



2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON  
SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING  
**FINAL REPORT**

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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Following each decennial federal census, the County is required to adjust its supervisorial district boundaries to ensure Board member districts comply with specified demographic and population requirements, and that each elected official represents approximately the same number of constituents. To promote and advance the 2021 redistricting efforts in Tulare County, on May 12, 2020, the Board of Supervisors established the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, and on May 11, 2021, appointed eleven Commissioners – two from each supervisorial district and one member at-large.

The Commission's primary role was to determine the need for supervisorial district boundary changes, solicit public outreach regarding possible changes, and recommended maps to the Board of Supervisors that incorporate public input while adhering to federal and state mandated redistricting criteria. The Commission completed its business in five months, from May 20, 2021 through October 21, 2021, during which time it held 14 public meetings in each county district (33 hours in total), attended by more than 250 community members in-person, more than 50 community member via Zoom, and several more listeners via live stream on YouTube. In total, 26 unique agencies and organizations were represented at these meetings and the many hours of recorded public comment served to inform and develop the Commission's final recommendations to the Board of Supervisors.

The County contracted with Lali Moheno & Associates for community outreach services, which included the creation and distribution of flyers, press releases, videos, and social media posts. Cities, service clubs, political clubs, and various individuals were contacted directly by phone, email and/or in person and encouraged to attend and participate in Commission meetings. This extensive and ongoing community outreach effort, including the efforts of the Commission, should be credited for the quantity of maps submitted by community members and for the substantial attendance and involvement at each Commission meeting.

In total, the Commission reviewed 24 community maps and 13 Commission maps. Each map was evaluated for compliance with the redistricting criteria established by the California Fair Maps Act, and consideration of communities of interest identified by the public. Prominent communities of interest identified through exhaustive public comment included the desire to create a single mountain district, to keep West Goshen and Woodlake in District 4, to keep Tule River Tribal lands in a single district, to keep Strathmore, Lindsay, and Farmersville in a single district, and to create at least three Hispanic Citizen Voting Age (H-CVAP) majority districts, and to maintain as many communities whole as possible.

Ultimately, the Commission found that the following maps represented well the map elements required by the California Fair Maps Act, those requested by the public throughout this process, and the interests of Tulare County.

1. **COM-001b Equity Coalition Map**, submitted by the Equitable Map Coalition on September 30, 2021. Findings in support of this map are included in Section 6 of this report and a full-page map may be found in Appendix A.
2. **COM-002a1 Wells Map**, submitted by Korey Wells on October 14, 2021. Findings in support of this map are included in Section 6 of this report and a full-page map may be found in Appendix B.
3. **COM-003a Verduzco Map**, submitted by Jose Verduzco on October 14, 2021. Findings in support of this map are included in Section 6 of this report and a full-page map may be found in Appendix C.
4. **COM-005b Kindschuh Map**, submitted by Steve Kindschuh on October 17, 2021. Findings in support of this map are included in Section 6 of this report and a full-page map may be found in Appendix D.

# COMMISSION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING

October 21, 2021

Dear Board of Supervisors,

We are pleased to present the 2021 Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Final Report to the Board for consideration.

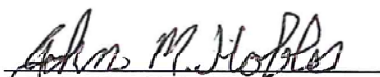
This report is the result of extensive public outreach, including 14 public meetings, attended by more than 250 members of the public, including representatives from 26 different community organizations, and held at various locations throughout the County. Every effort was made to be inclusive and to allow as much public comment as possible. The public was allowed to comment in person, in writing, through "Zoom" and via telephone.

The Commission would like to both commend and thank the consultants, Lali Moheno and Dr. Lucia Vazquez, for their tireless outreach efforts. We have heard, during public comment, and at other venues, that the Tulare County process was one of the most inclusive and extensive seen in the Valley.

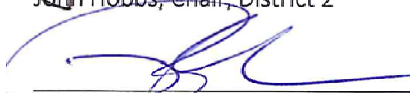
The Commission would also like to thank the County staff, for their support, direction and guidance as we waded through the redistricting process. It is incredible that we were able to have as many meetings and allow so much input given the time constraints that staff had to work within due to the delay in the census numbers. The amount of work they did, with sometimes weekly turnarounds, was truly extraordinary. This process and the report would not have been possible without such a capable and responsive staff.

Lastly, the Commission would like to thank the Board of Supervisors for their faith in the citizens of Tulare County by forming the Commission. We also wish to thank the Board for allowing the Commission to work its way through this arduous process unfettered by Board influence.


Sincerely,


  
John Hobbs, Chair, District 2


  
Darlene Mata, Vice Chair, District 3

  
Rodney Blaco, District 1

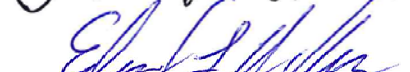
  
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# I. INTRODUCTION & BACKGROUND

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## Redistricting Overview

In accordance with Elections Code §21500, following each decennial federal census, the County is required to adjust its supervisorial district boundaries to ensure districts are substantially equal in population and comply with specific federal and state demographic and geographic requirements. This process is called redistricting and is important in ensuring that each elected official represents approximately the same number of constituents. At the county level, redistricting determines which neighborhoods and communities are grouped together into a supervisorial district for purposes of electing a representative on the Board of Supervisors.

In Tulare County, the Board of Supervisors is responsible for drawing supervisorial districts. In 2021, consistent with past practice in 2011, the Board appointed an advisory commission to seek public input in determining boundary changes for supervisorial districts – the **2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting (Commission)**. Specifically, the Commission was tasked with evaluating state and federally mandated redistricting criteria to determine the need for additional local criteria; using said criteria to determine the need for boundary changes in Tulare County; soliciting public testimony regarding community interests and their impact on boundary changes; and recommending three draft maps to the Board of Supervisors for consideration. Ultimately the Commission voted to recommend four maps to the Board of Supervisors, detailed further in Section 6 of this report.

## California Fair Maps Act 2019

Prior to the start of the 2021 redistricting process, in October 2019, the State of California made significant statutory reforms to the county redistricting process through the Fair Maps Act (AB 849). The most notable of these reforms include the specification of eight prioritized criteria, and required methods of public engagement through public hearings, public outreach, and online recordkeeping.

1. **Redistricting Criteria.** The following criteria are required by the Fair Maps Act to be applied in priority order:
  1. **Population Equality.** Population equality shall be based on the total population of residents of the county as determined by the decennial census. State prisoners, whose last known place of residence was in Tulare County as determined by the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, shall be added to the Tulare County population.
  2. **Legal Compliance.** Supervisorial district boundaries shall comply with the U.S. Constitution, California Constitution, and the federal Voting Rights Act.
  3. **Contiguous.** To the extent practicable, Districts shall be geographically contiguous.
  4. **Community Integrity.** To the extent practicable, Districts shall respect the geographic integrity of any local neighborhood or local community of interest in a manner that minimizes its division.
  5. **City and CDP Integrity.** To the extent practicable, Districts shall respect the geographic integrity of a city or census designated place in a manner that minimizes its division
  6. **Identifiable Boundaries.** District boundaries should be easily identifiable and understandable by residents. To the extent practicable, Districts shall be bounded by natural and artificial barriers, by streets, or by boundaries of the county.

7. **Compactness.** To the extent practicable, and where it does not conflict with the preceding criteria, Districts shall be drawn to encourage geographic compactness in such a manner that nearby areas of population are not bypassed in favor of more distant populations.
8. **No Political Parties.** The board shall not adopt boundaries for the purpose of favoring or discriminating against a political party.

In accordance with the duties outlined in its Bylaws, the Commission considered the need for local redistricting criteria, to be considered in addition to, and in lower priority order than the eight criteria established by the Fair Maps Act. At the August 12, 2021 Commission meeting, the Commission voted to recommend that the Board of Supervisors adopt no additional criteria in the 2021 redistricting process. During their discussion, Commissioners noted that the existing criteria provide an adequate framework for considering all comments and concerns raised by the public. On August 24, 2021, the Board of Supervisors adopted the recommendation.

2. **Public Hearings.** The County is required to engage the public in redistricting by holding a minimum of four public hearings, one of which must occur prior to drafting an initial map, at least two of which must occur after a map has been drafted, and one of which can be delegated to staff or an advisory commission.
  - **On September 9, 2021,** the Commission held the County's first redistricting public hearing before it drafted its first map. The meeting was held in the Board of Supervisors Chambers at 6:30 p.m., during which time staff presented the unadjusted 2020 Census Data in the 2011 district boundaries, and the Commission heard public testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.
  - **On October 26, 2021,** the Board of Supervisors will hold the County's second redistricting public hearing at 9:00 a.m. in the Board of Supervisors Chambers.
  - **On November 2, 2021,** the Board of Supervisors will hold the County's third redistricting public hearing at 6:30 p.m. in the Board of Supervisors Chambers.
  - **On November 9, 2021,** the Board of Supervisors will hold the County's fourth redistricting public hearing at 9:00 a.m. in the Board of Supervisors Chambers.
3. **Public Outreach.** To further engage the public, the County is required to conduct specific outreach regarding the redistricting process through media organizations and community groups that serve and are active in language minority communities. Additionally, draft maps with detailed demographic information must be published on the internet for seven days prior to adoption, during which time the public will be allowed to provide testimony.

To ensure that the public outreach requirements of the Fair Maps Act were met, the County contracted with Lali Moheno & Associates to engage the public in the redistricting process. Further detail regarding these efforts may be found in Section 2 of this report, Public Outreach.

4. **Recordkeeping.** To facilitate the dissemination of information and retain a record of the redistricting process, the County is required to establish and maintain a redistricting website for at least 10 years after the adoption of new district boundaries. Specific content requirements for the website are detailed in CA Elections Code §21508, subdivision (g). The County established a redistricting website in January 2021. Further detail regarding this site and its contents may be found in Section 2 of this report, Public Outreach.

## 2. PUBLIC OUTREACH

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In May 2021, the County contracted **Lali Moheno & Associates (Outreach Consultants)** to provide community outreach services throughout the redistricting process. The purpose of this partnership was to encourage residents, including those in underrepresented communities and non-English speaking communities, to participate in the redistricting public review process. Over the following five months, the Outreach Consultants provided redistricting information to English and Spanish-language media organizations, community groups, and individuals throughout Tulare County. It was frequently noted that Tulare County had devised the most inclusive and informative outreach process among its peers. This team also provided valuable insight into the barriers to civic participation experienced by various communities in the County, and coordinated with County staff to identify meeting venues and locations that ensure all County stakeholders have an opportunity to learn how districts are drawn and were able to access the Commission to voice their opinion. To this end, a good faith effort to reach and engage community members was undertaken.

The public engagement strategies utilized by the Outreach Consultants, were dynamic and responsive to changing community, Commission, and County needs. Recommendations from the community, County staff, and Commissioners were incorporated to improve outreach and community input and updates were provided to County staff and the Commission at every staff meeting and Commission meeting.

The COVID-19 pandemic posed specific challenges to effective public outreach primarily at the start of the project, when social distancing mandates were relaxed, and cases started to subside. Residents who were hesitant about attending in-person meetings, were encouraged to participate online, and the County made every effort to accommodate participation on Zoom and via telephone.

**Meeting Times & Locations.** Moheno & Associates and County staff planned meeting schedules, and researched locations. Thereafter, meeting places were chosen, negotiated, and contracted. To optimize access and participation, two rounds of meetings were scheduled in cities and rural communities of each of the five supervisorial districts. The first series of meetings were informational listening sessions focused on explaining the process, Fair Maps Act & Voting Rights Act requirements, guidelines, timelines and soliciting community input. The second series were working meetings where community and Commission maps were presented and discussed. During the final working meetings, the Commissioners broke into small work groups to focus on a select number of maps, after which they presented those maps to their fellow Commissioners. All Commission meetings were held at a consistent date and time - Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m.

**Media Outreach.** The redistricting process was publicized through local media and social media outlets (online, television, print, radio). Print media created in support of this effort have been included in **Appendix E**.

- **Flyers.** Flyers were created to announce individual meetings for the series of informational listening sessions, working meetings, and mandatory public hearings conducted both by the Commission and the Board of Supervisors. These flyers were posted on the redistricting website, emailed to Commissioners and community leaders for distribution, and printed and made available to the public at each Commission meeting.
- **Press Releases.** Press releases were coordinated through County staff and sent directly from the County Public Information Officer.



- **Videos.** Two informational videos were created in English and Spanish in collaboration with the County HHS Communications Team. Videos were posted on redistricting website homepage, were distributed electronically to community organizations, service agencies, and shared on social media sites. Videos may be viewed at:
  - Spanish: <https://vimeo.com/591360123/0d501ebf92>
  - English: <https://vimeo.com/591438765/bb2049e0ad>
- **Spanish-Language Media.** Redistricting information was provided through several Spanish-language media outlets including Radio Bilingüe, and Vida en El Valle, a Bilingual Newspaper.

**Translation Services.** Linguistica Translation Services was contracted to conduct live translation of Commission meetings in Spanish and other languages, as requested. New translation equipment was purchased to ensure effective translation services for in-person participants as well as those joining remotely. Two translators were utilized during meetings to accommodate the use of a separate Spanish language translation services over Zoom for anyone attending in person, and face-to-face translation for the Commission to receive public comment from Spanish-speaking members of the community.

**Local Agencies & Community Organizations.** The Outreach Consultants contacted cities, service clubs, political clubs and other community organizations directly by phone, email, or in person to share redistricting information and invite members to participate in Commission meetings. When possible, in-person visits were made to city council, school boards, service clubs, and the Tule River Tribal Council meetings.

Community leaders, teachers, school administrators, elected officials, business owners, and other individuals were sent flyers, emails, and video links. The Outreach Consultants maintained contact with multiple organizations and individuals throughout the various stages of the process to provide updates and garner interest. A comprehensive list of local agencies and organizations engaged during this process may be found in **Appendix F**.

**Redistricting Website.** In accordance with the California Fair Maps Act, the County established a redistricting website (<https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/>), which includes the following information in English and Spanish:

1. A general explanation of the redistricting process for Tulare County.
2. The procedures for a member of the public to testify during a public hearing or to submit written testimony directly to the Commission and Board of Supervisors.
3. A calendar of all public meetings, hearings, and workshop dates, times, and locations.
4. The notice and agenda for each public meeting, hearing, and workshop.
5. The audio or audiovisual recording and adopted minutes of each public meeting, hearing, and workshop.
6. Each draft map considered by the Commission and Board of Supervisors at a public meeting, hearing, and workshop.

The site will also include the adopted final map of supervisorial district boundaries and will be maintained as a record of this process for the following ten years.

### 3. ADVISORY COMMISSION

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As noted previously, in May 2020, the Board of Supervisors established the Commission to conduct public outreach regarding the redistricting process, determine the necessity of boundary changes in Tulare County, and incorporate public testimony into multiple draft maps for consideration by the Board of Supervisors. Fifty-one (51) qualified applications for the Commission were received by the County from January 12 through April 30, 2021. It is noted that in March 2021, the Board extended the application period by an additional month to encourage the submittal of more applications and broader community participation. As a result, each supervisorial district had at least five candidates from which to appoint.

On May 11, 2021, the Board appointed eleven Commissioners – two from each supervisorial district and one member at-large. Appointments were made in accordance with the Commission Bylaws, as follows:

1. Each member of the Board made one direct appointment from among the qualified applicants who were determined by the Registrar of Voters to reside in and be registered to vote in his or her district.
2. Each member of the Board then made one indirect appointment from among the remaining qualified applicants from his or her district by selecting the name of the applicant randomly out of a hat.
3. Finally, the names of the remaining qualified applicants were placed in a hat and one name was drawn by the Chief Clerk of the Board, which then became the eleventh at-large member of the Commission.

The final roster of appointed commissioners is reflected in the table below.

District	Appointment	Commissioner
District 1	Direct	Rodney Blaco
District 1	Indirect	Ralph Diaz
District 2	Direct	John Hobbs, Chair
District 2	Indirect	Marie Macedo
District 3	Direct	Darlene Mata, Vice Chair
District 3	Indirect	Luis Sepulveda
District 3	At-Large	Lizbeth Gomez
District 4	Direct	Jose Verduzco
District 4	Indirect	Albert George
District 5	Direct	Edward McKervey
District 5	Indirect	Scott James II

#### Commission Meetings

The Commission held seven informational public meetings in Visalia, Exeter, Tulare, Dinuba, and Porterville prior to the release of 2020 redistricting data by the United States Census Bureau. At these meetings, Commissioners and staff presented information regarding the redistricting process in Tulare County, answered questions submitted by the public, and received public comment regarding communities of interest, and additional redistricting criteria.

After the preliminary 2020 Census Data was released in August 2021, the Commission conducted another seven public working meetings in Lindsay, Earlimart, Visalia, Woodlake, and Porterville, in which the commission and the community viewed the 2020 Census data in the current supervisorial districts, determined that boundary changes were necessary, and drafted community and Commission maps for Board consideration. In total, 34 hours were dedicated by Commissioners to 14 meetings held in every district of the County. Commission meeting agendas, minutes, and presentations may be found in **Appendix G** of this report.

Community members were encouraged to participate in Commission meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on YouTube. Meeting materials, including the Commission agendas, presentations, informational handouts, and map analyses, were made available to the public in printed form at the meeting and on the Redistricting website in English and Spanish. The flyer provided to the public outlining meeting participation methods may be found in **Appendix H** of this report.

Public comments at Commission meetings could be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. All public comment may be accessed in the meeting recordings available on the Tulare County Redistricting website (<https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting>).

Meeting Date & Time	Meeting Topic	Location
Thursday, May 20, 2021 6:30 p.m.	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia
Thursday, June 3, 2021 6:30 p.m.	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia
Thursday, June 17, 2021 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 1.</b> Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave., Exeter
Thursday, July 1, 2021 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 2.</b> Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St., Tulare
Thursday, July 15, 2021 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 3.</b> Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia
Thursday, July 29, 2021 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 4.</b> Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way, Dinuba
Thursday, August 12, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 5.</b> Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process. Vote on recommending additional criteria to the Board of Supervisors.	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville
Thursday, August 26, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	Review the 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes to remain in compliance with state and federal statutes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia
Thursday, September 9, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	<b>Public Hearing 1.</b> Held by the Commission in the evening, before drawing its first map. Review 2020 Census Data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia
Thursday, September 23, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 1 Working Meeting.</b> Review the 2020 Census Data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay
Thursday, September 30, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 2 Working Meeting.</b> Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps.	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart



Meeting Date & Time	Meeting Topic	Location
Thursday, October 7, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 3 Working Meeting.</b> Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia
Thursday, October 14, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 4 Working Meeting.</b> Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia St., Woodlake
Thursday, October 21, 2021, 6:30 p.m.	<b>District 5 Final Commission Meeting.</b> Commission approves final report and recommends maps to BOS.	City of Porterville Council Chambers, 291 N. Main St., Porterville

## 2020 Census Data

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and challenges in completing the decennial census, the delivery of 2020 Census Data for redistricting was delayed by nearly five months, from its traditional release date of April 1. After preliminary data was released to states in August 2021, the County waited an additional month for the final data, which was adjusted by the State of California to reallocate the inmate population to the last County of residence and released through the Statewide Database on September 22, 2021. In accordance with the Fair Maps Act, the Commission waited one week after the release of the final data before drafting its first map. The first map, therefore, was drafted immediately after September 29, 2021. Pursuant to California statute, the County must complete its redistricting process by December 15, 2021. This gave the County 77 days to draft, present, modify, and approve a final map of supervisorial boundaries.

2020 Census Data shows that the population of Tulare County grew by 7% over the past ten years, from 442,179 in 2010 to 473,117 in 2020. A summary comparison of relevant 2010 and 2020 Census Data by race and ethnicity is provided in the table below:

	2010 Census			2020 Census <i>not State adjusted</i>		
	Total Population	% Change		Total Population	% Change	
<b>Total Population by Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>	<b>442,179</b>	<b>20%</b>		<b>473,117</b>	<b>7%</b>	
White alone	265,618	60%	24%	186,255	39%	-30%
Black or African American alone	7,196	2%	23%	6,668	1%	-7%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	6,993	2%	22%	10,645	2%	52%
Asian alone	15,176	3%	26%	17,194	4%	13%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	509	0%	25%	723	0%	42%
Some Other Race alone	128,263	29%	13%	165,230	35%	29%
Two or More Races	18,424	4%	9%	86,402	18%	369%
<b>Hispanic or Latino Origin</b>						
Hispanic or Latino	268,065	61%	43%	309,895	65.5%	16%
Not Hispanic or Latino	174,114	39%	-4%	163,222	34%	-6%
<b>Voting Age Population (VAP)</b>	<b>298,055</b>	<b>22%</b>		<b>331,093</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>11%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	162,196	54%	49%	201,152	61%	24%
Not Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	135,859	46%	1%	129,941	39%	-4%
<b>Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) - ACS Data</b>	<b>220,082</b>	<b>14%</b>		<b>256,925</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>17%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	87,592	40%	36%	131,300	51%	50%
Not Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	132,490	60%	2%	125,625	49%	-5%

## Voting Rights Act

Notably, in the 2020 Census Data, residents who identify as of Hispanic or Latino origin comprise 65.5% of the County population - the second highest Hispanic or Latino population percentage in California, surpassed only by Imperial County with 85.2%. In accordance with redistricting criteria number two, the Commission engaged in extensive discussion regarding the federal Voting Rights Act protections provided to the Hispanic or Latino population in Tulare County due to that population's size and electoral influence. Specific protections include the requirement that district lines are 1) drawn in a manner as to avoid minimizing Hispanic or Latino electoral influence, thereby depriving that federally protected community of its ability to affect the outcome of a supervisorial election, and 2) create effective districts in which this minority community has an opportunity to nominate and elect candidates of their choice. For the purposes of evaluating compliance with the federal Voting Rights Act, the Commission utilized citizen voting age population (CVAP) data, and more narrowly Hispanic or Latino CVAP (H-CVAP) as the primary measure of district effectiveness throughout the redistricting process.

The Commission received extensive instruction as to the value of this data and the rights afforded this community via federal and State legislation. At every information meeting, the Commission reviewed Voting Rights Act requirements and each map created and reviewed during the working meetings included the H-CVAP data for each proposed supervisorial district. The Commission was requested to ensure that any map forwarded for consideration include at least two districts with a minimum of 55% H-CVAP.

## Communities of Interest

In accordance with redistricting criteria number four, the Commission also solicited public testimony regarding communities of interest. The State constitution defines a community of interest as a contiguous population which shares common social and economic interests that should be included within a single district for purposes of its effective and fair representation. In the case of Tulare County, the Commission encouraged the public to describe how the shared interest of their identified community fell within the policy jurisdiction of the County. The following communities of interest identified by the public were considered in the analysis of each draft community and commission map:

1. Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville
2. West Goshen in District 4
3. Woodlake in District 4
4. Foothill-Mountain community in one district
5. Tulare and Visalia in one district
6. Tule River Tribe lands in one district
7. Porterville in District 5
8. Split Visalia between no more than two districts
9. Strathmore, Lindsay, and Farmersville together in one district

## Need for Boundary Changes

To determine the need for supervisorial district boundary changes, the Commission analyzed the compliance of 2020 Census Data in currently drawn districts against the mandated redistricting criteria. The following is a summary of that analysis.

Summary Data Table, 2020 Census Data, not State-adjusted

District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	CRITERIA #1	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	CRITERIA #2
			% Deviation					H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	92,646	-2,365	-2.49%	59,445	64%	51,920	25,070	48.3%
2	98,436	3,425	3.60%	66,946	68%	47,874	26,523	55.4%
3	97,775	2,764	2.91%	49,439	51%	60,370	24,862	41.2%
4	92,250	-2,761	-2.91%	72,440	79%	47,367	30,792	65.0%
5	93,949	-1,062	-1.12%	63,016	67%	51,335	25,441	49.6%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>6.51%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

### Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	The 2020 Census data in current districts reflects a 6.51% population deviation. This figure is within the threshold of 10%, but higher than the County's 2011 deviation of 2.61%.
2. Legal Compliance	<p>Hispanic Citizen Voting Age Population (H-CVAP) data is an essential measure of Federal Voting Rights Act compliance in Tulare County.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In 2011, the County drew one H-CVAP majority district - District 4, with 60% H-CVAP.</li> <li>• H-CVAP has grown from 40% of total CVAP in 2011 to 51% of total CVAP in 2020.</li> <li>• Currently drawn districts now reflect H-CVAP majority in two districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 4 (65%) is 5% higher than in 2011, which may indicate lost electoral influence for the Hispanic community in this district.</li> <li>• District 2 (55.4%) and District 1 (48.3%) or District 5 (49.6%) present an opportunity for a second and possibly third H-CVAP majority district.</li> <li>• Consider the influence of voter registration and turnout on CVAP.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor currently together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen currently in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia currently not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in one district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> <li>✓ Strathmore, Lindsay, and Farmersville in one district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Current districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1, 4, and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ Current district boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

On September 9, 2021, after reviewing and discussing the data in relation to the criteria put forth by the Fair Maps Act, the Commission determined that there is a need to adjust supervisorial district boundaries in Tulare County. Findings in support of this determination included the following:

- A population deviation of 6.51%, which, while within the statutory threshold of 10%, is significantly higher than the original deviation of 2.61% in 2011.
- Hispanic Citizen Voting Age (H-CVAP) of 64.7% in District 4, is 5% higher than in 2011 and may indicate lost electoral influence for the Hispanic community in that district.
- District 2 (55.2), District 1 (48.4%), and District 5 (49.4%) present an opportunity for a second and possibly third strong H-CVAP majority district at or above 55%.
- The Foothill-Mountain community of interest, which has received support from several residents to be maintained in one or two districts, is currently divided into three districts.

Given this finding, the Commission proceeded to receive and analyze community and Commission maps to recommend to the Board of Supervisors boundary changes that meet statutory criteria and incorporate community interests.



*Working Meeting in Lindsay, 9/23/2021*



*Working Meeting in Earlimart, 9/30/2021*



*Working Meeting in Visalia, 10/7/2021*



*Working Meeting in Visalia, 10/7/2021*



*Working Meeting in Woodlake, 10/14/2021*



*Working Meeting in Porterville, 10/21/2021*



## 4. COMMUNITY MAPS

Community members were encouraged to submit map proposals for Commission consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, in writing, or in person at a Commission meeting during the prescribed period for “Community Map Presentations.” Proposals made in person were allotted 15 minutes for presentation and additional time as necessary to answer questions from the Commission and the public. The flyer provided to the public that details map submission and review guidelines may be found in **Appendix I** of this report.

Staff conducted an analysis of each map submitted by the community. Maps submitted by the Tuesday before a Commission meeting or during the “Community Map Presentations” period of a Commission meeting were placed on the next Commission agenda for consideration. Mapmakers were notified of the Commission meeting in which their map was considered and invited to present on that date.

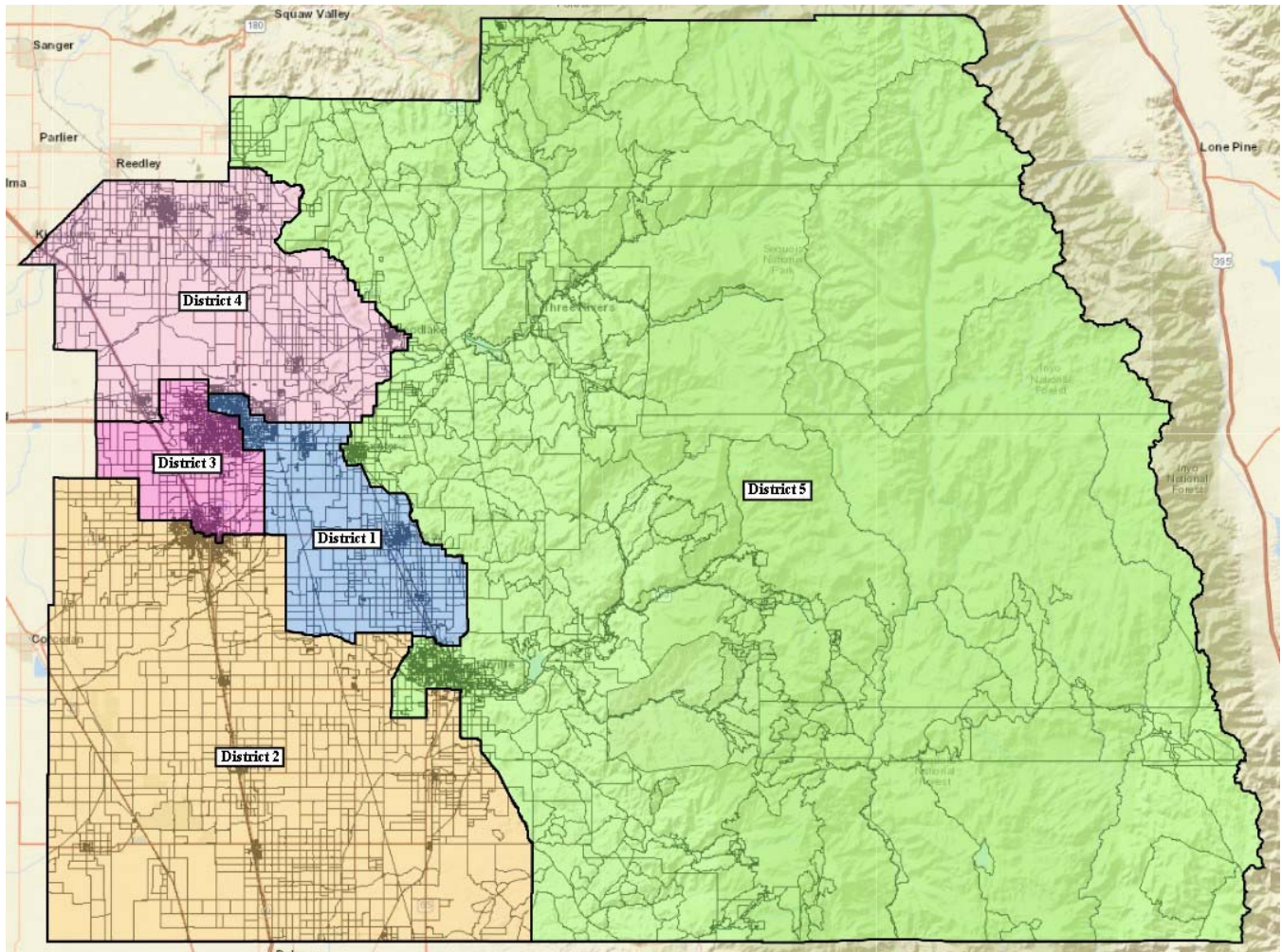
In total, the Commission considered the **24 community-proposed maps** (listed in the table below) submitted by 10 different individuals and one community coalition. This following section includes a visual representation of each community map, the associated demographic data, staff’s analysis of the map’s compliance with the eight redistricting criteria, and any Commission comments. A summary of all maps considered by the Commission may be found in **Appendix J**.

#	Map Number	Map Name	Submit Date	Staff Analysis	Action
1	COM-001	Equity Coalition	08/26/21	09/09/21	<i>Revised</i>
2	COM-001a	Equity Coalition	09/09/21	09/23/21	<i>Revised</i>
3	<b>COM-001b</b>	<b>Equity Coalition</b>	<b>09/30/21</b>	<b>10/07/21</b>	<b>9/30 - Recommended</b>
4	COM-002	Wells	09/23/21	09/30/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
5	<b>COM-002a1</b>	<b>Wells</b>	<b>10/14/21</b>	<b>10/21/21</b>	<b>10/21 - Recommended</b>
6	COM-002a2	Wells	10/14/21	Withdrawn	<i>Withdrawn</i>
7	COM-003	Verduzco	09/23/21	09/30/21	<i>Revised</i>
8	<b>COM-003a</b>	<b>Verduzco</b>	<b>10/14/21</b>	<b>10/21/21</b>	<b>10/21 - Recommended</b>
9	COM-004	Taylor	09/30/21	10/07/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
10	COM-004a	Taylor	10/19/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
11	COM-005	Kindschuh	10/01/21	10/07/21	<i>Revised</i>
12	COM-005a	Kindschuh	10/12/21	10/14/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
13	<b>COM-005b</b>	<b>Kindschuh</b>	<b>10/17/21</b>	<b>10/21/21</b>	<b>10/21 - Recommended</b>
14	COM-006	Mattis	10/07/21	10/14/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
15	COM-007	Ramos	10/13/21	10/14/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
16	COM-008	Blaco, 2 Mtn	10/14/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
17	COM-009	Blaco, EastWest	10/14/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
18	COM-010	Blaco, 1 Mtn	10/14/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
19	COM-011	Blaco, D4 Reach	10/14/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
20	COM-012	Kindschuh	10/18/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
21	COM-013	Tootle	10/14/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
22	COM-014	Doe	10/15/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
23	COM-015	Mattis	10/14/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
24	COM-016	Salinas	10/16/21	10/21/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>



## COM-001 Equity Coalition Map

On August 26, 2021, the Equitable Map Coalition submitted COM-001 Equity Coalition Map for Commission consideration. This map was submitted before the 2020 Census Data was adjusted by the State to reallocate the prison population. On September 9, 2021, staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



**Summary Data, 2020 Census Data submitted by the Equitable Map Coalition, not State-adjusted**

COM-001			CRITERIA #1		CRITERIA #2			
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,622	-1	0.00%	66,123	70%	49,828	29,019	58.2%
2	94,610	-13	-0.01%	71,418	75%	43,326	27,697	63.9%
3	94,634	11	0.01%	42,097	44%	58,448	20,662	35.4%
4	94,627	4	0.00%	72,559	77%	48,840	30,919	63.3%
5	94,624	1	0.00%	57,698	61%	52,514	22,982	43.8%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>252,956</b>	<b>131,279</b>	<b>51.9%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>0.03%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>50,591</b>	<b>26,256</b>	<b>51.9%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.03% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 58.2%</li> <li>• District 2 – 63.9%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.3%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducor not together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✗ Tule River Tribe lands not in the same district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> <li>✗ Porterville is divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Exeter is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Current districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ Current district boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

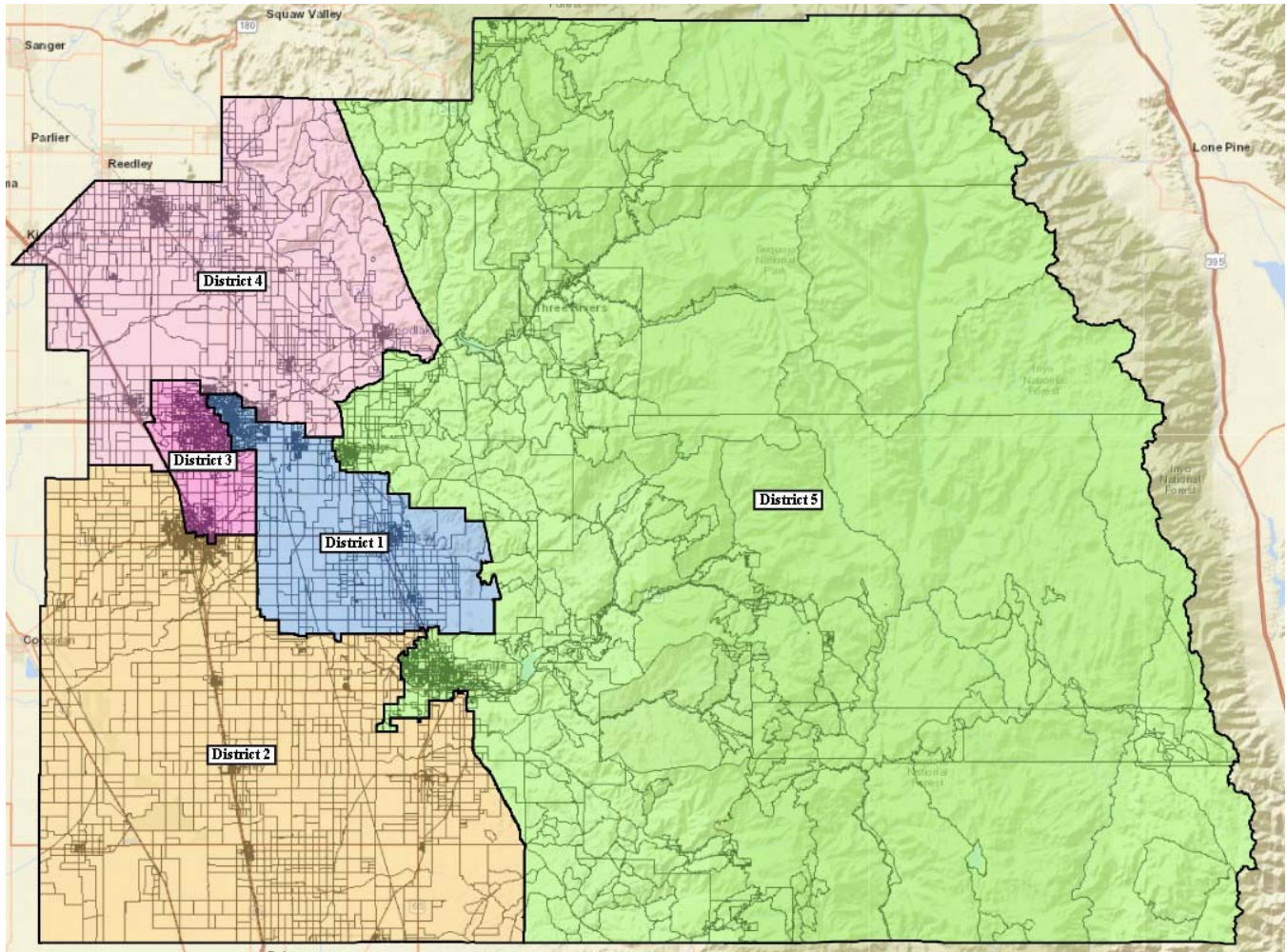
## Commission Comments

On September 9, 2021, before a staff analysis of this map was presented to the Commission for comments, the Equitable Map Coalition submitted a revised map (COM-001a), intended to supersede COM-001. The Commission noted the high H-CVAP achieved in this map as a merit, but gave no further comments on this version.



