot of the information here. It was really good to see things and to hear comments. I just wanted to share with you kind of how this is synthesized down for me. We have hired these fantastic demographers and these fantastic lawyers. They are the best, and they know everything. No, I'm not doubting it.

ROLEN: Let her go.

JANET: No, no. I felt good about all that. Then what is missing is the human element. They've given us all the details. They've given us all the lines. Now, you each know your constituents. What I think as a leader, then you would sit back and go, "Okay, what do my people need in my district?" Then if we're going to change it, some people might go to Lisa Sparks. Some might go to Mari. I might want to talk with you and say, "Well, look at this." How that works in that sense. What I would ask the board, now that you have all that data, you as the leaders of the people, and of the students, and of the teachers, and of the community, I think it's really important that when we talk about this we are not just talking about students and teachers. We are all community members. This is about each of us. Each of us pays for this. I heard someone

say that, we as parents pay. No, we all pay for this. We all care as a community, not just a parent, not just a grandparent. I just ask that you now look at the human element of this. That should be helpful.

BARKE: Thank you.

JANET: Not easier, but helpful.

BARKE: I appreciate it. Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Mr. Wright.

BILLIE: Good evening again. My name is Billie Joe Wright. Being a teacher, everything's a learning opportunity. I appreciate what was said tonight. I appreciate things being slowed down a little bit. I do want to say that I think that because we know it happens every 10 years, and it's not the first time. There's probably some lessons to be learned of what we could've done ahead of time. Right. You know, in terms of already reaching out to groups and community members and kind of already getting their lists of what's important either in my area or in my community. Some things have changed. Like we've talked about. Also, as a government teacher who has been through this in other areas. This would have been a great opportunity and could still be a good opportunity to engage our students. It's a great way for them to learn about community issues and how districting redrawing is done. I know it's a short time period, but it's a great opportunity to just reach out and to engage people. Especially with the comments I heard tonight about how important it is to have people come here and speak about ongoing things that are happening.

The greatest way to improve our community, and our country, and our democracy is to have people involved and to show them ways to be involved. I want to thank you for slowing it down. Engage the schools. Really think about how to just capture, what are those important things that are going on in each of their districts? I think you just heard some wonderful ideas. I hope that you continue to think that way in the future on everything. Thank you again.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Are there any other public comments out there on item number seven the public hearing? Nina? Darou? There are no other public comments?

BOYD: Just those two.

WILLIAMS: Just those two? Okay.

ROLEN: Do we have Dr. Johnson available?

BOYD: He is trying to access the Zoom link.

ROLEN: Should we delay the closing of the public hearing?

BARKE: Is it going to happen momentarily?

BOYD: He's not saying when. He just said he didn't have the Zoom link.

ROLEN: Why don't we close the public hearing? Then we can allow him if he comes available, he can speak to item number six.

BARKE: Okay. Yeah. We'll go ahead and close.

ROLEN: With that, we will close the public hearing.

BARKE: Do I have to bang the gavel? [BARKE STRIKES THE GAVEL] We're closing the public hearing. Okay. We're going to move along to number eight. That is Rolen and Williams. Greg, I think your backup.

ROLEN: This will be very brief. Hopefully to give Dr. Johnson an opportunity to say the same thing we've already said a couple of times. This item is concerning and attorney client privilege memorandum that was provided to the board concerning the authority and timing of the board's action on the superintendent's salary. We wanted to do this publicly just to underscore the legal authority and share the process with the public. The California Constitution provides the county boards of education the authority to fix the salary of the superintendent. The Education Code prevents the board from retroactively lowering somebody's salary once they are in office.

There has been two attorney general opinions that have researched this issue. Essentially, they said that the board may vote to increase or decrease the superintendent's salary at a properly noticed regular meeting before the commencement of a new electoral term. At the direction of the Executive Committee, my office is conducting a study to state each county by population, each county by average daily attendance. To the extent possible, get the salary of their respective superintendents to inform the board on that decision. Staff has been made aware of this process. The population data and the ADA have already been completed. We're having little trouble finding all the salaries of all the superintendents. We called the County Boards Association, and they did not have that data.

WILLIAMS: You're going to obtain the data. You are going to come back to the board with this data.

ROLEN: We have a paralegal in our office compiling the data.

WILLIAMS: Okay. You are going to provide us with a report. We don't want to when, huh?

ROLEN: No, I don't know when. I'm going to try to have this by the next meeting. This process has been engaged for about a month already.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

SPARKS: I'm surprised there's not a publicly available list for all public official's salaries.

WILLIAMS: The item dies from a lack of second. I'll make a motion to approve item number 11, Chidester and Associates. This is something we've. Okay. Second. Just for background. We have already chosen and asked Maggie to do an analysis. That was done last month. It was an excellent analysis. The bill here is for the bulk of her professional services.

GOMEZ: Okay. What was the analysis?

WILLIAMS: You were here last meeting, I believe.

GOMEZ: Yes. I'm asking what was the analysis? What do those hours represent?

WILLIAMS: Did you not get to look at the invoice?

GOMEZ: The invoice is here. It doesn't tell me what it's for. I don't have the opportunity to look at the detail of the invoice.

ROLEN: The work that she provided was the, I think it was 20-page memorandum on grants and contracts that was provided to the board. Then there was a public discussion about that.

GOMEZ: We spent $20,000 on that analysis. Wow. Okay.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Motion a second. Any other discussion?

BARKE: Okay. All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE: Aye.

BARKE: All those opposed?

GOMEZ: I will oppose it.

BARKE: Okay.

WILLIAMS: I'll make the motion to approve item number 12.

SPARKS: Second.

BARKE: Discussion?

GOMEZ: All right. I have a question on this bill, on page 43. There's some expert fees there. Could I get a clarification on what those expert fees are?

ROLEN: I'm certain that's the matter with Ms. Leoni that we just discussed. How much was the invoice? How much was the billable?

GOMEZ: For expert fees, it is $28,000 plus.

ROLEN: Yeah, that would be her.

GOMEZ: Okay. Could you describe what expert services?

WILLIAMS: No, no, no, no, no, no. I disagree with that. On page 43 you are referring to, that was for the Nielsen Merksamer expert legal fees so that came to $7,777.

GOMEZ: Oh, I'm sorry. You are absolutely right. I looked at the very total of the invoice.

WILLIAMS: Right. Maybe you can help explain the process of how the billing works since you are working with an attorney?

ROLEN: Certainly. It's just like with any other expert witness that is approved by the client. You have a contract with the expert witness. Expert lawyer in this particular case. She sends me a bill. I pass that bill along to the.

WILLIAMS: You pay her through the money we give you. Is that correct?

ROLEN: That is correct.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

GOMEZ: If you can explain? You said you accessed her services for purposes of the maps. Is that accurate?

ROLEN: Consultation on the redistricting process? Yes.

GOMEZ: Okay. How many hours did that entail?

ROLEN: I don't know.

GOMEZ: Okay. All right. We don't have information. That's hard to vote on something.

WILLIAMS: The question regarding the hours, she charges probably the going rate $350.

ROLEN: No, she doesn't. She charges $750 an hour.

WILLIAMS: Oh, really?

ROLEN: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: Okay. So

ROLEN: That's a specialty in that area.

SPARKS: They said she was the top expert.

ROLEN: That is what it drives. Yes. I asked her for a job, I didn't get it.

WILLIAMS: Okay. We only pay you what, $320 an hour, right? The $7,777 represents about 10 hours worth of work based upon that 750 the number.

ROLEN: That is the number. Yeah.

WILLIAMS: I don't know if that helps you Beckie?

SPARKS: It just tells us that we all went into the wrong profession.

ROLEN: It doesn't help me at all.

GOMEZ: Yeah. Well, it's my understanding when we go out and look for additional attorneys that we do so with the board's consent. I don't recall us doing that with this particular expert. That is why I questioned what it was.

BARKE: We had Executive Committee consent.

WILLIAMS: Right. I think, my recall helped me out here, Greg. The recall for this decision was by the Executive Committee. We have a policy under certain circumstances that allows that. Is that correct?

ROLEN: There's not a policy necessarily that I'm familiar with. Throughout all of our litigation that we've been engaged in, litigation counsel has engaged experts. That is part of the retention agreement. I did seek consultation with the president about this directly. I'm certain it was a good decision.

WILLIAMS: The reason is you're not a law.

ROLEN: Anything.

WILLIAMS: You're a general education council, and you don't deal with election law.

ROLEN: I thought it was important to engage the best on redistricting, because it's clearly something that is very important to all of us.

BARKE: All right. Are we needing to vote on that now?

SPARKS: Yeah.

BARKE: All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE: Aye.

BARKE: All those opposed?

GOMEZ: I will oppose.

BARKE: Okay.

BOYD: I received information that Mr. Johnson is still in his other meeting and is not available until 8 o'clock or after.

WILLIAMS: I don't have any questions for him. I think we've talked a lot about this.

BOYD: He has the Zoom link.

WILLIAMS: Right.

BOYD: I'm not sure when you go through the rest of your agenda items, what time we'll be at.

WILLIAMS: Right. I'm okay if we don't talk with them. I'm not sure how much time we're going to spend on this. It may be 30 minutes that we spend on it.

GOMEZ: Why don't we just see where we're at at the point we finish.

SPARKS: Yeah.

GOMEZ: It would be important for him important for him to understand what we're asking for, and for him to ask us what we need if we're looking for tools.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. I think Greg is going to communicate that to Mr. Johnson too. We are going to informational items and communications.

BARKE: Okay. We're moving on now to communications. Board discussion? Have we've covered re-districting? Do we want to move on to the board website?

WILLIAMS: I think that's reasonable. I think we've talked a lot about the redistricting unless somebody else wants to bring it up. Again, for the record, we will be back December 1st with another public hearing with more maps. Then it looks like because we have to have a second meeting in December, we are going to have a second meeting. Darou and so on, will poll the board as to when that second meeting will be. Regarding the board website. Nina, I will defer to you for that status.

BOYD: Ian.

WILLIAMS: You defer to him.

BOYD: Ian is here. Part of the discussion that was a carry over, and we asked you all to think about. I know that Darou sent you an email. It was with regards to how you want to receive emails in the future. If you wanted status quo; what we've been doing. Everything goes into, you know, the central depository. We send the information out to you. Weed through the junk mail,

solicitations, that type of thing. It was mixed in terms of response and some no response. We need to know as we get ready to release the website, because it's posted on there. Either it's ocbe@ocbe so the public can communicate with you, or we would establish separate email addresses for you so that you could get communications that way. We need that so that we can finish that piece of it.

There were questions with regards to, you all had talked about you wanting pictures. Ian asked me, "Where do they want the pictures?" Good question. I don't know if that's, you know, a gallery so to speak of pictures just as things occur and so forth. You all make determinations. You want to update pictures as you all are at events and doing different things, or if you want it associated to certain things and it's just tied that way. Just a few logistical questions related to that. Then anything else that you all have for questions for Ian and his team before this becomes a public website.

HANNIGAN: The top line is that the migration has happened. We have the website. It's on our internal server. Anytime you're ready, we can flip the switch.

SPARKS: I think we are ready.

HANNIGAN: Okay. We are excited to do that. We kind of went through and migrated everything over. I think we'll have a few last-minute changes, obviously with the developments with Trustee Shaw. I will meet and talk with Nina about, you know, other things that we want to add in terms of redistricting. We can move on this pretty quick.

SPARKS: I think in terms of pictures, you know, you upload what you have for now. Then as we have events every few months or additional pictures-

BARKE: Or awards, or whatever it might be in a meeting.

SPARKS: Yeah. Awards. We just upload the new.

BARKE: Are you very good at Photoshopping where you can just slice Tim Shaw right out?

HANNIGAN: That's a really good question actually, because you did take a picture that I think would be pretty ideal.

BARKE: We did.

HANNIGAN: We have a few photos from recent board meetings, you know, recognitions. I thought that we could probably put them, you know, on the top or below under media and kind of have a deck that revolves there; or, we could have a link to a brand-new page that displays photos as they go with brief caption. If that's the preference of the board, we can get that done.

SPARKS: Can you have photos that roll through?

HANNIGAN: Not on this current configuration, but you know, Shane always says anything's possible. That would be something we would probably need to contract with SectorPoint.

SPARKS: I think visually that's kind of interesting. If we have enough interesting photos, I mean, maybe we don't right now. We probably have not very many interesting photos.

BARKE: I can send you a few.

SPARKS: But as we have more and more events, maybe we could move toward that rolling. It gives that feel of vibrancy.

HANNIGAN: It is something that can continue to evolve. I think, you know, we are excited to get to this phase where we can kind of activate that. Like I always say with web development, this isn't a scenario where we just dust our hands in satisfaction and say, we did it. This is all evolving.

SPARKS: Yeah. I say we get it up and going. Then we keep evolving with new information new links to redistricting.

BARKE: Since Tim is gone, did you want to join that committee with Ken? I joined redistricting, because I had to.

SPARKS: I guess I talked too much today.

BARKE: Over the weekend, I took over his redistricting. There was no choice. Maybe you could take over the website? You seem very passionate.

WILLIAMS: In fact, you want to be the chairperson? I can give total responsibility to you.

SPARKS: Okay. I'll do it.

BARKE: You are our new web chair.

SPARKS: I talked too much today. That's the problem. No, I'm happy to do it.

WILLIAMS: Just a question. Good job by the way. We so appreciate what you've done. The question that Nina presented regarding the email communication. We don't have staff. We get all these emails, and each one of them is unique and important to respond to. We just don't have staff to do that. I know Darou doesn't want to work for free and answer all those emails. The same with Nina. I am concerned about.

BARKE: What did you say, Darou?

SISAVATH: I am here to support.

BARKE: One thing just, before I forget. If you could send the emails one at a time. When there's like nine or 13, I just get so confused. I try and answer them. I'm like, oh my gosh, which one did I just answer five or six?

SISAVATH: That is because Dr. Williams had said group them in.

BARKE: Oh boy. You must not be answering them if you're grouping them.

SISAVATH: That is when he was president. Now you are president.

BARKE: Okay. Yeah. I prefer one at a time, because then I can actually answer it and get rid of it.

SISAVATH: I am happy to do that.

BARKE: When I get 13 at a time, it's a big commitment. I literally keep like going, oh, I just did that one and oh my goodness.

SPARKS: I prefer one at a time.

BARKE: Yeah. Yeah. Thank you. I think it will be better service. One person actually wrote to me. I said, "Did I already write to you?" She wrote back and said, "I think you did." Yeah.

WILLIAMS: Regarding the individual emails, I don't have the time to answer everybody. I would love to have staff answer everybody. Some of these questions are very simple and basic. Some of them are more heart-wrenching and gut wrenching. Some of them are just about policy issues. I don't know how that would work. We haven't really talked about that before. In my going on 26 years, we kind of just send them to the board secretary. We would receive them. We never responded to them.

BOYD: There was a time when we would respond. We still do. If they're asking a simple question, you know, when's the next board meeting, or how do I communicate with the board? We don't send those to you. We go ahead. We answer those kinds of questions and so forth. Some people will ask for your direct email. They want to communicate with you directly. We'll send you that. Ask you, can we give them a direct email? or they want a phone number. Each board member is different in terms of their response. I can't pinpoint a timeframe, but there was a timeframe that the board said, "we don't want staff just responding to communications." That, and you are getting more emails, so it's a combination of both.

Some of you will send back and say, "would you send regrets on this." A lot of them are invitations for things. Once you tell us that, we can send regrets. That's not a problem. As Darou said, we are here to support the board. From that standpoint and as I said before, if there's too much and she's working on board agenda and a lot of other things. I utilize other staff. Dr. Mijares is very good about resources that are available to us to ensure that we're being responsive. From that standpoint, it's not an issue in terms of the responding. Some of them are philosophical. All of our beliefs are not the same.

BARKE: Right.

BOYD: From that standpoint, we're not going to answer something that we know you have certain positions, or concerns, or so forth, or that are very personal. From that standpoint, you know, those we would hope that either you respond, or you choose not to. That's up to you, but those are not things that we would automatically take on. We typically, if we do send a response on something, I know Mari always says, "Let me know you've responded." I want to make sure that if she's got it flagged or whatever either we send her a copy of the response, or just let her know that it's been responded to depending on what it is. She doesn't need to see the exact thing in some cases and others, you know, she wants to keep copies of those.

We are trying to work to support each of your individual and collective needs. I know that over the last number of years there's been questions with regards to separating emails from your personal email and so forth; also because of public records requests and so forth. From that standpoint, it does get convoluted a little bit. Some of you have three or four email addresses. We are using the one that you've told us to use to communicate with you.

If we set up a Department one for you, we can set up a number of ways. It can be set up where those are coming directly to you if people choose to utilize that. Then there is the blanket one for the full board so that if they were just communicating with the board in general, they could just use the ocbe@ocde.us link. Depending on what it is, would determine, you know, does it go to all of you. We wouldn't expect the public to have to do an email to each of you if it was one for all of you. That's really the point of the discussion. Based on where we are at this point in time and the types of things that you're getting, what do you see working best for the board? We can continue status quo, because there continues to be questions. "Are we ever going to get our own email address?" Well, that's up to the board. I mean, you know, certainly we can do it. The question now is really, because we have created a separate website, is this the time to do that? Is that something that the full board is interested in?

SPARKS: I think the only way we could do that is if we had our own staff person.

BOYD: What difference does a staff person make to that?

SPARKS: You are saying if we have our own website, then it's going to be our own OCBE email. Then you know, we can't continue to burden you guys with that.

BOYD: No. Ken said, you all don't have staff. You don't have the ability to have staff. I mean, the code doesn't allow you to have employees. From that standpoint, we can still do all the things. It's just a mechanism of how things get to you. Just like with the press release, people want to get a press response. I know there was some criticism on when you all got them. We are doing lots of different things. We check the board email several times during the day. If somebody sends that, you know, at 9:15. We've checked it at 9 o'clock. Don't check it again until 11, but their cutoff for trying to talk to you was noon. We are just sending it out. Then, you know the board is saying, "Why did it take you so long to send it to us?"

We are not just looking at, we don't get a pop-up that says there's a board email. We are doing our emails, your emails, and the other work. We typically look at your emails three to four times a day. We just space it out over time, but there are some things that might be time sensitive that you are looking for that we don't know. I am not advocating for either one. I'm saying that we can respond to each of those. I just want to make sure that we are bringing up again what you have requested in terms of, should we have our own email addresses? We can still monitor your individual email addresses if you want us to do that. It is just a way of the public communicating with you individually or directly.

BARKE: What percentage of emails that you get to the board, do you actually not have to forward to us? What percentage are you actually getting rid of? Is it 10, or 20, or half of them?

BOYD: In terms of the junk, it would be like asphalt repair. Those types of scenarios.

SISAVATH: We have better masks.

BARKE: Right, right, right, right, right. Right.

BOYD: Yeah. Vendor type things like that. I'd say probably 20-25%.

BARKE: If we took our own emails what we would do when we got those, we would forward them back to. We wouldn't know if you actually had better masks or an asphalt contract.

GOMEZ: They would capture those. Right. Isn't that what you were saying?

BARKE: Unless we choose to take our own. That's what we're trying to decide. Do we want our own, or do we want them to continue to filter them?

BOYD: I can check with IT. I do believe, well, I'm not sure but.

SPARKS: Why can't all of them be forwarded to us? We can filter them.

BARKE: That is an option. What I seeing is what percentage of junk are we going to get that we don't want to see?

SPARKS: You should delete it.

BARKE: Or send it back.

SPARKS: Then you are not serving as a gatekeeper. Then we are the gatekeeper. You know what I mean?

BOYD: Again, that's up to you.

SPARKS: Not that you mean to be. I am just saying.

BOYD: That is your, you know, in terms of, yeah, that would be.

BARKE: Can we all make individual decisions? Let's say Beckie wants her emails, but I don't. Or, do we all have to decide we either want them or we don't? Do we have to be consistent? I'm just trying to gather information.

BOYD: Yes. You would have to be consistent.

BARKE: Okay. Okay.

SPARKS: Okay. To me, that's the solution of this whole discussion is just forward all of them. The one that goes through that you get for all of us. Then you just forward that one to all of our OCBE emails. Then we go through as individuals and we answer.

BOYD: That is what we do now.

BARKE: That is what they are doing. That is what they are doing now.

SPARKS: So, the status quo, basically, except.

BOYD: You want to do status quo? We can do status quo.

SPARKS: Except forward all of them to us instead of filtering the asphalts and the –

BARKE: You want the asphalts?

SPARKS: Well, I mean, I am just saying. Then you don't feel that you don't have to filter. You don't have to spend time on that.

BOYD: It's no different if you're clicking on it to forward it to you, or you're clicking it to delete it, so it's no different. It's not a big deal.

BARKE: Does everybody want to remain status quo? Is that what I'm hearing? Ken? Beckie?

GOMEZ: I would rather have my individual one, because I have so many things that I need to keep separate. That would be my preference. But, you know.

BARKE: I kind of go back and forth. I'm always looking to try and figure that out. I know that's why I haven't come back with an answer. I'm still trying to decide what I prefer. In an ideal world if I had unlimited time, I would like to have my own and be responsible for it. At the same time, I'm busy. Having it filtered, this is kind of nice.

GOMEZ: Even if we had individual ones, there would still be the ability for you to filter wouldn't there?

BOYD: Right. Again, I did say we can give you individual ones and you still have ocbe.us. From that standpoint, we'd still monitor ocbe.us if you chose not to utilize your, the one that, you know.

GOMEZ: Our personal or whatever.

BOYD: Yeah. The individualized one. Then because it's there, people may send something there. Then it opens the door for criticism that there's been no response or no acknowledgement to a communication that went to you directly. I'm only speaking to, like you said, if we did it where everybody had it and only some of you were using that and others chose not to use it.

SPARKS: I think it's better to keep it the way it is, because something might speak more to me and another one might speak more to you. Then, you know, we can answer it as we wish basically. As it speaks to us.

WILLIAMS: Status quo allows us to individually respond to emails.

SPARKS: Exactly.

WILLIAMS: That are filtered initially through Darou.

SPARKS: Yes.

WILLIAMS: Then she sends them out individually.

SPARKS: Yes.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. If that's what we are using as status quo?

SPARKS: Yes.

WILLIAMS: I would like to continue with that same process.

SPARKS: I would too.

WILLIAMS: Beckie though, I think, did you iterate you wanted something different?

GOMEZ: I think it's more for, you know, we've been getting so many public record requests too. That would make me feel a little bit more comfortable that I didn't miss something when I was searching through my emails that would be specific to this organization. That was all. That was the other concern I had.

WILLIAMS: Okay. To my knowledge, we haven't had any PRAs in a couple months.

BOYD: Knock on wood.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Okay. The PRAs and those legal emails that threaten lawsuits, litigation, you take those as a high priority. You've been sending them to each board member in one email. All of us there.

BOYD: Right. Unless it's specific to one of you. Then we also allow let the board's council know.

SPARKS: Yeah.

BOYD: Because we don't know where you have things. We want to make sure that you're dialoguing appropriately.

WILLIAMS: Right.

SPARKS: Yeah. I think it's fine.

BARKE: Yeah. I think for now, I would like to at least maintain the status quo. If you can live with that Beckie for now?

GOMEZ: I will live with it for now.

BARKE: All right. Rather than make a decision, let's just go with the status quo for now.

GOMEZ: Who knows? The next person may decide they want something else. Who knows?

BARKE: Yes, indeed. Indeed.

WILLIAMS: Getting back to you, Ian.

BARKE: Now that we sorted through our email, sorry.

WILLIAMS: Did you get a response to your question?

HANNIGAN: Yes. Yeah.

WILLIAMS: About our email.

HANNIGAN: We have our marching orders. One of our principal players is going to be out on Friday, but we can get this going early next week.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Let's talk about what you suggested. You wanted to get this thing up and going now.

SPARKS: I think the sooner, the better. I mean, you know, it's never going to be perfect. It's always going to be evolving. I think let's get it going.

BARKE: Just stick with Lisa. She will keep you on track.

SPARKS: Yeah. I don't know if you really, you are going to be -

HANNIGAN: It makes sense, I think, well, we really need to talk about the redistricting and the information on that. If we go down that road of putting information on that website, maybe we want to wait until that process is resolved so that we are not, kind of reinventing the wheel.

BOYD: So that people who are familiar currently, don't get lost in the conversion.

SPARKS: Why can't we just put it on both?

BOYD: One goes away. Your OCBE -

SPARKS: Oh.

BOYD: It goes away. This is what your new -

SPARKS: Oh. Okay. I see.

GOMEZ: Maybe we should wait until the redistricting is done.

SPARKS: Okay.

GOMEZ: So that people that are familiar with the website can find it.

SPARKS: I see. I see.

GOMEZ: Already, you know, we are going to face some criticism that it's not transparent. If we make it very visible on the front page?

SPARKS: Right. Now it's a link on the OCDE website, correct?

BARKE: Okay.

GOMEZ: Wherever it resides. It needs to be easy.

BOYD: People that have been coming to your meetings, they know how to access and do.

SPARKS: Right.

BOYD: This will be a new introduction. Going there, my understanding is it will send them to the new website, correct?

HANNIGAN: It will still be a link on the OCDE website. You would click on that, or you can go separately. It will have its own domain at ocbe.us, but it will also still be linked on the OCDE website so that people can find it.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Can I ask Mr. Rolen to give us his legal opinion?

SPARKS: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: -On all this here? Basically, we're talking. Lisa wants to do this as soon as we can. The committee that Tim and I are on, we were kind of really processing this and going slow. I didn't anticipate it going active until after the first of the year. Could you give us, with all this dialogue and everything we're talking about, what would be the best legal counsel?

ROLEN: The best legal counsel, status quo for now. That we continue to have them filter the emails. Then you guys can address the ones you need directly. I agree with the notion that we do not go live before the redistricting. I think that would be confusing.

BARKE: Confusing.

ROLEN: Yeah.

SPARKS: Okay.

WILLIAMS: Possibly a date would be Madam Chairman, January 1st?

SPARKS: I guess January. First of January.

GOMEZ: After the first of the year?

SPARKS: Yeah.

GOMEZ: Maybe we put it on our January agenda to announce the new website, or maybe show it again. That kind of thing.

BOYD: Or, your second meeting in December so that people start preparing.

BARKE: Yeah. Why don't we have a goal to be live by January 1? Is that reasonable?

GOMEZ: Or, the first meeting.

SPARKS: Maybe not on the holiday, because you know.

GOMEZ: First meeting in January.

SPARKS: First meeting in January.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. Thank you. I think important right now is we have Mr. Johnson on Zoom.

BARKE: Thank you, Ian. Sorry to cut you off. Saved by the bell.

WILLIAMS: Hi, Doug. Good evening. Thank you for being here. I know you are running around like a chicken with a head cut off here. You are just going from city council, to county groups, and to other government entities. We want to thank you for everything. Your YouTube video was well received. It was viewed by many different people. There were some comments that are important. As part of the committee that was handling re-districting, Mr. Rolen is going to ask you to listen to some of the comments from some of the people who came tonight. Be aware of those. There was also a concern about what do we put on our website. We are going to come back November, excuse me December 1st with another public hearing, with some more maps. We are going to have public input.

It looks like, looking at the strategy for the future, that we are not going to vote on the final map until the second or third week in December. I wanted to give you some heads up there. There is also a request regarding a software application that the citizens can download and kind of play with the maps. Trustee Gomez was sharing. She is a member, as you know, from the Tustin City Council where your company just completed her districting map. Those are some issues. Could you care to comment on any of those, Doug?

BOYD: It's on mute.

SPARKS: I can't hear you.

BOYD: You are on mute.

WILLIAMS: Doug, you are on mute.

BOYD: He's looking now.

WILLIAMS: In Zoom, it's at the lower left-hand corner, I believe.

SPARKS: Yep.

GOMEZ: Do they have to unmute him though?

SPARKS: It says it is unmuted though.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. Doug, hold on. It looks like you are un-muted, but we are not hearing you at all. Maybe that may be at our end here. Just give us a couple.

HENDRICK: [Inaudible]

BOYD: His microphone?

GOMEZ: He needs to select a microphone.

ROLEN: He needs to choose a microphone.

BOYD: Choose a microphone on your end.

SPARKS: How does he do that?

WILLIAMS: How does he do that?

ROLEN: It'll give him an option.

SPARKS: Where?

ROLEN: It should come up on the Zoom. There we go.

GOMEZ: There he goes.

WILLIAMS: I didn't know about that.

SPARKS: Which ones should he select?

GOMEZ: Whatever is on his end. We can't tell him what to do.

BOYD: Whether he is using his computer or?

WILLIAMS: I appreciate his effort.

BOYD: They are sending him messages.

SPARKS: Okay.

JOHNSON: Can you hear me?

SPARKS: Yes.

JOHNSON: Okay. Good. Excellent. I was just noting, just to be aware. In this crazy year, between COVID and state laws changing and deadlines changing, we have a very tight timeline as you are all aware. As you are scheduling things be careful. The election dates and thus our deadline to finish this process are not moving. I would do that. In terms of an online tool, yes, we can make a tool available. I would note, it is a big project to try to draw a county. The tools are aimed at simplicity and they work great in the cities, but it is a lot of work to try to use one of those tools to draw a county map just so that folks are aware of it.

WILLIAMS: You are suggestion we may not have it?

BARKE: What about if they just kind of play around with an existing map? Let's just say they take one. You know, I heard somebody in here tonight, they wanted me to put Cypress back on. What about if they just, is it easy for them just to play with whatever is there rather than recreate? Is that available?

JOHNSON: We can do that. I have folks on my team that would essentially, we would draw in the different maps first. Then people could use those as templates. Again, you know, if you move Cypress, then something else has got to move and then something else has got to move. Then something else has got to move. It is a big task. The weakness of the tools when you get to the county level is it's hard to pick out city by city, because picking census block by census block. As you all know very well, the cities have some funky borders. We are happy to put it up. I just want the public to be aware. It is a big, big challenging project to try to draw county wide maps using those tools.

BARKE: Is it simpler if the community submits ideas to you that they prefer? Then you can look through the ideas and come up with another option or two? Is that a better method?

JOHNSON: No. We just don't have the manpower. We are happy to have them submit ideas to the board. You know, the board could go through them and see which ones might be of particular interest.

BARKE: Okay.

ROLEN: Dr. Johnson, the consensus of the board after some discussion was that members of the public would be able to submit maps through the board staff through the Department staff I should say by November 12. Those would be made available to the public for discussion at the December 1 meeting. Any map that was submitted by staff would go through the same, through the public, would go through the same analysis of population balance and racial composition that you've done.

JOHNSON: Okay. Yeah. That timing would definitely work. Like I said, we can get the tool up and running, and people can take a shot at it.

BARKE: Sounds fair.

GOMEZ: I think that's all we can ask.

BARKE: Okay. All right. I appreciate that. That sounds fair.

BOYD: How about Lisa's question about the?

SPARKS: I just had a question. When I was looking at your video, on the existing map that you had up. It didn't seem like it was correct to me. I'm a trustee for Area 5. Newport Beach all the way down south to San Clemente, then all the way up to Rancho Santa Margarita and Mission Viejo and Lake Forest, parts of Lake Forest. Anyway, Newport Beach was not on that for my district, on that existing map. It looked like maybe it was incorrect.

JOHNSON: It was the map that was given to us. It was my understanding that that was the current map.

SPARKS: I don't think so. You might want to cross check that.

BARKE: I am not sure it matters though.

SPARKS: I don't know if it matters.

BARKE: For your purposes, does it even matter?

GOMEZ: Not really, because it is going to change.

JOHNSON: I was going to – I don't think.

SPARKS: Well, if they're looking at the existing map and then, you know.

BARKE: Adjusting it.

SPARKS: Adjusting it. I think it does matter. I mean, you need to have the correct existing map to start with. I think. I mean, I could be wrong, but I think maybe you should cross check it. I noticed that in my area one of my major cities, didn't look like I was represented. That's where I live actually, so it's kind of important to me.

JOHNSON: Yeah. I was just looking. The big impact that would have is if it meant that the current map was population balance. It wouldn't change that, because other districts are driving the deviation. As you've seen in our maps, we pick up Newport Beach into that district and I believe in all of them that we do.

BARKE: In one, two, and three.

SPARKS: Yeah, no, I know, the new ones. It just struck me, because I just was elected four years ago, or three and a half years ago. It just struck me. How did that happen if Newport Beach wasn't one of my cities?

JOHNSON: Yeah.

BARKE: Don't say anything. You might have to resign

SPARKS: Right. Right. Oh yeah. I could resign, too.

GOMEZ: We can't lose another board member right now.

BARKE: I had enough drama for today. Having an empty chair. Do we have any other questions for Mr. Johnson? Anybody? Beckie?

WILLIAMS: I'm fine.

GOMEZ: I think it was just. Mr. Rolen, you are going to communicate with him about some of the other comments we had?

ROLEN: Yes.

GOMEZ: We had a pretty robust discussion, and there were a lot of public comments. One of the suggestions was just for you to listen to the public comment portion, about 30 minutes. Not all of it was about redistricting, but I think that might help inform you as to what the thought process is at this point.

BARKE: Can we splice that out for him to make it easy so that he doesn't have to go back and forth. Can we splice out the public comment regarding redistricting?

GOMEZ: It might take longer to do that, you know.

SPARKS: He could just fast forward.

BOYD: He could just Zoom forward. He could fast forward.

BARKE: Yeah. Okay. All right. If nobody else has questions, he probably has a million things to do I imagine.

GOMEZ: Greg can follow up with him, too.

BARKE: Okay. Are you good, Greg?

ROLEN: I am.

BARKE: All right. Thank you very much for joining us.

SPARKS: Thank you.

JOHNSON: Good to see. Sorry I couldn't be there in person. I appreciate it.

SPARKS: We'll see you in December. Thank you.

JOHNSON: Bye, bye.

BARKE: Alright. Are we to Superintendent Announcements?

MIJARES: Very quickly. First of all, as you probably know, Tustin Unified School District has a new superintendent. It's Dr. Mark Johnson.

BARKE: Has that been officially approved by the board?

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Item: Agenda - December 1, 2021
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REGULAR MEETING
December 1, 2021
4:00 p.m.
Location: The public meeting will be conducted onsite with limited seating at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 and via YouTube live stream https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WPXxLCas86U

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

(*) AGENDA — Regular Meeting of December 1, 2021 – Adoption

(*) MINUTES — Regular Meeting of November 3, 2021 – Approval

PUBLIC COMMENTS (related to Closed Session)

CLOSED SESSION 1 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION Orange County Board of Education v. OC Superintendent of Schools, Al Mijares, and State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tony Thurmond Case No 30-2019-01112665-CU-WM-CJC - Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

CLOSED SESSION 2 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION- Orange County Board of Education v. Newsom Case Number S270319 - Government Code §§ 54956.9(a) and (d)(1)

CLOSED SESSION 3 — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-ANTICIPATED LITIGATION Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 54956.9: (1 case)

INVOCATION
5:00 p.m.
Rabbi David N. Young (Virtual)
Congregation B'nai Tzedek
9669 Talbert Ave
Fountain Valley, CA 92708

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTIONS

CHARTER SCHOOLS

1. Charter submissions

(*) 2. Charter School Public Hearing – Oxford Preparatory Academy – Saddleback Valley Material Revision - Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.

Discussion Format:
Oxford Preparatory Academy – Saddleback Valley
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

(*) 3. Charter School Public Hearing – Orange County Classical Academy II - Countywide Charter School Petition - Aracely Chastain, Director, Charter Schools, will facilitate the public hearing.

Discussion Format:
Orange County Classical Academy
Public Comments (30 minutes)
Board Questions

PUBLIC COMMENTS (30 minutes)

CONSENT CALENDAR

(*) 4. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

(*) 5. Approve invoice #3248331 in the amount of $566.10 and invoice #3248332 in the amount of $19,208.50 for Haight, Brown & Bonesteel LLP.

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 6. Resolution Insisting for State Officials to Recommend and Not Require the Covid-19 Vaccine for Students and Staff (Williams)

(*) 7. Redistricting Update - Douglas Johnson & Greg Rolen

8. Redistricting Public Hearing #2
- Public Comments

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 9. Presentation and Public Hearing (OCDE ACCESS and Special Schools) - Presentation and public hearing regarding the Educator Effectiveness Block Grant for the Orange County Department of Education's Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services (ACCESS) and Special Schools.

(*) 10. Presentation and Public Hearing (CCPA) – Presentation and public hearing regarding the Educator Effectiveness Block Grant for the College and Career Preparatory Academy.

(*) 11. Approve revisions to the annual budget in excess of $25,000 as per Education Code Section 1280. These revisions have been included in the Second Interim Report that is certified Positive by the County Superintendent of Schools.

INFORMATION ITEMS

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Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Next Special Board Meeting: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.
Next Regular Board Meeting: Wednesday, January 5, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.
Both meetings will be held onsite at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626 with limited seating and via YouTube live stream.

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Item: Board Recommendations #7
December 1, 2021
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BOARD AGENDA ITEM

DATE: December 1, 2021

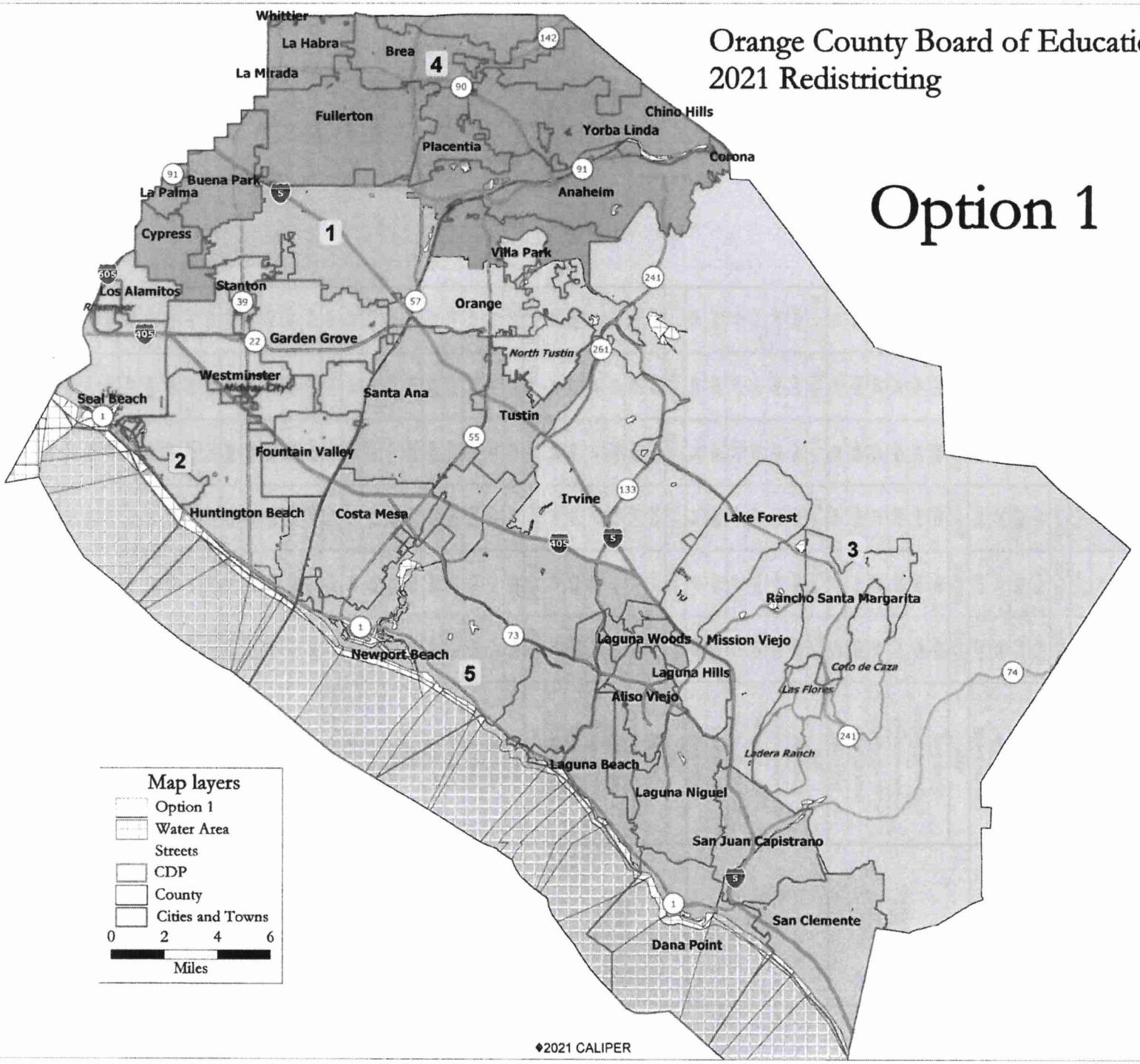
TO: Nina Boyd, Deputy Superintendent

FROM: Ken L. Williams, D.O., Board Vice President

SUBJECT: Redistricting Update

DESCRIPTION:

Redistricting update by Douglas Johnson and Greg Rolen

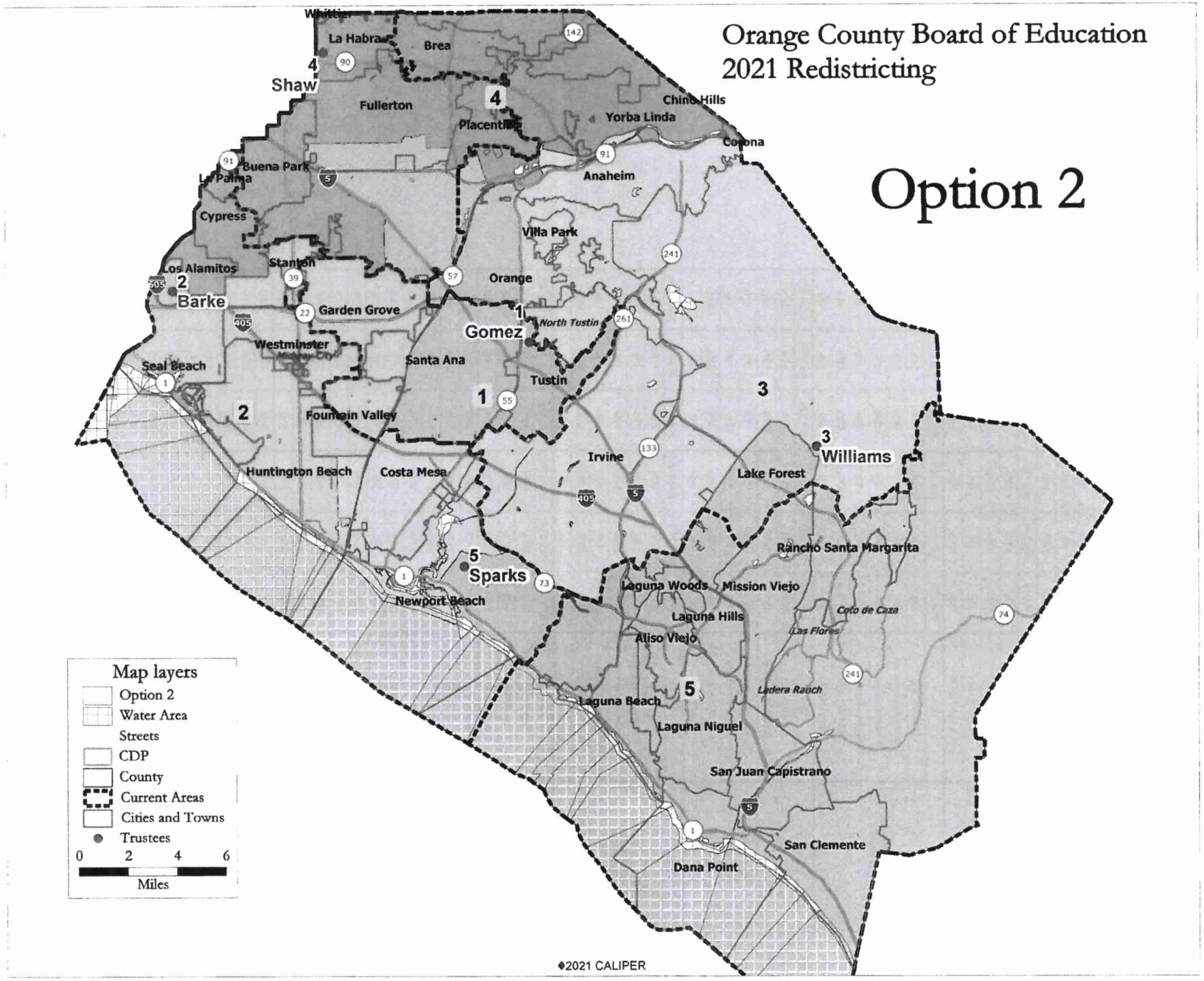

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Buena Park
La Palma
Anaheim
Cypress
Villa Park
Los Alamitos
Stanton
Orange
Garden Grove
North Tustin
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Fountain Valley
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Costa Mesa
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Laguna Woods
Mission Viejo
Newport Beach
Laguna Hills
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Option 1							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,602	638,602	638,601	638,601	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1	1	1	0	0	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	21%	34%	20%	34%
	% NH White	15%	33%	47%	34%	59%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	34%	27%	26%	16%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	438,728	406,898	416,138	451,384	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	21%	16%	26%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	43%	61%	47%	70%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	33%	20%	23%	13%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	368,076	379,315	372,610	402,309	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	15%	26%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	14%	24%	10%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	27%	13%	14%	7%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	52%	67%	56%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	309,795	334,403	319,744	354,343	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	18%	14%	25%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	16%	13%	23%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	13%	14%	7%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	54%	68%	58%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	213,040	235,932	222,833	261,291	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	16%	12%	22%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	15%	12%	20%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	21%	10%	11%	6%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	61%	73%	63%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	642,568	610,055	623,523	631,589	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	23%	26%	25%	22%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	19%	21%	24%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	34%	26%	28%	22%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	58%	58%	55%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	29%	50%	65%	58%	70%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	13%	21%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	26%	14%	15%	9%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	8%	5%	8%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	31%	25%	12%	17%	10%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	42%	42%	31%	39%	31%	37%
	bachelor	15%	22%	34%	27%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	10%	20%	14%	22%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	44%	33%	36%	35%	26%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	67%	66%	64%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	10%	11%	13%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	11%	15%	13%	15%
	income 50-75k	19%	16%	12%	15%	13%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	40%	46%	45%	41%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	11%	21%	15%	21%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	66%	73%	73%	62%	66%
	multi-family	48%	34%	27%	27%	38%	34%
	rented	57%	44%	34%	37%	44%	43%
	owned	43%	56%	66%	63%	56%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

Surname-based Voter Registration and Turnout data from the California Statewide Database.

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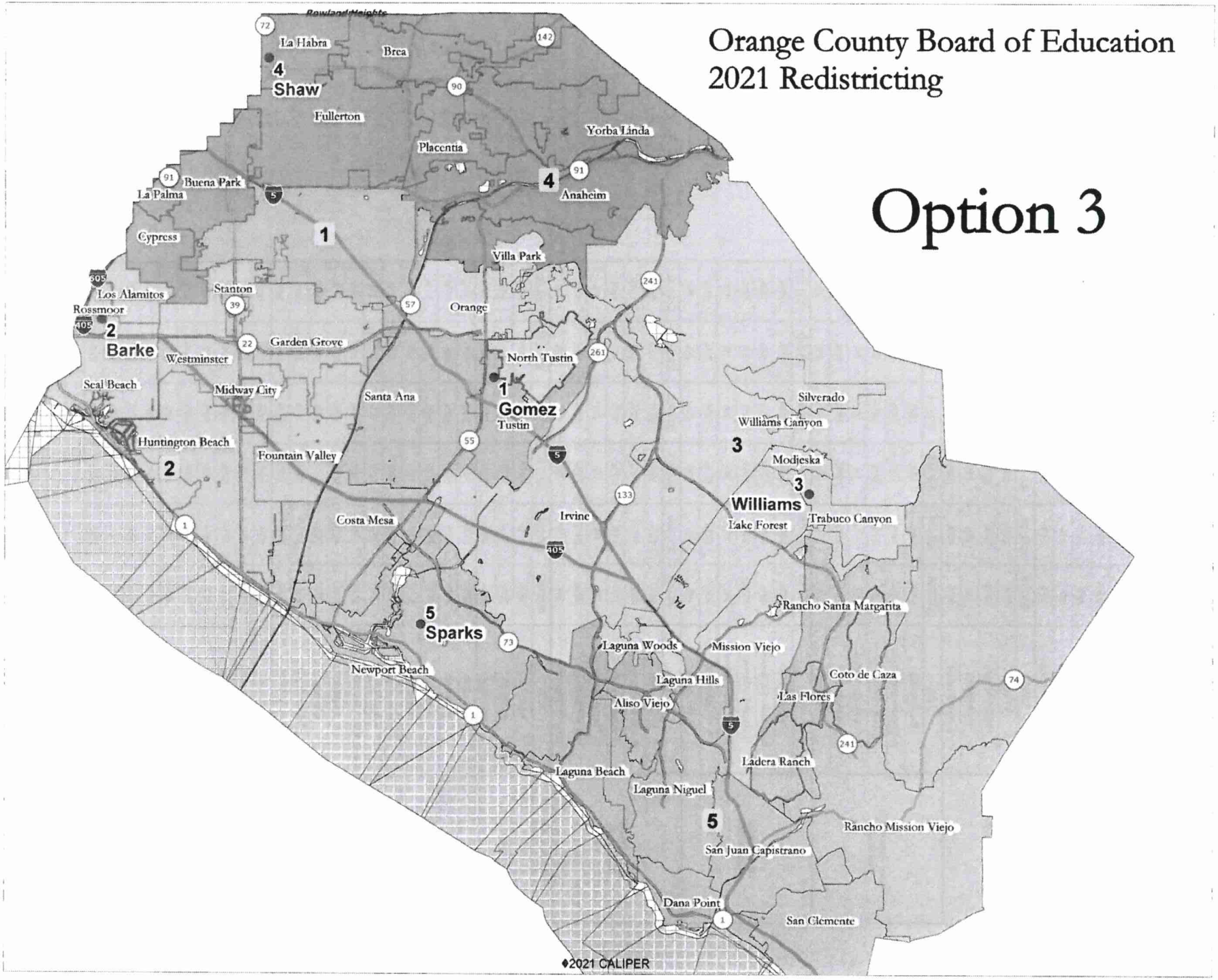

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Fullerton
Placentia
Chino Hills
Yorba Linda
Corona
Anaheim
Buena Park
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Option 2							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,601	638,602	638,601	638,602	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1		1		1	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	66.4%	30%	19%	36%	19%	34%
	% NH White	17%	32%	46%	30%	62%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	12%	34%	31%	28%	14%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,874	438,511	401,197	410,898	462,287	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	21%	15%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	31%	43%	60%	43%	72%	51%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	15%	33%	22%	25%	12%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	274,439	367,986	365,343	356,785	430,015	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	12%	26%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	9%	27%	15%	16%	6%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	37%	52%	67%	52%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	217,816	309,634	319,134	301,328	383,623	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	49%	18%	13%	26%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	16%	12%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	10%	26%	15%	15%	6%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	54%	68%	54%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	139,848	212,803	226,924	205,474	282,095	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	45%	16%	11%	24%	10%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	42%	15%	11%	22%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	8%	22%	12%	12%	5%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	44%	60%	72%	60%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	655,629	642,324	597,838	628,472	643,760	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	29%	23%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	age20-60	58%	54%	57%	55%	52%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	19%	20%	25%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	37%	34%	29%	30%	20%	30%
	naturalized	39%	66%	54%	56%	63%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	32%	49%	61%	55%	75%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	13%	23%	11%	25%
	asian-lang	8%	26%	17%	17%	7%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	9%	5%	7%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	30%	25%	13%	19%	8%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	41%	42%	29%	41%	32%	37%
	bachelor	16%	21%	34%	25%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	7%	10%	23%	13%	20%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	42%	33%	31%	36%	30%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	65%	65%	65%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	14%	15%	12%	12%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	11%	16%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	20%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	40%	41%	44%	44%	43%	43%
	income 200k-plus	7%	11%	21%	13%	23%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	54%	67%	63%	67%	74%	66%
	multi-family	46%	33%	37%	33%	26%	34%
	rented	56%	44%	45%	42%	30%	43%
	owned	44%	56%	55%	58%	70%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

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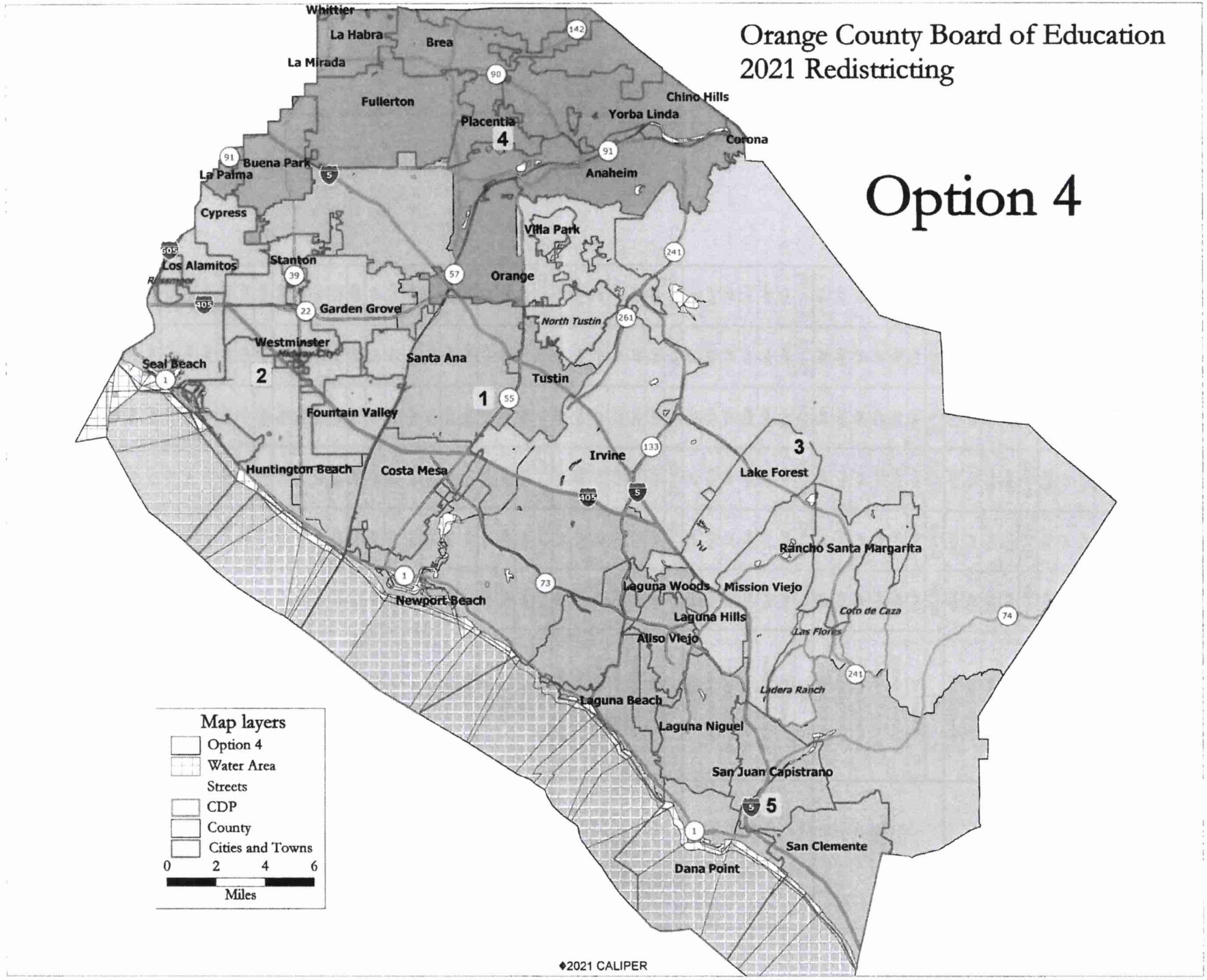

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La Habra
Brea
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Shaw
Fullerton
Placentia
Yorba Linda
Buena Park
La Palma
4
Anaheim
Cypress
1
Villa Park
Los Alamitos
Stanton
Orange
Rossmoor
2
Barke
Garden Grove
Westminster
North Tustin
1
Gomez
Tustin
Seal Beach
Midway City
Santa Ana
Silverado
Williams Canyon
Huntington Beach
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Fountain Valley
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Modjeska
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Williams
Irvine
Lake Forest
Trabuco Canyon
Costa Mesa
Rancho Santa Margarita
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Sparks
Laguna Woods
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Newport Beach
Laguna Hills
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Aliso Viejo
Las Flores
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Option 3							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,602	638,602	638,601	638,601	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1	1	1			2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	20%	34%	21%	34%
	% NH White	15%	33%	43%	34%	63%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	34%	32%	26%	12%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	438,728	403,651	416,138	454,630	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	21%	16%	26%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	43%	58%	47%	73%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	33%	23%	23%	10%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	368,076	362,415	372,610	419,209	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	15%	26%	12%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	13%	24%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	27%	16%	14%	5%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	52%	65%	56%	80%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	309,795	316,806	319,744	371,940	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	18%	14%	25%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	16%	13%	23%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	15%	14%	5%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	54%	67%	58%	81%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	213,040	225,393	222,833	271,830	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	16%	12%	22%	10%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	15%	11%	20%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	21%	12%	11%	4%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	61%	71%	63%	83%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	642,568	603,794	623,523	637,850	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	23%	24%	25%	24%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	21%	21%	22%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	34%	30%	28%	19%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	55%	58%	59%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	29%	50%	60%	58%	75%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	12%	21%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	26%	18%	15%	5%	15%
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Child in Household	child-under18	44%	33%	32%	35%	30%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	64%	66%	67%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	13%	11%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	19%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	40%	45%	45%	42%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	11%	19%	15%	24%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	66%	66%	73%	69%	66%
	multi-family	48%	34%	34%	27%	31%	34%
	rented	57%	44%	40%	37%	38%	43%
	owned	43%	56%	60%	63%	62%	57%

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La Palma
Anaheim
Cypress
Villa Park
Los Alamitos
Stanton
Orange
Garden Grove
North Tustin
Westminster
Seal Beach
Santa Ana
Tustin
Fountain Valley
Irvine
Lake Forest
Huntington Beach
Costa Mesa
Rancho Santa Margarita
Laguna Woods
Mission Viejo
Newport Beach
Laguna Hills
Coto de Caza
Las Flores
Aliso Viejo
Ladera Ranch
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Option 4							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	639,794	638,653	638,150	638,964	637,445	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	1,193	52	-451	363	-1,156	2,349
	% Deviation	0.19%	0.01%	-0.07%	0.06%	-0.18%	0.37%
Total Pop	% Hisp	66.7%	28%	18%	37%	20%	34%
	% NH White	14%	32%	47%	34%	60%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	35%	30%	24%	15%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	342,939	437,073	411,075	418,049	448,630	2,057,766
	% Hisp	52%	20%	14%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	26%	43%	61%	47%	71%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	19%	33%	22%	21%	12%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	269,996	370,488	384,230	361,972	407,882	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	54%	19%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	49%	17%	12%	26%	10%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	27%	14%	13%	7%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	32%	52%	68%	56%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	210,179	312,193	339,319	309,345	360,499	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	51%	17%	13%	26%	10%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	47%	16%	12%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	14%	13%	6%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	33%	54%	69%	57%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	131,117	213,708	241,453	215,193	265,673	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	48%	16%	11%	23%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	15%	11%	22%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	22%	11%	10%	5%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	37%	60%	73%	63%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	664,058	640,123	620,773	624,547	618,521	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	29%	23%	26%	25%	22%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	56%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	20%	20%	25%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	34%	27%	28%	21%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	59%	56%	56%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	28%	51%	65%	58%	72%	54%
	spanish	58%	19%	11%	24%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	27%	16%	14%	8%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	9%	5%	7%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	32%	24%	12%	17%	9%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	42%	42%	30%	40%	32%	37%
	bachelor	15%	22%	35%	26%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	11%	21%	13%	21%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	44%	33%	37%	35%	26%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	67%	66%	64%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	9%	11%	13%	13%
	income 25-50k	21%	17%	10%	15%	13%	15%
	income 50-75k	20%	15%	11%	16%	13%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	41%	47%	45%	41%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	12%	23%	13%	21%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	68%	74%	70%	63%	66%
	multi-family	48%	32%	26%	30%	37%	34%
	rented	58%	43%	33%	40%	43%	43%
	owned	42%	57%	67%	60%	57%	57%

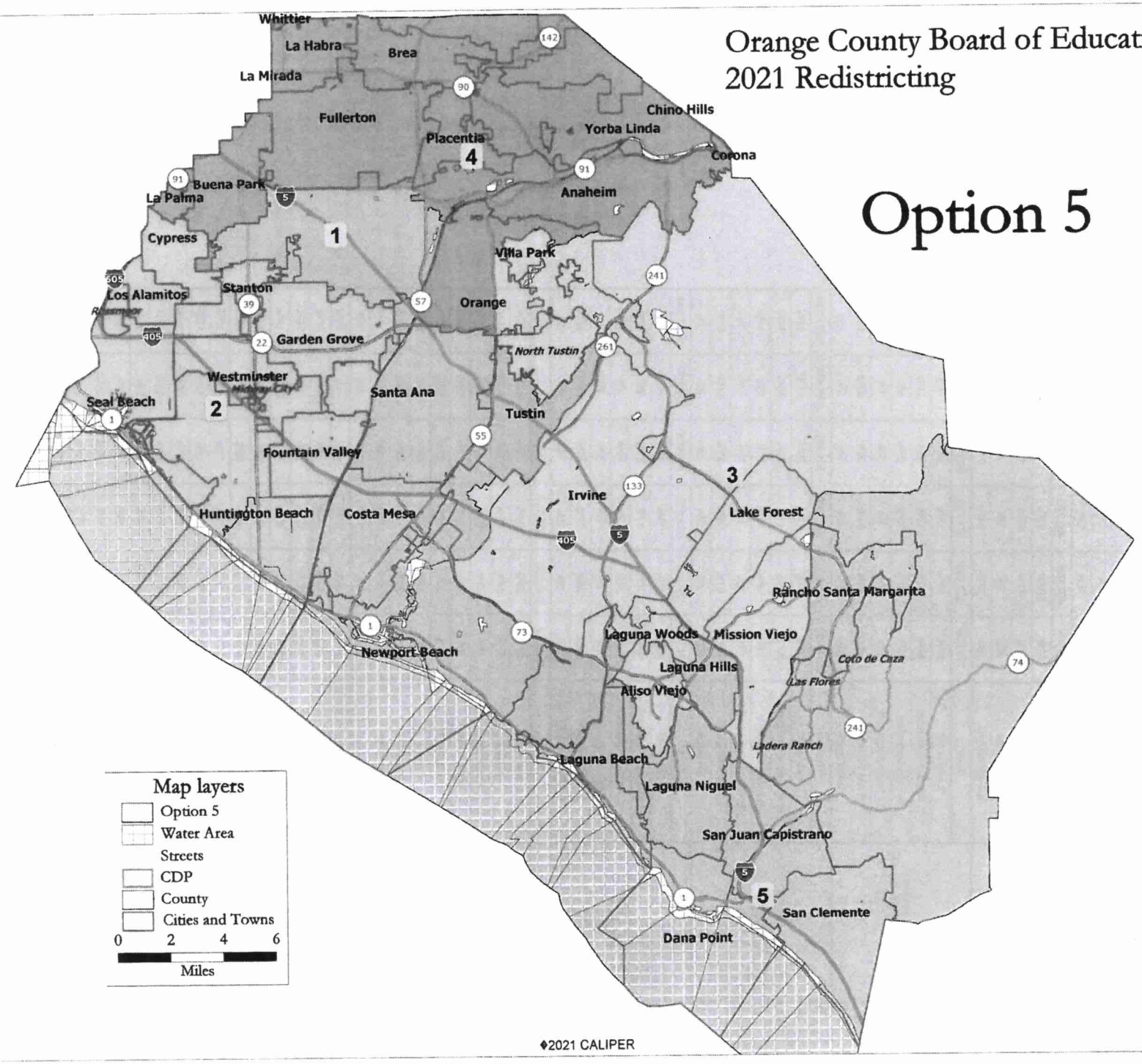
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District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,602	638,601	638,601	638,602	3,193,006
	Deviation from Ideal	-1	1			1	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	17%	37%	21%	34%
	% NH White	15%	30%	45%	34%	63%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	36%	32%	24%	11%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	432,683	403,750	415,852	460,862	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	22%	14%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	41%	60%	47%	74%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	34%	24%	21%	10%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	362,436	371,403	363,946	424,525	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	20%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	19%	12%	25%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	28%	16%	13%	5%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	49%	67%	56%	80%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	303,976	326,449	311,365	376,495	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	19%	12%	26%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	17%	11%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	28%	15%	13%	5%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	51%	68%	58%	81%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	206,918	234,383	216,928	274,867	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	17%	11%	23%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	16%	11%	21%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	23%	12%	10%	4%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	58%	72%	63%	84%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	643,050	602,064	624,048	638,572	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	24%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	21%	20%	23%	20%
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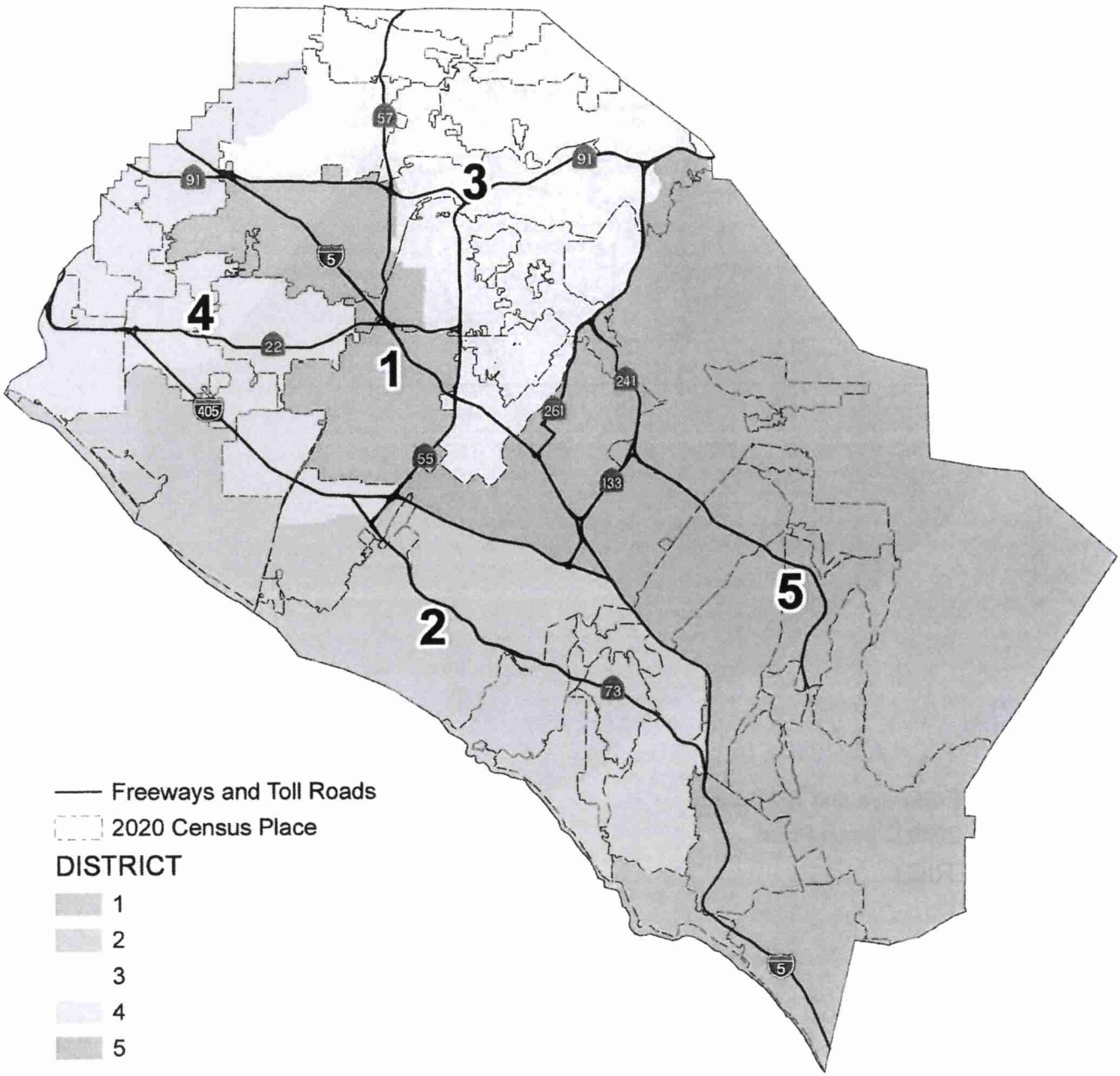
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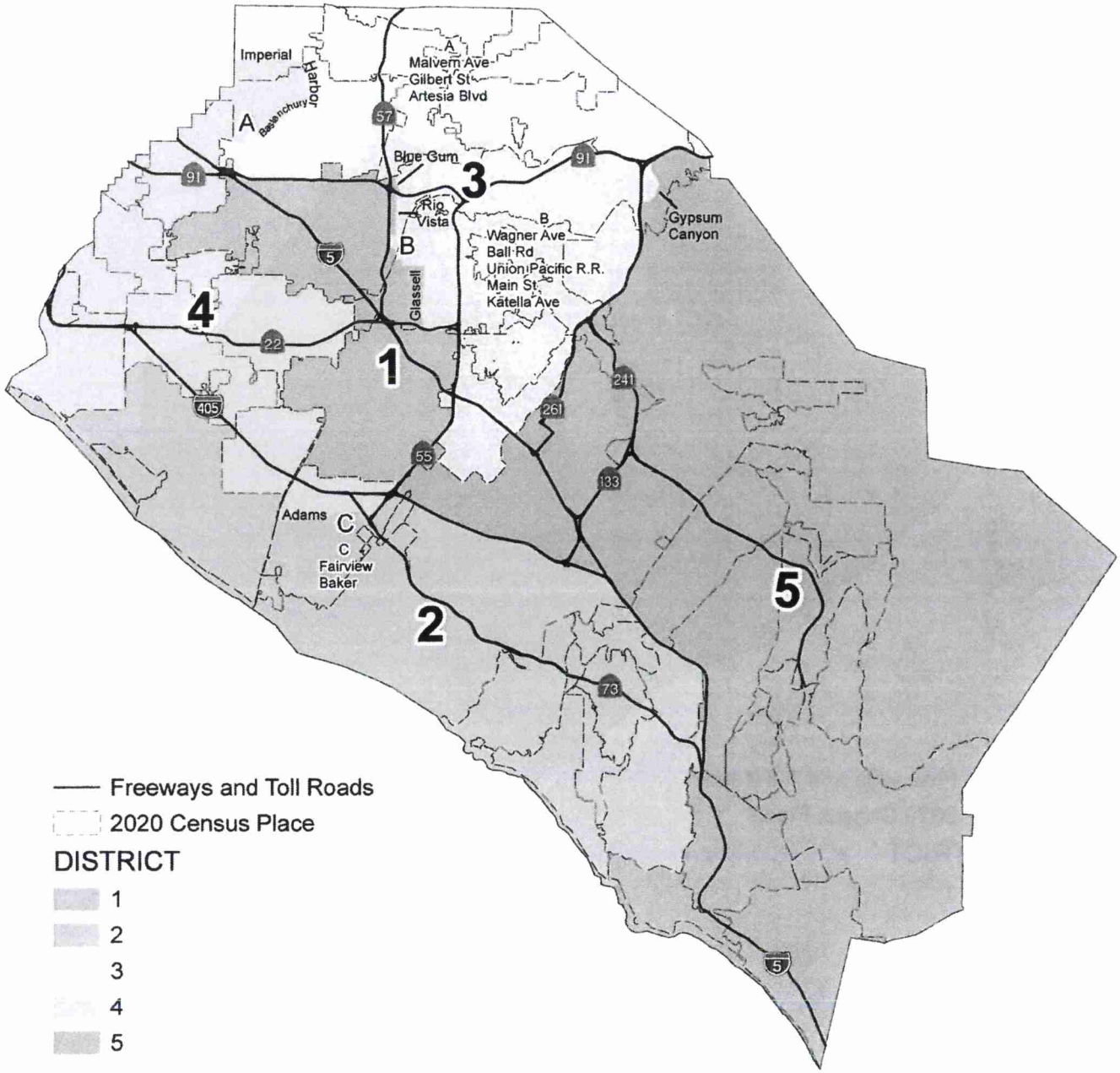
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Proposal 2 Map (Annotated)



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Table 1. Adjusted 2020 Census Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	634,905	431,360	83,791	11,246	1,120	92,057	1,981	2,323	11,027
	100.0%	67.9%	13.2%	1.8%	0.2%	14.5%	0.3%	0.4%	1.7%
2	638,698	124,451	373,482	8,653	1,017	91,998	1,203	3,721	34,173
	100.0%	19.5%	58.5%	1.4%	0.2%	14.4%	0.2%	0.6%	5.4%
3	641,120	232,229	250,599	10,714	1,198	116,578	1,083	3,162	25,557
	100.0%	36.2%	39.1%	1.7%	0.2%	18.2%	0.2%	0.5%	4.0%
4	632,903	189,327	163,660	10,423	985	243,208	2,601	2,532	20,167
	100.0%	29.9%	25.9%	1.6%	0.2%	38.4%	0.4%	0.4%	3.2%
5	645,384	112,914	328,596	8,907	1,005	155,426	869	3,349	34,318
	100.0%	17.5%	50.9%	1.4%	0.2%	24.1%	0.1%	0.5%	5.3%
COUNTY TOTAL	3,193,010	1,090,281	1,200,128	49,943	5,325	699,267	7,737	15,087	125,242
	100.0%	34.1%	37.6%	1.6%	0.2%	21.9%	0.2%	0.5%	3.9%

Table 2. Difference from 2021 Target Supervisorial District Population of 638,602

District	Number	Percent
1	-3,697	-0.58%
2	96	0.02%
3	2,518	0.39%
4	-5,699	-0.89%
5	6,782	1.06%

Percentage Spread (Largest - Smallest)
1.95%

Split Cities/Census Designated Places (CDPs) -

Anaheim (3)
Costa Mesa (2)
Fullerton (2)
Garden Grove (2)
Irvine (2)
La Habra (2)
Orange (3)
Santa Ana (2)
Seal Beach (2)
Stanton (2)
Yorba Linda (2)

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Number in ( ) indicates number of Supervisorial Districts the city/CDP falls within.

