



Mapping Hearing

November 3, 2021



Mapping Hearing Recap

October 27, 2021 Hearing

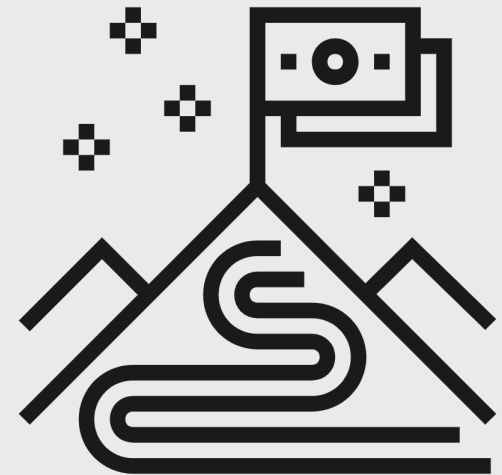
- IRC Draft Map 1 was amended by the Commission to move the southern boundary of District I and to move Wilson High School and the tennis court into District C
- Re-imagined versions of IRC Draft Map 1 requested by the Commission
- Motion for item to be laid over to November 3, 2021 and public comment to taken towards the end of the item



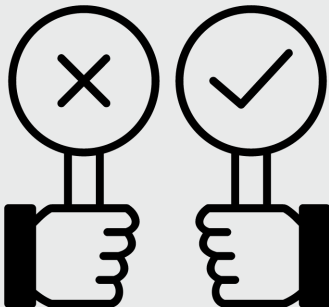
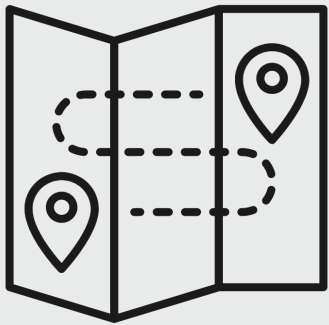
November 3, 2021 – Mapping Hearing

Process Overview and Goal

- Discuss potential draft maps and any changes using live line-drawing
- Receive Public Testimony
- Select proposed final map(s) to consider at the November 10, 2021 meeting



Remaining Mapping Hearings



- Proposed Final Plan Selection
 - Wednesday, November 10, 2021 – City Hall
 - The Commission will be selecting a proposed final map to be approved at the next meeting.
 - *Note: Last Opportunity to Make Substantial Changes to a Map*
- Vote on the Final Map (Up or Down Vote)
 - Thursday, November 18, 2021 – City Hall
 - The Commission will approve a final map.
 - Mapping Hearings Complete

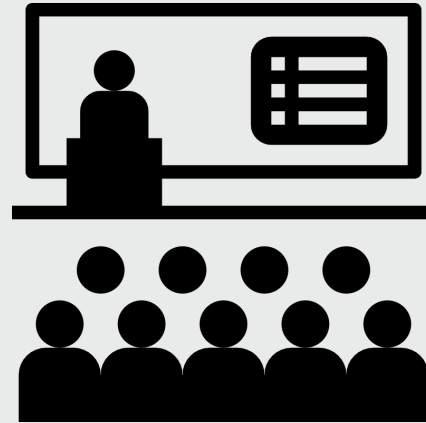
Community of Interest Testimony

May 2021 – Present



739 Communities of Interest (COI) Form Submissions

Over 1,000 Pages of Emails from the Public



10 Community Outreach Meetings

3 Mapping Hearings

12.5 Hours of Public Comment Overall



Over 86 COI mapping tool submissions

Requirements and Criteria in the City Charter

- **All Districts are of Equal Population** - State law allows for the commission to have up to 10% total deviation
- **Following Federal Voting Rights Act / Applicable Laws** - Race cannot be a predominant factor in redistricting. Communities that have Federal Voting Rights in need of protection will be prioritized based on legal counsel input.
- **Contiguous** – Each district shall be one whole contiguous unit, to the extent practicable, and have clearly defined boundaries
- **Minimize Divisions of Neighborhoods** – The geographic integrity of neighborhoods should be respected in manner that minimizes division of neighborhoods.
- **Minimize Divisions of Communities of Interest** - The geographic integrity of a community of interest should be respected in a manner that minimizes its division.
- **Minimize Divisions of Neighborhoods and Communities** – Neighborhoods and communities sharing a common language, history, culture and identity should not be divided so as to dilute their voting power
- **Geography / Topography** – Districts should respect major topographic and geographic features of the City
- **Understandable by Voters** - Making districts that are sensible and can be easily understood by residents.
- **Compact** – Making districts compact shapes and not bypassing nearby populations for far-away populations.
- **Follow Census Blocks** – Using the census geography provided by the State of California to preserve the validity of data and avoid arbitrary boundaries
- **Residence of Any Individual Cannot Be Considered.** The Commission cannot consider the place of residence of any individual, including any incumbent or political candidate, in the creation of a map.