## COM-001A Equity Coalition Map

On September 9, 2021, the Equitable Map Coalition submitted a revision to its original map, COM-001 Equity Coalition Map, for Commission consideration. Primary revisions included incorporating the entire City of Porterville into District 5. This map was submitted before the 2020 Census Data was adjusted by the State to reallocate the prison population. On September 23, 2021, staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, not State-adjusted

COM-001A			CRITERIA #1		CRITERIA #2			
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,624	1	0.00%	66,745	71%	51,700	29,800	57.6%
2	94,632	9	0.01%	71,114	75%	43,475	27,450	63.1%
3	94,613	-10	-0.01%	41,676	44%	58,514	20,176	34.5%
4	94,653	30	0.03%	72,304	76%	49,699	30,979	62.3%
5	94,595	-28	-0.03%	58,056	61%	53,828	23,053	42.8%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>257,216</b>	<b>131,458</b>	<b>51.1%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>0.06%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,443</b>	<b>26,292</b>	<b>51.1%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.06% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 57.6%</li> <li>• District 2 – 63.1%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.3%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducor not together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> <li>✗ Exeter is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

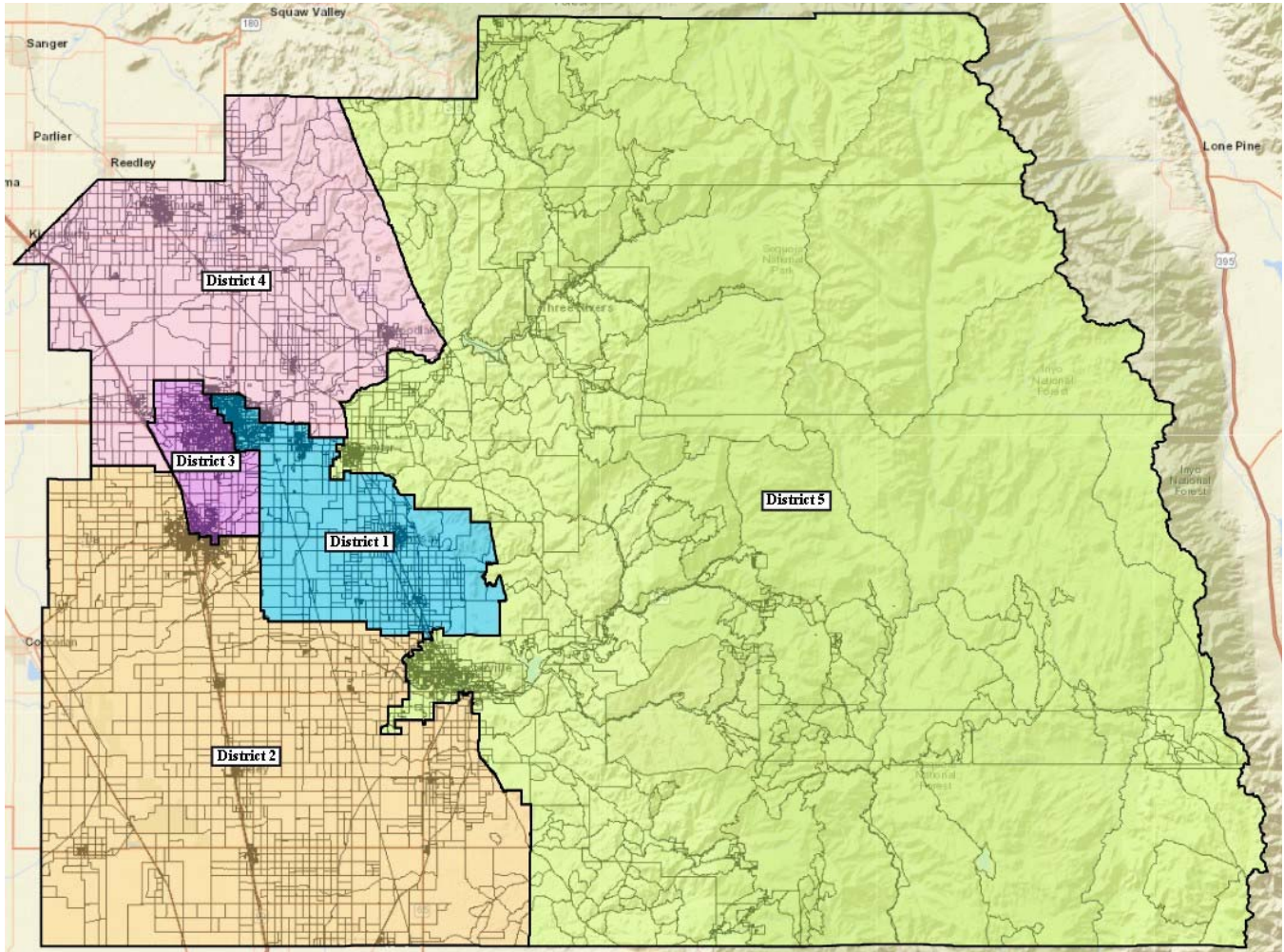
## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that the map created a mega mountain community, for which the Commission received significant support, and that the map had been created with community input. Concerns included splitting the City of Tulare, while the City of Porterville, with roughly the same population, remained intact. Commissioners did not find splitting Tulare was necessary for the purposes of maintaining population equality. Concerns were also raised regarding the District 5 boundary lines surrounding Porterville not taking into consideration growth areas, and that the City of Exeter was in a separate district from its wastewater treatment plant. Before the Commission had an opportunity to vote on this map, the Equitable Map Coalition submitted a second revision on September 30, 2021 (COM-001b), intended to supersede COM-001a.



## COM-001B Equity Coalition Map

On September 30, 2021, the Equitable Map Coalition submitted another revision to its map, COM-001A Equity Coalition Map, for Commission consideration. Primary revisions included incorporating the entire City of Exeter into District 5. This map also included final State-adjusted 2020 Census Data. On October 7, 2021, staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-001B			CRITERIA #1						CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	95,022	11	0.01%	67,093	71%	50,961	29,419	57.7%	
2	95,022	11	0.01%	71,380	75%	44,022	27,838	63.2%	
3	94,992	-19	-0.02%	41,874	44%	59,655	20,861	35.0%	
4	95,070	59	0.06%	72,634	76%	50,012	31,223	62.4%	
5	94,950	-61	-0.06%	58,305	61%	54,216	23,347	43.1%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.13%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.13% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 57.7%</li> <li>• District 2 – 63.2%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.4%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducor not together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commission Comments

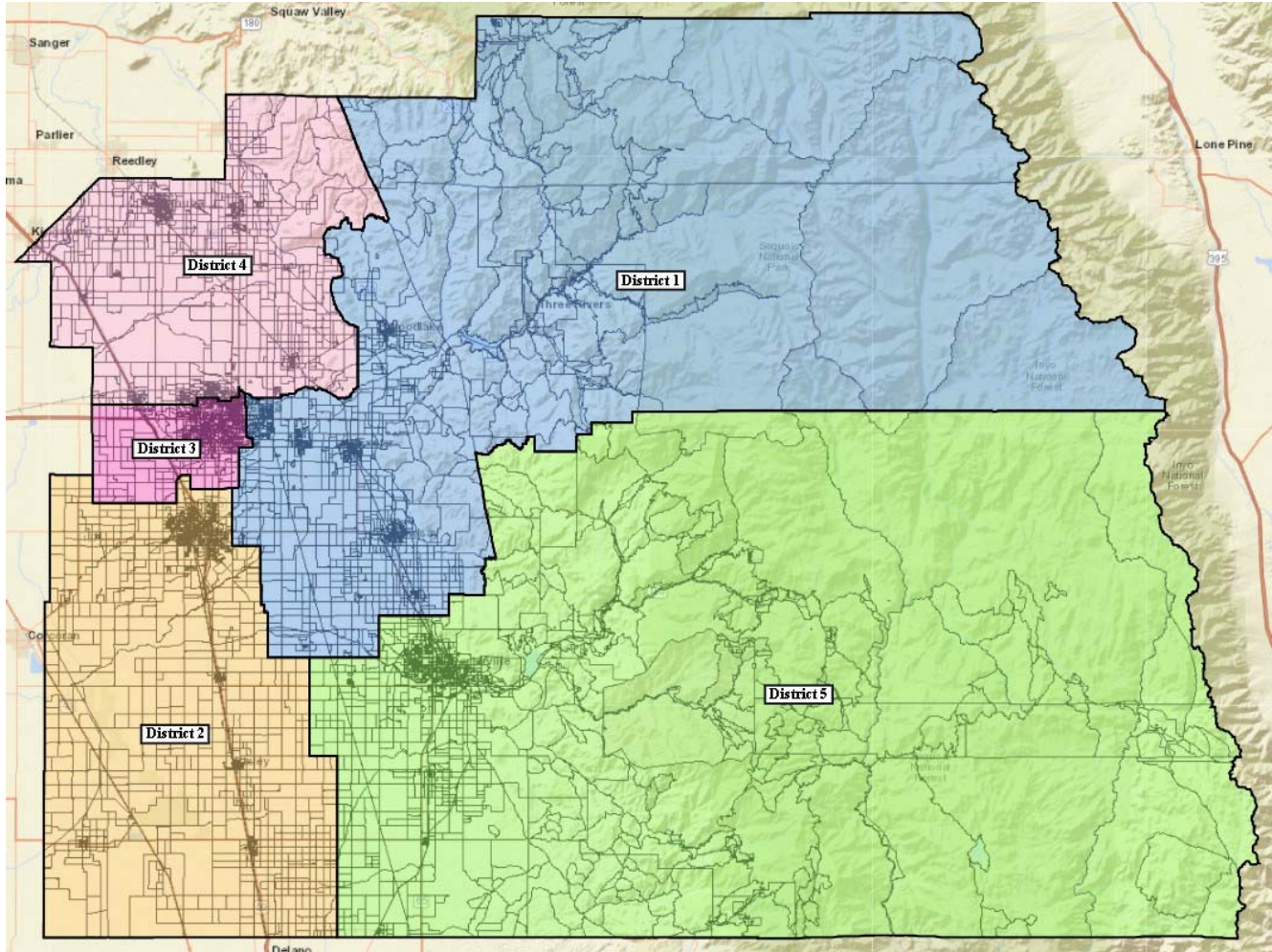
On September 30, 2021, the Commission voted to recommend the final Equity Coalition Map (COM-001B) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration. At the following meeting, on October 7, 2021, the Commission voted to make the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map is in compliance with three districts of H-CVAP majority;
2. Takes into consideration the community input that the Commission received regarding the single mountain district;
3. Splits the City of Tulare into two different districts, which, while not the preference of all Commissioners, reflects the voices we heard in the community and provides a diversity in maps recommended to the Board of Supervisors;
4. Fair distribution of population, to date had the most impressive population deviation;
5. Strongest number for H-CVAP majorities through the districts;
6. Most inclusive support by community members and most significant public turnout at meetings; and
7. Terra Bella, Ducor, and Poplar communities have more in common with City of Porterville than City of Tulare with specific regard to where individuals go to school and shop.



## COM-002 Wells Map

On September 23, 2021, community member Korey Wells submitted COM-002 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Wells at the September 23 meeting. On September 30, 2021, staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-002			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,075	64	0.07%	62,728	66%	52,611	26,521	50.4%
2	95,077	66	0.07%	65,033	68%	46,066	25,717	55.8%
3	94,943	-68	-0.07%	49,807	52%	59,203	24,829	41.9%
4	95,011	0	0.00%	69,954	74%	49,126	29,865	60.8%
5	94,950	-61	-0.06%	63,764	67%	51,860	25,756	49.7%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.14%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.08% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• District 2 – 55.9%</li><li>• District 4 – 60.5%</li></ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

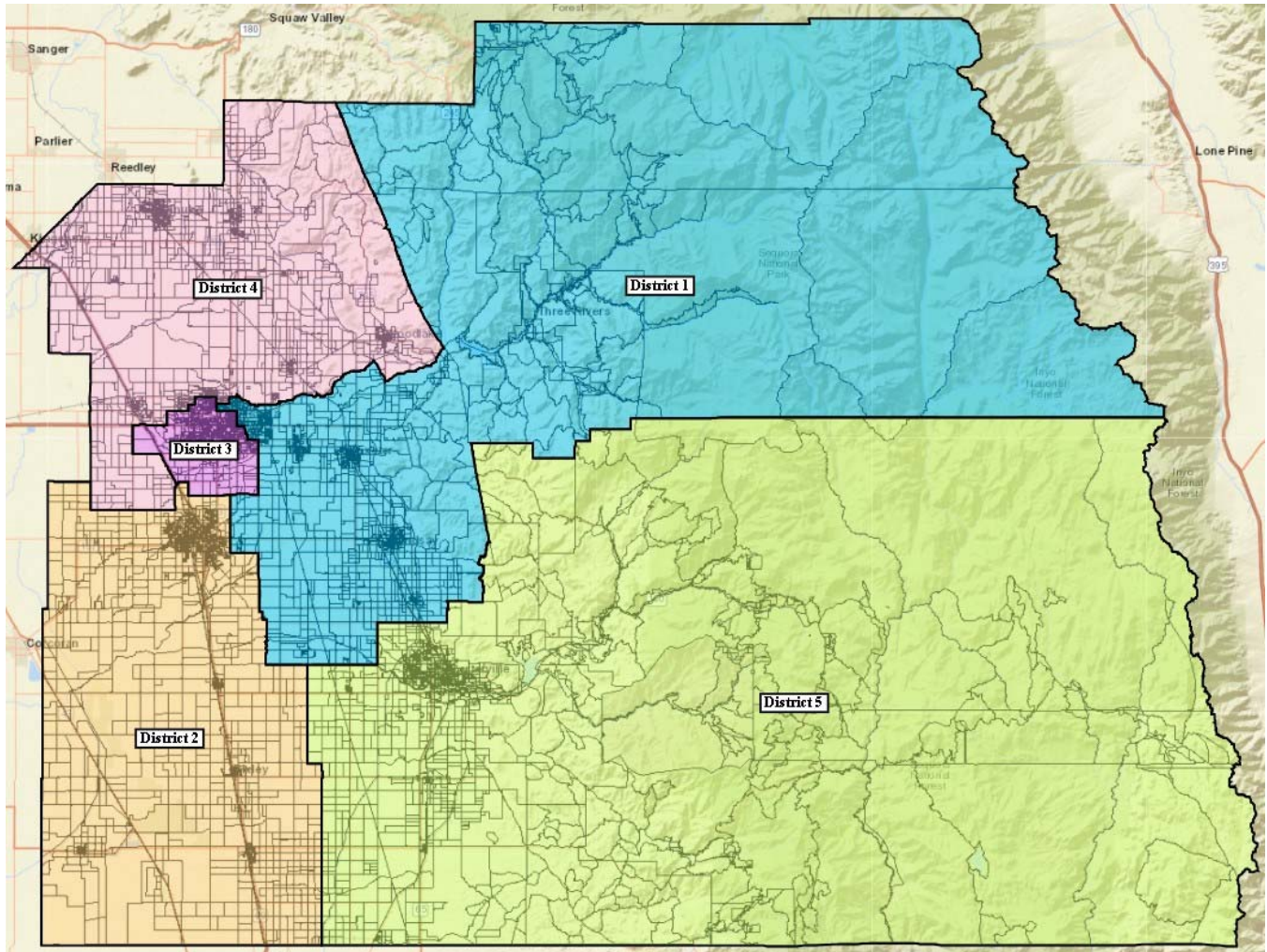
## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that the boundary lines were squared off as much as possible, and that the population deviation was very low. Concerns included that the mountain communities were split into two districts, and that there was a lack of community input utilized in the creation of the map. The primary flaw identified was that Woodlake was not in District 4, as several members of the community had requested. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-002a1 Wells Map

On October 14, 2021, community member Korey Wells submitted COM-002a1 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Wells at the October 14 meeting. On October 21, 2021, staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-002a1			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,992	-19	-0.02%	64,088	67%	51,920	27,178	52.3%
2	95,023	12	0.01%	64,989	68%	46,038	25,695	55.8%
3	95,026	15	0.02%	46,549	49%	60,043	23,477	39.1%
4	95,011	0	0.00%	71,852	76%	48,977	30,560	62.4%
5	95,004	-7	-0.01%	63,808	67%	51,888	25,778	49.7%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.04%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.04% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 52.3%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.8%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.4%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

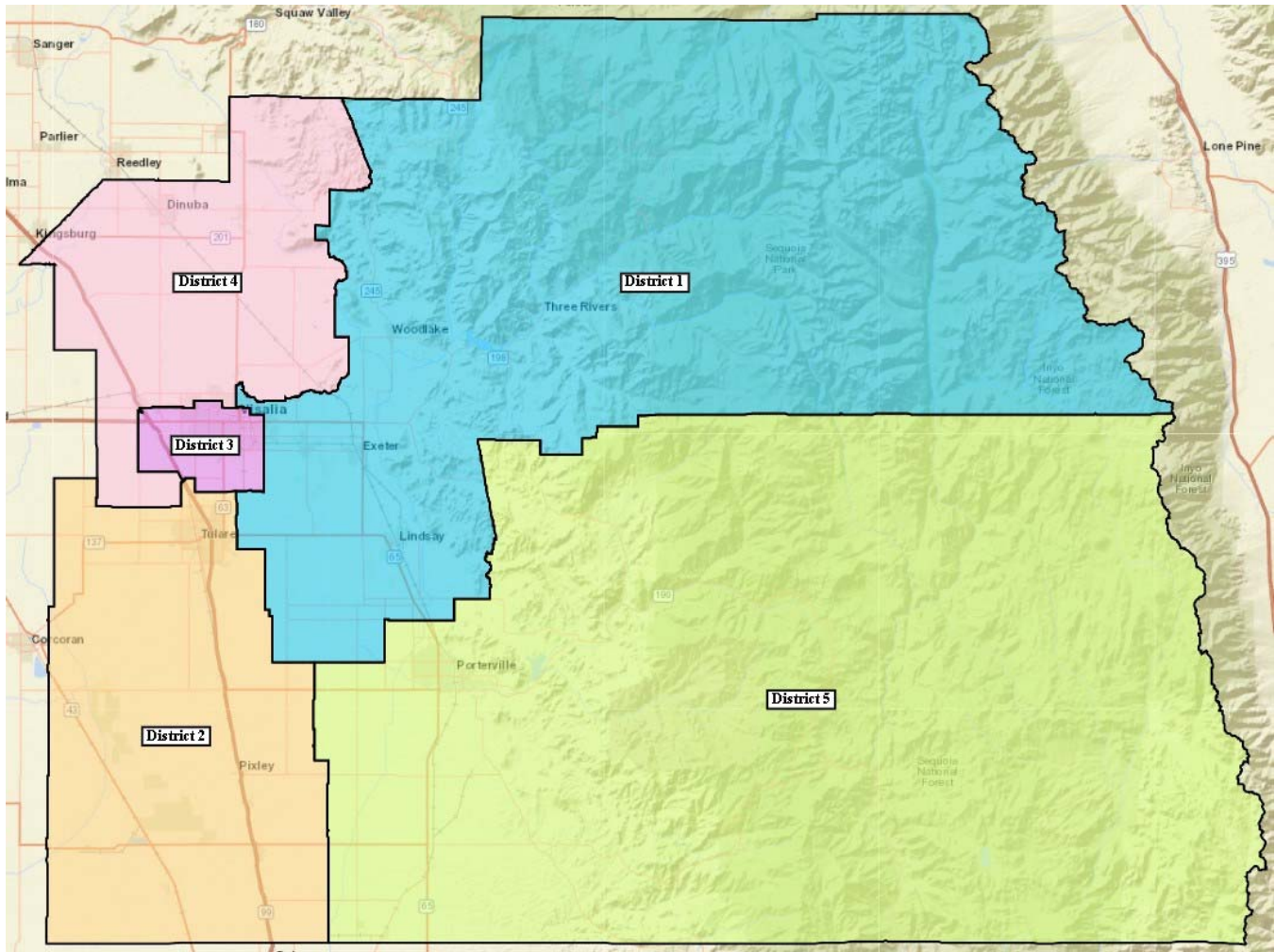
## Commission Comments

On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to recommend the revised Wells Map (COM-002a1) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration, and made the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map includes three H-CVAP majority districts over 51%;
2. There is very low population deviation;
3. Meets all criteria for community integrity, including that Tulare is not split, West Goshen is in District 4, Terra Bella and Ducor are with Porterville, Woodlake is in District 4, and the middle of Visalia is kept intact;
4. Gives the Board a two-mountain-district option; and
5. The map shows the best compactness.

## COM-002a2 Wells Map

On October 14, 2021, community member Korey Wells submitted COM-002a1 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Wells at the October 14 meeting. After comment from the Commission and the public regarding keeping Woodlake in District 4, **Mr. Wells decided to withdraw this map from further Commission consideration. Therefore, there is no staff analysis of this map.**



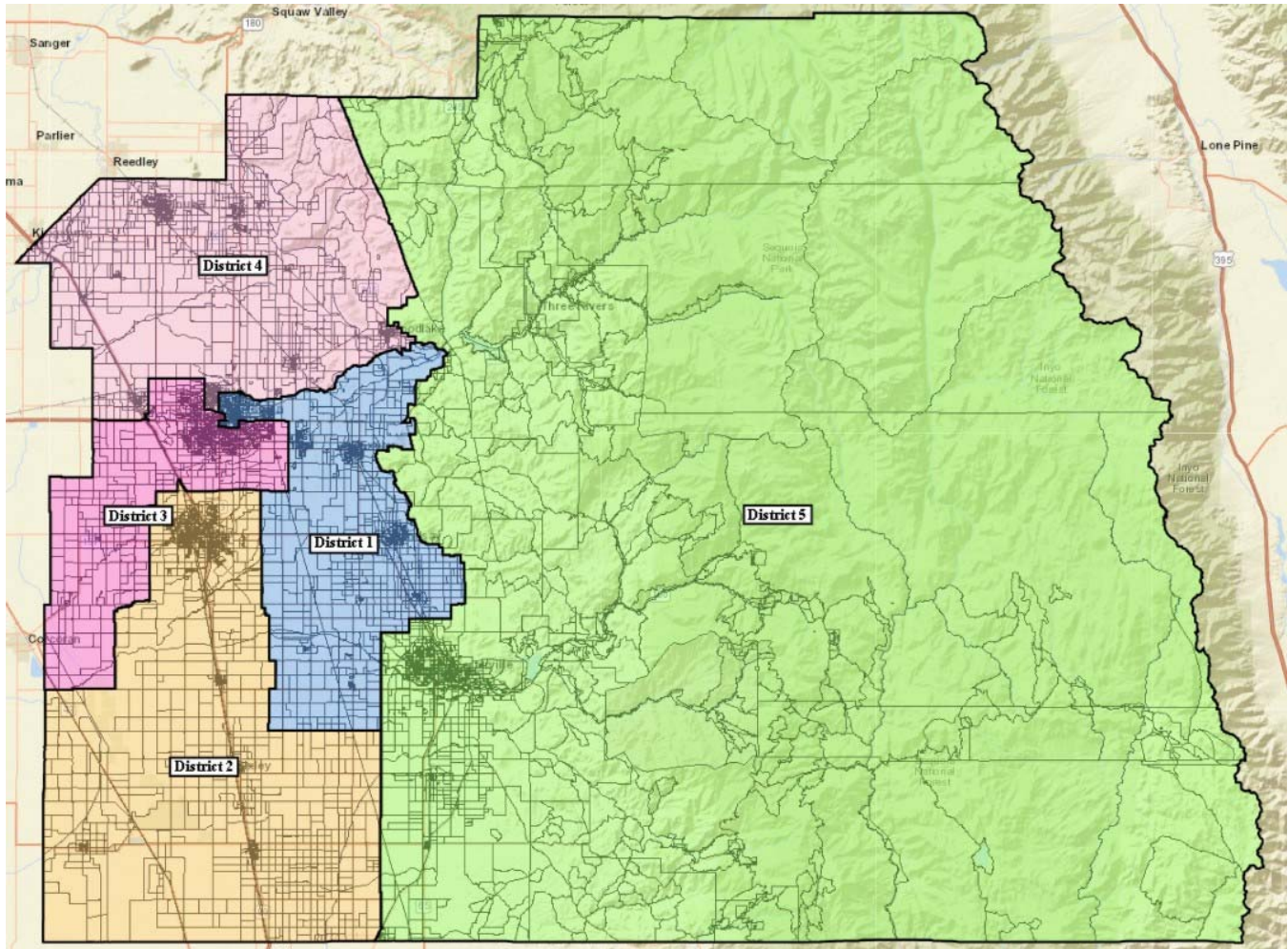
Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-002a2			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,027	16	0.02%	65,190	69%	51,938	28,084	54.1%
2	95,023	12	0.01%	64,989	68%	46,038	25,695	55.8%
3	95,000	-11	-0.01%	46,296	49%	60,083	22,998	38.3%
4	95,002	-9	-0.01%	71,003	75%	48,919	30,133	61.6%
5	95,004	-7	-0.01%	63,808	67%	51,888	25,778	49.7%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.03%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%



## COM-003 Verduzco Map

On September 23, 2021, Commissioner Jose Verduzco submitted COM-003 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Verduzco in narrative format at the September 23 meeting. On September 30, 2021, staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-003			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	98,672	3,661	3.85%	70,726	72%	53,304	30,742	57.7%
2	94,792	-219	-0.23%	64,761	68%	45,893	25,601	55.8%
3	93,066	-1,945	-2.05%	42,426	46%	58,534	20,767	35.5%
4	92,929	-2,082	-2.19%	71,299	77%	47,781	30,340	63.5%
5	95,597	586	0.62%	62,074	65%	53,354	25,238	47.3%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		6.04%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

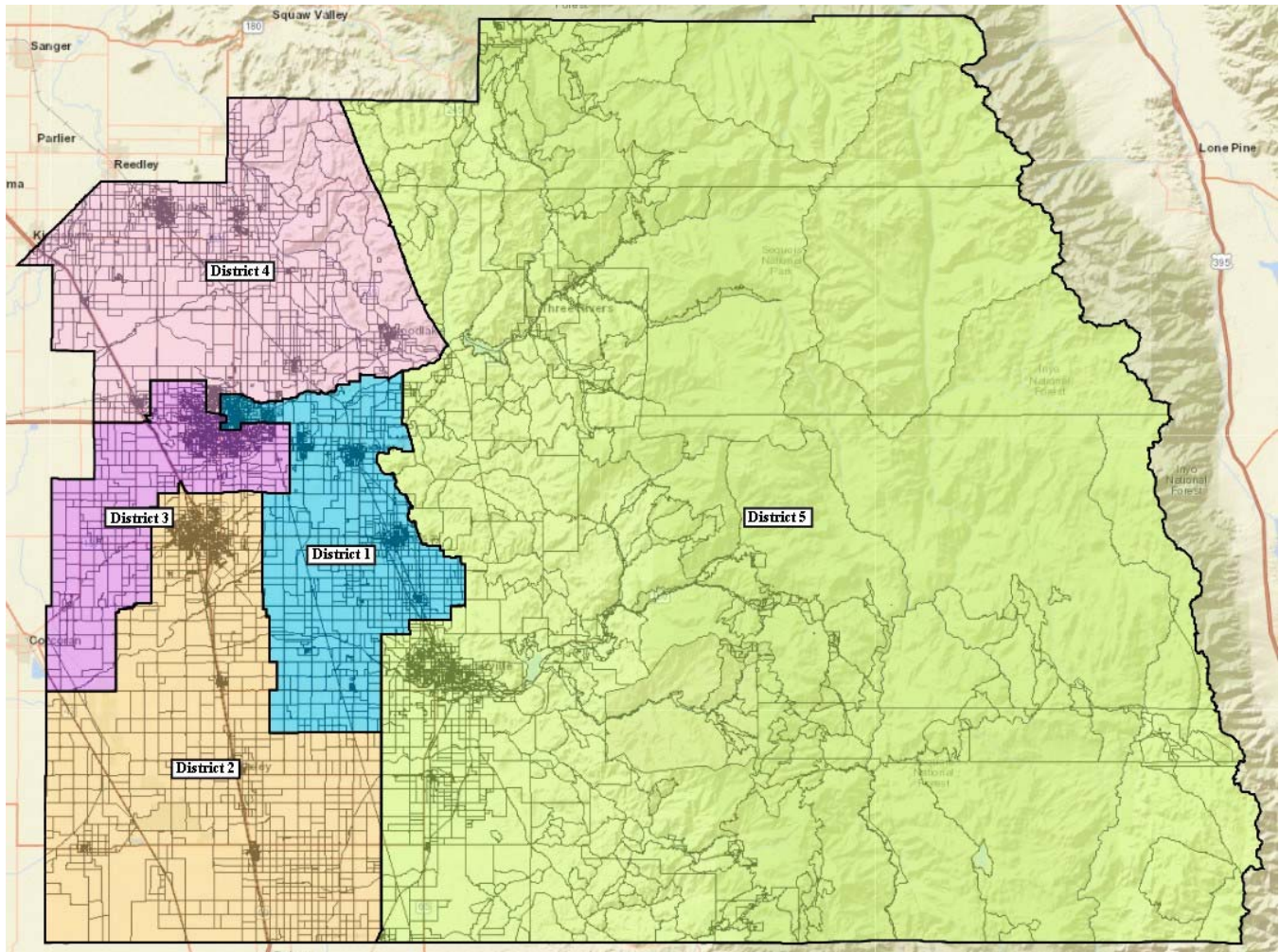
Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	5.88% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 58.0%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.1%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commission Comments

The Commission found merits of this map to include creating three strong H-CVAP majority districts without splitting communities other than Visalia. Concerns included the closeness to which District 4 boundary lines surrounded Woodlake, and the “flip-flopping” of neighborhoods in north Visalia that would put different city blocks into different districts. On October 14, 2021, Commissioner Verduzco requested that staff address the District 4 boundary around Woodlake a bring a revised map (COM-003a) to the final meeting.

## COM-003a Verduzco Map

On October 14, 2021, after comments from the Commission, Commissioner Jose Verduzco requested that staff revise COM-003 to create a geographic cushion around Woodlake in District 4. The revised map was presented by Verduzco at the October 21 meeting, during which staff also presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-003A			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	97,546	2,535	2.67%	70,192	72%	52,692	30,574	58.0%
2	94,792	-219	-0.23%	64,761	68%	45,893	25,601	55.8%
3	93,066	-1,945	-2.05%	42,426	46%	58,534	20,767	35.5%
4	93,638	-1,373	-1.45%	71,630	76%	48,205	30,463	63.2%
5	96,014	1,003	1.06%	62,277	65%	53,536	25,283	47.2%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,860	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		4.72%	62,257	66%	51,772	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	4.72% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 58.0%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.8%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.2%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commission Comments

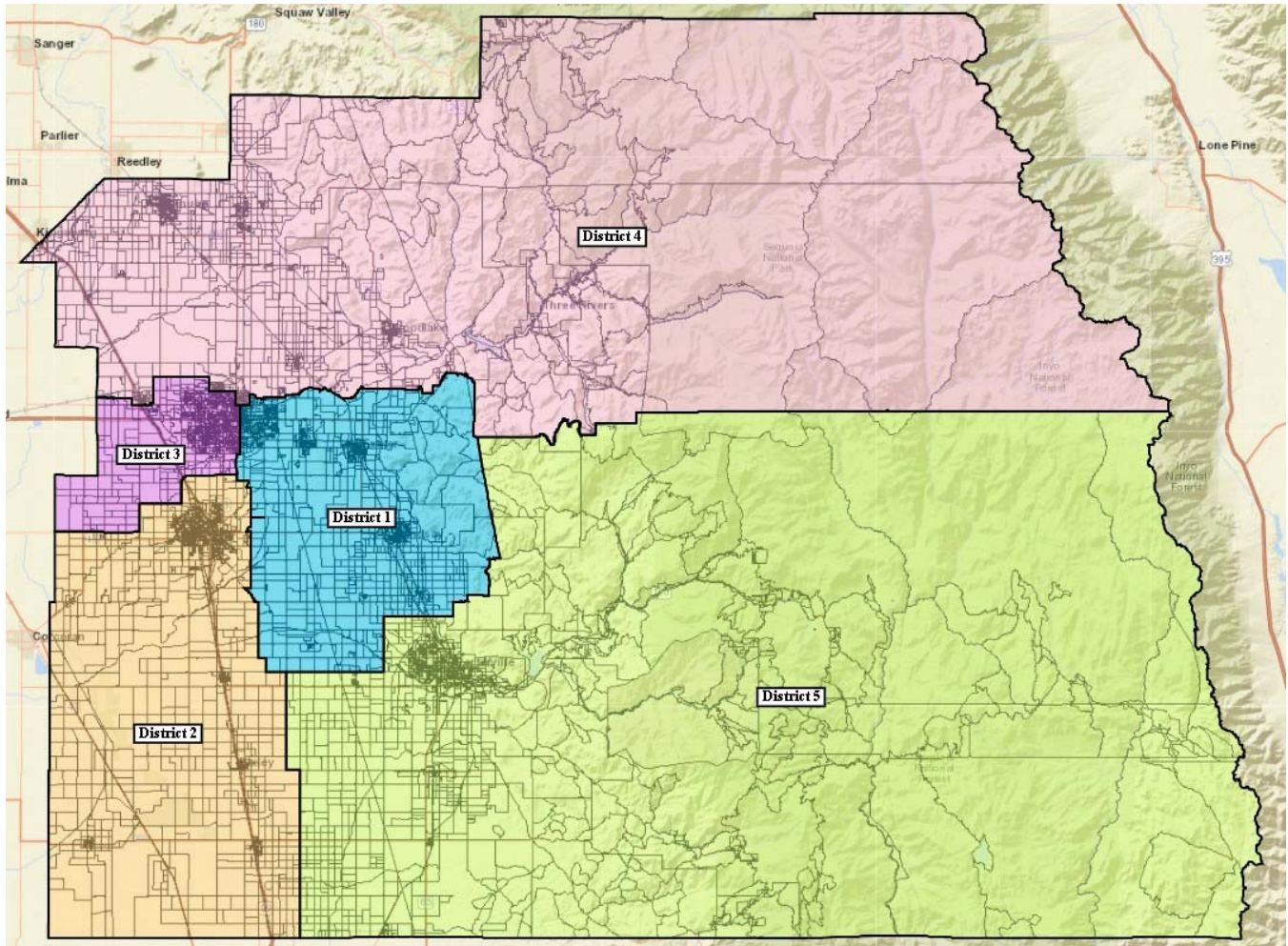
On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to recommend the revised Verduzco Map (COM-003a) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration, and made the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map creates three strong majority H-CVAP districts;
2. The shape of District 1 in the City of Visalia is better than other considered maps;
3. Meets all criteria for community integrity, including that Tulare is kept whole, Porterville is in District 5, Woodlake is in District 4, Goshen is in District 4, the mountain community is in one district, and Tule River Tribal land is in one district; and
4. The map was created by a Commissioner.



## COM-004 Taylor Map

On September 30, 2021, community member and Visalia City Council member Brett Taylor submitted COM-004 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Taylor at the October 7 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-004			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2			
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	94,351	-660	-0.69%	61,437	65%	52,379	25,814	49.3%	
2	95,376	365	0.38%	65,153	68%	46,268	25,751	55.7%	
3	94,978	-33	-0.03%	47,831	50%	58,258	23,979	41.2%	
4	95,052	41	0.04%	72,860	77%	49,929	31,274	62.6%	
5	95,299	288	0.30%	64,005	67%	52,032	25,870	49.7%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>1.08%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

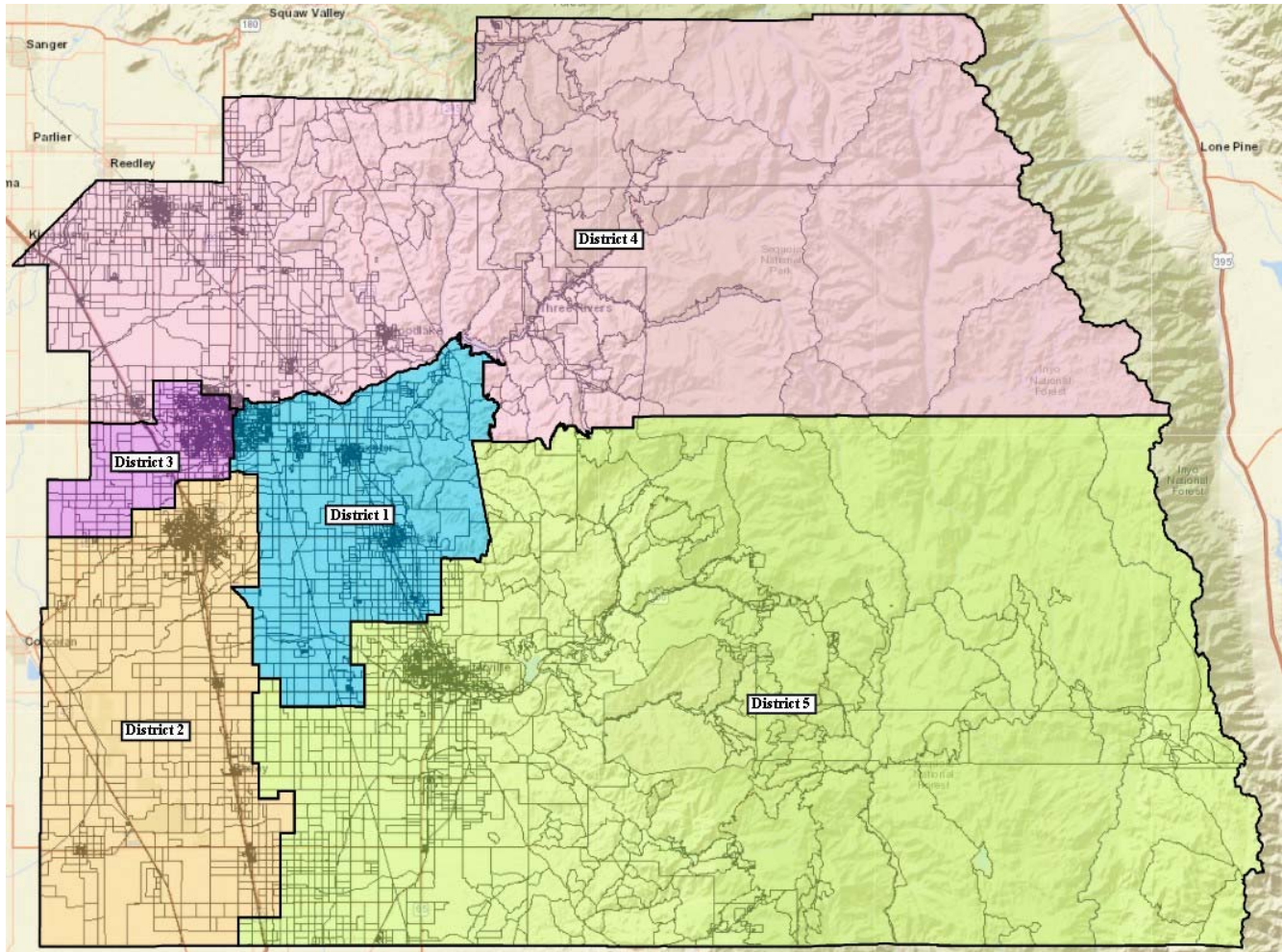
Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	1.08% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.6%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✗ West Goshen not fully in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ West Goshen divided between District 4 and District 3</li> <li>✗ Goshen divided between District 4 and District 3</li> <li>✗ East Tulare Villa divided between District 2 and District 1</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center divided between District 5 and District 1</li> <li>✗ Lemon Cove divided between District 1 and District 4</li> <li>✗ Lindcove divided between District 1 and District 4</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

### Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that Woodlake was kept in District 4, and that the map provides a two-mountain district option. Concerns included the number of divided unincorporated communities, specifically concerning the splitting of Goshen and West Goshen, and that the map only has two H-CVAP majority districts - only one of which is over 60%. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.