The U.S. Census Bureau misassigned three (3) census blocks to the City of Tustin that are actually in the City of Santa Ana with a total of 260 population.

Submitted plan does not include assignment of three blocks that are in Santa Ana but Census Bureau misassigned to City of Tustin.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 3. Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race/Ethnicity, 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates

District	Total Estimated CVAP	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	342,565	182,618	82,028	8,680	549	61,589	1,684	3,754
	100.0%	53.6%	24.1%	2.5%	0.2%	18.1%	0.5%	1.1%
2	461,397	65,499	317,620	7,136	1,007	56,548	937	11,736
	100.0%	14.2%	69.0%	1.5%	0.2%	12.3%	0.2%	2.5%
3	425,307	115,067	224,984	8,587	594	66,803	681	7,897
	100.0%	27.1%	53.0%	2.0%	0.1%	15.7%	0.2%	1.9%
4	423,111	91,915	155,251	8,794	917	155,464	1,650	8,430
	100.0%	21.8%	36.8%	2.1%	0.2%	36.8%	0.4%	2.0%
5	413,296	55,816	266,678	6,358	866	70,988	615	11,236
	100.0%	13.5%	64.6%	1.5%	0.2%	17.2%	0.1%	2.7%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,065,676	510,915	1,046,561	39,555	3,933	411,392	5,567	43,053
	100.0%	24.8%	50.8%	1.9%	0.2%	20.0%	0.3%	2.1%

Source: Statewide Database 2015-2019 Citizen Voting Age Population, adjusted to reflect reallocated incarcerated persons, on 2020 Census Blocks, Revised 9/27/2021 https://statewidedatabase.org/redistricting2021/counties.html

Notes: Percentages are calculated from sum of individual categories, not Total Estimated CVAP.

Because this is a special tabulation of data and not part of the standard data products shown on the Census Bureau's data.census.gov website, these estimates are rounded. Therefore, individual categories may not exactly add to the total.

For example, the sum of each of the race groups for non-Hispanics may not be the same as the estimate given for non-Hispanics. These estimates will not match counts from the 2020 Census.

The original data source for the Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) is the American Community Survey (ACS). The ACS is an ongoing survey by the U.S. Census Bureau sent to approximately 250,000 households each month.

The ACS estimates used to develop these data were collected from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2019 utilizing the 2010 Census block groups, which were disaggregated to the 2020 Census blocks by the Statewide Database.

For more information about the CVAP products, visit https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/about/voting-rights/cvap.html and

https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial/rdo/technical-documentation/special-tabulation/CVAP_2015-2019_ACS_documentation.pdf

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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	278,540	43.9%
Garden Grove*	146	0.0%
Orange*	34,238	5.4%
Santa Ana*	311,106	49.0%
Stanton*	0	0.0%
Unincorporated	10,875	1.7%
District 1 Total	**634,905**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	8.2%
Costa Mesa*	79,591	12.5%
Huntington Beach	199,033	31.2%
Irvine*	83,954	13.1%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.6%
Laguna Hills	31,399	4.9%
Laguna Niguel	64,417	10.1%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.8%
Newport Beach	85,338	13.4%
Seal Beach*	0	0.0%
Unincorporated	2,025	0.3%
District 2 Total	**638,698**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	69,213	10.8%
Brea	47,397	7.4%
Fullerton*	119,847	18.7%
La Habra*	55,069	8.6%
North Tustin CDP	25,749	4.0%
Orange*	105,953	16.5%
Placentia	51,925	8.1%
Santa Ana*	287	0.0%
Tustin	80,412	12.5%
Unincorporated	11,003	1.7%
Villa Park	5,850	0.9%
Yorba Linda*	68,415	10.7%
District 3 Total	**641,120**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 4

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Buena Park	84,187	13.3%
Costa Mesa*	32,548	5.1%
Cypress	50,235	7.9%
Fountain Valley	57,120	9.0%
Fullerton*	24,083	3.8%
Garden Grove*	172,200	27.2%
La Habra*	8,165	1.3%
La Palma	15,597	2.5%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
Midway City CDP	8,845	1.4%
Rossmoor CDP	10,634	1.7%
Seal Beach*	25,283	4.0%
Stanton*	38,067	6.0%
Unincorporated	3,061	0.5%
Westminster	91,083	14.4%
District 4 Total	**632,903**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	0	0.0%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.3%
Dana Point	33,144	5.1%
Irvine*	224,004	34.7%
Ladera Ranch CDP	26,188	4.1%
Lake Forest	85,965	13.3%
Las Flores CDP	6,004	0.9%
Mission Viejo	93,760	14.5%
Modjeska CDP	632	0.1%
Orange*	0	0.0%
Rancho Mission Viejo CDP	10,385	1.6%
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,000	7.4%
San Clemente	64,384	10.0%
San Juan Capistrano	35,271	5.5%
Silverado CDP	932	0.1%
Trabuco Canyon CDP	1,020	0.2%
Unincorporated	879	0.1%
Williams Canyon CDP	93	0.0%
Yorba Linda*	0	0.0%
District 5 Total	**645,384**	**100.0%**

*City split by proposed district.

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Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

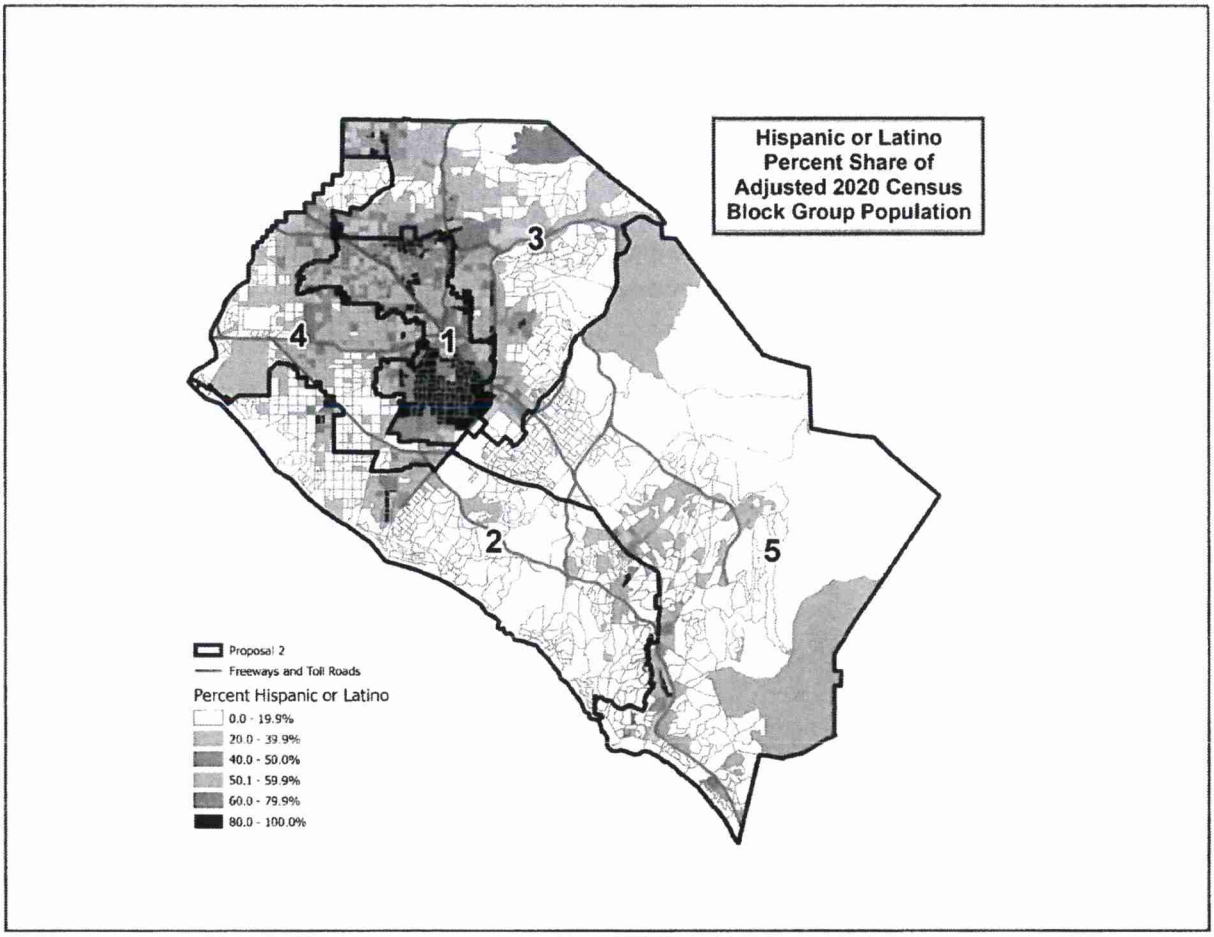
District	Total Population 18 and Over	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	484,785	310,108	75,022	9,407	908	78,268	1,600	1,585	7,887
	100.0%	64.0%	15.5%	1.9%	0.2%	16.1%	0.3%	0.3%	1.6%
2	528,793	93,517	321,440	7,613	920	78,241	957	2,855	23,250
	100.0%	17.7%	60.8%	1.4%	0.2%	14.8%	0.2%	0.5%	4.4%
3	504,530	166,966	214,108	8,885	1,033	93,976	868	2,326	16,368
	100.0%	33.1%	42.4%	1.8%	0.2%	18.6%	0.2%	0.5%	3.2%
4	505,416	136,436	142,868	8,442	841	199,637	2,064	1,906	13,222
	100.0%	27.0%	28.3%	1.7%	0.2%	39.5%	0.4%	0.4%	2.6%
5	502,155	80,490	269,965	7,120	800	119,741	715	2,458	20,866
	100.0%	16.0%	53.8%	1.4%	0.2%	23.8%	0.1%	0.5%	4.2%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,525,679	787,517	1,023,403	41,467	4,502	569,863	6,204	11,130	81,593
	100.0%	31.2%	40.5%	1.6%	0.2%	22.6%	0.2%	0.4%	3.2%

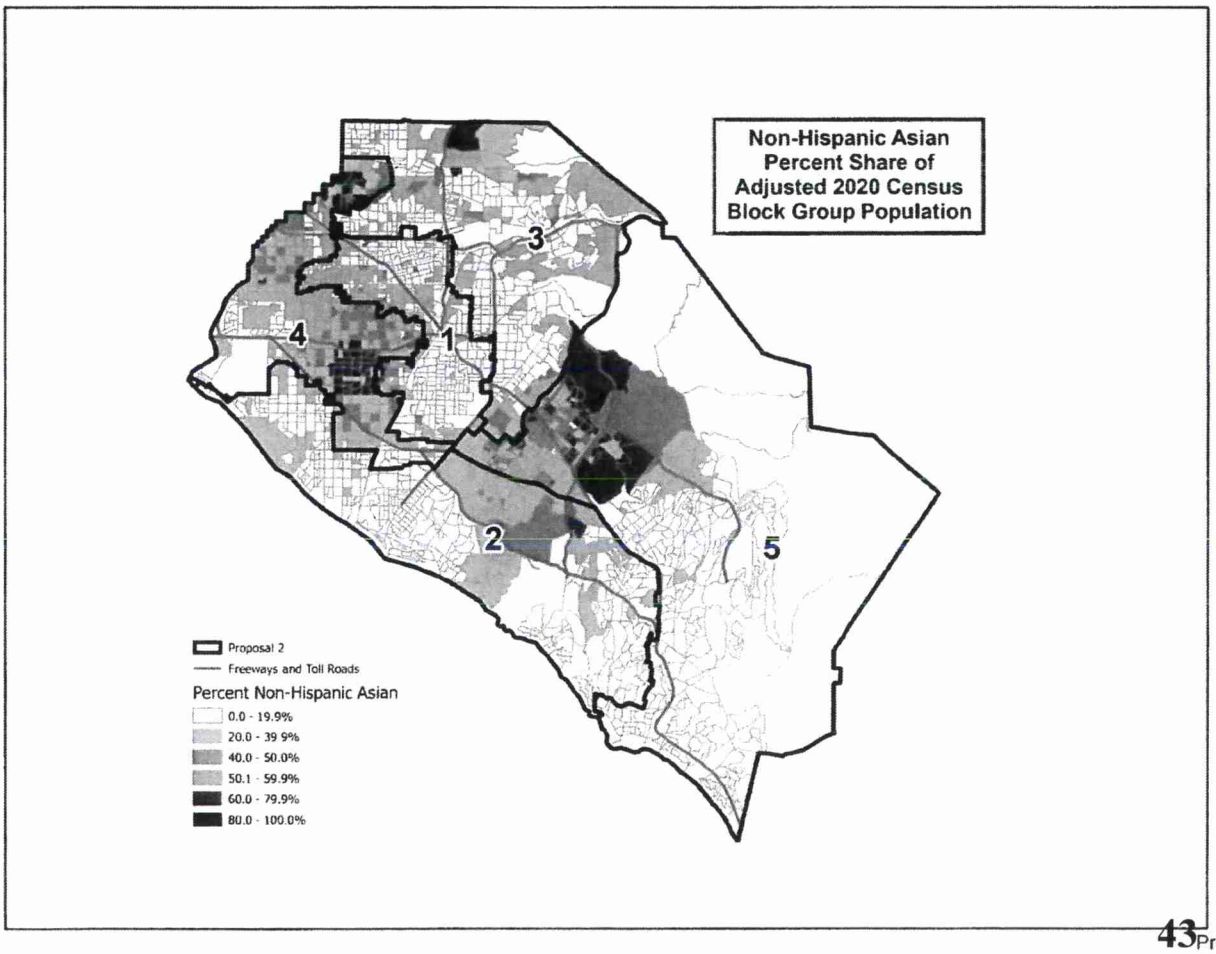
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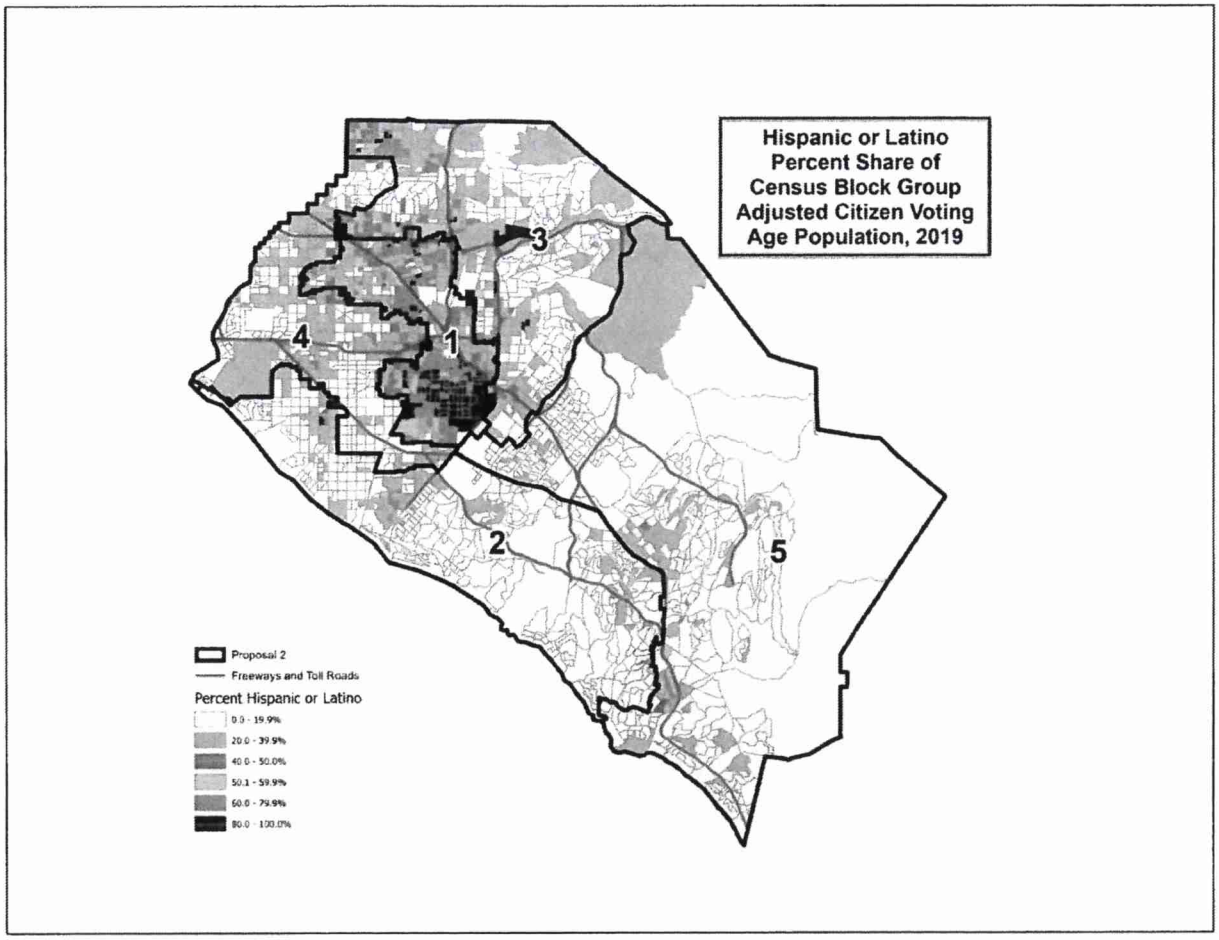
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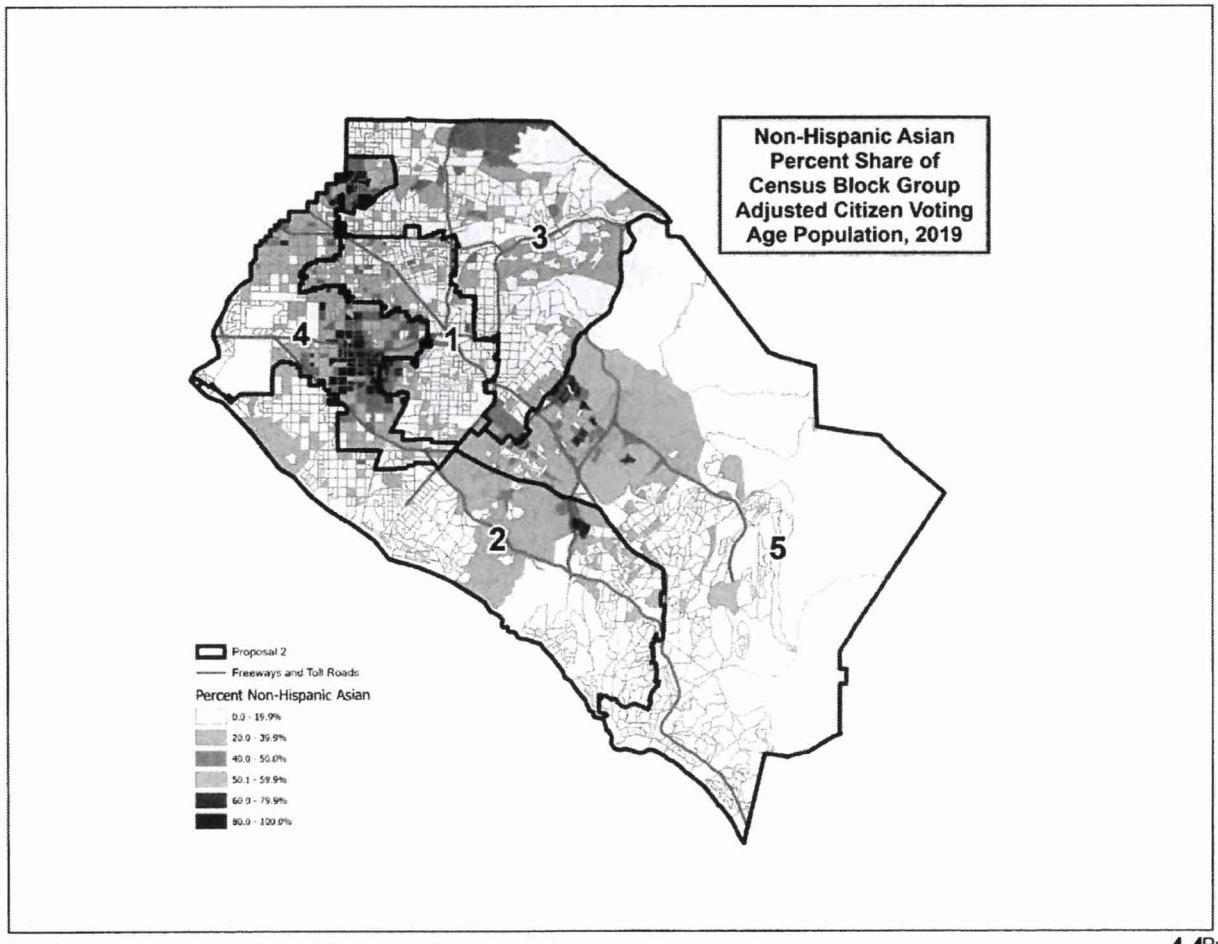
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Hispanic or Latino
Percent Share of
Adjusted 2020 Census
Block Group Population
3
4
1
2
5
Proposal 2
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Hispanic or Latino
0.0 - 19.9%
20.0 - 39.9%
40.0 - 50.0%
50.1 - 59.9%
60.0 - 79.9%
80.0 - 100.0%

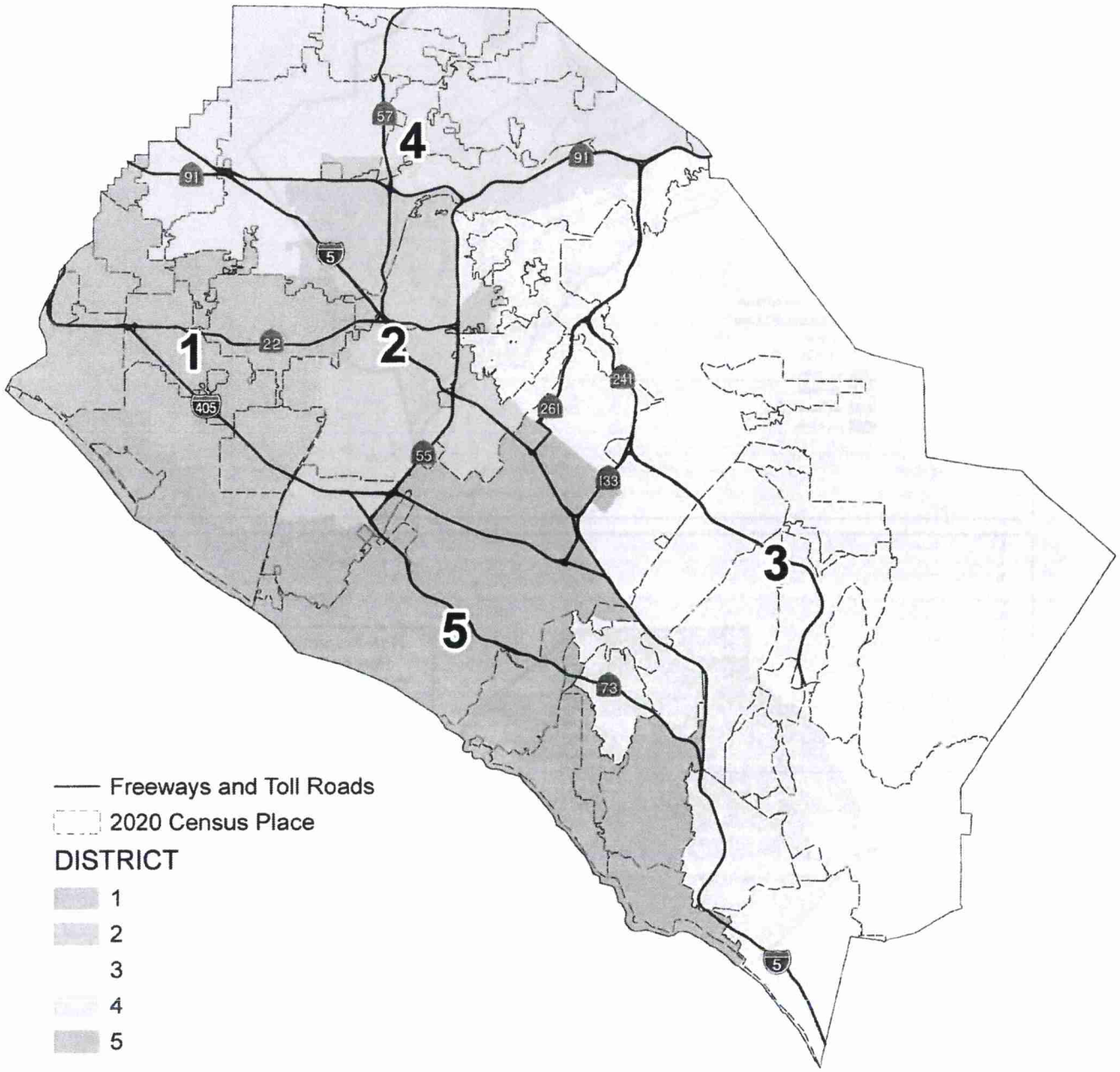

Non-Hispanic Asian
Percent Share of
Adjusted 2020 Census
Block Group Population
3
4
1
2
5
Proposal 2
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Non-Hispanic Asian
0.0 - 19.9%
20.0 - 39.9%
40.0 - 50.0%
50.1 - 59.9%
60.0 - 79.9%
80.0 - 100.0%


Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Census Block Group Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population, 2019
3
4
1
2
5
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Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Hispanic or Latino
0.0 - 19.9%
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50.1 - 59.9%
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Non-Hispanic Asian Percent Share of Census Block Group Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population, 2019
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Proposal 2
Freeways and Toll Roads
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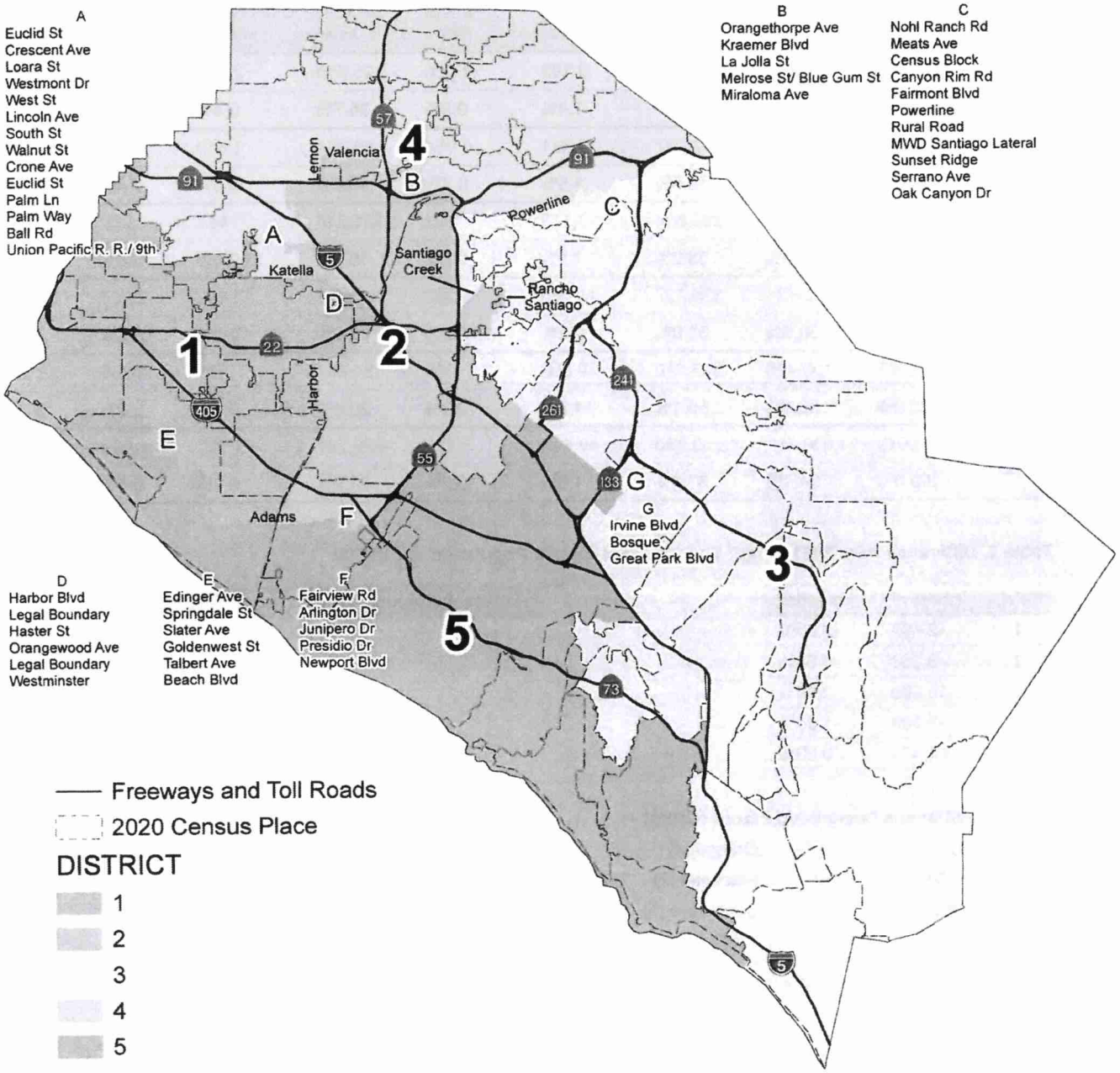
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Proposal 4 Map



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Table 1. Adjusted 2020 Census Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	635,005	196,245	175,380	9,193	1,030	226,918	2,594	2,603	21,042
	100.0%	30.9%	27.6%	1.4%	0.2%	35.7%	0.4%	0.4%	3.3%
2	633,244	418,822	117,297	9,271	1,084	68,474	1,619	2,474	14,203
	100.0%	66.1%	18.5%	1.5%	0.2%	10.8%	0.3%	0.4%	2.2%
3	654,625	126,037	359,804	7,718	983	121,316	961	3,208	34,598
	100.0%	19.3%	55.0%	1.2%	0.2%	18.5%	0.1%	0.5%	5.3%
4	630,063	242,771	195,137	14,165	1,260	150,712	1,642	2,966	21,410
	100.0%	38.5%	31.0%	2.2%	0.2%	23.9%	0.3%	0.5%	3.4%
5	640,073	106,406	352,510	9,596	968	131,847	921	3,836	33,989
	100.0%	16.6%	55.1%	1.5%	0.2%	20.6%	0.1%	0.6%	5.3%
COUNTY TOTAL	3,193,010	1,090,281	1,200,128	49,943	5,325	699,267	7,737	15,087	125,242
	100.0%	34.1%	37.6%	1.6%	0.2%	21.9%	0.2%	0.5%	3.9%

Table 2. Difference from 2021 Target Supervisorial District Population of 638,602

District	Number	Percent
1	-3,597	-0.56%
2	-5,358	-0.84%
3	16,023	2.51%
4	-8,539	-1.34%
5	1,471	0.23%

Percentage Spread (Largest - Smallest)
3.85%

Split Cities/Census Designated Places (CDPs) -

Anaheim (4)
Costa Mesa (2)
Fountain Valley (2)
Fullerton (2)
Garden Grove (2)
Huntington Beach (2)
Irvine (3)
Laguna Hills (2)
Orange (4)
Placentia (2)
Santa Ana (2)
Tustin (2)
Yorba Linda (2)

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Number in ( ) indicates number of Supervisorial Districts the city/CDP falls within.

The U.S. Census Bureau misassigned three (3) census blocks to the City of Tustin that are actually in the City of Santa Ana with a total of 260 population. Since the effected area is fully assigned to District 2, no splits are created and no correction is necessary.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 3. Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race/Ethnicity, 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates

District	Total Estimated CVAP	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	429,926	98,017	163,452	7,460	1,154	148,465	1,293	8,840
	100.0%	22.9%	38.1%	1.7%	0.3%	34.6%	0.3%	2.1%
2	345,019	175,986	109,667	7,310	619	44,633	1,427	4,474
	100.0%	51.1%	31.9%	2.1%	0.2%	13.0%	0.4%	1.3%
3	441,353	63,641	295,094	6,436	901	63,864	553	10,331
	100.0%	14.4%	66.9%	1.5%	0.2%	14.5%	0.1%	2.3%
4	406,401	118,277	178,546	11,918	738	86,844	1,493	7,716
	100.0%	29.2%	44.0%	2.9%	0.2%	21.4%	0.4%	1.9%
5	442,977	54,994	299,802	6,431	521	67,586	801	11,692
	100.0%	12.4%	67.9%	1.5%	0.1%	15.3%	0.2%	2.6%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,065,676	510,915	1,046,561	39,555	3,933	411,392	5,567	43,053
	100.0%	24.8%	50.8%	1.9%	0.2%	20.0%	0.3%	2.1%

Source: Statewide Database 2015-2019 Citizen Voting Age Population, adjusted to reflect reallocated incarcerated persons, on 2020 Census Blocks, Revised 9/27/2021 https://statewidedatabase.org/redistricting2021/counties.html

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For more information about the CVAP products, visit https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/about/voting-rights/cvap.html and

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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	14,358	2.3%
Cypress	50,235	7.9%
Fountain Valley*	56,898	9.0%
Garden Grove*	169,358	26.7%
Huntington Beach*	84,495	13.3%
La Palma	15,597	2.5%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
Midway City CDP	8,845	1.4%
Orange*	8,000	1.3%
Rossmoor CDP	10,634	1.7%
Santa Ana*	37,277	5.9%
Seal Beach	25,283	4.0%
Stanton	38,067	6.0%
Unincorporated	13,080	2.1%
Westminster	91,083	14.3%
District 1 Total	**635,005**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	148,154	23.4%
Costa Mesa*	37,161	5.9%
Fountain Valley*	222	0.0%
Fullerton*	2,101	0.3%
Garden Grove*	2,988	0.5%
Irvine*	0	0.0%
Orange*	91,158	14.4%
Placentia*	4,811	0.8%
Santa Ana*	274,116	43.3%
Tustin*	68,280	10.8%
Unincorporated	4,253	0.7%
District 2 Total	**633,244**	**100.0%**

*City split by proposed district.

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DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	8.0%
Anaheim*	11,710	1.8%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.2%
Irvine*	68,622	10.5%
Ladera Ranch CDP	26,188	4.0%
Laguna Hills*	28,163	4.3%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.7%
Lake Forest	85,965	13.1%
Las Flores CDP	6,004	0.9%
Mission Viejo	93,760	14.3%
Modjeska CDP	632	0.1%
North Tustin CDP	25,749	3.9%
Orange*	40,903	6.2%
Rancho Mission Viejo CDP	10,385	1.6%
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,000	7.3%
San Clemente	64,384	9.8%
San Juan Capistrano	35,271	5.4%
Silverado CDP	932	0.1%
Trabuco Canyon CDP	1,020	0.2%
Tustin*	12,132	1.9%
Unincorporated	4,259	0.7%
Villa Park	5,850	0.9%
Williams Canyon CDP	93	0.0%
Yorba Linda*	0	0.0%
District 3 Total	**654,625**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 4

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	173,531	27.5%
Brea	47,397	7.5%
Buena Park	84,187	13.4%
Fullerton*	141,829	22.5%
La Habra	63,234	10.0%
Orange*	130	0.0%
Placentia*	47,114	7.5%
Unincorporated	4,226	0.7%
Yorba Linda*	68,415	10.9%
District 4 Total	**630,063**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Costa Mesa*	74,978	11.7%
Dana Point	33,144	5.2%
Huntington Beach*	114,538	17.9%
Irvine*	239,336	37.4%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.6%
Laguna Hills*	3,236	0.5%
Laguna Niguel	64,417	10.1%
Newport Beach	85,338	13.3%
Unincorporated	2,025	0.3%
District 5 Total	**640,073**	**100.0%**

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

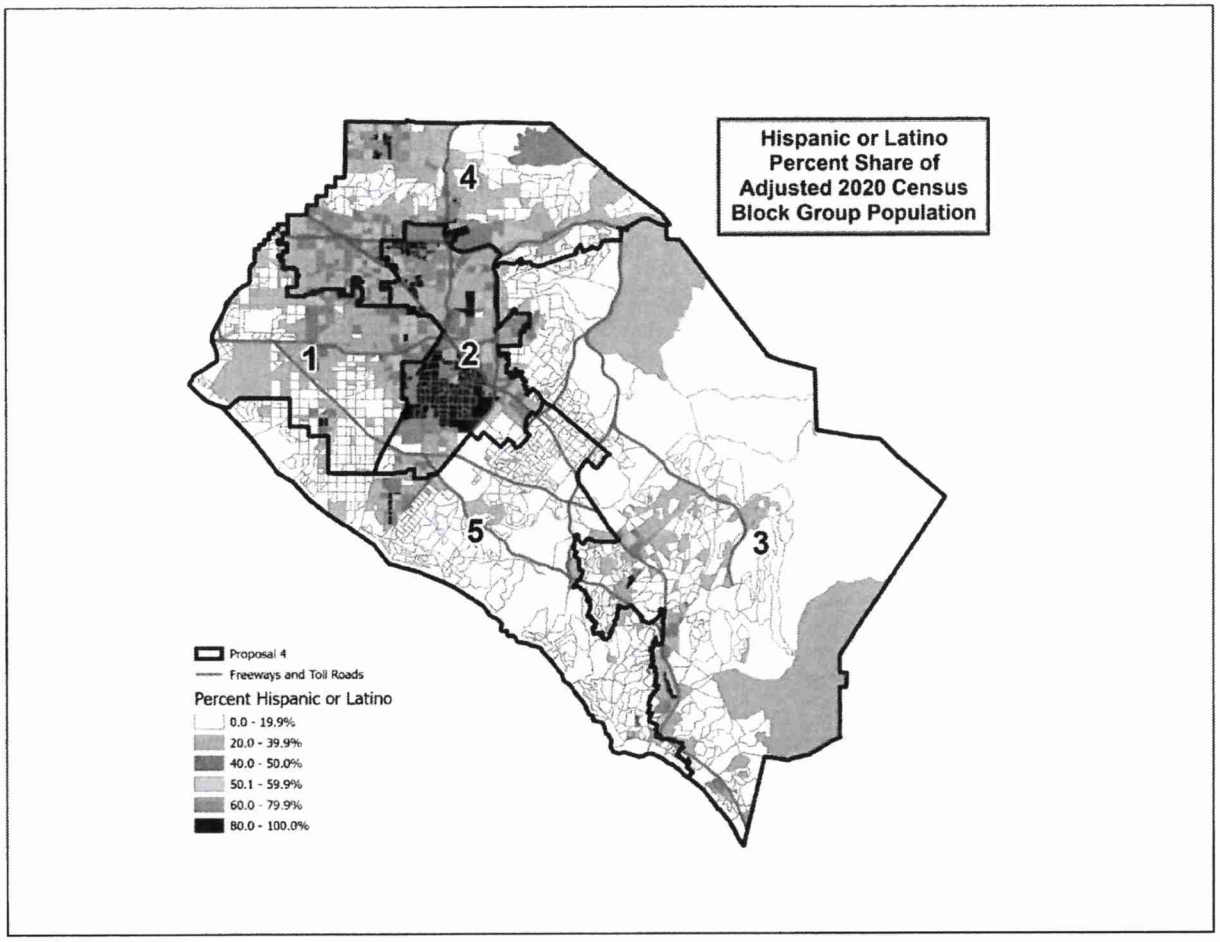
District	Total Population 18 and Over	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	508,070	142,393	152,402	7,553	864	186,981	2,079	1,972	13,826
	100.0%	28.0%	30.0%	1.5%	0.2%	36.8%	0.4%	0.4%	2.7%
2	483,331	300,144	103,400	7,790	917	58,106	1,275	1,727	9,972
	100.0%	62.1%	21.4%	1.6%	0.2%	12.0%	0.3%	0.4%	2.1%
3	512,963	89,719	296,966	6,420	827	95,063	772	2,330	20,866
	100.0%	17.5%	57.9%	1.3%	0.2%	18.5%	0.2%	0.5%	4.1%
4	495,273	174,472	167,945	11,617	1,073	122,730	1,337	2,159	13,940
	100.0%	35.2%	33.9%	2.3%	0.2%	24.8%	0.3%	0.4%	2.8%
5	526,042	80,789	302,690	8,087	821	106,983	741	2,942	22,989
	100.0%	15.4%	57.5%	1.5%	0.2%	20.3%	0.1%	0.6%	4.4%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,525,679	787,517	1,023,403	41,467	4,502	569,863	6,204	11,130	81,593
	100.0%	31.2%	40.5%	1.6%	0.2%	22.6%	0.2%	0.4%	3.2%

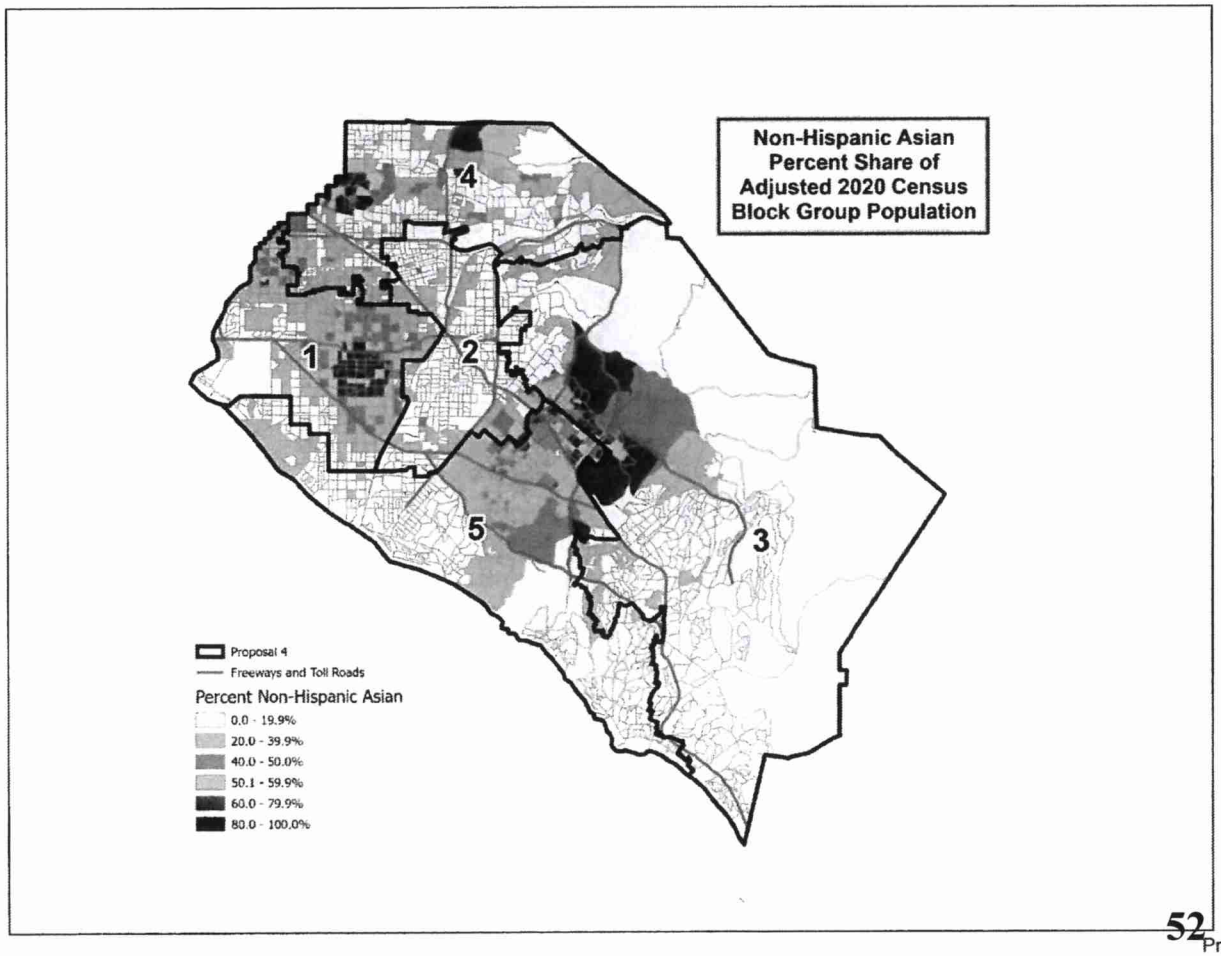
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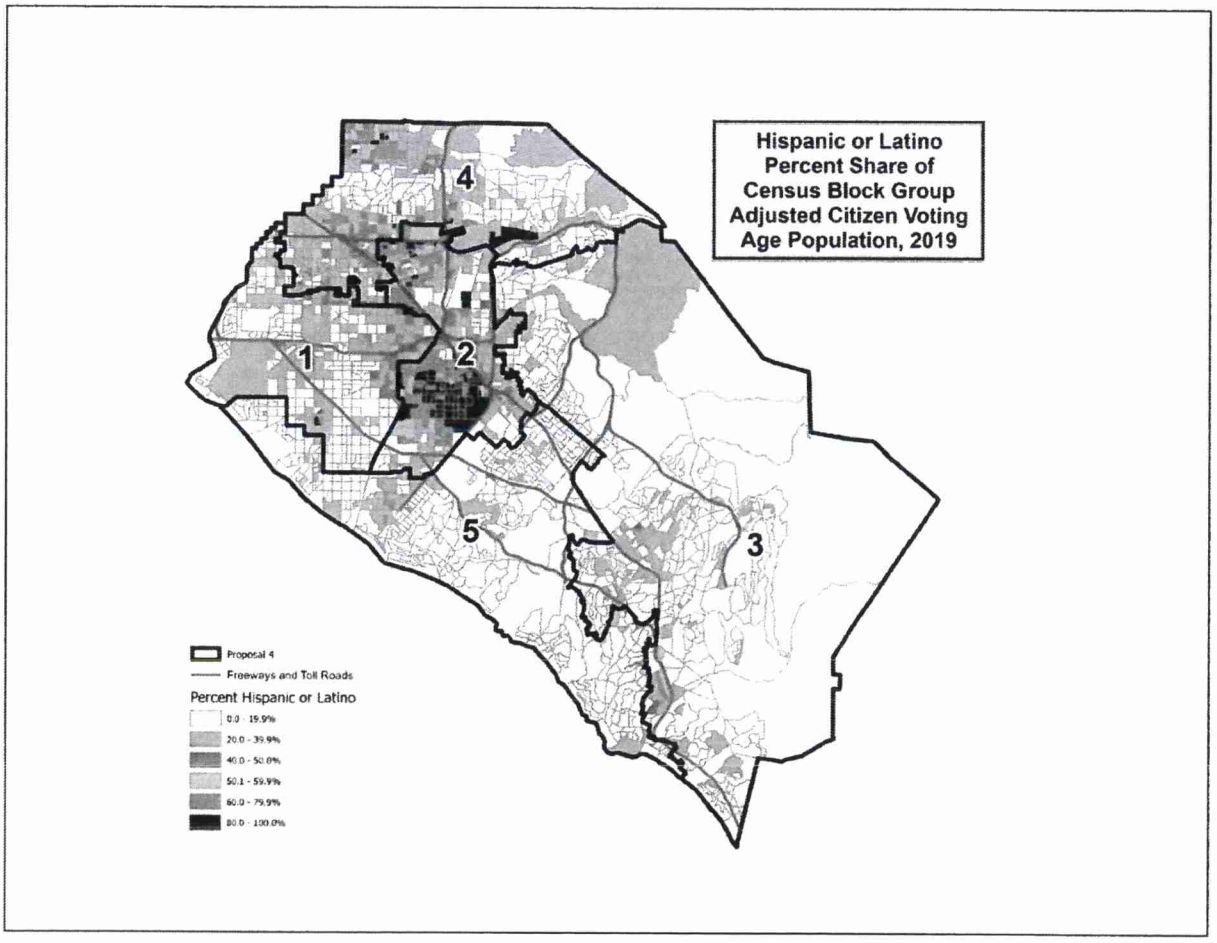
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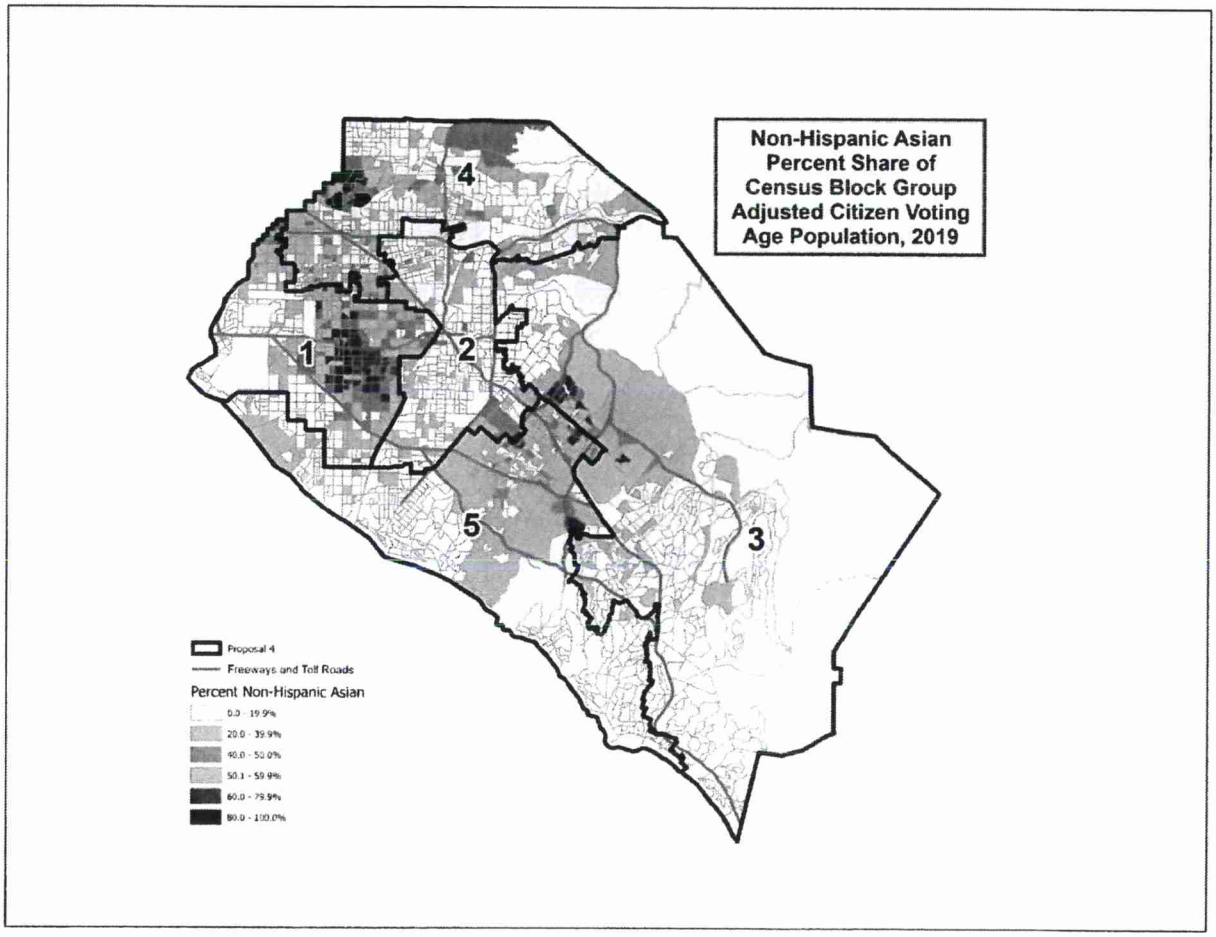
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Hispanic or Latino
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Proposal 4
Freeways and Toll Roads
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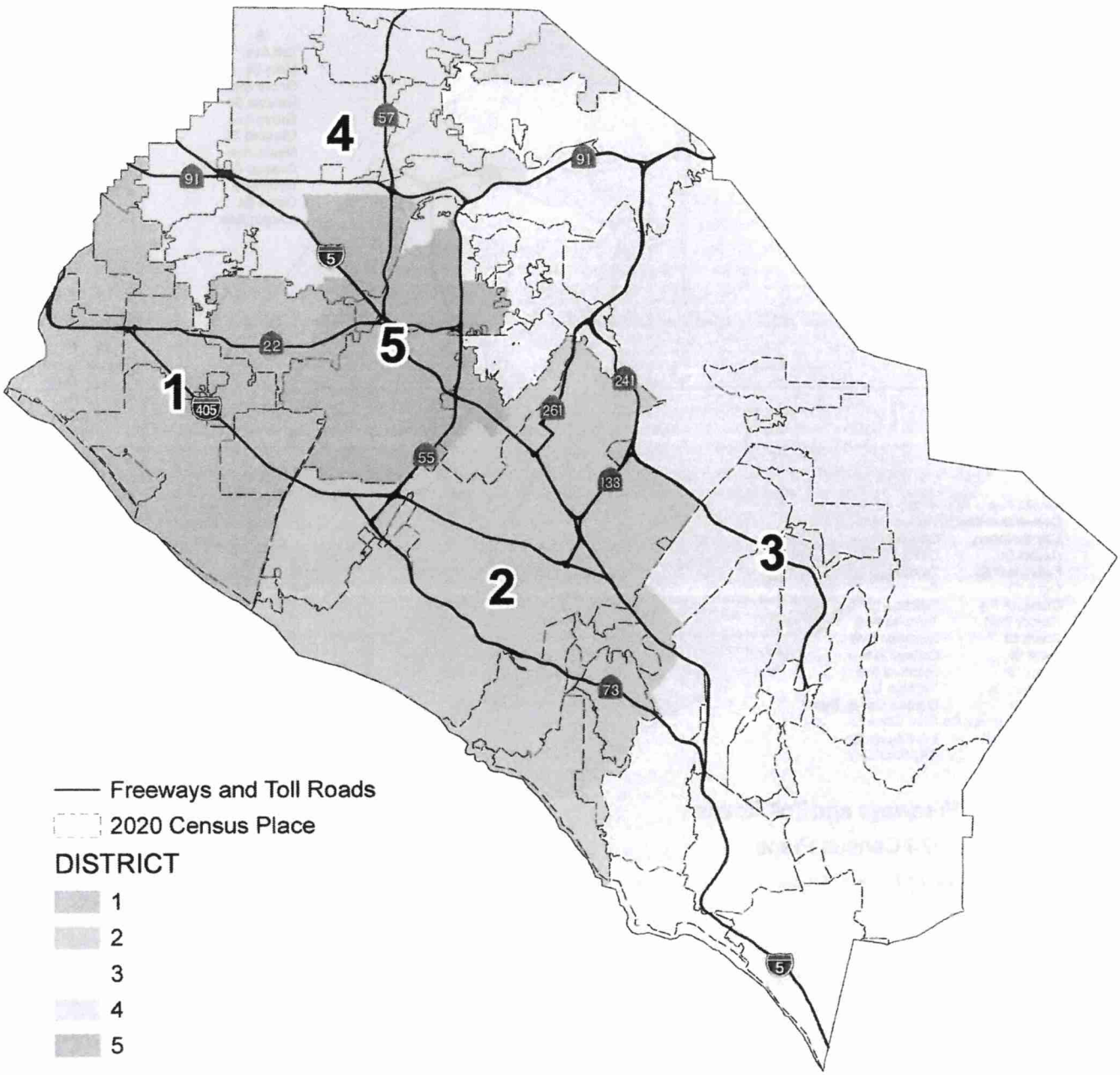

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Freeways and Toll Roads
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Freeways and Toll Roads
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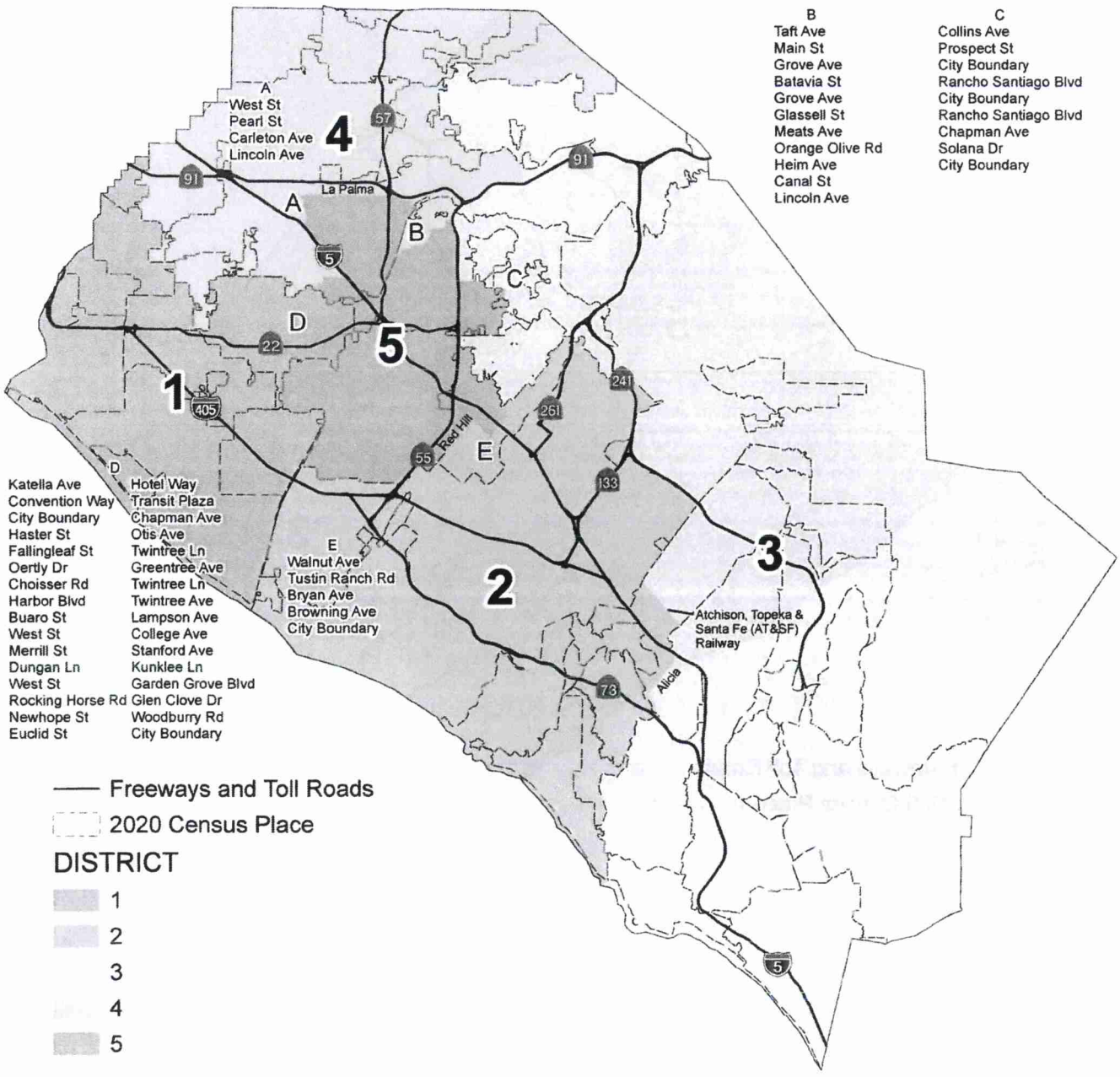
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Table 1. Adjusted 2020 Census Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

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1	609,950	140,330	233,495	8,100	1,071	196,491	2,192	2,811	25,460
	100.0%	23.0%	38.3%	1.3%	0.2%	32.2%	0.4%	0.5%	4.2%
2	664,667	115,776	311,408	10,916	757	186,813	1,105	3,698	34,194
	100.0%	17.4%	46.9%	1.6%	0.1%	28.1%	0.2%	0.6%	5.1%
3	669,419	129,452	403,401	7,656	1,157	88,180	876	3,392	35,305
	100.0%	19.3%	60.3%	1.1%	0.2%	13.2%	0.1%	0.5%	5.3%
4	640,323	291,323	159,011	14,987	1,347	149,780	1,999	2,878	18,998
	100.0%	45.5%	24.8%	2.3%	0.2%	23.4%	0.3%	0.4%	3.0%
5	608,651	413,400	92,813	8,284	993	78,003	1,565	2,308	11,285
	100.0%	67.9%	15.2%	1.4%	0.2%	12.8%	0.3%	0.4%	1.9%
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District	Number	Percent
1	-28,652	-4.49%
2	26,065	4.08%
3	30,817	4.83%
4	1,721	0.27%
5	-29,951	-4.69%

Percentage Spread (Largest - Smallest)
9.52%

Split Cities/Census Designated Places (CDPs) -

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	100.0%	17.1%	48.9%	1.6%	0.3%	29.5%	0.3%	2.4%
2	422,853	56,967	257,535	7,665	656	87,069	901	10,880
	100.0%	13.5%	61.1%	1.8%	0.2%	20.6%	0.2%	2.6%
3	483,662	69,137	338,970	6,857	759	55,969	602	11,128
	100.0%	14.3%	70.1%	1.4%	0.2%	11.6%	0.1%	2.3%
4	392,835	133,933	148,026	11,995	814	88,338	1,731	7,147
	100.0%	34.2%	37.8%	3.1%	0.2%	22.5%	0.4%	1.8%
5	332,158	177,043	90,445	5,948	543	52,251	1,049	3,586
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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Cypress	50,235	8.2%
Fountain Valley	57,120	9.4%
Garden Grove*	136,982	22.5%
Huntington Beach	199,033	32.6%
La Palma	15,597	2.6%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
Midway City CDP	8,845	1.5%
Rossmoor CDP	10,634	1.7%
Seal Beach	25,283	4.1%
Unincorporated	3,343	0.5%
Westminster	91,083	14.9%
District 1 Total	**609,950**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	7.9%
Costa Mesa	112,139	16.9%
Irvine	307,958	46.3%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.5%
Laguna Hills*	16,901	2.5%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.7%
Lake Forest*	16,406	2.5%
Newport Beach	85,338	12.8%
Tustin*	30,955	4.7%
Unincorporated	2,029	0.3%
District 2 Total	**664,667**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	46,881	7.0%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.2%
Dana Point	33,144	5.0%
Ladera Ranch CDP	26,188	3.9%
Laguna Hills*	14,498	2.2%
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Orange*	33,354	5.0%
Rancho Mission Viejo CDP	10,385	1.6%
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,000	7.2%
San Clemente	64,384	9.6%
San Juan Capistrano	35,271	5.3%
Silverado CDP	932	0.1%
Trabuco Canyon CDP	1,020	0.2%
Tustin*	0	0.0%
Unincorporated	6,160	0.9%
Villa Park	5,850	0.9%
Williams Canyon CDP	93	0.0%
Yorba Linda	68,415	10.2%
District 3 Total	**669,419**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 4

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	188,501	29.4%
Brea	47,397	7.4%
Buena Park	84,187	13.1%
Fullerton	143,930	22.5%
La Habra	63,234	9.9%
Orange*	11,063	1.7%
Placentia	51,925	8.1%
Stanton	38,067	5.9%
Unincorporated	12,019	1.9%
District 4 Total	**640,323**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	112,371	18.5%
Garden Grove*	35,364	5.8%
Orange*	95,774	15.7%
Santa Ana	311,393	51.2%
Tustin*	49,457	8.1%
Unincorporated	4,292	0.7%
District 5 Total	**608,651**	**100.0%**

*City split by proposed district.