## COM-004a Taylor Map

On October 19, 2021, community member and Visalia City Council member Brett Taylor submitted a revision to COM-004 for Commission consideration. On October 21, 2021 staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-004A			CRITERIA #1						CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP		H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,818	-193	-0.20%	61,725	65%	52,505	25,779		49.1%
2	95,327	316	0.33%	64,896	68%	46,298	25,652		55.4%
3	95,856	845	0.89%	48,659	51%	58,787	24,408		41.5%
4	94,681	-330	-0.35%	72,764	77%	49,620	31,256		63.0%
5	94,374	-637	-0.67%	63,242	67%	51,656	25,593		49.5%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>		<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>1.56%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>		<b>51.3%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	1.56% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.4%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.0%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

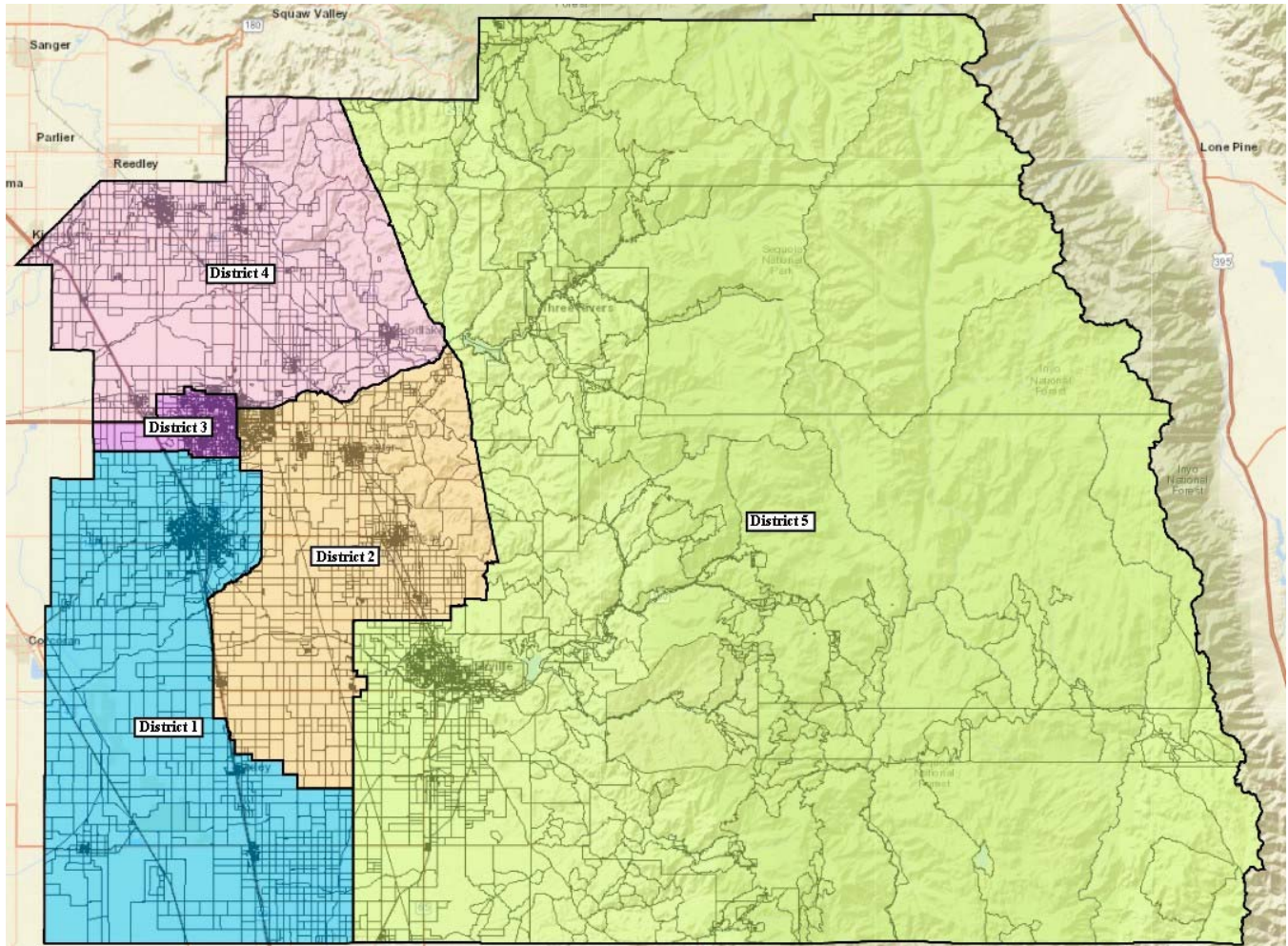
## Commission Comments

The Commission did not comment on the merits of this map. Concerns included the lack of a third majority H-CVAP district. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-005 Kindschuh Map

On October 1, 2021, community member Steve Kindschuh submitted COM-005 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Kindschuh at the October 7 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-005			CRITERIA #1				CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	95,001	-10	-0.01%	63,713	67%	46,892	25,478	54.3%	
2	94,987	-24	-0.03%	63,165	66%	51,797	26,225	50.6%	
3	95,155	144	0.15%	48,596	51%	58,293	24,393	41.8%	
4	94,955	-56	-0.06%	73,669	78%	49,014	31,381	64.0%	
5	94,958	-53	-0.06%	62,143	65%	52,870	25,211	47.7%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.21%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

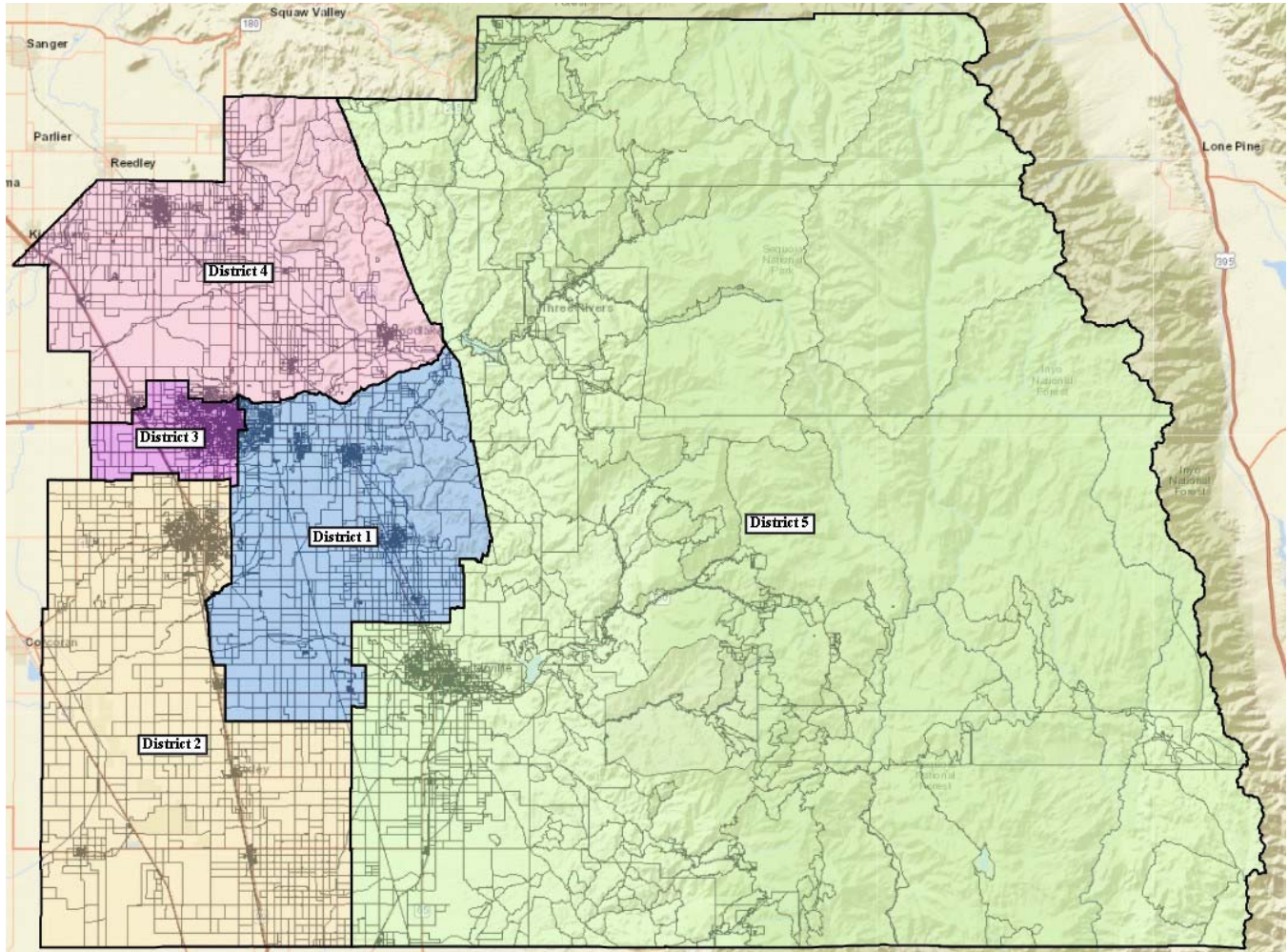
Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.21% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 54.3%</li> <li>• District 4 – 64.0%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community <b>mostly</b> in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Districts 1 and 2 appear to have swapped their traditional geographies</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into four districts</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center divided between District 1 and District 2</li> <li>✗ Pixley divided between District 1 and District 2</li> <li>✗ Tipton divided between District 1 and District 2</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

### Commission Comments

The Commission found a merit of this map to be that it creates a mega mountain district. There were no further comments. On October 12, 2021, Mr. Kindschuh submitted a revised map (COM-005a), intended to address the split communities identified in staff's analysis and supersede COM-005.

## COM-005a Kindschuh Map

On October 12, 2021, community member Steve Kindschuh submitted revisions to COM-005 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Kindschuh at the October 14 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-005A			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,795	-216	-0.23%	61,889	65%	52,491	26,530	50.5%
2	95,105	94	0.10%	65,137	68%	46,130	25,729	55.8%
3	94,957	-54	-0.06%	49,204	52%	58,254	23,890	41.0%
4	95,255	244	0.26%	72,916	77%	49,138	31,310	63.7%
5	94,944	-67	-0.07%	62,140	65%	52,853	25,229	47.7%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.48%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.48% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 55.8%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community <b>mostly</b> in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

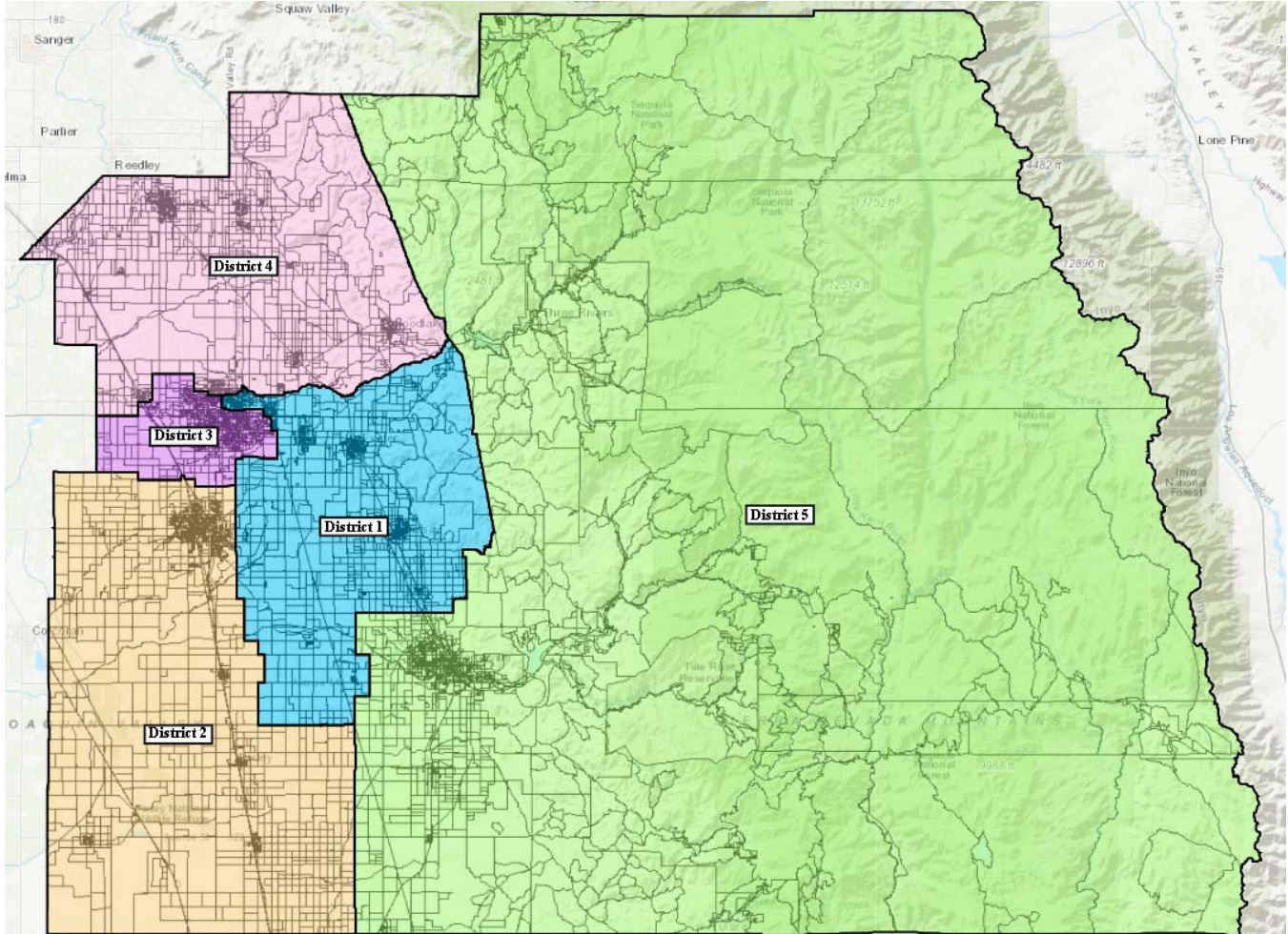
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found merits of this map to be that it keeps every community whole, to the extent possible, including Tulare; and that it creates a mega mountain district, and kept Woodlake in District 4, in accordance with the public comment received from both communities. Concerns included the need for higher H-CVAP numbers. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-005b Kindschuh Map

On October 17, 2021, community member Steve Kindschuh submitted revisions to COM-005a for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Kindschuh at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Data, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-005B			CRITERIA #1				CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,865	-146	-0.15%	67,528	71%	50,863	28,630	56.3%
2	95,022	11	0.01%	65,066	68%	46,033	25,717	55.9%
3	94,970	-41	-0.04%	43,636	46%	59,979	21,802	36.3%
4	95,255	244	0.26%	72,916	77%	49,138	31,310	63.7%
5	94,944	-67	-0.07%	62,140	65%	52,853	25,229	47.7%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.41%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.41% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 56.3%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

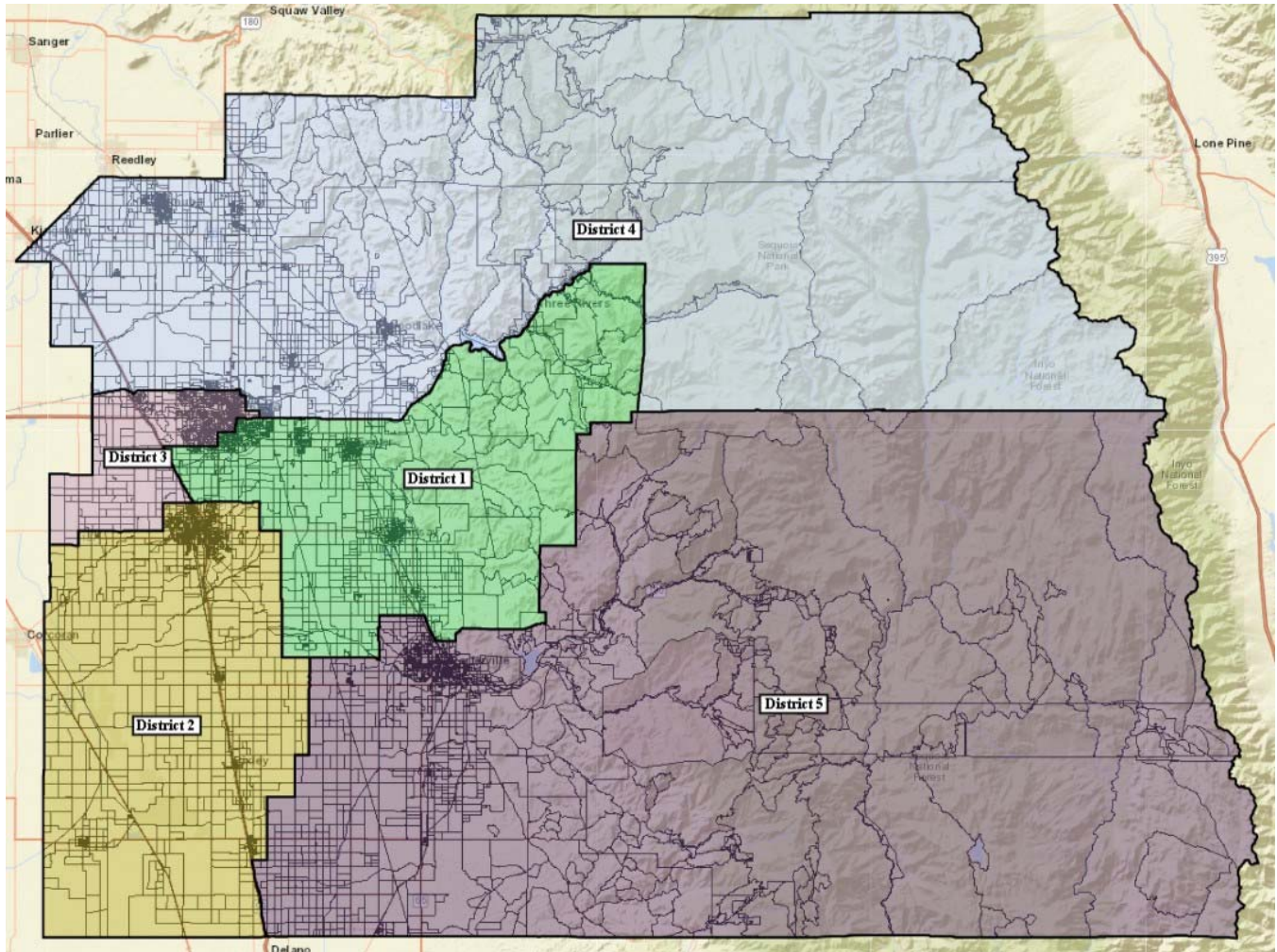
## Commissioner Comments

On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to recommend the revised Kindschuh Map (COM-005a) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration, and made the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map creates three high H-CVAP majority districts;
2. Meets all criteria for community integrity, including that Terra Bella and Ducor are together with Porterville, West Goshen is in District 4, Porterville is in District 5, Woodlake is in District 4, the mountains are in a single district, Tulare is kept whole, and the Tule River Tribal land is in a single district; and
3. The map uses identifiable boundaries; and
4. The mapmaker incorporated feedback from the Commission into this final revision.

## COM-006 Mattis Map

On October 7, 2021, community member Greg Mattis submitted COM-006 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Mattis at the October 14 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-006			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,980	-31	-0.03%	59,095	62%	54,513	25,569	46.9%
2	95,028	17	0.02%	64,876	68%	46,001	25,640	55.7%
3	94,989	-22	-0.02%	52,433	55%	55,100	24,929	45.2%
4	95,024	13	0.01%	70,887	75%	51,358	30,675	59.7%
5	95,035	24	0.03%	63,995	67%	51,894	25,875	49.9%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.06%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.06% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>• District 4 – 59.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✗ West Goshen not in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✗ Porterville not fully in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided between three districts – mostly in District 2, a few northern blocks in District 3, and District 1</li> <li>✗ Porterville divided between two districts – mostly in District 5 and a few northern blocks in District 1</li> <li>✗ Three Rivers is divided between District 4 and District 1</li> <li>✗ Lemon Cove divided between District 1 and District 4</li> <li>✗ Goshen divided between District 3 and District 4</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning the nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

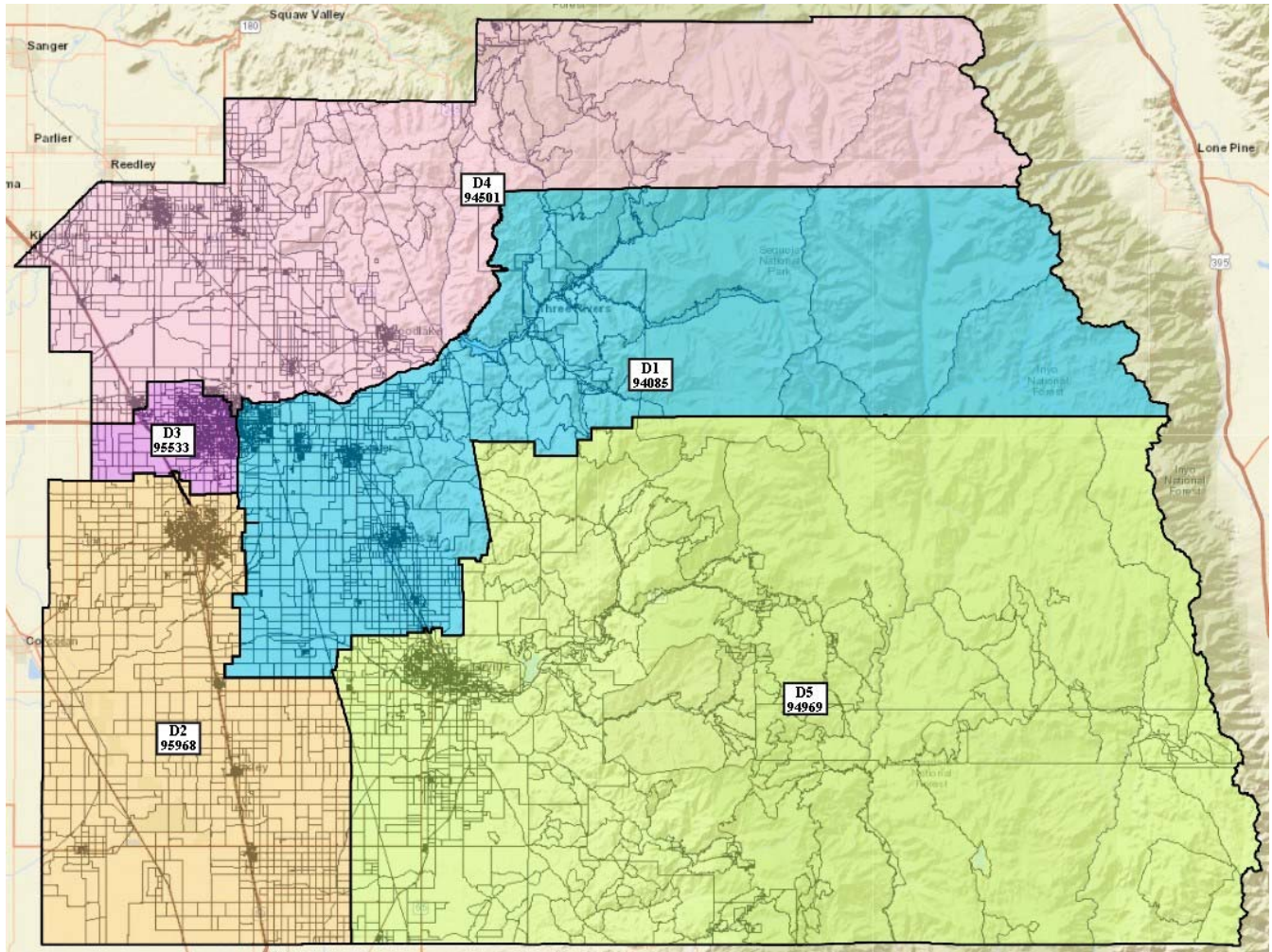
## Commission Comments

The Commission did not comment on merits of this map. Concerns included that it divides the mountain communities into three districts, it divides Three Rivers, Tulare, Porterville, and Tule River Tribal land between districts. Additionally, West Goshen was not kept in District 4, as has been the request from that community, and the map has only two H-CVAP majority districts - the preference would be for three at a minimum. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-007 Ramos Map

On October 13, 2021, community member Charlie Ramos submitted COM-007 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Ramos at the October 14 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-007			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,085	-926	-0.97%	59,815	64%	52,989	25,412	48.0%
2	95,968	957	1.01%	65,624	68%	46,517	25,944	55.8%
3	95,533	522	0.55%	47,567	50%	59,116	23,970	40.5%
4	94,501	-510	-0.54%	74,295	79%	48,608	31,654	65.1%
5	94,969	-42	-0.04%	63,985	67%	51,636	25,708	49.8%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		1.98%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	1.98% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.8%</li> <li>• District 4 – 65.1%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Goshen is divided between District 4 and District 5</li> <li>✗ East Tulare Villa is divided between District 1 and District 2</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between District 5 and District 2</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4, 1, and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

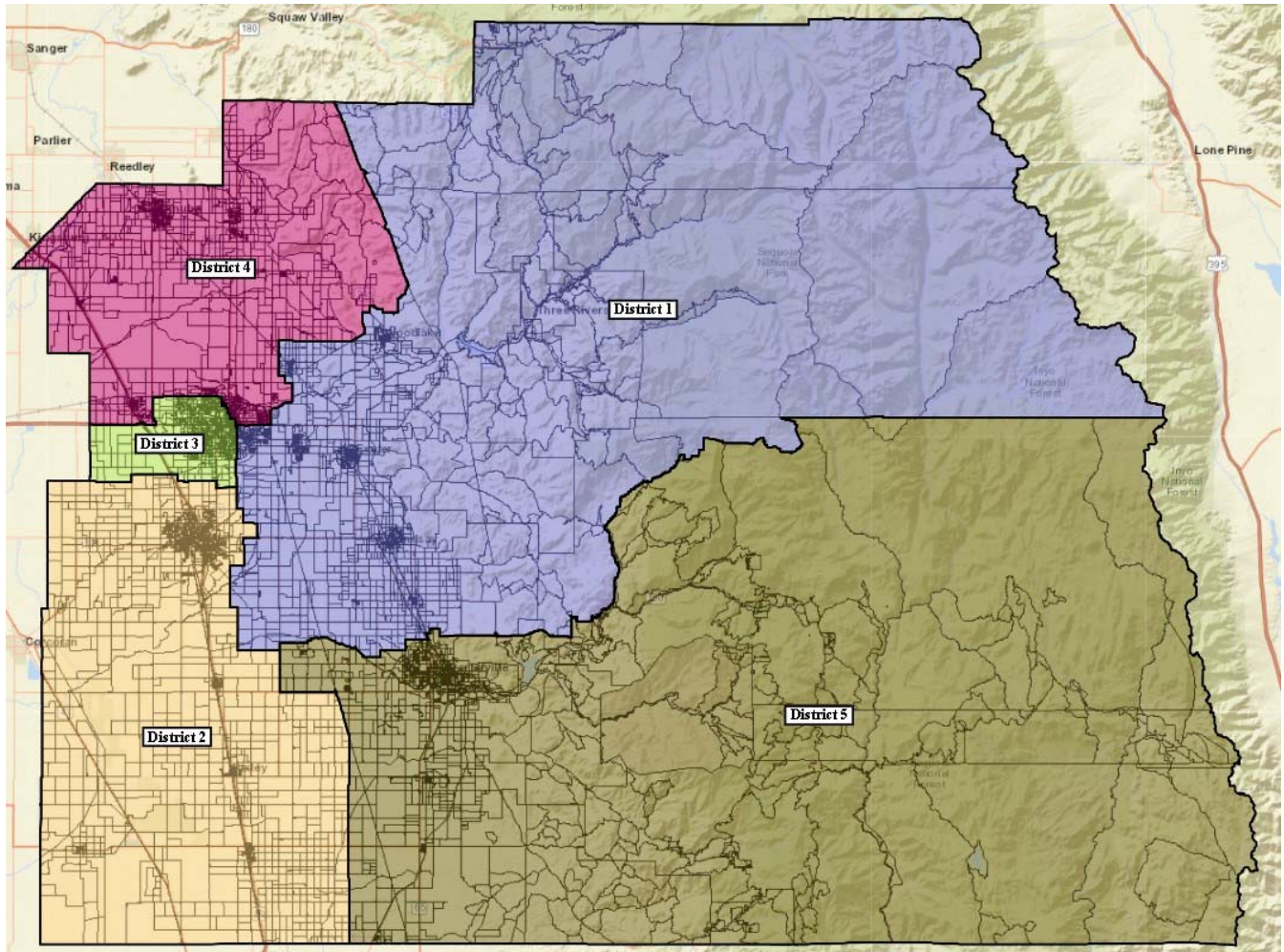
## Commission Comments

The Commission found merits of this map to include that it presented three mountain districts to give perspective to the mountain community conversation. Concerns included that the population deviation was slightly higher than several other community and Commission maps submitted, and that several communities are split. Additionally, the map has only two H-CVAP majority districts, and that the preference would be for three at a minimum. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-008 Blaco Map

On October 14, 2021, Commissioner Rodney Blaco submitted COM-008 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Blaco at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-008			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	93,273	-1,738	-1.83%	61,217	66%	51,690	25,925	50.2%
2	96,592	1,581	1.66%	65,978	68%	46,853	26,092	55.7%
3	93,241	-1,770	-1.86%	46,068	49%	57,880	23,323	40.3%
4	96,565	1,554	1.64%	72,880	75%	50,974	31,263	61.3%
5	95,385	374	0.39%	65,143	68%	51,469	26,085	50.7%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>3.53%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

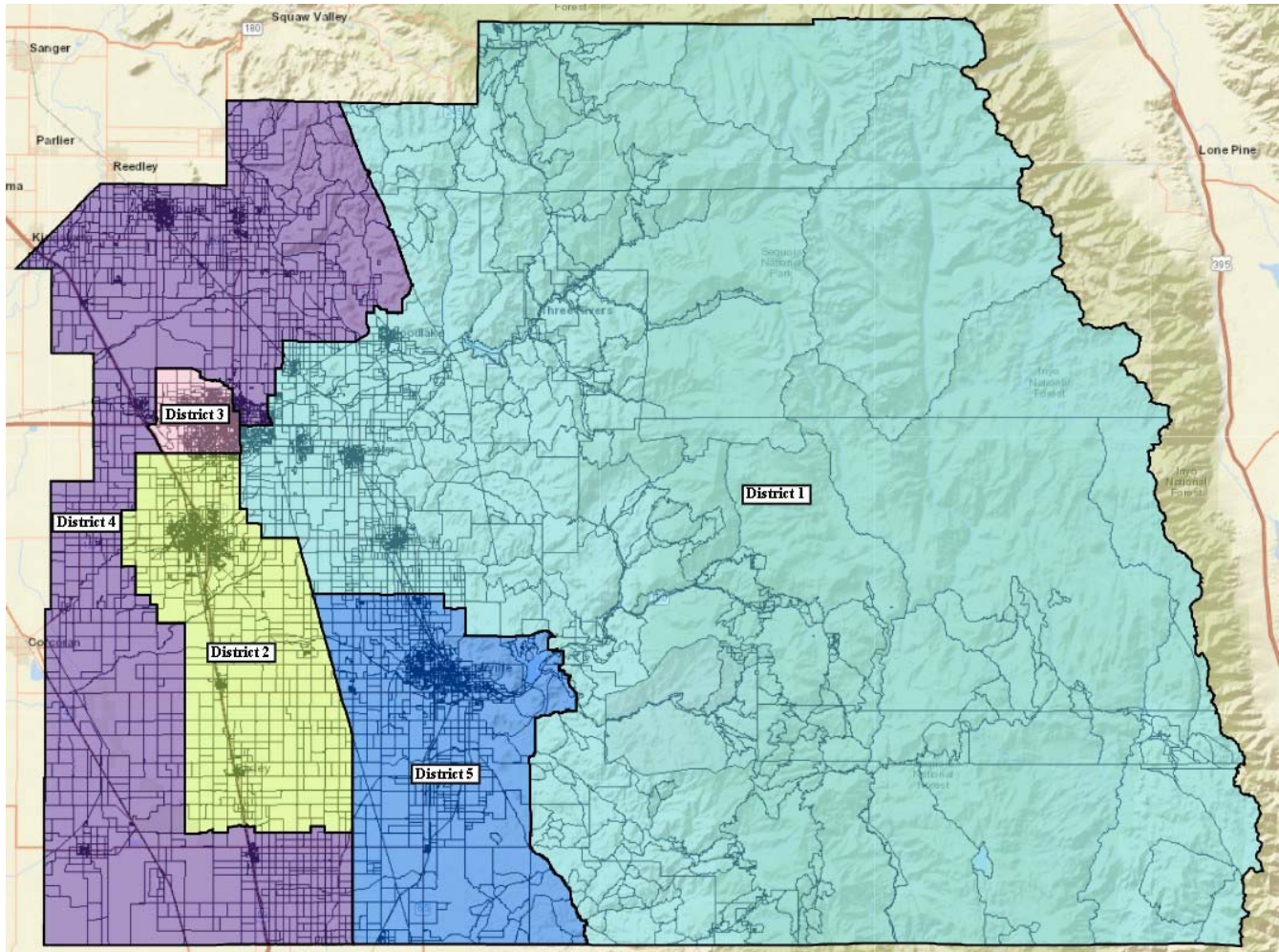
Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	3.53% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>• District 4 – 61.3%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Woodlake not in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Ivanhoe is divided between two districts – mostly in D1, a couple southern blocks in D4</li> <li>✗ East Tulare Villa is divided between two districts – mostly in D2, one eastern block in D1</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts – mostly in D5, western blocks in D2</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it provided a diverse option for the Commission to consider. Concerns included that Woodlake was not located in District 4, and that there is not a third majority H-CVAP district. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.

## COM-009 Blaco Map

On October 14, 2021, Commissioner Rodney Blaco submitted COM-009 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Blaco at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-009			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,844	-167	-0.18%	58,760	62%	53,986	24,759	45.9%
2	95,309	298	0.31%	61,000	64%	48,636	24,950	51.3%
3	94,631	-380	-0.40%	48,447	51%	56,919	23,393	41.1%
4	95,942	931	0.98%	75,740	79%	48,916	32,436	66.3%
5	94,330	-681	-0.72%	67,339	71%	50,409	27,150	53.9%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>1.70%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	1.70% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 51.3%</li> <li>• District 4 – 66.3%</li> <li>• District 5 – 53.9</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✗ Tule River Tribe lands not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Woodlake not in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>four</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts – mostly in D5, western blocks in D2</li> <li>✗ Earlimart is divided between two districts – mostly in D4, couple northern blocks in D2</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

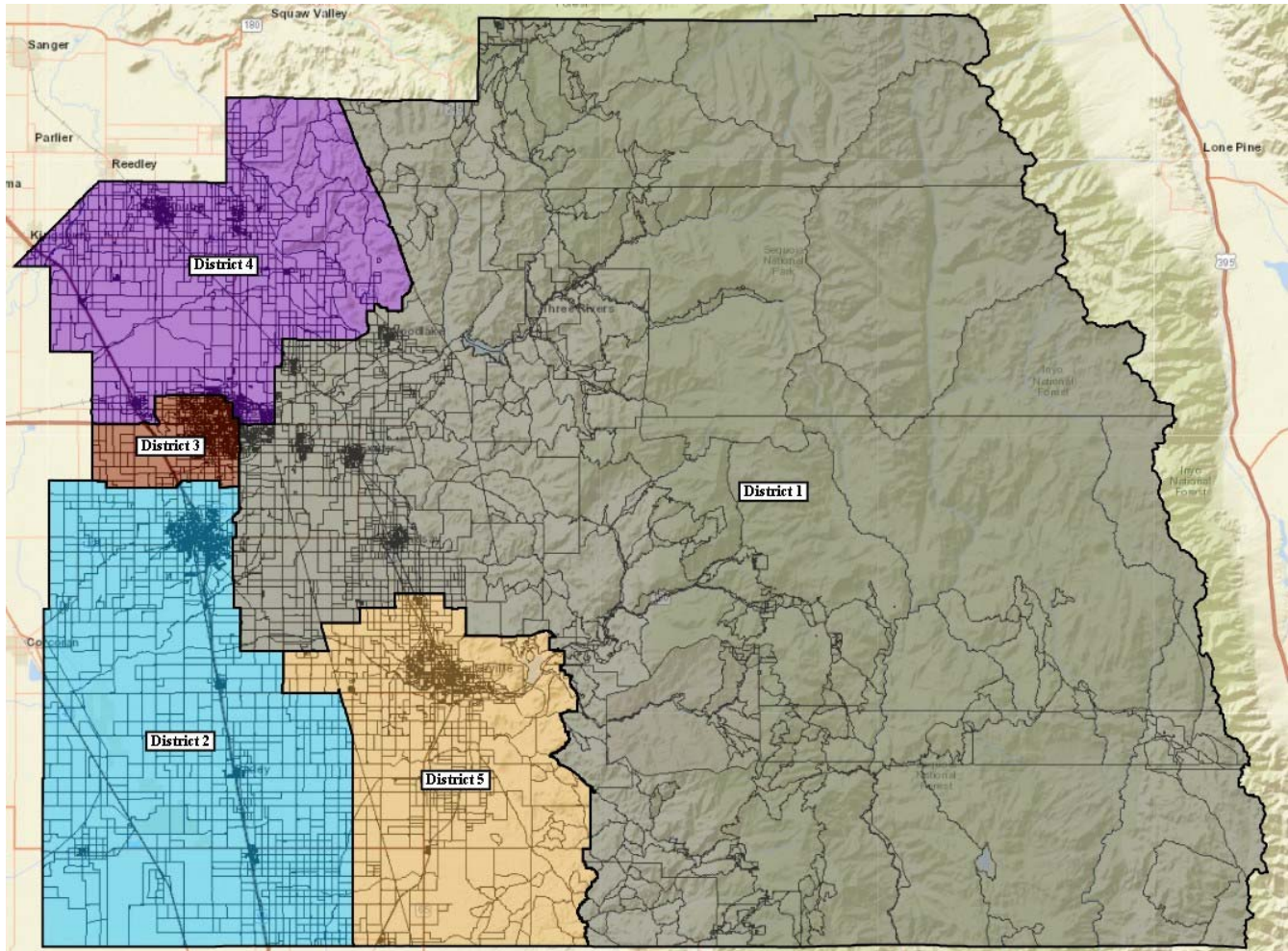
## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it provided a diverse option for the Commission to consider. Concerns included the division of the Tule River Tribe lands into different districts, and that Woodlake is not located in District 4. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-010 Blaco Map

On October 14, 2021, Commissioner Rodney Blaco submitted COM-010 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Blaco at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-010			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,822	811	0.85%	59,524	62%	54,059	25,067	46.4%
2	95,623	612	0.64%	65,374	68%	46,359	25,836	55.7%
3	94,304	-707	-0.74%	46,991	50%	58,428	23,697	40.6%
4	94,607	-404	-0.43%	71,676	76%	49,637	30,871	62.2%
5	94,700	-311	-0.33%	67,721	72%	50,383	27,217	54.0%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		1.60%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	1.60% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.2%</li> <li>• District 5 – 54.0%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✗ Tule River Tribe lands not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Woodlake not in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts – mostly in D5, western blocks in D2</li> <li>✗ Woodville is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Plainview is divided between two districts – mostly in D1, one southern block in D5</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

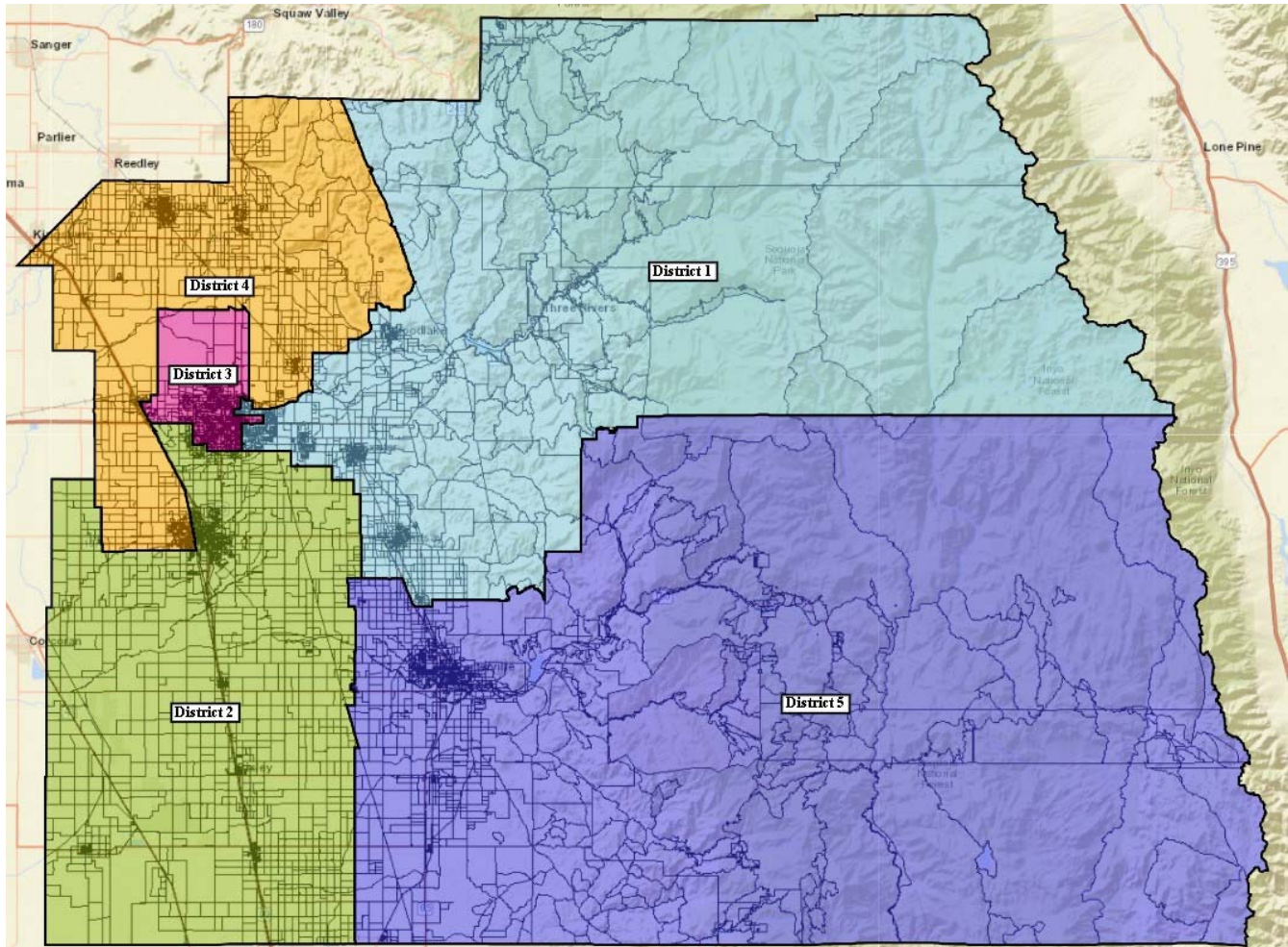
## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it provided a diverse option for the Commission to consider. Concerns included the division of the Tule River Tribe lands into different districts, the splitting of small unincorporated communities, and that Woodlake is not located in District 4. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-011 Blaco Map

On October 14, 2021, Commissioner Rodney Blaco submitted COM-011 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Blaco at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-011			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,525	-486	-0.51%	62,222	66%	53,045	27,372	51.6%
2	94,268	-743	-0.78%	57,707	61%	50,236	24,605	49.0%
3	94,032	-979	-1.03%	50,156	53%	55,306	24,285	43.9%
4	96,016	1,005	1.06%	76,495	80%	47,553	30,133	63.4%
5	96,215	1,204	1.27%	64,706	67%	52,726	26,293	49.9%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		2.30%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

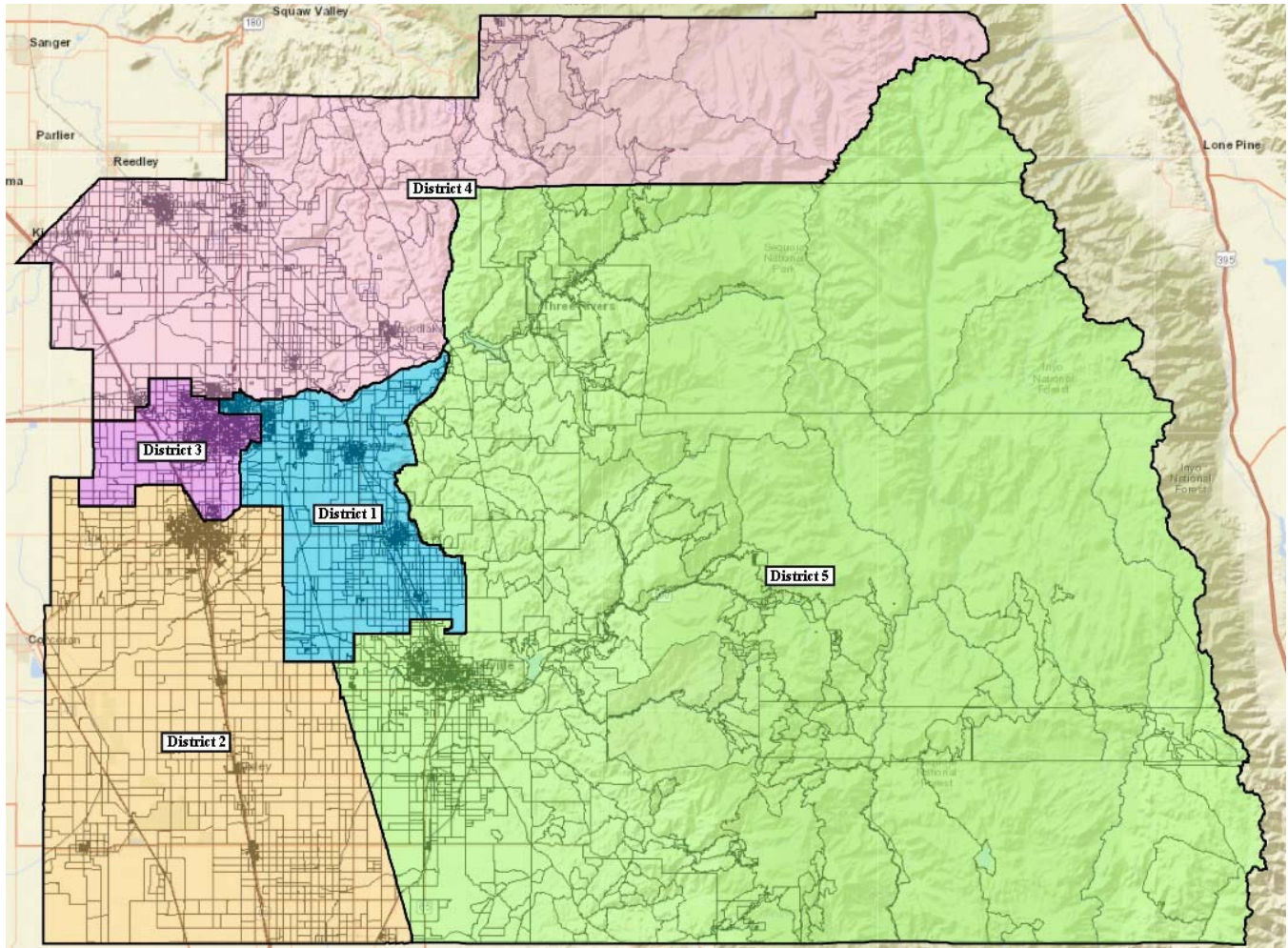
Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	2.30% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 51.6%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.4%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community in not one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Woodlake not in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>four</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Goshen is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Strathmore is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it provided a diverse option for the Commission to consider. Concerns included that Woodlake is not located in District 4 and numerous communities are split. Additionally, the map has only two H-CVAP majority districts, and the preference would be for three at a minimum. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.

## COM-012 Kindschuh Map

On October 18, 2021, community member Steven Kindschuh submitted COM-012 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Kindschuh at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-012			CRITERIA #1				CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,080	69	0.07%	67,382	71%	50,962	28,585	56.1%
2	95,058	47	0.05%	66,615	70%	45,893	26,358	57.4%
3	95,056	45	0.05%	43,353	46%	59,565	21,623	36.3%
4	94,497	-514	-0.54%	72,227	76%	48,923	30,983	63.3%
5	95,365	354	0.37%	61,709	65%	53,523	25,139	47.0%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.91%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.91% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 56.1%</li> <li>• District 2 – 57.4%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.3%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> <li>✗ Lemon Cove is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

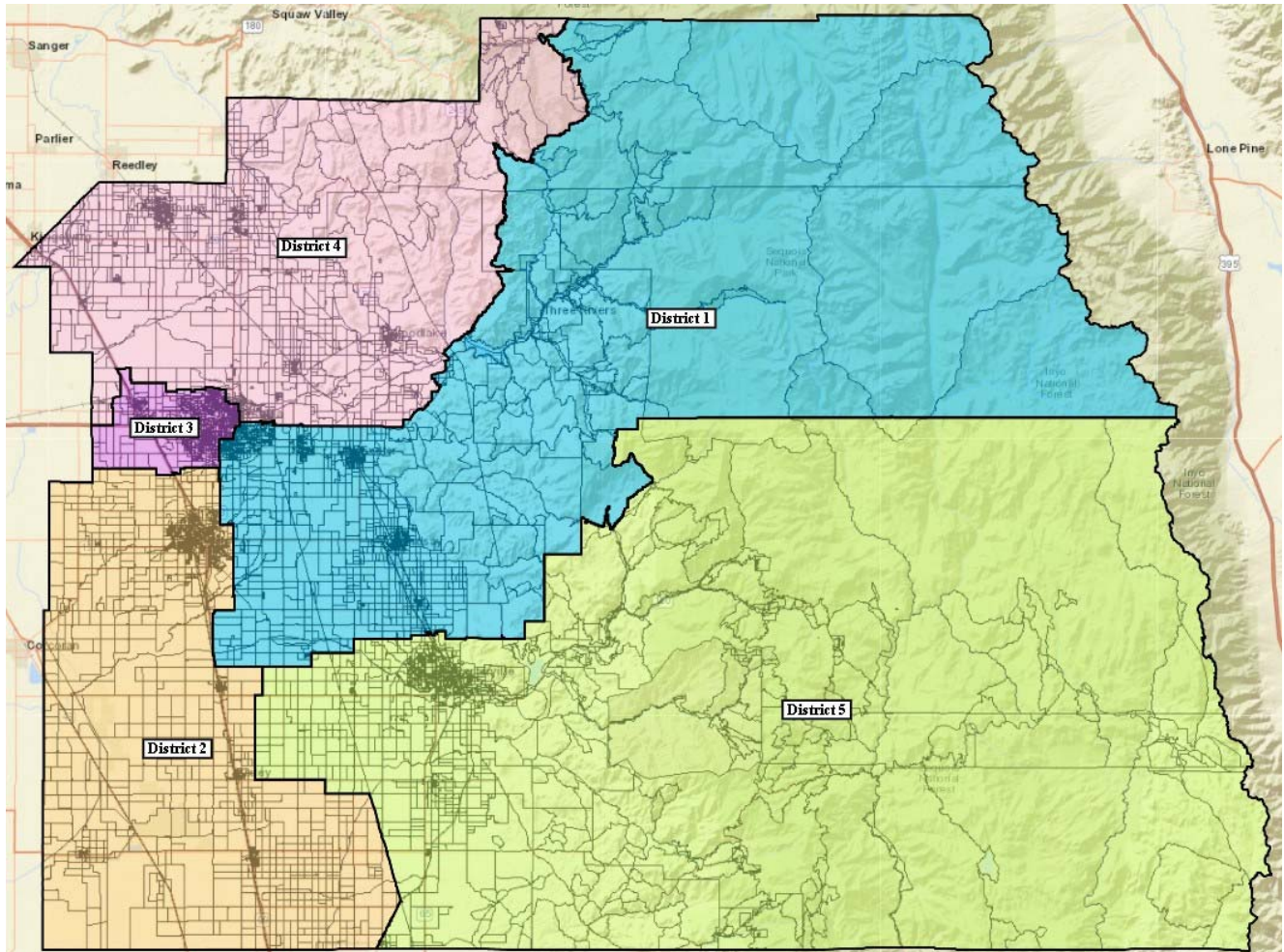
## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include the three H-CVAP majority districts. Concerns included the odd inclusion of a sliver of the mountains into District 4 and the split of the City of Tulare. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-013 Tootle Map

On October 14, 2021, community member Stephen Tootle submitted COM-013 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Tootle at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-013			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,014	3	0.00%	58,908	62%	54,522	25,711	47.2%
2	95,126	115	0.12%	65,180	69%	46,192	25,799	55.9%
3	95,014	3	0.00%	50,278	53%	55,814	23,783	42.6%
4	94,704	-307	-0.32%	72,708	77%	50,685	31,657	62.5%
5	95,198	187	0.20%	64,212	67%	51,653	25,738	49.8%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.52%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.52% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.5%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✗ West Goshen not in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community in not one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>four</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Woodville is divided between two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

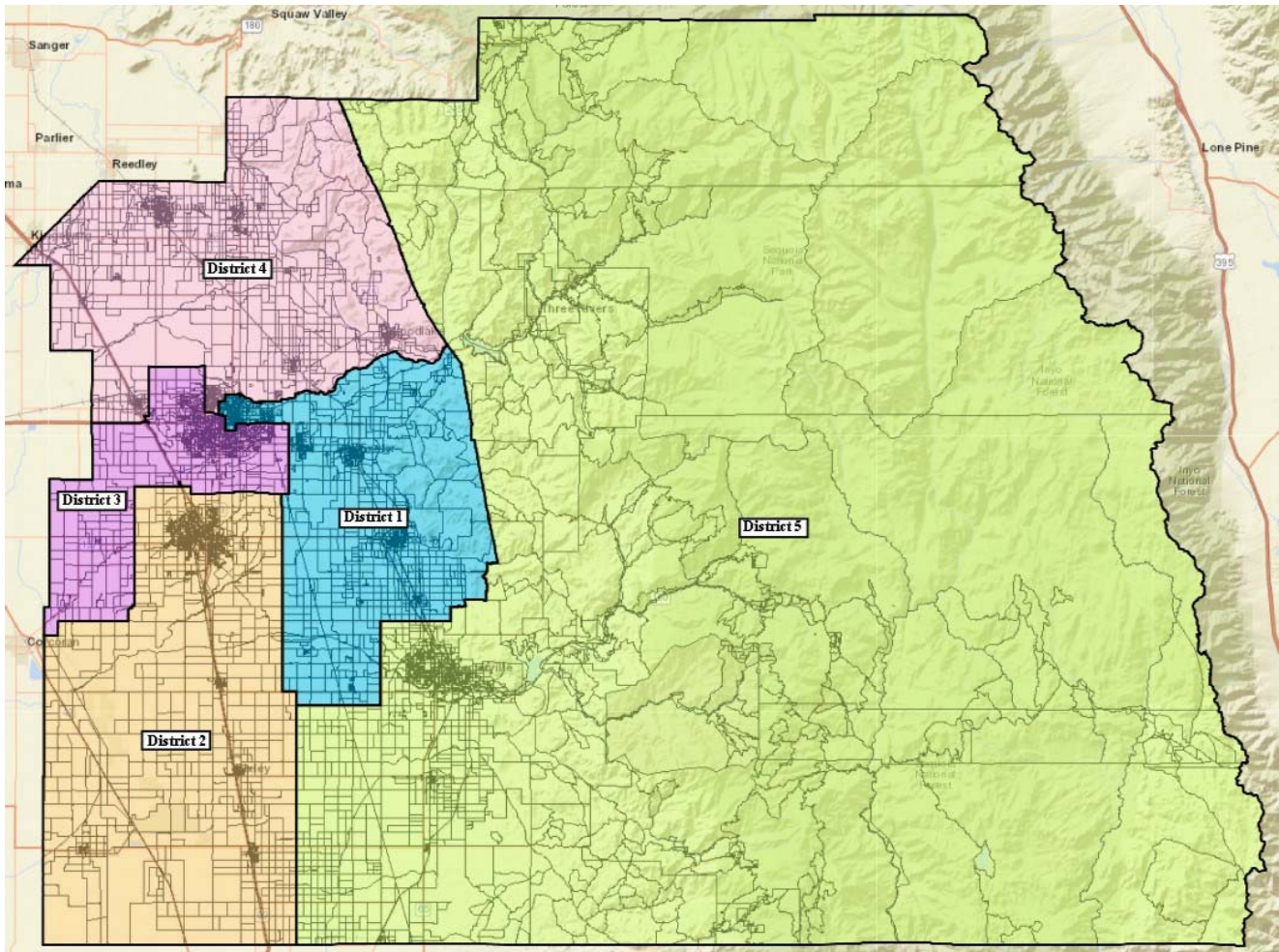
## Commission Comments

The Commission did not comment on merits of this map. Concerns included the splitting of numerous communities including Tulare and Goshen. Another concern was the placement of the district lines too close to Tulare's city limit. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-014 Doe Map

On October 14, 2021, John Doe submitted COM-014 for Commission consideration. On October 21, 2021, staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-014			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,748	-263	-0.28%	68,076	72%	50,957	29,168	57.2%
2	95,115	104	0.11%	64,760	68%	46,116	25,612	55.5%
3	94,887	-124	-0.13%	43,358	46%	59,891	21,383	35.7%
4	95,152	141	0.15%	72,703	76%	49,050	31,210	63.6%
5	95,154	143	0.15%	62,389	66%	52,852	25,315	47.9%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.43%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

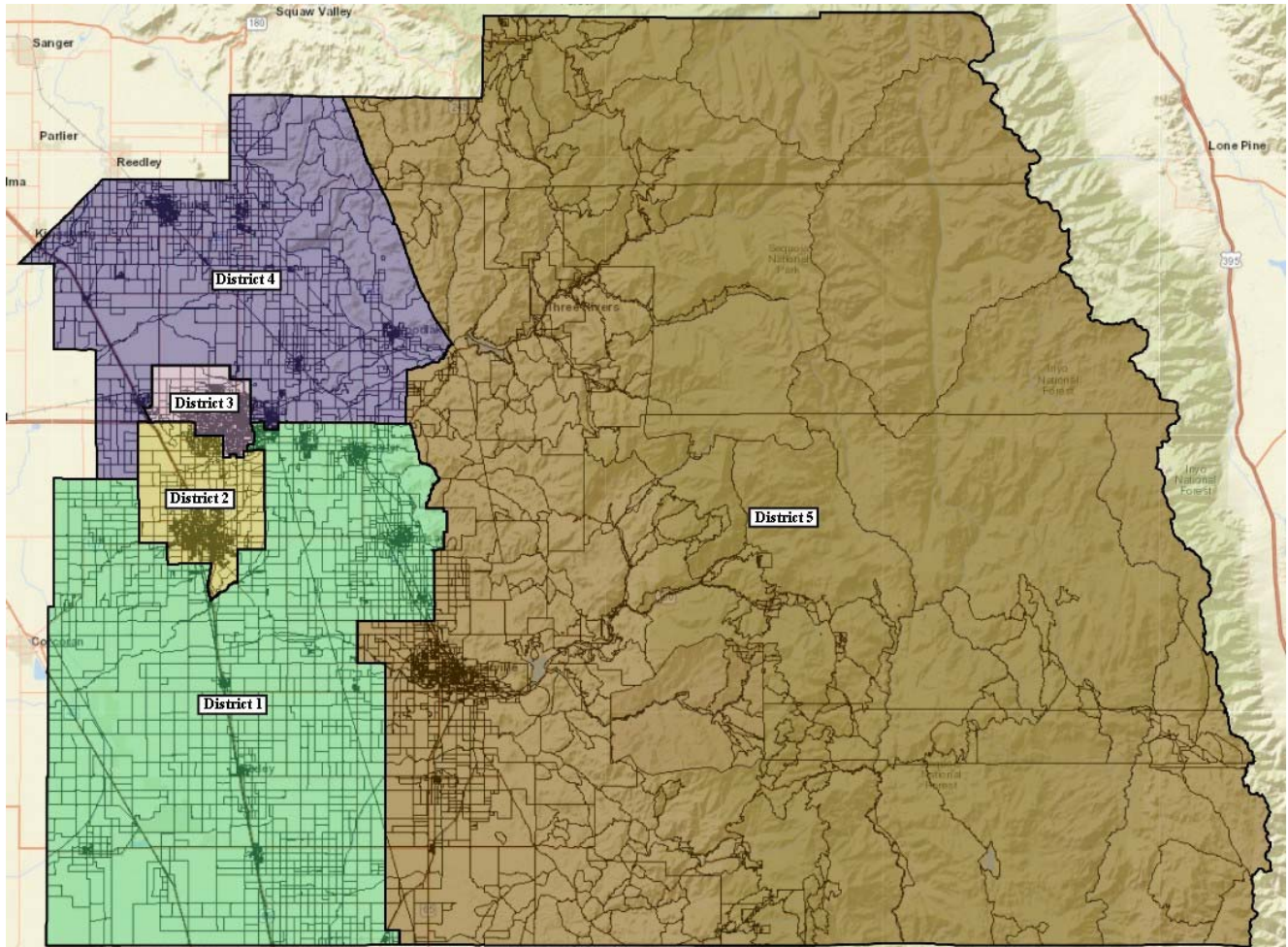
Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.43% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 57.2%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.5%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.6%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include three strong H-CVAP majority districts, the City of Tulare was kept whole, the City of Woodlake was kept in District 4. The Commission liked the single mountain District but agreed to provide diverse options to the Board of Supervisors. No concerns were provided by the Commission. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.

## COM-015 Mattis Map

On October 14, 2021, community member Greg Mattis submitted COM-015 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Mattis at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-015			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,028	17	0.02%	70,326	74%	46,473	27,067	58.2%
2	94,997	-14	-0.01%	55,364	58%	52,699	24,224	46.0%
3	94,976	-35	-0.04%	51,538	54%	55,667	25,282	45.4%
4	95,059	48	0.05%	73,118	77%	50,475	31,359	62.1%
5	94,996	-15	-0.02%	60,940	64%	53,552	24,756	46.2%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.09%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	0.09% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 58.2%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.1%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>four</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided between two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

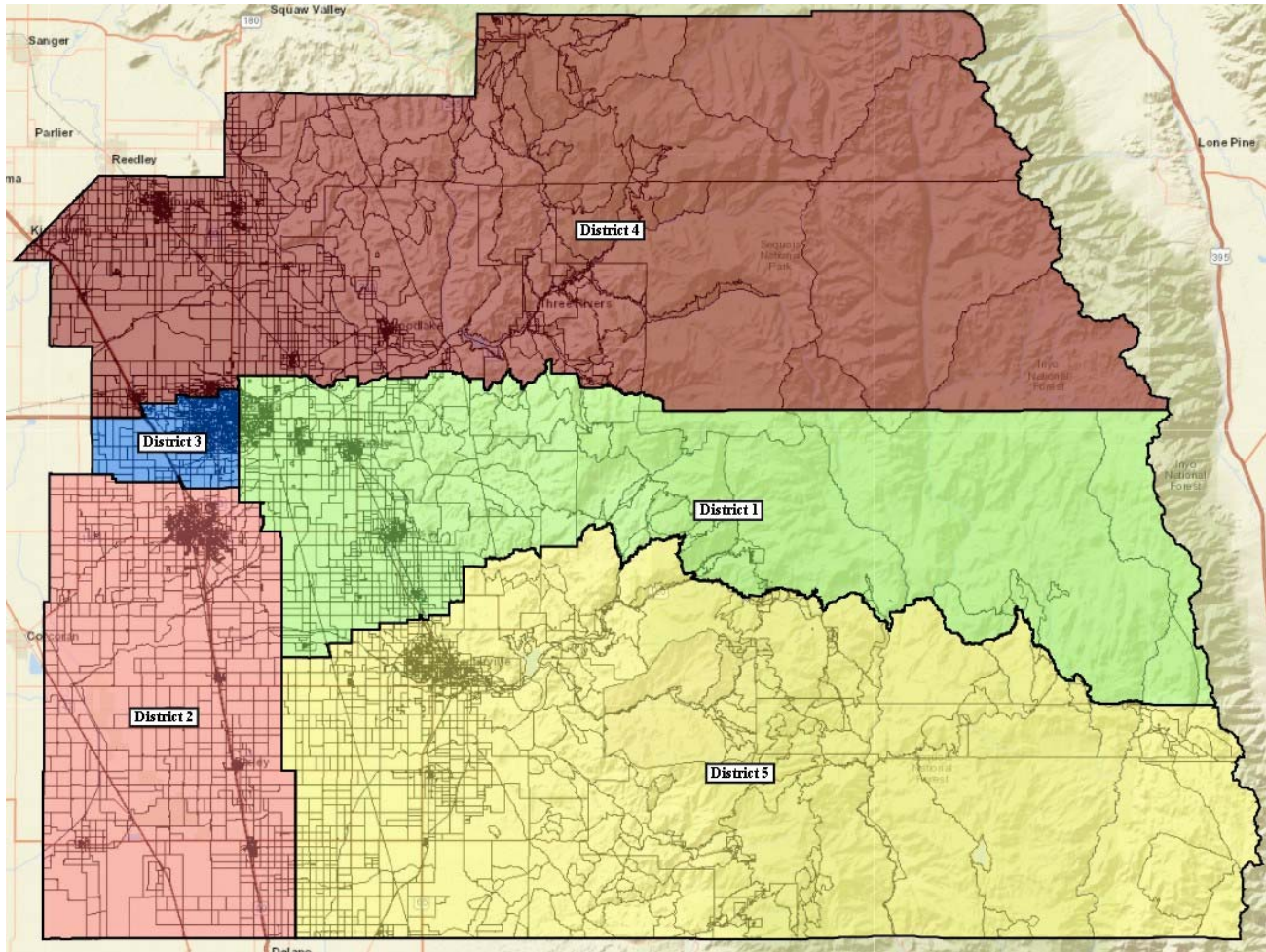
## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include that the placement of Visalia in District 3 incorporates projected northward growth from the City of Visalia’s General Plan and the City of Woodlake in District 4. Concerns included that the City of Tulare is split into two districts, and that the map has only two H-CVAP majority districts - the preference would be for three at a minimum. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## COM-016 Salinas Map

On October 16, 2021, community member Vincent Salinas submitted COM-016 for Commission consideration. The map was presented by Salinas at the October 21 meeting, after which staff presented an analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria.



### Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

COM-016			CRITERIA #1		CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	93,494	-1,517	-1.60%	60,046	64%	52,525	25,639	48.8%	
2	96,656	1,645	1.73%	65,850	68%	46,875	26,053	55.6%	
3	95,513	502	0.53%	50,492	53%	58,726	24,923	42.4%	
4	93,817	-1,194	-1.26%	70,201	75%	48,878	30,085	61.6%	
5	95,576	565	0.59%	64,697	68%	51,862	25,988	50.1%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>3.33%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality	3.33% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 55.6%</li> <li>• District 4 – 61.6%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Ivanhoe is divided between two districts – mostly in D4, one southern block in D1</li> <li>✗ Lemon Cove is divided between two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1, 4, and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commission Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include that it has clean boundary lines and its three mountain districts gave perspective to the mountain community conversation. Concerns included no third majority H-CVAP district and a high population deviation. The Commissioners were split on the opinion that the map is similar to the current Board of Supervisor map. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.

## 5. COMMISSION MAPS

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On September 23, 2021, the Commission held a map building activity in which each Commissioner identified five to ten geographic or demographic elements that he or she would like to see incorporated into a draft Commission map. Element descriptions could be broad or specific, but were all related to at least one of the eight redistricting criteria.

As Commissioners described elements, staff listed each one on a white board for consideration. Then the Commission uses the listed elements to build five draft maps and voted to direct staff to draft the five maps for consideration at the next meeting.

At the following meetings, staff presented the draft maps to Commissioners with an analysis of each map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria. After staff presentations, the Commissioners formed workgroups to identify elements to keep, modify, and eliminate in each map. At the end of each workshop, the commission provided direction to staff on each map to:

1. Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting;
2. Move the map forward with modifications for consideration at the next meeting; or
3. Eliminate the map from further consideration.

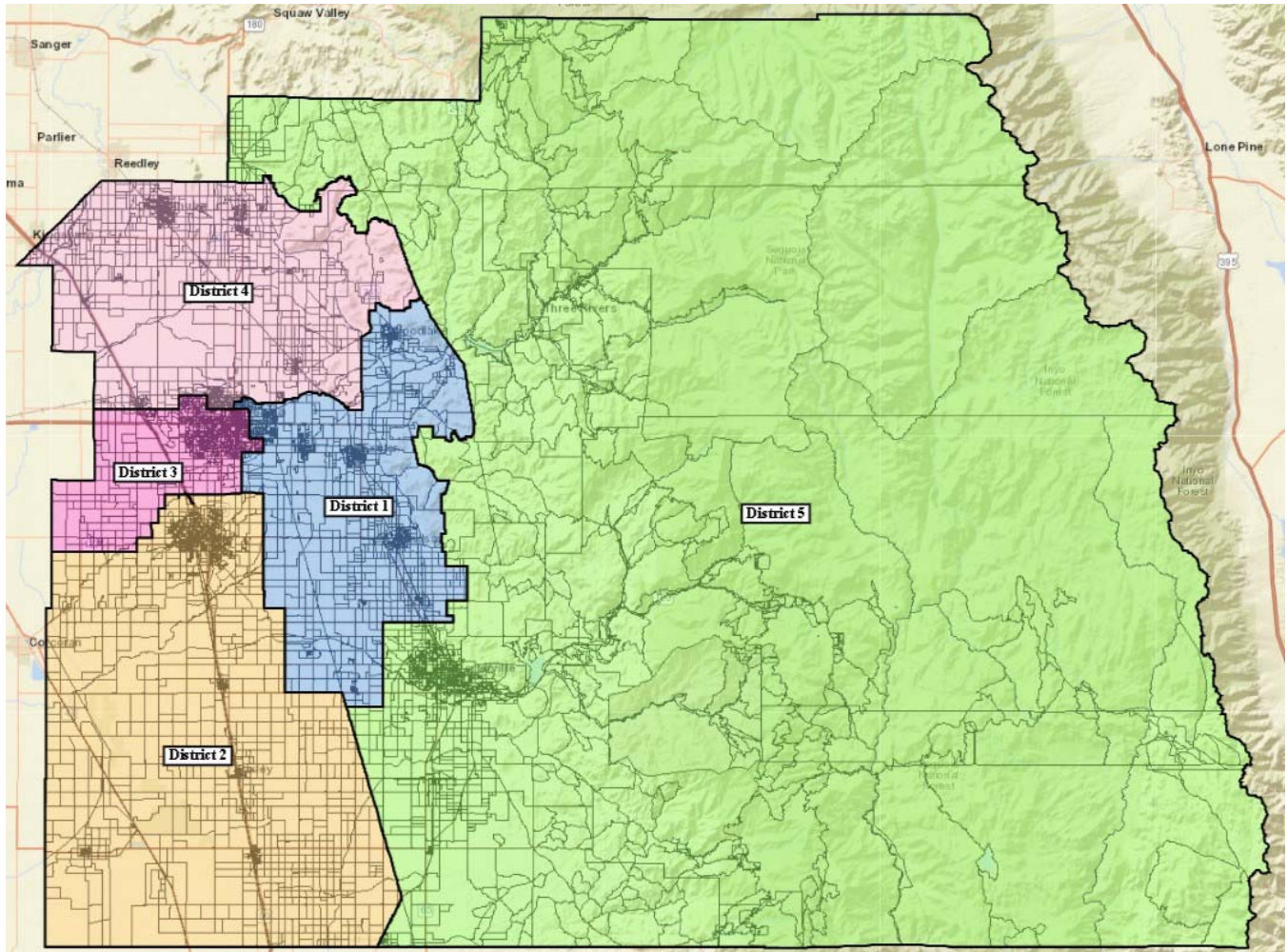
In total, the Commission considered the **13 Commission maps** listed in the table below. This following section includes a visual representation of each Commission map, the associated demographic data, staff's analysis of the map's compliance with the eight redistricting criteria, and any Commission comments. A summary of all maps considered by the Commission may be found in **Appendix J**.

#	Map Number	Map Name	Presentation Date	Action
1	ARC-001	Commission Map 1	09/30/21	<i>Revised</i>
2	ARC-001a	Commission Map 1	10/07/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
3	ARC-002	Commission Map 2	09/30/21	<i>Revised</i>
4	ARC-002a	Commission Map 2	10/07/21	<i>10/21 - Eliminated</i>
5	ARC-003	Commission Map 3	09/30/21	<i>Revised</i>
6	ARC-003a	Commission Map 3	10/07/21	<i>Revised</i>
7	ARC-003b1	Commission Map 3	10/14/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
8	ARC-003b2	Commission Map 3	10/14/21	<i>10/14 - Eliminated</i>
9	ARC-004	Commission Map 4	09/30/21	<i>9/30 - Eliminated</i>
10	ARC-005	Commission Map 5	09/30/21	<i>Revised</i>
11	ARC-005a	Commission Map 5	10/07/21	<i>10/7 - Eliminated</i>
12	ARC-006	Commission Map 6	10/07/21	<i>10/7 - Eliminated</i>
13	ARC-007	Commission Map 7	10/07/21	<i>10/7 - Eliminated</i>



## ARC-001

On September 23, 2021, the Commission directed staff to prepare a second commission map that incorporated the following elements: three majority H-CVAP districts; mountains in one district; reduce carving of District 4 foothill communities; Tribal lands in one district; and Tulare in one district. On September 30, 2021, staff presented ARC-001, and the Commission directed staff to make further modifications detailed in the following ARC-001A section of this report.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, not State-adjusted

ARC-001			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	93,341	-1,282	-1.36%	65,023	70%	49,888	27,671	55.5%
2	95,972	1,349	1.43%	65,483	68%	46,276	25,717	55.6%
3	94,444	-179	-0.19%	45,294	48%	59,422	22,419	37.7%
4	94,067	-556	-0.59%	71,776	76%	48,715	30,546	62.7%
5	95,293	670	0.71%	62,319	65%	52,915	25,105	47.4%
SUM	473,117			309,895	66%	257,216	131,458	51.1%
MEAN	94,623		2.78%	61,979	66%	51,443	26,292	51.1%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		2.78% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</li> </ul>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 55.5%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.6%</li> <li>District 4 – 62.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in one district (9/23)</li> <li>Reduce carving of District 4 foothill communities (9/23)</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tulare in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size ✗ Small portion of Woodlake not in District 1 ✗ Small portion of Poplar not in District 1
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

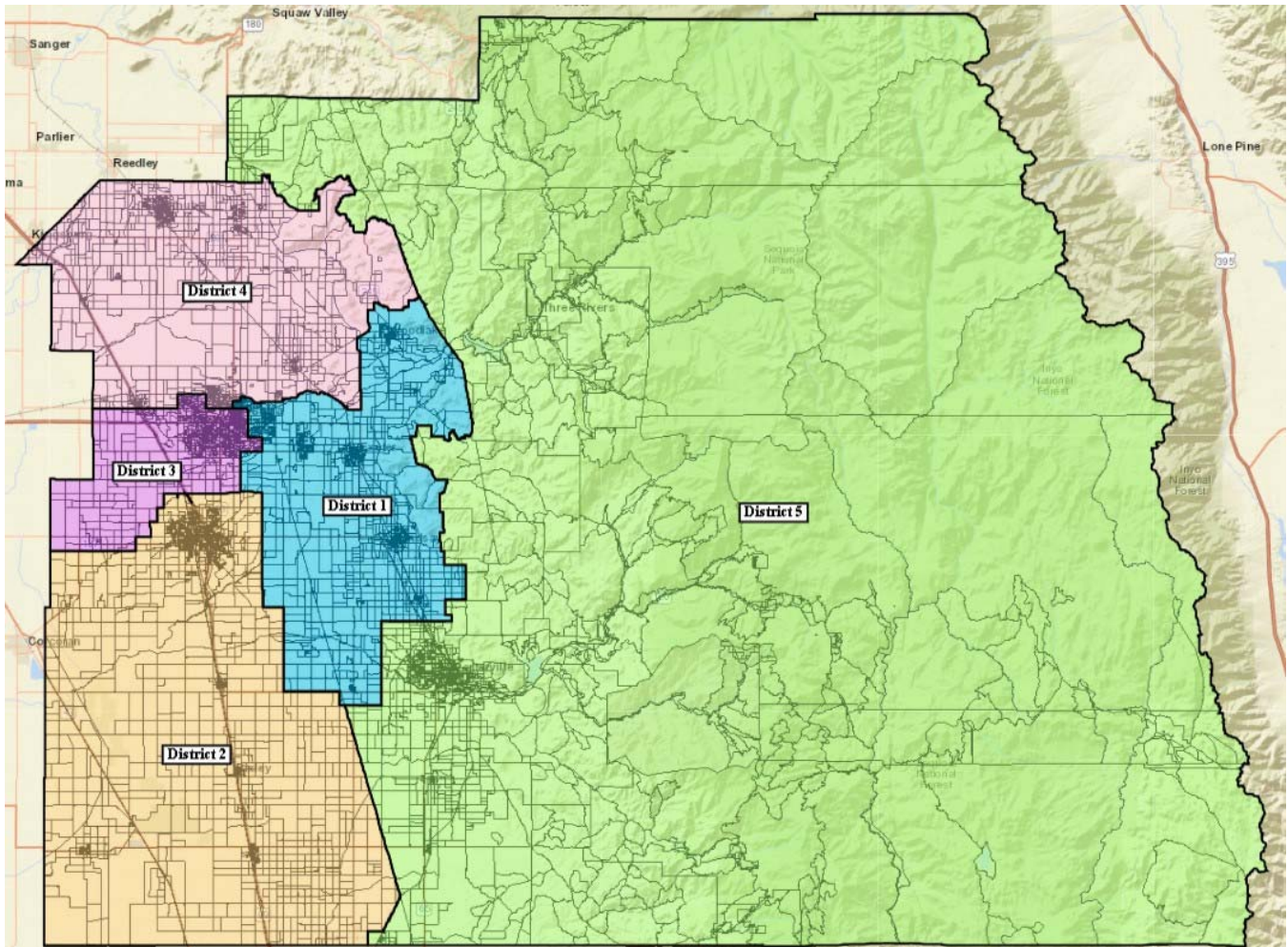
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it creates a single mountain district, does not split the city of Tulare, and provides three strong H-CVAP majority districts. Concerns included that the map splits Woodlake into two district and splits Poplar into two districts. One commissioner did not like the Visalia Oval neighborhood placement in District 3 and felt the neighborhood would be fit better into District 4 because of its shared community interests. One commissioner noted the map does not have four H-CVAP majority districts. One Commissioner stated a desire to keep rural farm worker communities together and not divided. One Commissioner stated the northeast side of Tulare share a community interest with Southern Visalia, which is not reflected in this map. On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify the map to make the communities of Poplar and Woodlake whole.



## ARC-001A

On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify ARC-001 to keep the communities of Woodlake and Poplar whole. On October 7, 2021, staff presented ARC-001A and the Commission voted to move the map forward with no additional modifications for consideration at the next meeting. On October 14, 2021, the Commission directed staff to eliminate the map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-001A			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,772	-239	-0.25%	65,826	69%	51,433	28,218	54.9%
2	95,928	917	0.96%	65,534	68%	46,467	25,917	55.8%
3	94,557	-454	-0.48%	45,413	48%	59,401	22,511	37.9%
4	94,392	-619	-0.65%	72,061	76%	48,520	30,688	63.2%
5	95,407	396	0.42%	62,452	65%	53,045	25,354	47.8%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		1.62%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		1.62% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</li> </ul>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 54.9%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.8%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.2%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in one district (9/23)</li> <li>Reduce carving of District 4 foothill communities (9/23)</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tulare in one district (9/23)</li> <li>Keep Woodlake and Poplar whole (9/30)</li> </ul>	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

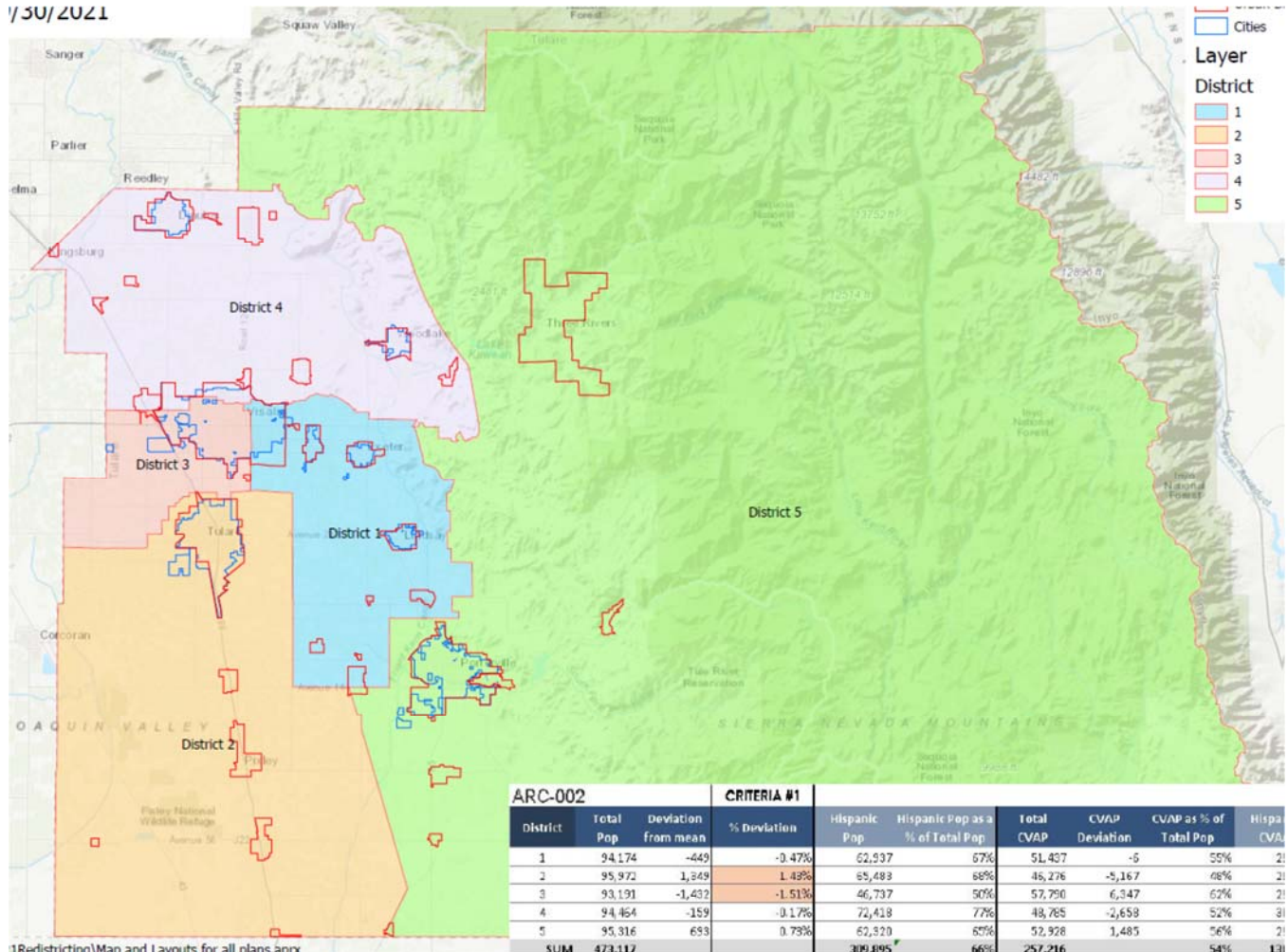
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it captures all important elements of the Equity Coalition Map except for the division of the City of Tulare. The map includes three Hispanic CVAP Districts, the mountains are a single district, the City of Tulare is kept whole, Terra Bella and Ducor is together with Porterville, and West Goshen is in District 4. Concerns were that Strathmore is not together with Portville but with Exeter and that Woodlake is in District 1. On October 7, 2021, the Commission voted to move the map forward to the next meeting for consideration. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration, citing Woodlake not being in District 4 as the primary reason.