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Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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County of Orange 2021 Redistricting

Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

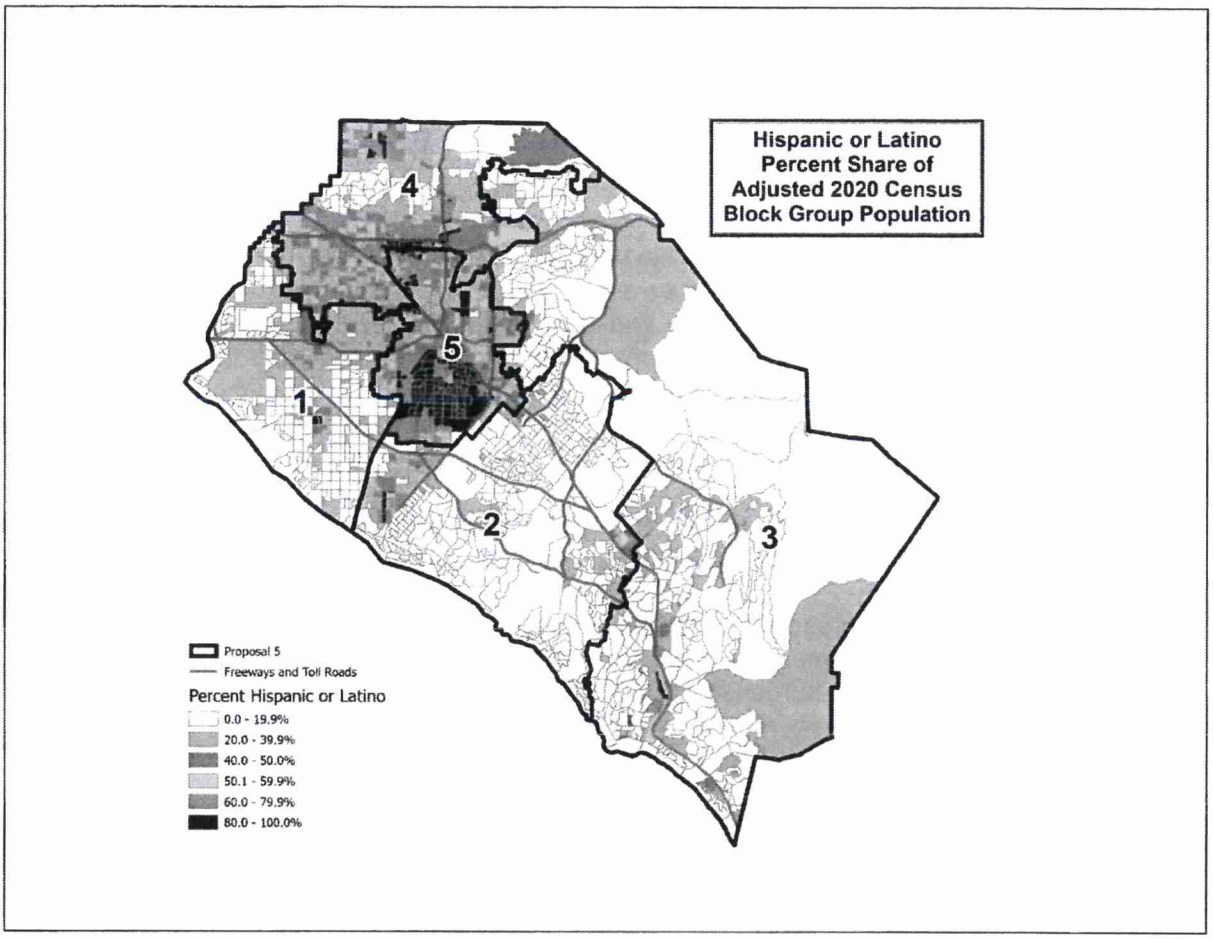
District	Total Population 18 and Over	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	493,894	102,097	202,026	6,671	937	161,436	1,779	2,208	16,740
	100.0%	20.7%	40.9%	1.4%	0.2%	32.7%	0.4%	0.4%	3.4%
2	536,073	87,002	265,986	9,094	606	147,476	865	2,743	22,301
	100.0%	16.2%	49.6%	1.7%	0.1%	27.5%	0.2%	0.5%	4.2%
3	529,829	92,238	334,079	6,435	978	71,154	718	2,509	21,718
	100.0%	17.4%	63.1%	1.2%	0.2%	13.4%	0.1%	0.5%	4.1%
4	500,127	208,850	138,425	12,215	1,138	123,134	1,603	2,085	12,677
	100.0%	41.8%	27.7%	2.4%	0.2%	24.6%	0.3%	0.4%	2.5%
5	465,756	297,330	82,887	7,052	843	66,663	1,239	1,585	8,157
	100.0%	63.8%	17.8%	1.5%	0.2%	14.3%	0.3%	0.3%	1.8%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,525,679	787,517	1,023,403	41,467	4,502	569,863	6,204	11,130	81,593
	100.0%	31.2%	40.5%	1.6%	0.2%	22.6%	0.2%	0.4%	3.2%

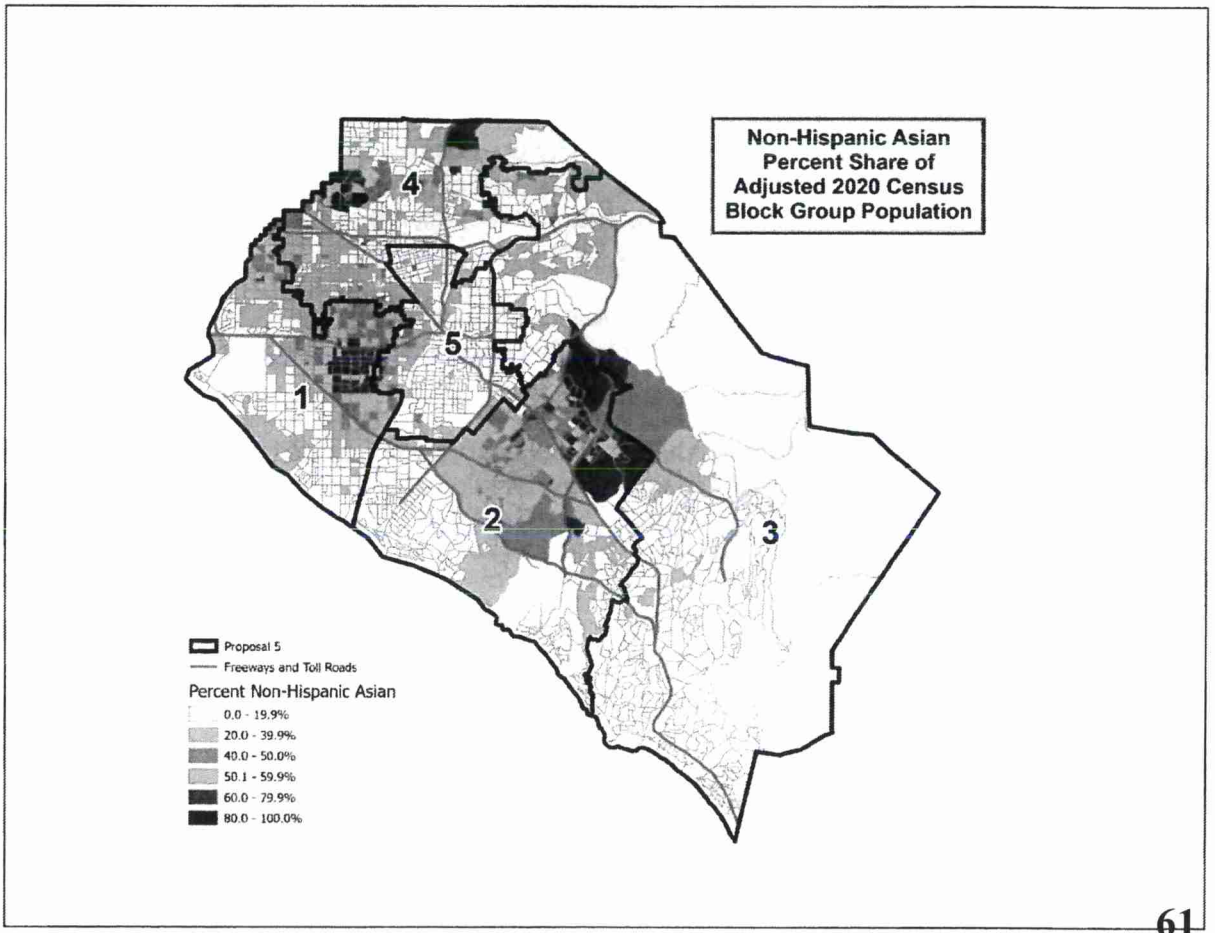
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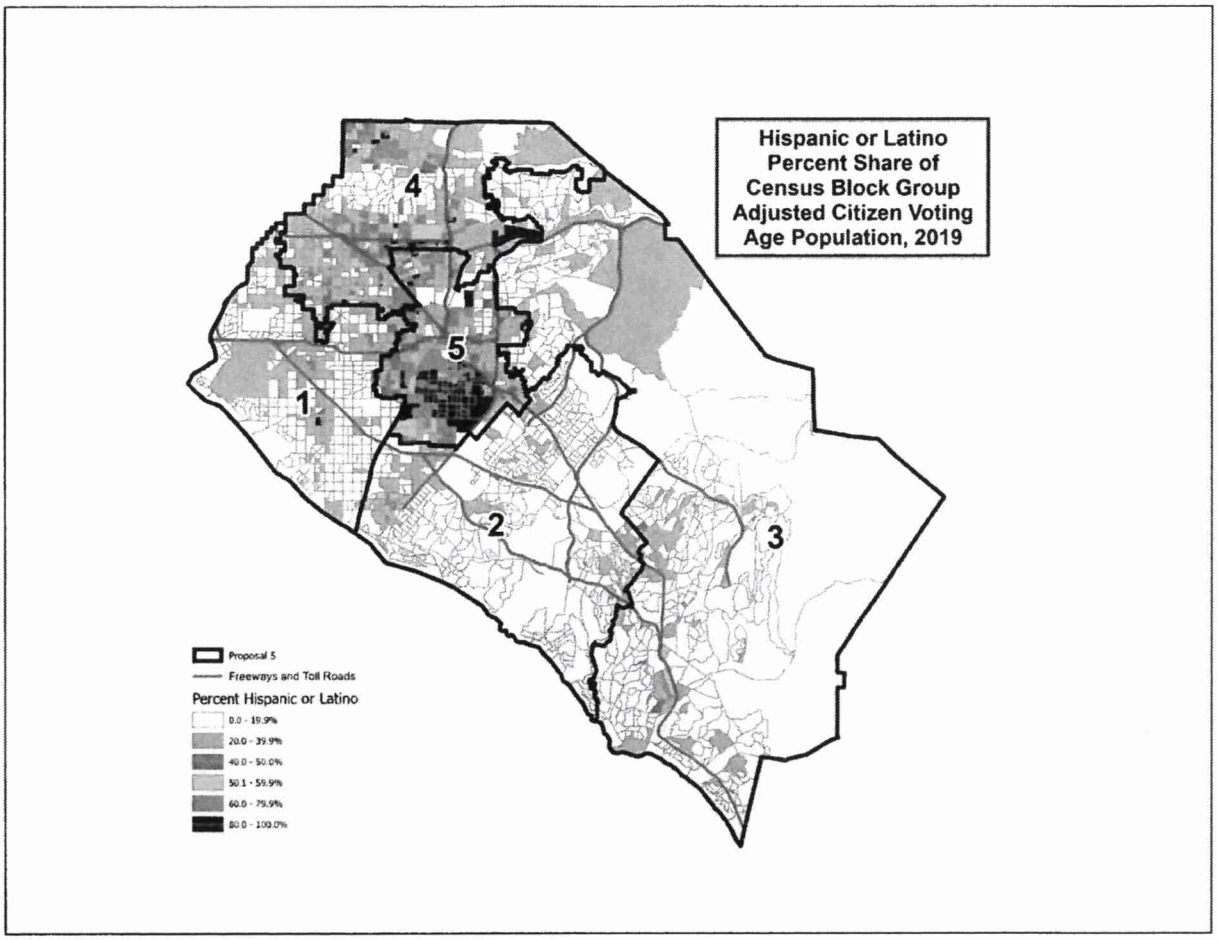
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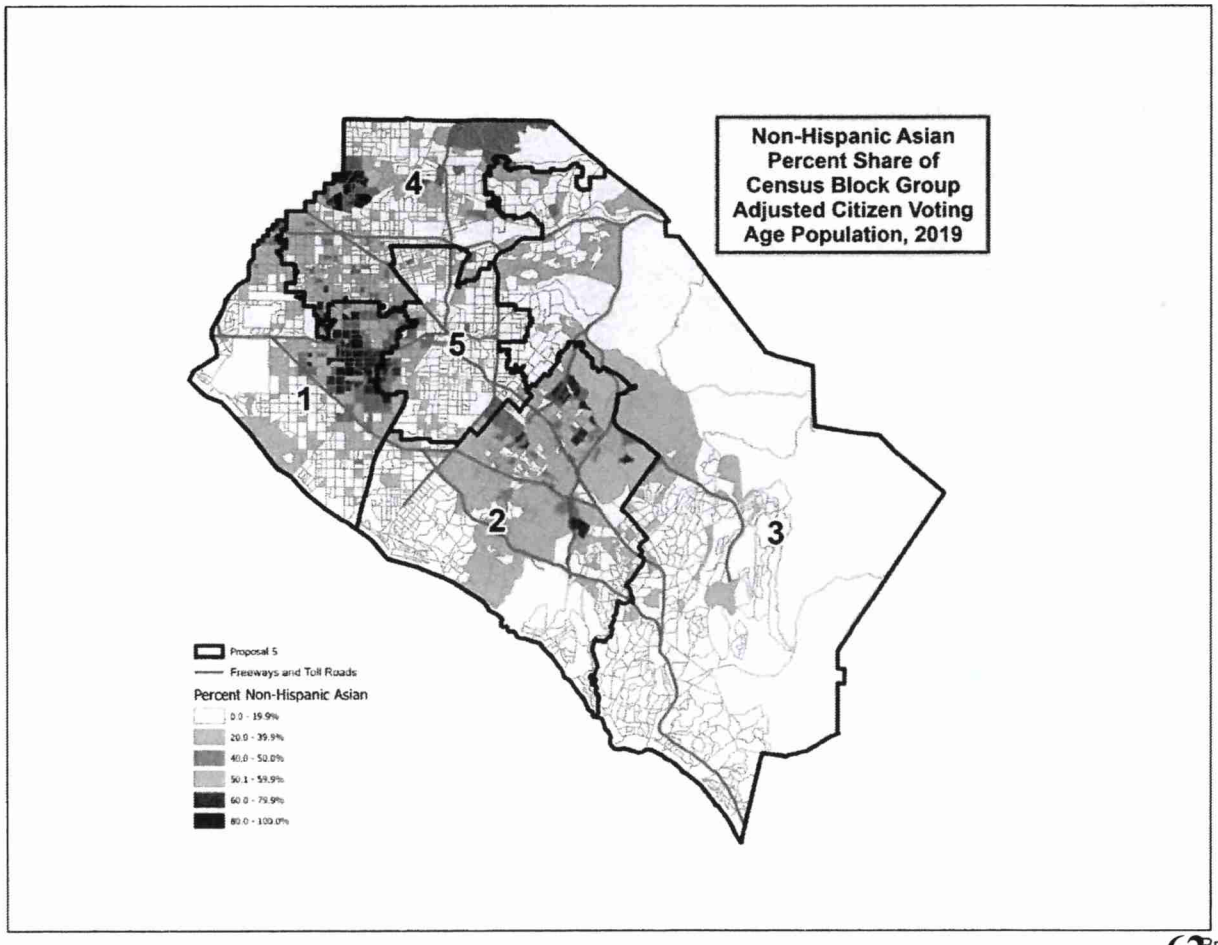
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Contact Name:	Jonathan Paik
Organization:	Orange County Civic Engagement Table / People's Redistricting Alliance
Submitted Description:	"Plan Objectives A multiracial coalition based in Orange County, the People's Redistricting Alliance (PRA) was established in early 2021 to ensure a community voice in statewide and local redistricting processes. The PRA's Orange County Board of Supervisors plan centers federal Voting Rights Act compliance and communities of interest that reflect the needs of the county's most impacted residents. The culmination of over seven months of community engagement, the plan: Respects the federal Voting Rights Act. The PRA plan creates a required Latinx Section 2 district in and around Santa Ana. Respects communities of interest. The PRA plan centers numerous communities of interest, including AMEMSA, Asian American, housing cost-burdened, immigrant, Latinx, limited English proficient (LEP), low-income, nail salon worker, Pacific Islander, environmentally impacted, uninsured, and other populations. Respects population equality. The PRA plan includes districts whose total populations are 5% above or below the ideal population of 638,601 persons per Supervisorial district, with an overall percentage spread less than 10%. Respects district contiguity. The PRA plan draws contiguous Supervisorial districts. Respects the integrity of city boundaries. City boundaries were crossed for only three reasons: to ensure population equality, comply with the federal Voting Rights Act, and respect the integrity of communities of interest that cross city lines. Respects the requirement of compactness. The PRA plan draws compact districts, each with a population polygon score of 0.50 or greater. The PRA will provide additional supporting narrative describing the plan to the Board and county redistricting staff via redistricting@ocgov.com."


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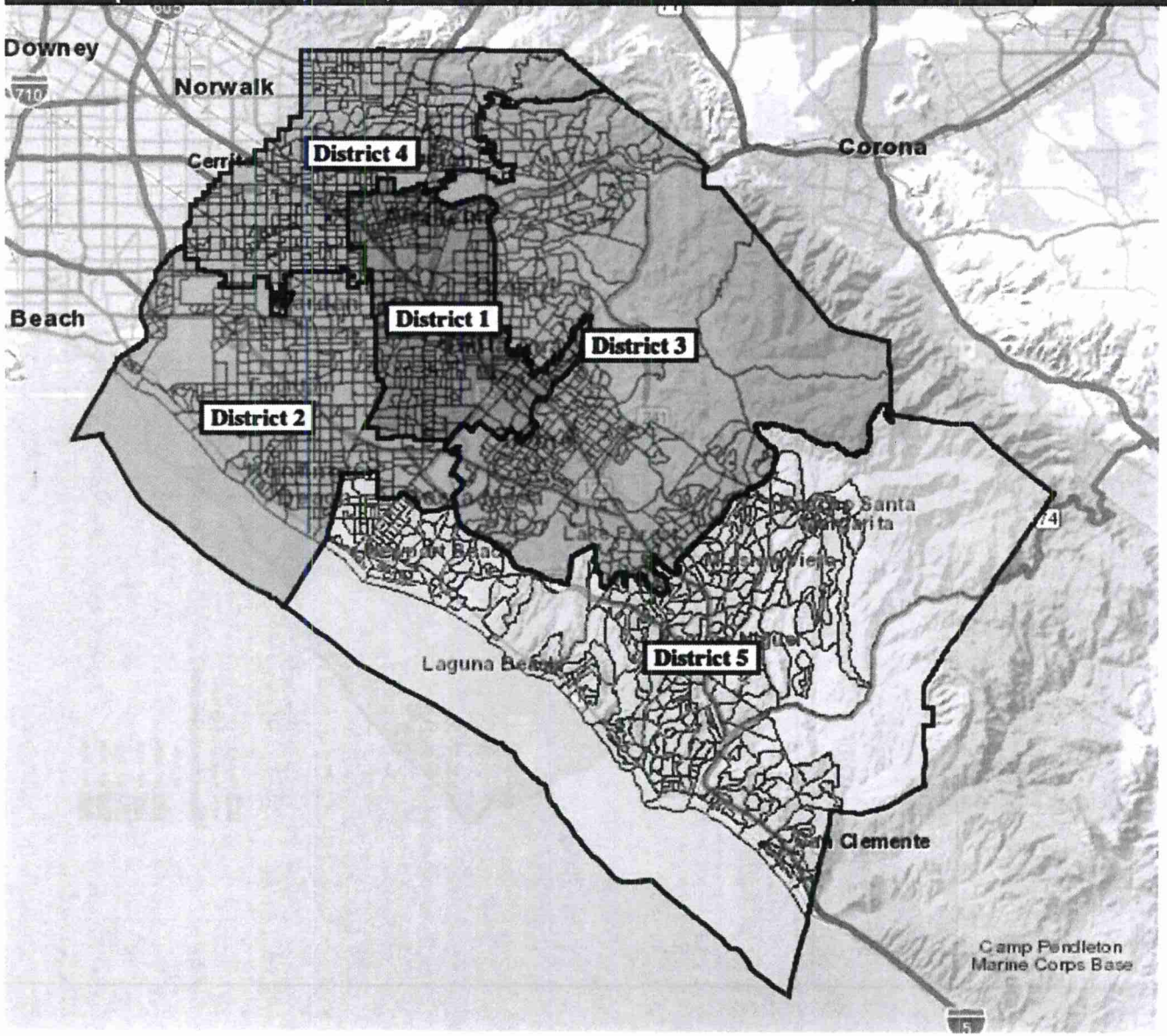

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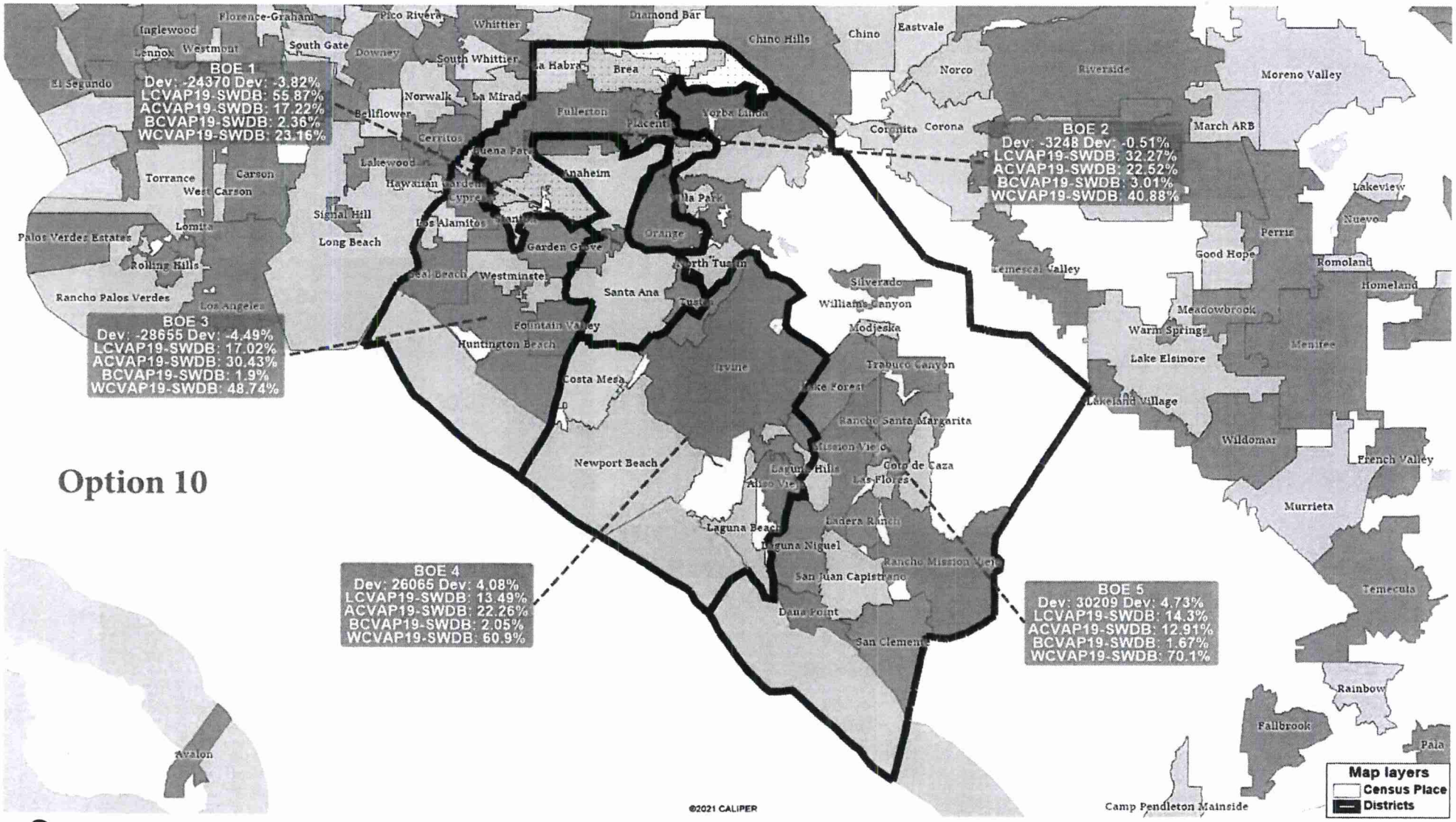
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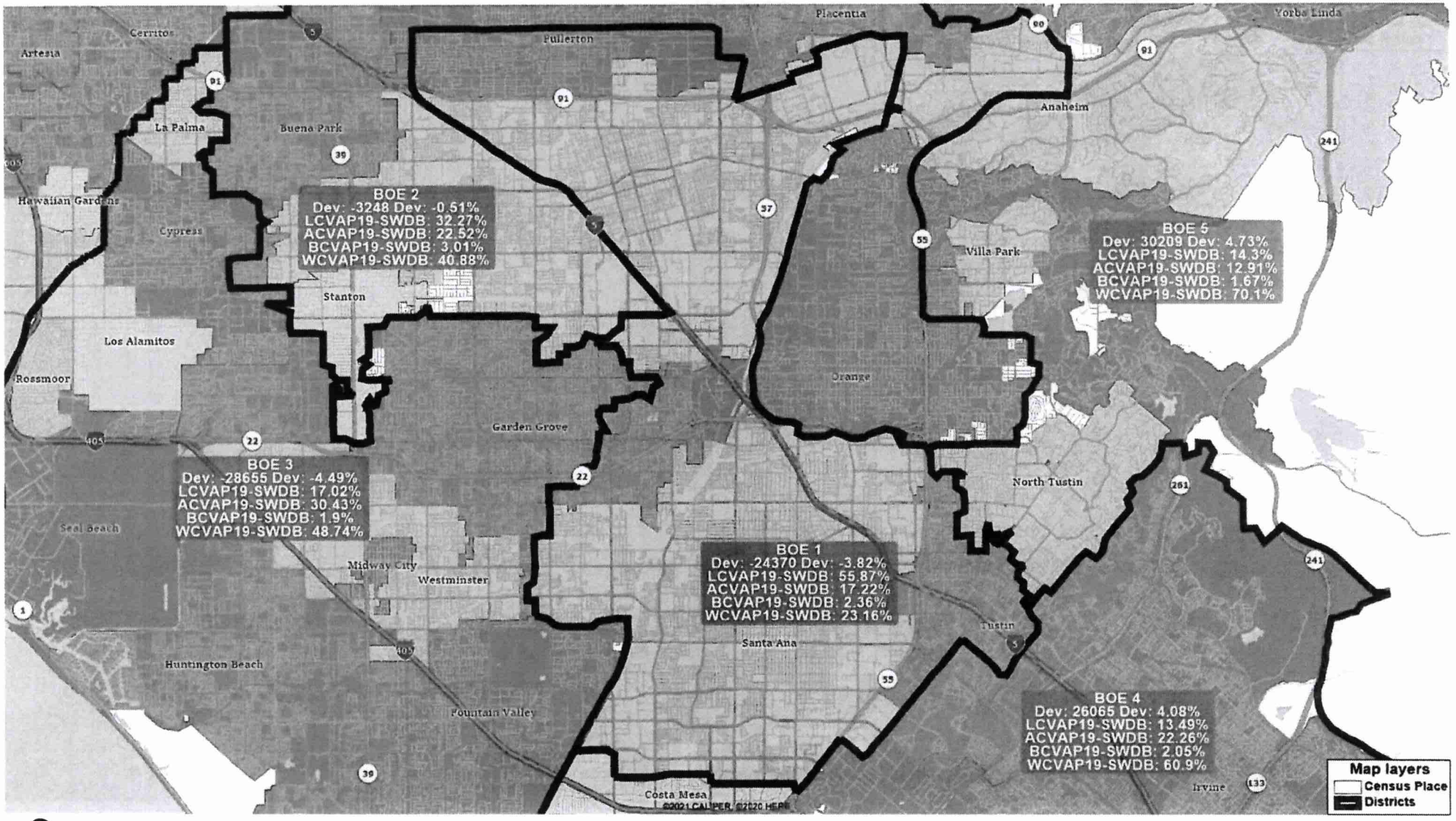
Population 3,193,010	Median 638,602	Deviation 2.18%

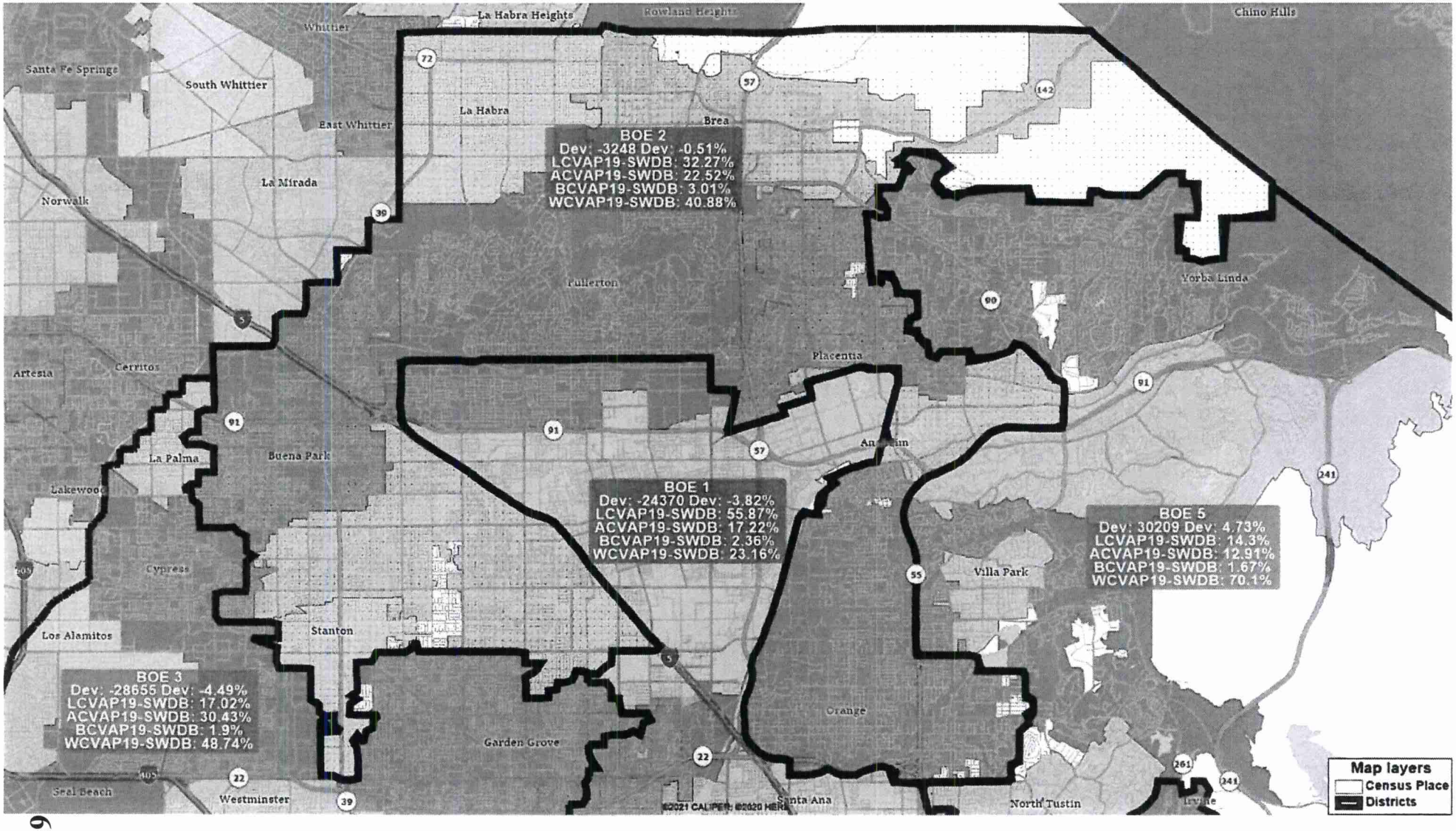


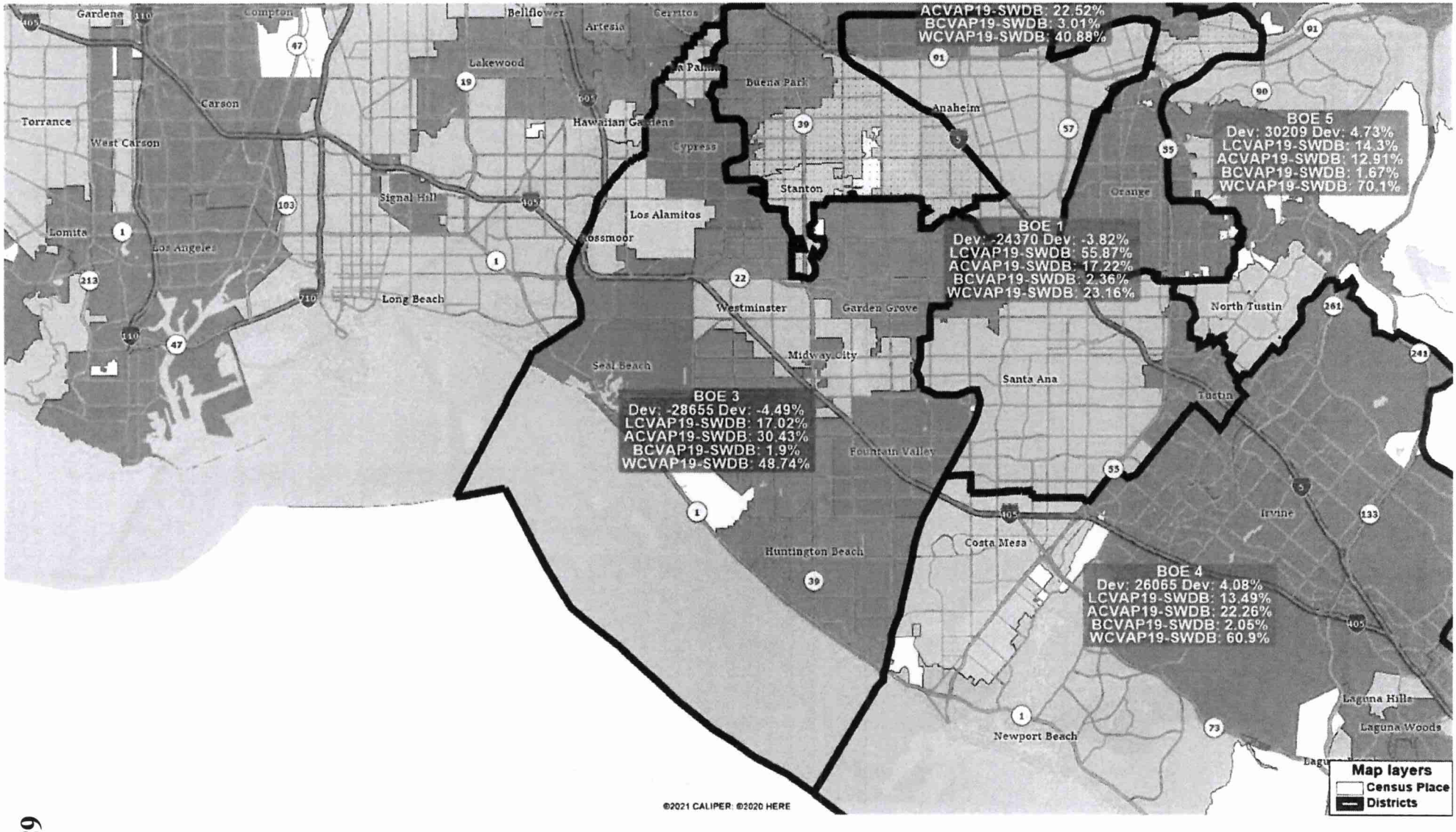
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Population*	637,248		630,855		642,565		637,549		644,793	
Population Variance	-0.21%		-1.21%		0.62%		0.16%		0.97%	
CVAP**	345,047		448,618		407,189		396,205		463,340	
Partisan Voting Index	D+16.87		R+0.69		D+2.20		D+5.89		R+2.62	
Pop. and CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP
Hispanic	66.6%	51.9%	25.0%	18.0%	17.4%	14.4%	41.6%	31.4%	20.3%	14.0%
White	16.4%	29.0%	38.6%	48.8%	43.4%	57.6%	25.6%	38.2%	63.6%	73.3%
Asian	12.6%	15.1%	30.3%	28.6%	31.5%	23.3%	26.2%	24.3%	9.1%	8.5%
Black	1.5%	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%	1.7%	1.7%	2.5%	3.2%	1.1%	1.4%
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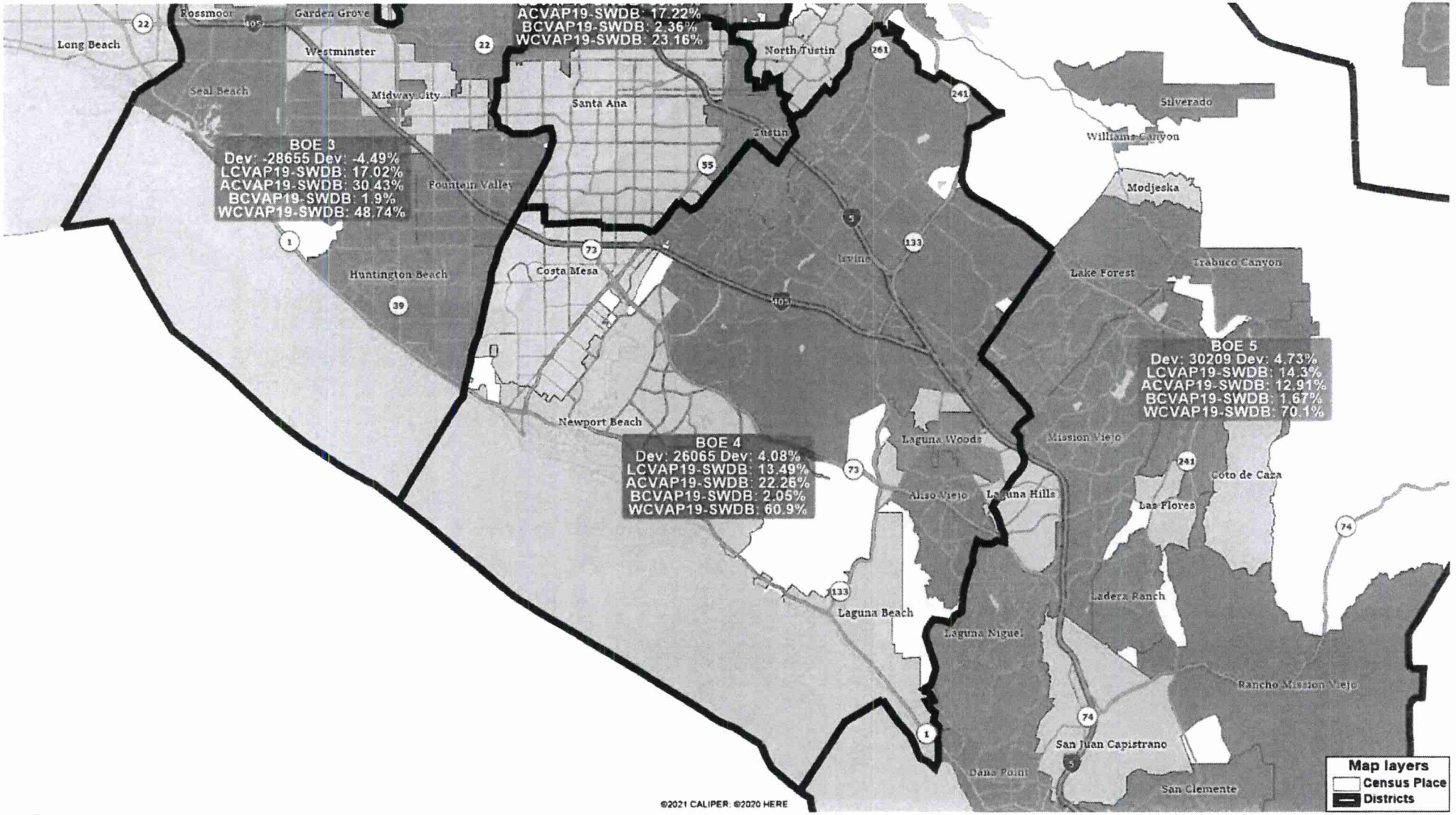

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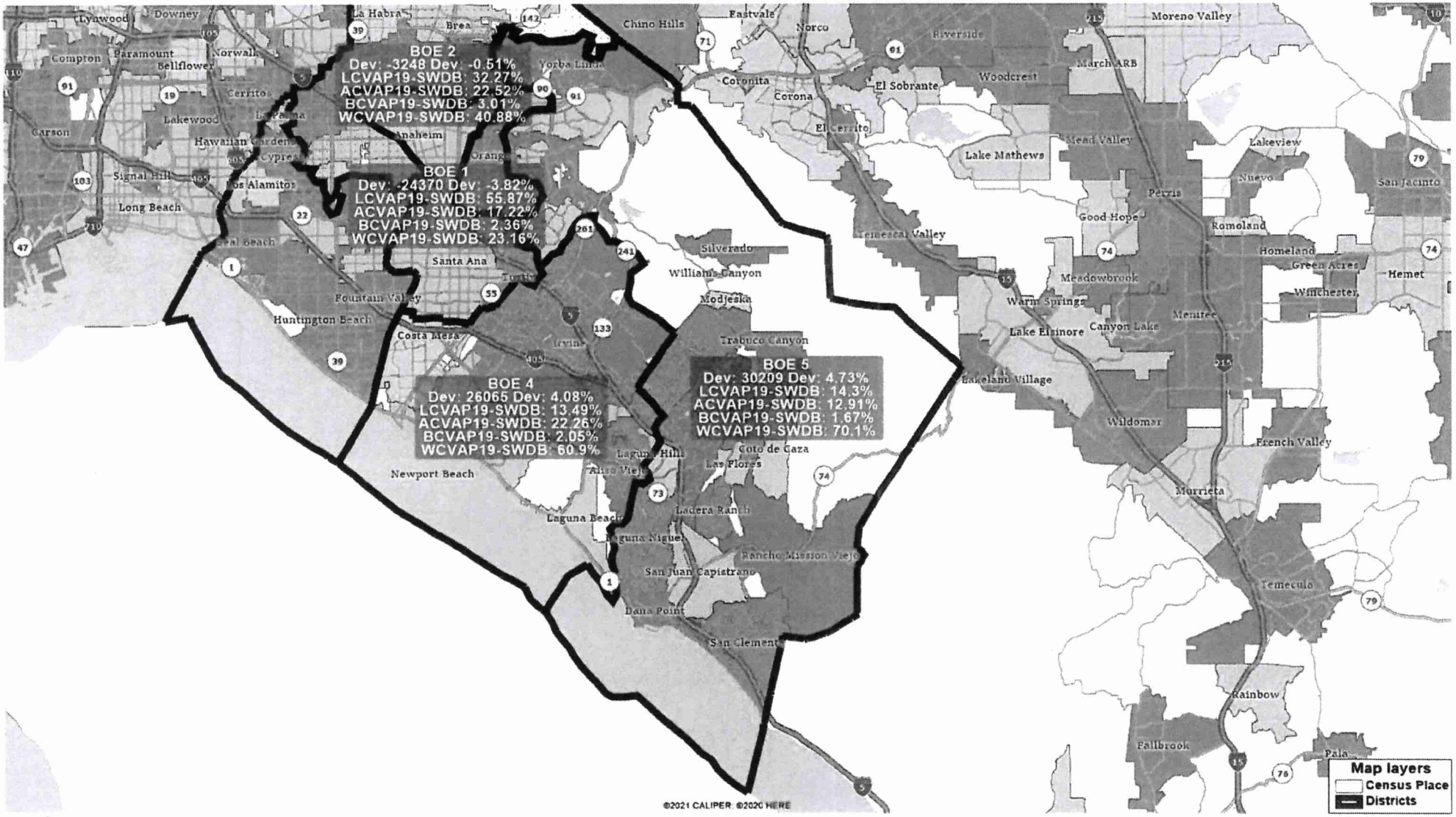
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REGULAR MEETING

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TRANSCRIPT OF THE ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING ON DECEMBER 1, 2021.

[THE BOARD GOES INTO CLOSED SESSION AND THEN RETURNS TO OPEN SESSION.]

BARKE: Welcome everyone. Darou, do you want to start with roll call?

SISAVATH: Trustee Sparks?

SPARKS: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Williams?

WILLIAMS: Present.

SISAVATH: Trustee Barke?

BARKE: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Gomez?

BOYD: She will be arriving late.

BARKE: May I have a motion to adopt the agenda?

SPARKS: So moved.

WILLIAMS: Second.

BARKE: All in favor?

WILLIAMS, SPARKS,

WILLIAMS: Aye.

BARKE: All opposed? Okay. Passes 3-0.

WILLIAMS: I'll make a motion for the minutes from the November 3rd meeting.

SPARKS: So moved.

GOMEZ: Opposed.

BARKE: Okay, so it passes 3-1. Next, we'll move on to number six.

WILLIAMS: I make the, as I'm the maker of this resolution, I'll make the motion to approve it.

BARKE: I'll second it. Any discussion?

WILLIAMS: Yes. If I can lead off?

BARKE: All right.

WILLIAMS: I must be honest and transparent. This came from Stanislaus. A deputy, excuse me not deputy, but the superintendent of education, Stanislaus County. He posted this, and it was not a board resolution. It was his resolution so that was quite unusual. I saw it and kind of made some changes so it's appropriate here. Thus, I strongly support the sentiments of the leadership of the Stanislaus County superintendent.

BARKE: All right. I thank you for those comments and for your efforts in putting that together for the board. Any other comments? Alright. All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE: Aye.

BARKE: All those opposed?

GOMEZ: Opposed.

BARKE: Okay, so it passes 3-1. All right, number seven.

WILLIAMS: Do we have the YouTube video link? We probably should show that first. Greg.

ROLEN: Dr. Johnson was again unable to be with us because of a personal tragedy. In advance of the meeting, he put together this YouTube video that will describe all the demographics and legal considerations related to the redistricting. We will have this presentation. Then, we can have the public hearing, and I will inform the questioning related thereto.

[VIDEO PLAYS]

VOICE OF JOHNSON: Hello again. My name is Doug Johnson. I'm president of National Demographics Corporation. It's my pleasure to be with you again even if by this recording. Unfortunately, due to scheduling conflicts, I cannot be there in person. I do appreciate the opportunity to walk through the various map options before the board today as you consider your redistricting plans for 2021. We have a number of maps that have come in. I will briefly touch on the ones that we discussed before, and then go into a little more detail about the new maps. First of all, I'll start with a reminder of the redistricting rules and goals. As you can see on the left-hand side, we have our federal requirements. We must have equal population in each trustee

area. Under state law, that is actually the only criteria enlisted for school agencies that are redistricting. But under federal law, we have to have equal population. We also have to comply with the federal Voting Rights Act. We have to avoid any racial gerrymandering, which means that race can be a factor that's considered. But it may not be the predominant factor in why a map is drawn a certain way or why it is chosen, those are our requirements. Those are statutory. We have to comply with those first.

Then, on the right-hand side you see what our traditional redistricting principles or goals. These are not requirements, but there are things that the courts have said are acceptable considerations in the redistricting process. The first is one most often mentioned, communities of interest. Then we have compactness, contiguity, and trying to follow visible, natural, and man-made features. All three of those are really to try to make the trustee areas easy for the residents to figure out which trustee area they're in. Then, the courts have said it's acceptable to respect voters' choices and try to reserve continuity in office simply to give each trustee the opportunity to run again. To leave the reelection decisions up to the voters, rather than the lines dictating who may and may not be reelected.

You can, to a limited degree within the population requirements, offset for planned future growth. You can consider trying to minimize the number of voters who shift from a 2022 election to a 2024 election so that you minimize the number of voters whose opportunity to vote in a board election is delayed. Some of that is fairly natural and often unavoidable in redistricting, but one acceptable consideration is to try to minimize the number of people impacted in that way.

Then, the final traditional principle or goal is you are allowed to preserve the core of the existing trustee areas within the scope of the other requirements and criteria. This is really so that people who have organized and participated in past board elections and worked together in past board elections can continue to work together in future board elections, rather than being divided up amongst different trustee areas.

With those rules and goals in mind, let us take a look at the maps. This first map you can see over here in the legend is Option 1. You can see it's changed the current trustee areas in various ways. The biggest impact in this map is that the Little Saigon communities of Garden Grove, Westminster, Fountain Valley, and Western Santa Ana, and to a degree Stanton, are now united into one trustee area, into Area 2. But we still preserve a Latino majority, Area 1 gets a little bit of a narrow neck. But, it's tying together two very clear community of interests: the Anaheim community of interest, and Santa Ana and Tustin that are then linked together into Trustee Area 1.

Trustee Area 4, it's in North County. As you may remember it includes Cypress, which was a point of contention when these maps were first discussed. Then, Area 3 is an inland trustee area largely staying west of I-405 and eventually I-5, which leaves Area 5 as a coastal trustee area. In Option 2, we have a similar approach to Area 2. Again, we're uniting Little Saigon, pulling together that community of interest into one trustee area, and ending the division that has run through it for the last 10 years. Again, we get Area 4 in the north. Although in this case, it comes

around Moor and picks up West Anaheim. Cypress is with Los Alamitos but in 4, and they're not with Rossmoor. Again, that has been discussed.

Area 1 is Tustin and Santa Ana again, but this time it gets everything in Orange that is west of Hwy 55. Then, it goes into Anaheim and actually gets a little bit of South Fullerton as it's following I-5 for most of that boundary. Area 3 and Area 5, this is another big change in this map, both have inland and coastal portions to them. A big shift between those two trustee areas, but otherwise the core of Area 2 is the same.

Then, the last map that we looked at last time is Option 3. Again, you've got your Area 2 uniting the Little Saigon and those communities. Area 1 is almost identical to Option 1 as is Area 4 with the north coming around to Cypress. The big difference here is that Area 3 comes across the 405 and down actually to Hwy 73. Again, Moor population, not all the way to the coast though. Then, Area 5 comes in and gets Rancho Santa Margarita and Ladera Ranch and some of the south county communities that are more inland.

Then, we have a new map, Option 4. This came in from Board President Williams. You can see a similar idea. The basic elements, Anaheim with Santa Ana and Tustin. In this case, a piece of Garden Grove is used as a connector, rather than a piece of the city of Orange. We are losing a little bit of that Garden Grove Little Saigon community, but it's not a large percentage of Garden Grove. The overwhelming majority of the city is still in Area 2. Cypress is in Area 2 as a number of its residents requested with Los Alamitos and Rossmoor. Area 4 is in north, and it comes down and picks up Western Orange. Area 3 stays inland much like in Option 1, although there are a few changes down here at the far south end of the county.

In response to the comments that came in about the first three drafts as well, NDC also drew another map. We have Option 5. Again, Cypress, Los Alamitos, and Rossmoor are together. In this case though, all of Little Saigon is united. We've got West Santa Ana, Fountain Valley, Westminster, Garden Grove, and Stanton all together. In Area 2, we preserve that Latino majority. Area 1 using a little, actually the portion of Orange that is west of I-5, is used as a connector there. You can see 4 in this case picks up the city of Orange. Three, remains inland. Much like in Option 3, three comes across the 405 from Hwy 73. We also found ways to clean up that boundary when we're balancing population. We've got Area 5 coming in from Rancho Santa Margarita in south county.

I am going to briefly switch over to a different program to show you three other options that came in. We did get one resident who submitted three of the draft maps from the Board of Supervisors process. But given that these are maps drawn for the goals, purposes, and focus of the Board of Supervisors, and the fact that even the Board of Supervisors didn't choose any of these maps, I'm just going to very briefly touch on them. We have with the Board of Supervisors called Proposal 2; and, before you is called Option 6. We have the Board of Supervisors Proposal 4. Before you is Option 7. Then, we have Board of Supervisors Proposal 5, which before you is Option 8. This one in particular, you can see really splits a big chunk of Garden Grove off. Again, in all of these maps, West Santa Ana stays with the central area. In this case, Area 5. All three of these maps all follow the Board of Supervisors numbering, which also play havoc with the election cycles in the board of education, which is another reason not to take them too

seriously for the board of education. But they are available as options if you wish to consider them. As a reminder, they were presented to the Board of Supervisors. They were drawn for the Board of Supervisors. For those important factors that play in for the board, and the board did not select any of these maps.

Coming back, we get to another map, Option 9. This was a resident drawn map. We simply processed it. You can see, similar to one of the Board of Supervisor's maps, we have a significant portion of Garden Grove split off into Area 1. We are not uniting all that. Stanton also is not with the rest of the Little Saigon communities. It's not the core of Little Saigon, but it does have a large Asian American population. Cypress is in Area 4, separate from Los Alamitos and Rossmoor. Then, we have Area 3 pushing all the way up into Yorba Linda and then staying inland to Hwy 73; 5 being the coast, Rancho Santa Margarita. In this case, 5 is also picking up Mission Viejo. Two is coming down, because it's lost a lot of the population in the early maps, it's coming down and picking up Costa Mesa in Area 2.

The final map to present you tonight, Option 10. This one is proposed by (MALDEF) the Mexican American Legal Education Defense Fund. I had that backwards, Defense and Education Fund. Sorry about that, so MALDEF. You can see here. It's somewhat similar to Area 1. It is dividing off the eastern end of Garden Grove. It is keeping Western Santa Ana in Trustee Area 1, and it does go up into Fullerton as well as into Anaheim. We have what's left of Little Saigon in Area 3. Then, Area 2 is this kind of odd shape getting Western Anaheim, Buena Park, coming all the way around, going up around Yorba Linda because Yorba Linda is now in Five. Then, coming back through Placentia and down into Western and Southern Orange. It's a very odd shaped Area 2. Area 5, again, starts in Yorba Linda and goes all the way down to San Clemente. Area 4 is Laguna Beach, Costa Mesa, Newport Beach, and Irvine and some of the communities around it. Tustin is split almost in half. You can see the line going right through Tustin there, so this is Option 10 from MALDEF.

I'm going to show you as a final point some summary demographics comparing the different maps. Here you see, I've left out Options 6, 7, and 8, the Board of Supervisor's maps. Here you can see Options 1, 2, 3, and 5 are essentially perfectly balanced. Each district is within, or each trustee area is within one person of perfect population balance, which under the Ed. Code and federal law is the primary goal of this process. You can see in comparison Option 4 has a deviation from ideal or difference between the largest and smallest. Trustee area is of 2,349 people, which 0.37%. Option 9, the resident drawn map has a difference between the largest and smallest of almost 14,000 people, around 2.18%.

The MALDEF proposal has the biggest deviation. It has the difference just short of 60,000 people between the largest and smallest. It's right there at 9.22% right on the edge of the 10% legal maximum allowed. In terms of percentages, looking at the Latino percentage of citizens of voting age in District 1 you can see Options 1, 2, 3, and 5 all have 51%. Four, and nine are essentially identical given the margin of errors in these data at 52%. The MALDEF proposal does get District 1 up to 56% primarily by using deviation, under populating and over populating certain districts, and then, by dividing up Tustin and Garden Grove.

In terms of Asian Americans in District 2, or Trustee Area 2, where we're talking about bringing together Little Saigon, you can see most of the maps are really close together. Options, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 10 are all 31%. The lowest is the MALDEF, because it's cutting off that piece of Garden Grove up to 33 and 34% in Options 1-5. Then of course, Option 9 because it splits right through Garden Grove and puts Costa Mesa in and takes Stanton out, Trustee Area 2 or District 2 is only 25% Asian American. Actually, in Option 9, it is not even the highest Asian American seat. A neighboring trustee area is at 26%. Again, you have here your summary numbers. All the maps have a Latino majority seat.

All the maps, except Option 9, have a seat where Asian Americans are essentially one third of the citizens of voting age or eligible voters. Maps 1, 2, 3, and 5 are essentially perfectly balanced down to no more than one-person deviation in each trustee area. While 4 and 5 are anywhere from 0.37 to 2.18. Then, Option 10 maxes out that deviation and nearly 59,000 people between the largest and smallest a 9.22% deviation. That concludes my presentation, my walk through the maps. I hope you have a good discussion. I hope this is useful.

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ROLEN: That's how he ends most of his presentations. Unless there is any questions we could move right into the public hearing?

WILLIAMS: Greg, could you just publicly let the board and the staff know that Mr. Doug Johnson's father passed away less than a week ago. That's why he could not be here tonight.

ROLEN: Dr. Johnson informed me in the last couple of days that his father passed on Thanksgiving. He was unable to attend this evening and may be unable to attend future things due to memorial services and the like. He sends his apologies, and we've already offered our condolences to him.

WILLIAMS: Very good.

BARKE: Okay.

WILLIAMS: The public hearing.

ROLEN: On that note, good evening. This agenda item, which item are we on, number six, seven?

WILLIAMS: Eight.

ROLEN: Eight. I'm sorry. Agenda item number eight is a public hearing concerning the adjustments to the trustee area boundaries of the Orange County Board of Education. The Education Code requires that following each decennial federal census, the board of education trustee area boundary shall be adjusted so that the trustee areas shall be as nearly equal in population as may be. The final census population data validated by the Demographic Research Unit of the Department of Finance became available for these purposes at the end of September

2021. This represented a six-month delay because of the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on the operations of the United States Census Bureau. The deadline for the adjustment process to be completed is December 15th, 2021.

On November 3rd and again today, the board heard from its retained consultant Dr. Douglas Johnson of National Demographics Corporation who, as you can see, has performed an analysis of the current board of education trustee areas for compliance with the equal population standard, determined whether adjustments are required, and developed sample maps to meet the nearly equal population standard.

On November 3rd and again today, after Dr. Johnson's presentation, the board may ask questions clarifying any concerns they may have. After clarifying questions, the board president will open a public hearing to hear from our community about the proposed options for the boundary areas and adjustments to the board of education trustee areas. After the close of public hearing, the members of the board will have an opportunity to comment on the proposed options for boundary adjustments. On November 3rd, we considered three separate maps. We heard public comment. We digested the public comment and created a new map responsive to the public comment. We also set a deadline of November 12th to members of the public to submit maps, and we received five other maps.

After this hearing, we will have another public hearing on this matter scheduled for December 8, 2021. After that hearing, the board will adopt adjustments to the trustee boundary areas to balance population as required by law. The board will then request that the Orange County Committee on School District Reorganization approve the new trustee area boundaries as complying with the equal population criteria on December 10, 2021. With that, would you like me to open the public hearing Madam President or would you like to?

BARKE: Absolutely. Thank you.

ROLEN: I will gavel it in with my pen. Public hearing is hereby open. Do we have any speakers?

WILLIAMS: Yes, we do. We have, it looks like about 10 speakers here. Our first speaker will be speaker 15, Andrea Schmidt. Is she still here? Come on up, Andrea. Then, after Andrea, the next speaker on deck will be Lindsey Wooldridge if you want to come up Lindsey and stand behind the podium here? You get three minutes.

ANDREA: Lindsey did leave.

BARKE: Lindsay left she said.

WILLIAMS: Lindsay left? Okay, well then after that information, Libby Frolichman will be on deck.

ANDREA: Hi, good evening. My name is Andrea Schmidt. I am a resident of Costa Mesa. I am here tonight to speak in support of map Option 9. Map Option 9 is, in our opinion, by far the

most fair of the proposals and the most cohesive by making sure all of the geographical areas of the county are represented including central, north, west, east, and south. It does keep communities of interest intact and create a federal voting rights mandated district for the growing Latino population in the central part of the county centered in Santa Ana. Map Option 9 also keeps the Little Saigon community whole, by including all of the community, including the growing Vietnamese area of West Santa Ana. Out of all of the map options, map Option 9 also has one of the fewest amount of city splits of all of the proposals with only seven cities split. The cities that are split are done so through major streets or freeways with no neighborhoods divided. It does have a low deviation as well with just over 2% deviation allowing for all districts to have equitable representation. Map Option 9 also follows the spirit of drawing a fair map by sticking to city boundaries, main streets, freeways, and natural dividing lines such as the Santa Ana River. I also wanted to just share that shortly before this meeting, the deeply rooted community group Santa Ana LULAC Council 147 also did submit a letter of support as well. I do urge you to please approve a fair board of education map and Option 9. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Very good. Thank you, Andrea. Next up is Libby.

LIBBY: Hello. My name is Libby Frolichman. I live in Fountain Valley, and I wanted to start by thanking you for responding to comments from last month and opening up the redistricting process to allow submissions from the public and additional time to evaluate the map after careful consideration of the proposed maps. I urge you to adopt Map 9. Map 9 is the only map proposed that took advantage of the time made available last month and was submitted by the public with community input. It also keeps communities of interest together in accordance with the Voting Rights Laws including both the largely Hispanic residents in District 1 and the significant Asian populations in Districts 2 and 3. Keeping all of the Little Saigon in District 2 is crucial to availing that community of its voice in elections. It is important that the Asian community and District 3 is not clustered in the same district with Little Saigon since it is a distinct community with heritage from a different part of Asia and must have its own voice. Map 9 uses logical boundaries from the districts including city borders, freeways, and the Santa Ana River making it easier for residents to understand which districts they live in. It is a fair map that is not gerrymandered and overall, I think this is the best map submitted. I respectfully request that you adopt Map 9. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Okay. After Libby is Nadia, excuse me, Natalie Thach. Then Debbie of Capistrano, you're on deck.

NATALIE: Hello. My name is Natalie Thach. I am a resident from Anaheim. Thank you so much for giving me the opportunity to speak here today. I am here today to speak in support of map Option 9, because it is by far the fairest and most cohesive of all the proposals by making sure all of the geographic areas of the community are well-represented. Option 9 keeps the Little Saigon community whole by including all of the community including the growing Vietnamese population of the West Santa Ana area. Option 9 is not gerrymandered. It is a fair map that sticks

to the city bound boundaries, main streets, freeways, and natural dividing lines, such as the Santa Ana River. Please approve of a fair board of education map for Orange County by approving Option 9. Thank you for your consideration.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Debbie is up, and after that will be Rona Henry.

DEBBIE: Do I speak into this one? Hi, my name is Debbie Salihi, and I've lived in Orange County for over 50 years. I'm currently a resident of Laguna Niguel, which is in the Capistrano Unified School District. I was teacher in the Anaheim Elementary School District for just under 20 years until I retired. I'm here this evening to ask for your support of map Option 9. Option 9 by far is the fairest of the proposals because it's sticking to city boundaries, main streets, and freeways. Option 9 keeps the Little Saigon community together. It makes sure that the central, northern, western, eastern, and southern parts of the county all have representation. Please approve a fair board of education map for Orange County by approving Option 9. Thank you.

RONA: Good evening. My name is Rona Henry, and I live in Laguna Woods. While I live in a retirement community, I have friends from my church with kids who are attending the public schools here in Orange County. My parents were both teachers, and I really believe that it's very important that our public schools have good representation. I believe that Option 9 is the most fair option. I like how it's very cohesive with the geography. It has good representation from all of the parts of the county. I particularly like that this Little Saigon community is kept whole and the increasing growing area, the Vietnamese areas west of Santa Ana is included in that. It's not gerrymandered, and I think it's really fair in terms of sticking to city boundaries, and main streets, and natural dividing lines. I would like to ask you to please firmly consider Option 9, because I think it's the most fair. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: We have on deck here, Mr. Billie Joe Wright. Then, we have Lorrie Kaylor, and lastly Linda Cohn. Mr. Wright, you are up, sir.