## ARC-002

On September 23, 2021, the Commission directed staff to prepare a second commission map that incorporated the following elements: four majority H-CVAP districts; mountains in one district; keep communities of interest intact; Tribal lands in one district; and Porterville in one district. On September 30, 2021, staff presented ARC-002, and the Commission directed staff to make further modifications detailed in the following ARC-002A section of this report.

9/30/2021



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, not State-adjusted

ARC-002			CRITERIA #1						CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP		H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	94,174	-449	-0.47%	62,937	67%	51,437	26,787		52.1%	
2	95,972	1,349	1.43%	65,483	68%	46,276	25,717		55.6%	
3	93,191	-1,432	-1.51%	46,737	50%	57,790	22,924		39.7%	
4	94,464	-159	-0.17%	72,418	77%	48,785	30,925		63.4%	
5	95,316	693	0.73%	62,320	65%	52,928	25,105		47.4%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>257,216</b>	<b>131,458</b>		<b>51.1%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>2.94%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,443</b>	<b>26,292</b>		<b>51.1%</b>	

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		2.94% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</li> </ul>	<p>The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in <u>three districts</u>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 52.1%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.6%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.4%</li> <li>District 5 – 47.4% (close, but not a majority)</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in one district (9/23)</li> <li>Keep communities of interest intact (9/23)</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Porterville in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Small portion of Richgrove outside of District 5</li> <li>✗ Small portion of Poplar outside of District 1</li> <li>✗ Goshen split between District 4 and District 3</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

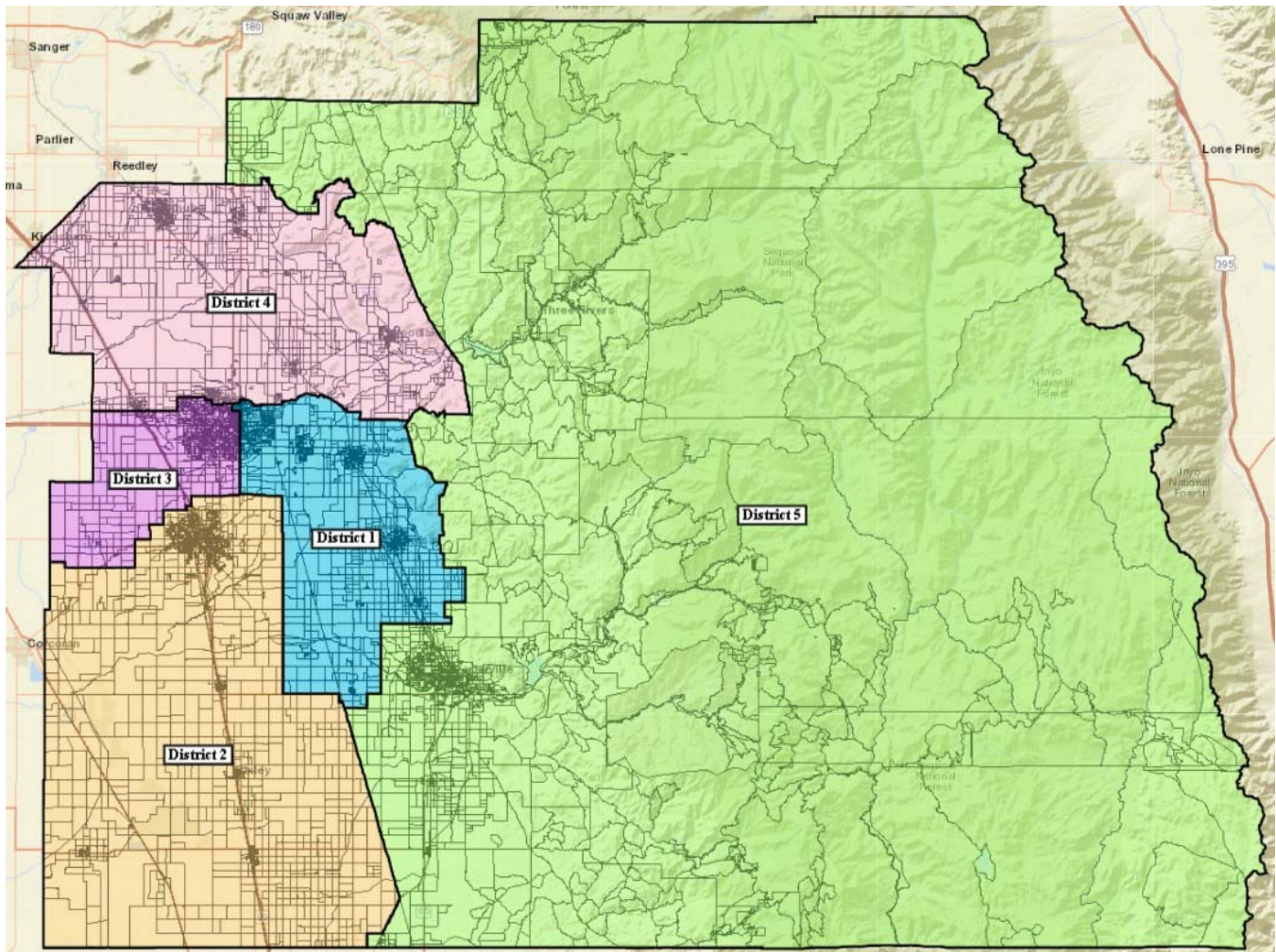
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it keeps West Goshen in District 4. One Commissioner noted that the map does not have four H-CVAP majority districts. Another stated the northeast side of Tulare share a community of interest with Southern Visalia and that this map does not reflect that interest. On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify the map to make the communities of Poplar, Richgrove, and Woodlake whole.



## ARC-002A

On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify ARC-002 to keep the communities of Woodlake, Poplar, and Richgrove whole. On October 7, 2021, staff presented ARC-002A and the Commission voted to move the map forward with no additional modifications for consideration at the next meeting. The Commission reviewed the map again on October 14, 2021 and voted to move the map forward with no additional modifications for consideration at the final meeting. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-002A			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,893	-118	-0.12%	63,400	67%	52,073	26,997	51.8%
2	96,213	1,202	1.26%	65,620	68%	46,633	25,960	55.7%
3	93,606	-1,405	-1.48%	47,053	50%	57,950	23,217	40.1%
4	94,453	-558	-0.59%	72,672	77%	48,840	31,125	63.7%
5	95,891	880	0.93%	62,541	65%	53,370	25,389	47.6%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>2.74%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		2.74% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</li> </ul>	<p>The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 51.8%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in one district (9/23)</li> <li>Keep communities of interest intact (9/23)</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</li> <li>.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Porterville in one district (9/23)</li> <li>Keep Woodlake, Poplar and Richgrove whole (9/30)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Goshen split between District 4 and District 3</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

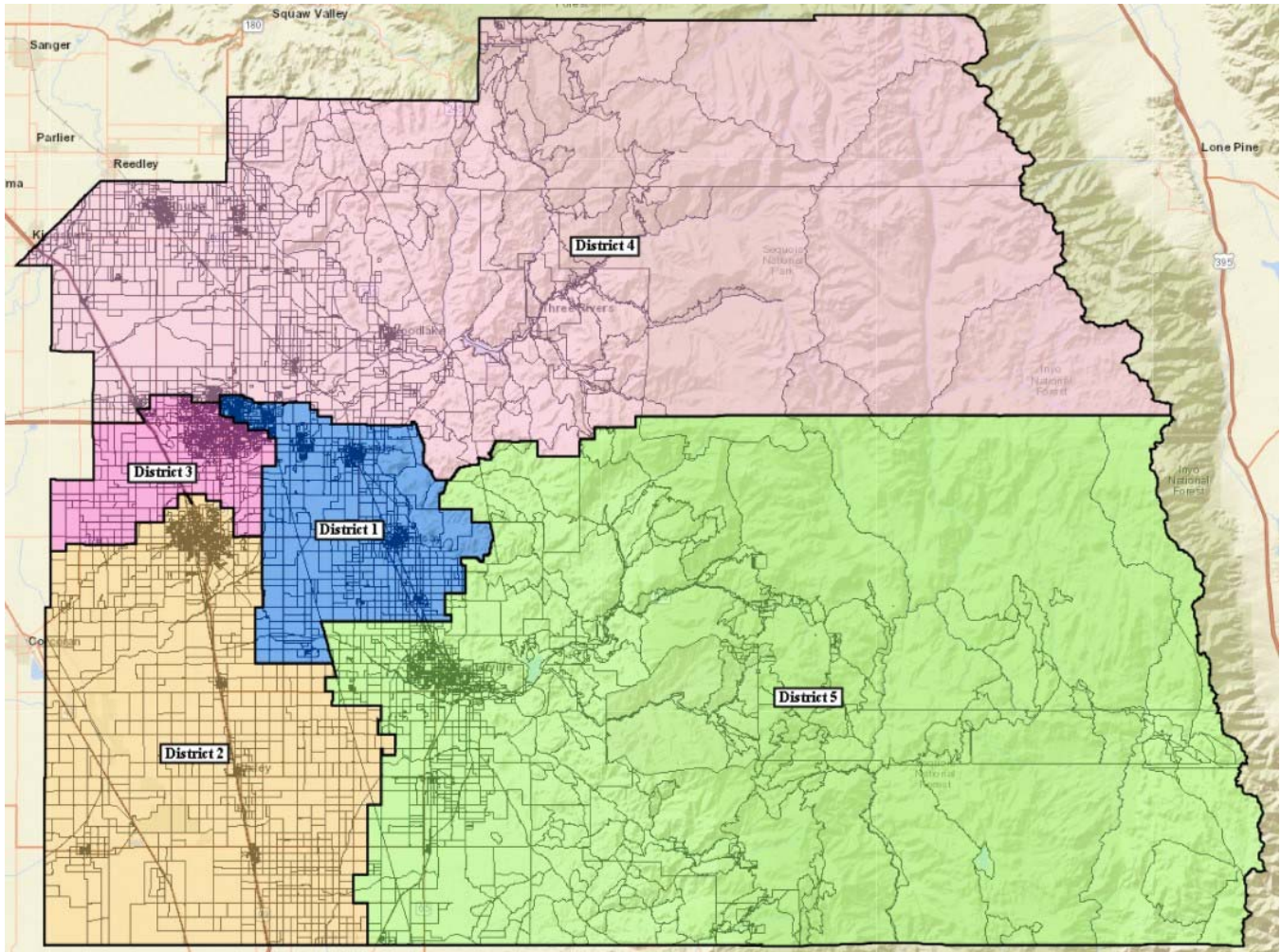
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include two H-CVAP majority districts but not a third above 55%, a single mountain district, the City of Tulare is kept whole, Terra Bella and Ducor are together with Porterville, West Goshen is in District 4, and Woodlake is in District 4. Concerns were that Strathmore is not together with Portville but with Exeter. On October 7 and October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to move the map forward to the next meeting for consideration. On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration, citing the population deviation as higher and that the H-CVAP numbers lower than other considered maps as the primary reasons.



## ARC-003

On September 23, 2021, the Commission directed staff to prepare a third commission map that incorporated the following elements: three majority H-CVAP districts; mountains in two districts; minimize splitting of foothill communities; Tribal lands in one district; and Tulare in one district. On September 30, 2021, staff presented ARC-003, and the Commission directed staff to make further modifications detailed in the following ARC-003A section of this report.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, not State-adjusted

ARC-003			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	93,838	-785	-0.83%	67,220	72%	50,300	29,259	58.2%
2	95,143	520	0.55%	65,127	68%	45,479	25,423	55.9%
3	93,567	-1,056	-1.12%	42,936	46%	59,665	21,603	36.2%
4	95,357	734	0.78%	70,553	74%	50,157	29,636	59.1%
5	95,212	589	0.62%	64,059	67%	51,615	25,537	49.5%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>257,216</b>	<b>131,458</b>	<b>51.1%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>1.89%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,443</b>	<b>26,292</b>	<b>51.1%</b>



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

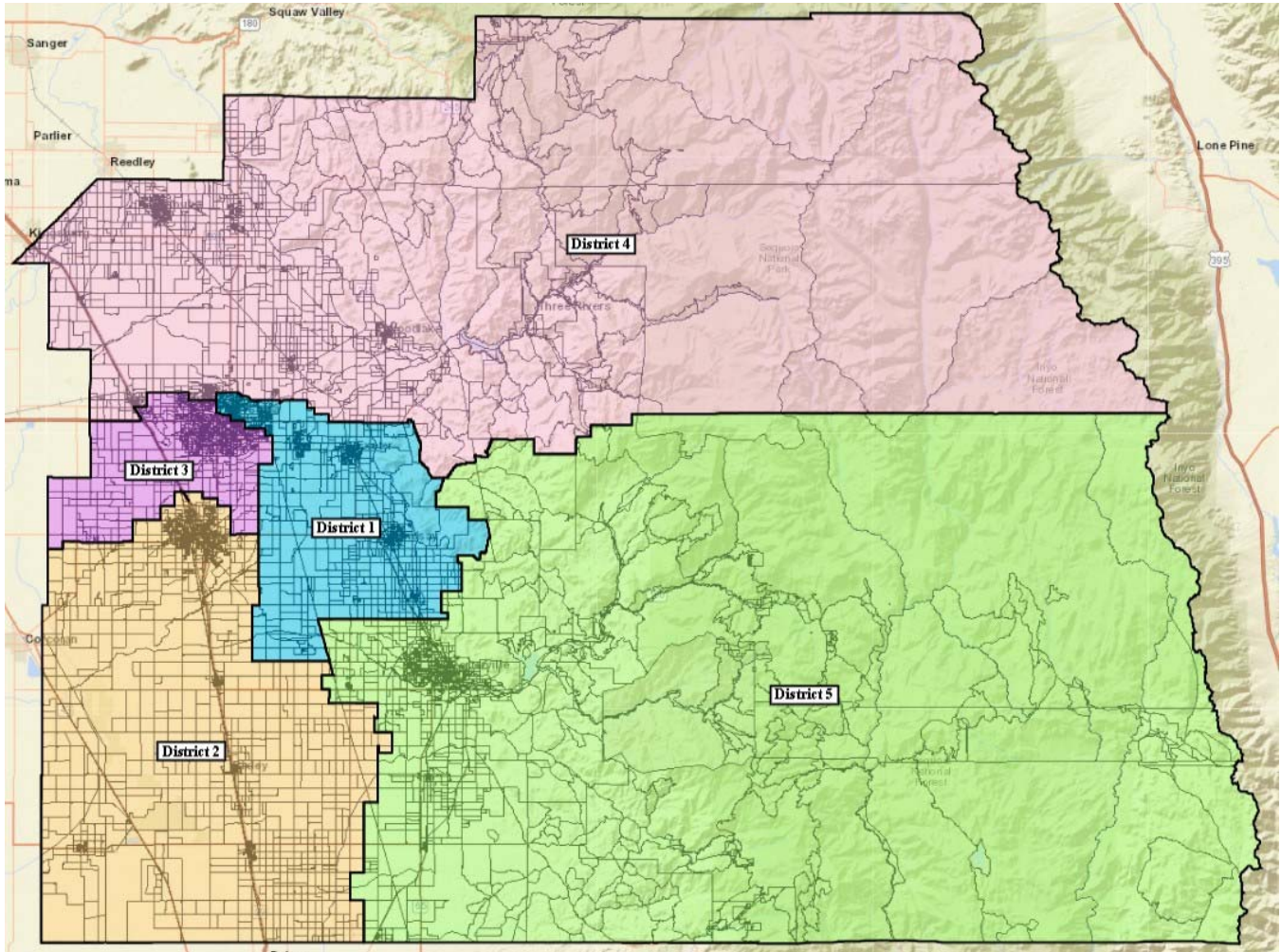
Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		1.89% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</li> </ul>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 58.2%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>District 4 – 59.1%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✗ Small portion of District 2 not geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in two districts (9/23)</li> <li>Minimize splitting of foothill communities (9/23)</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tulare in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

### Commissioner Comments

The Commission did not identify specific merits of this map. Concerns included that the map splits the communities of Tipton, Poplar, and Richgrove into two districts each. They noted the contiguity issues with a section of District 2 inside of District 5. One Commissioner noted the map does not have the four requested H-CVAP majority districts, but has three, with a fourth close at 49.7%. Another stated the northeast side of Tulare shares a community of interest with Southern Visalia and that this map does not reflect that interest. On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to correct the contiguity issue and modify the map to make the communities of Tipton, Poplar and, Richgrove whole.

## ARC-003A

On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify ARC-003 to maintain the contiguity of District 2, and to keep the communities of Tipton, Poplar, and Richgrove whole. On October 7, 2021, staff presented ARC-003A and the Commission directed staff to make further modifications detailed in the following ARC-003B1 and ARC-003B2 sections of this report.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-003A			CRITERIA #1		CRITERIA #2			
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,395	-616	-0.65%	67,615	72%	50,647	29,232	57.7%
2	95,561	550	0.58%	65,422	68%	46,260	25,871	55.9%
3	93,719	-1,292	-1.36%	43,044	46%	59,233	21,593	36.5%
4	95,785	774	0.81%	70,887	74%	50,662	30,132	59.5%
5	95,596	585	0.62%	64,318	67%	52,064	25,860	49.7%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>2.17%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		2.17% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</li> </ul>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 57.7%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>District 4 – 59.5%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Correct D2 contiguity (9/30)</li> </ul>	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in two districts (9/23)</li> <li>Minimize splitting of foothill communities (9/23)</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tulare in one district (9/23)</li> <li>Keep Tipton, Poplar, and Richgrove whole (9/30)</li> </ul>	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

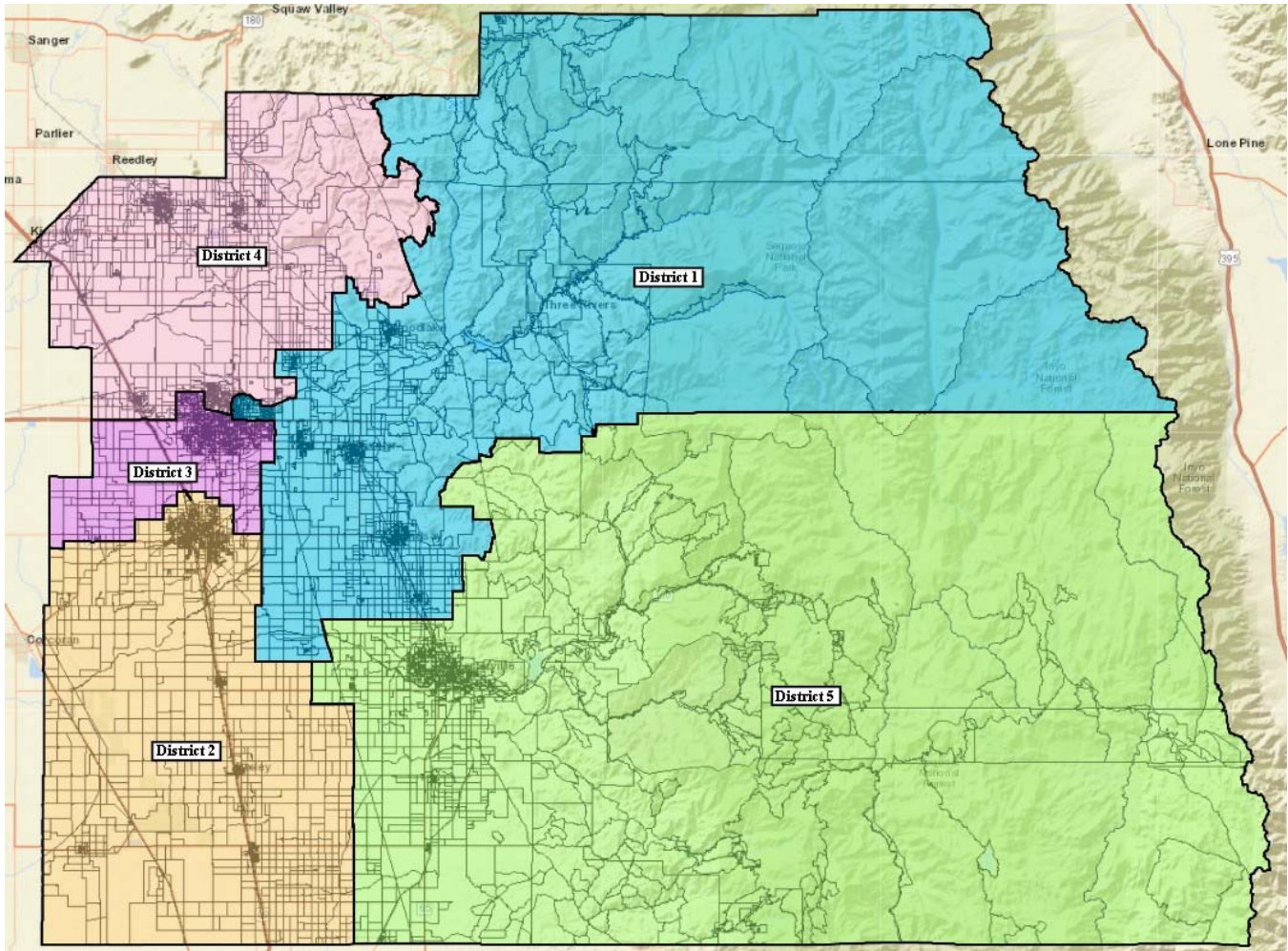
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include three majority H-CVAP districts, cities and communities were not divided, and that it gave the Commission a two-mountain district option to consider. Concerns included the majority H-CVAP districts were not above 60%, and the preference would be to have at least one above 60%. On October 7, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify the map to include two 60% H-CVAP districts.



## ARC-003B1

On October 7, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify ARC-003A to create at least two 60%+ H-CVAP districts. On October 14, 2021, staff presented ARC-003B1 and the Commission directed staff to eliminate the map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-003B1			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	93,849	-1,162	-1.22%	66,402	71%	51,468	28,998	56.3%
2	95,181	170	0.18%	65,146	68%	46,070	25,756	55.9%
3	94,770	-241	-0.25%	43,467	46%	59,733	21,501	36.0%
4	95,383	372	0.39%	71,779	75%	49,373	30,494	61.8%
5	95,873	862	0.91%	64,492	67%	52,222	25,939	49.7%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>2.13%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		2.13% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>3 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <b>2 60%+ H-CVAP districts (10/7)</b></li> </ul>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 56.3%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>• District 4 – 61.8%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Correct D2 contiguity (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mountains in two districts (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <i>Minimize splitting of foothill communities (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <i>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</i></li> </ul>	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Tulare in one district (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <i>Keep Tipton, Poplar, and Richgrove whole (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

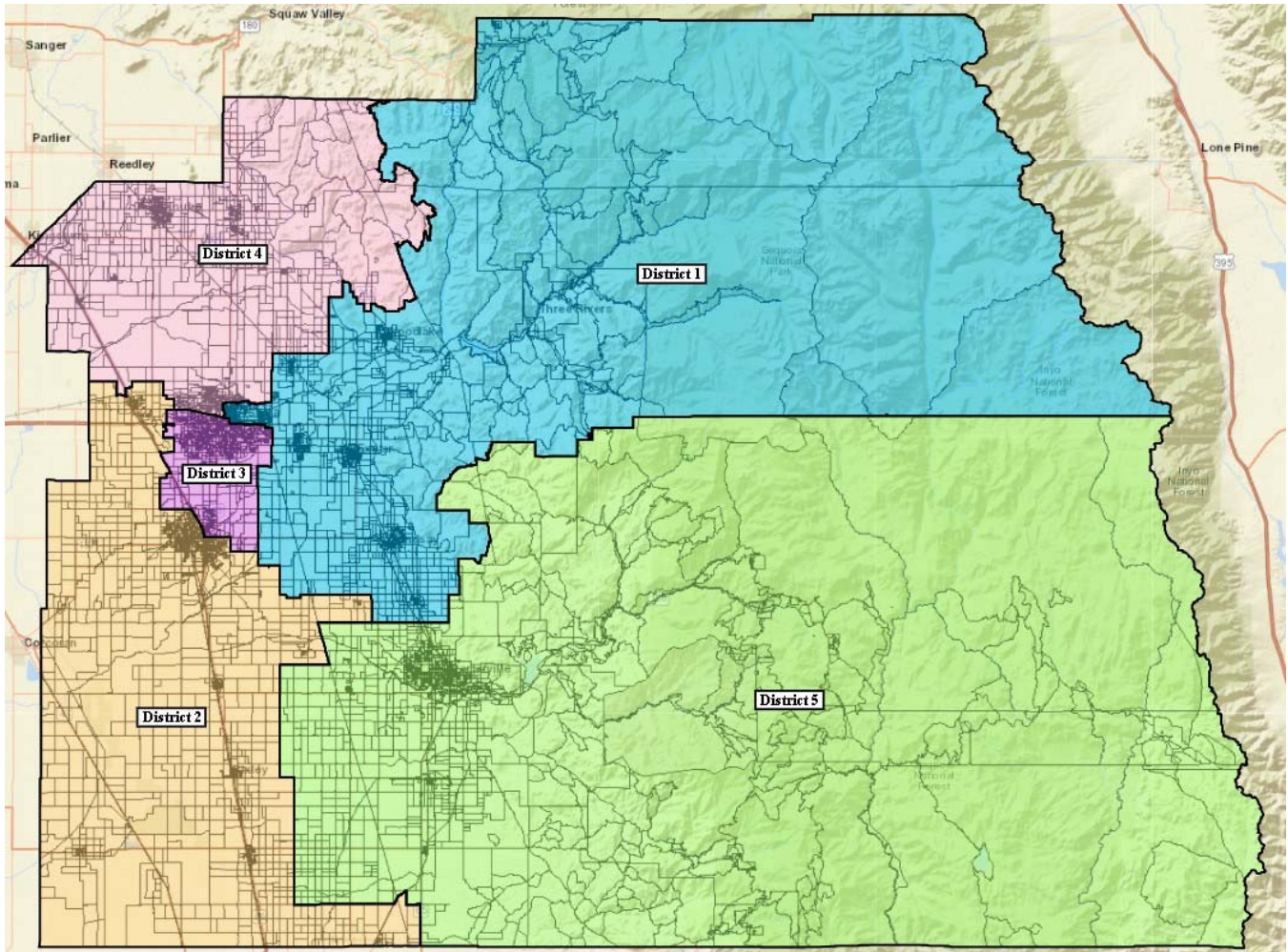
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to be that it gave the Commission a two-mountain-district option to consider. However, Commissioners noted that other community maps provided a two-mountain-district option and met other criteria better. Other concerns included that Woodlake is not in District 4. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map for further consideration.



## ARC-003B2

On October 7, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify ARC-003A to create at least two 60%+ H-CVAP districts. October 14, 2021, staff presented ARC-003B2 and the Commission directed staff to eliminate the map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-003B2			CRITERIA #1		CRITERIA #2			
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,820	-191	-0.20%	66,709	70%	52,258	28,456	54.5%
2	95,841	830	0.87%	69,556	73%	45,515	27,429	60.3%
3	94,879	-132	-0.14%	44,309	47%	59,496	21,458	36.1%
4	95,560	549	0.58%	68,198	71%	50,005	30,135	60.3%
5	93,956	-1,055	-1.11%	62,514	67%	51,592	25,210	48.9%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>1.98%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

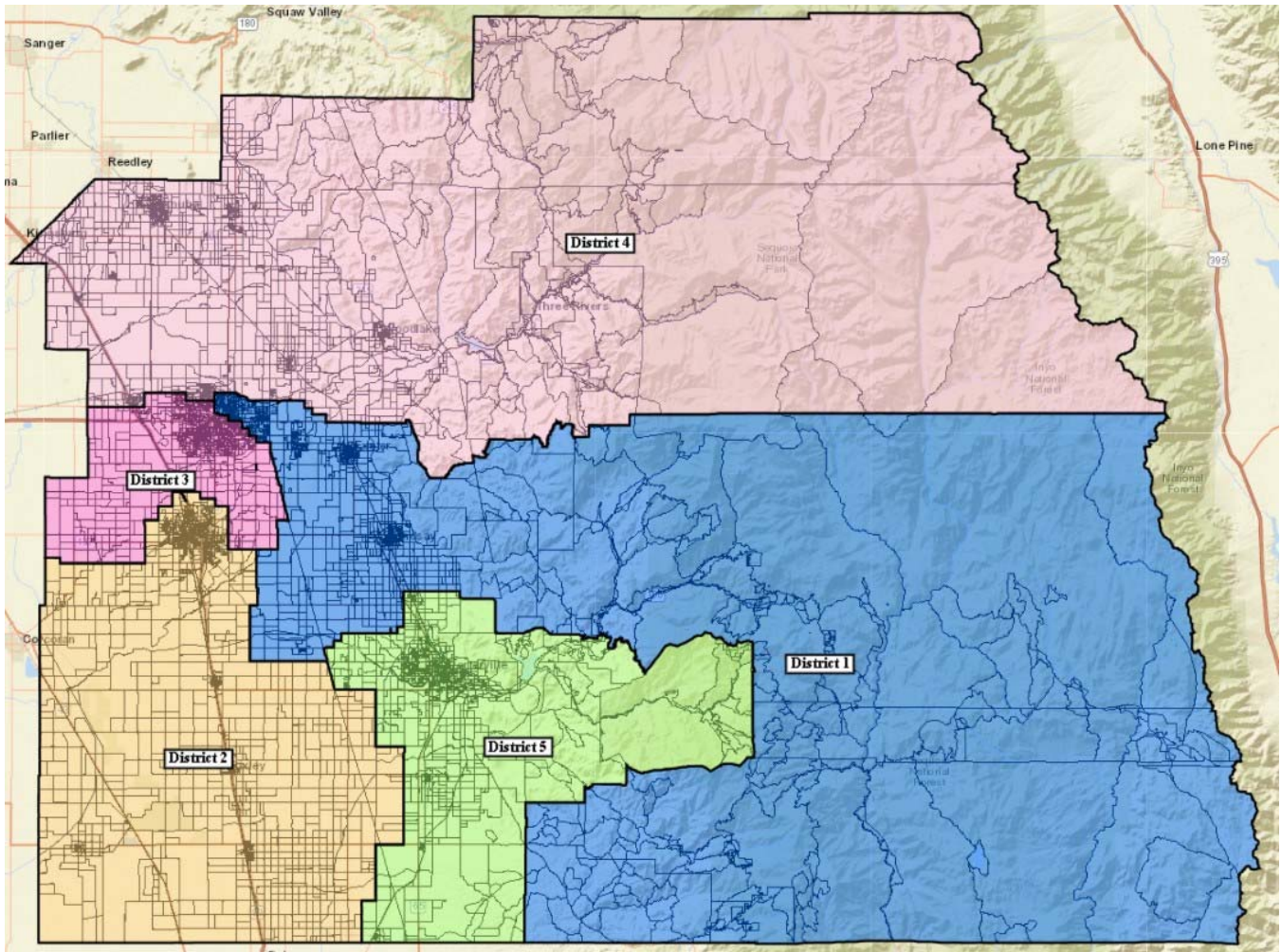
Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		1.98% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>3 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <b>2 60%+ H-CVAP districts (10/7)</b></li> </ul>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 54.5%</li> <li>• District 2 – 60.3%</li> <li>• District 4 – 60.3%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Correct D2 contiguity (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mountains in two districts (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <i>Minimize splitting of foothill communities (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <i>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</i></li> </ul>	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville ✗ West Goshen not in District 4 ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Tulare in one district (9/23)</i></li> <li>• <i>Keep Tipton, Poplar, and Richgrove whole (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	✗ Visalia is divided into four districts ✗ Tulare is split between District 2 and District 3
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

### Commissioner Comments

Similar to ARC-003b1, the Commission found the merits of this map to be that it gave the Commission a two-mountain-district option to consider. However, Commissioners noted that other community maps provided a two-mountain-district option and met other criteria better. Other concerns included that Woodlake is not in District 4 and that the City of Tulare is divided. On October 14, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.

## ARC-004

On September 23, 2021, the Commission directed staff to prepare a fourth commission map that incorporated the following elements: four majority H-CVAP districts; mountains in two districts; minimize splitting of foothill communities; Tribal lands in one district; and Porterville in one district. On September 30, 2021, staff presented ARC-004, and the Commission voted to eliminate the map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, not State-adjusted

ARC-004			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,798	1,175	1.24%	65,942	69%	51,453	28,446	55.3%
2	94,389	-234	-0.25%	64,678	69%	44,656	25,016	56.0%
3	93,200	-1,423	-1.50%	42,919	46%	60,337	22,106	36.6%
4	95,222	599	0.63%	70,502	74%	50,103	29,618	59.1%
5	94,508	-115	-0.12%	65,854	70%	50,667	26,272	51.9%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>257,216</b>	<b>131,458</b>	<b>51.1%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>2.75%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,443</b>	<b>26,292</b>	<b>51.1%</b>

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		2.75% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 Majority H-CVAP districts (9/23)</li> </ul>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 55.3%</li> <li>District 2 – 56.0%</li> <li>District 4 – 59.1%</li> <li>District 5 – 51.9%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in two districts (9/23)</li> <li>Minimize splitting of foothill communities (9/23)</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Porterville in one district (9/23)</li> </ul>	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 4 and 1 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

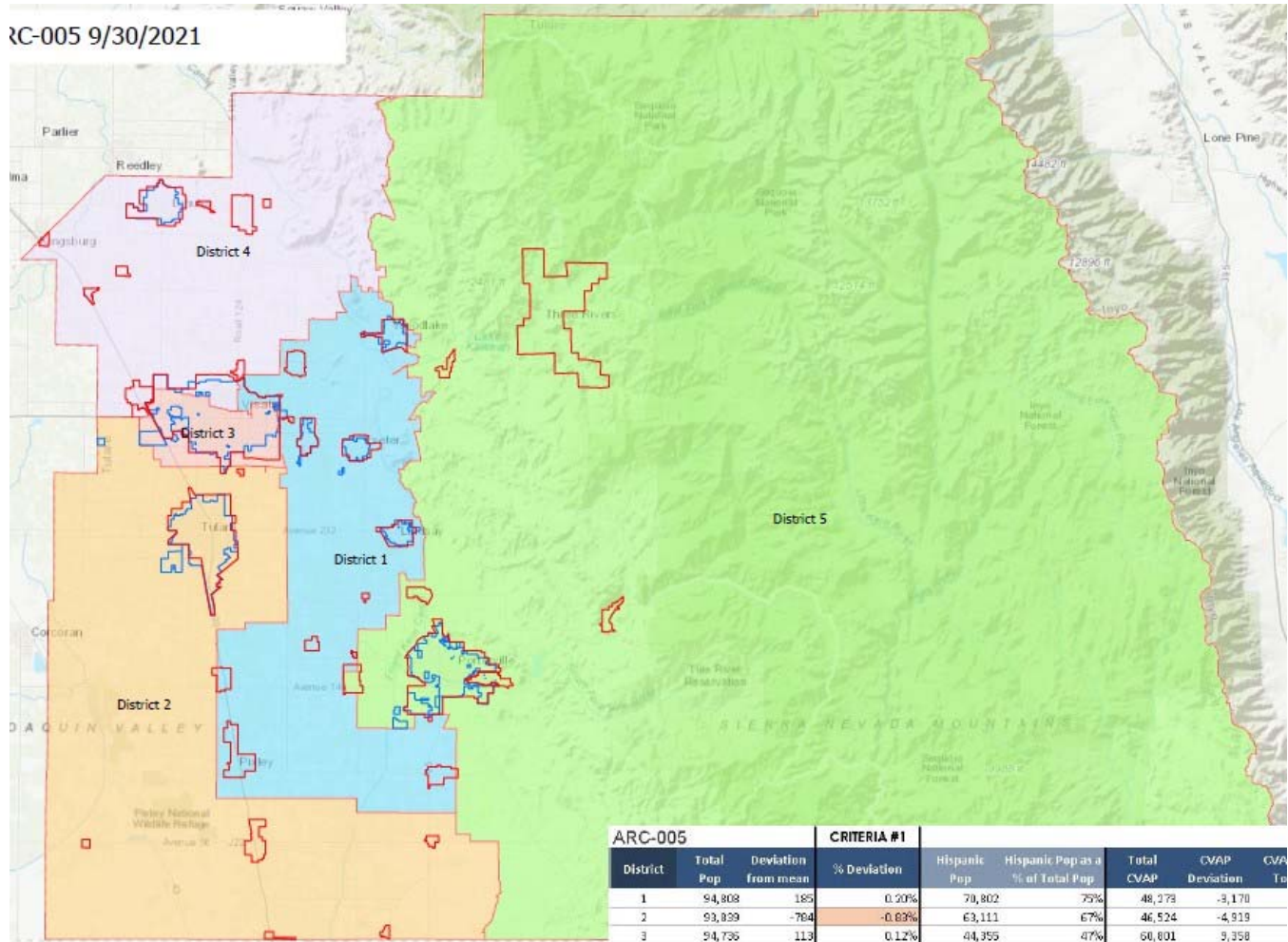
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found no merits to this map. Concerns included that the map contains three mountain communities and separates the Tule River Tribal lands and the City of Porterville from the neighboring mountain community in District 1. One Commissioner stated the northeast side of Tulare share a community of interest with Southern Visalia and that this map does not reflect that interest. On September 30, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## ARC-005

On September 23, 2021, the Commission directed staff to prepare a fifth commission map without specific parameters. On September 30, 2021, staff presented ARC-005, and the Commission directed staff to make further modifications detailed in the following ARC-005A section of this report.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, not State-adjusted

ARC-005			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,808	185	0.20%	70,802	75%	48,273	29,034	60.1%
2	93,839	-784	-0.83%	63,111	67%	46,524	25,645	55.1%
3	94,736	113	0.12%	44,355	47%	60,801	22,201	36.5%
4	94,403	-220	-0.23%	70,620	75%	47,754	30,044	62.9%
5	95,331	708	0.75%	61,007	64%	53,864	24,534	45.5%
SUM	473,117			309,895	66%	257,216	131,458	51.1%
MEAN	94,623		1.58%	61,979	66%	51,443	26,292	51.1%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

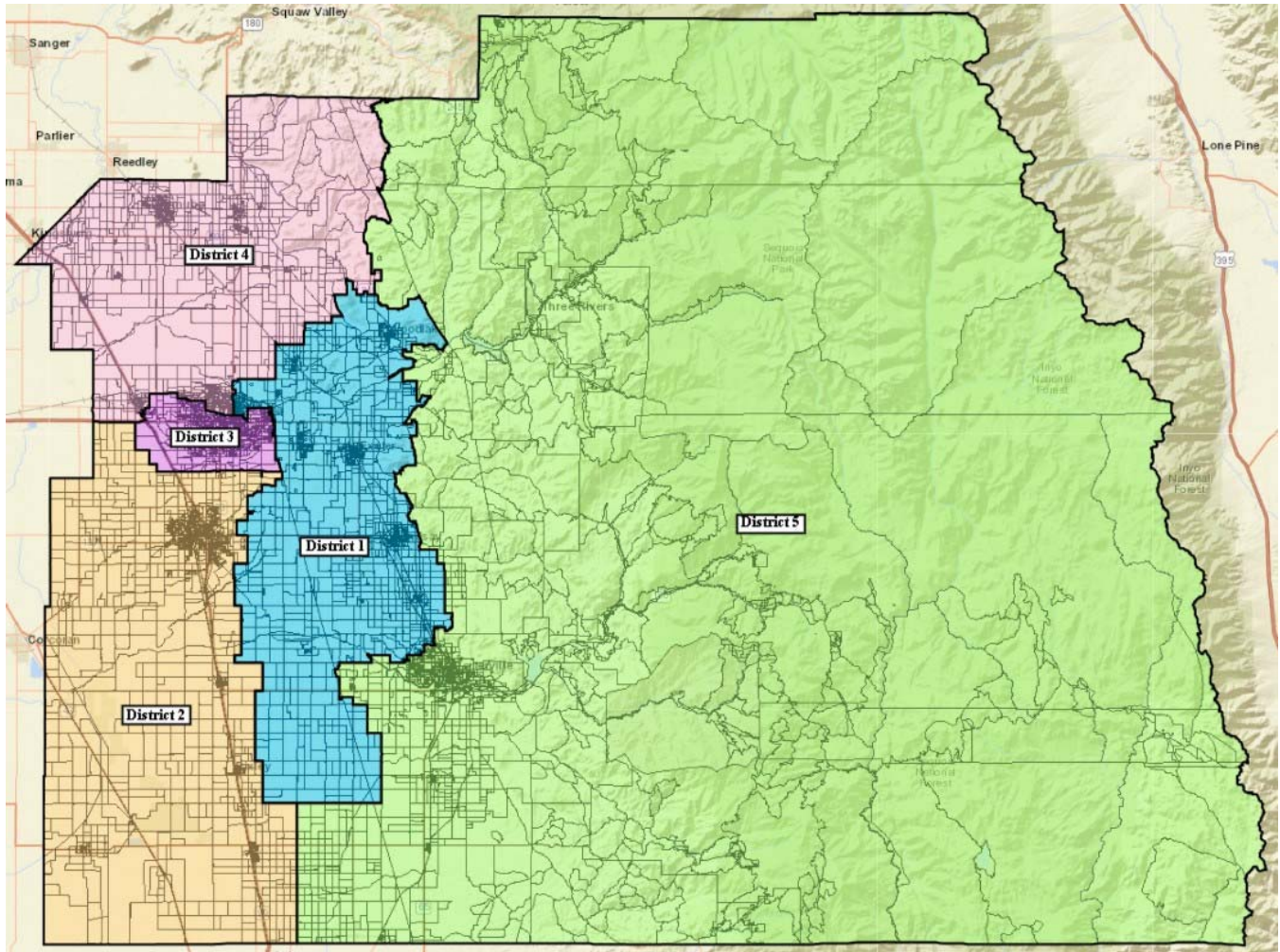
Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		1.58% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance		H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 60.1%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.1%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.9%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducor not together with Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity		✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include two districts that exceed 60% H-CVAP and a third that exceeds 55%, and that it creates a single mountain district while keeping the City of Tulare whole. Concerns were that Terra Bella and Ducor are not grouped with Porterville in the same district as requested by the public. One Commissioner noted that traditionally Tipton and Pixley are included in District 2. The Commission found the map includes Tipton in both Districts 1 and 2 with Pixley located in District 2. One Commissioner stated the northeast side of Tulare shares a community of interest with Southern Visalia and that this map does not reflect that interest. The Commission voted to direct staff to incorporate the communities of Ducor and Terra Bella into District 5 and keep whole Tipton.