BILLIE: I brought my gavel. Good evening. My name is Billie Joe Wright. I am a resident of Anaheim, and I am a government and economics teacher. I'm here tonight to remind you that education is not a one size fits all. Corporate programs don't work. Corporate maps don't work. When the community is involved in creating programs for schools, it actually touches the students and impacts the community. That is why when you create maps, you really must include the community. I appreciate, last time I was here, you were open to extending the program, and asking questions, and creating an opportunity for the community to have input. That being said, I'm here tonight to support Option 9. Based on the recap that I heard, and I do want to send my condolences to Dr. Johnson and his family. Having lost my father, I know what it's like to lose a parent when you're an adult. Having heard his recap, I believe the question that you have to ask yourself is, why is there a deviation of up to 10% allowed? Why in some instances is it not, and why is it here allowed? That is where you really get into the community. You've heard some of the statements already tonight to talk about that every ethnicity is not the same. Whether you're

from one part of Asia or from one part of South America, you could be Venezuelan or you could be Mexican. You have to take those into account. In creating Option 9, I believe that that was taken into account. Option 9, I believe, is by far the most fair proposal of all. I do believe that it keeps Little Saigon whole and takes the community's interests into mind. It's important that the city's boundaries are clear and distinct.

I can tell you that there is, as much as people say it's not just about using a freeway so that people can tell where they vote. Unfortunately, systems have used boundary lines like freeways to divide people. It's important to know exactly what's being divided, and whether or not their community interests or needs in that community for them to be whole. I do believe that Option 9 took that all into consideration. Again, I don't need to repeat everything you've heard about Option 9. But, I do want you to take into account, that any time that you can make a decision that supports the community, and I heard it all tonight, virtues, ethics, using reasoning, it takes a higher level of thought to not go with their first idea but to actually examine the information and go with the right decision. I believe the right decision is Option 9. Thank you. Goodnight.

BARKE: Thank you.

LORI: Mine will be short and sweet, a little different. I would like to support Option 4. Thank you.

LINDA: Redistricting is not my wheelhouse, but I also want to support Option Four. I have a bit of a different agenda. It seems to me like some of these maps have been deliberately drawn and designed to somewhat change or even dramatically change the composition of this board. All of you, every single one has been duly elected to this position, even Trustee Shaw. My concern is that, I think we want to preserve what was duly elected by the voters. The reason is I think, from the people I talked to, our voters in this county genuinely value what this board has done, a majority of this board, in protecting and in approving well, better charter schools. I think you heard a beautiful example of how charter schools can truly bring innovation to education that is desperately needed.

I think another thing for me personally, and I know for so many in my community, these forums that you've been holding. I've been to every single one of them, been a part of the planning for every single one of them, every single one of these forums, open to the community on these critical issues. The last one, of course, being Critical Race Theory and Ethnic Studies have been invaluable to me as a researcher, as a former educator, and trying to help out my own community. I think this board has steadfastly listened to parents and allowed parents to speak more than any other entity in the county. To see this board be dramatically changed, I think would change our ability to have access to things like forums, to have access to expanded charter schools, to have access to just the right to speak. I urge you, choose an option that will preserve the nature and the makeup of this board. Thank you for your time.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: That is the last public comment.

ROLEN: Thank you, Mr. Vice President. It's the will of the board where we go from here. As you can see from Dr. Johnson's presentation that it was driven by the Voting Rights Act and the traditional redistricting principles. He used a lot of that terminology in the presentation. We have also had significant public comment in support of Maps number 5, Map number 4, and Map number 9. I respectfully submit to the board that we should discuss each map or each group of maps separately; and then make a determination, which map if any, we bring forward to the December 8 meeting for consideration.

WILLIAMS: Do we start at Map 1?

ROLEN: If you would like me to drive that discussion, I'm happy to do that?

WILLIAMS: Okay.

ROLEN: We don't have the demographics up there right now. I have some notes at my disposal. Maps number 1, 2, and 3 were brought forth. Let's discuss 1, 2, and 3 separately, together shall we? Maps number 1, 2, and 3 were brought forward at the last meeting. There was some public dismay about the maps not based on their demographics, but based on the fact that Cypress was separated from other communities that they wished they were together with. We redrew. Those maps are up for your consideration and discussion now based on the demographics, the zero population deviations, and the absence of Cypress. If you would like to drive the discussion going to your right and left as you generally do?

WILLIAMS: Sure. For the record, we had approximately 50 emails on the issue of Cypress not being within a community of interest in District 2. Based upon that, I think the other goal by, let me digress. We have that issue of Cypress not being in District 2, same thing with Map 9. Cypress is not in District 2 in Map 9. It is in all of the other ones, but there's a lot of renumbering. Another issue that we want of course is the community of interest. We want as the traditional redistricting principles are, we want to preserve the existing election areas. We want to plan for a future growth. We want to respect the voters' choice and the continuity of office.

My thought was on Options 1, 2, and 3, although I think Doug did them purposely to create a north, and the south, and east, and west, and the central district, I liked that concept. He kept all of the districts the numbering the same. The numbering, for the record, has significance in that in some of these maps it prohibits the current trustees from running for reelection so that's an issue with some of these maps. But for Options, 1, 2, and 3, the biggest one that I see is that Cypress is not included in District 2.

SPARKS: I would just add in terms of what I see in my district area for those three maps in terms of community of interest. I'm basically cut out of about 35% of my current district with Option 1 cutting out Lake Forest, Rancho Santa Margarita, Mission Viejo, Laguna Hills, Coto de Caza, that whole area. I just lose 35% in Option 1. In Option 2, it's not the same at all, at all. Again, losing, it just doesn't even make sense to me. In Option 3, I lose about 15% of the area around Lake Forest, Trabuco Canyon, Mission Viejo, Laguna Woods. But I do pick up in Option 3 about 8%, so not as much of Costa Mesa it looks like. I mean, I'm guessing, maybe 5% there.

I'm experiencing the same similar thing in terms of my communities of interest not being represented in those three maps.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. We're not going to have any map that's perfect. That's for sure.

SPARKS: No, I know that, but I'm just, you know, for the public.

ROLEN: I guess we know where you stand.

SPARKS: I mean, I don't know.

ROLEN: Trustee Gomez, do you have any thoughts about maps number one, two, or three?

GOMEZ: One, two, and three, I don't like any of them so that's easy for me. I don't like the way they're drawn. I do like the data. I'm a little, well, I won't say a little disappointed. I'm very disappointed that we don't have the same data for each of the maps so that we could actually look at them. We're looking at drawings and some of the later maps without the same kind of data that we got for Options 1, 2, and 3. You know, I objected the last time around when we first talked about these maps, that our names were put in the maps. I think that biases the maps and the way people look at them. I see then Option 2, we are still listed on there. You know, as much as we've all been duly elected, I think we need to do what's right for the county as opposed to preserving our right to run for reelection. I don't like any. I don't like Maps 1, 2, or 3.

SPARKS: Can I ask a question?

ROLEN: Certainly.

SPARKS: Now, voter registration, is it possible to have a larger voter turnout than voter registration in terms of percentage?

ROLEN: It's absolutely possible, but it's not part of the consideration to these maps.

SPARKS: I know, but I noticed that was occurring here, so I just wanted to throw that out there.

GOMEZ: What are you looking at Lisa?

SPARKS: On the back of Option 1 and also Options 9, if you look under voter registration if you look just under, for example the percentage of the White estimate, it's 59% for voter registration for November 2020 and for voter turnout for November 2020 its 61%. It is a higher percentage. I thought that was kind of odd. I just wanted to point that out.

ROLEN: I wanted to respond to Trustee Gomez regarding the data. Every time we had data, we provided it. Some of the maps were provided without the underlying data so that's the only reason they were omitted.

GOMEZ: Well, I'm going to defer on that, because we just went through this with Tustin and our citizens provided maps. We used the same firm, and they were able to do the data the way that you see it presented on Options 1, 2, and 3. I'm a little bit disturbed by the fact that we're not able to compare the same kind of data for each of these maps. I really have a difficult time looking at these maps when we don't have all the data that we need. I look at the data. You can see I've highlighted the lines of data that I want to take a look at, and I don't have that on some of the other maps. I think it's a little bit difficult for us to make that decision about which maps we want to move forward without all of the data.

ROLEN: One would agree. It seems to be the will of the board that Maps 1, 2, and 3 will not be brought forward for consideration on December 8?

SPARKS: Well, I think that's what I'm hearing, but I'd like to discuss the other maps maybe before.

WILLIAMS: I agree.

ROLEN: We're going to 4 next.

SPARKS: Oh, okay. But do we have to decide right now, or can we discuss all the maps?

ROLEN: We can reach a consensus about which maps we want to bring forward. There's no decision being made or no approval process until the eighth.

SPARKS: Oh okay. Got it.

ROLEN: This is just discussion at a public hearing.

SPARKS: Okay.

BARKE: Do you want us to just informally decide that we're not going to push forward 1, 2, and 3? Is that?

GOMEZ: I'm okay with that.

ROLEN: That seems to be the will of the board.

WILLIAMS: I am okay with that.

SPARKS: Yeah. I am okay.

WILLIAMS: Just for the record consensus here on all four of us agreeing, Maps 1, 2, and 3 will not be brought forward to next week.

SPARKS: I don't see a need.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

ROLEN: Moving on to Map number 4, we had two members come forth in public comment in support of Map number 4.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. I made Map number 4 out of the overwhelming response from the community, over 50 emails that we received wanting Cypress in District number 2. The intent of this was to bring Cypress into number two and also to preserve another interested community. That is the arm of Tustin, which is around the Tustin community golf course and is within the Irvine and is within the unincorporated parts of the county there. It builds upon the concepts of the contiguous nature of these maps. It has no effect on any of the district numbers so that means the current incumbent can run at the next election. When you change the district numbers, for instance in some of these maps, like District 3 goes to another existing district, but my term is completed in 2024, but my residents would be in another term. Map number 4 preserves the existing election areas and the right of the current trustee to run for reelection. In regards to the comment about the demographic comparison that Doug gave us here, in option - with the Latino community has 52% and with the Asian community has 33%, the same as 1, 2, 3. Certainly the Asian community doesn't go to 25% like it does in Map 9 or 31% in Map 10.

It maintains the Asian community and recognizes that Eastern Garden Grove, which, by the way, the eventual adoption by the Orange County Supervisors was Map 5-A1. They did a very similar type of mapping of Eastern Garden Grove into District 1. That was promoted by an organization called the People Redistricting Alliance, the ACLU of Southern California, the California Healthy Nail Salon, Coalition for Human Immigrant Rights, Council on American Islamic Relations, Latino Health Access, Orange County Asian Pacific Islander Community Alliance, the Orange County Development, Orange County Environmental Justice, Orange County Voter Information Project, and Pacific Islander Health Partnership, and Resilience of Orange County and South Asian Network and VietRise. Map 4 preserves a high percentage of Asian population in District 2 there.

Regarding the balance, it's only off by 2,300. I don't think that's significant. It's only 0.37%. It meets all of the federal laws and the Voting Rights Act so that's my thoughts and reasoning behind Map 4.

ROLEN: So how do you really feel? Trustee Sparks?

SPARKS: Okay. I have a question and a comment. Is this part of Huntington Beach, or is this just Costa Mesa? I can't tell, because I don't have the numbers. Let me make my comment and then I'll ask the question. My comment is like in the other, I am eyeballing it because I don't have the numbers that I would also like to see that Beckie referred to on the back of this sheet. It looks like I'm losing in this Lake Forest, Rancho Santa Margarita, Mission Viejo, Laguna Hills, and that whole area that I currently have by about 15 to 20%. I'm eyeballing it here. But then I'm gaining, it looks like parts of Costa Mesa and it looks like parts of Huntington Beach, so maybe that's a swap a little bit. I can't tell.

WILLIAMS: No map is going to be perfect.

SPARKS: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: No map is going to be the same.

SPARKS: No. I know. I know. I know. I am just pointing out.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. In fact, if that's what we like, I may offer Option 4-A for the next meeting. I'll think that over with the comments that I'm receiving from the public today, but you know, there's a swap. No district is going to be perfect.

SPARKS: No, I understand. I just can't tell, like I feel like looking at, it looks like I'm losing a lot over here, but maybe I'm gaining as much over here and it's fine. I still represent the, you know, a lot of folks in that area so that's fine. But since we're having public comment, I want to give my public comment.

ROLEN: Trustee Gomez, Map number 4.

GOMEZ: This looks a little gerrymandered to me. However, if the public has expressed an interest in this map, and if Trustee Williams is willing to make some adjustments based on what we heard tonight, I'll support the map just to go forward for the discussion. I don't like the map, but I will respect what we're trying to accomplish here.

ROLEN: Trustee Barke?

BARKE: Yeah. I just want to be clear on what the changes are based on the comment tonight, what you're looking forward to change?

ROLEN: Yeah. That would be something we'd have to make very clear, because we'd have to be able to create that map extremely quickly.

BARKE: Right.

ROLEN: To give the public an opportunity to comment before December 8.

WILLIAMS: It's going to be posted, Friday?

BOYD: Friday.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. Friday.

BARKE: Friday. I also don't have a problem with bringing it forward. Because we're not making a decision tonight, so pushing it forward is fine. I was just looking to better understand what changes you're looking for, or the public is. I'm still new at this and trying to understand all of it.

ROLEN: It seems to be the will of the board, that Map number 4 will be brought forward on December 8 for further consideration.

SPARKS: I'm open to that.

BARKE: I'm okay with that.

SPARKS: Minor adjustments.

GOMEZ: If you make adjustments, why don't we just label that as 4-A so that we know what those are?

WILLIAMS: Exactly. Exactly.

ROLEN: That should probably be discussed right now then, to see what adjustments the board is desiring so we can give the demographer clear direction if he can even accomplish that.

SPARKS: I think for me, it would just be, I know there's no perfect map and I get that. I know I'm new at this, too. I don't really 100% know, but I can see things. If there just could be a little bit of a balance in terms of cuts and additions in each of the districts that aren't too dramatic.

WILLIAMS: Be more specific.

SPARKS: Well, for example, this space here, cutting out 15 to 20% of what I currently have in District 5, which are the cities of Lake Forest, Rancho, Mission Viejo, Laguna Hills, those are gone. In this map, they're going to your district, so I don't get those. But, it looks like I gain about 5 to 8% of Costa Mesa and part of Huntington Beach, but it's not the same percentage. I'm losing more than I'm gaining.

ROLEN: What I would suggest.

GOMEZ: But that has to do with population density though. It's not just space.

SPARKS: That's why I'm saying I don't fully understand, but I'm just eyeballing it. If I had the numbers, I could see it a little bit better.

GOMEZ: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. Map 4 was meant to be built upon the concept of Maps 1, 2, and 3.

SPARKS: And I appreciate that.

WILLIAMS: The north, and south, and east, and west, and the central district.

SPARKS: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: What I'm hearing from you, you want to have more south in your district. You move the boundaries a little bit.

SPARKS: I just want to make sure I'm representing the people that I'm representing.

ROLEN: Okay. What I would suggest then is that the demographer take a look at the transcript of this evening's meeting. See if he can accomplish a map that meets all the criteria that satisfies your-

SPARKS: I mean, I don't have to have everything I'm asking for. I'm just saying I want it to be considered.

ROLEN: Okay. Absolutely. Trustee Gomez, do you have anything to add to that?

GOMEZ: No, I don't like the map. But for purposes of discussion, I'll go along with that.

ROLEN: I appreciate that.

BARKE: I guess at this point I would just make a comment just for all those listening, I don't think they are here; but, we did receive tens of letters. Ken said 50. I'm not sure if it wasn't even more than 50 that people wanted to keep Cypress in District 2, and I just appreciate the response from the public that they want to stay together and they, you know, expressed that.

SPARKS: And I got a lot of responses about keeping the coastal cities together as well.

WILLIAMS: That was especially heard if you look at the Board of Supervisors and watched their process.

SPARKS, GOMEZ: Yes.

WILLIAMS: That was very political. The Katrina Foley effect was very visualized there. I thought that was wrong. Yeah, we'll bring a new map. We'll ask Doug to take a look at that, listen to what we said, listen to it. You validated Lisa, you're looking to have more of the south county in your district. That may mean that you change the borders a little bit north or a little bit east, but I'll bring something different.

SPARKS: If I could just see the numbers, then I know more about what I'm talking about, you know?

WILLIAMS: Absolutely. Absolutely.

SPARKS: Because, it's sort of a feeling and an eyeballing at this point.

WILLIAMS: Sure.

ROLEN: Brings us to Map number 5, which is again created from Maps, 1, 2, and 3 in response to the public comment about Cypress, similar to Map number 4.

SPARKS: While I'm talking, on Option 5, this one seems to me, in terms of what I just expressed, to have a little bit more of a balance. It's cutting out about 10 to 12% in terms of Lake Forest, Laguna Woods, Mission Viejo, but it's gaining more of Huntington Beach. It seems a little more balanced. Again, I'm just looking at my district. I'm not looking at the whole thing.

WILLIAMS: So, you like Option 5?

SPARKS: Well, it seems more balanced to me in my area, but you know.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Okay.

SPARKS: Again, I know we have to do it sort of countywide, so I get that.

WILLIAMS: I'm fine with Option 5. Yeah, I can go on.

BARKE: I'm also fine with Option 5.

ROLEN: Okay. We have three, I don't mean to interrupt you Trustee Gomez. How do you feel about Option 5?

GOMEZ: Well, I'm just looking at the numbers, the citizen voting age. The difference between four and five, the total difference is exactly the same. They're just, you know, slightly different within each district. Yeah, I don't like Map 5. I didn't see really any public support for Map 5, so I would say, no on Map 5.

BARKE: I thought Map 5 was what the demographer did based on the public comment received about Cypress. Is that my understanding?

ROLEN: That's correct.

SPARKS: In Map 4 and 5, Beckie's districts look very, very similar. There's not a lot of variability.

GOMEZ: Just the top tail of Tustin, but Tustin Unified includes a chunk of North Tustin, which is not included in either map. But I think that Maps 4 and 5 take into account the Cypress issue if you look at those two. Looking at the continuity of Area 1, that's where it looks strange. It's got that little neck between Santa Ana and it looks like Anaheim.

WILLIAMS: For Option 5?

GOMEZ: Between Option 4 and 5, they're pretty, pretty similar with the exception of the north end of Tustin. We are splitting Tustin. Option 4 splits Tustin. Option 5 includes Tustin, the city of Tustin, not the school district.

WILLIAMS: So, are you for Map 5 going on to next week to be considered?

GOMEZ: I'll consider it.

WILLIAMS: Is that a yes or no?

GOMEZ: I'll consider it.

WILLIAMS: Okay, so it's yes.

GOMEZ: I don't like it, but I'll consider it.

BARKE: So, we've decided unanimously if I'm following this conversation so far to push forward 4, which may become 4-A and 5.

ROLEN: Did you envision 4 becoming 4-A or there being a new map of 4-A?

WILLIAMS: What I envisioned, if there is a consensus of the board, is to create another map. A little alteration of 4 and we'll call that 4-A, so we have Map 4 and 4-A to consider.

ROLEN: Okay, with the considerations that Trustee Sparks articulated.

WILLIAMS: Right.

GOMEZ: Is 5 really 4-A?

SPARKS: No, not in my opinion. We are going to make little tweaks to 4, not big tweaks. Because 5 is-

WILLIAMS: I don't know what Doug is going to do as far as the tweaks.

SPARKS: Oh, yeah. Okay. He will look at the numbers and stuff too.

WILLIAMS: He looks at all the data. Yeah.

SPARKS: Right.

WILLIAMS: I have no idea what he is going to do.

SPARKS: Will he be able to turn it around in two days?

ROLEN: I don't know. I'm going to try to find out tonight.

WILLIAMS: Yeah.

GOMEZ: He's got another associate that might be able to do it.

ROLEN: Right. There's a gentleman named Lucas.

GOMEZ: Justin, Justin, its Justin. Hopefully that, I mean, Doug I'm sure is probably kind of a little out of commission.

WILLIAMS: Very.

ROLEN: Right, 10-4. With the indulgence of the board, I want to treat Maps 6, 7, and 8 the same way Dr. Johnson treated them. My understanding is they were submitted by a community member, and they were the same maps that were submitted in the Board of Supervisors process. We didn't have a lot of data related there too, and the Board of Supervisors rejected the map. I think he articulated some other renumbering issues regarding 6, 7, and 8.

WILLIAMS: Can I put it on the record some of my thoughts -

ROLEN: Absolutely.

WILLIAMS: On 6, 7, and 8?

ROLEN: That is what it is for.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Map number 6, the individual who submitted it was Mr. Tom Berry from an organization called Mappings and GIS. Basically, Map number 6 is a Board of Supervisor of Map number 2, which was not approved. It renumbers old districts except 3 and 4. New boundaries are drawn up and it split cities and school districts. Again, this map also removes the coastal cities from District 5, which was very strongly heard at the Board of Supervisors that the community doesn't want District number 5 to lose the coastal communities. Unfortunately, with Map 6, it does. The affect upon District number 2, it removes Trustee Barke as an incumbent; and therefore, she cannot run in June of 2022. She is effectively termed out. But you can run based upon your residence in June of '24, but you cannot use the title as a member of the Orange County Board of Education.

Also, in Map number 6, this affects me personally in my district. Because, under this map, that district now becomes number 5. We have two districts that are up for reelection in June. That is District number 2 and 5. Districts number 1, 3, and 4 are up in presidential year, so this changes the ability of the trustees to run and the ability of the individuals, constituents to elect their trustee. Let's see what it does to who trustee, I mean District number 4. It changes the basic boundary. It renumbers it to number three. Again, we're going to be making a provisional appointment for this district coming up. That individual would have to run of course in June of 2022 as well as the primary in 2024. And in number 5 as I mentioned, District 5, it removes you from District 5 and puts you in a new district, number 2. You can run in the June '22 election, and you can use "a member of OCDE," but you will not be the incumbent so that's my comments for the record on Map number 6.

ROLEN: Trustee Sparks, any comments on Maps 6, 7, and 8?

SPARKS: Well, I don't like any of them.

ROLEN: Okay. Enough said.

BARKE: Can I just make a quick comment so we save some time? If we're not even considering pushing forth 6, 7, and 8, do we have to talk about them? Does anybody want to talk about 6, 7, 8? I don't want to, you know.

ROLEN: It's important that we make our record.

BARKE: Okay.

WILLIAMS: I think it's important for the record.

GOMEZ: I will say that I won't support those three maps.

BARKE: I don't think anybody wants to support 6, 7, and 8, so can we move on?

ROLEN: It depends if Dr. Williams wants to make a record about Map 6, 7, and 8.

WILLIAMS: I object. I object.

BARKE: Okay. Go for it.

ROLEN: Then, it is going to be part of the public records. Perfect.

WILLIAMS: I spent several hours studying facts.

BARKE: I can tell.

ROLEN: You only did your homework.

WILLIAMS: I did my homework.

GOMEZ: Let him get his notes in the record.

BARKE: Okay.

WILLIAMS: Okay, moving on to Map number 7 or Option number 7. Let me get that. Again, this was submitted by Tom Berry. The email that came in, that he asked us to put it into the record was just an email with a URL link to the three various Board of Supervisor maps. This is actually Board of supervisor Map number 4. This was again, for the record, not adopted by the Board of Supervisors. This map does not renumber Districts 3, 4, and 5, but renumbers Districts 2 and 1. It reverses Beckie and Mari's district, and as such, it effectively terms you out in June of 2024. Barke, she cannot run in June of 2022, so you are effectively termed out because those two districts were changed. District 3, 4, and 5 really has no impact so that's my review and remarks on Map number 7 for the record.

BARKE: Please, please share about 8 now.

SPARKS: We are on the edge of our seat.

WILLIAMS: Map number 8. Okay, again, Mr. Tom Berry submitted this from the organization Mappings and GIS. This is actually the Board of Supervisor number 5 Map. It does renumber Districts 1, 2, and 5. New boundary areas are drawn up. Also, it moves many of the southern county cities out of the coastal District number 5. In fact, now District 5 is the central district for Beckie, so basically, everybody is renumbered in this, boundaries are changed. Again, just like in, oh, Beckie, you'll love this.

GOMEZ: Oh, I am sure I will. Go ahead.

BARKE: I can't wait.

WILLIAMS: I believe your residence, it actually puts you outside of the district.

GOMEZ: On which map?

BARKE, SPARKS: Eight.

WILLIAMS: I looked at your residence and I think, you're actually in –

GOMEZ: No, it doesn't.

WILLIAMS: Where are you on that? Are you in 5?

GOMEZ: Well, I can't see one particular street.

WILLIAMS: It's pretty close to your residence.

GOMEZ: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: Well, anyway, it continues and it impacts other trustees. It removes Trustee Barke from running in the June '22 election, basically and effectively, she is termed out. You may run, though in District 4 in the primary of 2022. You can use your designation as member of the OCBE, but because it's number 4, you have to run again two years later because it's a provisional appointment. As far as District 3, really, it changes the boundaries to include a coastal southern map, which is I don't think what we want to or intend to do. As far as District number 5, Lisa, you are now in District number 2, and you can run.

SPARKS: I know some people in Tustin.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. It dramatically changes the historically the communities of interest so that's my thoughts on map or Option number 8.

ROLEN: I believe we can move on. We heard some support from Map number 9 this evening. What, if any, thoughts does the board have concerning Map number 9?

SPARKS: Okay, I'll talk first. My only concern with Option 9 is, again, similar to my other earlier concerns, I lose, in the inland part, I lose about 5-8% of my current area, Laguna Woods and Lake Forest. I also lose Costa Mesa representation. It looks like maybe 3-5%. I can't tell exactly, and I'm not gaining anything. Again, I don't know, because my understanding there is a lot of additional growth or there's some additional growth in the Mission Viejo area, so maybe that's why. I don't know. But that part of it, I don't really love.

ROLEN: There doesn't seem to be any disagreement about the demographics related to this map. That there's a 2.18% deviation, about 14,000 voters and I guess it's the Asian American demographic has only 28.6% so that's something.

WILLIAMS: Are we on Map 9?

ROLEN: We are on Map 9.

WILLIAMS: Yeah, it's 25%. That's what Doug gave us.

ROLEN: Okay.

WILLIAMS: So, it's actually lower than that. When you're ready, I can go ahead and give you my thoughts on Map 9.

ROLEN: Certainly.

GOMEZ: Wait a minute. Wait a minute. Wait a minute. Doug gave you some information that we don't have?

ROLEN: It is 25 on the presentation.

WILLIAMS: No, you have it.

BARKE: No. Yeah, he is taking it off here.

ROLEN: I got it wrong.

BARKE: Yeah, he is just –

GOMEZ: Oh, that presentation. Okay, but that wasn't in our agenda pack.

BARKE: No. Yeah it was. I took this out of the -

BOYD: It is in the red folder.

BARKE: Red folder, sorry. Yes. Red folder.

GOMEZ: Okay. I know, but what I'm saying is that the public hasn't seen this part, right? Because all we got -

BARKE: They saw it tonight.

SPARKS: It's in the presentation.

ROLEN: It's the same one that was posted and in the presentation.

GOMEZ: I know, but my point is that the public needs to have time to absorb information as well. If the public just saw it tonight -

BOYD: The information that was sent today was not posted.

ROLEN: But it's the same information that was posted, the same maps.

BOYD: No.

GOMEZ: No.

BOYD: Not the data. We didn't have the data.

WILLIAMS: But we do have the next public hearing a week from today, so we are going to get that.

GOMEZ: We have the data now in this packet, so then we need to get this posted.

WILLIAMS: Yes.

GOMEZ: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: We are going to work very hard on that, the Executive Committee along with Darou and Nina.

SPARKS: Is that video posted today, tonight? Is it posted?

BARKE: The video, I mean, they can watch it live.

BOYD: The video was live. That was the first time everybody saw it.

SPARKS: Oh, but it will be posted.

ROLEN: We received these late last night. I got them over to you at 5 in the morning or something, right?

BOYD: Yes, you did.

ROLEN: Right. But, the point that Trustee Gomez is trying to make that it probably should end up on the redistricting web page. Is that what she's saying, the additional data?

GOMEZ: I am here, so yes, that's what I said.

ROLEN: I'm looking to her to interpret for me.

GOMEZ: Well, that's why I'm saying. I'm in the room, so yes, I think that the data that we got today, this needs to go on the redistricting -

ROLEN: Website.

GOMEZ: Website.

ROLEN: Okay.

WILLIAMS: Agreed.

BARKE: I clearly think in the future, we may need popcorn for these meetings.

SPARKS: Yup.

ROLEN: This is how democracy works.

GOMEZ: It's messy.

ROLEN: Yeah.

SPARKS: Yup, and Mendocino Farms.

GOMEZ: Oh, now you want good snacks?

SPARKS: Yes.

ROLEN: Trustee Sparks, any further thoughts on number 9?

SPARKS: No, I think that's kind of what I can eyeball for the moment.

ROLEN: Trustee Williams?

WILLIAMS: Okay. Get some popcorn, sit back, relax. This map contains all of the correct numbering of the district with new boundaries. It also does include (inaudible) central partisan data that was prescribed on the back showing the voter partisan registration for the different districts, but that's not a part of our discussion today.

ROLEN: That's correct.

WILLIAMS: As far as the big part of this, Cypress is not in District number 2, it's actually in District number 4. The other big part of my criticism for this map is that the Asian community in District 2 is low. It's 25%. It does, if I could get to that, it does change the district for, bear with me here, it changes my district, so I won't be able to run. I'm effectively termed out in 2024, and I will be unable to run until 2026 so that negatively impacts my particular district. I'm not in District 3, I would actually be in District 5 so that would be my objection to that. District 4, we talked about Cypress being in District 4 and not in District 2. With Lisa, it doesn't impact her at all.

SPARKS: Well, it impacts me a little bit. But, I know what you are saying.

BOYD: Just for the record, we did make copies of the documents, so I just asked Renee to hand those to the people that were here.

ROLEN: Perfect. Thank you very much.

WILLIAMS: Map number 9, I'm in your district, so I'm going to run against you in a few years. Okay.

SPARKS: I have in an address in your district, so (inaudible).

WILLIAMS: Just a little humor.

ROLEN: Trustee Barke, any thoughts on Map number 9?

BARKE: No. The only thing I would say is that it didn't take into consideration the communities of interest with Cypress that we heard a lot of public comments so that's all I would comment on.

ROLEN: Trustee Gomez since you're in the room?

GOMEZ: Since I am in the room, I think that we should advance Option number 9 since that's what we heard from the public.

ROLEN: Okay. Let me poll the board, I believe we have Trustee Sparks with some concerns, but I don't have a committal vote. We have Trustee Williams against moving Map 9 forward. We have Trustee Barke against moving Map number 9 forward based on the Cypress issue. We have Trustee Gomez for moving Map number 9 forward, so Trustee Sparks, where are you on this?

SPARKS: I just don't like that I'm losing my communities of interest in Lake Forest, Laguna Woods, but I'm also losing Costa Mesa. I'm not gaining anything. It's still cuts for me. On balance, I'm tipping in that direction.

ROLEN: I can't address any voter registration. I just don't know.

SPARKS: Right. Right.

ROLEN: Since there's a split, why don't we just move it forward and consider it at the next meeting?

BARKE: I would support that.

GOMEZ: Yeah, I think that's reasonable.

WILLIAMS: Hold on here. Let's rethink this, so we're going to advance a map that the whole premise from the last month's meeting, a map that doesn't have Cypress in it? You want to advance that?

BARKE: I didn't say I liked the map or I wanted it. I just said I would be agreeable to advance it.

ROLEN: That's not a vote for or against any map. We are simply, we're narrowing the choices for the next public hearing.

WILLIAMS: Well then, we should probably consider Map 1, 2, and 3, because it's the same thing. Cypress is not in District 2. My rationale is that it shouldn't be advanced at all based upon the criteria that we've already established. I'm just a little bit hard core, and I have strong feelings about this.

GOMEZ: Well, I agreed to advance a couple maps that I didn't like either. I mean, for purposes of discussion, I mean, I think we need to do some of that. I mean, this is what it's going to look like. I mean, we're going to have changes.

WILLIAMS: Yeah. Basically, Map number 9, I mean, when you're decreasing the Asian community, the 25%, when all the other maps are around 33%, that's a huge, real concern. The percent deviation in the total number is fine. That's way under the 10%, but it's the Asian community that's negatively impacted by this.

SPARKS: Well, I think also you made a point that you would be out of your district in this map.

WILLIAMS: Right.

SPARKS: In the end, I'm not going to approve this. If you're out of your district, that's not cool.

BARKE: Especially if you're in hers.

SPARKS: If you're in mine, I'm not going to approve that at all, so why move it forward?

ROLEN: Why don't you two settle this in the parking lot?

SPARKS: If Cypress is out too, that's too, if I'm moving out of my own community representation, those two things bother me.

WILLIAMS: Are you wanting this to go forward?

SPARKS: Not really.

WILLIAMS: Did I just convince you, or did you do that on your own volition?

SPARKS: Probably a little of both.

ROLEN: A little of both, yeah. A little of both.

GOMEZ: Yeah, but I think it's my understanding that, you know, when you do this redistricting, it's not going to come out nice and clean. I mean, some people might not be able to run just because of the change in boundaries, other people will be fine. But then you have to, it might take two election cycles to get everybody back in the right district.

SPARKS: That doesn't make any sense.

GOMEZ: Yeah it does.

ROLEN: That's what Dr. Johnson talked about with -

GOMEZ: Yeah, exactly.

SPARKS: Yeah, no, it doesn't make sense.

ROLEN: It is something to take into consideration.

GOMEZ: Well, you may not like it, but that happens.

WILLIAMS: I didn't like it when Andrew Doe did that to Katrina Foley.

SPARKS: Yeah.

WILLIAMS: I thought that was just not right. If you look at some of the issues that we're looking at here, it is the ability of the elected person representing that community and those constituents to run again. To automatically cut and term somebody out based upon politics, you didn't like the person, or you liked them, or whatever, I don't think that's right. I would never do it to you. I would never do that despite we disagree on many different public policy and governance issues. I love you a lot, and I would never do that to you.

ROLEN: With all the love in the room, can we have a show of hands who wants number 9?

GOMEZ: Well, I think we need to listen to the public. We had a lot of people here that supported Map 9.

AUDIENCE: [Inaudible voices are heard].

GOMEZ: I think that we need to advance that, because that's what the public has been here to comment about. That's the whole purpose of a public hearing.

WILLIAMS: It is a public hearing.

ROLEN: Do you want to have a show of hands?

WILLIAMS: Yeah, why don't we do a show of hands.

ROLEN: Okay. Which trustees would like Map number 9 to move forward to December 8? We have one.

BARKE: I mean, I don't know. I'll stay out of it.

GOMEZ: Well, you can't stay out of it.

SPARKS: I'm not comfortable moving it forward given these arguments that I've heard.

ROLEN: We know where you are Trustee Williams. Trustee Barke, do you want to move Map number 9 forward or not?

BARKE: I guess I don't because of Cypress. That was a big community interest, and I think despite the hearing and hearing people tonight, I counted, and there were six people that liked Map 9; but there were over 50 letters, if not more, that wanted Cypress in District 2, so I will go with the data.

ROLEN: Moving on to number 10.

AUDIENCE: [An inaudible voice is heard]

ROLEN: Ask for order.

WILLIAMS: I'm sorry, this is not a dialogue with the public. This is dialogue for the board business, so let's continue on with number 10.

SPARKS: So, Map number 10, may I?

ROLEN: You certainly may.

SPARKS: Map number 10 makes no sense to me whatsoever, at all. It moves people all around it. It cuts out all of my district. It moves me inland. It just doesn't make any sense. I don't know the percentages, but just eyeballing it, it's crazy.

ROLEN: No, the percentages, yeah, the demographics were provided.

SPARKS: It's crazy. Yeah.

ROLEN: It's a 9.22% deviation.

SPARKS: Yeah.

ROLEN: With close to 60,000 deviation per voter.

SPARKS: It is too much, yeah.

ROLEN: Trustee Williams, where are you, going right to left?

WILLIAMS: Well (inaudible) difference to Steven Ochoa who submitted this from MALDEF, this map to me is political gerrymandering. It renumbers all the districts except District 1. Basically, it removes Barke, myself, and Sparks from affect them running. The district map, as far as the data, is very close to the constitutional limit of 10% population deviation and the Asian population is low. I think this is really not a good map at all; not representative of the people, not consistent with the theme of the Voting Rights Act, and all the other criteria that we're responsible to take into consideration. I would not be in favor of advancing Map number 10. I think we have, if MALDEF looks at the map, the other maps, District 1, which is a primary Latino district, it's preserved in all of the ones so far that we have advanced. But the gerrymandering, the political nature of this, and how it affects everything, the fact that it's near the constitutional limits, it's troubling.

ROLEN: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: I don't like the map and we don't have data on it, so I will not support this map.

ROLEN: Trustee Barke?

BARKE: I think, let's just make it a consensus and just not support it.

ROLEN: We've had a lot of consensus this evening so that's good. It appears that we're moving maps number 4, perhaps number 4-A, and Map number 5 forward for consideration at the December 8 meeting. I will be in contact with the demographer immediately tomorrow morning, if not tonight, to discuss number 4-A and refer him to the concerns that Trustee Sparks articulated on the YouTube video.

GOMEZ: Okay. I'm going to make one comment. We got a lot of emails about the Cypress. I think it was Cypress, Los Al, that was it. Wasn't it?

BARKE: And the beach cities.

GOMEZ: Okay. Okay. So, are we saying that if we got 50 plus emails to support Map 9, we would consider Map 9?

SPARKS: No. No.

GOMEZ: I'm asking the question because that's what, okay, so here we are listening to the public on those maps. Yet we've got people here supporting Map 9, and we're not listening to them. That's my point.

SPARKS: No, we listened to them, and we took everything under consideration, and we took these additional points into consideration that Ken mapped out. Then, we made a decision based on the additional data we had tonight. We made our decisions based on that data.

GOMEZ: I will tell you that I talked with a representative of LULAC yesterday who also supported Map 9. I mean, we got a lot of different people who are supporting Map 9. I would be very hesitant to not push Map 9 forward for purposes of discussion and consideration.

WILLIAMS: My only thought is that we take into consideration public input, the total input, and there's a lot of moving parts to the decision-making process here. We have to meet the letter of the law, the Voting Rights Act, we have the traditional redistricting principles. Um, I don't know, Mr. Billie Joe Wright probably sounds like he's a very good human being. If we'd probably go out and beer and enjoy each other's company, but the data is real bad for the Asian community, which should be preserved in District 2. You know, we have Cypress that's not in there, which is important to Mari here. And then, I'm termed out.

SPARKS: The fact that your termed out, yeah.

WILLIAMS: It really is. We, as the board, make the decision. We don't send this to the people and our constituents to vote on this. This is a map that the board creates. We're going to be submitting it out of courtesy and difference to the County Committee on December 10th, so we have just one week left to make that decision.

GOMEZ: But, I think the County Committee has the final approval or say so on the maps. They could potentially, I don't know, Greg, would they have the final say if they were to tweak a map or approve a map that was submitted to us, but we didn't push forward? For instance, could the County Commission come back and say, "We like Map 3," that none of us liked. Could that happen?

ROLEN: I'm hesitant to discuss things that were discussed in closed session. That's my only hesitancy.

GOMEZ: We are in open session now.

ROLEN: Right. Right.

GOMEZ: I'm asking the question. Can the County Committee make a change like that?

ROLEN: Based on what?

GOMEZ: Could they pick another map that has been submitted to us, but we didn't move forward?

ROLEN: That's an unsettled legal issue, but the County Committee would have to comply with the, not only the will of the board, but also all the parameters of Education Code Section 1002, which is all the demographics we've been discussing, the Voting Rights Act, population, equality, that kind of thing. Yeah.

GOMEZ: So, if there was a map that we didn't move forward, I'm just using Map 3, not particularly for any reason other than that's not one we move forward. What if the commission decides they like Map 3? Could they support Map 3 and approve Map 3?

ROLEN: They could try.

WILLIAMS: That would not be precedent.

GOMEZ: I'm asking the question from a legal standpoint. I don't know what precedent is.

WILLIAMS: The precedent is the board in 2001 and in 2011, the board selected the map and it went to the County Committee and the county approved. That's the precedent.

GOMEZ: But, legally, could they approve another map? That's my question, from a legal standpoint.

ROLEN: They could try. That's a dead-bang, accurate legal answer. Because, they may be subject to a lawsuit if they deviated from the will of the board or the Voting Rights Act, so simply put, they cannot exercise their discretion in my view, in my humble legal opinion. They can't exercise their discretion willy nilly. They're constrained by the statute.

GOMEZ: Well, I'm not saying willy nilly. I'm just saying if there's a map that was presented, that was legally compliant within the deviation, and come in compliance with the Voting Rights Act, could they select and approve another map?

ROLEN: I don't believe so.

GOMEZ: Okay.

ROLEN: With that, can we close the public hearing?

SPARKS: Yes.

WILLIAMS: Very good.

BARKE: Okay. Thank you. Thank you very much.

SPARKS: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Moving on to number nine.

BARKE: All right, we are moving on to number nine, and Renee.

HENDRICK: Thank you very much, President Barke, members of the board. At this time, we'd like to open a public hearing on the Educator Effectiveness Block Grant that provides funds for the County Office of Education for quality and equity teaching for our educators, administrators, professional educators, and all certificated staff. Hearing no input from the public, I'd like to close the public hearing at this time. Moving on to number ten, well, I guess, this is just a presentation. You guys have the plan in your notebook, so this is part of the ESSER II funding, and it's a specific plan for professional development and that is listed. You're seeing it this evening. You don't actually vote on it until the next meeting.

WILLIAMS: Do we ask questions at this point?

HENDRICK: If that's what you'd like, yes.

WILLIAMS: Of course, of course. This grant, when did it first come to the attention of the staff about this grant? When was it publicly advertised, you know, basic data, information?

HENDRICK: This is what, if you remember we got, I think we received word probably about less than two months ago. We didn't realize it had to go to two subsequent meetings. It was part of the ESSER II package, but it wasn't delineated. This template had to be filled out as far as stating what the plan would be, because you'd already seen part of this plan in August, October.

WILLIAMS: These funds are federal funds?

HENDRICK: They are federal funds, yes.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

HENDRICK: They're specifically for professional development. It's called For Educator Effectiveness.

WILLIAMS: Okay.

HENDRICK: So, it is to help the training in the school sites.

WILLIAMS: It's for our staff or for the entire county?

HENDRICK: No, this is just for OCDE.

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Item: Special Agenda – December 8, 2021
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SPECIAL MEETING
December 8, 2021
4:00 p.m.
Location: *The public meeting will be conducted onsite with limited seating at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92880 and via YouTube live stream at* https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c7Rb6q33N08

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA
Special Board Meeting

WELCOME

CALL TO ORDER — STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Special Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(*)AGENDA — Special Meeting of December 8, 2021 – adoption

(*)MINUTES

PUBLIC COMMENTS

CLOSED SESSION — CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-ANTICIPATED LITIGATION Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 54956.9: (1 case)

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

(*) 1. Approval of Educator Effectiveness Block Grant for the Orange County Department of Education's Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services (ACCESS) and Special Schools.

(*) 2. Approval of Educator Effectiveness Block Grant for the College and Career Preparatory Academy.

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

3. Redistricting Update - Douglas Johnson & Greg Rolen

4. Redistricting Public Hearing #3
- Public Comments

(*) 5. Final Board approval 2021 Trustees Districts

ADJOURNMENT



Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Next Special Board Meeting: Tuesday, December 21. 2021.
Next Regular Board Meeting: Wednesday, January 5, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. The meeting will be held onsite at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92880 with limited seating and via YouTube live stream.

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

DATE: December 8, 2021

TO: Nina Boyd, Deputy Superintendent

FROM: Mari Barke, Board President
Ken L. Williams, D.O., Board Vice President

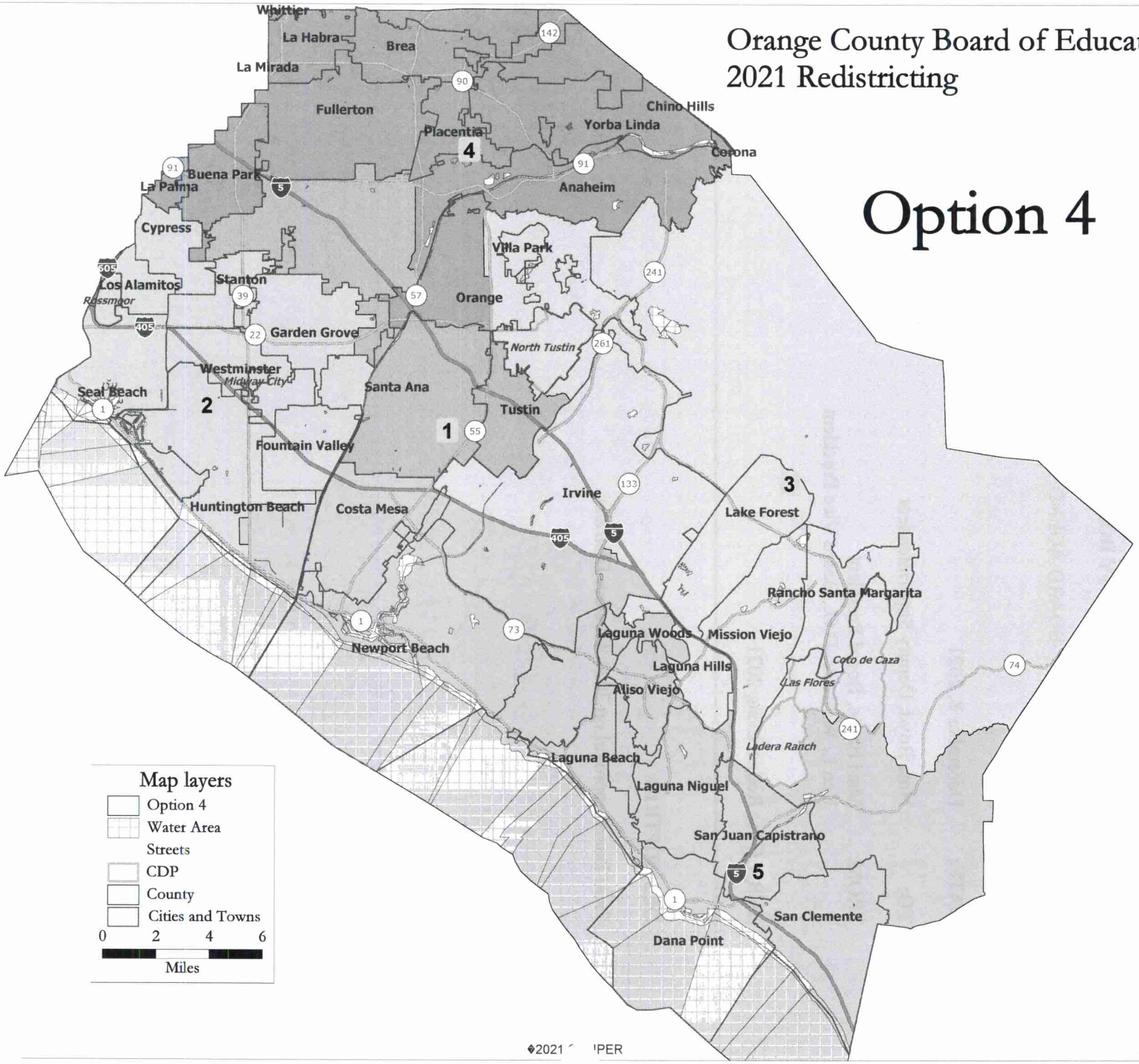
SUBJECT: Redistricting 2021

DESCRIPTION:

Final Board approval on 2021 Trustees Districts

Orange County Board of Education
2021 Redistricting

Option 4



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Option 4							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	639,794	638,653	638,150	638,964	637,445	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	1,193	52	-451	363	-1,156	2,349
	% Deviation	0.19%	0.01%	-0.07%	0.06%	-0.18%	0.37%
Total Pop	% Hisp	66.7%	28%	18%	37%	20%	34%
	% NH White	14%	32%	47%	34%	60%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	35%	30%	24%	15%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	342,939	437,073	411,075	418,049	448,630	2,057,766
	% Hisp	52%	20%	14%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	26%	43%	61%	47%	71%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	19%	33%	22%	21%	12%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	269,996	370,488	384,230	361,972	407,882	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	54%	19%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	49%	17%	12%	26%	10%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	27%	14%	13%	7%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	32%	52%	68%	56%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	210,179	312,193	339,319	309,345	360,499	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	51%	17%	13%	26%	10%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	47%	16%	12%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	14%	13%	6%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	33%	54%	69%	57%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	131,117	213,708	241,453	215,193	265,673	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	48%	16%	11%	23%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	15%	11%	22%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	22%	11%	10%	5%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	37%	60%	73%	63%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	664,058	640,123	620,773	624,547	618,521	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	29%	23%	26%	25%	22%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	56%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	20%	20%	25%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	34%	27%	28%	21%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	59%	56%	56%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	28%	51%	65%	58%	72%	54%
	spanish	58%	19%	11%	24%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	27%	16%	14%	8%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	9%	5%	7%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	32%	24%	12%	17%	9%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	42%	42%	30%	40%	32%	37%
	bachelor	15%	22%	35%	26%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	11%	21%	13%	21%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	44%	33%	37%	35%	26%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	67%	66%	64%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	9%	11%	13%	13%
	income 25-50k	21%	17%	10%	15%	13%	15%
	income 50-75k	20%	15%	11%	16%	13%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	41%	47%	45%	41%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	12%	23%	13%	21%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	68%	74%	70%	63%	66%
	multi-family	48%	32%	26%	30%	37%	34%
	rented	58%	43%	33%	40%	43%	43%
	owned	42%	57%	67%	60%	57%	57%

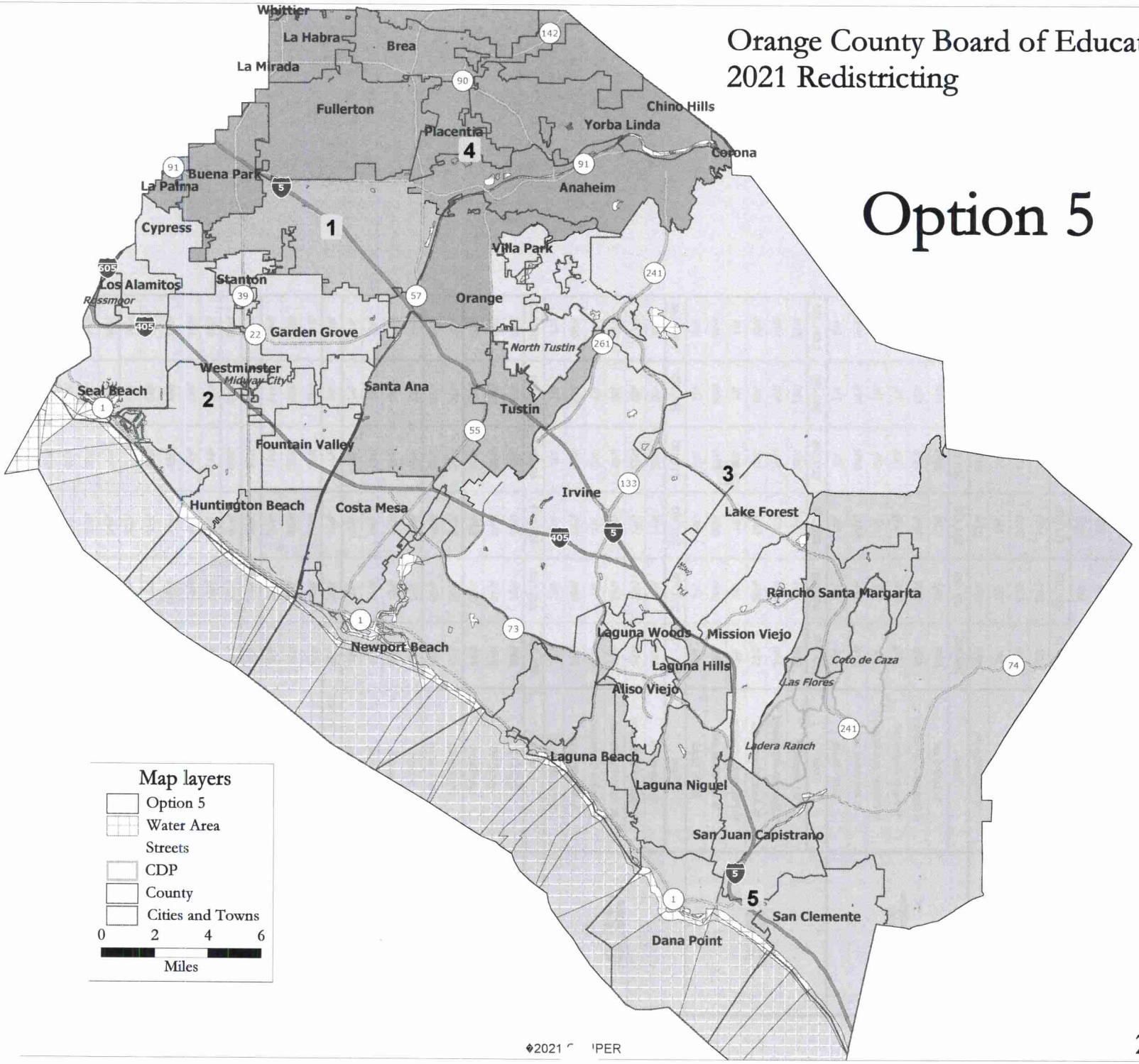
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Orange County Board of Education
2021 Redistricting

Option 5



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	Deviation from ideal	-1	1			1	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	17%	37%	21%	34%
	% NH White	15%	30%	45%	34%	63%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	36%	32%	24%	11%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	432,683	403,750	415,852	460,862	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	22%	14%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	41%	60%	47%	74%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	34%	24%	21%	10%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	362,436	371,403	363,946	424,525	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	20%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	19%	12%	25%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	28%	16%	13%	5%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	49%	67%	56%	80%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	303,976	326,449	311,365	376,495	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	19%	12%	26%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	17%	11%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	28%	15%	13%	5%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	51%	68%	58%	81%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	206,918	234,383	216,928	274,867	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	17%	11%	23%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	16%	11%	21%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	23%	12%	10%	4%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	58%	72%	63%	84%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	643,050	602,064	624,048	638,572	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	24%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	21%	20%	23%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	35%	30%	27%	18%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	57%	57%	58%	55%
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	income 25-50k	20%	17%	11%	15%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	19%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	41%	45%	45%	42%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	11%	20%	14%	23%	16%
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	rented	57%	43%	37%	39%	39%	43%
	owned	43%	57%	63%	61%	61%	57%

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

SPECIAL MEETING

December 8, 2021

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TRANSCRIPTION FOR THE DECEMBER 8, 2021, SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

BARKE: Roll call, Darou?

SISAVATH: Trustee Sparks?

SPARKS: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Williams?

WILLIAMS: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Barke?

BARKE: Here.

SISAVATH: Trustee Gomez?

GOMEZ: Present.

BARKE: Okay. We will do that after, right, after the closed session?

WILLIAMS: We can do it after the closed session.

BARKE: Okay. Yeah. Yeah. Because then, we will have more people.

WILLIAMS: Right. We should adopt the Agenda.

BARKE: Yeah. Yeah.

WILLIAMS: I'll make the motion to adopt the Agenda.

SPARKS: Second.

WILLIAMS: For today.

BARKE: All right, we have a first and a second. All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE, GOMEZ: Aye.

BARKE: Okay. Passes 4-0.

WILLIAMS: We have no minutes. Any public comments?

BOYD: Did we receive any more?

AUDIENCE: [Inaudible voice].

BOYD: None for closed session.

BARKE: Okay. Then, we will be back in an hour [strikes gavel].

[The Orange County Board of Education goes into closed session, and then returns to open session.]

BARKE: We are back. Welcome, all those who have joined us since 4 o'clock. We will get started right away.

WILLIAMS: Yeah, Lorrie is going to do it.

BARKE: We are going to ask Lorrie Kaylor to please come up and do the invocation.

WILLIAMS: We can stand if we want.

BARKE: If you want, you may stand; it is up to you.

LORRIE: Thank you for the opportunity. I would like to read from what Paul prayed over the Corinthians. He said, "Now, I beseech you brethren by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all speak the same thing and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment." Dear heavenly father, we are all here for the children. We pray that we would be of the same mind and the same judgment for their best interest. And we know that the people that love to children the most are their parents, so we do want to keep the parents of the children in mind and what it is that the parents are seeking for the best interest of their children. We thank you for every trustee that's on this board, and for the superintendent, for all the staff, for the attorneys, for are all of the people that work hard here for the kids in this Orange County area. We pray for every single district. We pray for the redistricting decisions. We pray for all the decisions that will be made tonight that will all be for the children. In Jesus name we pray, amen.

BARKE: Thank you, Lorrie. Next, we're going to have Lisa, Dr. Lisa Sparks do the Pledge of Allegiance.

SPARKS: Ready?

AUDIENCE: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

BARKE: Thank you both for that.

WILLIAMS: You want to give a thank you to our security, Sheriff's Department?

BARKE: Sure.

WILLIAMS: We'd like to acknowledge our security provided by the Orange County Sheriff's Department. Thank you, sir, for being here.

BARKE: Yes. Thank you. [Applause].

WILLIAMS: Thank you for your service.

BARKE: Okay. Let's see that again.

WILLIAMS: Public comments.

BARKE: Yes. Okay. So, we have all –

BOYD: Report out from closed session.

BARKE: Oh yes, we do. Mr. Greg Rolen, our special board council.

WILLIAMS: Do we have any general public comments?

BOYD: No, just what you have.

WILLIAMS: Okay. So, these are all for item number four, and we'll do the public comments when we get to that item.

ROLEN: Yes. On closed session number one, the Board received information on a matter of potential litigation and directed the reading out and approval of a resolution. The Board's vote was 3-0-1; Trustees Barke, Williams, and Sparks voting in favor, Trustee Gomez abstaining. So, at this time, I'll read the resolution that the Board approved into the record, and we will post it on the Board's website. Please get comfortable. It's quite lengthy.

"Whereas, Article I, Section 2 of the United States Constitution mandates that an apportionment of representatives among the states be carried out every 10 years; and whereas, United States Census Bureau collected data required by Article I, Section II. The final census population data was validated by the Demographic Research Unit of the United States Department of Finance; and, on September 16th, 2001, the United States Census Bureau released the 2020 Census Redistricting Data (Pub. Law 94-171) Summary File to all states representing a significant delay in the ability of the government entities to meet their mandate;

And whereas, subsequent thereto, the State of California adjusted redistricting data, the redistricting data file, I should say, to reflect the reallocation of data from certain incarcerated persons to their last residential address; and this data had to be returned for another review and was eventually released back to the governing entities;

And whereas, as it had historically done in 2001 and 2011, the Orange County Board of Education proceeded to exercises its authority under Education Code sections 1040 and 35160 and 35161 to create a trustee area redistricting plan.

And whereas, at the May 5, 2021, Regular board meeting, the Board agenda included board discussions - 2021 Census Presentation; and whereas, at the July 2, 2021, Regular Board Meeting, the Board publicly approved the Redistricting Contract for National Demographics Corporation; and whereas, National Demographics Corporation has successfully performed redistricting plans in several states and have received State and National recognition for its demographic expertise;

And whereas, at the June 16 Regular Board Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education, the Board publicly appointed Trustee Williams and Trustee Shaw to the Redistricting Committee; and whereas, at the August 4, 2021, Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education, Dr. Douglas Johnson of National Demographics Corporation made a public presentation on redistricting; and at the October 6, 2021, Regular Board Meeting, the Board received a public update on the Board redistricting process;

And whereas, at the November 3, 2021, Regular Board Meeting, the Board received a public presentation by Dr. Douglas Johnson of National Demographics Corporation on the redistricting process and created three proposed maps with relevant demographic data;

And whereas, at the October 3, 2021, Regular Board Meeting, the Board conducted its first public hearing on the redistricting plan. The Board received public comment on the redistricting plan, not only during the public comment portion of the Board agenda, but also during the public hearing and via electronic mail.

And whereas, at the November 3, 2021, Board Meeting, Dr. Douglas Johnson, presented three proposed maps for the Board and public consideration.

And whereas, at the November 3, 2021, Public Hearing on the Board redistricting plan, the Board welcomed additional maps to be presented by the Board and public no later than November 12th, 2021.

And whereas, on or about November 3, the three presented maps were posted on the Board Redistricting 2021 website.

And whereas, on or before November 12, 2021, the Board received seven additional maps for board consideration.

And whereas, the 10 proposed maps were posted on the Board Restricting 2021 website on or about November 22, 2021.

And whereas, at the November 1 Regular Board Meeting, the Board conducted its second public hearing on the redistricting plan. The Board received public comment on the redistricting plan during the public hearing and via electronic mail.

And whereas, at the November 1, 2021, Regular Board Meeting, the Board considered each proposed map separately. The Board summarily commented on each proposed redistricting map as follows:

Map number 1 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map number 1, for reasons including but not limited to: number one, it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area number 2.

Map number 2 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map number 2 for reasons including but not limited to: number one, it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area number 2.

Map number 3 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map number 3, for reasons including but not limited to: number one, it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area number 2.

Map number 4 - by consensus, the Board agreed to consider Map number 4 at the December 8 Public Hearing for reasons including, but not limited to: number one, Map number 4 appeared responsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area number 2; number two, Map number 4 maintained a 52% Latino Voting Age Population in Trustee Area number 1; number three, Map number 4 maintained a 33% Asian Voting Age Population in Trustee Area number 2; and number four, Map number 4 had a mere .37% deviation that's 2,349 people between the largest and smallest trustee area

Map number 5 - by consensus, the Board agreed to consider Map number 5 at the December 8th, 2021, Public Hearing for reasons including, but not limited to: number one, Map number 5 appeared responsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area number 2. Number two, Map number 5 maintained a 51% Latino Voting Age Population in Trustee Area number 1; number three, Map number 5 maintained a 34% Asian Voting Age Population in Trustee Area number 2; and number four, map number 5 has a 0% deviation, one person between the largest and smallest trustee area.

Map number 6 - by consensus, the Board approved Map number 6 for reasons, including, but not limited to: number one, Map number 6 was created for the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board. Number two, Map number 6 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to consider whether it was come compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly equal in population as they may be. Number three, Map number 6 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors.

Map number 7 - by consensus, the Board disapproved Map number 7 for reasons including, but not limited to: number one, Map number 7 was created by the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board. Number two, Map number 7 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly equal in population as they may be. And number three, Map number 7 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors.

Map number 8 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map number 8, for reasons including, but not limited to: number one, Map number 8 was created for the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board. Number two, Map number 8 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to consider whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly equal in population as they may be. And number three, Map number 8 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors.

Map number 9 - by consensus, the Board disapproved number nine for reasons including, but not limited to: number one, Map number 9 appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2. Number two, Map number 9 had the lowest Asian Voting Age Population in Trustee Area number 2, at 25%. Number three, Map 9 had a 2.18% deviation, 13,940 people between the largest and smallest trustee area. Number four, trustee Map number 9, redistricted two existing incumbent board members in the same trustee area, redistricted, I should say, two trustee areas, existing board members within the same trustee area. And number five, Map number 9 was submitted with extraneous partisan registration data. Number six, Map number 9 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to consider whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act.

Map number 10 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map number 10 for reasons including, but not limited to: number one, Map number 10 has a 9.22% deviation, 58,864 people between the largest and smallest trustee areas. Number two, several trustee districts were renumbered. Number three, Map number 10, alters many current trustee areas and thereby does not respect voter choices/continuity in office.

Therefore, the Orange County Board of Education hereby resolves as follows:

Number one, at the December 8, 2021, Public Hearing, the Board will consider public comment in advance of consideration of Maps number 4 and number 5. And number two, the Board will approve a Trustee Area Redistricting Plan at the December 8th, 2021, Public Hearing. Number three, the Board will submit a board approved Trustee Redistricting Plan to Orange County Registrar of Voters as soon as practicable in advance of the December 15, 2021, adjustment process deadline to assist the Registrar in performing its function under such truncated and compressed timeline. Number four, as was done in 2001 and 2011 on December 10th, 2021, the Board will present its approved plan to the County Committee on School District Organization, exclusively pursuant to Education Code section 1002 (b) which states in relevant part, ""Following each decennial federal Census, using population figures validated by the Population Research Institute of the Department of Finance as a basis, the county committee shall adjust the boundaries of any or all trustee areas of the County Board of Education as necessary to meet the population criteria set forth in subdivision (a).""

Number five, the Board has not previously made any request and the Board makes no request, to the County Committee under Education Code section 1002 (a) to change to the boundaries of any trustee area of the county, to increase or decrease the number of members of the county board of education, or otherwise to take any action under Education Code section 1002 (a).

BARKE: Thank you very much.

ROLEN: Does anybody have any oxygen?

AUDIENCE: [Laughter].

WILLIAMS: Sorry.

BARKE: No worries. Okay. We are going to move on to public comment.

WILLIAMS: Wait, do we have any general public comments?

BOYD: Only if they state so on there.

WILLIAMS: Okay. So, to the public, we have, it looks like 11 public comments on agenda item number four. When we get there, we will hear from you, so we will move on. Staff Recommendations.

BARKE: Okay.

WILLIAMS: I'll make the motion for item number 11, excuse me, one.

BARKE: I'll go ahead and second it.

WILLIAMS: I have no discussion, no questions.

BARKE: Okay. Any discussion or questions? No. Okay. Then, we'll call for the vote. All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE, GOMEZ: Aye.

BARKE: Okay. Passes, 4-0.

WILLIAMS: I make the motion for number two, the approval of the Educator Effectiveness Block Grant for College and Career Prep. Academy.

SPARKS: Second.

BARKE: All right, any discussion?

WILLIAMS: I have none.

BARKE: All right. I'll call for the vote. All those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE, GOMEZ: Aye.

BARKE: Okay, 4-0. We now move on to number three, a redistricting update from Douglas Johnson and Greg Rolen. I think we're going to have Justin Levitt in place of Doug Johnson. Thank you for being here.

ROLEN: My understanding was that Dr. Johnson prepared a video that would be played concerning the demographic information concerning Maps number 4 and number 5. And it should be noted, that Dr. Johnson created this video late in the evening after another public hearing, so we ought to listen to it.

BARKE: Okay.

[Video is played.]

VOICE OF JOHNSON: Good evening. Once again, I'm Douglas Johnson, National Demographics Corporation, and it's a pleasure to be with you once again, unfortunately, virtually to discuss your redistricting options for the 2021 redistricting of the Board. As a brief reminder, you can see on the screen, the slide you've seen before, which on the left lays out the federal laws, which are that each district must have, or each, in your case, each trustee area must have an equal population. Each trustee area must comply with the federal Voting Rights Act, and there must be no racial gerrymandering, meaning that race cannot be the predominant factor, either in how a line is drawn or in why a map is adopted. Those are the statutory requirements; state law only hasn't mentioned repeating the Equal Population requirement, so where the decisions and discretion come down are in the traditional redistricting principles as you see listed on the right hand side.