## ARC-005A

On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to modify ARC-005 to incorporate the communities of Terra Bella and Ducor into District 5, and to keep the community of Tipton whole. On October 7, 2021, staff presented ARC-005A and the Commission voted to eliminate the map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-005A			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,266	-745	-0.78%	68,168	72%	50,269	28,735	57.2%
2	96,872	1,861	1.96%	65,892	68%	47,190	26,122	55.4%
3	94,916	-95	-0.10%	44,482	47%	60,743	22,355	36.8%
4	94,841	-170	-0.18%	70,946	75%	48,414	30,395	62.8%
5	94,161	-850	-0.89%	61,798	66%	52,250	25,081	48.0%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>2.85%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>



## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

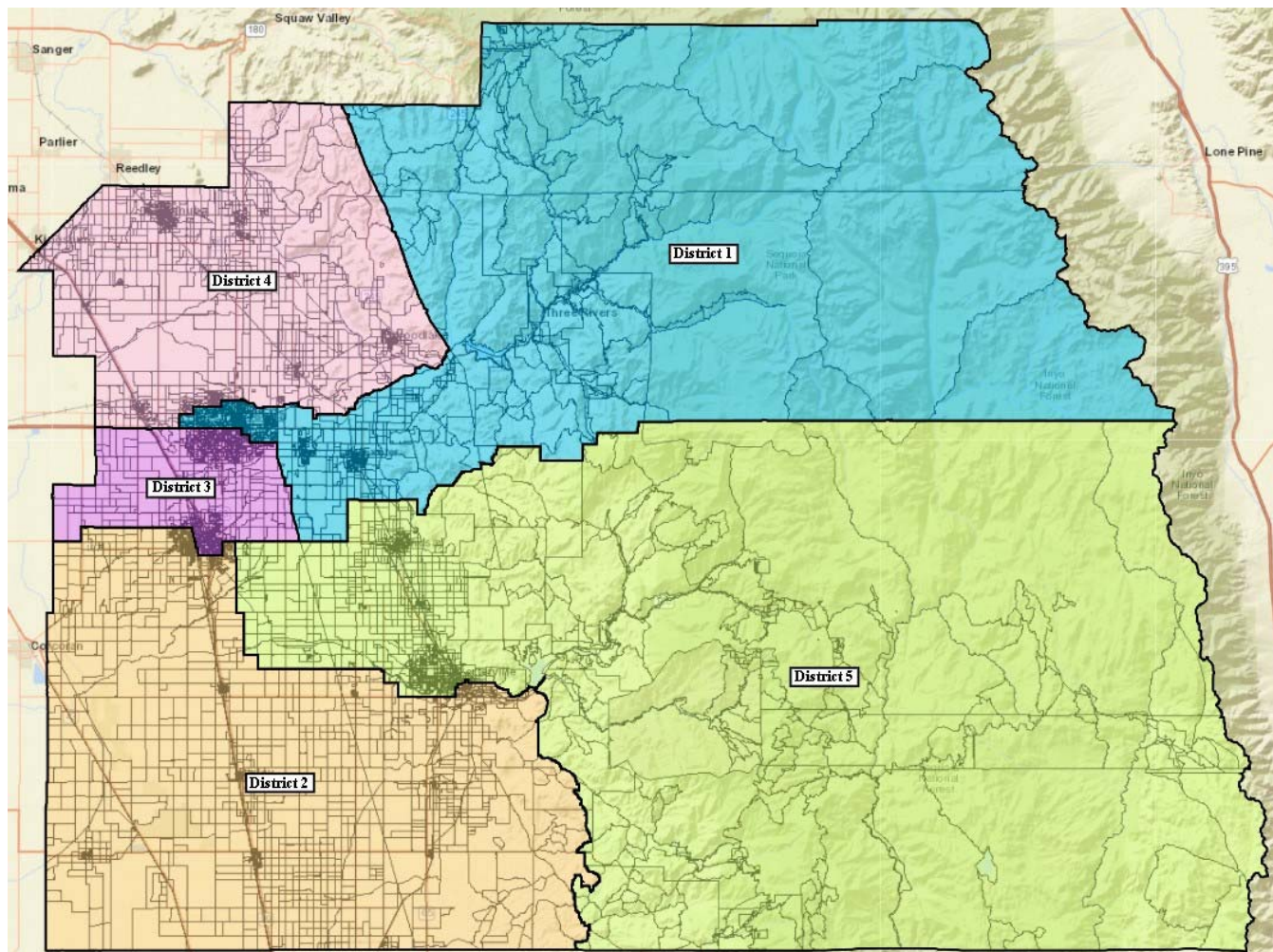
Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		2.85% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance		The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in three districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 57.2%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.4%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.8%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Incorporate Terra Bella and Ducor into D5 (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✗ Porterville not fully in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Keep Tipton whole (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Porterville is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include three majority H-CVAP districts including one above 60%, Terra Bella and Ducor are together with Porterville, Goshen is in District 4 and the City of Tulare is kept whole. Concerns included the City of Porterville was not in one district. On October 7, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.

## ARC-006

On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to prepare an additional map that created two or more mountain districts. On October 7, 2021, staff presented ARC-006 and the Commission voted to eliminate the map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-006			CRITERIA #1				CRITERIA #2		
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	95,622	611	0.64%	56,755	59%	55,676	25,969	46.6%	
2	94,788	-223	-0.23%	72,348	76%	43,850	27,540	62.8%	
3	94,684	-327	-0.34%	46,231	49%	59,992	23,404	39.0%	
4	95,705	694	0.73%	71,423	75%	49,467	30,517	61.7%	
5	94,257	-754	-0.79%	64,529	68%	49,881	25,258	50.6%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>1.52%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>	

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		1.52% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance		H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 62.8%</li> <li>• District 4 – 61.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mountains in two or more districts (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducor not with Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✗ Tule River Tribe lands not in the same district</li> <li>✗ Porterville not completely in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> <li>✗ Porterville is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

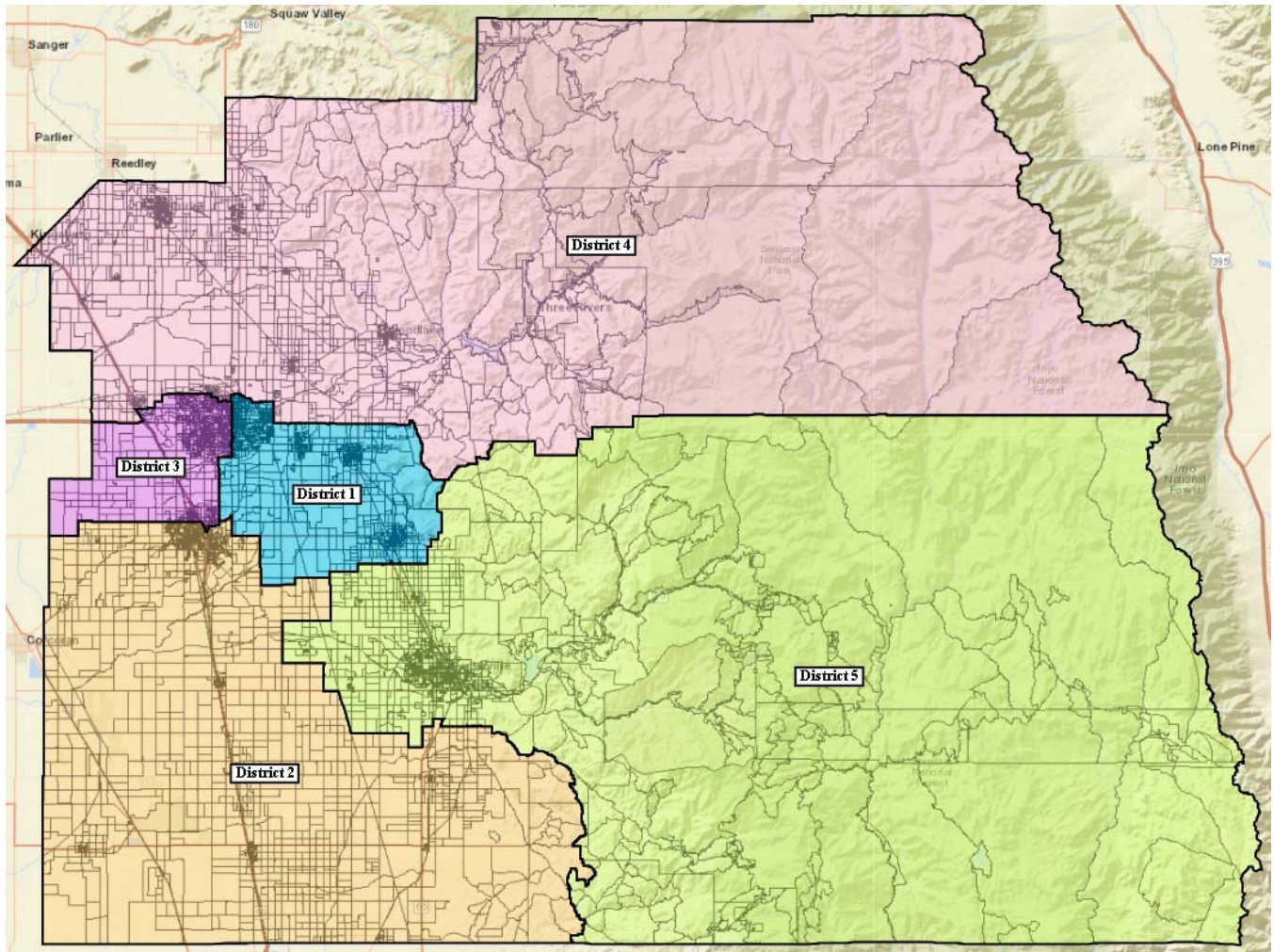
## Commissioner Comments

The Commission found the merits of this map to include good population deviation and two mountain districts. Concerns included no third majority H-CVAP district, the City of Tulare is split, Porterville is split, communities of interest south of Porterville such as Terra Bella and Ducor are not included within the same district as all of Porterville, and the Tulare River Tribal lands are divided between two districts. On October 7, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## ARC-007

On September 30, 2021, the Commission directed staff to prepare an additional map that split the City of Tulare in the way the Equity Coalition Map had split the city and to keep the surrounding unincorporated communities together as a community of interest. On October 7, 2021, staff presented ARC-007 and the Commission voted to eliminate the map from further consideration.



Summary Statistics, 2020 Census Data from County database, Final State-adjusted

ARC-007			CRITERIA #1					CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,688	677	0.71%	62,072	65%	53,675	27,303	50.9%
2	94,964	-47	-0.05%	68,792	72%	45,293	27,246	60.2%
3	94,446	-565	-0.59%	45,557	48%	57,402	22,303	38.9%
4	95,446	435	0.46%	71,580	75%	50,594	30,455	60.2%
5	94,512	-499	-0.53%	63,285	67%	51,902	25,381	48.9%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		1.31%	62,257	66%	51,773	26,538	51.3%

## Compliance with Redistricting Criteria

Criteria	Commission Direction	Analysis of Compliance with Redistricting Criteria
1. Population Equality		1.31% Population Deviation
2. Legal Compliance		H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 60.2%</li> <li>• District 4 – 60.2%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducor not with Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Split Tulare to keep Tulare's unincorporated communities as a COI (9/30)</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

## Commissioner Comments

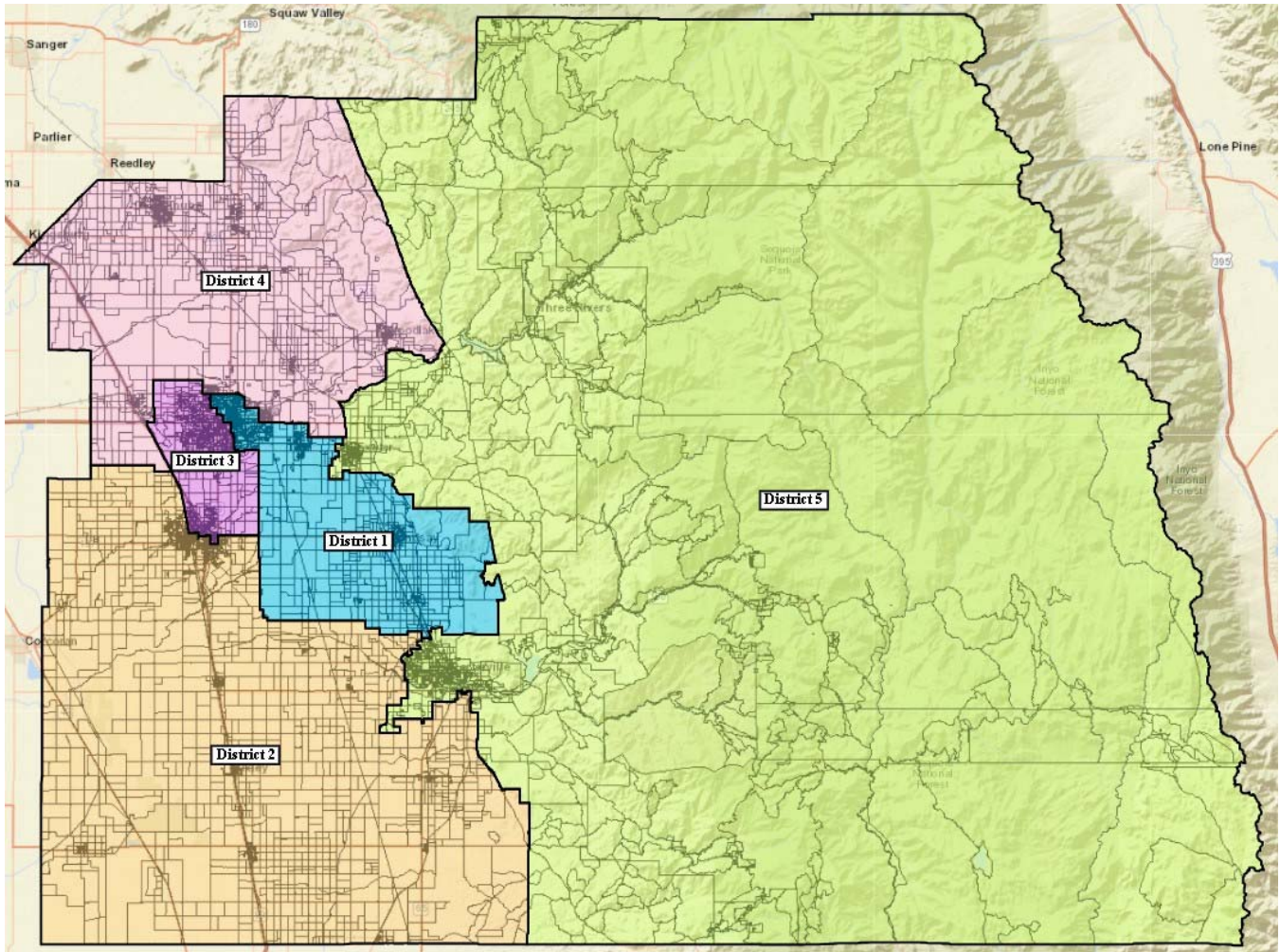
The Commission found the merits of this map to include good population deviation and two mountain districts. Concerns included no third majority H-CVAP district, the City of Tulare is split, and communities south of Porterville are not included within the same district as Porterville. On October 7, 2021, the Commission voted to eliminate this map from further consideration.



## 6. RECOMMENDED MAPS

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### COM-001B Equity Coalition Map

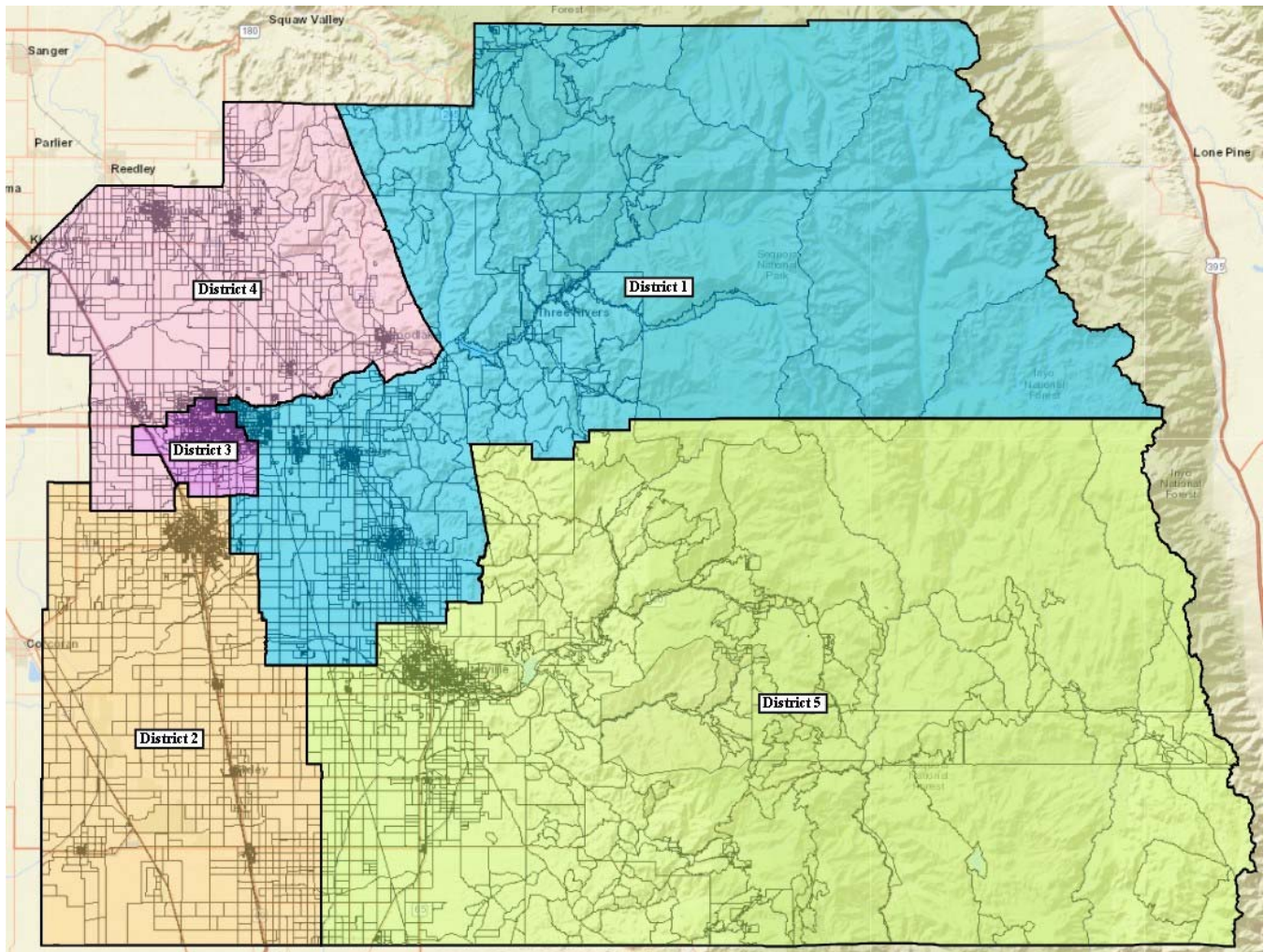


On September 30, 2021, the Commission voted 7 yes and 4 no to recommend the final Equity Coalition Map (COM-001B) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration. At the following meeting, on October 7, 2021, the Commission voted unanimously to make the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map is in compliance with three districts of H-CVAP majority;
2. Takes into consideration the community input that the Commission received regarding the single mountain district;
3. Splits the City of Tulare into two different districts, which, while not the preference of all Commissioners, reflects the voices we heard in the community and provides a diversity in maps recommended to the Board of Supervisors;
4. Fair distribution of population, to date had the most impressive population deviation;
5. Strongest number for H-CVAP majorities through the districts;
6. Most inclusive support by community members and most significant public turnout at meetings; and
7. Terra Bella, Ducor, and Poplar communities have more in common with City of Porterville than City of Tulare with specific regard to where individuals go to school and shop;



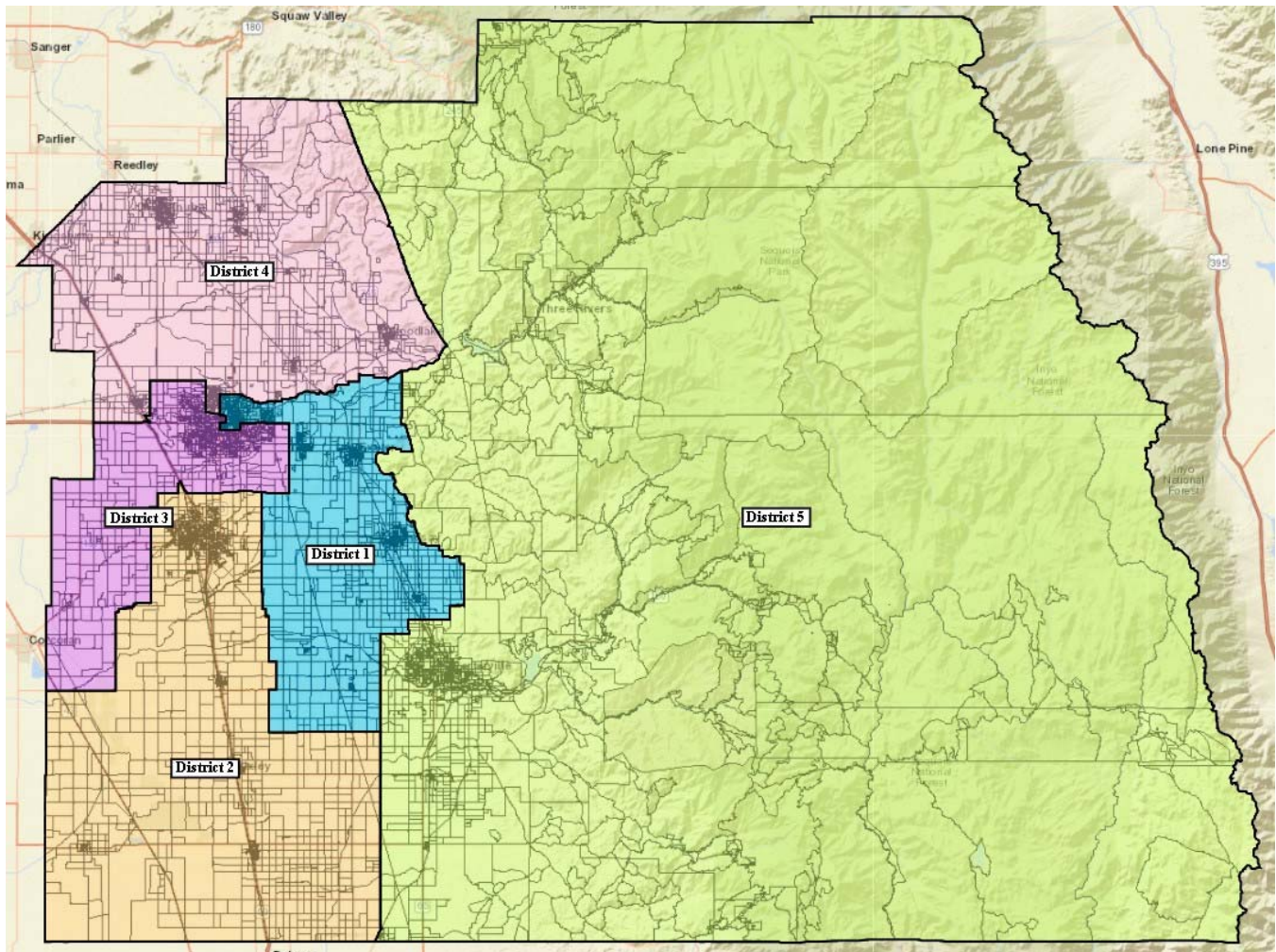
## COM-002A1 Wells Map



On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted 8 yes and 3 abstain to recommend the revised Wells Map (COM-002a1) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration, and made the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map includes three H-CVAP majority districts over 51%;
2. There is very low population deviation;
3. Meets all criteria for community integrity, including that Tulare is not split, West Goshen is in District 4, Terra Bella and Ducor are with Porterville, Woodlake is in District 4, and the middle of Visalia is kept intact;
4. Gives the Board a two-mountain-district option; and
5. The map shows the best compactness.

## COM-003A Verduzco Map

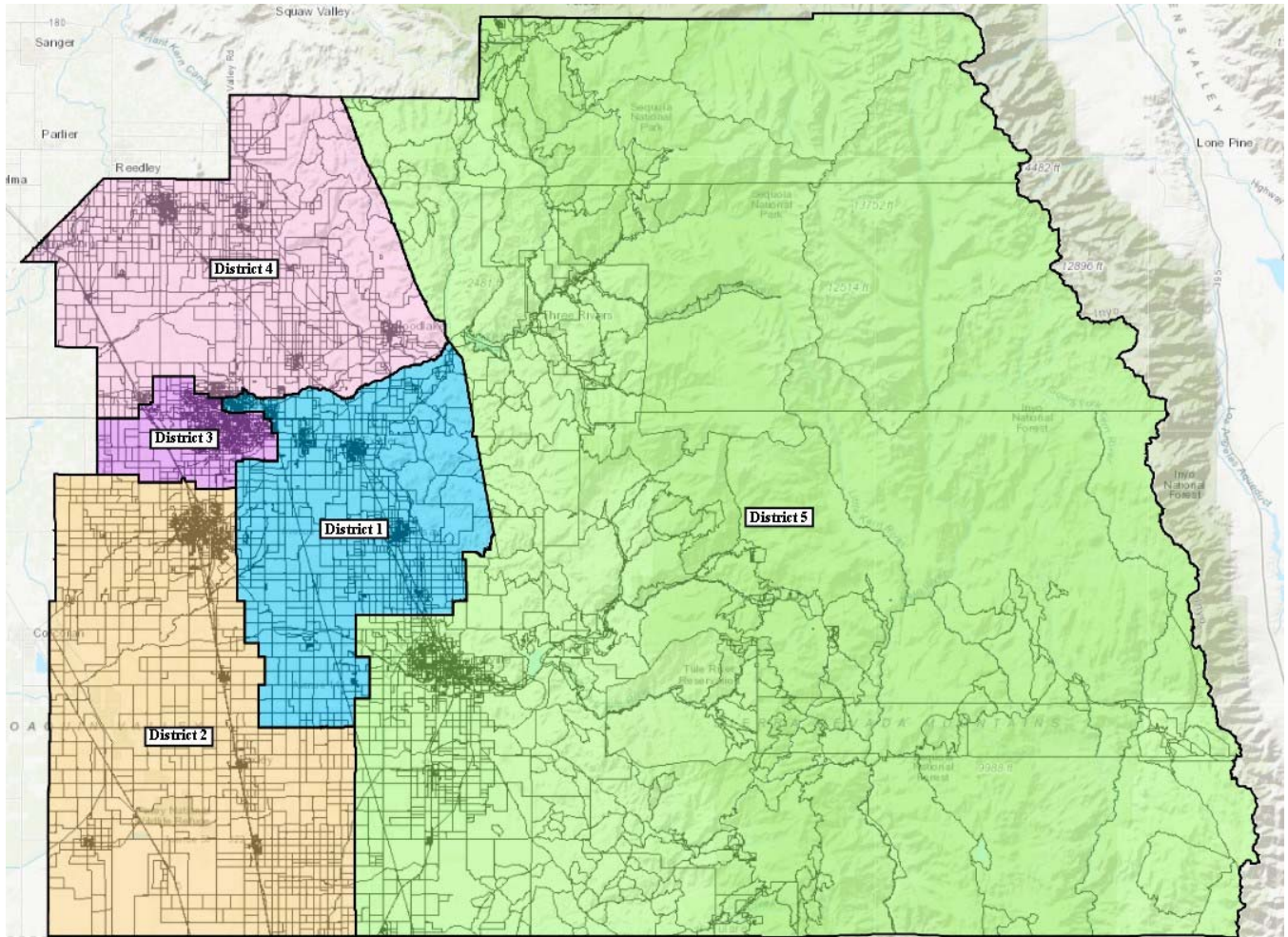


On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted 8 yes 2 no 1 abstain to recommend the revised Verduzco Map (COM-003a) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration, and made the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map creates three strong majority H-CVAP districts;
2. The shape of District 1 in the City of Visalia is better than other considered maps;
3. Meets all criteria for community integrity, including that Tulare is kept whole, Porterville is in District 5, Woodlake is in District 4, Goshen is in District 4, the mountain community is in one district, and Tule River Tribal land is in one district; and
4. The map was created by a Commissioner.



## COM-005B Kindschuh Map



On October 21, 2021, the Commission voted 9 yes 1 no 1 abstain to recommend the revised Kindschuh Map (COM-005a) to the Board of Supervisors for consideration, and made the following findings associated with its recommendations:

1. The map creates three high H-CVAP majority districts;
2. Meets all criteria for community integrity, including that Terra Bella and Ducor are together with Porterville, West Goshen is in District 4, Porterville is in District 5, Woodlake is in District 4, the mountains are in a single district, Tulare is kept whole, and the Tule River Tribal land is in a single district; and
3. The map uses identifiable boundaries; and
4. The mapmaker incorporated feedback from the Commission into this final revision.



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## 7. CONCLUSION

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This Final Report has been prepared by the Advisory Redistricting Commission and County staff for the consideration of the Board of Supervisors. This report has summarized months of meetings, hours of public testimony, dozens of uniquely complex maps, and valuable contributions from local leaders. This report will serve as a record of the Commission's activities for years to come. It is the hope and intent of the Commission that this Final Report and the extensive information included within its pages will be used to guide the Board's decision-making when considering boundaries for new supervisorial district changes.

The Commission acknowledges that its primary role and, indeed its chief source of influence, is expressed in the small number of maps being recommended to the Board. The Commission also acknowledges that the Board of Supervisors has the sole authority to approve the final supervisorial map, but the Commission would like to communicate to the Board the great attention that has been spent on all of the maps submitted – over 35 in total – and that the few final maps being submitted to the Board reflect the essential requests of the community and the legal requirements contained in the Voting Rights Act and the Fair Maps Act. In that regard, the Commission humbly requests that the Board dedicate its attention to these few maps first as the Board continues to evaluate potential boundary changes.

Importantly, in the spirit of transparency and inclusiveness, the Commission created an interactive process that engaged members of the community from all areas of the County. Each Commissioner exhibited great dedication to this interactive process and volunteered many hours of their time to attend meetings and consider proposed maps. Although not always without disagreement, all Commissioners demonstrated a respect for their colleagues and a mutual attentiveness to the opinions of fellow Commissioners. Tulare County's process has been noted many times as an example of best practices for redistricting and community engagement. At every step of the process, the Commission was thoughtful in their deliberations, considerate of the needs of the public, and allowed for lengthy discussion of this critical issue.

In conclusion, it is with sincere honor and gratitude that the Commission and County staff submit this report to the Board of Supervisors, and, above all, the Commission would like to express sincere gratitude to all of the community members and organizations who participated and contributed to this once-in-a-decade process.

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# APPENDIX A

## RECOMMENDED MAP I

### COM-001b EQUITY COALITION MAP



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COM-001b

Supervisory Districts

Urban Development Boundaries

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Proposed District 1

Proposed District 2

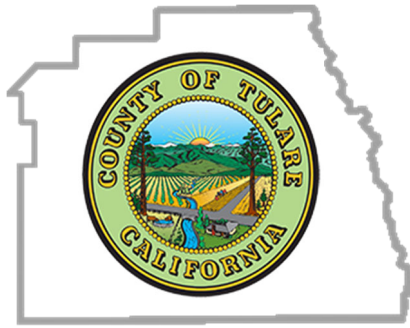
Proposed District 3

Proposed District 4

Proposed District 5

COM-001B			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,022	11	0.01%	67,093	71%	50,961	-812	54%	29,419	57.7%
2	95,022	11	0.01%	71,380	75%	44,022	-7,751	46%	27,838	63.2%
3	94,992	-19	-0.02%	41,874	44%	59,655	7,882	63%	20,861	35.0%
4	95,070	59	0.06%	72,634	76%	50,012	-1,761	53%	31,223	62.4%
5	94,950	-61	-0.06%	58,305	61%	54,216	2,443	57%	23,347	43.1%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.13%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%





## APPENDIX B

## RECOMMENDED MAP 2

COM-002a I WELLS MAP



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COM-002a1

Urban Development Boundaries

Cities

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District

Proposed District 1

Proposed District 2

Proposed District 3

Proposed District 4

Proposed District 5

Supervisoryal Districts

COM-002a1			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,992	-19	-0.02%	64,088	67%	51,920	147	55%	27,178	52.3%
2	95,023	12	0.01%	64,989	68%	46,038	-5,735	48%	25,695	55.8%
3	95,026	15	0.02%	46,549	49%	60,043	8,270	63%	23,477	39.1%
4	95,011	0	0.00%	71,852	76%	48,977	-2,796	52%	30,560	62.4%
5	95,004	-7	-0.01%	63,808	67%	51,888	115	55%	25,778	49.7%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.04%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%





## APPENDIX C

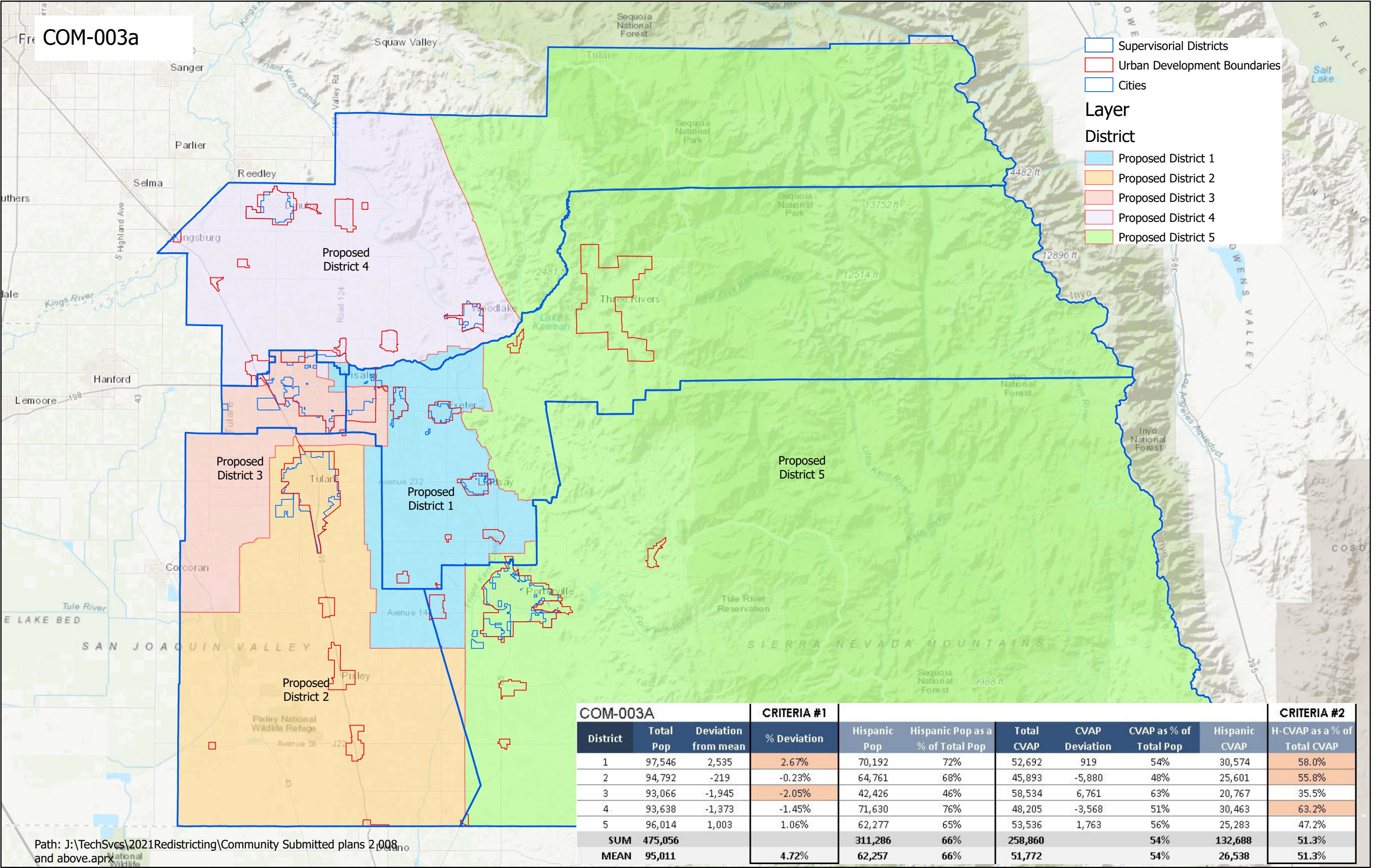
### RECOMMENDED MAP 3

COM-003b VERDUZCO MAP



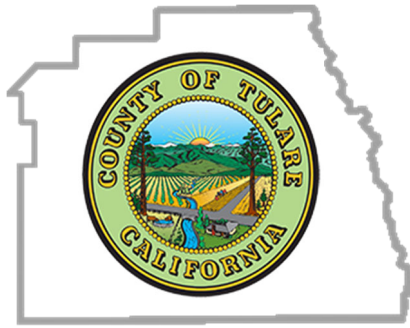
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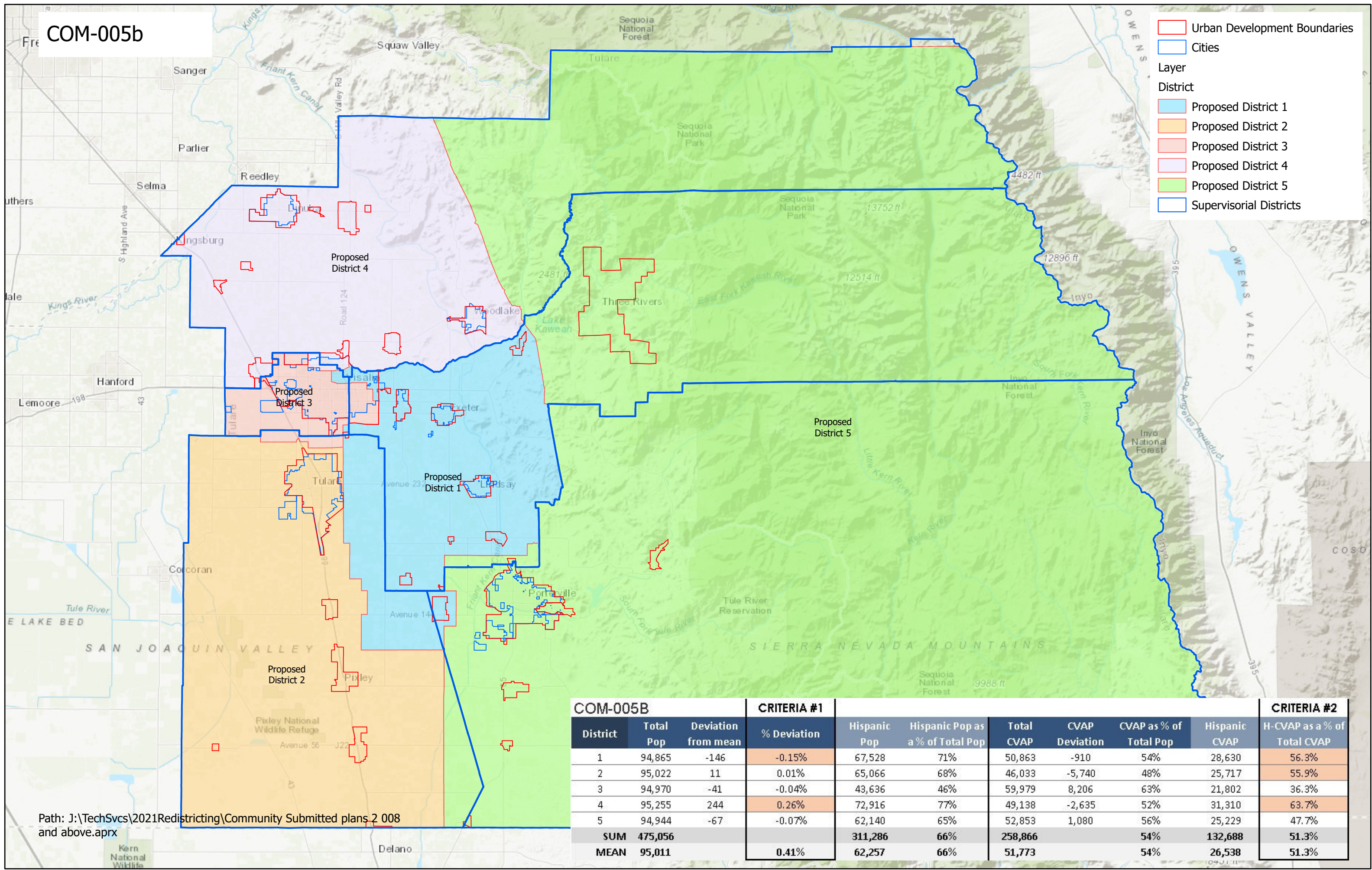
COM-005b KINDSCHUH MAP



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COM-005b

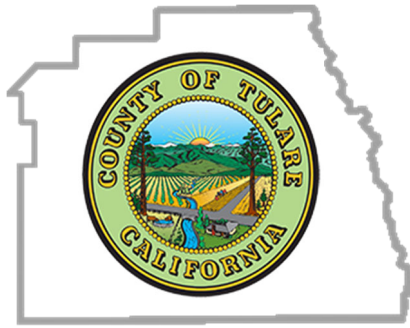


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- Proposed District 1
- Proposed District 2
- Proposed District 3
- Proposed District 4
- Proposed District 5
- Supervisory Districts

COM-005B			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,865	-146	-0.15%	67,528	71%	50,863	-910	54%	28,630	56.3%
2	95,022	11	0.01%	65,066	68%	46,033	-5,740	48%	25,717	55.9%
3	94,970	-41	-0.04%	43,636	46%	59,979	8,206	63%	21,802	36.3%
4	95,255	244	0.26%	72,916	77%	49,138	-2,635	52%	31,310	63.7%
5	94,944	-67	-0.07%	62,140	65%	52,853	1,080	56%	25,229	47.7%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.41%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%

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## APPENDIX E

# PUBLIC OUTREACH MATERIAL

INFORMATIONAL HANDOUTS,  
FLYERS & PRESS RELEASES



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# COUNTY OF TULARE REDISTRICTING 2021

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## What is Redistricting?