These are, as I've discussed before, so I'll go through them briefly: communities of interest, trying to keep them together; trying to keep trustees compact, contiguous, and following visible, natural and manmade boundaries so they're easy to understand, respecting the voters' choices, which means not pairing board members so that reelection decisions are up to the voters, not dictated by the lines. You can slightly adjust for anticipated future growth. You try to minimize the number of voters who are switched from a 2022 election voting to 2024 voting. And, you can attempt to preserve the core of the existing trustee areas. Again, the ones on the right are principles or goals. The federal laws are your statutory requirements.

You have before you two maps that the Board narrowed the list down to at the last meeting. They are, Maps 4 and Options 4 and 5. Just to repeat what was shown before, and remind you of the demographics and key numbers, in terms of the Voting Rights Act, both maps are close. Option 4 has a 52% Latino Trustee Area 1. While Option 5 has a 51% Latino Trustee Area 1. In terms of Asian American population, Option 4 has a 33% Area 2; and, Option 5 is a 34% Area 2. They're both very close, just 1% off each way. In terms of population balance, Option 4 is well within the 10% maximum, but not quite balanced, so it has a deviation of 2,349 people between its largest trustee area and its smallest trustee area. That is just 0.37% of the ideal population, so relatively small; but, notably more than Option 5's one person difference from the ideal, so no trustee area is off from the ideal by more than one person and a percent deviation of 0%. Of course, both of these maps are much closer than say Option 9 that we looked at last time, which

was 13,940 people off, over 2% off; and Option 10, which was almost at the legal maximum last time of almost 10%.

In terms of the maps, looking at communities, you have on screen both Option 4; and then, I'll show Option 5. Both have roughly similar, actually fairly similar layouts. You can see Area 1 in pink, unites the heavily Latino neighborhoods and communities of Anaheim with the heavily Latino areas of Santa Ana and with Tustin. Both maps essentially have that, those combinations. Both maps also unite Little Saigon in Area 2 and then, have a Northern Area 4, the coastal Area 5, then, an inland Area 3. Where they differ, in part, the first part is the bridge between the Anaheim and Santa Ana parts of Area 1, so Option 4 is using the eastern end of Garden Grove. While Option 5, leaves Garden Grove intact and is using the portion of the city of Orange that is west of I-5.

Also, down on the border of Areas 3 and 5, you can see Option 5 is using Hwy 73, which keeps almost all of Irvine together. You can see there is a part of Irvine right where it comes together with Tustin, Santana, and Newport Beach that is Orange, or golden for Area 5 for population balancing. The rest of Irvine is together, and it follows Hwy 73. In contrast, Option 4 uses the more distinctive boundary between three and five of I-405, which is a very clear boundary, obviously. This does result in the division of Irvine, essentially, very roughly in half with the portion inland of 405 in Area 3 and west of 405 in Area 5. That population shift is offset in South County where you can see Rancho Santa Margarita and the communities around it are all in Area 3, which is an inland trustee area. Then, Area 5, gets essentially, all the coastal communities and stops in Rancho Mission Viejo. In contrast, Option 5, because it's not picking up as much of Irvine, it then comes up and gets Rancho Santa Margarita and the communities around that balance out those two areas. Otherwise, they're very close. Villa Park is the north end of Area 3 in both maps, western city of Orange. Then, the north county is Area 4 in both maps. And, the heart of Little Saigon with Fountain Valley, Garden Grove, Westminster, Stanton are together there with Seal beach, Huntington Beach, Los Alamitos, Rossmoor, and Cypress in Area 2 in both maps. And, it is worth noting, we heard a lot from residents about Cypress wanting to stay with Rossmoor and Los Alamitos. That is true in both of these maps.

So, in the big picture, they're very similar. You can see, we have maintained a Latino majority Area 1, and very solidly community and neighborhood based Area 1. We have a large Asian American percentage in all of the Little Saigon and surrounding community united in Area 2, and then, a community regional focus in Areas 4 and 5. The last difference is probably Tustin. Small difference where Option 5 keeps Tustin all together in Area 1. Whereas, Option 4 has most of Tustin together in Area 1, but the north extension of the city has moved to Area 3.

Those are the differences. I wish you good luck in your discussion and deliberations this evening and look forward to hearing about your choice. Thank you very much. [Video ends].

ROLEN: And with that, we bring you Justin Levitt of National Demographics Corporation to answer any board questions.

BARKE: Welcome. Thank you.

LEVITT: Good evening. It's a pleasure to be here as a replacement for Doug Johnson tonight. As an Orange County resident, myself, I've been following the process as you've been going through it. So, I'm happy to address any questions you have tonight.

BARKE: Okay.

LEVITT: But, my role is just to kind of help you get through this and answer any questions you might have.

BARKE: Okay. So, no comments, we'll just go directly into public comments.

LEVITT: Just a short introduction.

BARKE: Okay. Great. Okay. I'll start to my right.

GOMEZ: I'd like to hear the public comments first. Anybody okay with that?

WILLIAMS: So, we're moving on to four? Are we done with three, Madam President?

SPARKS: Well, I'd just like to ask one question if I could?

WILLIAMS: Sure, yeah.

SPARKS: Yeah. So, I'm learning about all this redistricting business, and, from what I gather, I'd like your confirmation, it's important that we follow the law in terms of Equal Population, federal Voting Rights Act and no racial gerrymandering. So, the goal would be to have the least amount of deviation possible.

LEVITT: That is correct. In fact, the deviation is actually the one criteria mentioned in state law.

SPARKS: Okay.

LEVITT: Federal courts have also included voting rights and other issues, but state law actually only speaks to population difference.

SPARKS: Okay.

BARKE: Interesting. Okay. Very interesting

WILLIAMS: There was in, I believe the November meeting, Mr. Johnson came at the very end of the meeting. He was out, probably Malibu and Los Angeles County, one of those cities dealing with a meeting at that time that he had to attend. He was kind enough to join us virtually at the very end. At that moment in the discussion, we were talking about the public providing maps, and there was a lot of discussion amongst the board members here that they would be able to provide maps along with, I believe it was November 12th deadline, I think that was the date.

We were told by Douglas, and just wanted you to verify this, that in the cities you were able to take that data and create the information. There was actually applications that you can download. Earlier, good Trustee Gomez was sharing that in her city they had crayons that were actually on these maps, but in the county, you were unable to take these applications, take this data, take the map and give us all of the metrics that you have given us for Maps 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5.

LEVITT: Um, I'm not sure exactly what the question is. I know that many cities, for example, have spent a lot of additional resources on mapping tools, some of which have been available early on. We're in a very compressed timeframe to do this, and that's not necessarily the fault of the school district, or I mean, the Board of Ed. We did not receive the Census data itself until the end of September. That has really compressed the timeframe for doing this, not only for the Board of Ed, but also for every county around the state. Some counties, like Orange County, put out tools that literally were using 2010 Census data that are useless because the 2020 numbers don't match those 2010 numbers. That, for example, and also just because of the sheer volume of jurisdictions that are looking for tools, a lot of the companies and vendors that are selling them are certainly prioritizing the people who pay. Counties, like Los Angeles County I believe, spent somewhere close to $2 million to get themselves priority access to certain tools.

Though that's the kind of resources that, for most, I, you know, I don't want speak for the Board of Ed., but for most school districts that puts them well out of their price range. You know, I mean, and so I would say that all of the submissions from the public certainly contribute to our knowledge, understanding, our look at communities of interest as reflected in the maps. But, they may not be population balanced even within that 10%, not to mention the zero population balance virtually required by state law; but, within that 10% deviation even, especially if you're using old data such as the countywide population kits that the County of Orange put out.

WILLIAMS: But as far as the data for some of these maps that we received from the public, we didn't get anything back from NDC. I believe Doug was sharing with us that he just didn't have the tools to do that. Could you comment on that?

LEVITT: I'm not sure about, I'm not sure exactly what you're referring to. I know that we did receive community input that went into the maps; but unfortunately, creating and analyzing each map for demographic for the full demographic spreadsheet was not feasible given the time constraints that we were under.

WILLIAMS: Okay. That answered my question.

BARKE: Any other board member questions before we go to public comment?

GOMEZ: Well, yeah, I guess we're going to do that now. Given the compressed timeframe that we had, you're saying that we were not able to provide the same data on all the maps that we did on the first few maps that were submitted? Is that what you're saying?

LEVITT: Yeah, I believe so. I'm, you know, I mean, some of the maps, I believe that we could very easily tell were not population balanced. It certainly contribute to our communities of

interest understanding, but, we don't want to spend a lot of time focusing, especially with our compressed timeframe, on maps that are not able to be adopted for legal reasons.

GOMEZ: Okay. One of the things that, you know, we talk about the Equal Population, but that Equal Population has to be within 10%, not within necessarily with one person, which some of the maps displayed.

LEVITT: This is a really interesting case, because 10% is the Supreme Court's presumptively constitutional standard, but boards of education have a unique provision in state law that says, "as close to equal as possible," which is the kind of language that the courts have used to describe congressional districts, which must be exactly one person deviation at most. So, Board of Ed., it's almost an unanswered question, but to protect the district legally we are recommending that you get as close to perfect equality as possible.

GOMEZ: Okay. So, as far as the communities of interest, can you tell me how many school districts were split in these maps?

LEVITT: I don't have that number off top of my head.

GOMEZ: Okay. Can you tell me how many cities were split in these maps?

LEVITT: I can tell you, I can get that information quickly. Most of the maps split the same cities. I should mention, for example, Anaheim is split in both maps. Santa Ana is split in both maps. Tustin is not split in Map 5, but is split in Map 4. Garden Grove is split in Map 4, but not in Map 5. Huntington Beach and Orange are both split in both maps. Irvine is split in both maps, and I believe those, those are the only cities that are split.

GOMEZ: Okay.

BARKE: Excellent.

GOMEZ: There should be no racial gerrymandering, correct? But in Dr. Johnson's presentation, that's how he started off describing each map about the population of, you know, the Hispanic population or the Asian population so that makes me a little uncomfortable when it's described by that.

LEVITT: What I want to emphasize is when we talk about racial gerrymandering that way, it means, both not packing a district that's only justifiable because of race or ethnicity; but also, not intentionally dividing a community. For example, in those supervisorial districts used for the last 10 years, Anaheim and Santa were in two separate supervisorial districts. Thus, the county did not have a majority Latino supervisorial district for the last 10 years. That is a potential issue of cracking, so by mentioning that, we're trying to emphasize that we are keeping the core Latino centers, a corridor between Anaheim and Santa Ana in the same district in both of these maps.

GOMEZ: Okay. In looking at both Maps, 4 and 5, one of the criteria was talking about them being compact, and District 1 is not compact. How was that arrived at?

LEVITT: Well, again, there was a, you know, we wanted to ensure for our understanding of the Voting Rights Act, that we don't divide Anaheim and Santa Ana. That we can keep those two cities, the cores of those two cities, together. In addition to race, and it's not just about race, but if you look at our demographics, that district is different by income. It's different by the mix of renters and owners. It's different by a lot of the demographic variables, but those two communities are fairly similar to each other. So, by uniting or linking those two communities the way that the assembly districts, the senate districts, and the congressional districts do, it's really bringing those two communities together into one district representation.

GOMEZ: All right. I don't have any other questions at this time. I may, after the public comment.

BARKE: Thank you for those answers, appreciate your preparation and providing us the answers. Any other questions before we go to public comment, or Greg, go ahead, take over.

ROLEN: We're going to open the public hearing.

BARKE: Okay. Perfect. Thank you.

ROLEN: Board members, staff, and members of the public, please allow me to address you in advance of the third and final public hearing. I will simply restate the process so as to not completely repeat the painful, verbatim resolution that we have just been read into the record and will be posted on the Board's website. The Board began this process in May with a presentation on the 2021 Census. On June 2nd, the Board approved a contract with National Demographics Corporation. On June 16, the Board publicly selected a redistricting subcommittee. At the August Regular Meeting, and again at the October Regular Meeting, the Board held public presentations about the status of the Board's redistricting efforts. And on both occasions, the Board and public were informed of delays in the release of the final Census data validated by the Demographic Research Unit of the Department of Finance until late September, 2021, due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the operations of the United States Census Bureau. They were also informed of necessary California mandated adjustments of the federal data, relocating incarcerated individuals to their last residential address.

Three, that that process had to be completed by December 15. At the November 3 Regular Board Meeting, Dr. Johnson made a video presentation setting forth legal standards and demographics. He presented three maps for public consideration. The Board heard public comment, and the Board welcomed maps from the public and set a November 12th, 2021, timeline. On or before November 12, 2021, the Board received five additional maps from the public, and NDC created a fourth map in response to public comment concerning the trustee area where trustee area Cypress may resign, may reside, excuse me. All maps were promptly posted on the Board Redistricting 2020 website with the assistance of Department staff. On December 1, at the Regular Board Meeting, the Board held its second public hearing. At the December 1 hearing, Dr. Johnson, again, made a video presentation setting forth demographics and analyzing each of the 10 maps posted on the Board website. The Board again received public comment. The Board commented and provided testimony on each of the 10 maps. Then, the Board publicly selected two maps that may be considered at the December 8, 2021, Special Board Meeting.

This evening, during the prior agenda item, you've received a further presentation from both Dr. Johnson and Justin Levitt concerning two maps that were brought forth for public consideration. The Board will now receive public comment, and the Board will have an opportunity to comment on the proposed boundary readjustment. During the next item, agenda item number five, the Board will vote on an approval of 2021 Trustee Districts. Assuming arguendo, the Board approves a Redistricting Plan will be presented to the County Committee on School District Organization to approve new trustee area boundaries as complying with Equal Population criteria, pursuant to Education Code section 1002 (b). And with that, we open the public hearing.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: First up will be Libby Frolichman, and I'll be giving the second name. You will be on deck. If the second individual, that will be Harumi, if you will stand behind the podium up here so we can make this process as quick and efficacious as we can? Libby, thank you for being here.

LIBBY: Of course. I'm here because I'm concerned about the redistricting process that is going to conclude this week. I was here last week and was extremely disappointed in the manner that 50 emails with unverified content were given much greater weight than the six people who sat through the meeting and gave public comment in person. Having not seen the emails, I have no idea how many were received from the same person, how many truly unique individual emails were actually received, or if the arguments presented in the emails were even relevant to redistricting rules. I must also state that I was disappointed in the seeming lack of understanding of electoral maps. One trustee in particular, seemed to be seeing the maps for the first time and was very concerned about the physical size of her district. Since the laws guiding redistricting require that the districts have roughly the same population, it doesn't matter what the actual physical size of the district is. All but one of the maps considered, were within the allowable variation in population.

I'm further disappointed that a board member was given the opportunity to submit a revision to his map before final consideration. But, the member of the public that submitted Map 9 and was present at last week's meeting, was not afforded the same opportunity. If the Board is intent on keeping Cypress with Los Alamitos, it would only have been fair to give the Map 9 author a chance to attempt to redraw his submission with that modification. This process is supposed to be equitable, and treating different map drawers differently is certainly not equitable. With that in mind, in accordance with Robert Roberts Rules of Order, I urge this board majority to vote to bring back Map 9 and consider the amended map that has been submitted by Billie Joe Wright as Map 9 Revised. Map 9 Revised is the only map that was drawn with community input and keeps Huntington Beach united in one district. Just as you have been concerned about keeping Los Alamitos united with Cypress, you should have the same concern for keeping Huntington Beach fully united with Fountain Valley since we share school districts. Please adopt Map 9 A, and as you make your final decisions, I employ you to remember Proverbs 11:1, "a false balance is an abomination to the Lord, but a just weight is his delight." Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Okay, Harumi. After Harumi will be Judge Riddle.

HARUMI: Hi. My name is Harumi, and I live in the city of Cypress. I am here in support of proposal number 5. The map is very simple and easy to understand who the trustees in each district is. It keeps current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve. Some of the maps take Cypress out of District number 2, where we are now. That's where Trustee Mari Barke is from. I voted for her, and I want her to continue to be my trustee. It also, Map number 5 also keeps contiguous areas together, not those weird maps that goes everywhere and there is zero deviation. Each district is equal, has the same number of people, and this is close to equality. It also keeps community of interest together. I urge you, I totally am with Map number 5. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: After Judge Riddle, will be Dorie Krepton.

LYNNE: Good evening, I'm Lynne Riddle. I believe the Board's December 1st decision eliminating Map 9 from further consideration was fundamentally unfair. It was fatally flawed. And for those reasons, I urge you to bring back for reconsideration tonight, Map 9, along with Maps 4 and 5. Whether you intended them or not, these are the unfairness's that I witnessed. First, the Board had access to Map 9 representation, one done using 2021 caliber software with population data reformulated by Maptitude software. None of that information was presented to the public in a timely manner. The public has therefore been prejudice. Without that knowledge, we could not participate fairly. Second, it was during discussion that you came to an evolving set of criteria for map elimination that had never been shared with public before. And, therefore, we had no opportunity to fairly comment or even to ask for an opportunity to amend our preferred maps to conform to your previously unannounced criteria.

Third, when you decided to advance Trustee William's Map 4, you did so giving Trustee Williams the right to amend his maps to accommodate new considerations, but Map 9 advocates were not accorded an opportunity to amend their preferred map in light of any new circumstances or criteria. In my view, that was fatally unjust. In addition, eliminating Map 9, you focused on two primary reasons. First, you said that you'd received more than 50 emails urging you to keep Cypress in District 2, rather than it being shifted into District 4. When asked about the persuasiveness of the six speakers favoring Map 9, you cited the 50 emails as being overwhelmingly compelling. I've carefully reviewed copies of 51 Cypress related redistricting emails, and when I called out all of the exact duplicates, that actual number came to less than 30. When you reduced it to one member, one email per sender, that was reduced to 17.

Next, I looked at content. The reasons the Cypress writers advanced most, entirely had no relevance to the electoral redistricting principles. About half were concerned that their children's school district, or even the place they actually attend, would change and that's not so. Finally, during your discussions, it was suggested that Map 9 would prejudice Asian American communities, something Trustee Williams said was unacceptable. Yet, in none of the 51 Cypress mentioning emails that I reviewed [timer rings] no one made any reference to any prejudice to the Asian American or any other minority community.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Judge Riddle. Your time is up.

LYNNE: Thank you. Your decision to eliminate Map 9 was unfair-

WILLIAMS: Your time is up Judge Riddle.

LYNNE: I urge to reconsider it tonight and thank you.

WILLIAMS: Thank you very much. Next up will be Dorie Krepton, and after Dorie will be Billie Joe Wright.

DORIE: Good evening, Board of Education, and thank you for the opportunity to be able to speak with you this evening. My name is Dorie Krepton, and I'm a resident of Huntington Beach. I'm here to speak on the redistricting, specifically to speak to the importance and value of adopting Map 9-A with its revisions. Map 9-A follows the federal guidelines for redistricting as well as meets those guidelines. It formulates on four very strong principles. One, it reflects the boundaries of all communities. Two, it respects a broad base of voters allowing for meaningful presentation and balance. Three, it reflects boundaries of actual neighborhoods, rather than cutting an arbitrary line that would run through somebody's home. And lastly, and more importantly, it follows the principle of one person, one vote, in which each district has a substantially similar number of people sharing common, social, and economic interests. Map 9 is well reasoned in its rationale. It was created by a group of thoughtful, diverse, and experienced community members. The very principles on which our democracy was founded is a fair map. It is the best map, and giving you the background and the relative information, the right decision would be vote for Map number 9-A. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Up is Mr. Wright and then we have on deck, Miguel Curiel.

BILLIE: Good evening Board, audience. My name is Billie Joe Wright. I'm a resident of Anaheim, and I'm a high school government econ teacher. I loved seeing some of the kids here tonight. Redistricting is hard. I've taught AP government for 13 years. I encourage the audience and kids to check out redistricting.org or redistrictinggame.org. The kids use it to try and figure it out and just when they think they have it, it's wrong. You've got something wrong with the population, you're missing some group or something. This was my first time ever submitting a map. I was excited to show my kids this step. I was really disappointed after last meeting. When I sat here during the meeting, and let me go back a minute, when I submitted it, I thought, you know what, I don't know if it's going to work. I didn't even have the program to be able to make the map. I thought we'd submit it, let my kids see the process; and instead, they got shut down. They got to hear a board, basically, just ignore public input when trying to give a map.

I think you're all better than that. I don't know you personally, but I hear your passion. Ms. Barke, I heard you even last time, even if you guys didn't pass it, what's wrong with just putting it forward for discussion? Instead, my kids got to see someone step up, try to work with community members, and it's hard and busy being a teacher right now, but to turn around and

feel so dismissed. I don't even want to tell you what some of the comments were from my students. I need people to know in Cypress, I didn't have all the information, so I took what I could get and did my best. The idea of, you keep bringing up the Asian population as if it was something done on purpose. Again, go play the redistricting game and understand how hard it is. All I asked for was, once I heard that Mr. Williams you submitted your own map; and then, you were going to give yourself a chance to resubmit, and then your colleagues are going to go along with it. But for some reason, you felt a member of the public didn't deserve the same. I just don't understand it.

I submitted the map hoping that it would be considered. I then went back and I actually, because I do my homework. I took all the emails that we were able to get. There was so much in there that some people put in. One of the things was, they're disappointed with their leadership in that area. That was one person. Another person thought that if they didn't go with that map, that they were going to be put in LA County, and I don't fault them for any of this. They really cared about going to festivals with the same people [timer rings], having their kids remain friends. All I ask-

WILLIAMS: Please finish up, Mr. Wright.

BILLIE: Please consider that along with everything else.

WILLIAMS: Thank you very much. Next up will be Miguel Curiel, then Mr. Eddie Kim.

EDDIE: Hello. My name is Miguel Curiel. I just wanted to say that I am here in support of Map 9 to be reconsidered for a vote. It is one of the only maps that was made up of community input, community support. It was made up of the Asian communities as well as the Latin communities. Those are communities that have many similarities, and for a very long time, have stayed together. Map 9 would ensure that these districts would make sure, that these people are people who are of the same communities, have the same values, and it would also make sure that we don't go down the gerrymandering route. That's all I have to say. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Mr. Eddie Kim is up next. After Mr. Kim, will be Lorrie Kaylor.

EDDIE: Before I start, I just wanted to say to Teacher Wright. Doing your best, doesn't always mean it is the best. No one is doubting that you did your best, but it doesn't always mean it is. Hello, board members, thank you for considering our requests and concerns. Firstly, I apologize that I am here to ask medical questions instead of asking my family physician, but as a dad of three girls, I need some answers. There's always been a basic public safety requirement, which I totally understand and appreciate. I understand that legally, most people have the right to even decline any medical care or treatment and not be discriminated against. I also know that public schools required children's vaccines in order to be enrolled. What I did not see coming was schools trying to mandate a medical treatment that hasn't undergone safety trials and only given a temporary use authorization.

I also did not see coming was places, restaurants, and public venues following suit. Also, I did not see coming were vaccine passports, AKA papers. Hmm, sounds like Nazi Germany. I thought we agreed after World War II, that that type of behavior was a crime against humanity. We can agree, most parents want what's best for their children, but I did not see coming was that we parents are losing our power to make decisions for our kids. Society, media doctors, educators want to make those choices for us. Since I love my kids and since the government thought it prudent for education boards to make medical decisions for our children, can I ask you a few questions? If you vote to mandate the vaccine and there are any injuries to any child, who is liable, I just want this on the Board, I mean on public record, is OC Board of Education, the administration at school, maybe the OC Health Department, vaccine companies, or is the government? As far as I know, vaccine makers and the government is shielded from liability, to top the bottom, and they seem to be pushing it the hardest.

How can you mandate people to take an experimental injection without any liability? If you vote to mandate the vaccine in our schools and my child is injured, can I personally sue you Ms. Beckie Gomez, or maybe you President Mari Barke, or how about you, Vice President Williams, or maybe even you, Dr. Lisa Sparks? Maybe, anyone that has vaccine injuries or death can sue the people who vote to mandate them. Please help me understand why everyone wants to push this temporary use authorized vaccine and no one wants to take liability? This really makes me question the validity and safety of any item where no one wants to take responsibility for the potential damages that might occur, especially to my girls. I implore you all, unless you can personally stand behind your decision [timer rings] and take responsibility, please do not experiment with our kids.

WILLIAMS: Thank you, Mr. Kim. Your time is up. Appreciate it.

EDDIE: By the way, high five on Map 5.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Lorrie Kaylor, and after Lorrie will be Mr. George Lee.

LORRIE: As I said, parents care about their kids. I, after more careful consideration of the map options, I am looking now at Map 5 for the following reasons: it's simple, easy to read, it's contiguous, it makes sense. The trustee areas are equal numbers of constituents, it keeps the communities of interest together, and it keeps the current trustees in the areas they were elected to serve. I'm from Orange. I elected Dr. Williams, and I believe that he puts kids best interests at heart. He also looks at the parents and their wishes. I would like to keep this board that cares about families and about kids in place. Thank you so much.

BARKE: Thank you.

WILLIAMS: Mr. Lee, after Mr. Lee is Linda Cone. Then lastly, will be Linda Cameron. Mr. Lee, you're up sir. Mr. Lee, George Lee. Are you Mr. Lee, that would be number nine?

GEORGE: Yes.

WILLIAMS: Okay. Very good.

GEORGE: Thank you. Good evening. I'm here to support Map number 5. My name is George, and I'm a resident of Lake Forest. I support Map number 5 for the following reasons. The first is that the map is straightforward. It's simple. It's contiguous. It makes sense. It's not like, snake around and make the weird pattern. The second one is that, each trustee area has the same equal numbers and there's the zero deviation, which is important when we do the map. The fourth reason is that they keep the community of interest together. That's very important, because we wanted a representation of a, you know, similar or the community share the same values and same culture. The last reason is that it keeps the current trustee in the area they were elected to serve, so I think this map will provide stability to the current board. Also, it protects the Voting Rights Act. Please vote for Map number 5. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

LINDA: Good evening. I also support Option 5, Map 5 for one main reason, that is that it keeps the current trustees in the areas that they were elected to serve. This, for me, is the most important. I do not believe Map 9 does this. In terms of this board, I've already spoken to why I think it's so important to keep these trustees in office. They were all dually elected. We have just heard a lengthy discussion or perhaps the number one issue facing parents, which is the vaccine mandate. I commend this board in public for its strong stance against this vaccine mandate. They have taken a very courageous stance.

AUDIENCE: [Hoot and applause].

LINDA: I do not want to lose this board, and I don't want to lose, particularly a courageous group of people who will stand up to the kind of government that we're experiencing right now. I tell my friends, you either confront tyranny or you bow down to it. This board has chosen to confront tyranny. Once again, I commend you for doing that. Thank you.

BARKE: Thank you.

AUDIENCE: [Hoot and applause].

LINDA: Good evening. I am just going to ditto what was just said, I don't want to waste any time. I like Map number 5. It's simple and it makes sense, so please, number five.

BARKE: Thank you.

AUDIENCE: [Hoot and applause].

WILLIAMS: Madam President that concludes public comments, item number four, moving on to five.

BARKE: Given all the comments that we've heard, and particularly from the demographer as well, I'd like to put forth, for final Board approval, Map number 5 for consideration.

WILLIAMS: I will second that.

BARKE: All right.

ROLEN: Have you closed the public hearing?

GOMEZ: No.

ROLEN: The public hearing is still open.

BARKE: Okay.

ROLEN: That's the next agenda item.

SPARKS: Okay.

BARKE: Shall we close the public hearing? Do I have a motion?

SPARKS: Motion to close the public hearing.

BARKE: A second?

WILLIAMS: Second.

BARKE: All right, we have a motion and a second. Any discussion before we close?

GOMEZ: I would just like one more chance for the public if anybody has last comments.

BARKE: Okay. I don't hear any, so I'll call the vote. All those in favor of closing the hearing?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE, GOMEZ: Aye.

BARKE: Okay, 4-0, we close the hearing. And you, now we have –

ROLEN: We move to agenda item number six.

BARKE: Okay. We move to agenda item –

SPARKS: You mean to five.

WILLIAMS: No, five.

SPARKS: Okay. I'd like to reiterate what I had just said, which is, given all the comments that we've heard tonight and particularly from the demographer about California state laws and the federal laws in terms of no deviation, I'd like to put forth Map number 5 for final Board approval.

WILLIAMS: I'll second.

GOMEZ: All right. We have a motion and a second. Do we have any discussion?

GOMEZ: Yes.

BARKE: Okay.

GOMEZ: I, again, as I said at the last board meeting, I think we are doing a huge disservice to the public who did not have enough time to look at these maps, and we did not get all the data. As I expressed my concern last time about the maps, this has been a very rushed process. I don't think we allowed enough time for the public to see all the maps and to see all the data. I'm concerned that we did not push forward Map 9, as I requested at the last meeting. It's very disappointing to me. It's very disappointing to members of the public. This board has said when people show up to meetings, it's important. I think these people did that expressed support from Map 9. Yet, we are dismissing their comments, so I will not be supporting Map 5.

BARKE: Very good. Any other board member comments?

WILLIAMS: I would like to just make a few comments here. No one is dismissing anybody, Beckie. We have, in record, all of the maps that we went through last week. No one is dismissing. No one is disparaging anyone. We heard everybody. We gave our reasons. That is well documented in the Minutes and in the Agenda from last week. I don't think it was a rushed process that we caused. This was a process that was constrained by time and COVID. I think, the committee that we formed went through this appropriately, and thoughtfully, deliberately. We sought legal counsel. We obtained the best demography group around. You know, maps are controversial and difficult, because not everybody's going to agree. There's a lot of information that was shared tonight that is just blatantly false. Map number 4-A was requested by my colleagues here. It never went forward, because there was no time to do it. I don't think that this was prejudice. I don't think this was unfair. Was it ideal and perfect, not because we didn't want it. It's just because of the circumstances. That's my comments.

BARKE: All right. Any other comments? Any other comments? Okay. I will go ahead and call the vote. We have a motion and a second for Map 5, so all those in favor?

SPARKS, WILLIAMS, BARKE: Aye.

BARKE: All those opposed?

GOMEZ: Opposed.

BARKE: Okay, so it passes 3-1.

WILLIAMS: I make a motion that we adjourn the meeting, Madam President.

BARKE: Do we have a second?

SPARKS: Second.

BARKE: All those in favor?

WILLIAMS: You don't have to [inaudible] it. You just adjourn it.

BARKE: Oh, we are adjourned [strikes gavel].

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SECTION C: REDISTRICTING MAPS

NO	DATE	DOCUMENT	DESCRIPTION
1.	2011	Current OCBE Boundaries	Trustee area boundaries created in 2011 with demographic information from the 2020 Census
2.	11/3/21	Option 1	Created by NDC and submitted by OCBE Redistricting Committee.Considered by OCBE on November 3, 2021 and December 1, 2021.
3.	11/3/21	Option 2	Created by NDC and submitted by OCBE Redistricting Committee. Considered by OCBE on November 3, 2021 and December 1, 2021.
4.	11/3/21	Option 3	Created by NDC and submitted by OCBE Redistricting Committee. Considered by OCBE on November 3, 2021 and December 1, 2021.
5.	12/1/21	Option 4	Created by NDC (after public hearing on November 3, 2021) and submitted by OCBE Redistricting Committee. Considered by OCBE on November 3, 2021, December 1, 2021, and December 8, 2021.
6.	12/1/21	Option 5	Created by NDC (after public hearing on November 3, 2021) and submitted by OCBE Redistricting Committee. Considered by OCBE on November 3, 2021, December 1, 2021, and December 8, 2021.
7.	12/1/21	Option 6	Submitted by Tom Berry, Mappings and GIS. Considered by OCBE on December 1, 2021.
8.	12/1/21	Option 7	Submitted by Tom Berry, Mappings and GIS. Considered by OCBE on December 1, 2021.
9.	12/1/21	Option 8	Submitted by Tom Berry, Mappings and GIS. Considered by OCBE on December 1, 2021.
10.	12/1/21	Option 9	Submitted by Billie Joe Wright. Considered by OCBE on December 1, 2021.
11.	12/1/21	Option 10	Submitted by MALDEF. Considered by OCBE on December 1, 2021.
12.	12/3/21	Option 9A	Submitted by Billie Joe Wright.
13.	12/8/21	OCBOS	Redistricting Map adopted by the Orange County Board of Supervisors. Provided as a reference.

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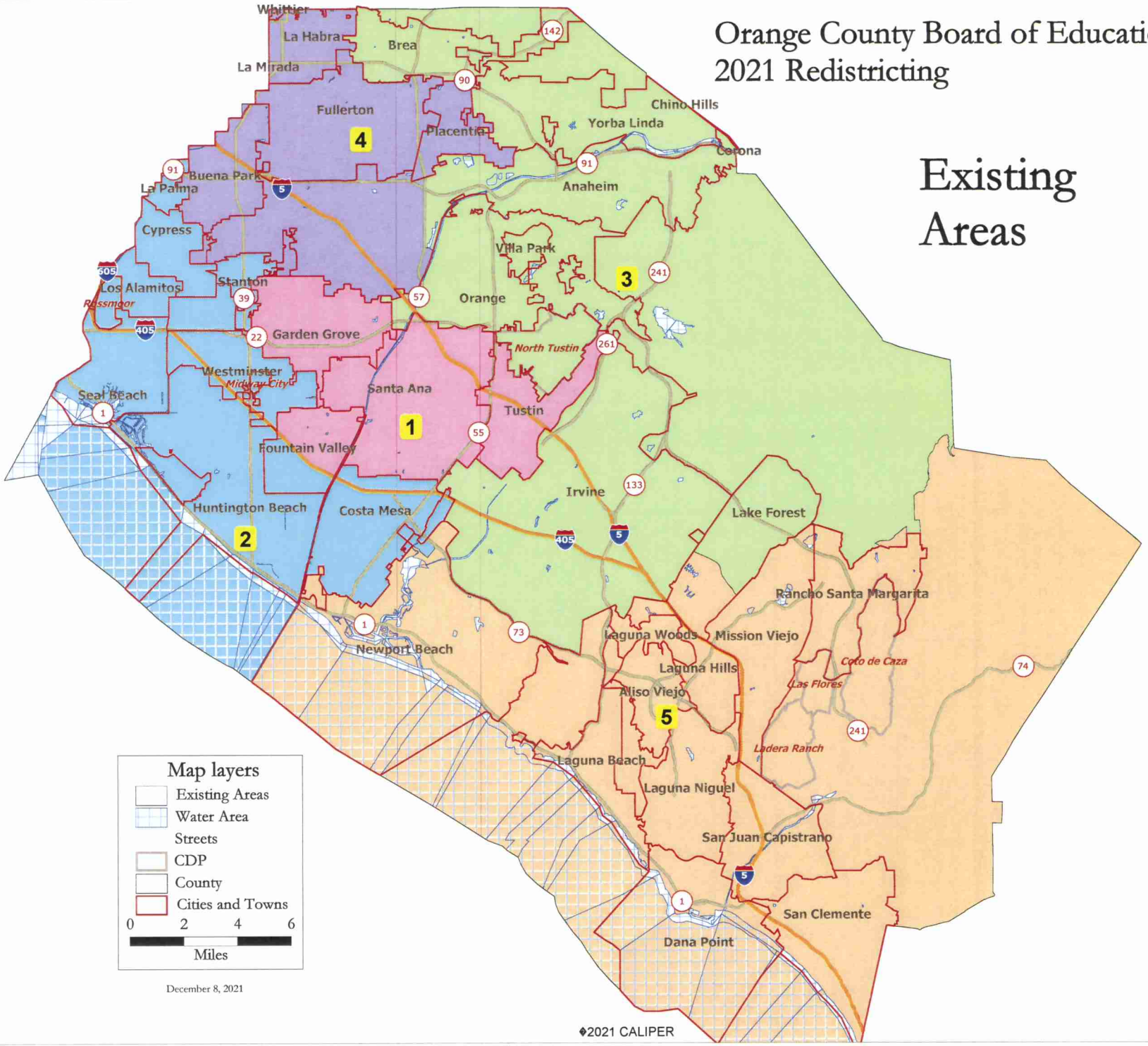
CURRENT OCBE BOUNDARIES TRUSTEE AREA BOUNDARIES

(Created in 2011)

With Demographic Information from the 2020 Census

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Existing Areas



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OC BoE Existing Trustee Areas

District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	580,726	610,943	733,927	628,724	638,686	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-57,875	-27,658	95,326	-9,877	85	153,201
	% Deviation	-9.06%	-4.33%	14.93%	-1.55%	0.01%	23.99%
Total Pop	% Hisp	58.4%	25%	22%	50%	18%	34%
	% NH White	14%	44%	41%	22%	64%	38%
	% NH Black	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	25%	25%	32%	22%	13%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	331,097	430,879	454,197	370,464	471,128	2,057,766
	% Hisp	44%	18%	18%	37%	13%	25%
	% NH White	24%	55%	55%	35%	73%	51%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	30%	23%	24%	23%	11%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	259,760	375,845	413,543	308,839	436,581	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	44%	16%	16%	40%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	40%	15%	15%	36%	10%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	25%	17%	17%	14%	6%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	30%	64%	63%	43%	81%	59%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	205,983	324,410	361,355	250,322	389,465	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	41%	15%	16%	37%	10%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	38%	14%	14%	34%	9%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	25%	17%	16%	14%	5%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	32%	66%	64%	45%	81%	61%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	131,178	230,334	253,369	163,690	288,573	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	39%	13%	14%	34%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	36%	12%	13%	31%	8%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	22%	13%	13%	11%	5%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	37%	70%	69%	50%	84%	66%
	% NH Black est.	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	602,416	611,303	682,275	625,109	646,919	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	27%	23%	25%	26%	23%	25%
	age20-60	57%	55%	56%	56%	51%	55%
	age60plus	16%	23%	19%	17%	26%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	43%	26%	29%	35%	19%	30%
	naturalized	49%	63%	56%	48%	64%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	27%	63%	60%	43%	77%	54%
	spanish	51%	16%	13%	38%	11%	25%
	asian-lang	20%	17%	18%	15%	6%	15%
	other lang	2%	4%	9%	4%	7%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	35%	16%	14%	25%	8%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	41%	40%	31%	43%	32%	37%
	bachelor	16%	26%	33%	20%	34%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	14%	22%	9%	20%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	43%	30%	34%	38%	29%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	67%	65%	65%	67%	65%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	14%	13%	11%	15%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	16%	11%	19%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	19%	15%	12%	18%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	40%	43%	46%	41%	42%	43%
	income 200k-plus	7%	14%	20%	8%	24%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	61%	65%	68%	58%	72%	66%
	multi-family	39%	35%	32%	42%	28%	34%
	rented	51%	44%	40%	52%	32%	43%
	owned	49%	56%	60%	48%	68%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

Surname-based Voter Registration and Turnout data from the California Statewide Database.

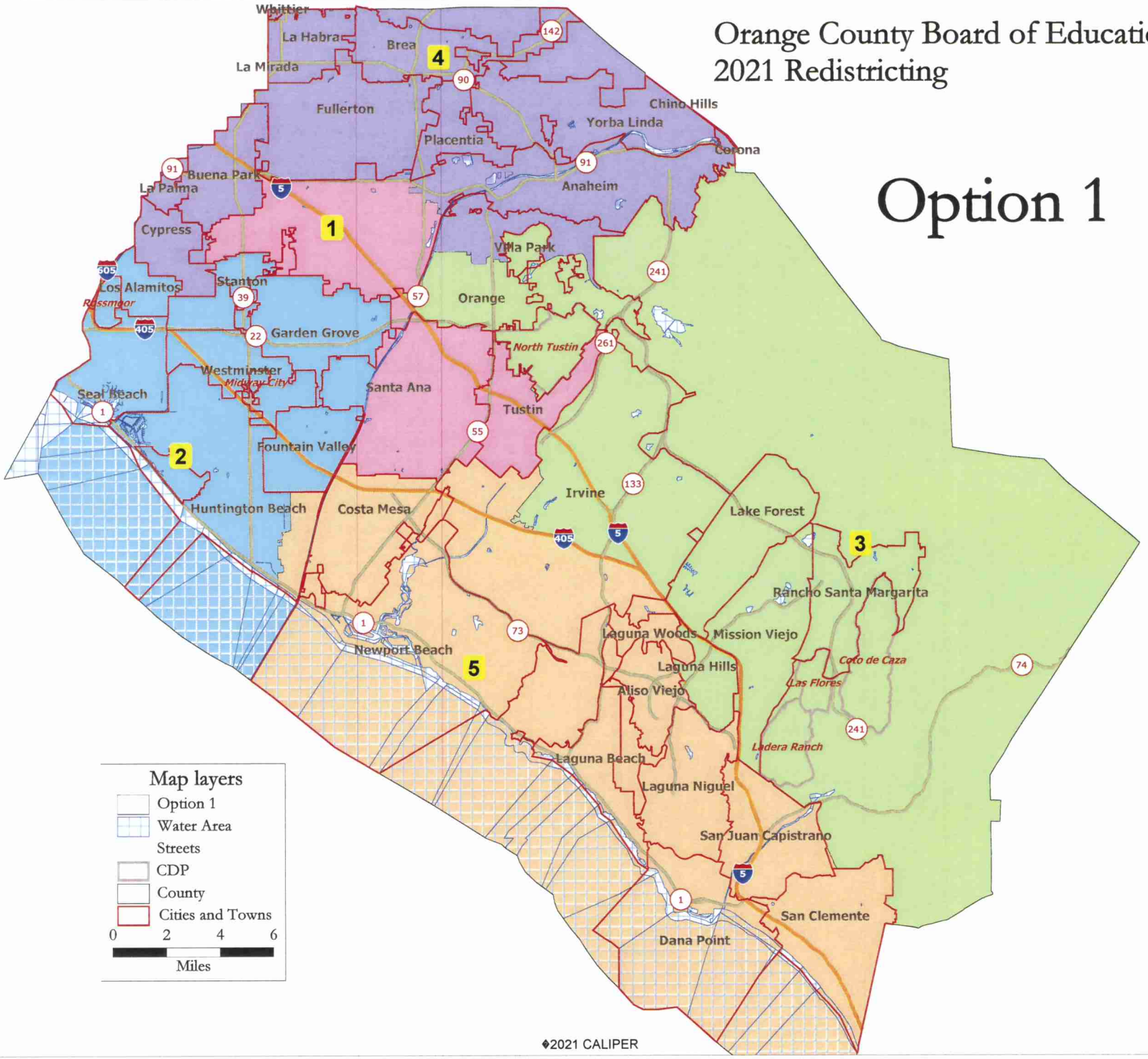
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OCBE MAP OPTION 1	
Submitted by:	OCBE Redistricting Committee
Created by:	National Demographics Corporation
Notes:	
Considered by OCBE on:	November 3, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 1 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 1, for reasons including but not limited to: (1) it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress residing in Trustee Area 2 (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

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Option 1



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Option 1							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,602	638,602	638,601	638,601	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1	1	1	0	0	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	21%	34%	20%	34%
	% NH White	15%	33%	47%	34%	59%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	34%	27%	26%	16%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	438,728	406,898	416,138	451,384	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	21%	16%	26%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	43%	61%	47%	70%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	33%	20%	23%	13%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	368,076	379,315	372,610	402,309	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	15%	26%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	14%	24%	10%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	27%	13%	14%	7%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	52%	67%	56%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	309,795	334,403	319,744	354,343	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	18%	14%	25%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	16%	13%	23%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	13%	14%	7%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	54%	68%	58%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	213,040	235,932	222,833	261,291	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	16%	12%	22%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	15%	12%	20%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	21%	10%	11%	6%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	61%	73%	63%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	642,568	610,055	623,523	631,589	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	23%	26%	25%	22%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
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Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	67%	66%	64%	66%
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	income 50-75k	19%	16%	12%	15%	13%	15%
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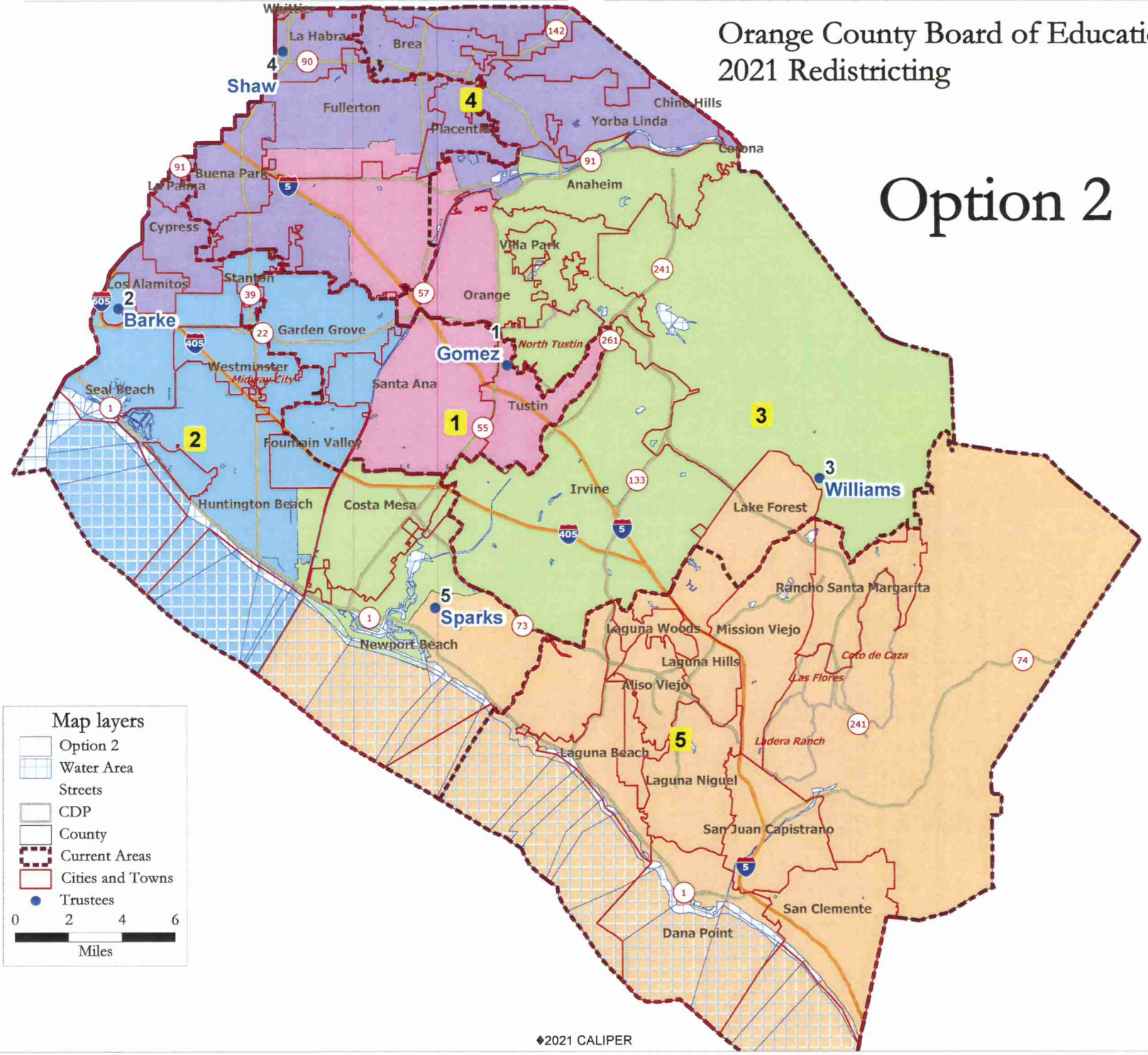
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OCBE MAP OPTION 2	
Submitted by:	OCBE Redistricting Committee
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Notes:	
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OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 2 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 2, for reasons including but not limited to: (1) it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2 (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

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Option 2



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Option 2							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,601	638,602	638,601	638,602	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1		1		1	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	66.4%	30%	19%	36%	19%	34%
	% NH White	17%	32%	46%	30%	62%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	12%	34%	31%	28%	14%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,874	438,511	401,197	410,898	462,287	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	21%	15%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	31%	43%	60%	43%	72%	51%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	15%	33%	22%	25%	12%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	274,439	367,986	365,343	356,785	430,015	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	12%	26%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	9%	27%	15%	16%	6%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	37%	52%	67%	52%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	217,816	309,634	319,134	301,328	383,623	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	49%	18%	13%	26%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	16%	12%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	10%	26%	15%	15%	6%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	54%	68%	54%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	139,848	212,803	226,924	205,474	282,095	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	45%	16%	11%	24%	10%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	42%	15%	11%	22%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	8%	22%	12%	12%	5%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	44%	60%	72%	60%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	655,629	642,324	597,838	628,472	643,760	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	29%	23%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	age20-60	58%	54%	57%	55%	52%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	19%	20%	25%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	37%	34%	29%	30%	20%	30%
	naturalized	39%	66%	54%	56%	63%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	32%	49%	61%	55%	75%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	13%	23%	11%	25%
	asian-lang	8%	26%	17%	17%	7%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	9%	5%	7%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	30%	25%	13%	19%	8%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	41%	42%	29%	41%	32%	37%
	bachelor	16%	21%	34%	25%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	7%	10%	23%	13%	20%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	42%	33%	31%	36%	30%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	65%	65%	65%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	14%	15%	12%	12%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	11%	16%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	20%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	40%	41%	44%	44%	43%	43%
	income 200k-plus	7%	11%	21%	13%	23%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	54%	67%	63%	67%	74%	66%
	multi-family	46%	33%	37%	33%	26%	34%
	rented	56%	44%	45%	42%	30%	43%
	owned	44%	56%	55%	58%	70%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

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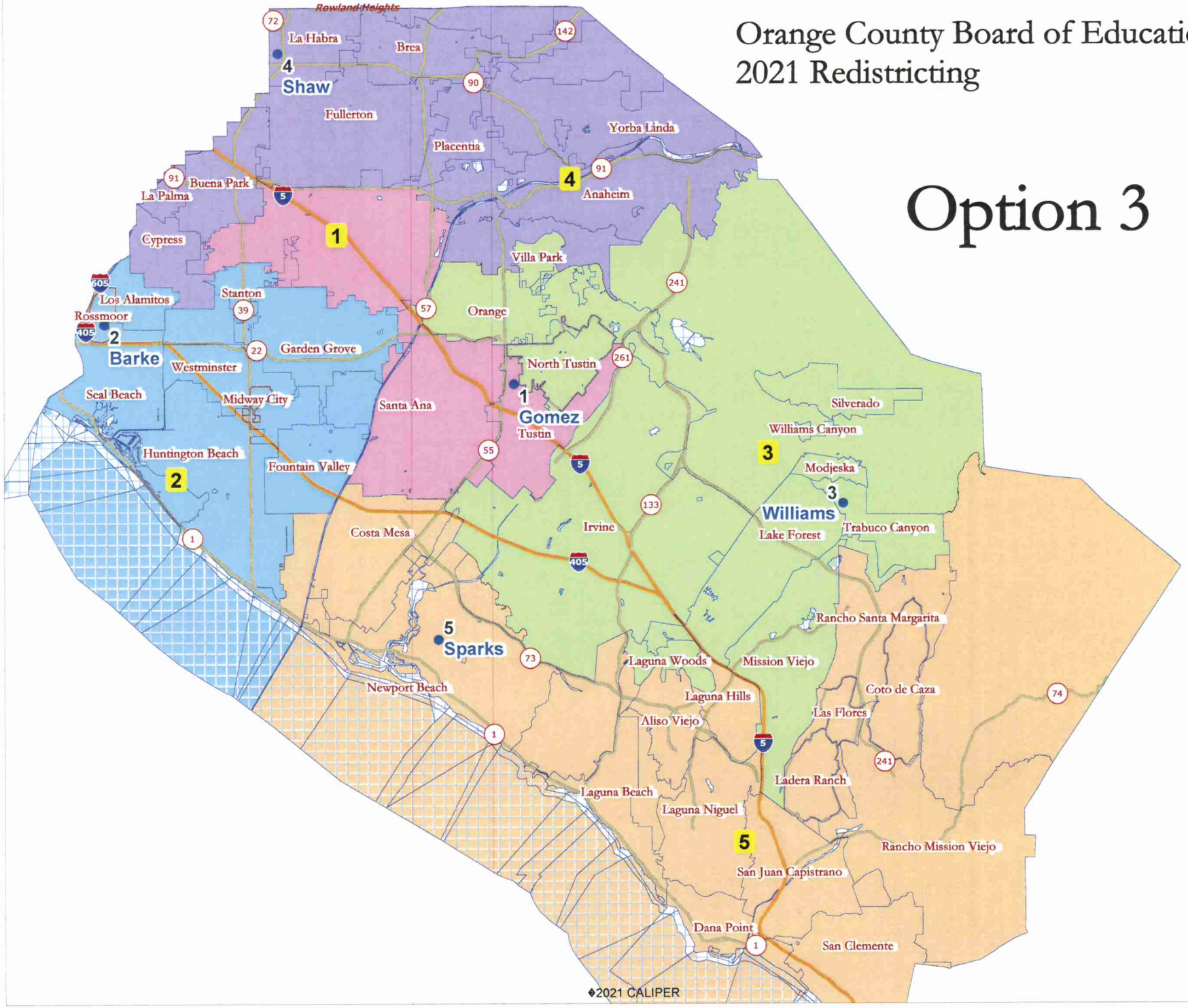
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OCBE MAP OPTION 3	
Submitted by:	OCBE Redistricting Committee
Created by:	National Demographics Corporation
Notes:	
Considered by OCBE on:	November 3, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 3 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 3, for reasons including but not limited to: (1) it appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2 (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

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Option 3



Option 3							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,602	638,602	638,601	638,601	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1	1	1			2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	20%	34%	21%	34%
	% NH White	15%	33%	43%	34%	63%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	34%	32%	26%	12%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	438,728	403,651	416,138	454,630	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	21%	16%	26%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	43%	58%	47%	73%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	33%	23%	23%	10%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	368,076	362,415	372,610	419,209	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	19%	15%	26%	12%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	18%	13%	24%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	27%	16%	14%	5%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	52%	65%	56%	80%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	309,795	316,806	319,744	371,940	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	18%	14%	25%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	16%	13%	23%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	15%	14%	5%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	54%	67%	58%	81%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	213,040	225,393	222,833	271,830	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	16%	12%	22%	10%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	15%	11%	20%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	21%	12%	11%	4%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	61%	71%	63%	83%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	642,568	603,794	623,523	637,850	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	23%	24%	25%	24%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	21%	21%	22%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	34%	30%	28%	19%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	55%	58%	59%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	29%	50%	60%	58%	75%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	12%	21%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	26%	18%	15%	5%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	10%	5%	6%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	31%	25%	14%	17%	8%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	42%	42%	30%	39%	32%	37%
	bachelor	15%	22%	34%	27%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	10%	22%	14%	20%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	44%	33%	32%	35%	30%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	64%	66%	67%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	13%	11%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	19%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	40%	45%	45%	42%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	11%	19%	15%	24%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	66%	66%	73%	69%	66%
	multi-family	48%	34%	34%	27%	31%	34%
	rented	57%	44%	40%	37%	38%	43%
	owned	43%	56%	60%	63%	62%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

Surname-based Voter Registration and Turnout data from the California Statewide Database.

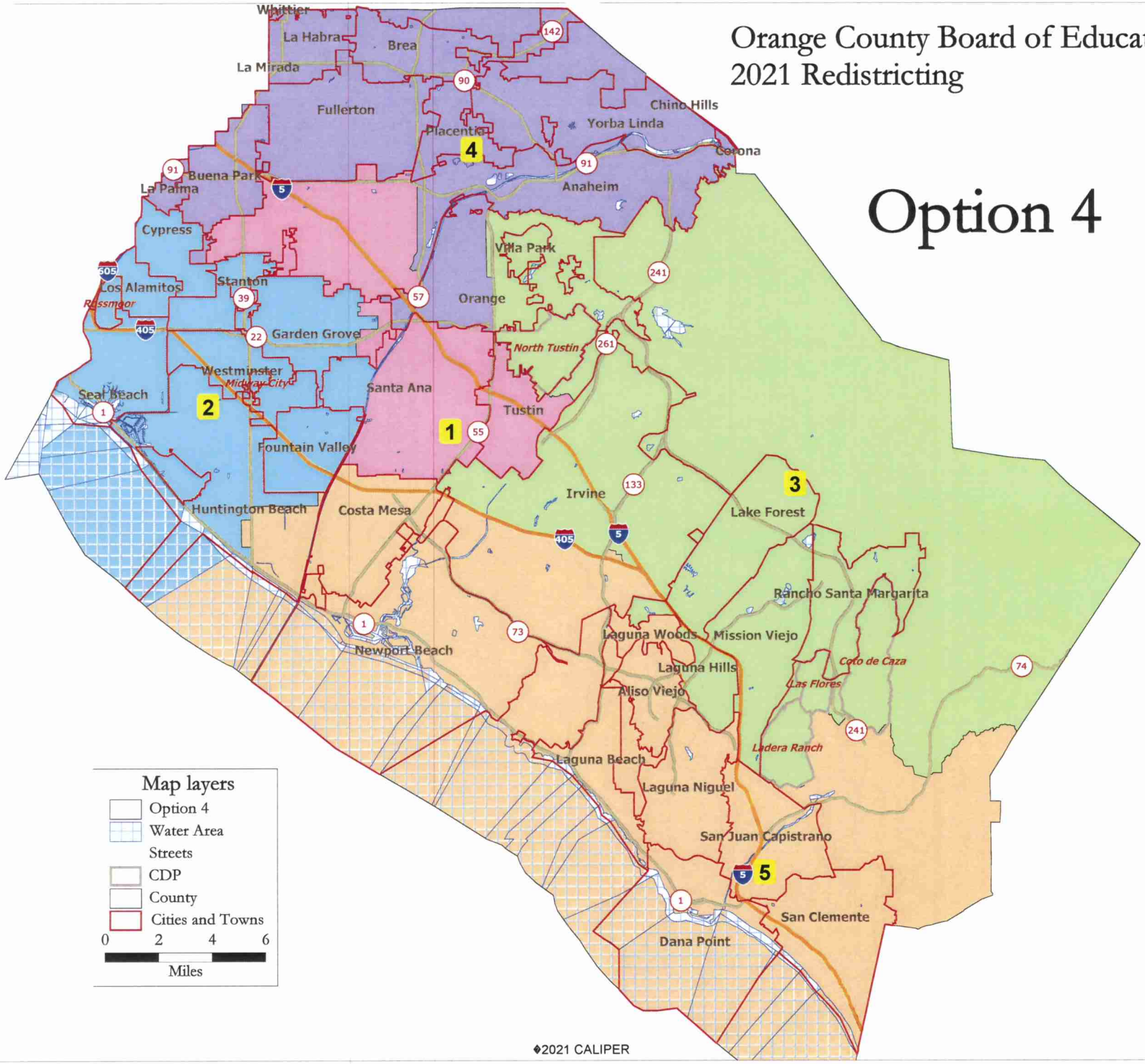
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OCBE MAP OPTION 4	
Submitted by:	OCBE Redistricting Committee
Created by:	National Demographics Corporation
Notes:	
Considered by OCBE on:	December 1, 2021 December 8, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 4 - by consensus, the Board agreed to consider Map 4 at the December 8, 2021 Public Hearing, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 4 appeared responsive to the public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2; (2) Map 4 maintained a 52% Latino Voting Age Population in Trustee Area 1; (3) Map 4 maintained a 33% Asian Voting Age Population in Trustee Area 2; and (4) Map 4 has a mere .37% deviation (2349 voters) between the largest and smallest Trustee Area (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

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Option 4



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Option 4							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	639,794	638,653	638,150	638,964	637,445	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	1,193	52	-451	363	-1,156	2,349
	% Deviation	0.19%	0.01%	-0.07%	0.06%	-0.18%	0.37%
Total Pop	% Hisp	66.7%	28%	18%	37%	20%	34%
	% NH White	14%	32%	47%	34%	60%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	35%	30%	24%	15%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	342,939	437,073	411,075	418,049	448,630	2,057,766
	% Hisp	52%	20%	14%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	26%	43%	61%	47%	71%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	19%	33%	22%	21%	12%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	269,996	370,488	384,230	361,972	407,882	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	54%	19%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	49%	17%	12%	26%	10%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	27%	14%	13%	7%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	32%	52%	68%	56%	79%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	210,179	312,193	339,319	309,345	360,499	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	51%	17%	13%	26%	10%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	47%	16%	12%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	26%	14%	13%	6%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	33%	54%	69%	57%	80%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	131,117	213,708	241,453	215,193	265,673	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	48%	16%	11%	23%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	15%	11%	22%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	22%	11%	10%	5%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	37%	60%	73%	63%	82%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	664,058	640,123	620,773	624,547	618,521	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	29%	23%	26%	25%	22%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	56%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	20%	20%	25%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	34%	27%	28%	21%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	59%	56%	56%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	28%	51%	65%	58%	72%	54%
	spanish	58%	19%	11%	24%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	27%	16%	14%	8%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	9%	5%	7%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	32%	24%	12%	17%	9%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	42%	42%	30%	40%	32%	37%
	bachelor	15%	22%	35%	26%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	11%	21%	13%	21%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	44%	33%	37%	35%	26%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	67%	66%	64%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	9%	11%	13%	13%
	income 25-50k	21%	17%	10%	15%	13%	15%
	income 50-75k	20%	15%	11%	16%	13%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	41%	47%	45%	41%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	12%	23%	13%	21%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	68%	74%	70%	63%	66%
	multi-family	48%	32%	26%	30%	37%	34%
	rented	58%	43%	33%	40%	43%	43%
	owned	42%	57%	67%	60%	57%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

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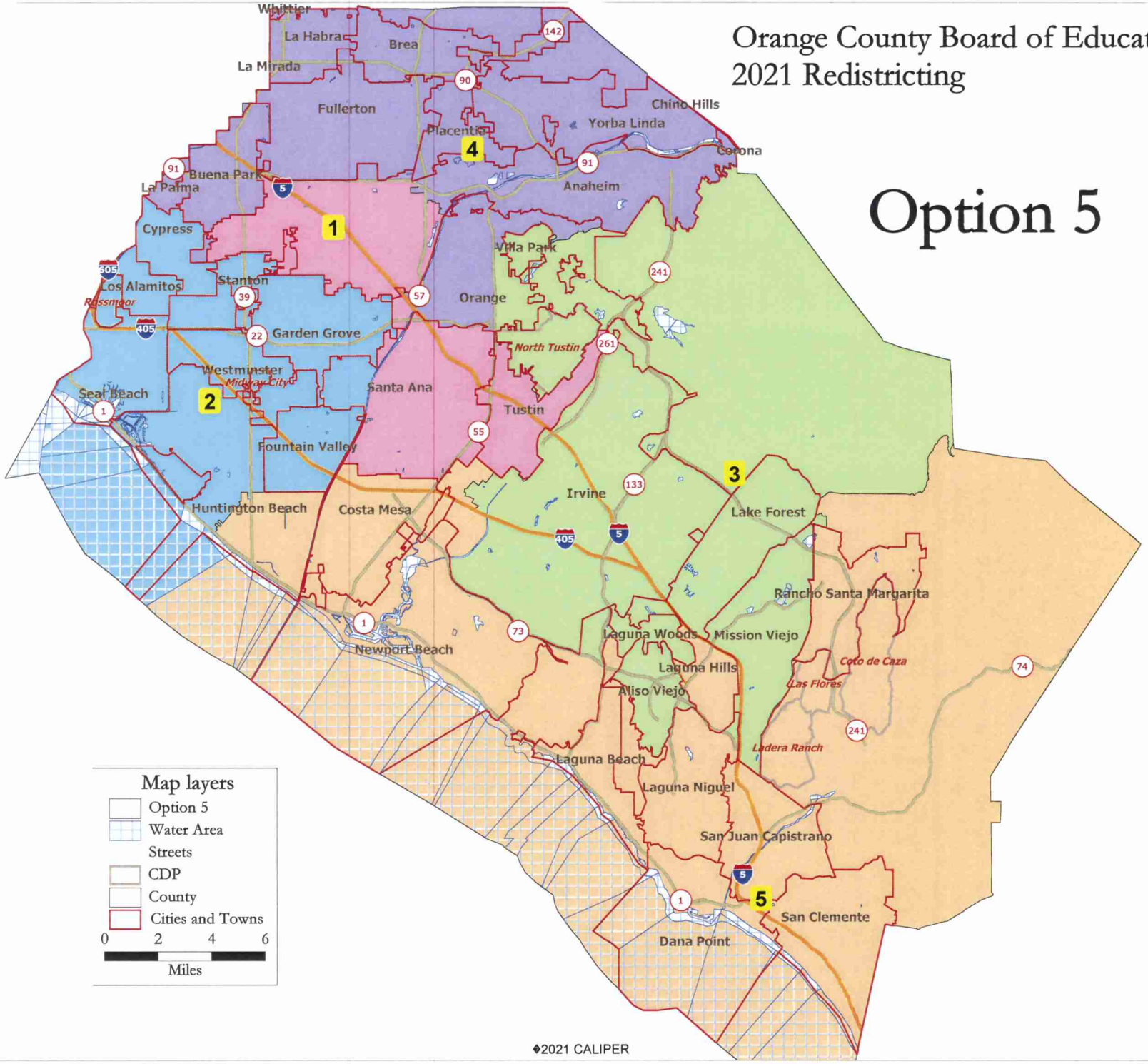
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OCBE MAP OPTION 5	
Submitted by:	OCBE Redistricting Committee
Created by:	National Demographics Corporation
Notes:	
Considered by OCBE on:	December 1, 2021 December 8, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 5 - by consensus, the Board agreed to consider map 5 at the December 8, 2021, Public Hearing, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 5 appeared responsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2; (2) Map 5 maintained a 51% Latino Voting Age population in Trustee Area 1; (3) Map 5 maintained a 34% Asian Voting Age population in Trustee Area 2; and (4) Map 5 has a 0% deviation (1 voter) between the largest and smallest Trustee Area (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

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Option 5							
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total
	Total Pop	638,600	638,602	638,601	638,601	638,602	3,193,006
	Deviation from ideal	-1	1			1	2
	% Deviation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Pop	% Hisp	65.6%	30%	17%	37%	21%	34%
	% NH White	15%	30%	45%	34%	63%	38%
	% NH Black	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	15%	36%	32%	24%	11%	24%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	344,619	432,683	403,750	415,852	460,862	2,057,766
	% Hisp	51%	22%	14%	28%	14%	25%
	% NH White	27%	41%	60%	47%	74%	51%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	18%	34%	24%	21%	10%	21%
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	Total	272,258	362,436	371,403	363,946	424,525	1,794,568
	% Latino est.	53%	20%	13%	28%	11%	23%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	48%	19%	12%	25%	11%	21%
	% Asian-Surnamed	12%	28%	16%	13%	5%	15%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	% NH White est.	33%	49%	67%	56%	80%	59%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	Total	213,250	303,976	326,449	311,365	376,495	1,531,535
	% Latino est.	50%	19%	12%	26%	11%	21%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	45%	17%	11%	24%	10%	19%
	% Asian-Surnamed	13%	28%	15%	13%	5%	14%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	35%	51%	68%	58%	81%	61%
	% NH Black	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	Total	134,048	206,918	234,383	216,928	274,867	1,067,144
	% Latino est.	47%	17%	11%	23%	9%	19%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	43%	16%	11%	21%	9%	17%
	% Asian-Surnamed	11%	23%	12%	10%	4%	12%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	% NH White est.	39%	58%	72%	63%	84%	66%
	% NH Black est.	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	660,289	643,050	602,064	624,048	638,572	3,168,023
Age	age0-19	28%	24%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	age20-60	57%	54%	55%	55%	54%	55%
	age60plus	14%	23%	21%	20%	23%	20%
Immigration	immigrants	40%	35%	30%	27%	18%	30%
	naturalized	41%	66%	57%	57%	58%	55%
Language spoken at home	english	29%	48%	62%	58%	76%	54%
	spanish	57%	21%	10%	24%	13%	25%
	asian-lang	11%	27%	18%	13%	5%	15%
	other lang	3%	3%	10%	5%	6%	5%
Language Fluency	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	31%	26%	13%	17%	8%	19%
Education (among those age 25+)	hs-grad	42%	42%	29%	40%	33%	37%
	bachelor	15%	22%	34%	26%	33%	26%
	graduatedegree	6%	10%	23%	14%	20%	15%
Child in Household	child-under18	44%	34%	33%	35%	28%	34%
Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	68%	63%	64%	66%	67%	66%
Household Income	income 0-25k	15%	15%	12%	11%	10%	13%
	income 25-50k	20%	17%	11%	15%	12%	15%
	income 50-75k	19%	16%	12%	15%	12%	15%
	income 75-200k	39%	41%	45%	45%	42%	43%
	income 200k-plus	6%	11%	20%	14%	23%	16%
Housing Stats	single family	52%	68%	69%	70%	67%	66%
	multi-family	48%	32%	31%	30%	33%	34%
	rented	57%	43%	37%	39%	39%	43%
	owned	43%	57%	63%	61%	61%	57%

Total population data from the 2020 Decennial Census.