Every ten years, county supervisorial districts must be redrawn so that each district is substantially equal in population. This process is called redistricting, and is important in ensuring that each supervisor represents approximately the same number of constituents.

In Tulare County, the Board of Supervisors (Board) is responsible for drawing supervisorial districts using U.S. Census data, which is expected to be released around September 30, 2021. For the County of Tulare, the redistricting process must be completed by December 15, 2021.

## What District Am I in?

Supervisorial Districts and the communities represented by district:

<b>District 1</b>	<b>District 2</b>	<b>District 3</b>	<b>District 4</b>	<b>District 5</b>
Exeter	Allensworth	Visalia	Badger	Camp Nelson
Farmersville	Alpaugh		Cutler	Ducor
Lindcove	Earlimart		Dinuba	Kennedy Meadows
Lindsay	Pixley		Goshen	Poplar-Cotton Center
Poplar	Tipton		Ivanhoe	Porterville
Strathmore	Tulare		Orosi	Posey
Three Rivers	Waukena		Traver	Richgrove
Visalia (part)			Visalia (part)	Springville
Woodville			Woodlake	Terra Bella

## What Criteria Will Be Used to When Drawing District Lines?

In accordance with the Fair Maps Act (AB 849), supervisorial district boundary and county population criteria include the following in order of priority:

1. Population equality shall be based on the total population of residents of the county as determined by the decennial census. State prisoners, whose last known place of residence was in Tulare County as determined by the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, shall be added to the Tulare County population.
2. Supervisorial district boundaries shall comply with the U.S. Constitution, California Constitution, and the federal Voting Rights Act.
3. To the extent practicable, Districts shall be geographically contiguous.
4. To the extent practicable, Districts shall respect the geographic integrity of any local neighborhood or local community of interest in a manner that minimizes its division.
5. To the extent practicable, Districts shall respect the geographic integrity of a city or census designated place in a manner that minimizes its division.
6. District boundaries should be easily identifiable and understandable by residents. To the extent practicable, Districts shall be bounded by natural and artificial barriers, by streets, or by boundaries of the county.
7. To the extent practicable, and where it does not conflict with the preceding criteria, Districts shall be drawn to encourage geographic compactness in such a manner that nearby areas of population are not bypassed in favor of more distant populations.
8. The board shall not adopt boundaries for the purpose of favoring or discriminating against a political party.



# COUNTY OF TULARE REDISTRICTING 2021

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## Why Does Redistricting Matter to Me?

Redistricting determines which neighborhoods and communities are grouped together into a supervisorial district for purposes of electing a Board member. The Board of Supervisors will seek input in selecting the next district map for supervisorial districts. You have an opportunity to share with the Commission and Board of Supervisors how you think district boundaries should be drawn to best represent your community.

## How Will the Public Be Notified About Redistricting?

The Board of Supervisors will reach out to local media to publicize the redistricting process, make a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process, and provide public hearings and/or workshops in applicable languages if residents submit a request in advance. All redistricting hearings and/or workshops will be noticed to the public in advance, and proposed maps will be posted online for public review and comment before adoption. If you would like to be notified of future meetings, send us an email to add you to our contact list. [redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)

## How Do I Submit a Map?

Members of the public may submit draft maps for consideration by the Commission several ways. The most precise way to submit a map is by utilizing the ESRI Software provided by the County found in the following link: <https://tularecountyredistricting.esriemcs.com/redistricting/>. The software will include guidelines set in the Fair Maps Act. Training videos on how to use the software will be provided at a later date. All other types of map submissions are welcome via email, in person at commission meetings, or mail.

## How Do I Get Involved?

The Commission will be holding meetings, public hearings, and workshops to solicit public input on boundary changes. Members of the public are encouraged to provide their input in several ways: in person, email, phone, or zoom. Members of the public may provide public comments during Commission meetings. Members of the public may submit communities of interest for consideration by the Commission.

To find more information on how to participate and provide public comment please visit our website: <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/> or scan the QR code.







# CONDADO DE TULARE REDISTRIBUCIÓN DE DISTRITOS 2021

## ¿Qué es la redistribución de distritos?

Cada diez años, los distritos de supervisión del condado deben volver a trazarse para que cada distrito sea sustancialmente igual en población. Este proceso se llama redistribución de distritos y es importante para garantizar que cada supervisor represente aproximadamente el mismo número de electores.

En el condado de Tulare, El Consejo de Supervisores (Consejo) es responsable de trazar distritos de supervisión utilizando datos del censo de EE. UU., que se espera que se publique alrededor del 30 de septiembre de 2021. Para el condado de Tulare, el proceso de redistribución de distritos debe completarse antes del 15 de diciembre de 2021.

## ¿En qué distrito estoy?

Distritos de supervisión y las comunidades representadas por distrito:

<b>Distrito 1</b>	<b>Distrito 2</b>	<b>Distrito 3</b>	<b>Distrito 4</b>	<b>Distrito 5</b>
Exeter	Allensworth	Visalia	Badger	Camp Nelson
Farmersville	Alpaugh		Cutler	Ducor
Lindcove	Earlimart		Dinuba	Kennedy Meadows
Lindsay	Pixley		Goshen	Poplar-Cotton Center
Poplar	Tipton		Ivanhoe	Porterville
Strathmore	Tulare		Orosi	Posey
Three Rivers	Waukena		Traver	Richgrove
Visalia (parte)			Visalia (parte)	Springville
Woodville			Woodlake	Terra Bella

## ¿Qué criterio se utilizará al trazar líneas de distrito?

De acuerdo con la Ley de Mapas Justos (Fair Maps Act AB 849), los límites del distrito de supervisión y los criterios de población del condado incluyen lo siguiente en orden de prioridad:

1. La igualdad de población se basará en la población total de residentes del condado según lo determine el censo decenal. Los prisioneros estatales, cuyo último lugar de residencia conocido fue el condado de Tulare, según lo determine el Departamento de Correcciones y Rehabilitación de California, se agregarán a la población del condado de Tulare.
2. Los límites de los distritos de supervisión deberán cumplir con la Constitución de los Estados Unidos, la Constitución de California, y la Ley federal de derechos al voto.
3. En la medida posible, los distritos serán geográficamente contiguos.
4. En la medida posible, los distritos respetarán la integridad geográfica de cualquier vecindario o comunidad local de interés de una manera que minimice su división.
5. En la medida de lo posible, los distritos respetarán la integridad geográfica de una ciudad o lugar designado por el censo de una manera que minimice su división.
6. Los límites de los distritos deben ser fácilmente identificables y comprensibles para los residentes. En la medida posible, los distritos estarán delimitados por barreras naturales y artificiales, por calles, o por límites del condado.



# CONDADO DE TULARE REDISTRIBUCIÓN DE DISTRITOS 2021

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7. En la medida posible, y cuando no entre en conflicto con los criterios anteriores, los distritos se trazarán para fomentar la compacidad geográfica de tal manera que las áreas cercanas de población no se desvíen en favor de poblaciones más distantes.
8. El Consejo no adoptará límites con el propósito de favorecer o discriminar a un partido político.

## ¿Por qué me importa la redistribución de distritos?

La redistribución de distritos determina qué vecindarios y comunidades se agrupan en un distrito de supervisión con el fin de elegir a un miembro del Consejo. El Consejo de Supervisores solicitará información para seleccionar el siguiente mapa de distrito para los distritos supervisores. Usted tiene la oportunidad de compartir con la Comisión y el Consejo de Supervisores cómo cree que se deben trazar los límites del distrito para representar mejor a su comunidad.

## ¿Cómo se notificará al público sobre la redistribución de distritos?

El Consejo de Supervisores se comunicará con los medios de comunicación locales para publicitar el proceso de redistribución de distritos, haciendo un esfuerzo de buena fe para notificar a varios grupos comunitarios sobre el proceso de redistribución de distritos y ofrecerá audiencias públicas y/o talleres en los idiomas correspondientes si los residentes envían una solicitud con anticipación. Todas las audiencias y/o talleres de redistribución de distritos se notificarán al público con anticipación, y los mapas propuestos se publicarán en línea para que el público los revise y comente antes de su adopción. Si desea ser notificado de futuras reuniones, envíenos un correo electrónico para agregarlo a nuestra lista de contactos: [redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)

## ¿Cómo envío un mapa?

Los miembros del público pueden presentar bosquejos de sus mapas para la consideración de la Comisión de varias formas. La forma más precisa de someter un mapa es utilizando el programa ESRI proporcionado por el condado que se encuentra en el siguiente enlace: <https://tularecountyredistricting.esriemcs.com/redistricting/>. El programa incluirá las pautas establecidas en la Ley de Mapas Justos. Más adelante se proporcionarán videos de capacitación sobre cómo usar el programa. Todos los demás tipos para someter los mapas son bienvenidos, sea por correo electrónico, en persona en las reuniones de la comisión, o por correo.

## ¿Cómo me involucre?

La Comisión llevará a cabo reuniones, audiencias públicas, y talleres para solicitar la opinión del público sobre los cambios de límites. Se anima a los miembros del público a que brinden su opinión de varias maneras: en persona, por correo electrónico, por teléfono, o con Zoom. Los miembros del público pueden proporcionar comentarios públicos durante las reuniones de la Comisión. Los miembros del público pueden presentar comunidades de interés para que sean consideradas por la Comisión.

Para encontrar más información sobre cómo participar y proporcionar comentarios públicos, visite nuestro sitio web: <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/> o escanee el código QR.





## **Tulare County 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Informational and Listening Session District 2**

Every ten years, Tulare County Supervisorial Districts (5), use new census data to redraw district lines to reflect how the local population has changed. District lines are drawn so that they are substantially equal in population. The United States Census data to be used is expected to be released around September 30, 2021. For Tulare County, the redistricting process must be completed by December 15, 2021.

Community members are encouraged to participate in this Informational and listening session. Community of Interests, organizations, business organizations, and interested individuals are welcome to attend. County staff will present software that will allow the community to submit their own maps to be considered. Public Comment will be accepted. This meeting is scheduled

**Thursday, July 1, 2021  
International Agri-Center  
Social Hall  
4500 S. Laspina St.  
Tulare, CA 93274  
6:30 PM**

For more information, please contact:  
Lali Moheno at [LMoheno@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LMoheno@sbcglobal.net)

or

<https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting.cfm/meeting/>





**Condado de Tulare**  
**2021 Comisión de Asesoría de la Redistribución de Distritos**  
**de Supervisión**  
**Sesión Informativa y de Escucha**  
**Distrito 2**

Cada diez años, los Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare (5), utilizan los nuevos datos del censo para volver a trazar las líneas del distrito para reflejar cómo ha cambiado la población local. Las líneas del distrito se trazan de modo que sean sustancialmente equilibradas en población. Se espera que los datos del Censo de los Estados Unidos que se utilizarán se publiquen alrededor del 30 de septiembre de 2021. Para el Condado de Tulare, el proceso de redistribución de distritos debe completarse antes del 15 de diciembre del 2021.

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en esta sesión informativa y de escucha. La comunidad de interés, las organizaciones, las organizaciones de negocio y las personas interesadas pueden asistir. El personal del condado presentará un programa de informática que le permitirá a la comunidad el enviar sus propios mapas para ser considerados. Se aceptarán Comentarios Públicos. Esta reunión está programada para el:

**Jueves, 1ero de julio del 2021**

**Centro Agrícola Internacional**

**Salón Social**

**4500 S. Laspina St.**

**Tulare, CA 93274**

**6:30 PM**

Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con:

Lali Moheno at [LMoheno@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LMoheno@sbcglobal.net)

or

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# **Tulare County**

## **2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting**

### **Informational and Listening Session**

#### **District 3**

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Community members are encouraged to participate in this Informational and listening session. Community of Interests, organizations, business organizations, and interested individuals are welcome to attend. County staff will present software that will allow the community to submit their own maps to be considered. Public Comment will be accepted. This meeting is scheduled.

**Thursday, July 15, 2021**

**Visalia Convention Center**  
**Exhibit Hall**  
**303 E. Acequia Avenue**  
**Visalia, CA 93291**  
**6:30 PM**

For more information, please contact:  
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or

<https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting.cfm/meeting/>



**Condado de Tulare**  
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**Distrito 3**

Cada diez años, los Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare (5), utilizan los nuevos datos del censo para volver a trazar las líneas del distrito para reflejar cómo ha cambiado la población local. Las líneas del distrito se trazan de modo que sean sustancialmente equilibradas en población. Se espera que los datos del Censo de los Estados Unidos que se utilizarán se publiquen alrededor del 30 de septiembre de 2021. Para el Condado de Tulare, el proceso de redistribución de distritos debe completarse antes del 15 de diciembre del 2021.

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en esta sesión informativa y de escucha. La comunidad de interés, las organizaciones, las organizaciones de negocio y las personas interesadas pueden asistir. El personal del condado presentará un programa de informática que le permitirá a la comunidad el enviar sus propios mapas para ser considerados. Se aceptarán Comentarios Públicos. Esta reunión está programada para el:

**Jueves, 15 de julio del 2021**

**Centro de Convenciones**

**Sala de Exposiciones**

**Visalia, CA 93291**

**6:30 PM**

Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con:

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# **Tulare County**

## **2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting**

### **Informational and Listening Session**

#### **District 4**

Every ten years, Tulare County Supervisorial Districts (5), use new census data to redraw district lines to reflect how the local population has changed. District lines are drawn so that they are substantially equal in population. The United States Census data to be used is expected to be released around September 30, 2021. For Tulare County, the redistricting process must be completed by December 15, 2021.

Community members are encouraged to participate in this Informational and listening session. Community of Interests, organizations, business organizations, and interested individuals are welcome to attend. County staff will present software that will allow the community to submit their own maps to be considered. Public Comment will be accepted. This meeting is scheduled.

**Thursday, July 29, 2021**

**Parks & Community Services Recreation Center**  
**1390 E. Elizabeth Way**  
**Dinuba, CA 93618**

**6:30 PM**

For more information, please contact:  
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or

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**Condado de Tulare**  
**2021 Comisión de Asesoría de la Redistribución de Distritos**  
**de Supervisión**  
**Sesión Informativa y de Escucha**  
**Distrito 4**

Cada diez años, los Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare (5), utilizan los nuevos datos del censo para volver a trazar las líneas del distrito para reflejar cómo ha cambiado la población local. Las líneas del distrito se trazan de modo que sean sustancialmente equilibradas en población. Se espera que los datos del Censo de los Estados Unidos que se utilizarán se publiquen alrededor del 30 de septiembre de 2021. Para el Condado de Tulare, el proceso de redistribución de distritos debe completarse antes del 15 de diciembre del 2021.

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en esta sesión informativa y de escucha. La comunidad de interés, las organizaciones, las organizaciones de negocio y las personas interesadas pueden asistir. El personal del condado presentará un programa de informática que le permitirá a la comunidad el enviar sus propios mapas para ser considerados. Se aceptarán Comentarios Públicos. Esta reunión está programada para el:

**Jueves, 29 de julio del 2021**  
**Centro de Recreación y Servicios Comunitarios**  
**1390 E. Elizabeth Way**  
**Dinuba, CA 93618**  
**6:30 PM**

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# **Tulare County 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Informational and Listening Session District 5**

Every ten years, Tulare County Supervisorial Districts (5), use new census data to redraw district lines to reflect how the local population has changed. District lines are drawn so that they are substantially equal in population. The United States Census data to be used is expected to be released around September 30, 2021. For Tulare County, the redistricting process must be completed by December 15, 2021.

Community members are encouraged to participate in this Informational and listening session. Community of Interests, organizations, business organizations, and interested individuals are welcome to attend. County staff will present software that will allow the community to submit their own maps to be considered. Public Comment will be accepted. This meeting is scheduled.

**Thursday, August 12, 2021**

**CHMA Community Center  
466 E. Putnam Avenue  
Porterville, CA 93257**

**6:30 PM**

For more information, please contact:  
Lali Moheno at [LMoheno@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LMoheno@sbcglobal.net)

or

<https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting.cfm/meeting/>





**Condado de Tulare**  
**2021 Comisión de Asesoría de la Redistribución de Distritos**  
**de Supervisión**  
**Sesión Informativa y de Escucha**  
**Distrito 5**

Cada diez años, los Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare (5), utilizan los nuevos datos del censo para volver a trazar las líneas del distrito para reflejar cómo ha cambiado la población local. Las líneas del distrito se trazan de modo que sean sustancialmente equilibradas en población. Se espera que los datos del Censo de los Estados Unidos que se utilizarán se publiquen alrededor del 30 de septiembre de 2021. Para el Condado de Tulare, el proceso de redistribución de distritos debe completarse antes del 15 de diciembre del 2021.

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en esta sesión informativa y de escucha. La comunidad de interés, las organizaciones, las organizaciones de negocio y las personas interesadas pueden asistir. El personal del condado presentará un programa de informática que le permitirá a la comunidad el enviar sus propios mapas para ser considerados. Se aceptarán Comentarios Públicos. Esta reunión está programada para el:

**Jueves, 12 de agosto del 2021**  
**Comisión Honorífica Mexicana-Americana, Inc.**  
**Centro Comunitario**  
**466 E. Putnam Avenue**  
**Porterville, CA 93257**  
**6:30 PM**

Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con:

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# **Tulare County**

## **Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting**

### **Working Meeting**

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. Prior to the Census data release, the Tulare County 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting held five informational listening sessions in each of the supervisorial districts to explain the redistricting process.

On Thursday, August 26, 2021 at 6:30 pm, the Commission will be holding its first working meeting at the Board of Supervisors Chambers. **During this meeting, the Commission will review the differences between 2010 and 2020 census data in each district to determine the necessity of boundary changes and remain in compliance with State and federal statutes.**

Community members may participate in this working meeting by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. Community-proposed maps may also be submitted for consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, by email, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit [www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting).

**Thursday, August 26, 2021**  
**Board of Supervisors Chambers**  
**2800 W. Burrell Avenue**  
**Visalia, CA 93277**  
**6:30 pm**

For more information, please contact:  
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# Condado de Tulare 2021

## Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión Reunión de Trabajo

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare utiliza nuevos datos del Censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión para que cada distrito sea sustancialmente igual en población. Antes de la publicación de los datos del Censo, la Comisión de Asesoría de Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare del 2021 celebró cinco sesiones informativas de escucha en cada uno de los distritos de supervisión para explicar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

El jueves 26 de agosto de 2021 a las 6:30 pm, la Comisión realizará su primera reunión de trabajo en las Cámaras de la Junta de Supervisores. **Durante esta reunión, la Comisión revisará las diferencias entre los datos del censo de 2010 y 2020 en cada distrito para determinar la necesidad de cambios en los límites y cumplir con los estatutos estatales y federales.**

Los miembros de la comunidad pueden participar en esta reunión de trabajo asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo por YouTube. Los comentarios públicos pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Los mapas propuestos por la comunidad también se pueden enviar para su consideración a través del sistema de informática de Redistribución de Distritos del Condado de Tulare, por correo electrónico o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite [www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting).

**jueves, 26 de agosto del 2021**  
**Cámaras de la Junta de Supervisores**  
**2800 W. Burrell Avenue**  
**Visalia, CA 93277**

**6:30 pm**

Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto:  
Lali Moheno en [LMoheno@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LMoheno@sbcglobal.net)

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Rodney Blaco, District 1  
Ralph Diaz, District 1  
Albert George, District 4  
Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large  
John Hobbs, Chair, District 2



Scott James II, District 5  
Marie Macedo, District 2  
Darlene Mata, Vice Chair, District 3  
Edward McKerverey, District 5  
Luis Sepulveda, District 3  
Jose Verduzco, District 4

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# **Tulare County**

## **2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting**

### **Public Hearing 1**

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau released initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State will release a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. After receiving the data, Tulare County has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

Before any proposed maps are drawn, the 2021 Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, will hold Public Hearing 1, on changes to supervisorial district boundaries. At this public hearing, the Commission will review 2020 Census data with the community and receive public testimony regarding possible boundary changes.

As part of the redistricting process, the County is required to hold four public hearings, during which the public is invited to provide testimony regarding possible district boundary changes. Public Hearing 1 has been scheduled.

Community members are encouraged to participate in these working meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments at these meetings may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit: [www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Thursday, September 9, 2021**  
**Tulare County Board of Supervisors Chambers**  
**2800 W. Burrell Avenue**  
**Visalia, CA 93291**

**6:30 PM**

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# **Condado de Tulare 2021 Comisión de Asesoría sobre Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión**

## **1er Audiencia Pública**

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare usa nuevos datos del censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión de modo que cada distrito sea sustancialmente igual en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos publicó los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al estado en agosto del 2021, y el estado entregará un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre del 2021. Después de recibir los datos, el Condado de Tulare tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre del 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

Antes de que se dibujen los mapas propuestos, la Comisión de Asesoría de Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare del 2021 llevará a cabo la 1er Audiencia Pública sobre los cambios en los límites de los distritos de supervisión. En esta audiencia pública, la Comisión revisará los datos del Censo de 2020 con la comunidad y recibirá testimonio público sobre posibles cambios de límites.

Como parte del proceso de redistribución de distritos, se requiere que el Condado lleve a cabo cuatro audiencias públicas, durante las cuales se invita al público a brindar testimonio sobre posibles cambios en los límites del distrito. Se ha programado la Audiencia Pública 1.

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en estas reuniones de trabajo asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo en YouTube. Los comentarios públicos en estas reuniones pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite: [www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Jueves, 9 de septiembre del 2021  
Cámaras de la Junta de Supervisores del Condado de Tulare  
2800 W. Burrell Avenue  
Visalia, CA 93291**

**6:30 PM**



# **Tulare County**

## **2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting**

### **Working Meetings Scheduled for all 5 Districts**

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau will release initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State will release a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. After receiving the data, Tulare County has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

Starting on September 23, the Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, will be holding **Working Meetings**, scheduled below, in each of the five county supervisorial districts. During these meetings, the Commission will be considering boundary changes to the current supervisorial districts based on the 2020 Census data.

Community members are encouraged to participate in these working meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments at these meetings may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. Community-proposed maps may also be submitted for consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, by email, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit: <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/index.cfm/meetings/>

**District 1   6:30 PM   Thursday, September 23, 2021 • Lindsay Wellness Center**

860 Sequoia Avenue • Lindsay, CA 93247

Review current 2020 Census data in each supervisorial district

**District 2   6:30 PM   Thursday, September 30, 2021 • South Tulare County Memorial District**

712 E. Washington • Earlimart, CA 93219

Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps

**District 3   6:30 PM   Thursday, October 7, 2021 • Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building**

609 W. Center • Visalia, CA 93291

Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps

**District 4   6:30 PM   Thursday, October 14, 2021 • City of Woodlake Community Center, Redwood Room**

145 N. Magnolia Street • Woodlake, CA 93286

Identify three final maps for recommendations to the Board

**District 5   6:30 PM   Thursday, October 21, 2021 • City of Porterville Council Chambers**

291 N. Main Street • Porterville CA 93257

Final Commission Meeting – Approval of final report and recommended maps to the Board

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# **Condado de Tulare**

## **Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de**

### **Distritos de Supervisión del 2021**

#### **Reuniones de Trabajo Programados para los 5 Distritos**

Cada diez años, el condado de Tulare utiliza nuevos datos del censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión para que cada distrito sea esencialmente equivalente en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos entregará los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al estado en agosto de 2021, y el estado entregará un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre de 2021. Después de recibir los datos, el condado de Tulare tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre de 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

A partir del 23 de septiembre, la Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare llevará a cabo **Reuniones de Trabajo**, programadas a continuación, en cada uno de los cinco distritos de supervisión del condado. Durante estas reuniones, la Comisión considerará cambios en los límites de los distritos supervisores actuales basados en los datos del Censo del 2020.

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en estas reuniones de trabajo asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo por YouTube. Los comentarios públicos en estas reuniones pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Los mapas propuestos por la comunidad también se pueden enviar para su consideración a través del sistema de informática de Redistribución de Distritos del Condado de Tulare, por correo electrónico o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite: <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/index.cfm/meetings/>

**Distrito 1 6:30 PM Jueves, 23 de Septiembre del 2021 • Centro de Bienestar Lindsay**  
860 Avenida Sequoia • Lindsay, CA 93247

Revisar los datos actuales del Censo del 2020 en cada distrito supervisor.

**Distrito 2 6:30 PM Jueves, 30 de Septiembre del 2021 • Distrito Conmemorativo del Sur del Condado de Tulare**  
712 E. Washington • Earlimart, CA 93219

Revisar y revisar borradores de mapas y mapas propuestos por la comunidad.

**Distrito 3 6:30 PM Jueves, 7 de Octubre del 2021 • Edificio Conmemorativo de los Veteranos de Visalia**  
609 W. Center • Visalia, CA 93291

Revisar y revisar borradores de mapas y mapas propuestos por la comunidad.

**Distrito 4 6:30 PM Jueves, 14 de octubre del 2021 • Centro Comunitario de la Ciudad de Woodlake**  
145 N. de la Calle Magnolia Woodlake • Woodlake, CA 93286

Identificar tres mapas finales para recomendaciones a la Junta.

**Distrito 5 6:30 PM Jueves, 21 de Octubre del 2021 • Cámaras del Consejo de la Ciudad de Porterville**  
291 N. Main Street • Porterville, CA 93257

Reunión final de la Comisión - Aprobación del informe final y mapas recomendados a la Junta.

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# **Tulare County**

## **2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Working Meeting for District 1**

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau released initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State will release a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. After receiving the data, Tulare County has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

On September 23, the Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, will be holding a **Working Meeting in District 1, in which the Commission will receive proposed community maps, review previously submitted community maps, and discuss specific geographic or demographic elements to include in five draft Commission maps.**

Community members are encouraged to participate in these working meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments at these meetings may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. Community-proposed maps may also be submitted for consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, by email, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Thursday, September 23, 2021**

**Lindsay Wellness Center**

**860 Sequoia Avenue**

**Lindsay, CA 93247**

**6:30 pm**

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# **Condado de Tulare**

## **Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del 2021 Reunión de Trabajo para el Distrito 1**

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare usa nuevos datos del censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión de modo que cada distrito sea sustancialmente igual en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos publicó los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al estado en agosto del 2021, y el estado entregará un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre del 2021. Después de recibir los datos, el Condado de Tulare tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre del 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

El 23 de septiembre, la Comisión de Asesoría sobre Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare llevará a cabo una Reunión de Trabajo en el Distrito 1, en la que la Comisión recibirá mapas **comunitarios propuestos**, revisará mapas comunitarios presentados anteriormente y discutirá elementos **geográficos o demográficos específicos para incluir en cinco borradores de mapas de la Comisión**

Se anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en estas reuniones de trabajo asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo por YouTube. Los comentarios públicos en estas reuniones pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Los mapas propuestos por la comunidad también se pueden enviar para su consideración a través del sistema de informática de Redistribución de Distritos del Condado de Tulare, por correo electrónico o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**jueves, 23 de septiembre del 2021**

**Centro de Bienestar de Lindsay**

**(Lindsay Wellness Center)**

**860 Sequoia Avenue**

**Lindsay, CA 93247**

**6:30 pm**

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# Tulare County

## 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Working Meeting for District 2

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau released initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State will release a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. After receiving the data, Tulare County has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

On September 30, the Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, will be holding a **Working Meeting in District 2, in which the Commission will review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps.**

Community members are encouraged to participate in these working meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments at these meetings may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. Community-proposed maps may also be submitted for consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, by email, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Thursday, September 30, 2021**

**South Tulare County Memorial District**

**712 E. Washington**

**Earlimart, CA 93219**

**6:30 pm**

For more information, please contact: [LMoheno@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LMoheno@sbcglobal.net)



# **Tulare County**

## **2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Working Meeting for District 2**

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare usa nuevos datos del censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión de modo que cada distrito sea sustancialmente igual en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos publicó los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al Estado en agosto del 2021, y el Estado entregará un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre del 2021. Después de recibir los datos, el condado de Tulare tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre del 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

El 30 de septiembre, la Comisión de Asesoría sobre Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare llevará a cabo una **Reunión de Trabajo en el Distrito 2, en la que la Comisión revisará y repasará los mapas en borrador y los mapas propuestos por la comunidad.**

Se anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en estas reuniones de trabajo el asistir en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo en YouTube. Los comentarios públicos en estas reuniones pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Los mapas propuestos por la comunidad también se pueden enviar para su consideración a través del software de Redistribución de Distritos del Condado de Tulare, por correo electrónico o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Jueves, 30 de septiembre del 2021**

**Distrito Conmemorativo del Sur del Condado de Tulare**

**712 E. Washington**

**Earlimart, CA 93219**

**6:30 pm**

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# Tulare County

## 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Working Meeting for District 3

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau released initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State released a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. Tulare County now has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

On Thursday, October 7th, the Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, will be holding a **Working Meeting in District 3, in which the Commission will review and revise draft map and community -proposed maps.**

Community members are encouraged to participate in these working meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments at these meetings may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. Community-proposed maps may also be submitted for consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, by email, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Thursday, October 7, 2021**

**Visalia Veterans' Memorial Building**

**609 W. Center**

**Visalia, CA 93291**

**6:30 pm**

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# **Condado de Tulare**

## **Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del 2021 Reunión de Trabajo para el Distrito 3**

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare usa nuevos datos del Censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión de modo que cada distrito sea sustancialmente equivalentes en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos publicó los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al estado en agosto del 2021, y el estado entregó un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre del 2021. El Condado de Tulare ahora tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre del 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

El jueves 7 de octubre, la Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare llevará a cabo una **Reunión de Trabajo en el Distrito 3, en la que la Comisión repasará y revisará el mapa preliminar y los mapas propuestos por la comunidad.**

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en estas reuniones de trabajo asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo por YouTube. Los comentarios públicos en estas reuniones pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Los mapas propuestos por la comunidad también se pueden enviar para su consideración a través del sistema de informática de Redistribución de Distritos del Condado de Tulare, por correo electrónico o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Jueves, 7 de octubre del 2021**

**Edificio Conmemorativo de los Veteranos de Visalia**

**609 W. Center**

**Visalia, CA 93291**

**6:30 pm**

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# Tulare County

## 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Working Meeting for District 4

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau released initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State released a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. Tulare County now has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

On Thursday, October 14th, the Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, will be holding a **Working Meeting in District 4, to identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board of Supervisors.**

Community members are encouraged to participate in these working meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments at these meetings may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. Community-proposed maps may also be submitted for consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, by email, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Thursday, October 14, 2021**

**City of Woodlake Community Center**

**Redwood Room**


**145 N. Magnolia Street**

**Woodlake, CA 93286**

**6:30 pm**

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# **Condado de Tulare**

## **Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del 2021 Reunión de Trabajo para el Distrito 4**

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare usa nuevos datos del censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión de modo que cada distrito sea sustancialmente equivalentes en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos publicó los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al estado en agosto del 2021, y el estado entregó un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre del 2021. El Condado de Tulare ahora tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre del 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

El jueves 14 de octubre, la Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare llevará a cabo una **Reunión de Trabajo en el Distrito 4, para identificar tres mapas finales para recomendar a la Junta de Supervisores.**

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en estas reuniones de trabajo asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo en YouTube. Los comentarios públicos en estas reuniones pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Los mapas propuestos por la comunidad también se pueden enviar para su consideración a través del sistema de informática de Redistribución de Distritos del Condado de Tulare, por correo electrónico o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Jueves, 14 de octubre del 2021**

**Centro Comunitario de la Ciudad de Woodlake**

**Salón Redwood**

**145 N. Magnolia Street**

**Woodlake, CA 93286**

**6:30 pm**

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# Tulare County

## 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting Working Meeting for District 5

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau released initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State released a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. Tulare County now has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

On Thursday, October 21st, the Tulare County Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting, will be holding its **Final Commission Meeting in District 5 to approve the Commission's final report and recommended maps to the Board of Supervisors.**

Community members are encouraged to participate in these working meetings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on You Tube. Public comments at these meetings may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. Community-proposed maps may also be submitted for consideration via the Tulare County Redistricting software, by email, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Thursday, October 21, 2021**

**City of Porterville Council Chambers**

**291 N. Main Street**

**Porterville, CA 93257**

**6:30 pm**

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# **Condado de Tulare**

## **Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del 2021 Reunión de Trabajo para el Distrito 3**

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare usa nuevos datos del censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión de modo que cada distrito sea sustancialmente equivalentes en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos publicó los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al estado en agosto del 2021, y el estado entregó un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre del 2021. El Condado de Tulare ahora tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre del 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

El jueves 21 de octubre, la Comisión de Asesoría sobre la Redistribución de Distritos de Supervisión del Condado de Tulare llevará a cabo su **Reunión Final de la Comisión en el Distrito 5 para aprobar el informe final de la Comisión y los mapas recomendados a la Junta de Supervisores.**

Se les anima a los miembros de la comunidad el participar en estas reuniones de trabajo asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo en YouTube. Los comentarios públicos en estas reuniones pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Los mapas propuestos por la comunidad también se pueden enviar para su consideración a través del sistema de informática de Redistribución de Distritos del Condado de Tulare, por correo electrónico o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visite:

[www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

**Jueves, 21 de octubre del 2021**

**Cámaras del Consejo de la Ciudad de Porterville**

**291 N. Main Street**

**Porterville, CA 93257**

**6:30 pm**

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## **MEMBERS OF THE BOARD**

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## **REDISTRICTING PUBLIC HEARING**

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## **Tulare County Public Hearings Regarding Redistricting 2021**

Every ten years, Tulare County uses new Census data to review its supervisorial district lines so that each district is substantially equal in population. The United States Census Bureau released initial redistricting data to the State in August 2021, and the State will release a modified dataset to counties in September 2021. After receiving the data, Tulare County has until December 15, 2021, to complete the redistricting process.

As part of the redistricting process, the County is required to hold four public hearings, during which the public is invited to provide testimony regarding possible district boundary changes.

Community members are encouraged to participate in these hearings by attending in person, via Zoom, or listening to the live stream on YouTube. Public comments may be made in person, via Zoom, or in writing. For more information on how to participate in these meetings, please visit: [www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

### **Tulare County Board of Supervisors**

After the Commission has submitted its three recommended maps to the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Supervisors, will hold a public hearing to hear public testimony regarding proposed changes to district boundaries and which of the recommended maps to modify or adopt.

#### **Tuesday, October 26, 2021      9:00 am      Tulare County Board of Supervisors Chambers**

At this hearing, the Board of Supervisors will receive the Advisory Commission's recommendations and hear public testimony regarding proposed changes to district boundaries and which of the recommended maps to modify or adopt.

#### **Tuesday, November 2, 2021      6:30 pm      Tulare County Board of Supervisors Chambers**

At this hearing, the Board of Supervisors will hear further public testimony regarding proposed changes to district boundaries and which of the recommended maps to modify or adopt.

#### **Tuesday, November 9, 2021      9:00 am      Tulare County Board of Supervisors Chambers**

At this hearing, the Board of Supervisors will hear final public testimony regarding proposed changes to the district boundaries and will approve final changes.

**For more information, please contact:**

Lali Moheno at [LMoheno@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LMoheno@sbcglobal.net) or [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)



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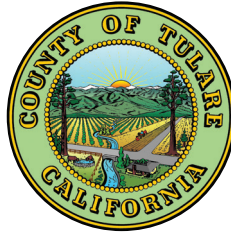
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## **Condado de Tulare**

### **Audiencias Públicas Sobre la Redistribución de Distritos del 2021**

Cada diez años, el Condado de Tulare usa nuevos datos del Censo para revisar sus líneas de distrito de supervisión de modo que cada distrito sea sustancialmente igual en población. La Oficina del Censo de los Estados Unidos publicó los datos iniciales de redistribución de distritos al estado en agosto del 2021, y el estado entregará un conjunto de datos modificado a los condados en septiembre del 2021. Después de recibir los datos, el Condado de Tulare tiene hasta el 15 de diciembre del 2021 para completar el proceso de redistribución de distritos.