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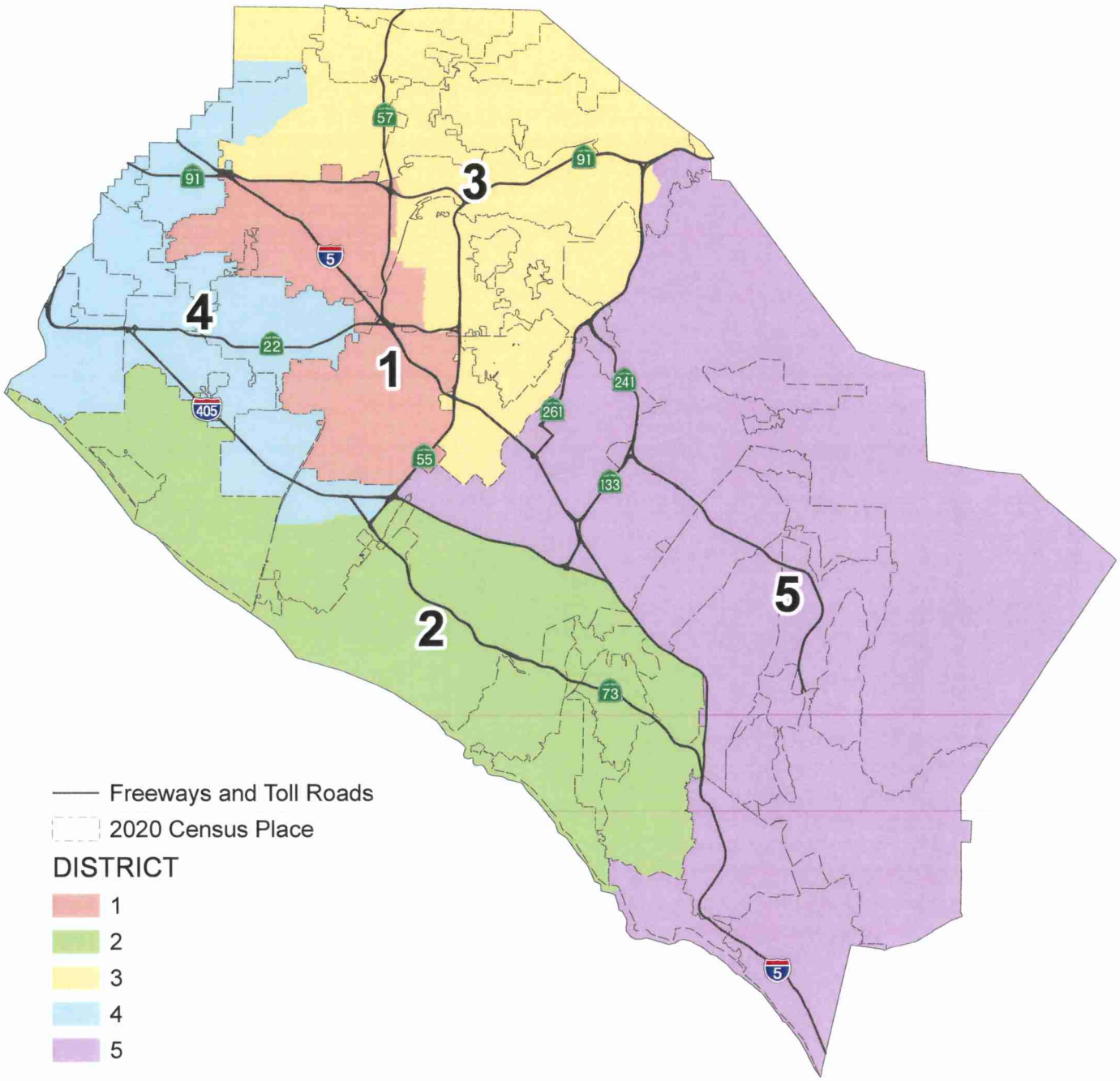
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OCBE MAP OPTION 6	
Submitted by:	Tom Berry, Mappings and GIS Member of the Public
Created by:	Unknown
Notes:	OCBE Map Option 6 is the same map that was considered by the Orange County Board of Supervisors, which was referred to as Proposal 2 Map. OCBE Map Option 6 = OCBOS Proposal 2 Map
Considered by OCBE on:	December 1, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 6 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 6, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 6 was created for the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board; (2) Map 6 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly equal in population as may be; and (3) Map 6 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

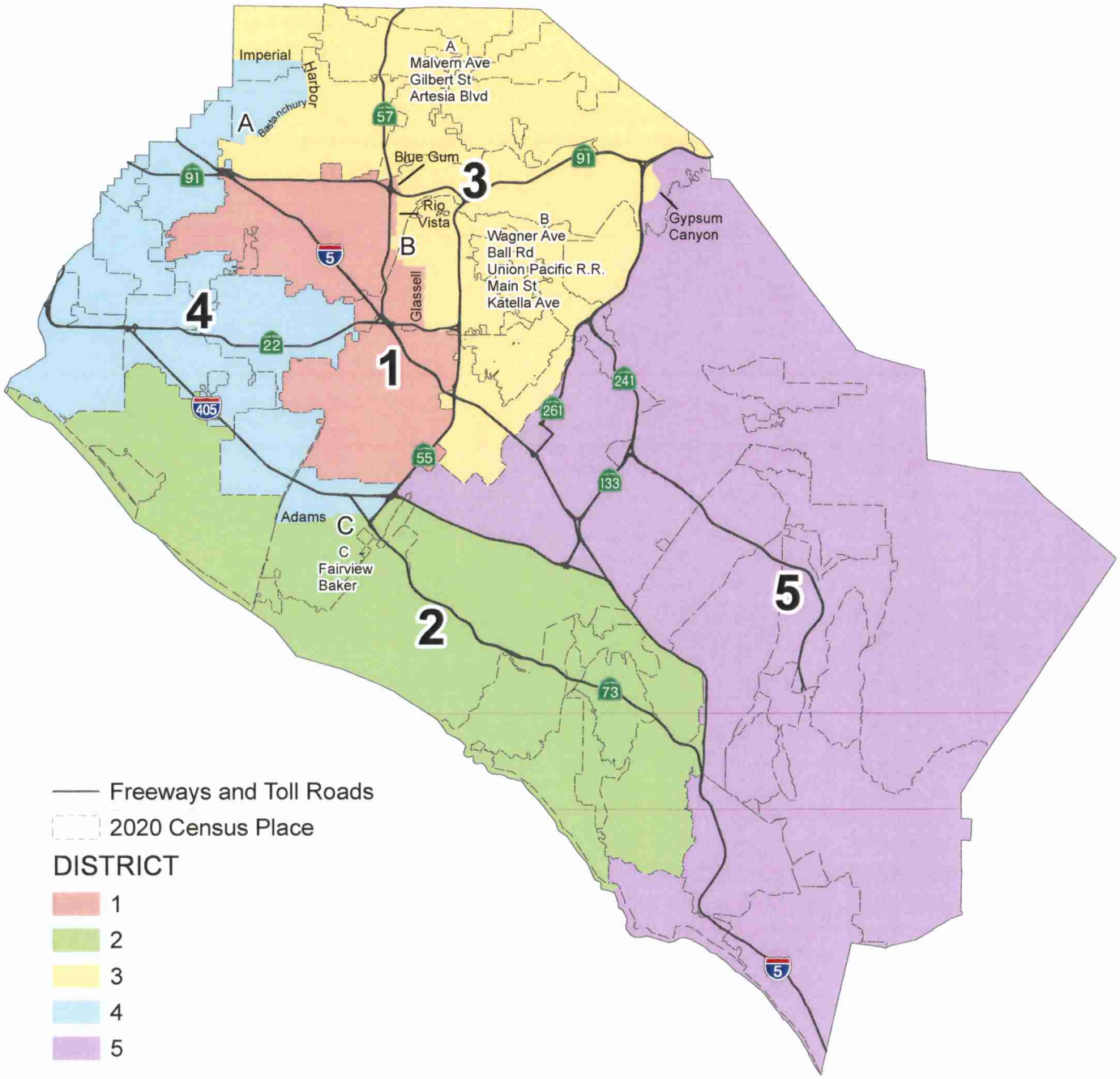
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Proposal 2 Map



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Proposal 2 Map (Annotated)



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Table 1. Adjusted 2020 Census Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	634,905	431,360	83,791	11,246	1,120	92,057	1,981	2,323	11,027
	100.0%	67.9%	13.2%	1.8%	0.2%	14.5%	0.3%	0.4%	1.7%
2	638,698	124,451	373,482	8,653	1,017	91,998	1,203	3,721	34,173
	100.0%	19.5%	58.5%	1.4%	0.2%	14.4%	0.2%	0.6%	5.4%
3	641,120	232,229	250,599	10,714	1,198	116,578	1,083	3,162	25,557
	100.0%	36.2%	39.1%	1.7%	0.2%	18.2%	0.2%	0.5%	4.0%
4	632,903	189,327	163,660	10,423	985	243,208	2,601	2,532	20,167
	100.0%	29.9%	25.9%	1.6%	0.2%	38.4%	0.4%	0.4%	3.2%
5	645,384	112,914	328,596	8,907	1,005	155,426	869	3,349	34,318
	100.0%	17.5%	50.9%	1.4%	0.2%	24.1%	0.1%	0.5%	5.3%
COUNTY TOTAL	3,193,010	1,090,281	1,200,128	49,943	5,325	699,267	7,737	15,087	125,242
	100.0%	34.1%	37.6%	1.6%	0.2%	21.9%	0.2%	0.5%	3.9%

Table 2. Difference from 2021 Target Supervisorial District Population of 638,602

District	Number	Percent
1	-3,697	-0.58%
2	96	0.02%
3	2,518	0.39%
4	-5,699	-0.89%
5	6,782	1.06%

Percentage Spread (Largest - Smallest)
1.95%

Split Cities/Census Designated Places (CDPs) -

Anaheim (3)
Costa Mesa (2)
Fullerton (2)
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The U.S. Census Bureau misassigned three (3) census blocks to the City of Tustin that are actually in the City of Santa Ana with a total of 260 population.

Submitted plan does not include assignment of three blocks that are in Santa Ana but Census Bureau misassigned to City of Tustin.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 3. Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race/Ethnicity, 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates

District	Total Estimated CVAP	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	342,565	182,618	82,028	8,680	549	61,589	1,684	3,754
	100.0%	53.6%	24.1%	2.5%	0.2%	18.1%	0.5%	1.1%
2	461,397	65,499	317,620	7,136	1,007	56,548	937	11,736
	100.0%	14.2%	69.0%	1.5%	0.2%	12.3%	0.2%	2.5%
3	425,307	115,067	224,984	8,587	594	66,803	681	7,897
	100.0%	27.1%	53.0%	2.0%	0.1%	15.7%	0.2%	1.9%
4	423,111	91,915	155,251	8,794	917	155,464	1,650	8,430
	100.0%	21.8%	36.8%	2.1%	0.2%	36.8%	0.4%	2.0%
5	413,296	55,816	266,678	6,358	866	70,988	615	11,236
	100.0%	13.5%	64.6%	1.5%	0.2%	17.2%	0.1%	2.7%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,065,676	510,915	1,046,561	39,555	3,933	411,392	5,567	43,053
	100.0%	24.8%	50.8%	1.9%	0.2%	20.0%	0.3%	2.1%

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The ACS estimates used to develop these data were collected from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2019 utilizing the 2010 Census block groups, which were disaggregated to the 2020 Census blocks by the Statewide Database.

For more information about the CVAP products, visit https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/about/voting-rights/cvap.html and

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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	278,540	43.9%
Garden Grove*	146	0.0%
Orange*	34,238	5.4%
Santa Ana*	311,106	49.0%
Stanton*	0	0.0%
Unincorporated	10,875	1.7%
District 1 Total	**634,905**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	8.2%
Costa Mesa*	79,591	12.5%
Huntington Beach	199,033	31.2%
Irvine*	83,954	13.1%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.6%
Laguna Hills	31,399	4.9%
Laguna Niguel	64,417	10.1%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.8%
Newport Beach	85,338	13.4%
Seal Beach*	0	0.0%
Unincorporated	2,025	0.3%
District 2 Total	**638,698**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	69,213	10.8%
Brea	47,397	7.4%
Fullerton*	119,847	18.7%
La Habra*	55,069	8.6%
North Tustin CDP	25,749	4.0%
Orange*	105,953	16.5%
Placentia	51,925	8.1%
Santa Ana*	287	0.0%
Tustin	80,412	12.5%
Unincorporated	11,003	1.7%
Villa Park	5,850	0.9%
Yorba Linda*	68,415	10.7%
District 3 Total	**641,120**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 4

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Buena Park	84,187	13.3%
Costa Mesa*	32,548	5.1%
Cypress	50,235	7.9%
Fountain Valley	57,120	9.0%
Fullerton*	24,083	3.8%
Garden Grove*	172,200	27.2%
La Habra*	8,165	1.3%
La Palma	15,597	2.5%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
Midway City CDP	8,845	1.4%
Rossmoor CDP	10,634	1.7%
Seal Beach*	25,283	4.0%
Stanton*	38,067	6.0%
Unincorporated	3,061	0.5%
Westminster	91,083	14.4%
District 4 Total	**632,903**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	0	0.0%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.3%
Dana Point	33,144	5.1%
Irvine*	224,004	34.7%
Ladera Ranch CDP	26,188	4.1%
Lake Forest	85,965	13.3%
Las Flores CDP	6,004	0.9%
Mission Viejo	93,760	14.5%
Modjeska CDP	632	0.1%
Orange*	0	0.0%
Rancho Mission Viejo CDP	10,385	1.6%
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,000	7.4%
San Clemente	64,384	10.0%
San Juan Capistrano	35,271	5.5%
Silverado CDP	932	0.1%
Trabuco Canyon CDP	1,020	0.2%
Unincorporated	879	0.1%
Williams Canyon CDP	93	0.0%
Yorba Linda*	0	0.0%
District 5 Total	**645,384**	**100.0%**

*City split by proposed district.

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Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

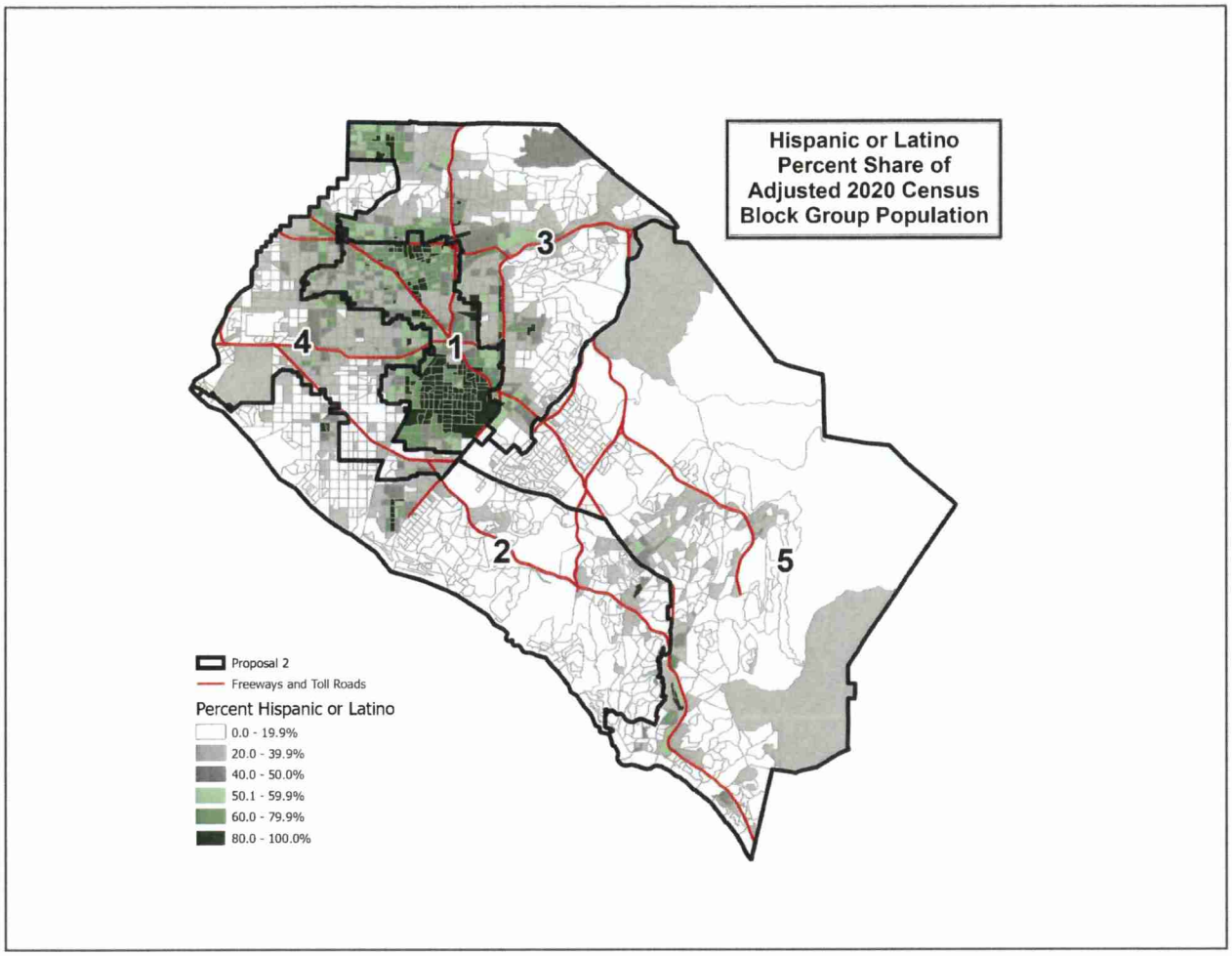
District	Total Population 18 and Over	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	484,785	310,108	75,022	9,407	908	78,268	1,600	1,585	7,887
	100.0%	64.0%	15.5%	1.9%	0.2%	16.1%	0.3%	0.3%	1.6%
2	528,793	93,517	321,440	7,613	920	78,241	957	2,855	23,250
	100.0%	17.7%	60.8%	1.4%	0.2%	14.8%	0.2%	0.5%	4.4%
3	504,530	166,966	214,108	8,885	1,033	93,976	868	2,326	16,368
	100.0%	33.1%	42.4%	1.8%	0.2%	18.6%	0.2%	0.5%	3.2%
4	505,416	136,436	142,868	8,442	841	199,637	2,064	1,906	13,222
	100.0%	27.0%	28.3%	1.7%	0.2%	39.5%	0.4%	0.4%	2.6%
5	502,155	80,490	269,965	7,120	800	119,741	715	2,458	20,866
	100.0%	16.0%	53.8%	1.4%	0.2%	23.8%	0.1%	0.5%	4.2%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,525,679	787,517	1,023,403	41,467	4,502	569,863	6,204	11,130	81,593
	100.0%	31.2%	40.5%	1.6%	0.2%	22.6%	0.2%	0.4%	3.2%

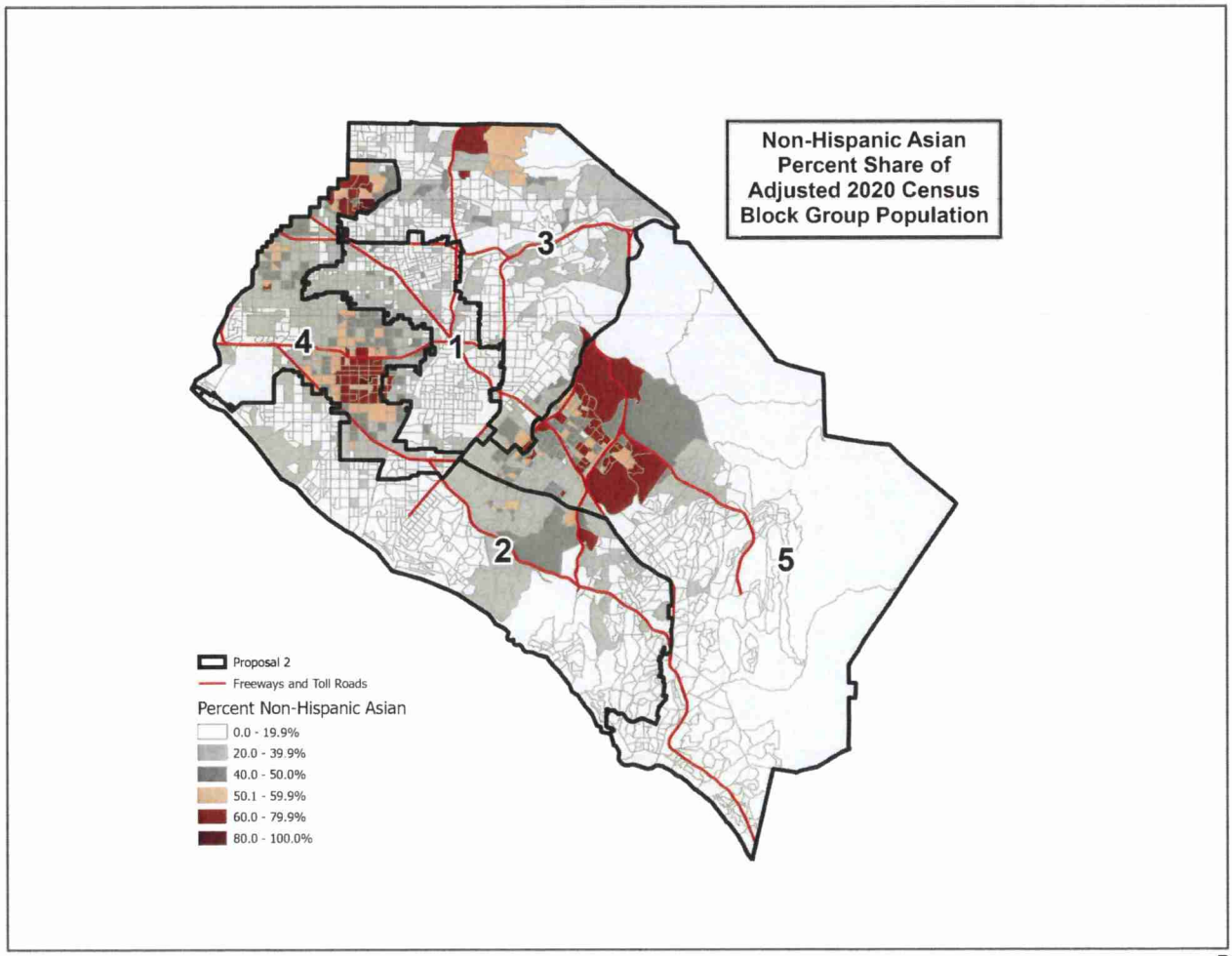
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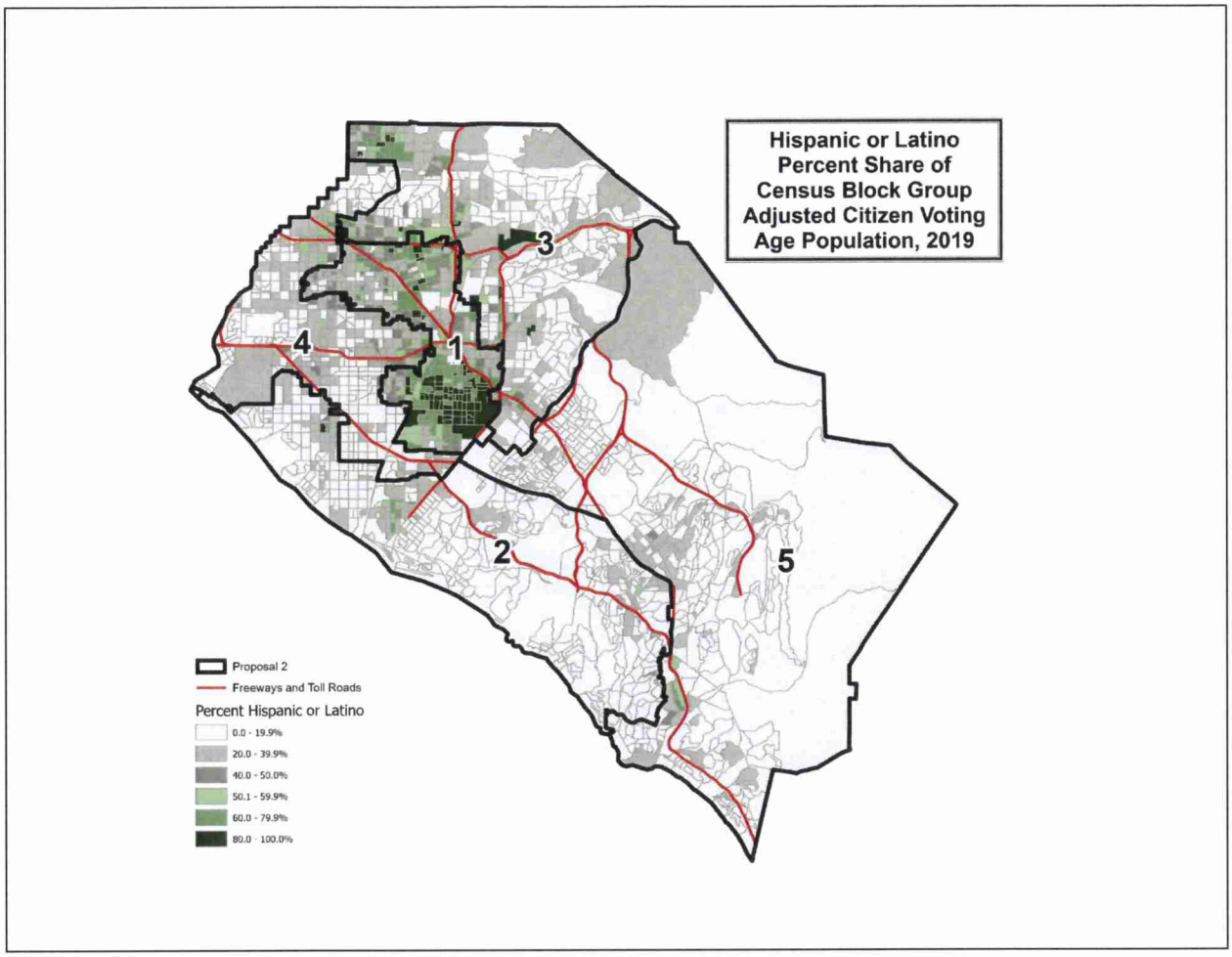
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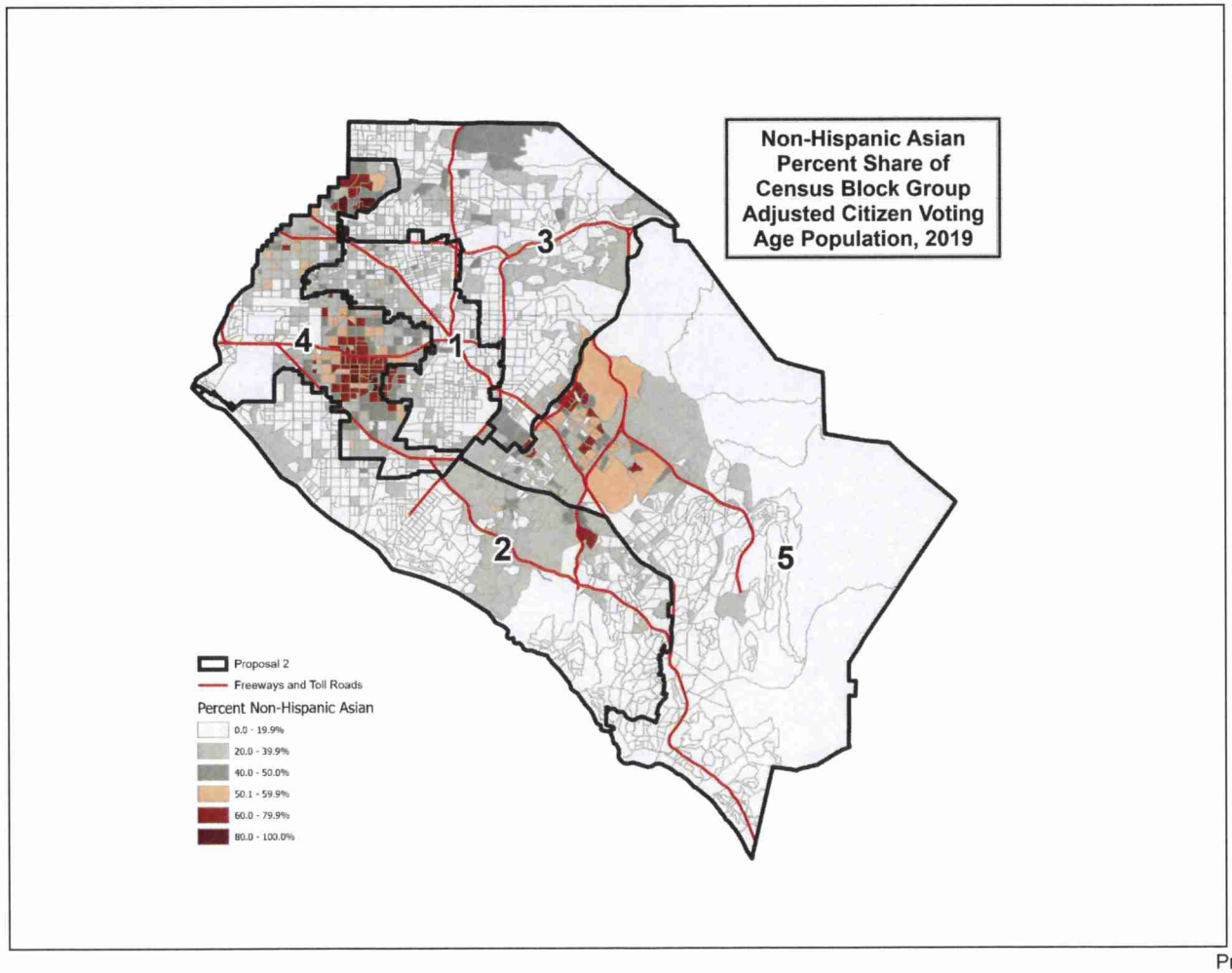
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Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
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Proposal 2
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Hispanic or Latino
0.0 - 19.9%
20.0 - 39.9%
40.0 - 50.0%
50.1 - 59.9%
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Non-Hispanic Asian Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
3
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1
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Proposal 2
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Non-Hispanic Asian
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Proposal 2
Freeways and Toll Roads
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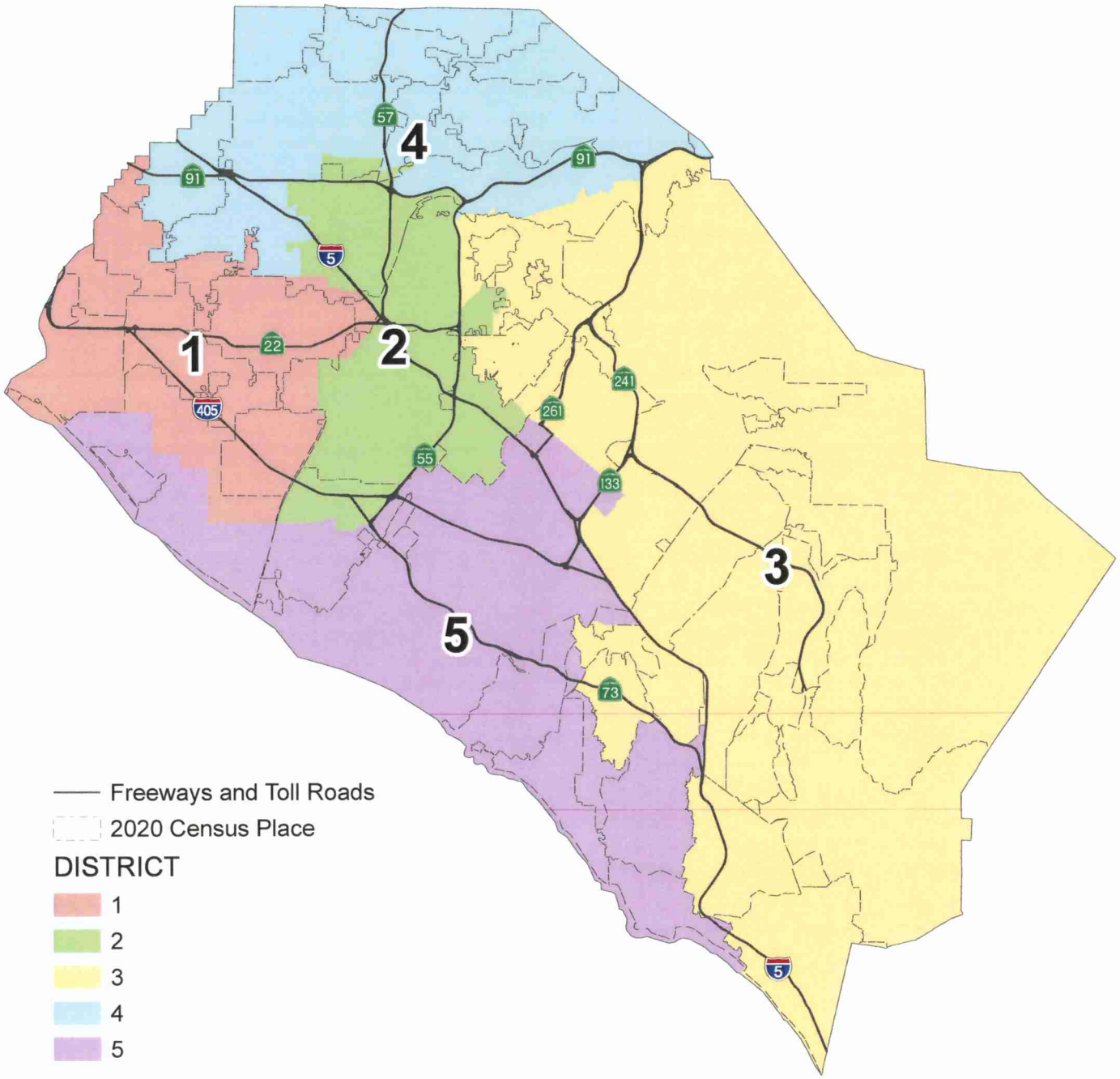

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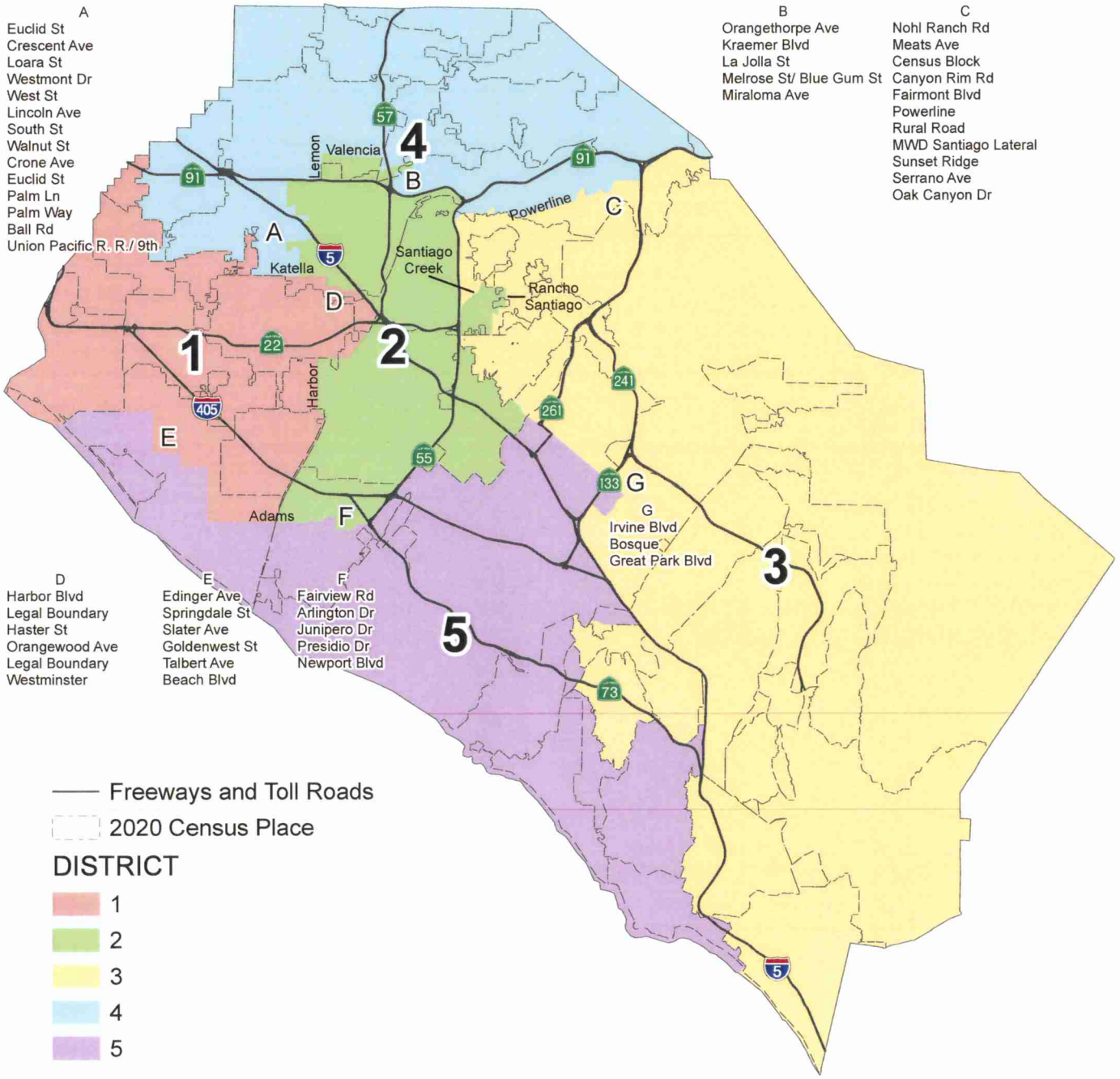
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Proposal 4 Map



Proposal 4 Map (Annotated)



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	100.0%	38.5%	31.0%	2.2%	0.2%	23.9%	0.3%	0.5%	3.4%
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2	345,019	175,986	109,667	7,310	619	44,633	1,427	4,474
	100.0%	51.1%	31.9%	2.1%	0.2%	13.0%	0.4%	1.3%
3	441,353	63,641	295,094	6,436	901	63,864	553	10,331
	100.0%	14.4%	66.9%	1.5%	0.2%	14.5%	0.1%	2.3%
4	406,401	118,277	178,546	11,918	738	86,844	1,493	7,716
	100.0%	29.2%	44.0%	2.9%	0.2%	21.4%	0.4%	1.9%
5	442,977	54,994	299,802	6,431	521	67,586	801	11,692
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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	14,358	2.3%
Cypress	50,235	7.9%
Fountain Valley*	56,898	9.0%
Garden Grove*	169,358	26.7%
Huntington Beach*	84,495	13.3%
La Palma	15,597	2.5%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
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Westminster	91,083	14.3%
District 1 Total	**635,005**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	148,154	23.4%
Costa Mesa*	37,161	5.9%
Fountain Valley*	222	0.0%
Fullerton*	2,101	0.3%
Garden Grove*	2,988	0.5%
Irvine*	0	0.0%
Orange*	91,158	14.4%
Placentia*	4,811	0.8%
Santa Ana*	274,116	43.3%
Tustin*	68,280	10.8%
Unincorporated	4,253	0.7%
District 2 Total	**633,244**	**100.0%**

*City split by proposed district.

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DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	8.0%
Anaheim*	11,710	1.8%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.2%
Irvine*	68,622	10.5%
Ladera Ranch CDP	26,188	4.0%
Laguna Hills*	28,163	4.3%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.7%
Lake Forest	85,965	13.1%
Las Flores CDP	6,004	0.9%
Mission Viejo	93,760	14.3%
Modjeska CDP	632	0.1%
North Tustin CDP	25,749	3.9%
Orange*	40,903	6.2%
Rancho Mission Viejo CDP	10,385	1.6%
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,000	7.3%
San Clemente	64,384	9.8%
San Juan Capistrano	35,271	5.4%
Silverado CDP	932	0.1%
Trabuco Canyon CDP	1,020	0.2%
Tustin*	12,132	1.9%
Unincorporated	4,259	0.7%
Villa Park	5,850	0.9%
Williams Canyon CDP	93	0.0%
Yorba Linda*	0	0.0%
District 3 Total	**654,625**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 4

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	173,531	27.5%
Brea	47,397	7.5%
Buena Park	84,187	13.4%
Fullerton*	141,829	22.5%
La Habra	63,234	10.0%
Orange*	130	0.0%
Placentia*	47,114	7.5%
Unincorporated	4,226	0.7%
Yorba Linda*	68,415	10.9%
District 4 Total	**630,063**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Costa Mesa*	74,978	11.7%
Dana Point	33,144	5.2%
Huntington Beach*	114,538	17.9%
Irvine*	239,336	37.4%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.6%
Laguna Hills*	3,236	0.5%
Laguna Niguel	64,417	10.1%
Newport Beach	85,338	13.3%
Unincorporated	2,025	0.3%
District 5 Total	**640,073**	**100.0%**

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

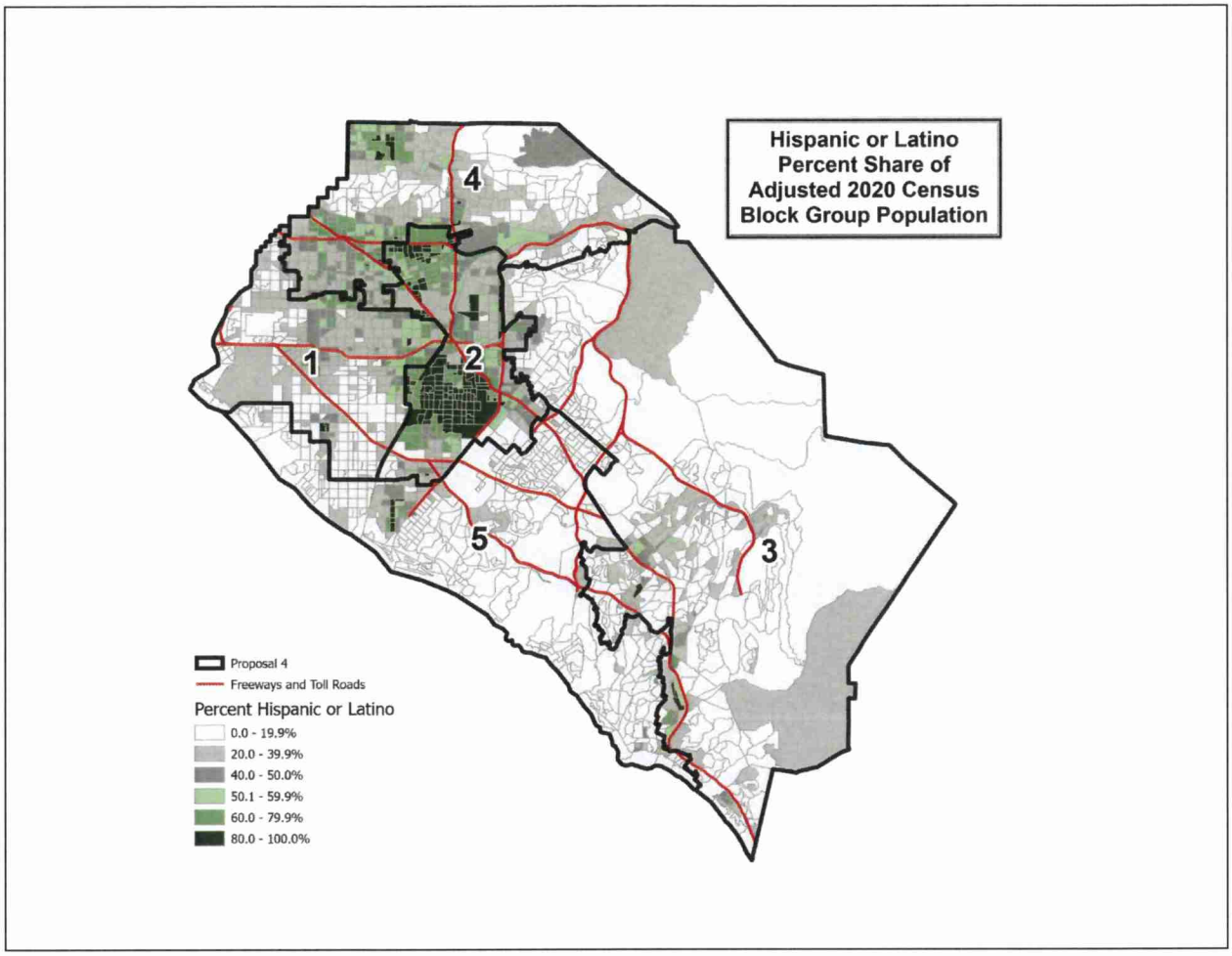
District	Total Population 18 and Over	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	508,070	142,393	152,402	7,553	864	186,981	2,079	1,972	13,826
	100.0%	28.0%	30.0%	1.5%	0.2%	36.8%	0.4%	0.4%	2.7%
2	483,331	300,144	103,400	7,790	917	58,106	1,275	1,727	9,972
	100.0%	62.1%	21.4%	1.6%	0.2%	12.0%	0.3%	0.4%	2.1%
3	512,963	89,719	296,966	6,420	827	95,063	772	2,330	20,866
	100.0%	17.5%	57.9%	1.3%	0.2%	18.5%	0.2%	0.5%	4.1%
4	495,273	174,472	167,945	11,617	1,073	122,730	1,337	2,159	13,940
	100.0%	35.2%	33.9%	2.3%	0.2%	24.8%	0.3%	0.4%	2.8%
5	526,042	80,789	302,690	8,087	821	106,983	741	2,942	22,989
	100.0%	15.4%	57.5%	1.5%	0.2%	20.3%	0.1%	0.6%	4.4%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,525,679	787,517	1,023,403	41,467	4,502	569,863	6,204	11,130	81,593
	100.0%	31.2%	40.5%	1.6%	0.2%	22.6%	0.2%	0.4%	3.2%

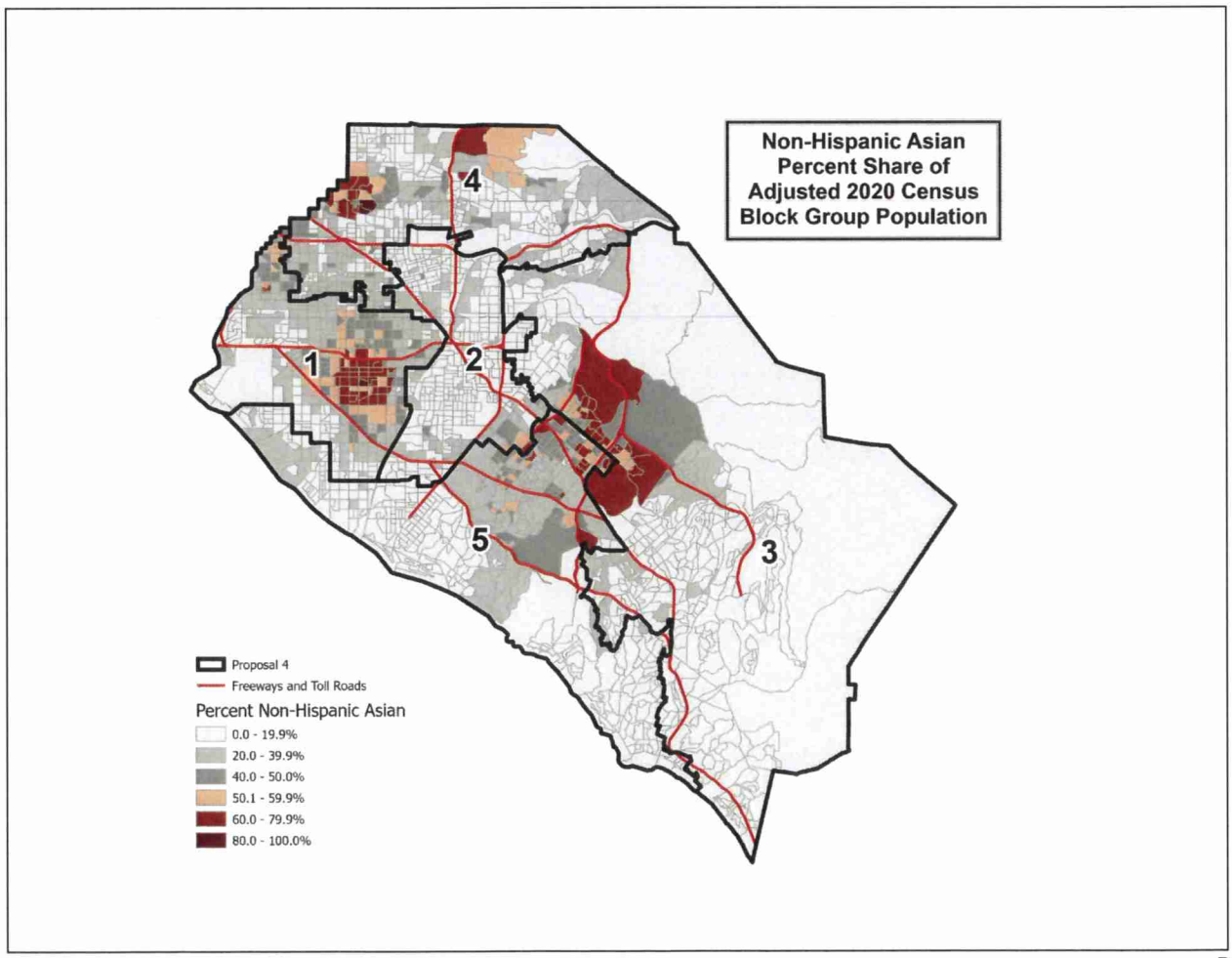
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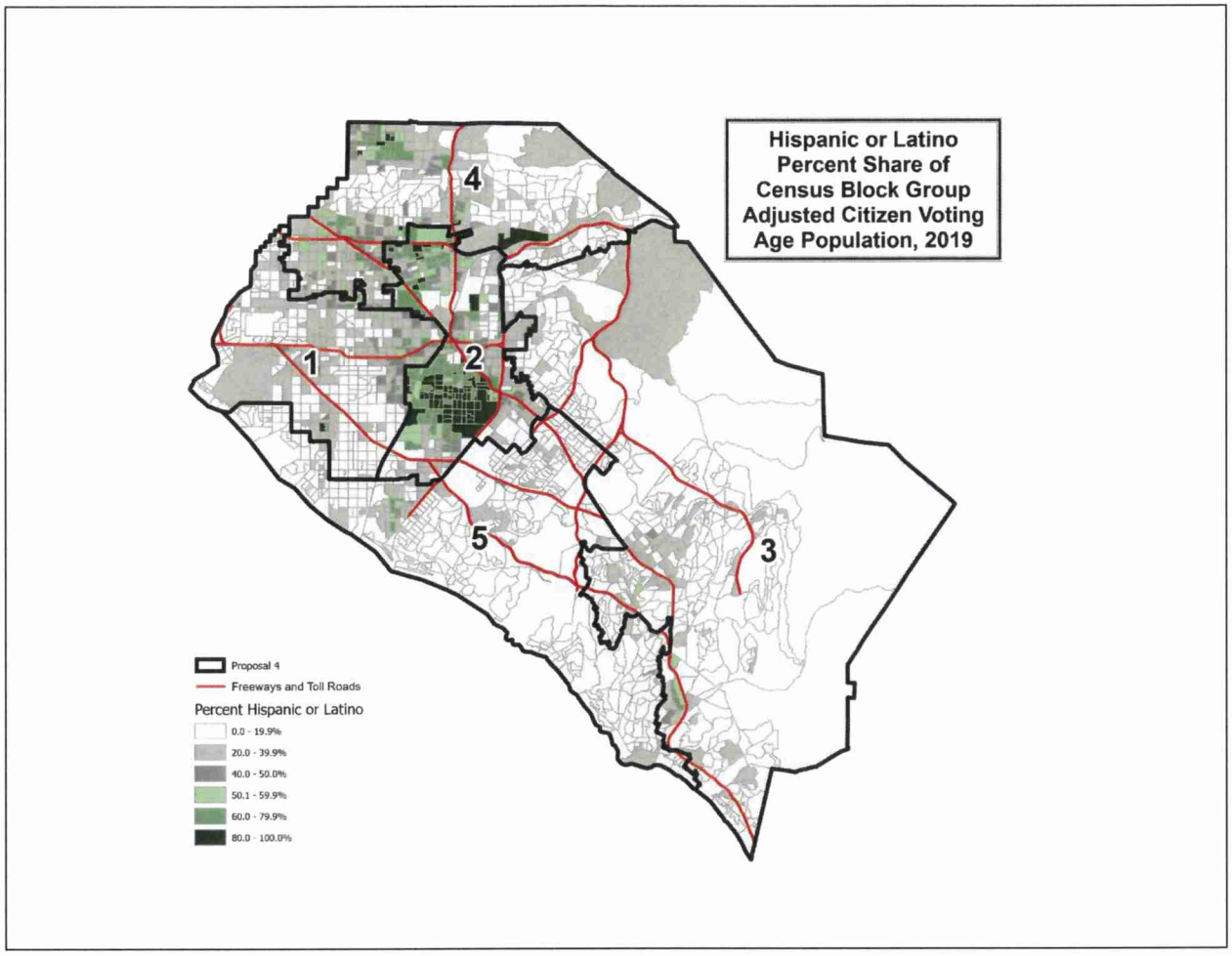
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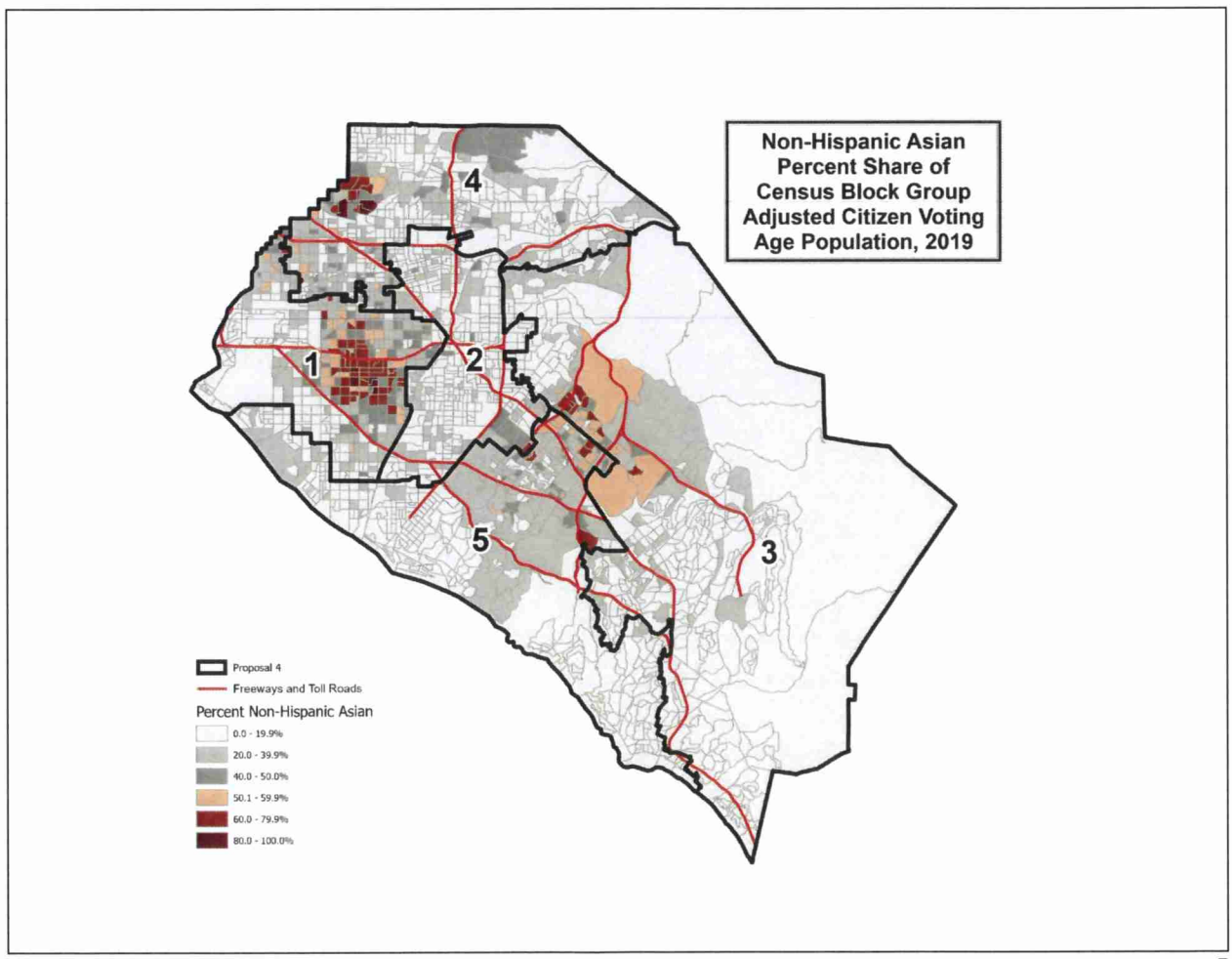
PROPOSAL 4

Contact Name:	Sam Hoang
Organization:	Asian/Pacific Islanders Communities of Interest Orange County
Submitted Description:	"Plan focused on keeping communities of interest together Plan Objectives Keep Communities of Interest together"


Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
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Proposal 4
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Hispanic or Latino
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Non-Hispanic Asian Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
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Freeways and Toll Roads
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Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Census Block Group Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population, 2019
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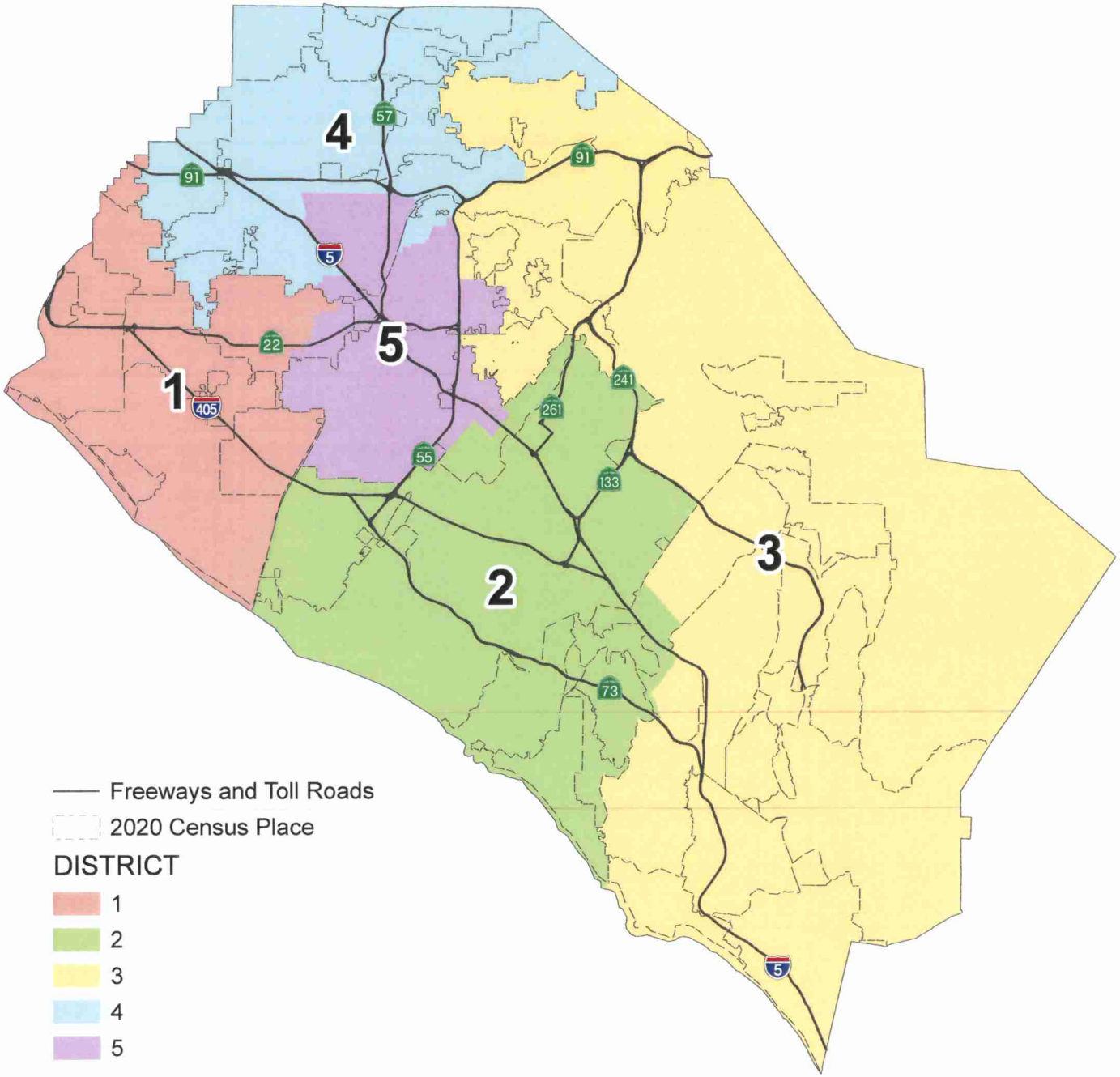

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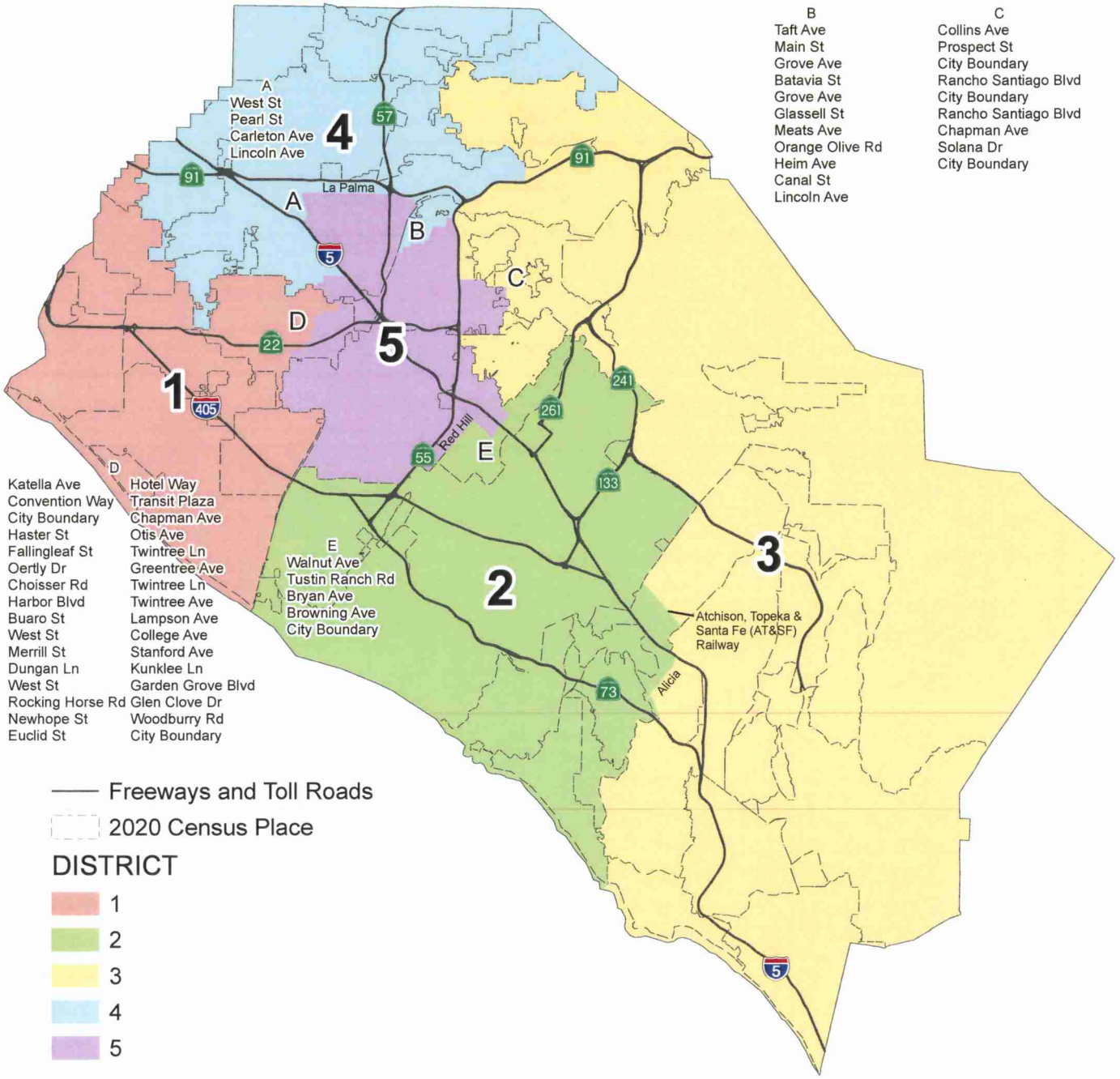
OCBE MAP OPTION 8	
Submitted by:	Tom Berry, Mappings and GIS Member of the Public
Created by:	Unknown
Notes:	OCBE Map Option 8 is the same map that was considered by the Orange County Board of Supervisors, which was referred to as Proposal 5 Map. OCBE Map Option 8 = OCBOS Proposal 5 Map
Considered by OCBE on:	December 1, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 8 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 8, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 8 was created for the Orange County Board of Supervisors which has a different statutory purpose and mission than the Board; (2) Map 8 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act, maintained communities of interest and/or made trustee areas as nearly equal in population as may be; and (3) Map 8 was rejected by the Orange County Board of Supervisors (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

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Proposal 5 Map



Proposal 5 Map (Annotated)



PROPOSAL 5
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Table 1. Adjusted 2020 Census Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	609,950	140,330	233,495	8,100	1,071	196,491	2,192	2,811	25,460
	100.0%	23.0%	38.3%	1.3%	0.2%	32.2%	0.4%	0.5%	4.2%
2	664,667	115,776	311,408	10,916	757	186,813	1,105	3,698	34,194
	100.0%	17.4%	46.9%	1.6%	0.1%	28.1%	0.2%	0.6%	5.1%
3	669,419	129,452	403,401	7,656	1,157	88,180	876	3,392	35,305
	100.0%	19.3%	60.3%	1.1%	0.2%	13.2%	0.1%	0.5%	5.3%
4	640,323	291,323	159,011	14,987	1,347	149,780	1,999	2,878	18,998
	100.0%	45.5%	24.8%	2.3%	0.2%	23.4%	0.3%	0.4%	3.0%
5	608,651	413,400	92,813	8,284	993	78,003	1,565	2,308	11,285
	100.0%	67.9%	15.2%	1.4%	0.2%	12.8%	0.3%	0.4%	1.9%
COUNTY TOTAL	3,193,010	1,090,281	1,200,128	49,943	5,325	699,267	7,737	15,087	125,242
	100.0%	34.1%	37.6%	1.6%	0.2%	21.9%	0.2%	0.5%	3.9%

Table 2. Difference from 2021 Target Supervisorial District Population of 638,602

District	Number	Percent
1	-28,652	-4.49%
2	26,065	4.08%
3	30,817	4.83%
4	1,721	0.27%
5	-29,951	-4.69%

Percentage Spread (Largest - Smallest)
9.52%

Split Cities/Census Designated Places (CDPs) -

Anaheim (3)

Garden Grove (2)

Laguna Hills (2)

Lake Forest (2)

Orange (3)

Tustin (3)

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Number in ( ) indicates number of Supervisorial Districts the city/CDP falls within.

The U.S. Census Bureau misassigned three (3) census blocks to the City of Tustin that are actually in the City of Santa Ana with a total of 260 population. Since the effected area is fully assigned to District 5, no splits are created and no correction is necessary.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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County of Orange 2021 Redistricting

Table 3. Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race/Ethnicity, 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates

District	Total Estimated CVAP	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	434,168	73,835	211,585	7,090	1,161	127,765	1,284	10,312
	100.0%	17.1%	48.9%	1.6%	0.3%	29.5%	0.3%	2.4%
2	422,853	56,967	257,535	7,665	656	87,069	901	10,880
	100.0%	13.5%	61.1%	1.8%	0.2%	20.6%	0.2%	2.6%
3	483,662	69,137	338,970	6,857	759	55,969	602	11,128
	100.0%	14.3%	70.1%	1.4%	0.2%	11.6%	0.1%	2.3%
4	392,835	133,933	148,026	11,995	814	88,338	1,731	7,147
	100.0%	34.2%	37.8%	3.1%	0.2%	22.5%	0.4%	1.8%
5	332,158	177,043	90,445	5,948	543	52,251	1,049	3,586
	100.0%	53.5%	27.3%	1.8%	0.2%	15.8%	0.3%	1.1%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,065,676	510,915	1,046,561	39,555	3,933	411,392	5,567	43,053
	100.0%	24.8%	50.8%	1.9%	0.2%	20.0%	0.3%	2.1%

Source: Statewide Database 2015-2019 Citizen Voting Age Population, adjusted to reflect reallocated incarcerated persons, on 2020 Census Blocks, Revised 9/27/2021 https://statewidedatabase.org/redistricting2021/counties.html

Notes: Percentages are calculated from sum of individual categories, not Total Estimated CVAP.

Because this is a special tabulation of data and not part of the standard data products shown on the Census Bureau's data.census.gov website, these estimates are rounded. Therefore, individual categories may not exactly add to the total.

For example, the sum of each of the race groups for non-Hispanics may not be the same as the estimate given for non-Hispanics. These estimates will not match counts from the 2020 Census.

The original data source for the Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) is the American Community Survey (ACS). The ACS is an ongoing survey by the U.S. Census Bureau sent to approximately 250,000 households each month.

The ACS estimates used to develop these data were collected from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2019 utilizing the 2010 Census block groups, which were disaggregated to the 2020 Census blocks by the Statewide Database.

For more information about the CVAP products, visit https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/about/voting-rights/cvap.html and

https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial/rdo/technical-documentation/special-tabulation/CVAP_2015-2019_ACS_documentation.pdf

PROPOSAL 5
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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Cypress	50,235	8.2%
Fountain Valley	57,120	9.4%
Garden Grove*	136,982	22.5%
Huntington Beach	199,033	32.6%
La Palma	15,597	2.6%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
Midway City CDP	8,845	1.5%
Rossmoor CDP	10,634	1.7%
Seal Beach	25,283	4.1%
Unincorporated	3,343	0.5%
Westminster	91,083	14.9%
District 1 Total	**609,950**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	7.9%
Costa Mesa	112,139	16.9%
Irvine	307,958	46.3%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.5%
Laguna Hills*	16,901	2.5%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.7%
Lake Forest*	16,406	2.5%
Newport Beach	85,338	12.8%
Tustin*	30,955	4.7%
Unincorporated	2,029	0.3%
District 2 Total	**664,667**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	46,881	7.0%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.2%
Dana Point	33,144	5.0%
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Anaheim*	188,501	29.4%
Brea	47,397	7.4%
Buena Park	84,187	13.1%
Fullerton	143,930	22.5%
La Habra	63,234	9.9%
Orange*	11,063	1.7%
Placentia	51,925	8.1%
Stanton	38,067	5.9%
Unincorporated	12,019	1.9%
District 4 Total	**640,323**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	112,371	18.5%
Garden Grove*	35,364	5.8%
Orange*	95,774	15.7%
Santa Ana	311,393	51.2%
Tustin*	49,457	8.1%
Unincorporated	4,292	0.7%
District 5 Total	**608,651**	**100.0%**

*City split by proposed district.

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Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

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1	493,894	102,097	202,026	6,671	937	161,436	1,779	2,208	16,740
	100.0%	20.7%	40.9%	1.4%	0.2%	32.7%	0.4%	0.4%	3.4%
2	536,073	87,002	265,986	9,094	606	147,476	865	2,743	22,301
	100.0%	16.2%	49.6%	1.7%	0.1%	27.5%	0.2%	0.5%	4.2%
3	529,829	92,238	334,079	6,435	978	71,154	718	2,509	21,718
	100.0%	17.4%	63.1%	1.2%	0.2%	13.4%	0.1%	0.5%	4.1%
4	500,127	208,850	138,425	12,215	1,138	123,134	1,603	2,085	12,677
	100.0%	41.8%	27.7%	2.4%	0.2%	24.6%	0.3%	0.4%	2.5%
5	465,756	297,330	82,887	7,052	843	66,663	1,239	1,585	8,157
	100.0%	63.8%	17.8%	1.5%	0.2%	14.3%	0.3%	0.3%	1.8%
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PROPOSAL 5

Contact Name: Jonathan Paik
Organization: Orange County Civic Engagement Table / People's Redistricting Alliance
Submitted Description: "Plan Objectives
A multiracial coalition based in Orange County, the People's Redistricting Alliance (PRA) was established in early 2021 to ensure a community voice in statewide and local redistricting processes. The PRA's Orange County Board of Supervisors plan centers federal Voting Rights Act compliance and communities of interest that reflect the needs of the county's most impacted residents. The culmination of over seven months of community engagement, the plan:

Respects the federal Voting Rights Act. The PRA plan creates a required Latinx Section 2 district in and around Santa Ana.

Respects communities of interest. The PRA plan centers numerous communities of interest, including AMEMSA, Asian American, housing cost-burdened, immigrant, Latinx, limited English proficient (LEP), low-income, nail salon worker, Pacific Islander, environmentally impacted, uninsured, and other populations.

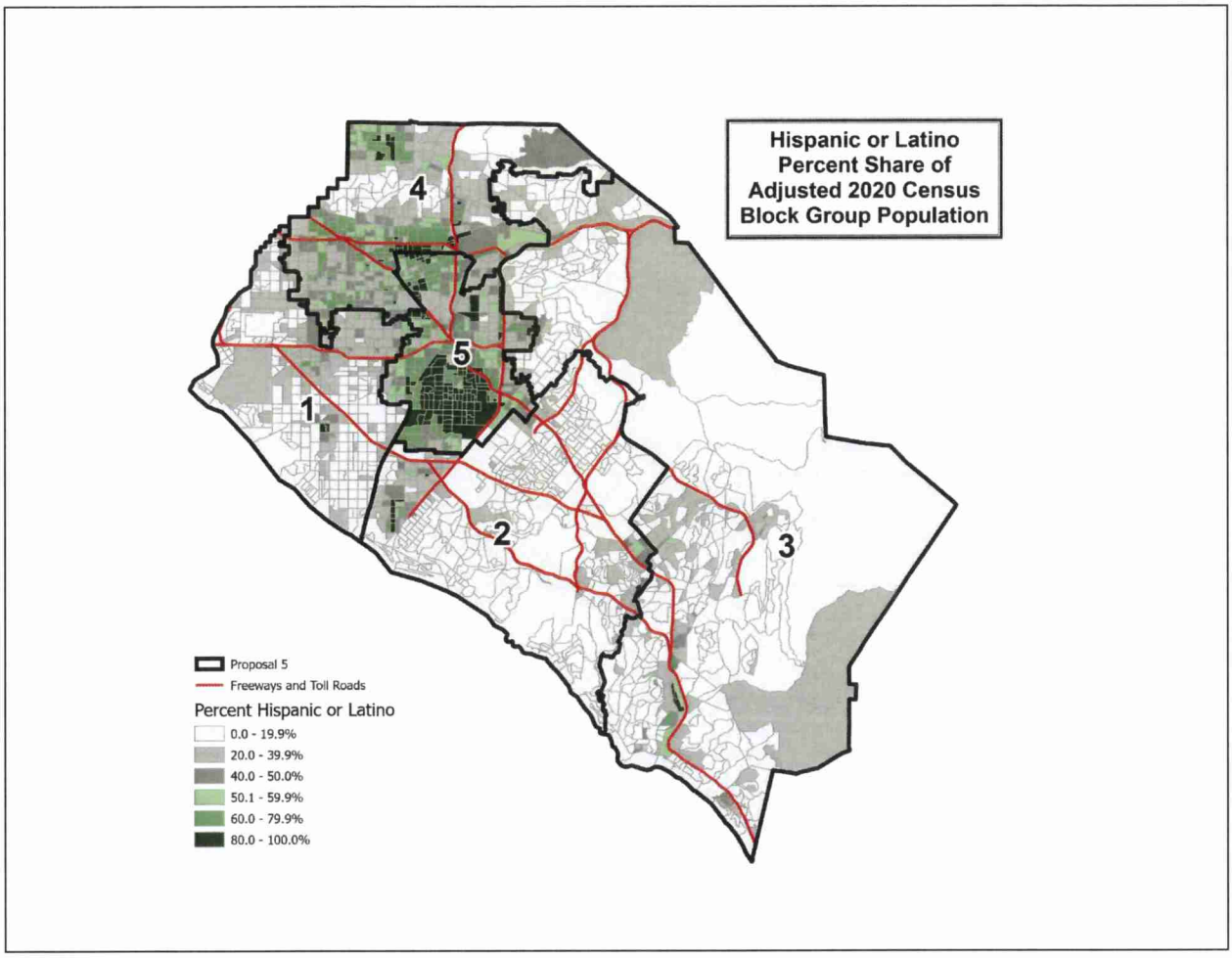
Respects population equality. The PRA plan includes districts whose total populations are 5% above or below the ideal population of 638,601 persons per Supervisorial district, with an overall percentage spread less than 10%.

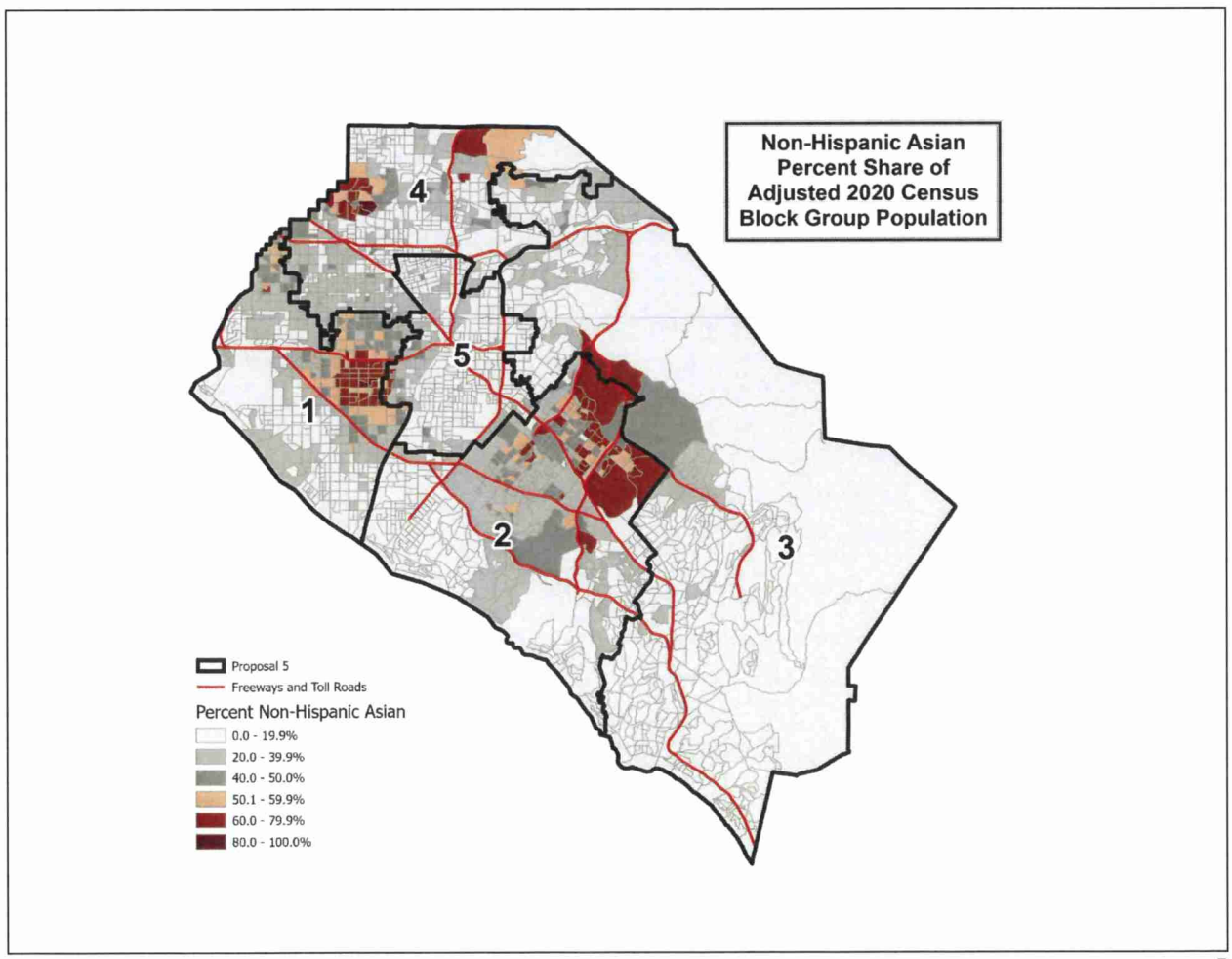
Respects district contiguity. The PRA plan draws contiguous Supervisorial districts.

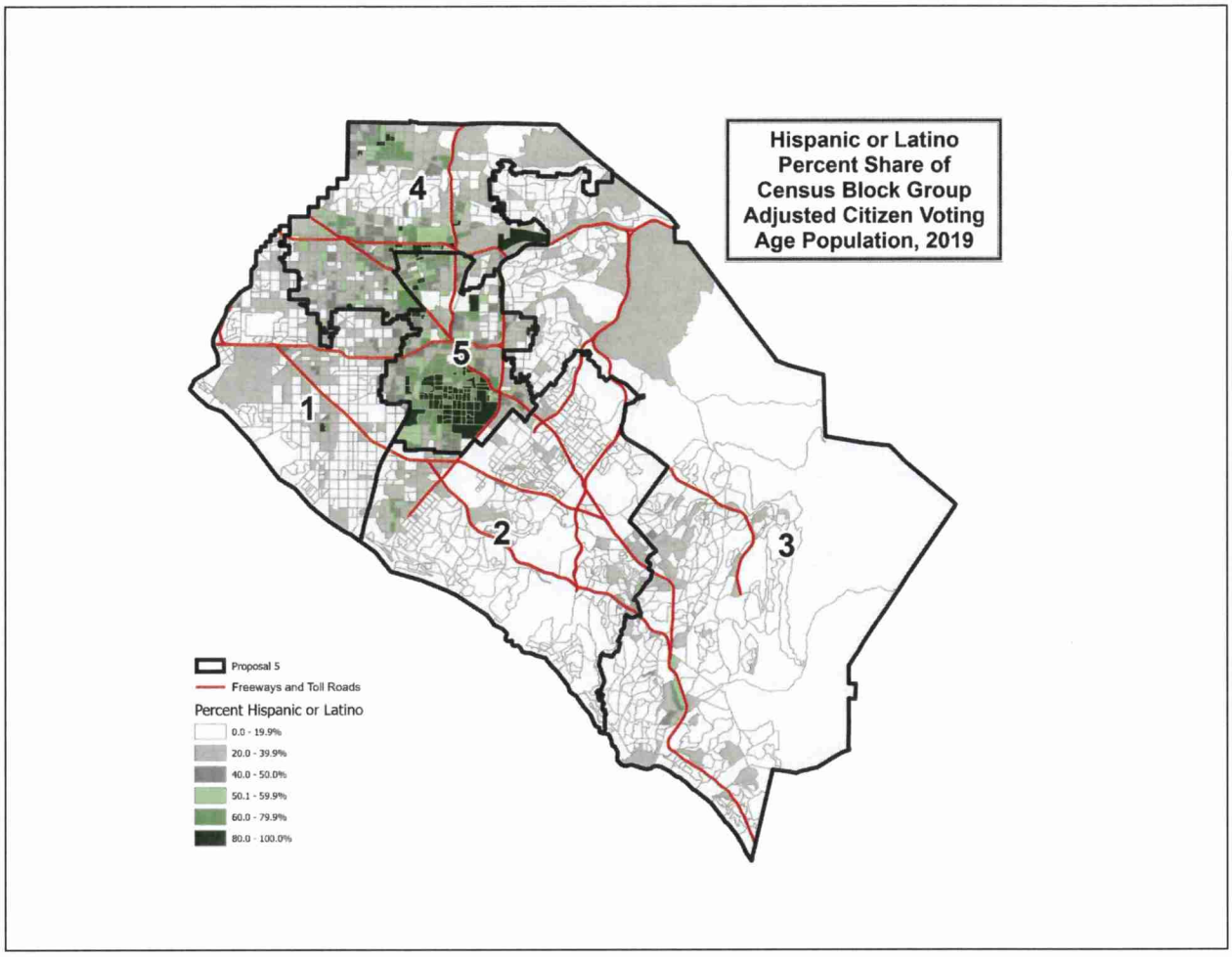
Respects the integrity of city boundaries. City boundaries were crossed for only three reasons: to ensure population equality, comply with the federal Voting Rights Act, and respect the integrity of communities of interest that cross city lines.

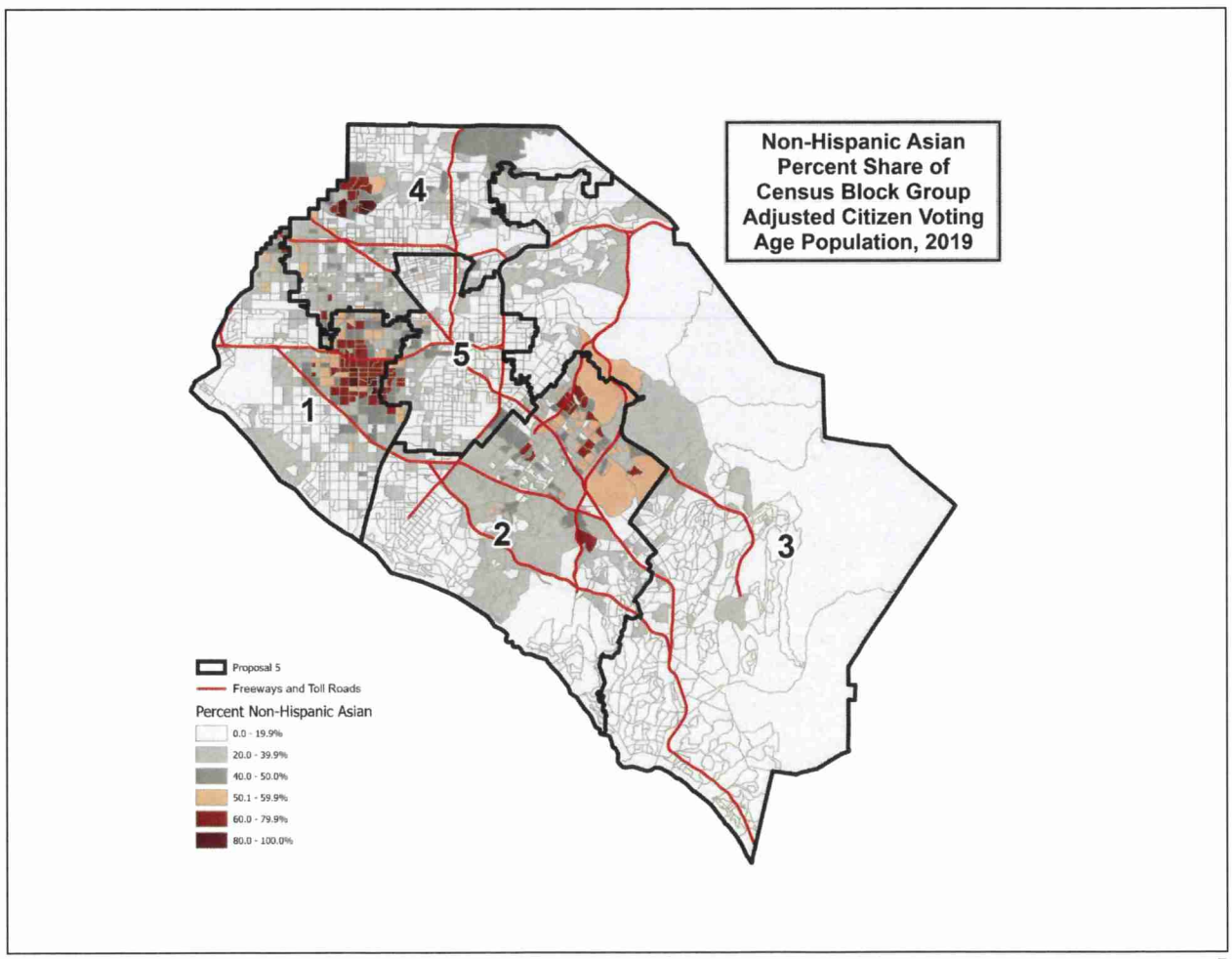
Respects the requirement of compactness. The PRA plan draws compact districts, each with a population polygon score of 0.50 or greater.

The PRA will provide additional supporting narrative describing the plan to the Board and county redistricting staff via redistricting@ocgov.com."


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Freeways and Toll Roads
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Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Census Block Group Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population, 2019
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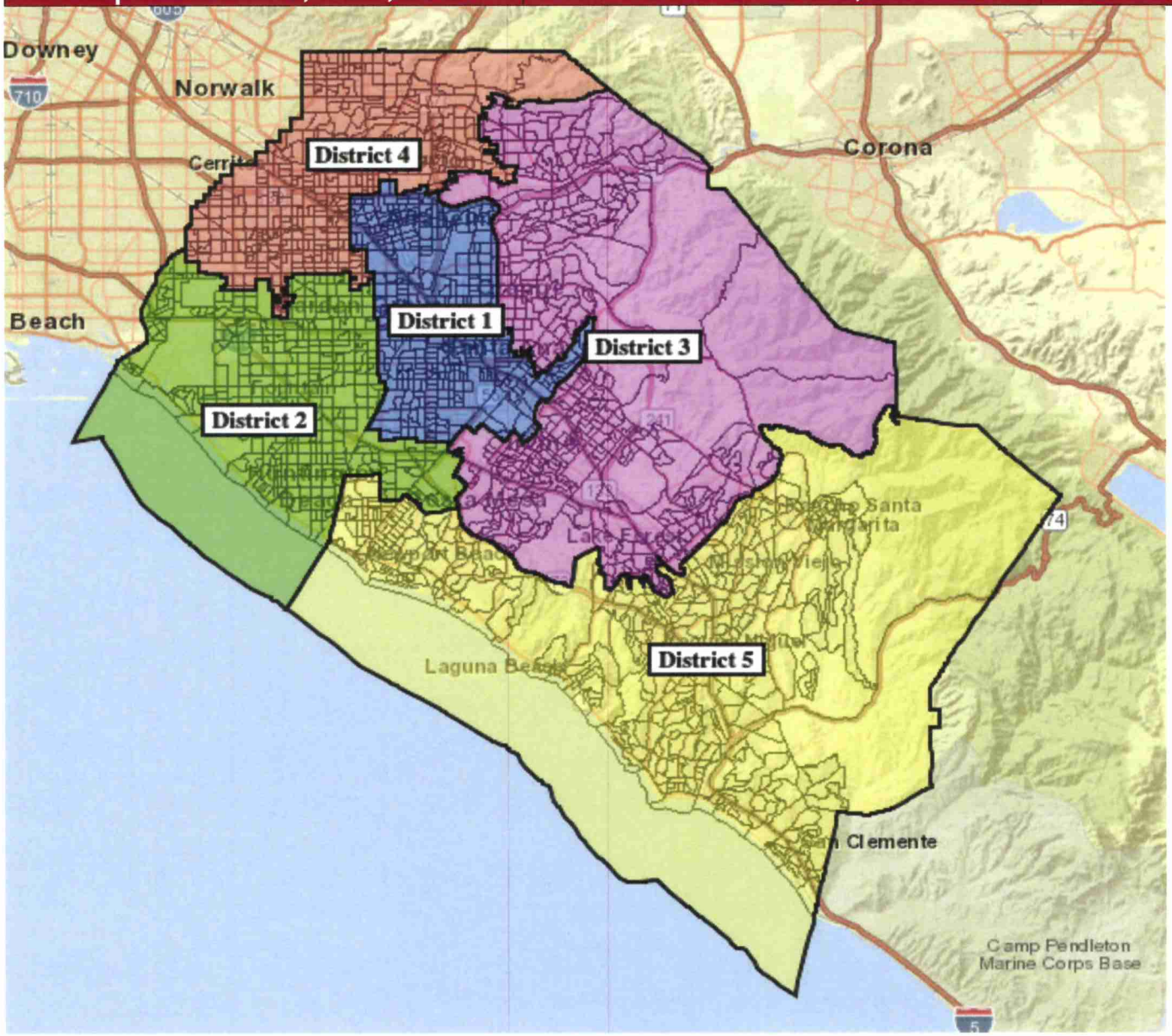

Non-Hispanic Asian Percent Share of Census Block Group Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population, 2019
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Proposal 5
Freeways and Toll Roads
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OCBE MAP OPTION 9	
Submitted by:	Billie Joe Wright Member of the Public
Created by:	Unknown
Notes:	
Considered by OCBE on:	December 1, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 9 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 9, for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 9 appeared nonresponsive to public comment requesting Cypress reside in Trustee Area 2; (2) Map 9 had the lowest Asian Voting Age Population in Trustee Area 2, at 25%; (3) Map 9 had a 2.18% deviation (13,940 voters) between the largest and smallest trustee Area; (4) Map redistricted two existing incumbent board members in the same trustee area; and (5) Map 9 was submitted with extraneous partisan voter registration data (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video); and 6) Map 9 was not presented with sufficient demographic data for either National Demographics Corporation or the Board to determine whether it was compliant with the Voting Rights Act.

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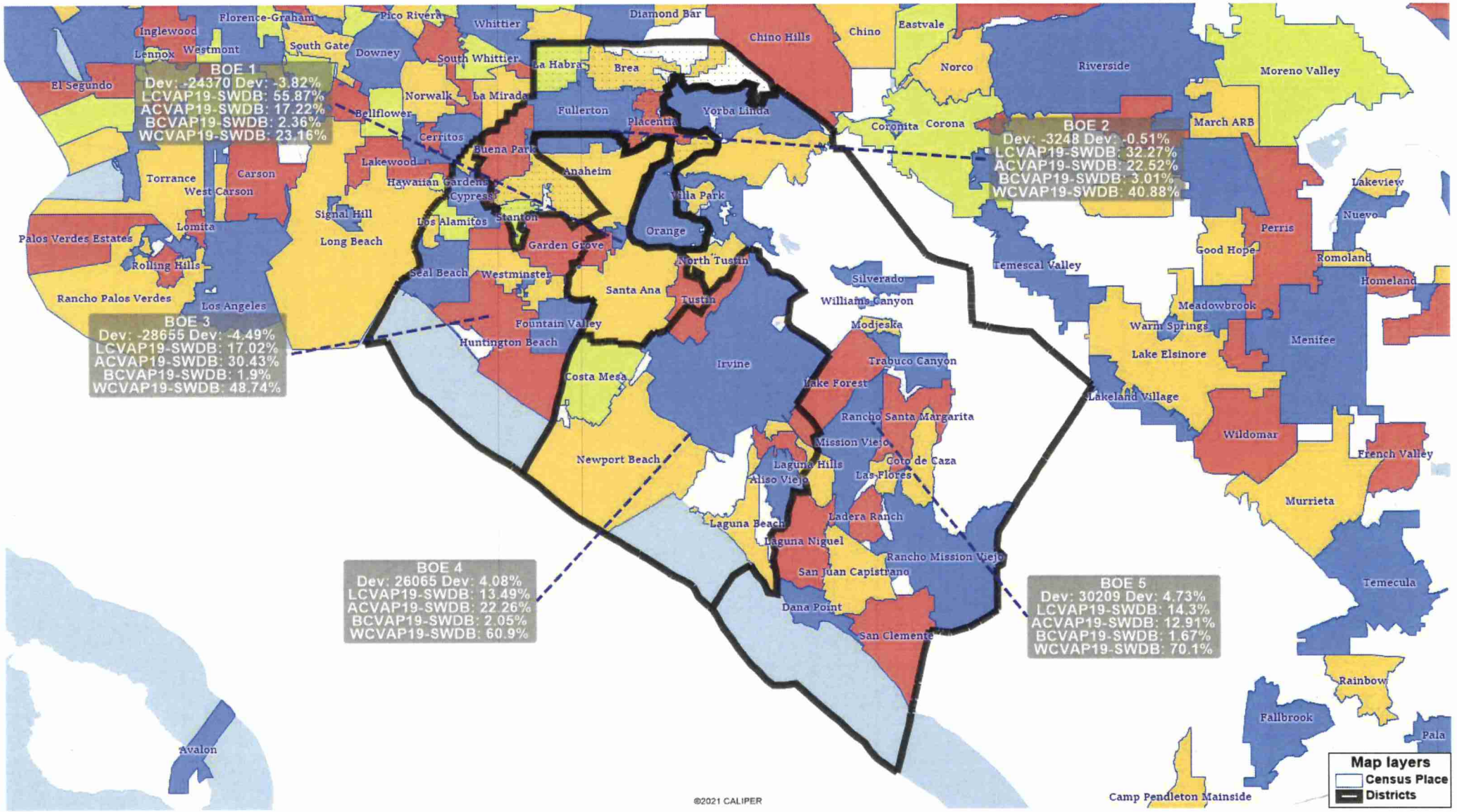
Population 3,193,010	Median 638,602	Deviation 2.18%

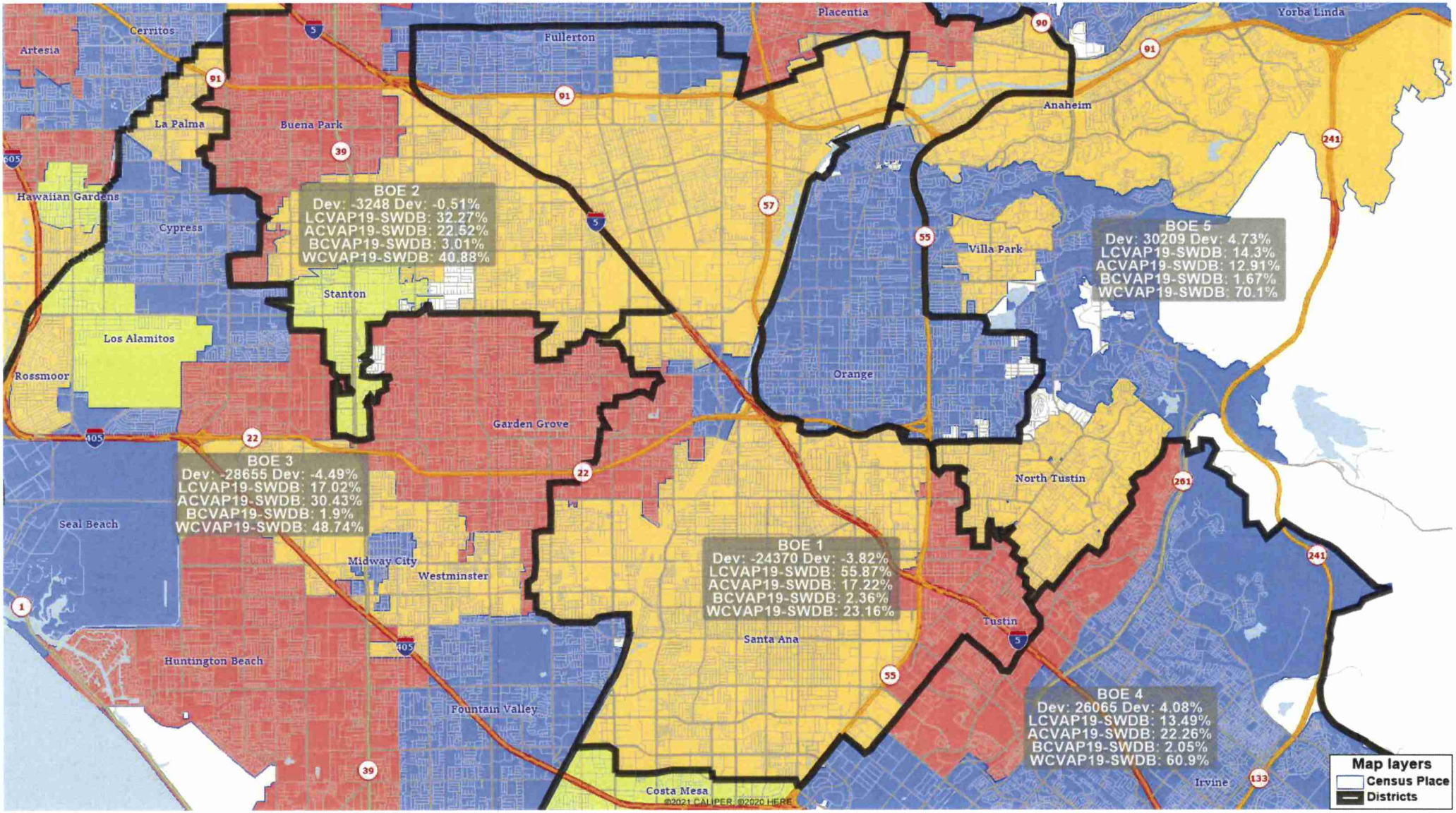


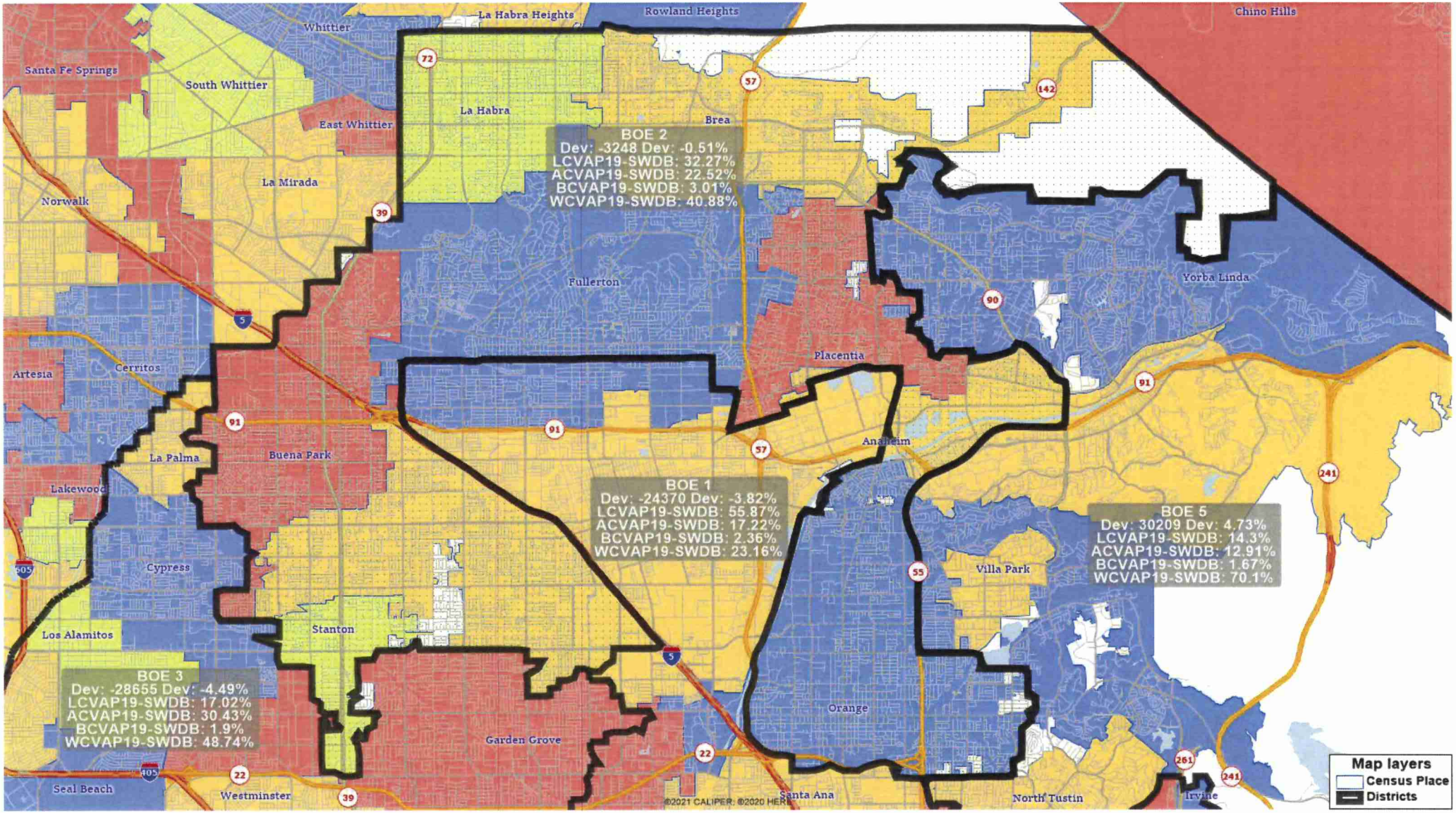
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CVAP**	345,047		448,618		407,189		396,205		463,340	
Partisan Voting Index	D+16.87		R+0.69		D+2.20		D+5.89		R+2.62	
Pop. and CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP
Hispanic	66.6%	51.9%	25.0%	18.0%	17.4%	14.4%	41.6%	31.4%	20.3%	14.0%
White	16.4%	29.0%	38.6%	48.8%	43.4%	57.6%	25.6%	38.2%	63.6%	73.3%
Asian	12.6%	15.1%	30.3%	28.6%	31.5%	23.3%	26.2%	24.3%	9.1%	8.5%
Black	1.5%	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%	1.7%	1.7%	2.5%	3.2%	1.1%	1.4%
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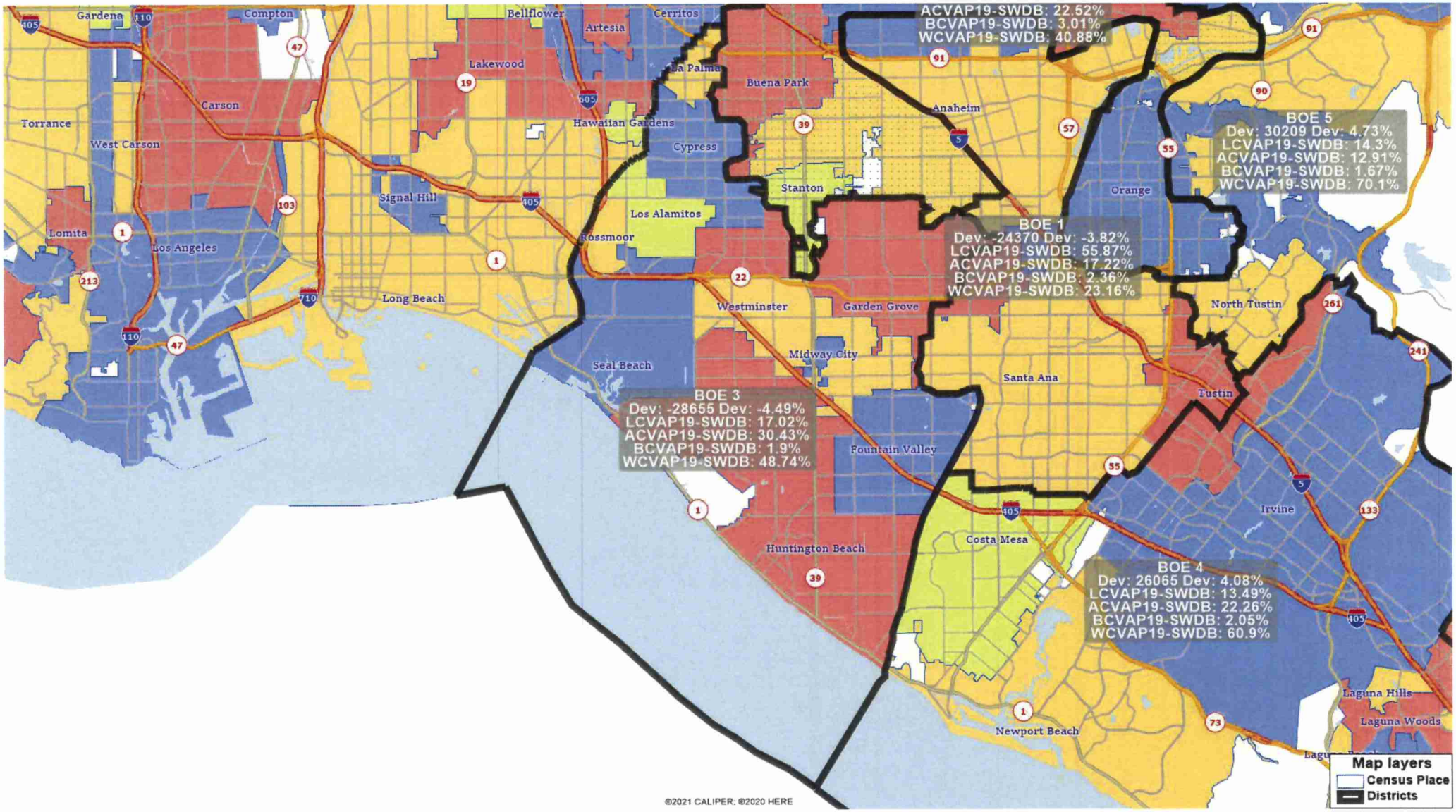
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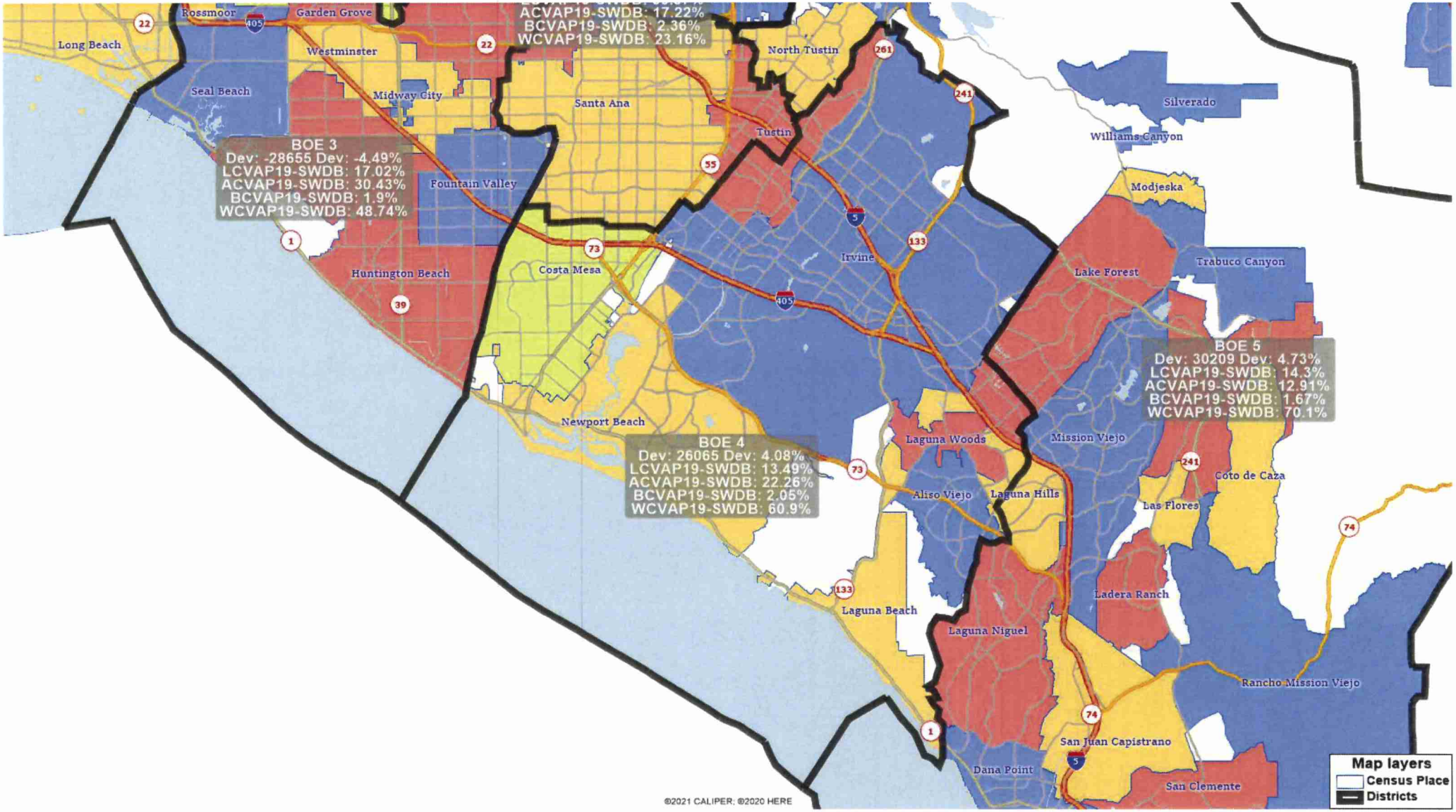
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Submitted by:	Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF)
Created by:	Unknown
Notes:	
Considered by OCBE on:	December 1, 2021
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Map 10 - by consensus, the Board disapproved of Map 10 for reasons including, but not limited to: (1) Map 10 has a 9.22% deviation (58,864 voters) between the largest and smallest trustee area; (2) several districts are renumbered; (3) Map 10 alters many current trustee areas and thereby does not respect voter choices/continuity in office (see December 1, 2021, Board Meeting video).

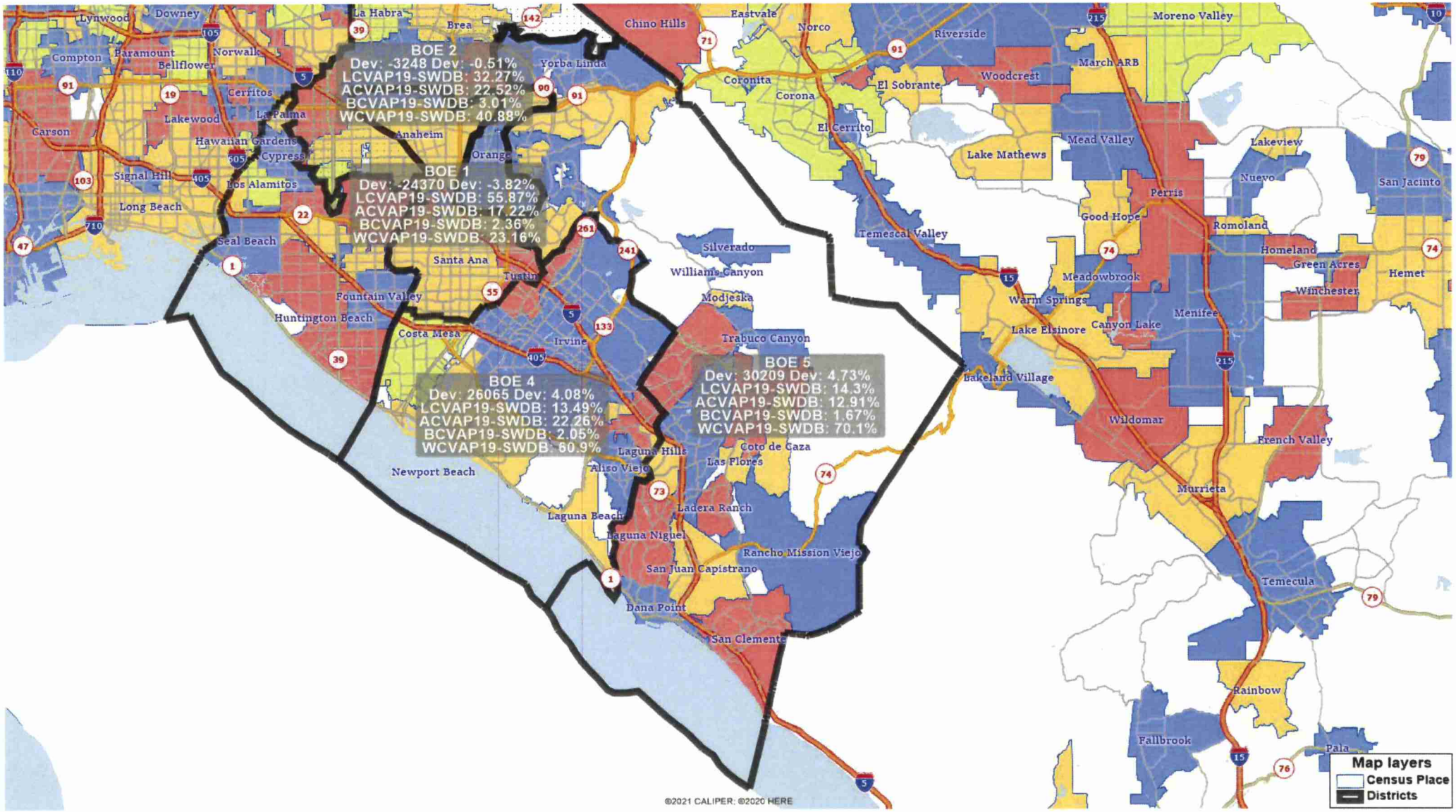

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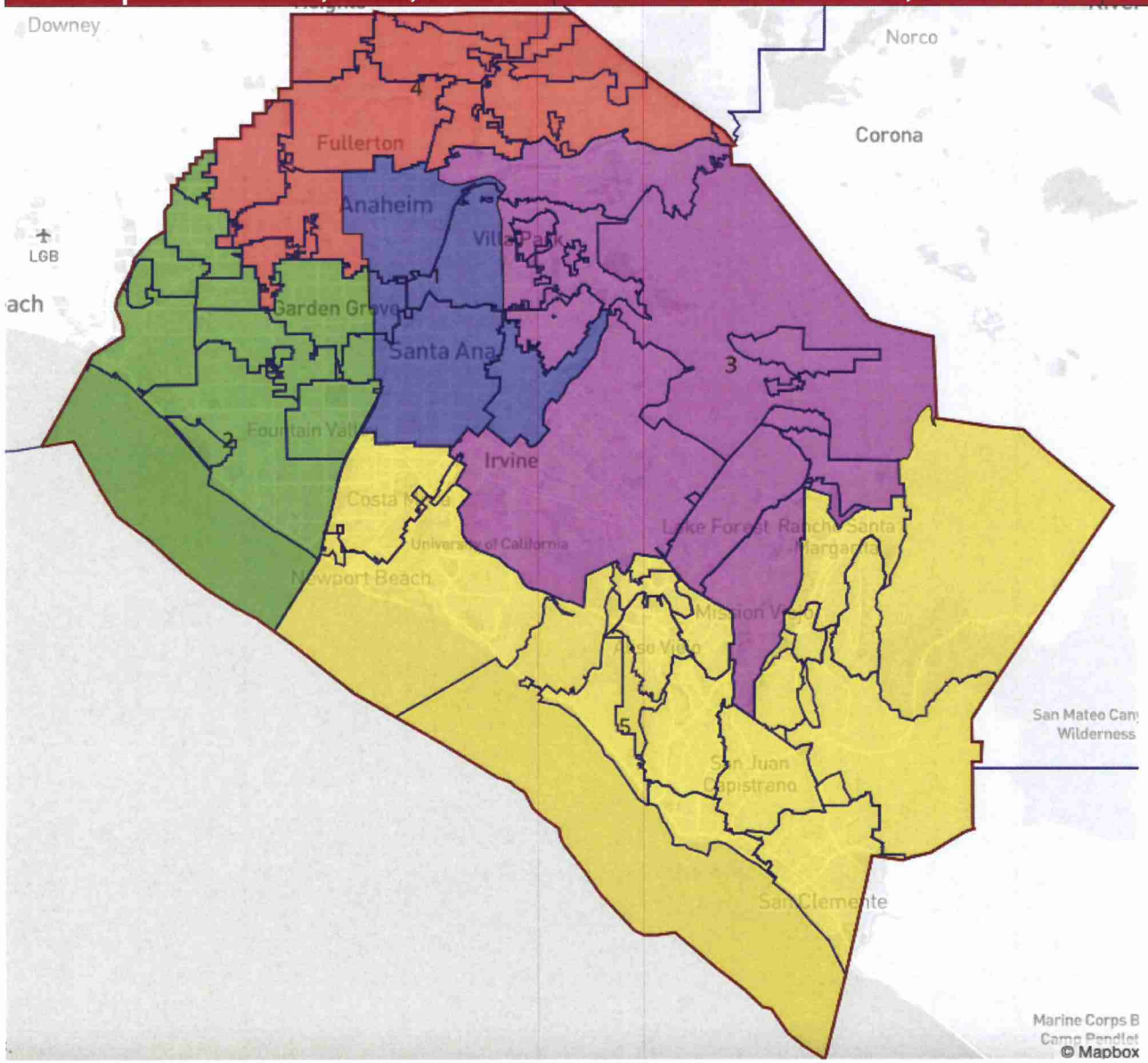

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MAP 9A	
Submitted by:	Billie Joe Wright Member of the Public
Created by:	Unknown
Notes:	Map 9A was submitted to OCBE on December 3, 2021. Map 9A was submitted to the County Committee for consideration on December 9, 2021.
Considered by OCBE on:	Map 9A was not considered by the OCBE.
OCBE Resolution dated December 8, 2021:	Not Applicable

OC BOE Submission 9 Revise

Population 3,193,010	Median 638,602	Deviation 2.81%



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Population*	637,248		641,406		643,507		641,240		625,599	
Population Variance	-0.21%		0.63%		0.96%		0.60%		-1.85%	
CVAP**	345,047		453,074		405,047		404,262		452,969	
Pop. and CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP	Pop.	CVAP
Hispanic	66.6%	51.9%	24.3%	18.0%	17.8%	14.7%	41.1%	30.6%	20.8%	14.1%
White	16.4%	29.0%	36.6%	47.0%	44.3%	58.5%	28.2%	41.2%	62.9%	72.6%
Asian	12.6%	15.1%	32.8%	30.4%	30.0%	22.0%	24.3%	22.6%	9.4%	9.0%
Black	1.5%	1.9%	1.3%	1.6%	1.7%	1.7%	2.3%	3.2%	1.1%	1.6%
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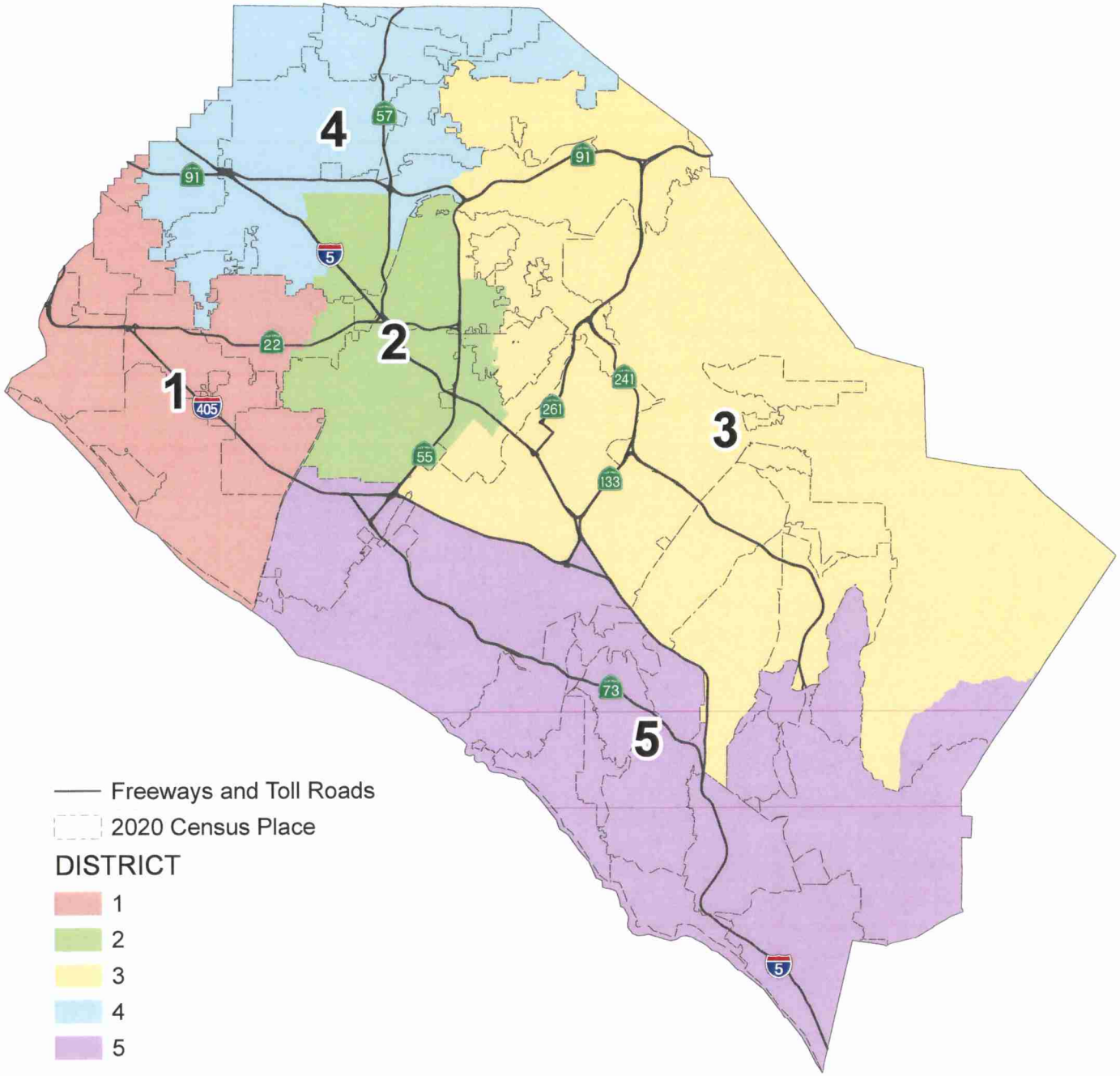
ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MAP

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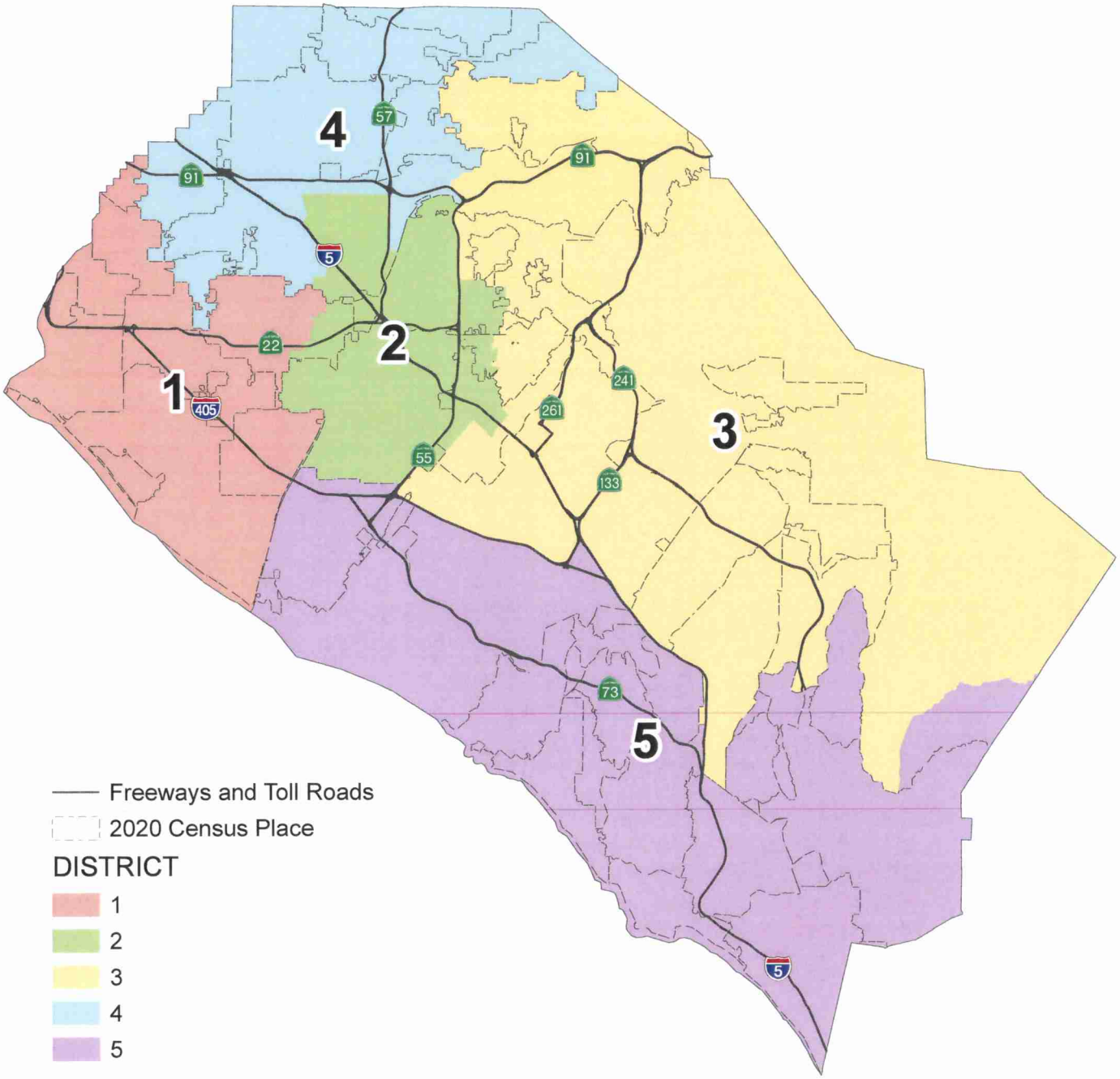
County of Orange 2021 Redistricting

Proposal 5A-1 Map (Technical Corrections)



County of Orange 2021 Redistricting

Proposal 5A-1 Map



This map is of the original submission before technical corrections were made to eliminate unpopulated city splits.

PROPOSAL 5A-Revision 1 with Technical Corrections
County of Orange 2021 Redistricting

Table 1. Adjusted 2020 Census Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	608,672	139,812	233,285	8,077	1,068	195,989	2,188	2,811	25,442
	100.0%	23.0%	38.3%	1.3%	0.2%	32.2%	0.4%	0.5%	4.2%
2	618,939	413,617	100,205	8,375	1,022	79,828	1,576	2,324	11,992
	100.0%	66.8%	16.2%	1.4%	0.2%	12.9%	0.3%	0.4%	1.9%
3	665,832	112,355	311,444	10,085	863	191,478	933	3,461	35,213
	100.0%	16.9%	46.8%	1.5%	0.1%	28.8%	0.1%	0.5%	5.3%
4	629,713	290,184	152,733	14,800	1,287	147,575	1,988	2,836	18,310
	100.0%	46.1%	24.3%	2.4%	0.2%	23.4%	0.3%	0.5%	2.9%
5	669,854	134,313	402,461	8,606	1,085	84,397	1,052	3,655	34,285
	100.0%	20.1%	60.1%	1.3%	0.2%	12.6%	0.2%	0.5%	5.1%
COUNTY TOTAL	3,193,010	1,090,281	1,200,128	49,943	5,325	699,267	7,737	15,087	125,242
	100.0%	34.1%	37.6%	1.6%	0.2%	21.9%	0.2%	0.5%	3.9%

Table 2. Difference from 2021 Target Supervisorial District Population of 638,602

District	Number	Percent
1	-29,930	-4.69%
2	-19,663	-3.08%
3	27,230	4.26%
4	-8,889	-1.39%
5	31,252	4.89%

Percentage Spread (Largest - Smallest)
9.58%

Split Cities/Census Designated Places (CDPs) -

Anaheim (3)

Garden Grove (2)

Irvine (2)

North Tustin CDP (2)

Orange (2)

Tustin (2)

Percent shares calculated using unrounded numbers, but table displays only to tenths; therefore, percents displayed may not sum to 100%.

Number in ( ) indicates number of Supervisorial Districts the city/CDP falls within.
In line with previous board direction and in order to expedite proposal packages for consideration by the board, Proposal 5A-Revision 1 with Technical Corrections includes the technical correction of city splits in unpopulated areas. The U.S. Census Bureau misassigned three (3) census blocks to the City of Tustin that are actually in the City of Santa Ana with a total of 260 population. Since the affected area is fully assigned to District 2, no correction is necessary.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

PROPOSAL 5A-Revision 1 with Technical Corrections
County of Orange 2021 Redistricting

Table 3. Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race/Ethnicity, 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates

District	Total Estimated CVAP	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	433,147	73,545	211,298	7,074	1,161	127,291	1,284	10,297
	100.0%	17.0%	48.9%	1.6%	0.3%	29.5%	0.3%	2.4%
2	340,779	177,081	97,547	6,086	574	53,677	975	3,708
	100.0%	52.1%	28.7%	1.8%	0.2%	15.8%	0.3%	1.1%
3	434,246	60,429	261,471	7,194	613	92,357	518	10,975
	100.0%	13.9%	60.3%	1.7%	0.1%	21.3%	0.1%	2.5%
4	385,143	133,487	142,193	11,844	789	87,149	1,815	6,918
	100.0%	34.7%	37.0%	3.1%	0.2%	22.7%	0.5%	1.8%
5	472,361	66,373	334,052	7,357	796	50,918	975	11,155
	100.0%	14.1%	70.8%	1.6%	0.2%	10.8%	0.2%	2.4%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,065,676	510,915	1,046,561	39,555	3,933	411,392	5,567	43,053
	100.0%	24.8%	50.8%	1.9%	0.2%	20.0%	0.3%	2.1%

Source: Statewide Database 2015-2019 Citizen Voting Age Population, adjusted to reflect reallocated incarcerated persons, on 2020 Census Blocks, Revised 9/27/2021 https://statewidedatabase.org/redistricting2021/counties.html

Notes: Percentages are calculated from sum of individual categories, not Total Estimated CVAP.

Because this is a special tabulation of data and not part of the standard data products shown on the Census Bureau's data.census.gov website, these estimates are rounded. Therefore, individual categories may not exactly add to the total.

For example, the sum of each of the race groups for non-Hispanics may not be the same as the estimate given for non-Hispanics. These estimates will not match counts from the 2020 Census.

The original data source for the Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) is the American Community Survey (ACS). The ACS is an ongoing survey by the U.S. Census Bureau sent to approximately 250,000 households each month.

The ACS estimates used to develop these data were collected from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2019 utilizing the 2010 Census block groups, which were disaggregated to the 2020 Census blocks by the Statewide Database.

For more information about the CVAP products, visit https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/about/voting-rights/cvap.html and

https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial/rdo/technical-documentation/special-tabulation/CVAP_2015-2019_ACS_documentation.pdf

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Cypress	50,235	8.3%
Fountain Valley	57,120	9.4%
Garden Grove*	135,704	22.3%
Huntington Beach	199,033	32.7%
La Palma	15,597	2.6%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
Midway City CDP	8,845	1.5%
Rossmoor CDP	10,634	1.7%
Seal Beach	25,283	4.2%
Unincorporated	3,343	0.5%
Westminster	91,083	15.0%
District 1 Total	**608,672**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	102,211	16.5%
Garden Grove*	36,642	5.9%
North Tustin CDP*	7,618	1.2%
Orange*	106,837	17.3%
Santa Ana	311,393	50.3%
Tustin*	49,457	8.0%
Unincorporated	4,781	0.8%
District 2 Total	**618,939**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	56,099	8.4%
Irvine*	216,560	32.5%
Lake Forest	85,965	12.9%
Mission Viejo	93,760	14.1%
Modjeska CDP	632	0.1%
North Tustin CDP*	18,131	2.7%
Orange*	33,354	5.0%
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,000	7.2%
Silverado CDP	932	0.1%
Trabuco Canyon CDP	1,020	0.2%
Tustin*	30,955	4.6%
Unincorporated	6,066	0.9%
Villa Park	5,850	0.9%
Williams Canyon CDP	93	0.0%
Yorba Linda	68,415	10.3%
District 3 Total	**665,832**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 4

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	189,443	30.1%
Brea	47,397	7.5%
Buena Park	84,187	13.4%
Fullerton	143,930	22.9%
La Habra	63,234	10.0%
Placentia	51,925	8.2%
Stanton	38,067	6.0%
Unincorporated	11,530	1.8%
District 4 Total	**629,713**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	7.8%
Costa Mesa	112,139	16.7%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.2%
Dana Point	33,144	4.9%
Irvine*	91,398	13.6%
Ladera Ranch CDP	26,188	3.9%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.4%
Laguna Hills	31,399	4.7%
Laguna Niguel	64,417	9.6%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.6%
Las Flores CDP	6,004	0.9%
Newport Beach	85,338	12.7%
Rancho Mission Viejo CDP	10,385	1.6%
San Clemente	64,384	9.6%
San Juan Capistrano	35,271	5.3%
Unincorporated	2,123	0.3%
District 5 Total	**669,854**	**100.0%**

*City/CDP split by proposed district.

Percent shares calculated using unrounded numbers, but table displays only to tenths; therefore, percents displayed may not sum to 100%.

In line with previous board direction and in order to expedite proposal packages for consideration by the board, Proposal 5A-Revision 1 with Technical Corrections includes the technical correction of city splits in unpopulated areas.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population 18 and Over	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	492,851	101,722	201,837	6,649	934	160,998	1,775	2,208	16,728
	100.0%	20.6%	41.0%	1.3%	0.2%	32.7%	0.4%	0.4%	3.4%
2	474,045	297,479	88,989	7,137	865	68,152	1,241	1,602	8,580
	100.0%	62.8%	18.8%	1.5%	0.2%	14.4%	0.3%	0.3%	1.8%
3	521,046	80,692	259,493	8,076	666	147,766	757	2,511	21,085
	100.0%	15.5%	49.8%	1.5%	0.1%	28.4%	0.1%	0.5%	4.0%
4	491,691	208,051	133,272	12,057	1,082	121,344	1,598	2,052	12,235
	100.0%	42.3%	27.1%	2.5%	0.2%	24.7%	0.3%	0.4%	2.5%
5	546,046	99,573	339,812	7,548	955	71,603	833	2,757	22,965
	100.0%	18.2%	62.2%	1.4%	0.2%	13.1%	0.2%	0.5%	4.2%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,525,679	787,517	1,023,403	41,467	4,502	569,863	6,204	11,130	81,593
	100.0%	31.2%	40.5%	1.6%	0.2%	22.6%	0.2%	0.4%	3.2%

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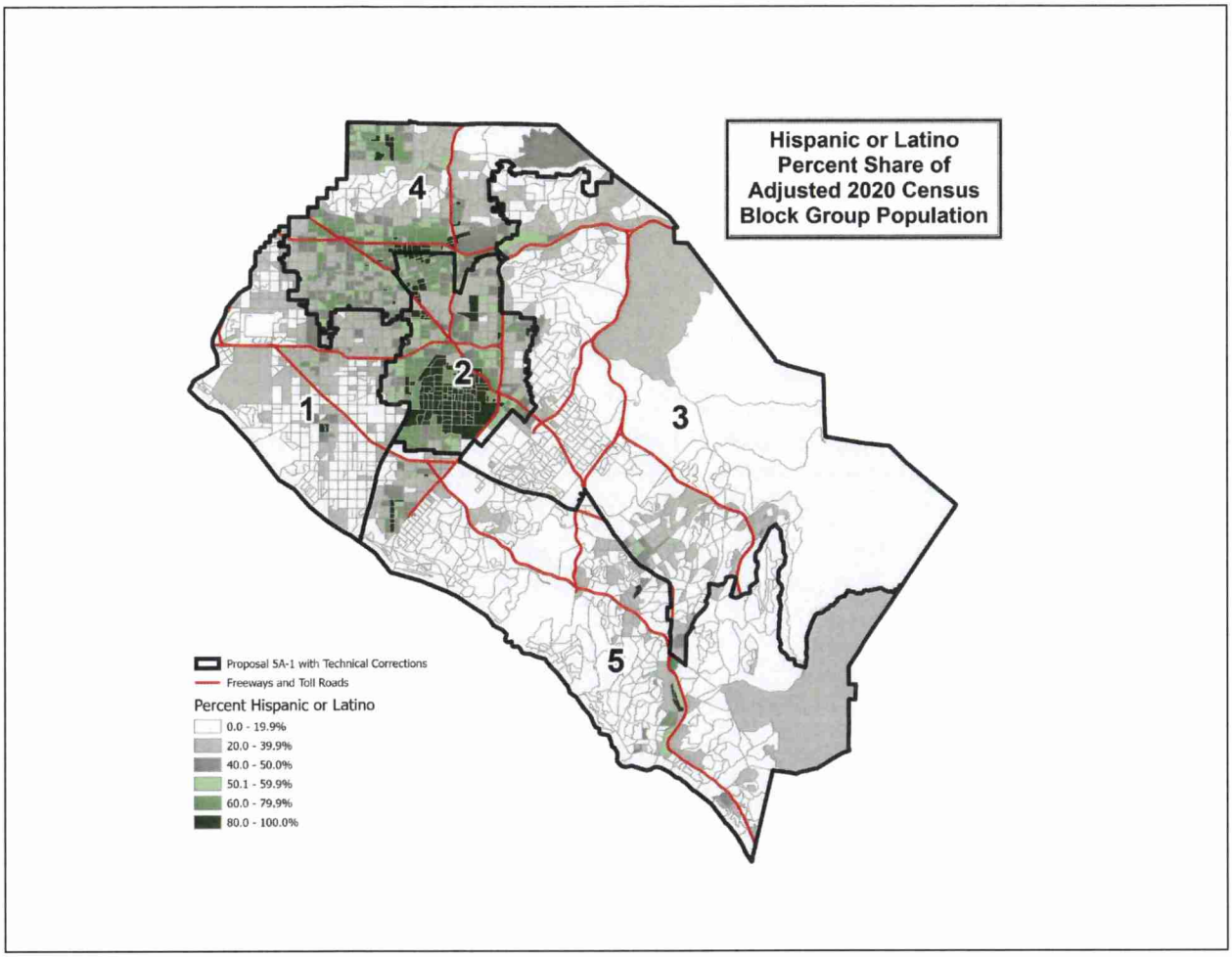
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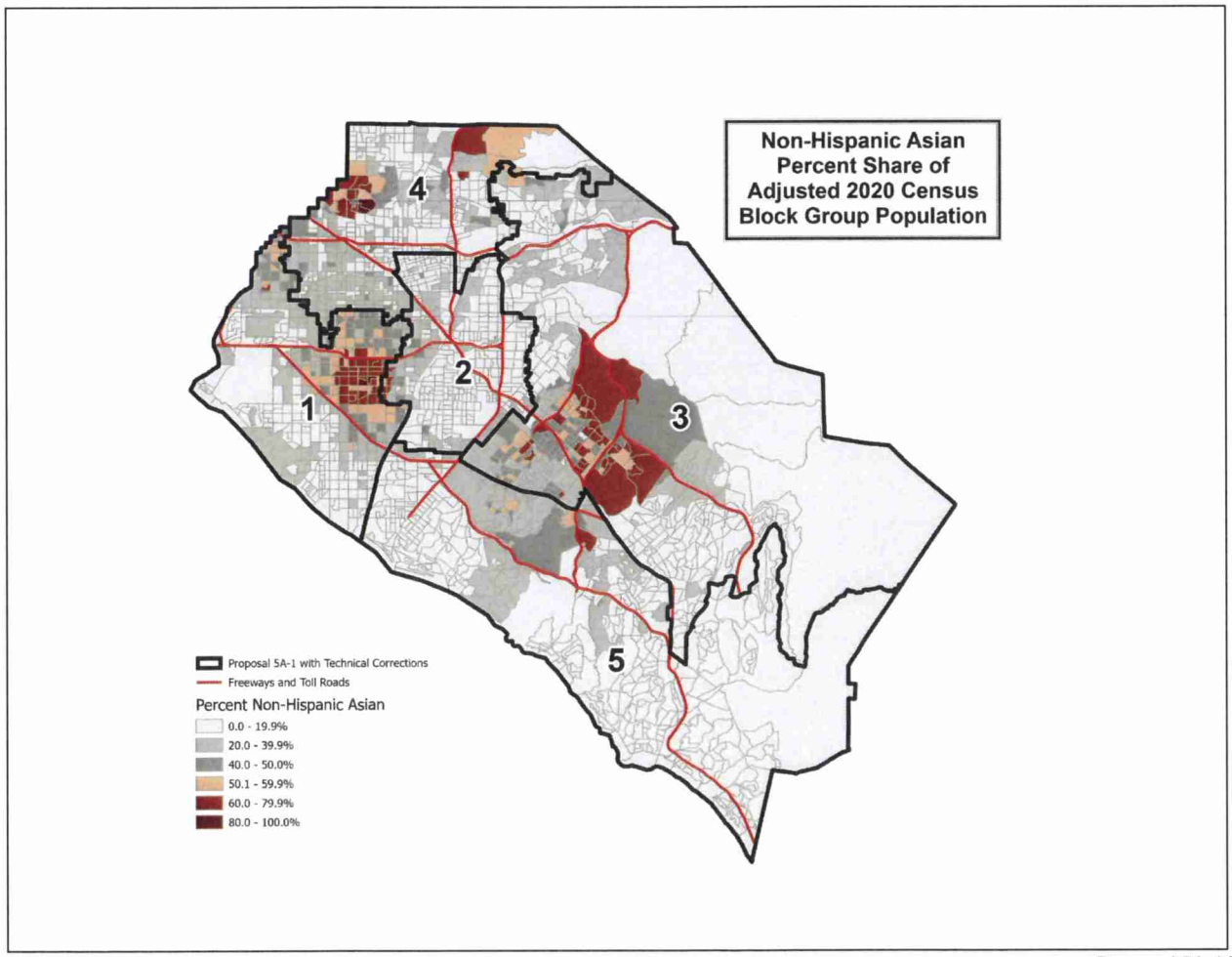
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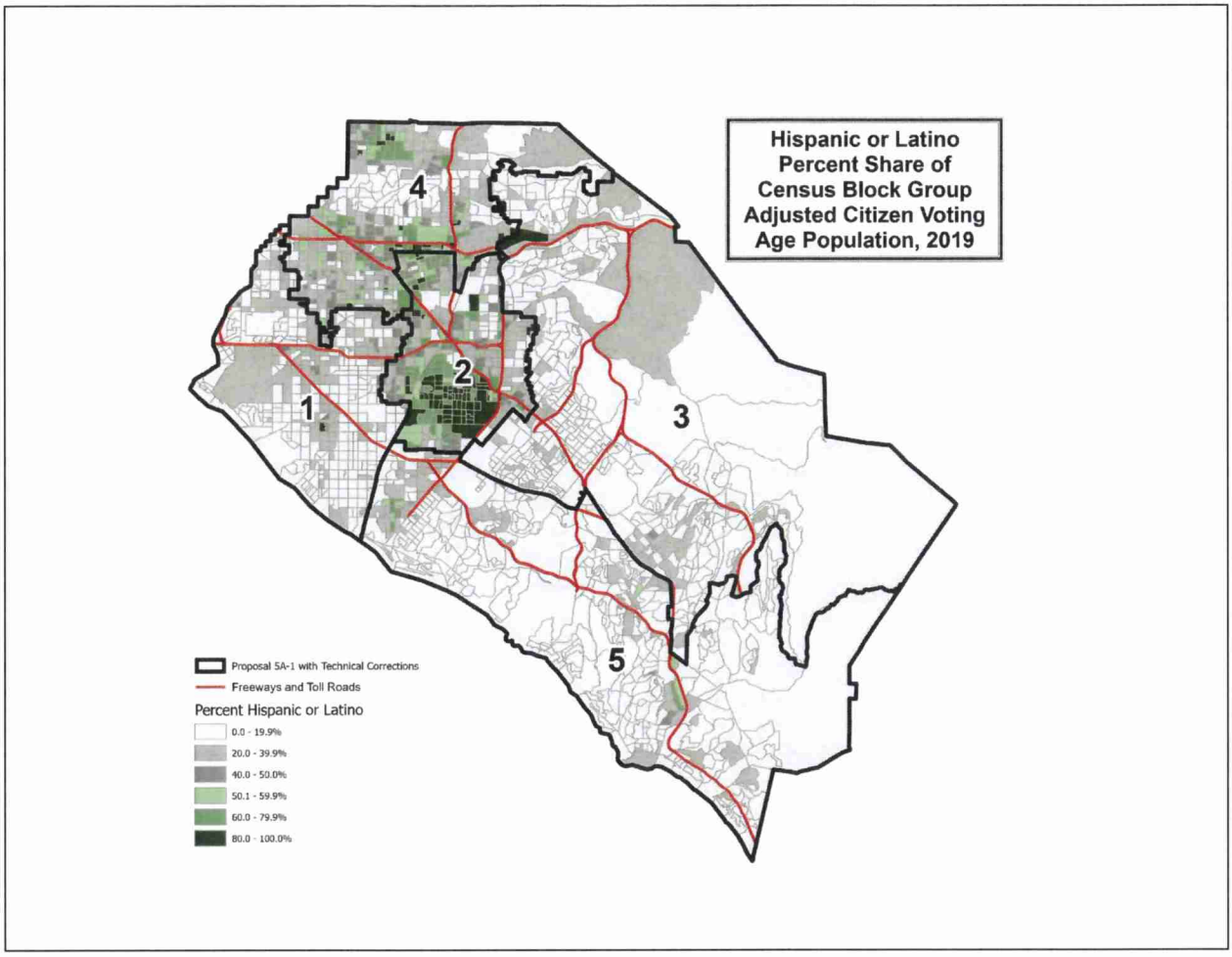
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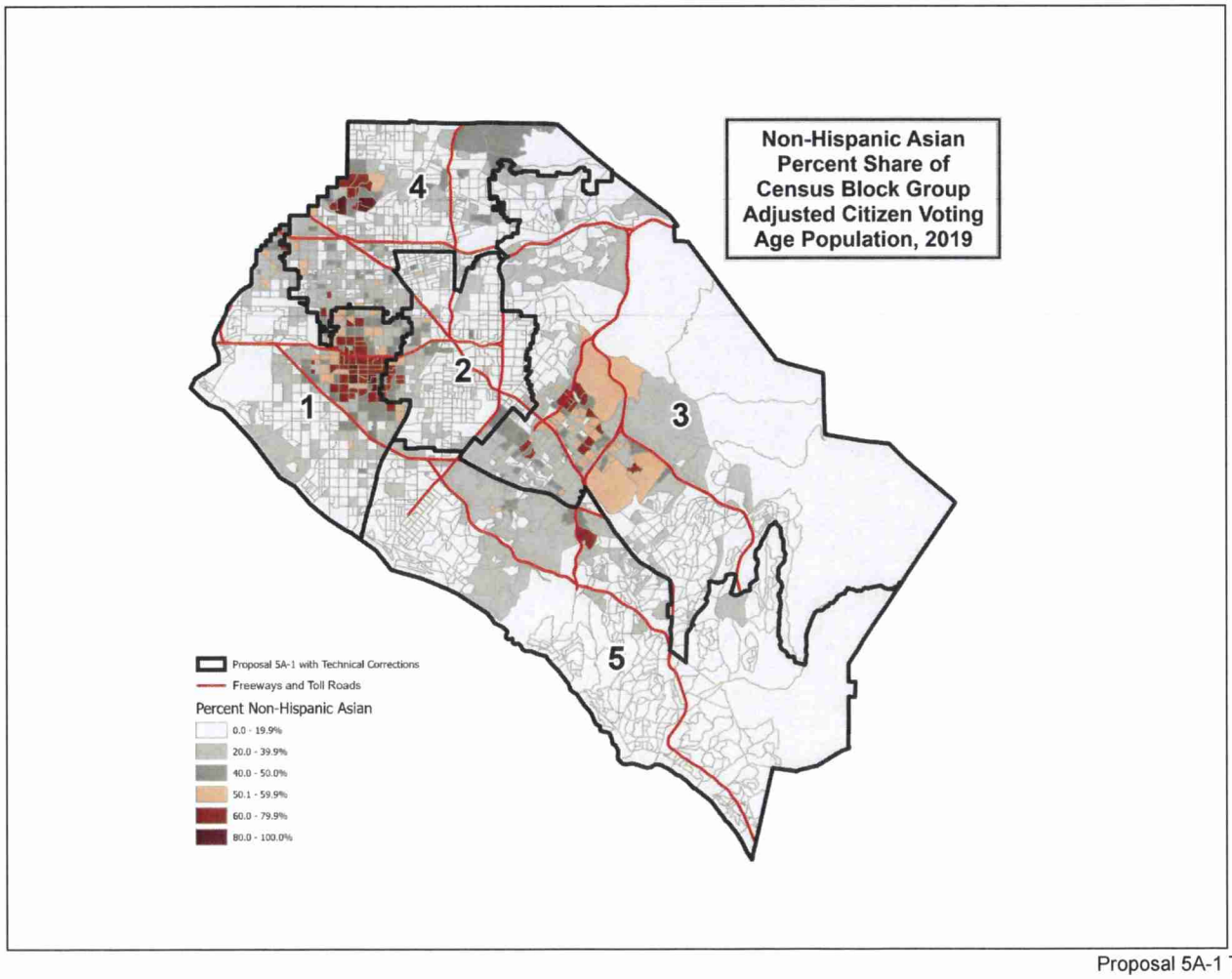
Notes: In line with previous board direction and in order to expedite proposal packages for consideration by the board, Proposal 5A-Revision 1 with Technical Corrections includes the correction of city splits in unpopulated areas. Three unpopulated census blocks in the City of Mission Viejo were reassigned from District 5 to District 3 to eliminate unpopulated split for the City of Mission Viejo: 060590423152014, 060590423151001, and 060590423073000.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021


Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
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Proposal 5A-1 with Technical Corrections
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Hispanic or Latino
0.0 - 19.9%
20.0 - 39.9%
40.0 - 50.0%
50.1 - 59.9%
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80.0 - 100.0%


Non-Hispanic Asian Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
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Proposal 5A-1 with Technical Corrections
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Non-Hispanic Asian
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Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Census Block Group Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population, 2019
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SECTION D: ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

NO	DATE	DOCUMENT	DESCRIPTION
1.	12/2/21	Staff Report	Staff Report from Orange County Executive Office providing background on Board of Supervisor process.
2.	12/3/21	Revised Staff Report	Memo from Orange County Executive Office regarding Adoption of 2021 Redistricting Map Ordinance
3.	12/7/21	Ordinance	County of Orange 2021 Redistricting Ordinance with Adopted Map
4.	12/7/21	Map	2021 Map adopted by Board of Supervisors with demographic information

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County Executive Office

Memorandum

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S37A

The County Executive Office is requesting a Supplemental Agenda Staff Report for the December 7, 2021, Board Hearing.

Agency: County Executive Office
Subject: Adoption of 2021 Redistricting Map Ordinance
Districts: All Districts

Reason for supplemental: The County Executive Office is requesting this Supplemental item be placed on the December 7, 2021, Board agenda as the final redistricting map was adopted on November 22, 2021, and the ordinance must be considered no later than December 14, 2021, to meet the deadline set by statue for adoption of the final redistricting map. This Agenda Staff Report and attachments were finalized after the filing deadline to the Clerk of the Board.

Concur: for A.D.

Andrew Do, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors

cc: Board of Supervisors
County Executive Office
County Counsel

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SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA ITEM
AGENDA STAFF REPORT

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MEETING DATE:	12/7/21
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DISTRICT(S):	All Districts
SUBMITTING AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:	County Executive Office
DEPARTMENT HEAD REVIEW:	Digitally signed by Frank Kim DN: cn=Frank Kim, o=County of Orange, ou=CEO, email=frank.kim@ocgov.com, c=US Date: 2021.12.02 12:54:31 -08'00' *Department Head Signature*
DEPARTMENT CONTACT PERSON(S):	Jessica Witt (714) 834-7250 Nicole Walsh (714) 834-6257

SUBJECT: Adoption of 2021 Redistricting Map Ordinance

CEO CONCUR	**COUNTY COUNSEL REVIEW**	**CLERK OF THE BOARD**
Digitally signed by Frank Kim DN: cn=Frank Kim, o=County of Orange, ou=CEO, email=frank.kim@ocgov.com, c=US Date: 2021.12.02 11:47:47 -08'00'	Approve Ordinance to Form	Public Hearing
	Action	3 Votes Board Majority
CEO Signature	Nicole Walsh *County Counsel Signature*	

Budgeted: N/A **Current Year Cost:** N/A **Annual Cost:** N/A

Staffing Impact: N/A **# of Positions:** **Sole Source:** N/A
Current Fiscal Year Revenue: N/A
Funding Source: N/A **County Audit in last 3 years** N/A

Prior Board Action: 11/21/2021 #1, 11/16/2021 #37, 11/9/2021 #1, 11/2/2021 #23

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

1. Read Title of Ordinance.
2. Order further reading of the ordinance be waived.
3. Conduct public hearing.
4. Adopt 2021 Redistricting Map Ordinance.

SUMMARY: Adoption of the 2021 Redistricting Map Ordinance will allow the Board of Supervisors to approve new district lines to reflect the changes due to the 2020 Census date and meet the December 15, 2021, deadline for adoption of new Supervisorial District Boundaries.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: Every 10 years, local governments use new Census data to redraw their district lines to reflect how local populations have changed. This process, called redistricting, is important in ensuring that each board member represents about the same number of constituents. In Orange County, the Board of Supervisors (Board) is responsible for adopting boundaries for Supervisorial Districts following the federal decennial Census.

Under Assembly Bill (AB) 849, cities and counties are required to engage communities in the redistricting process by holding a minimum of four public meetings and/or workshops and doing public outreach, including to non-English-speaking communities. The County exceeded these requirements and conducted five evening workshops throughout the County that was also streamed online with a phone-in option in August to gather input and information on communities of interest prior to receipt of the data and the drawing of any maps. The Board also conducted public hearings as part of its regular Board meetings on June 22, 2021, July 27, 2021, September 28, 2021, November 2, 2021, November 9, 2021, November 16, 2021, and November 22. Staff also conducted a virtual public workshop on September 29, 2021, prior to the opening of the public map submission period to provide information on redistricting data and an Esri, Inc. (Esri) software overview. Information on these workshops was provided in the County's threshold language and translators in the County's threshold languages were made available upon request.

After release of the adjusted data by the state, the public was invited to submit maps through the Esri software from October 1-15, 2021. On November 2, 2021, the Board conducted a public hearing and received public testimony on eight proposed maps received during the submission period; they were numbered 1 through 8. At the November 2, 2021, meeting, the Board tabled maps 1, 3, 6, 7 and 8, and advanced maps 2, 4 and 5. Following the Board meeting, Board members submitted their map revisions to map proposals 2, 4 and 5, through Esri software. On November 9, 2021, the Board received public comments on the revised map proposals, which included revisions to map proposals 2 (2A), 4 (4A, 4B, 4C) and 5 (5A, 5B) and voted to allow each Board member to submit one additional map revision for consideration along with the other maps at the November 16, 2021, Board meeting. At the November 16, 2021, Board meeting, the Board considered in addition to the prior maps, new revisions to the prior maps - 2A-1, 4C-1, 5A-1 and 5B-1 and decided to advance two maps for consideration at the November 22, 2021, meeting. The map proposals advanced were labeled 4C-1 and 5A-1.

At the November 22, 2021, Board meeting, the Board selected map 5A-1 and directed staff to prepare the ordinance for consideration at the December 7, 2021, Board meeting. Map 5A-1 complies with state and federal law. The Supervisorial Districts in the selected map are substantially equal in population, with a population spread of 9.58 percent. The selected map also creates a district with a majority-minority Latino citizen voting age population in District 2. Finally, the selected map complies with the requirements of the Elections Code, Section 21500: (1) the districts are geographically contiguous; (2) local communities of interests are respected; (3) the division of cities and census designated places is minimized; (4) the boundaries are easily identifiable; and (5) the districts are compact.

Upon approval of the ordinance, the new Supervisorial District map will become effective January 6, 2022. A Supervisor, regardless of if they reside in the newly drawn district, will continue to represent the same numbered district, with the new boundaries, to which they were elected through the remainder of their term.

The County's 2021 redistricting website at www.ocgov.com/redistricting will remain active for 10 years as required by law. In addition, details of the map approved by the Board by ordinance are viewable on the County's redistricting website.

The Board received updates on the 2021 Redistricting Process at its February 23, 2021, and June 22, 2021, Board meetings. The Board also adopted the 2021 Public Participation Plan on July 27, 2021.

Other prior actions taken by the Board related to the 2021 redistricting include approval of a contract for Redistricting Support Services with CSU Fullerton Auxiliary Services Corporation on December 8, 2020, and a contract amendment with Esri for the Redistricting Solution on May 25, 2021.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

STAFFING IMPACT:

ATTACHMENT(S):

Attachment A - Assembly Bill AB 849
Attachment B - Ordinance Adopting Supervisorial District Map
Attachment C - Elections Code, Section 21500

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Revision to ASR and/or Attachments

Date: **December 3, 2021**

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Re: ASR Control #: N/A, Meeting Date 12/7/21 , Item No. # S37A

Subject: Adoption of 2021 Redistricting Map Ordinance

Explanation:

Attachment B - Ordinance Adopting Supervisorial District Map was updated to include Exhibit A as part of the attachment. A revised copy of the complete Attachment B is being provided.

☐ Revised Recommended Action(s)

☐ Make modifications to the:

☐ Subject ☐ Background Information ☐ Summary ☐ Financial Impact

☒ Revised Attachments (attach revised attachment(s) and redlined copy(s))

Attachment B - Ordinance Adopting Supervisorial District Map

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ORDINANCE NO._____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, CALIFORNIA AMENDING SECTIONS 1-2-2 THROUGH 1-2-6 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE REGARDING SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT BOUNDARIES

WHEREAS, on November 22, 2021, the Board adopted a Supervisorial District Map in compliance with federal and state law and directed staff to prepare an ordinance to formally adopt the new Supervisorial district boundaries by identifying the Census tracts and/or block numbers contained in each district. A visual depiction of the boundaries is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange, California ordains as follows:

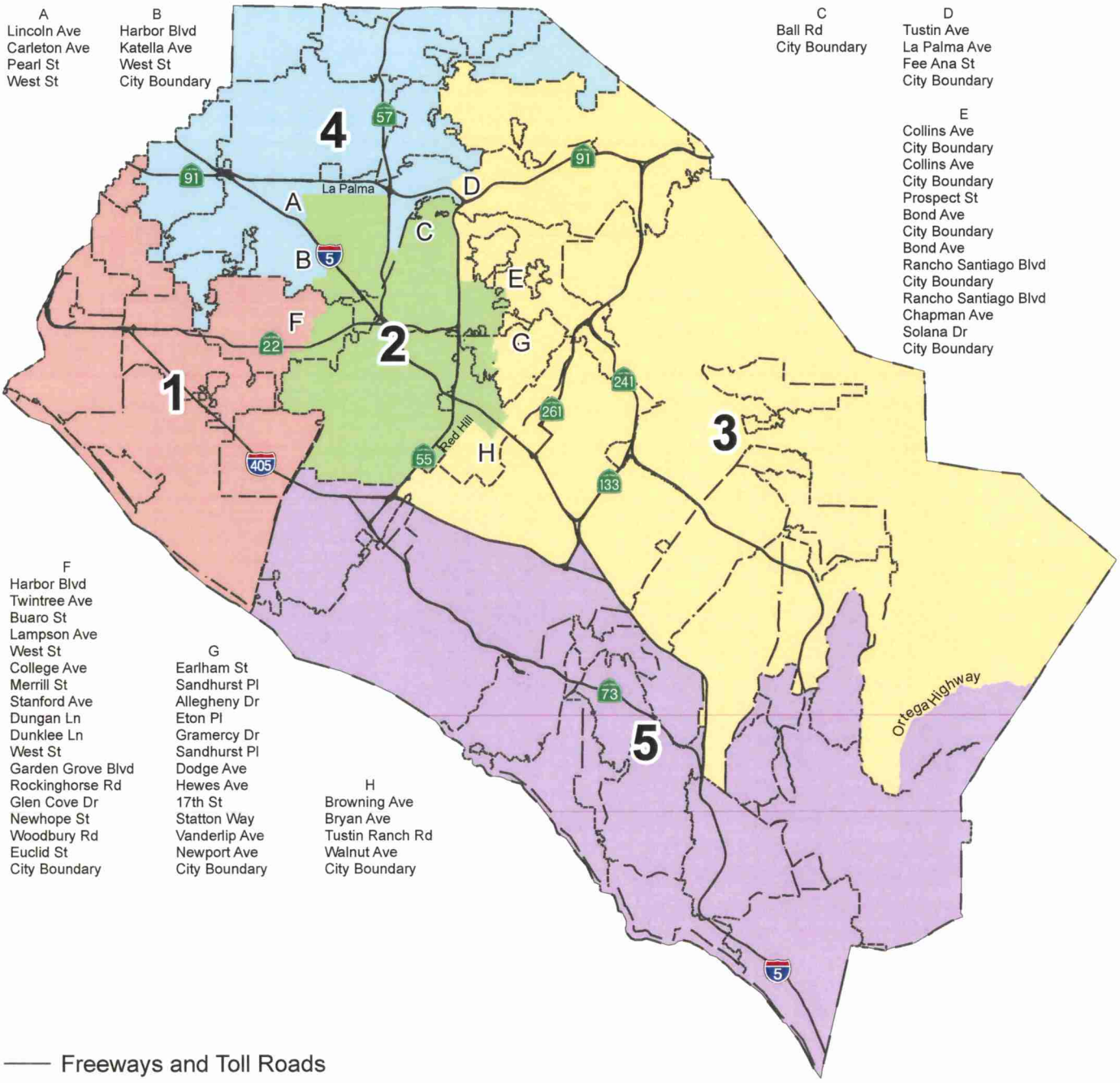
SECTION 1. Section 1-2-2 of Article 1 of Division 2 of Title 1 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Orange is amended to read as follows:

Section 1-2-2. Supervisorial District No. 1

Supervisorial District No. 1 consists of the following whole Census tracts:

0880.01	0992.14	0992.43	0994.11	0996.04	1100.10
0880.02	0992.15	0992.44	0994.12	0996.05	1100.11
0881.07	0992.17	0992.45	0994.15	0997.01	1100.12
0882.01	0992.20	0992.46	0994.16	0997.02	1100.14
0882.02	0992.22	0992.50	0994.17	0997.03	1100.15
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0883.01	0992.24	0993.05	0994.19	0998.02	1101.04
0884.01	0992.25	0993.06	0995.02	0998.03	1101.06
0886.01	0992.26	0993.07	0995.04	0999.02	1101.08
0886.02	0992.30	0993.08	0995.06	0999.03	1101.09
0887.01	0992.31	0993.09	0995.08	0999.04	1101.11
0887.02	0992.32	0993.10	0995.09	0999.05	1101.14
0888.01	0992.33	0993.11	0995.10	0999.06	1101.15
0888.02	0992.34	0994.02	0995.11	1100.01	1101.16
0889.01	0992.35	0994.04	0995.12	1100.03	1101.17
0889.02	0992.37	0994.05	0995.13	1100.04	1101.18
0889.04	0992.38	0994.06	0995.14	1100.05	
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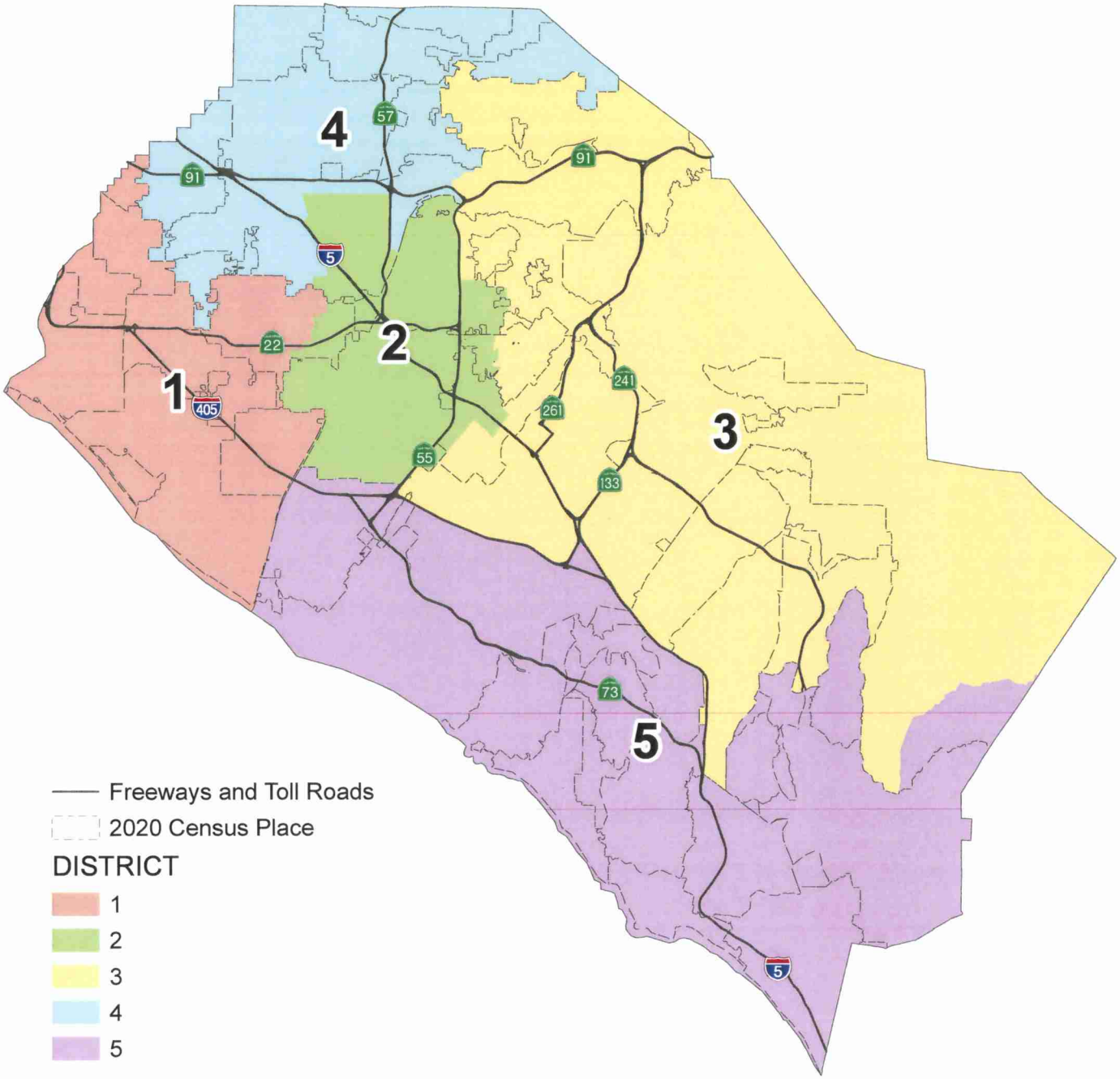
Exhibit A
County of Orange 2021 Redistricting
Adopted Map 11/22/2021
5A-1 with Technical Corrections (Annotated)



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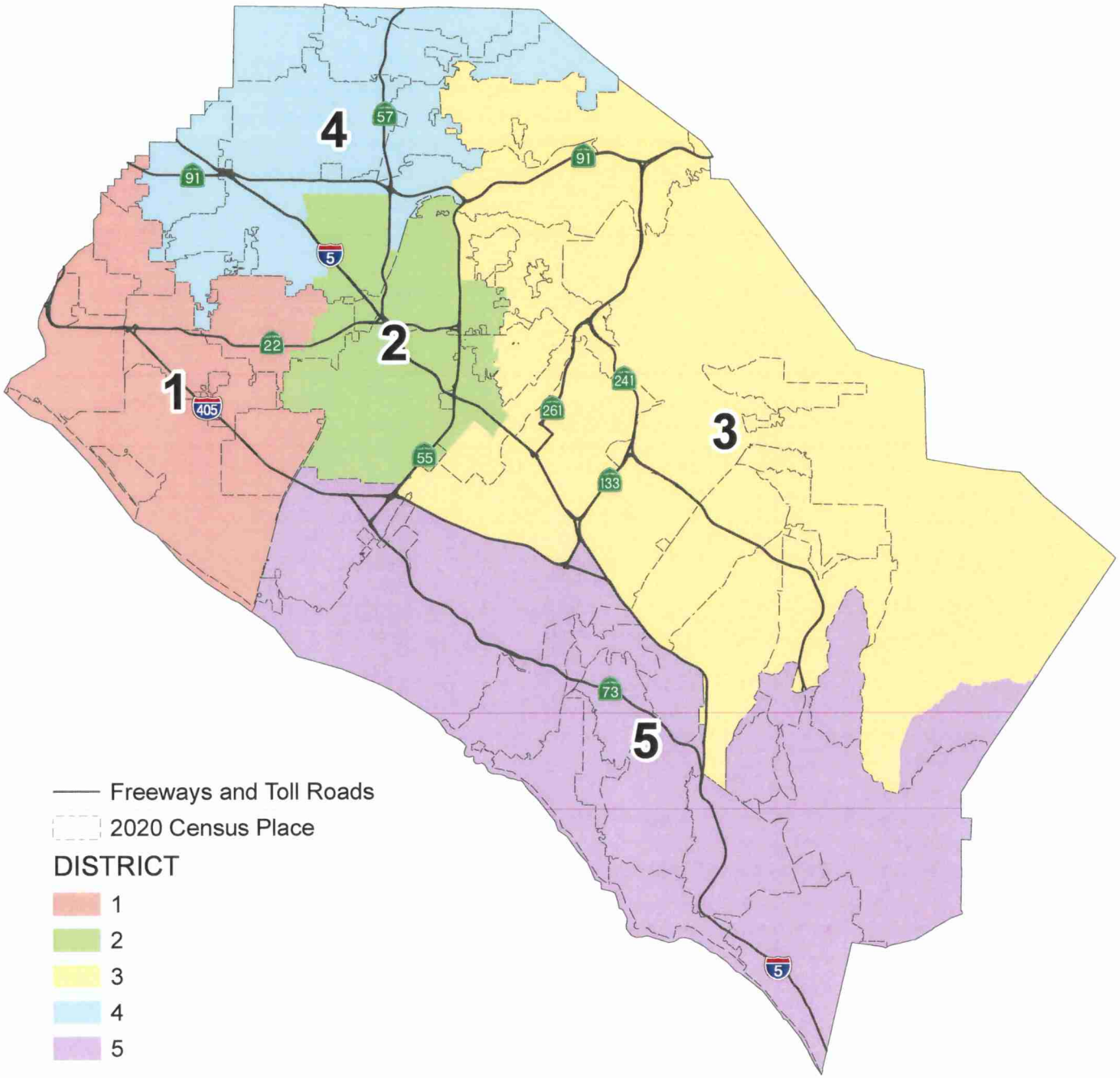
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Proposal 5A-1 Map (Technical Corrections)



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Proposal 5A-1 Map



This map is of the original submission before technical corrections were made to eliminate unpopulated city splits.

PROPOSAL 5A-Revision 1 with Technical Corrections
County of Orange 2021 Redistricting

Table 1. Adjusted 2020 Census Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	608,672	139,812	233,285	8,077	1,068	195,989	2,188	2,811	25,442
	100.0%	23.0%	38.3%	1.3%	0.2%	32.2%	0.4%	0.5%	4.2%
2	618,939	413,617	100,205	8,375	1,022	79,828	1,576	2,324	11,992
	100.0%	66.8%	16.2%	1.4%	0.2%	12.9%	0.3%	0.4%	1.9%
3	665,832	112,355	311,444	10,085	863	191,478	933	3,461	35,213
	100.0%	16.9%	46.8%	1.5%	0.1%	28.8%	0.1%	0.5%	5.3%
4	629,713	290,184	152,733	14,800	1,287	147,575	1,988	2,836	18,310
	100.0%	46.1%	24.3%	2.4%	0.2%	23.4%	0.3%	0.5%	2.9%
5	669,854	134,313	402,461	8,606	1,085	84,397	1,052	3,655	34,285
	100.0%	20.1%	60.1%	1.3%	0.2%	12.6%	0.2%	0.5%	5.1%
COUNTY TOTAL	3,193,010	1,090,281	1,200,128	49,943	5,325	699,267	7,737	15,087	125,242
	100.0%	34.1%	37.6%	1.6%	0.2%	21.9%	0.2%	0.5%	3.9%

Table 2. Difference from 2021 Target Supervisorial District Population of 638,602

District	Number	Percent
1	-29,930	-4.69%
2	-19,663	-3.08%
3	27,230	4.26%
4	-8,889	-1.39%
5	31,252	4.89%

Percentage Spread (Largest - Smallest)
9.58%

Split Cities/Census Designated Places (CDPs) -

Anaheim (3)

Garden Grove (2)

Irvine (2)

North Tustin CDP (2)

Orange (2)

Tustin (2)

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Number in ( ) indicates number of Supervisorial Districts the city/CDP falls within.
In line with previous board direction and in order to expedite proposal packages for consideration by the board, Proposal 5A-Revision 1 with Technical Corrections includes the technical correction of city splits in unpopulated areas. The U.S. Census Bureau misassigned three (3) census blocks to the City of Tustin that are actually in the City of Santa Ana with a total of 260 population. Since the affected area is fully assigned to District 2, no correction is necessary.

Source: Statewide Database; Adjusted, incarcerated persons reallocated P.L. 94-171 2020 Redistricting Data, Revised 9/27/2021

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Table 3. Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race/Ethnicity, 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates

District	Total Estimated CVAP	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	433,147	73,545	211,298	7,074	1,161	127,291	1,284	10,297
	100.0%	17.0%	48.9%	1.6%	0.3%	29.5%	0.3%	2.4%
2	340,779	177,081	97,547	6,086	574	53,677	975	3,708
	100.0%	52.1%	28.7%	1.8%	0.2%	15.8%	0.3%	1.1%
3	434,246	60,429	261,471	7,194	613	92,357	518	10,975
	100.0%	13.9%	60.3%	1.7%	0.1%	21.3%	0.1%	2.5%
4	385,143	133,487	142,193	11,844	789	87,149	1,815	6,918
	100.0%	34.7%	37.0%	3.1%	0.2%	22.7%	0.5%	1.8%
5	472,361	66,373	334,052	7,357	796	50,918	975	11,155
	100.0%	14.1%	70.8%	1.6%	0.2%	10.8%	0.2%	2.4%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,065,676	510,915	1,046,561	39,555	3,933	411,392	5,567	43,053
	100.0%	24.8%	50.8%	1.9%	0.2%	20.0%	0.3%	2.1%

Source: Statewide Database 2015-2019 Citizen Voting Age Population, adjusted to reflect reallocated incarcerated persons, on 2020 Census Blocks, Revised 9/27/2021 https://statewidedatabase.org/redistricting2021/counties.html

Notes: Percentages are calculated from sum of individual categories, not Total Estimated CVAP.

Because this is a special tabulation of data and not part of the standard data products shown on the Census Bureau's data.census.gov website, these estimates are rounded. Therefore, individual categories may not exactly add to the total.

For example, the sum of each of the race groups for non-Hispanics may not be the same as the estimate given for non-Hispanics. These estimates will not match counts from the 2020 Census.

The original data source for the Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) is the American Community Survey (ACS). The ACS is an ongoing survey by the U.S. Census Bureau sent to approximately 250,000 households each month.

The ACS estimates used to develop these data were collected from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2019 utilizing the 2010 Census block groups, which were disaggregated to the 2020 Census blocks by the Statewide Database.

For more information about the CVAP products, visit https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/about/voting-rights/cvap.html and

https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial/rdo/technical-documentation/special-tabulation/CVAP_2015-2019_ACS_documentation.pdf

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Table 4. Adjusted 2020 Census Population by District and 2020 Census Place

DISTRICT 1

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Cypress	50,235	8.3%
Fountain Valley	57,120	9.4%
Garden Grove*	135,704	22.3%
Huntington Beach	199,033	32.7%
La Palma	15,597	2.6%
Los Alamitos	11,795	1.9%
Midway City CDP	8,845	1.5%
Rossmoor CDP	10,634	1.7%
Seal Beach	25,283	4.2%
Unincorporated	3,343	0.5%
Westminster	91,083	15.0%
District 1 Total	**608,672**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 2

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	102,211	16.5%
Garden Grove*	36,642	5.9%
North Tustin CDP*	7,618	1.2%
Orange*	106,837	17.3%
Santa Ana	311,393	50.3%
Tustin*	49,457	8.0%
Unincorporated	4,781	0.8%
District 2 Total	**618,939**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 3

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	56,099	8.4%
Irvine*	216,560	32.5%
Lake Forest	85,965	12.9%
Mission Viejo	93,760	14.1%
Modjeska CDP	632	0.1%
North Tustin CDP*	18,131	2.7%
Orange*	33,354	5.0%
Rancho Santa Margarita	48,000	7.2%
Silverado CDP	932	0.1%
Trabuco Canyon CDP	1,020	0.2%
Tustin*	30,955	4.6%
Unincorporated	6,066	0.9%
Villa Park	5,850	0.9%
Williams Canyon CDP	93	0.0%
Yorba Linda	68,415	10.3%
District 3 Total	**665,832**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 4

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Anaheim*	189,443	30.1%
Brea	47,397	7.5%
Buena Park	84,187	13.4%
Fullerton	143,930	22.9%
La Habra	63,234	10.0%
Placentia	51,925	8.2%
Stanton	38,067	6.0%
Unincorporated	11,530	1.8%
District 4 Total	**629,713**	**100.0%**

DISTRICT 5

Place	Total Population	Percent of District
Aliso Viejo	52,222	7.8%
Costa Mesa	112,139	16.7%
Coto de Caza CDP	14,723	2.2%
Dana Point	33,144	4.9%
Irvine*	91,398	13.6%
Ladera Ranch CDP	26,188	3.9%
Laguna Beach	23,061	3.4%
Laguna Hills	31,399	4.7%
Laguna Niguel	64,417	9.6%
Laguna Woods	17,658	2.6%
Las Flores CDP	6,004	0.9%
Newport Beach	85,338	12.7%
Rancho Mission Viejo CDP	10,385	1.6%
San Clemente	64,384	9.6%
San Juan Capistrano	35,271	5.3%
Unincorporated	2,123	0.3%
District 5 Total	**669,854**	**100.0%**

*City/CDP split by proposed district.

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Table 5. Adjusted 2020 Census Population 18 Years and Over by Race/Ethnicity

District	Total Population 18 and Over	Hispanic or Latino of any Race	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black or African-American	Non-Hispanic American Indian or Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic Asian	Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Non-Hispanic Some Other Race	Non-Hispanic Two or More Races
1	492,851	101,722	201,837	6,649	934	160,998	1,775	2,208	16,728
	100.0%	20.6%	41.0%	1.3%	0.2%	32.7%	0.4%	0.4%	3.4%
2	474,045	297,479	88,989	7,137	865	68,152	1,241	1,602	8,580
	100.0%	62.8%	18.8%	1.5%	0.2%	14.4%	0.3%	0.3%	1.8%
3	521,046	80,692	259,493	8,076	666	147,766	757	2,511	21,085
	100.0%	15.5%	49.8%	1.5%	0.1%	28.4%	0.1%	0.5%	4.0%
4	491,691	208,051	133,272	12,057	1,082	121,344	1,598	2,052	12,235
	100.0%	42.3%	27.1%	2.5%	0.2%	24.7%	0.3%	0.4%	2.5%
5	546,046	99,573	339,812	7,548	955	71,603	833	2,757	22,965
	100.0%	18.2%	62.2%	1.4%	0.2%	13.1%	0.2%	0.5%	4.2%
COUNTY TOTAL	2,525,679	787,517	1,023,403	41,467	4,502	569,863	6,204	11,130	81,593
	100.0%	31.2%	40.5%	1.6%	0.2%	22.6%	0.2%	0.4%	3.2%

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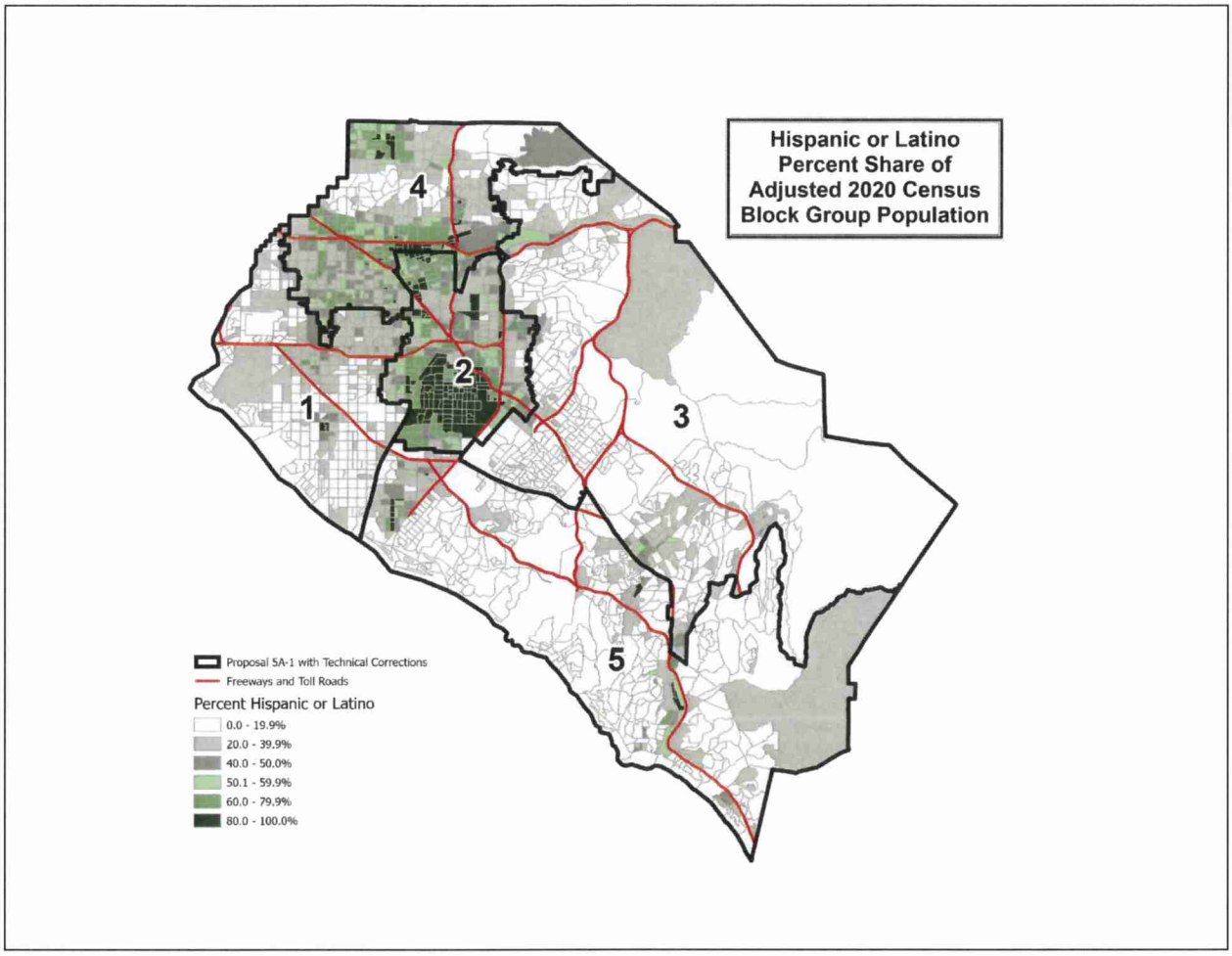
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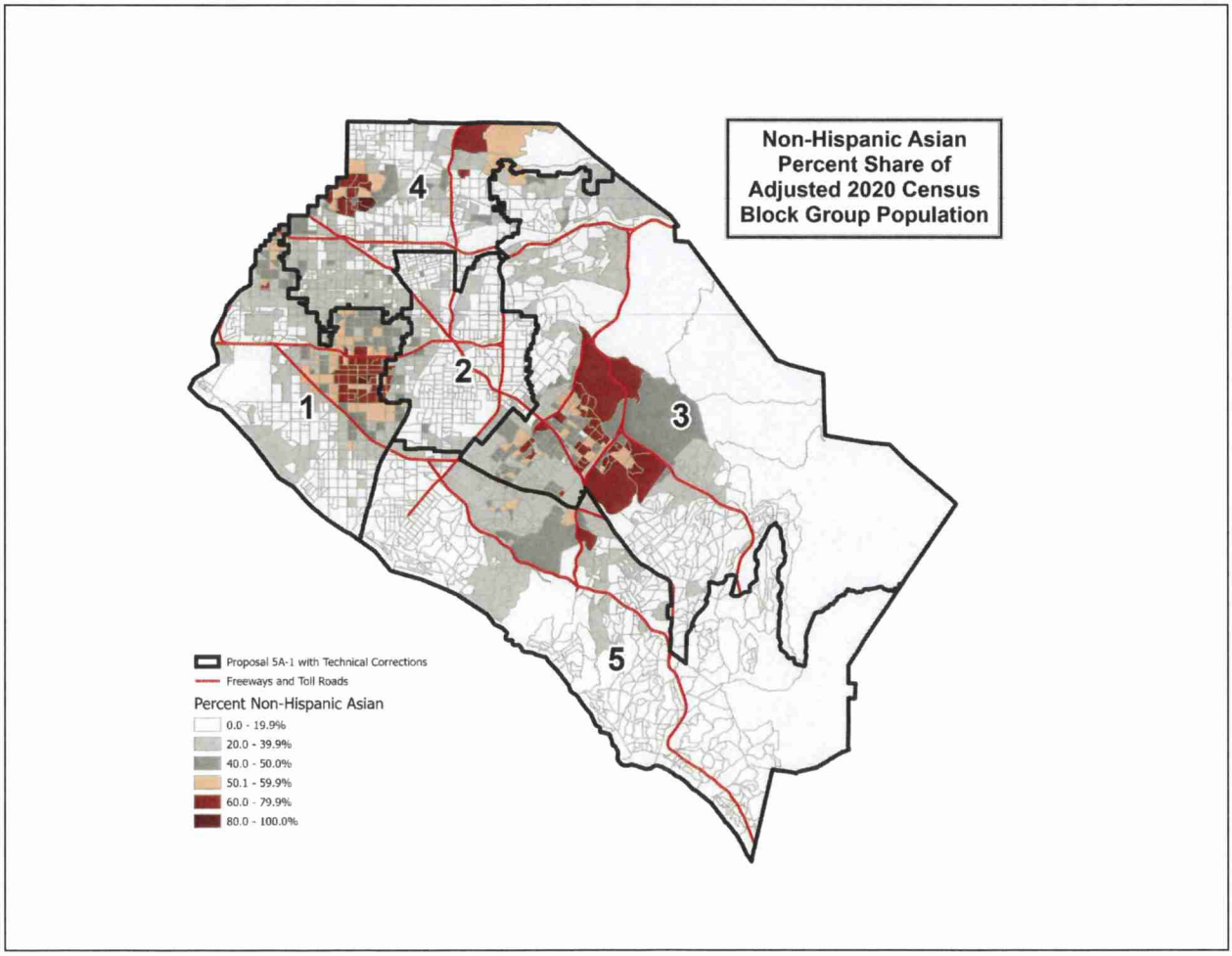
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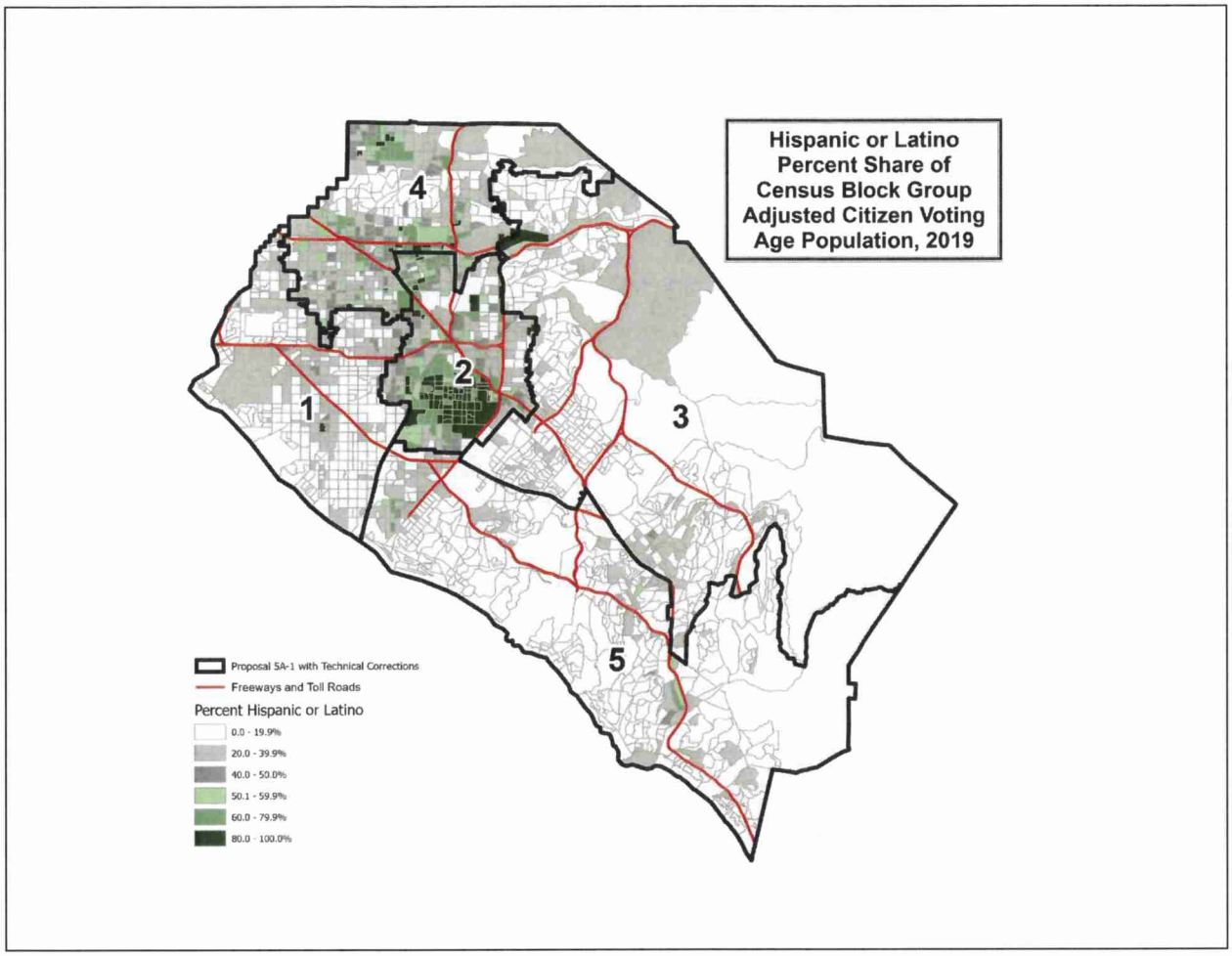
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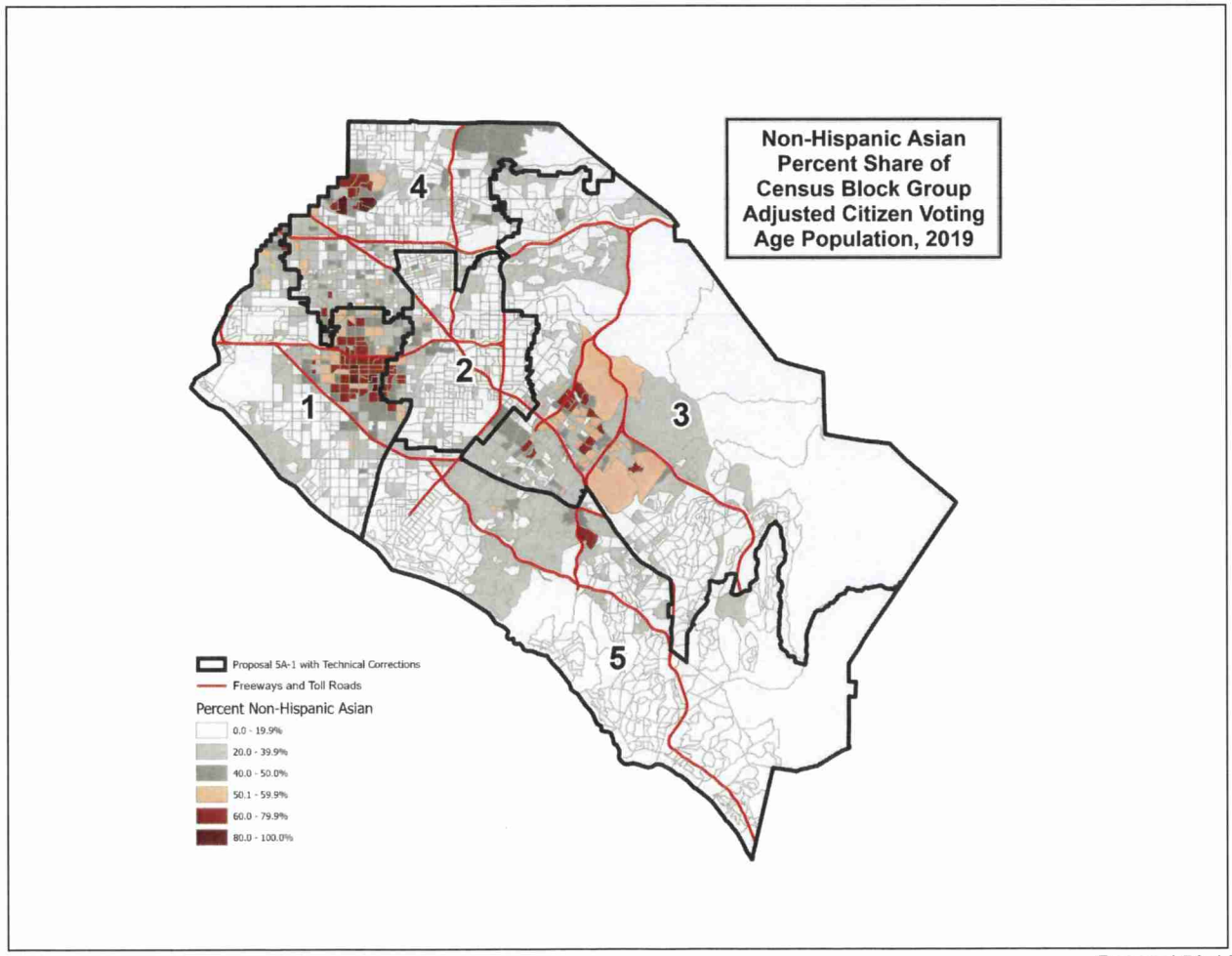
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Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
4
2
1
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5
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Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Hispanic or Latino
0.0 - 19.9%
20.0 - 39.9%
40.0 - 50.0%
50.1 - 59.9%
60.0 - 79.9%
80.0 - 100.0%


Non-Hispanic Asian Percent Share of Adjusted 2020 Census Block Group Population
4
2
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5
Proposal 5A-1 with Technical Corrections
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Non-Hispanic Asian
0.0 - 19.9%
20.0 - 39.9%
40.0 - 50.0%
50.1 - 59.9%
60.0 - 79.9%
80.0 - 100.0%


Hispanic or Latino Percent Share of Census Block Group Adjusted Citizen Voting Age Population, 2019
4
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Proposal 5A-1 with Technical Corrections
Freeways and Toll Roads
Percent Hispanic or Latino
0.0 - 19.9%
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