Como parte del proceso de redistribución de distritos, se requiere que el Condado lleve a cabo cuatro audiencias públicas, durante las cuales se le invita al público a brindar testimonio sobre posibles cambios en los límites del distrito.

Se anima a los miembros de la comunidad a participar en estas audiencias asistiendo en persona, a través de Zoom o escuchando la transmisión en vivo en YouTube. Los comentarios públicos pueden hacerse en persona, a través de Zoom o por escrito. Para obtener más información sobre cómo participar en estas reuniones, visítenos en: [www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting](http://www.tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting)

### **Junta de Supervisores del Condado de Tulare**

Después de que la Comisión haya presentado sus tres mapas recomendados a la Junta de Supervisores, la Junta de Supervisores llevará a cabo una audiencia pública para escuchar el testimonio público con respecto a los cambios propuestos a los límites del distrito y cuál de los mapas recomendados se debe modificar o adoptar.

#### **Martes, 26 de octubre del 2021 9:00am Cámaras de la Junta de Supervisores del Condado de Tulare**

En esta audiencia, la Junta de Supervisores recibirá las recomendaciones de la Comisión de Asesoría y escuchará el testimonio público sobre los cambios propuestos a los límites del distrito y cuáles de los mapas recomendados modificar o adoptar.

#### **Martes, 2 de noviembre del 2021 6:30pm Cámaras de la Junta de Supervisores del Condado de Tulare**

En esta audiencia, la Junta de Supervisores escuchará más testimonios públicos con respecto a los cambios propuestos a los límites del distrito y cuáles de los mapas recomendados modificar o adoptar.

#### **Martes, 9 de noviembre del 2021 9:00am Cámaras de la Junta de Supervisores del Condado de Tulare**

En esta audiencia, la Junta de Supervisores escuchará el testimonio público final sobre los cambios propuestos a los límites del distrito y aprobará los cambios finales.

**Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto:**

Lali Moheno en [LMoheno@sbcglobal.net](mailto:LMoheno@sbcglobal.net) o [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)



## APPENDIX F

# PUBLIC OUTREACH CONTACTS

## AGENCIES & ORGANIZATIONS REACHED

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# Public Outreach Efforts

The following organizations invited the Outreach Consultants to give a special presentation regarding the County's redistricting process:

- Republican Women Federation, Visalia, Exeter, Tulare
- Tulare County League of Women Voters
- Rotary, Downtown, Latino, Breakfast (with County staff)
- Tulare County Coalition for Equitable Maps
- Tulare County League of Mexican American Women
- American Association of University Women
- Democratic clubs; Visalia, Dinuba, Porterville, Tulare
- Tulare County Cultural Heritage Foundation
- Arts Consortium

The following is a selection of individual and organization contacts made to date:

Olivia Seideman	Leadership Counsel for Justice and Accountability
Deene Souza	Tulare County Republican Central Committee, Visalia Republican Women Federated
Lilly Hart	Exeter Republican Women Federated
Sandi Miller	City of Tulare Republican Women Federated
Albert Aguilar	Tulare County Democratic Central Committee
Randy Evans	Visalia Democratic Club
Donna McKeel	League of Women Voters of Tulare County
Brett Taylor	Tulare County Association of Realtors
Brock Neeley	Tulare County Stonewall Democrats
Randy Groom	City Manager, City of Visalia
John Lollies	City Manager, City of Porterville
Irene Zacarias	City Manager, City of Woodlake
Luis Patlan	City Manager, City of Dinuba
Alex Gutierrez	Tulare County Democratic Central Committee
Elena Nava	Tulare County of Mexican American Women
City of Visalia	Building Advisory Committee
Teresa de La Rosa Roberto De la Rosa	OLA Raza
Roberto De La Rosa JR	Vertitas
Gil Jaramillo	Tulare Kings Hispanic Chamber
Rodrigo Diaz-Alatraste	UC Merced Center for Research – Visalia Resident
Lucy Hernandez	Goshen Community Leader
Mercedes Barrera	California Rural Legal Association
Laura Hernandez	SEIU Regional Leader
Jose Sigala	City of Tulare
Abigail Solis	President, Earlimart School District - Self-Help, Mio Car

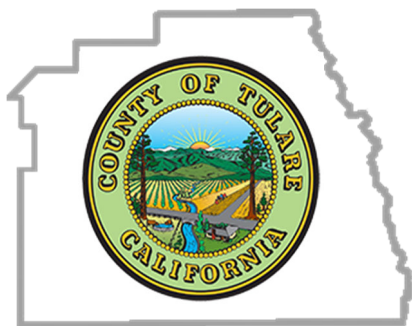
Lori Pesante	Dolores Huerta Foundation
Greg Gomez	Tulare County Democratic Central Committee
Juan Jose Vazquez	Dean, College of the Sequoias
Raymond Macareno	COS Trustee, Kaweah Delta Marketing
Ambar Rodriguez	Kaweah Delta Board of Trustee
Jorge Guizar	Radio Campesina
Staff	Univision Canal 21
Raquel Renteria	Visalia Unified School District
Carmen Becerra	Visalia Adult School Consortium
Xavier Ontiveros	Visalia resident (applicant for commission)
Adam Peck	Workforce Investment Board
Richard Garcia	Sierra Club
Dan O'Connell	Central Valley Partnership
Dr Sarah Ramirez	Former Tulare County Epidemiologist, Community Activist
Vincent Salinas	Tulare Kings Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
Lucy Hernandez	Goshen Community Council/UFW Foundation

### City Councils

- Farmersville City Council
- Lindsay City Council
- Exeter City Council
- Visalia City Council

### Group Presentations

- Visalia Democratic Club
- Dinuba Democratic Club
- Tulare county League of Mexican American Women, Scholarship Luncheon
- Latino Rotary of Tulare County
- Sequoia High School
- Tulare County League of Women Voters
- American Association of University Women, AAUW CC
- Dinuba City Council
- Woodlake City Council
- Porterville City Council
- Porterville Democratic Club (virtual)
- College of the Sequoias, Board of Trustees
- Tulare County Office of Education, Board of Trustees
- Kaweah Delta HealthCare, District Board of Trustees
- Sierra View Hospital Board of Trustees



# APPENDIX G

## COMMISSION MEETING MATERIAL

### AGENDAS, MINUTES & PRESENTATIONS



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## COMMISSIONERS

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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, May 20, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrel Avenue  
Visalia, CA 93291

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1. Welcome and Introductions.
2. Oath of Office.
3. Public Comment.

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*allotted for the Public Comment Period. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

#### **4. Action and Discussion Items.**

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##### **a. Redistricting Overview.**

- i. Public outreach efforts.

##### **b. Legal Matters.**

- i. Commission Bylaws.
- ii. Brown Act Rules.
- iii. Adoption of Conflict of Interest Code and discussion of Form 700 filing requirements.
- iv. Ethics Training.

##### **c. Administrative Matters.**

- i. Contact information.
- ii. Travel claim reimbursement.
- iii. Media contact.
- iv. Redistricting website.

##### **d. Commission Schedule and Redistricting Timeline.**

- i. Review future meeting dates and times.

#### **5. Future Items.**

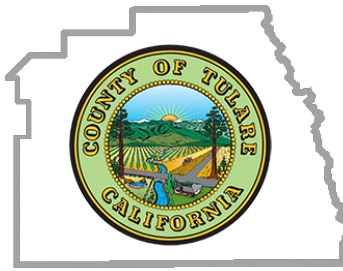
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- a. Elect chair and vice chair.
- b. Review redistricting criteria.
- c. Communities of interest discussion.
- d. Esri redistricting software training.
- e. Outreach meeting content and schedule.



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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

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Thursday, May 20, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrell Avenue, Visalia, CA 93291

**Members Present:** Rodney Blaco; Ralph Diaz; Albert George; Lizbeth Gomez; John Hobbs; Marie Macedo; Darlene Mata; Edward McKerverey; Luis Sepulveda; Jose Verduzco

**Members Absent:** Scott James

### 1. Welcome and Introductions.

Commissioners and staff introduced themselves. Guests Lali Moheno and Lucia Vasquez introduced themselves as well.

### 2. Oath of Office.

The Oath of Office was administered by Melinda Benton, Chief Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

### 3. Public Comment.

There were no public comments.

The Commissioners and staff discussed the Public Comment section of the agenda and how this section of the agenda will become important in future meetings and discussed how the Commission could choose to limit public comments.

### 4. Action and Discussion Items.

John Hess discussed the process of how action and discussion items will be presented.

**a. Redistricting Overview.**

John Hess provided a Redistricting Overview, and Lali Moheno discussed her role and how she will be assisting the Commission with public outreach efforts.

- i. Public outreach efforts.

**b. Legal Matters.**

Jeff Kuhn provided an overview of the Bylaws, Brown Act, Conflict of Interest, and the requirement to complete AB 1234 Ethics training. Jeff discussed the possibility of having the 2-hour Ethics training at an upcoming meeting, or Commissioners could complete it individually.

- i. Commission Bylaws.
- ii. Brown Act Rules.
- iii. Adoption of Conflict of Interest Code and discussion of Form 700 filing requirements.
- iv. Ethics Training.

**c. Administrative Matters.**

John Hess provided a review of administrative matters, including contact information, travel claim reimbursement, how media contacts will be handled, and redistricting website.

- i. Contact information.
- ii. Travel claim reimbursement.
- iii. Media contact.
- iv. Redistricting website.

**d. Commission Schedule and Redistricting Timeline.**

John Hess discussed the schedule and timeline of future meetings. He asked if any changes needed to be made. No changes were requested or made at this time.

- i. Review future meeting dates and times.

**5. Future Items.**

John Hess discussed the process for discussion and adding future items to the agenda.

- a. Elect Chair and Vice-Chair. - Commissioners and staff discussed the role of the Chair, specifically the facilitation of meetings and the importance of managing public comments, ensuring the meeting proceeds in an orderly manner, and calling for votes on action items. Commissioner Sepulveda and Hobbs both volunteered to be the Chair. A Chair and Vice-Chair will be selected at our next meeting.
- b. Review redistricting criteria.
- c. Communities of interest discussion.

- d. Esri redistricting software training.
- e. Outreach meeting content and schedule.

**8:07 p.m. Adjourned to June 3, 2021**



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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, June 3, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
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2. Roll Call
3. Public Comment

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#### **4. Action and Discussion Items**

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##### **a. Administrative Matters**

- i. Commission email addresses.
- ii. Travel claim reimbursement.

##### **b. Public Outreach Matters**

- i. Report of outreach efforts to date.
- ii. Review outreach meeting content and schedule.

##### **c. Legal Matters**

- i. Kern County redistricting litigation report.

##### **d. Additional Redistricting Criteria Discussion**

##### **e. Communities of Interest Discussion**

##### **f. Esri Redistricting Software Demonstration**

##### **g. Discussion and Election of Chair and Vice-Chair**

##### **h. Commission Schedule and Redistricting Timeline**

##### **i. Discussion and Approval of Conflict of Interest Code-Exhibit B**

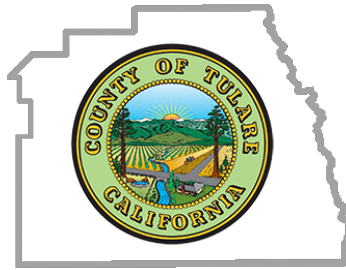
#### **5. Future Items**

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- a. Informational presentations for the public in District 1
  - i. Redistricting Overview
  - ii. Redistricting Criteria
  - iii. Communities of Interest
  - iv. Redistricting Software Demonstration
- b. Public comment regarding additional criteria and communities of interest

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, June 3, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrell Avenue, Visalia, CA 93291

### 1. Call to Order

John Hess called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

### 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKervey
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco 6:34 p.m.
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

### 3. Public Comment

There were no public comments.

### 4. Action and Discussion Items

#### a. Administrative Matters

John Hess provided an update on the creation of County email addresses for Commissioners and Alex Cruz provided an update on travel claim reimbursement process and requested that W9 be submitted to staff for processing.

- i. **Commission email addresses.**
- ii. **Travel claim reimbursement.**



**b. Public Outreach Matters**

Lali Moheno provided an update on public outreach efforts and discussed upcoming schedule and locations for “Informational” district meetings.

District 1 – June 17<sup>th</sup> at Exeter Memorial Building at 6:30 p.m.

District 2 – July 1<sup>st</sup> at International Ag Center-Social Hall at 6:30 p.m.

District 3 – July 15<sup>th</sup> at Visalia Convention Center-Charter Oak Ballroom at 6:30 p.m.

District 4 – July 29<sup>th</sup> TENTATIVE LOCATION Dinuba Memorial Building at 6:30 p.m.

District 5 – August 12<sup>th</sup> TENTATIVE LOCATION Porterville Memorial Building at 6:30 p.m.

i. **Report of outreach efforts to date.**

ii. **Review outreach meeting content and schedule.**

**c. Legal Matters**

Jeff Kuhn discussed the Kern County redistricting litigation report.

i. **Kern County redistricting litigation report.**

**d. Additional Redistricting Criteria Discussion****e. Communities of Interest Discussion****f. Esri Redistricting Software Demonstration**

Bob Irvine and Mark Clark provided a demonstration on the Esri Redistricting Software. Staff will update the website to include the “test” site of the software. This will allow the public to have access to the software and learn how to create and submit maps once the system is ready.

**g. Discussion and Election of Chair and Vice-Chair**

The Commissioners discussed the election of Chair and Vice-Chair and asked questions to all nominees, Commissioner Sepulveda and Commissioner Hobbs for Chair and Commissioner Mata for Vice Chair. Election of Chair was tabled to the June 17<sup>th</sup> meeting and the Vice Chair nominations and discussion will take place at the June 17<sup>th</sup> meeting and election will take place at the July 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.

Motion was made to nominate Commissioner Sepulveda as Chair:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Verduzco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Failed</b> 4- Yes; 3 – No; 4 – Abstain

Abstain	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Abstain	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	No	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Abstain	Commissioner Albert George	Abstain	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
No	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
No	Commissioner Scott James		

Motion was made to nominate Commissioner Hobbs as Chair:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Hobbs
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner McKerverey
Outcome:	<b>Motion Failed</b> 5 – Yes; 4 – No; 2 – Abstain

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Abstain	Commissioner Marie Macedo
No	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Abstain	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
No	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	No	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	No	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

Motion was made to table the election of the Chair to the June 17th meeting.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Hobbs
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner McKerverey
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 – Abstain

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
Abstain	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

Motion was made to continue the nomination for Vice Chair to the June 17<sup>th</sup> meeting and continue the election to the July 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner George
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 8 – Yes; 3 – No

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo
No	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	No	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
No	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

#### h. Commission Schedule and Redistricting Timeline

John Hess discussed how the upcoming “Informational” meetings will be conducted.

**i. Discussion and Approval of Conflict of Interest Code-Exhibit B**

Jeff Kuhn discussed the recommended Conflict of Interest Code for approval.

Motion was made to approve the Conflict of Interest Code-Exhibit B.

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Hobbs
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> Unanimously 11 – 0

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
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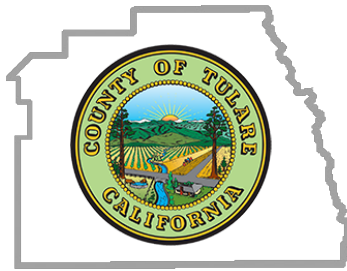
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**8:43 p.m. Adjourned to June 17, 2021**



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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, June 17, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Exeter Veteran's Memorial Building  
324 N. Kaweah Ave  
Exeter, CA 93221

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- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Action and Discussion Items**

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- a. Discussion and Election of Chair**
- b. Discussion and Election of Vice-Chair**
- c. Approval of Minutes for the May 20, 2021 and June 3, 2021 meetings**

#### 4. Informational Presentation

- a. Redistricting Overview
- b. Public Outreach Update
- c. Schedule and Timeline
- d. Redistricting Criteria
- e. Communities of Interest Discussion
- f. Redistricting Software Demonstration

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#### 6. Discussion Items

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- b. Legal Matters
- c. Additional Redistricting Criteria
- d. Review of Proposed, Submitted, and Final 2010 Redistricting Maps

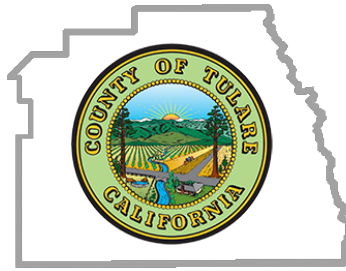
#### 7. Future Items

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- a. Informational presentations for the public in District 2 (Tulare International Agri-Center)
  - i. Redistricting Overview
  - ii. Redistricting Criteria
  - iii. Communities of Interest
  - iv. Redistricting Software Demonstration
- b. Public comment regarding additional criteria and communities of interest

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

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Thursday, June 17, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Exeter Veteran's Memorial Building  
324 N. Kaweah Ave, Exeter, CA 93221

### 1. Call to Order

John Hess called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

### 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervery
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

### 3. Action and Discussion Items

#### a. Discussion and Election of Chair

Commissioners continued their discussion from the previous meeting regarding the election of the Chair and Vice-Chair. Staff recommended that the Commission rescind their motion from the June 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting where the motion was to continue the election of the Vice-Chair to the July 1<sup>st</sup> in order not to delay the election another 2 weeks.



A motion was made to rescind the June 3<sup>rd</sup> motion, “To continue the nomination for Vice-Chair to the June 17<sup>th</sup> meeting and continue the election to the July 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.”

Motion Made:	Commissioner Hobbs
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Mata
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10- Yes; 1 – Absent

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Absent	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to nominate Commissioner Hobbs as Chair:

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Mata
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 7 – Yes; 3– No; 1 – Absent

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Absent	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
No	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	No	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	No	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

#### b. Discussion and Election of Vice-Chair

A motion was made to nominate Commissioner Mata as Vice-Chair:

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Blaco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 7 – Yes; 1– No; 2 – Abstain; 1 - Absent

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Absent	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
Abstain	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	No	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Abstain	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

**c. Approval of Minutes for the May 20, 2021, and June 3, 2021 meetings**

A motion was made to approve the minutes for May 20, 2021, and June 3, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 - Absent

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Absent	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

**4. Informational Presentation:** County Staff provided an overview and update on items a-f.

- a. Redistricting Overview**
- b. Public Outreach Update**
- c. Schedule and Timeline**
- d. Redistricting Criteria**
- e. Communities of Interest Discussion**
- f. Redistricting Software Demonstration**

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**5. Public Comment**

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Maile Melkonion; Dale Simmons; Angel Ruiz; Deanne Souza; Manuel Angel Galvez; David Prewitt; Olivia Seideman; Greg Gomez; Melody Gillespie.

**Public written comments:** Lori Pesante submitted a comment via Zoom Q&A

**6. Discussion Items:** Staff and Commissioners discussed items a-d

- a. Administrative Matters**
- b. Legal Matters**
- c. Additional Redistricting Criteria**
- d. Review of Proposed, Submitted, and Final 2010 Redistricting Maps**

**7. Future Items:** Lucia Vazquez provided a reminder of the upcoming meeting in District 2 and requested feedback from the Commissioners regarding today's meeting.

- a. Informational presentations for the public in District 2 (Tulare International Agri-Center)**

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- ii. Redistricting Criteria
- iii. Communities of Interest
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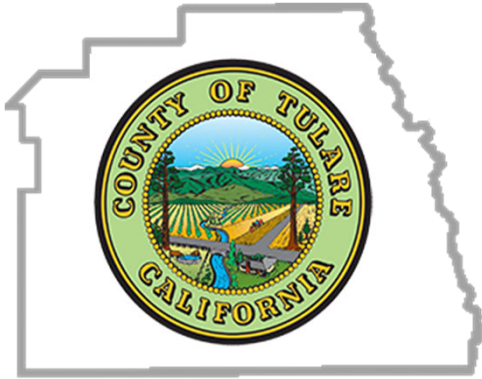
**b. Public comment regarding additional criteria and communities of interest**

**8:40 p.m. Adjourned to July 1, 2021**



## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

June 17, 2021



Exeter Veteran's Memorial Building  
324 N. Kaweah Ave., Exeter

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.

LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order



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## 2. Roll Call

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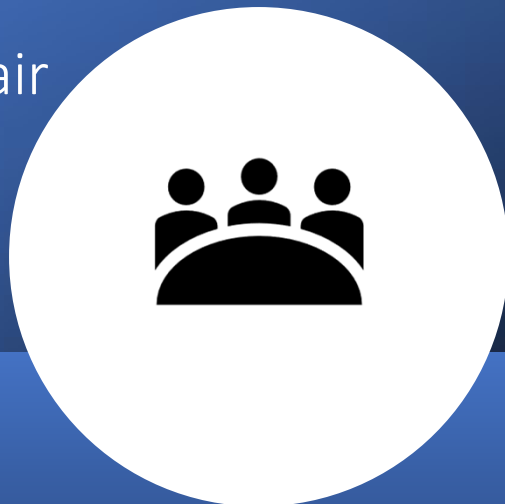
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### 3a. Discussion and Election of Chair



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### 3b. Discussion and Election of Vice-Chair



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### 3c. Approval of Minutes for the May 20, 2021 and June 3, 2021 meetings

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### 4. Informational Presentation a. Redistricting Overview

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#### 4. Informational Presentation

- b. Public Outreach Update
- c. Schedule and Timeline

## Upcoming Meetings:

- July 1, 2021 International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA 93274
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#### 4. Informational Presentation e. Communities of Interest Discussion



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#### 4. Informational Presentation f. Redistricting Software Demonstration

- Esri URL:

<https://tularecountyredistricting.esriemcs.com/redistricting/>



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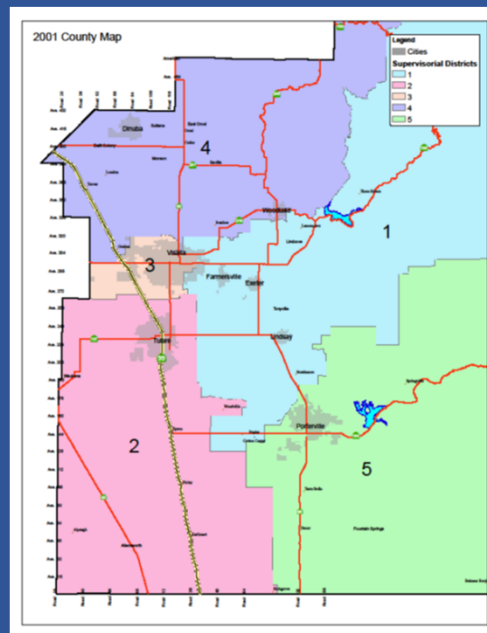
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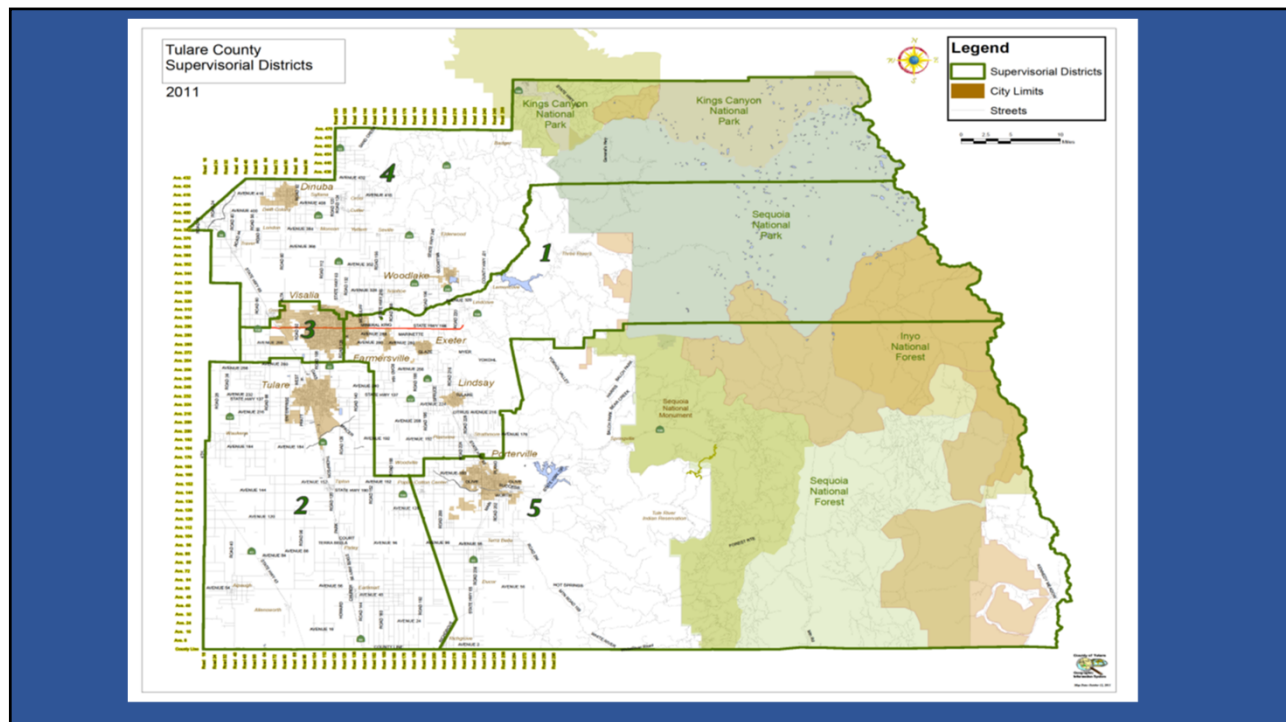
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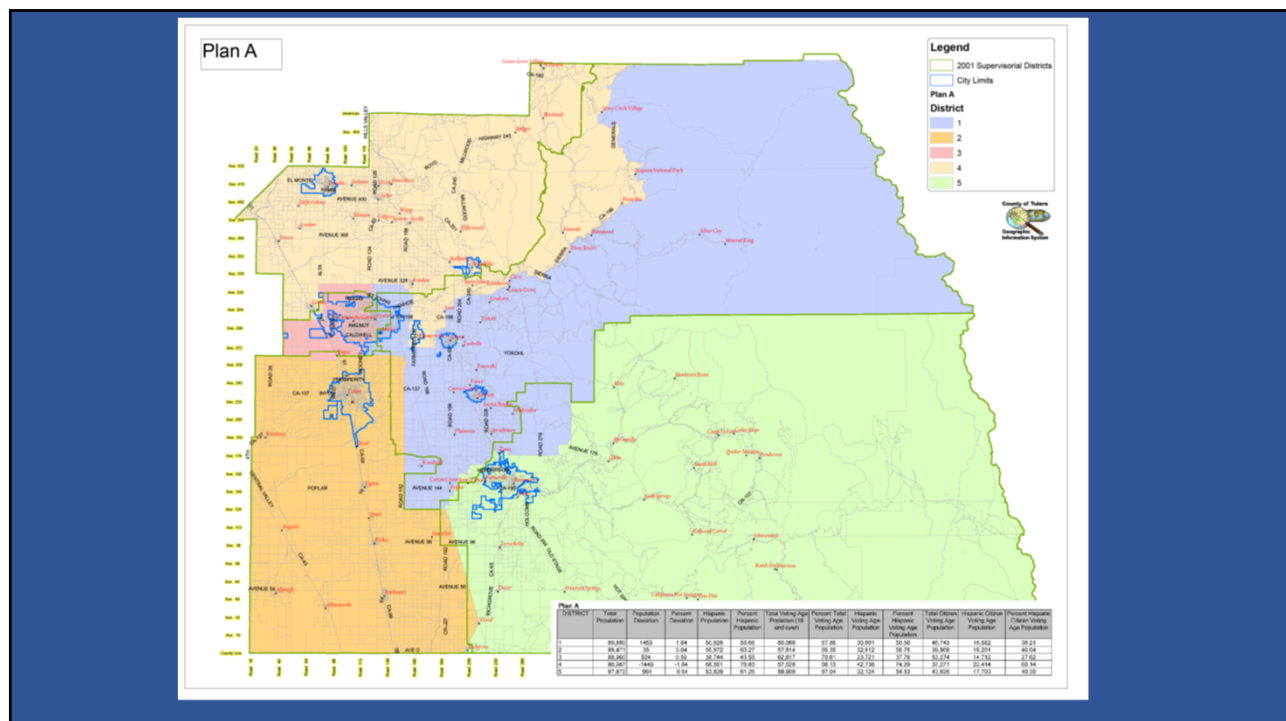
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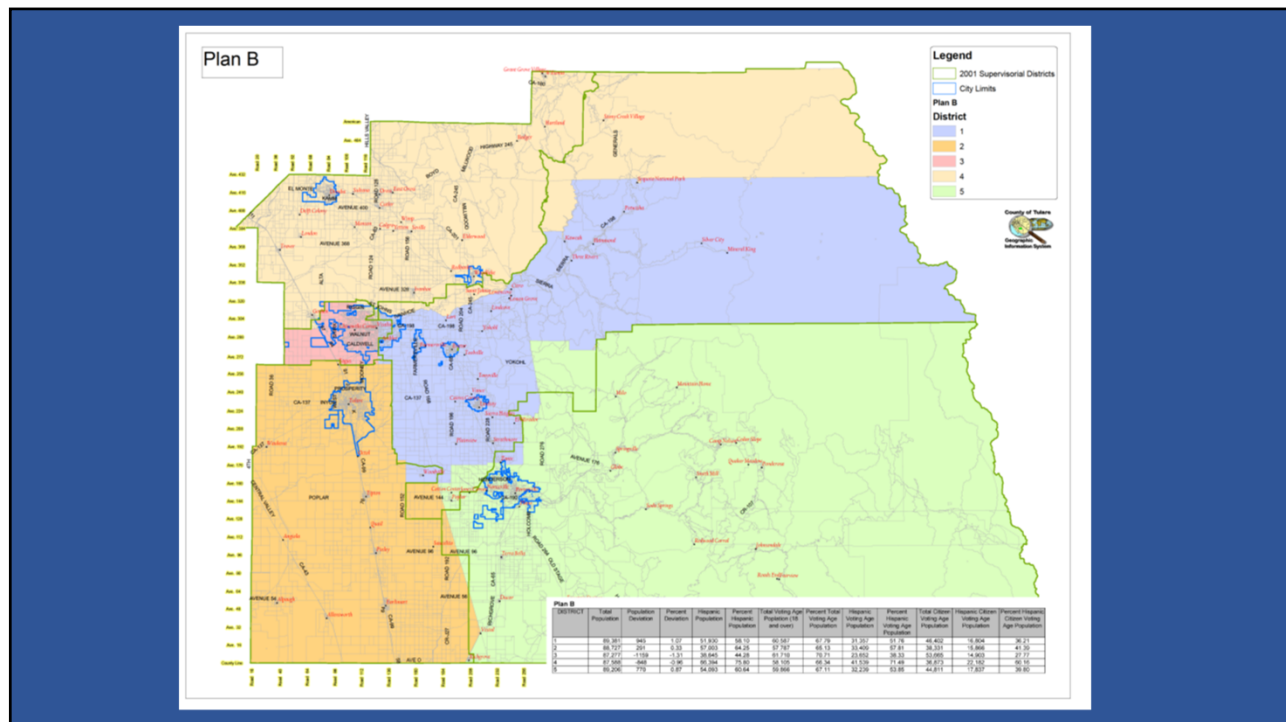
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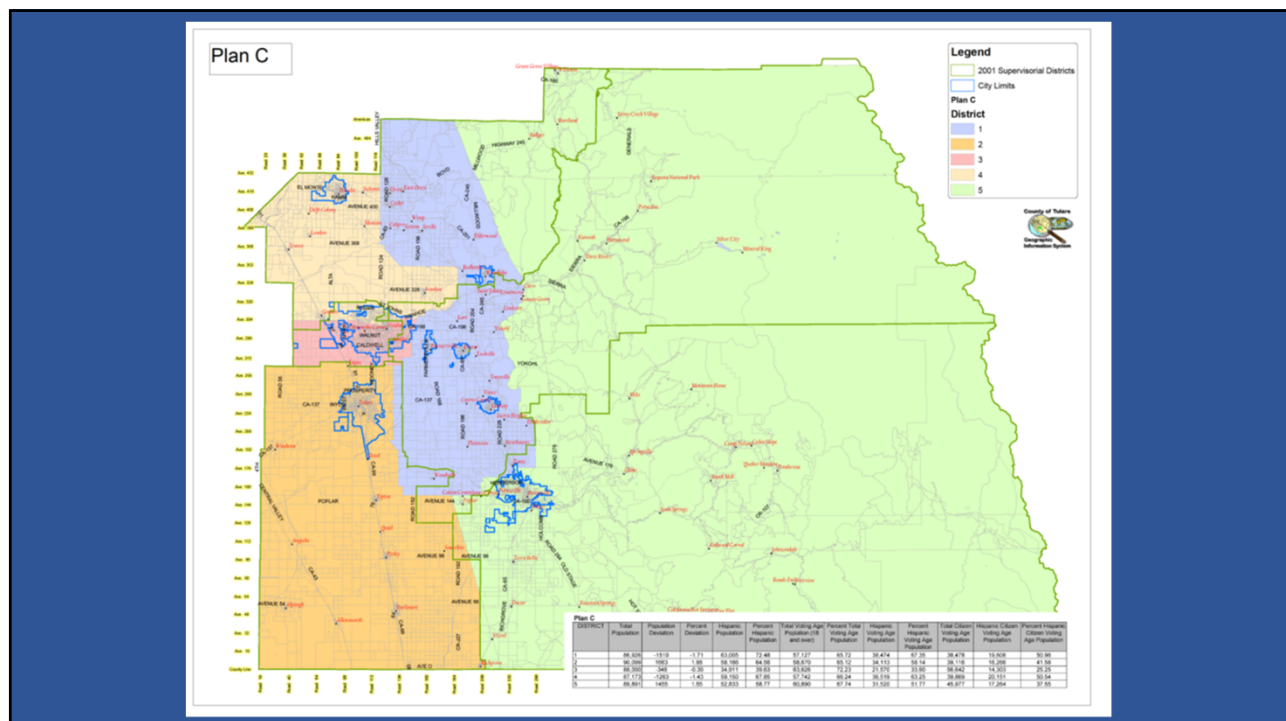
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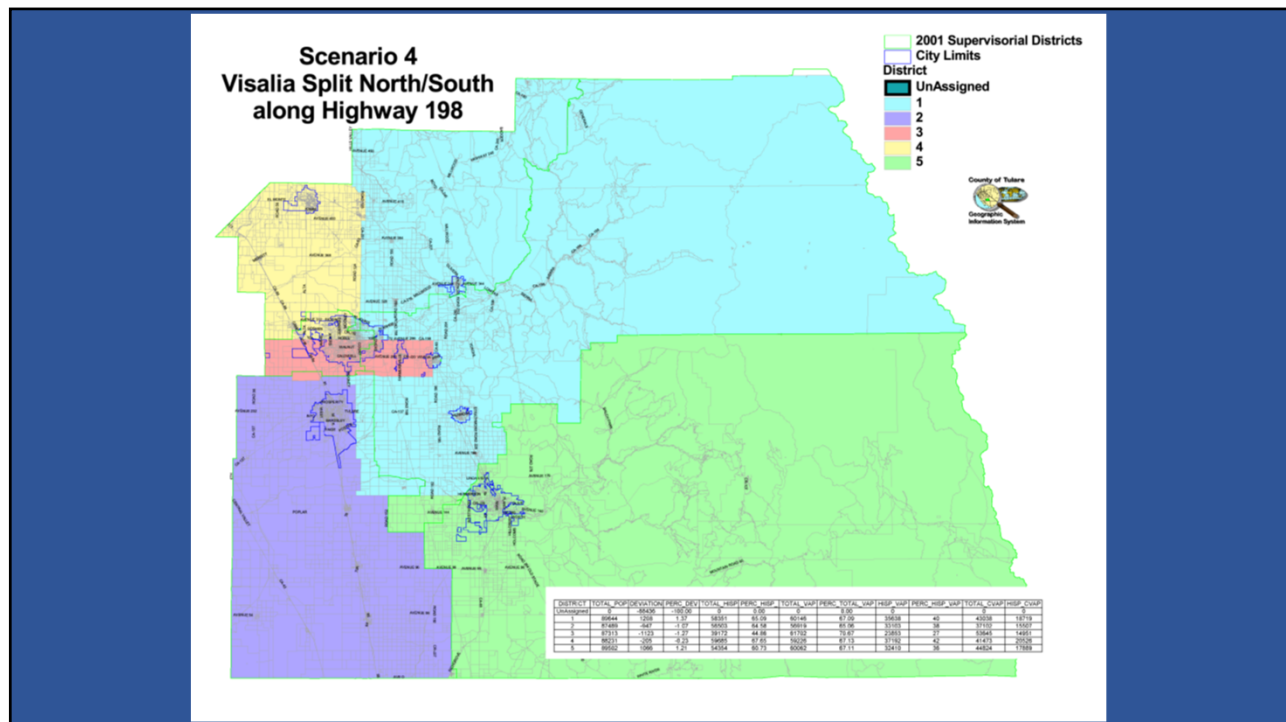
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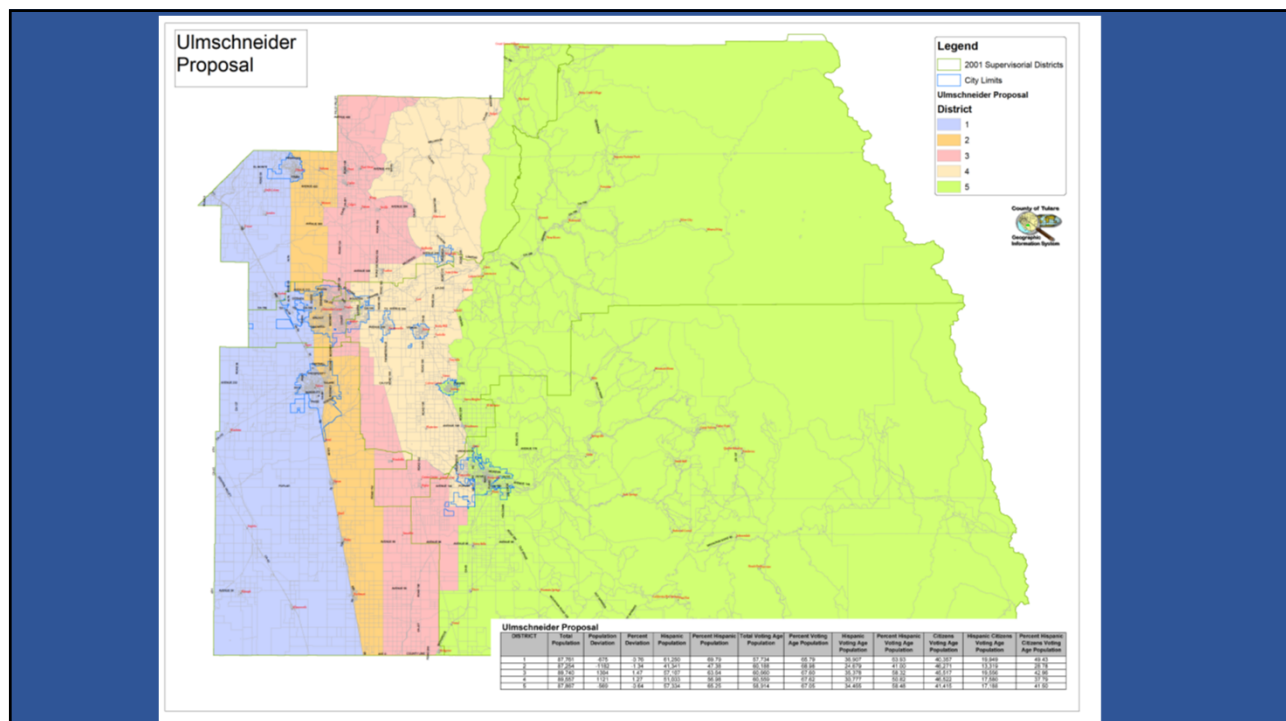
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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

MEETING IS ADJOURNED



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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, July 1, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
International Agri-Center Social Hall  
4500 S. Laspina St  
Tulare, CA 93274

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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1. Call to Order & Flag Salute
2. Roll Call
3. General Public Comment



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**4. Action and Discussion Items**

**a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's June 17, 2021 meeting (Action)**

**5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.**

**Topics include:**

- **Redistricting Overview;**
- **Redistricting Criteria;**
- **Communities of Interest;**
- **2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps;**
- **Redistricting Software; and**
- **County Redistricting Timeline.**

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break after the informational presentation, before hearing public comment.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted for this item.*

**6. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. Public Outreach Matters**
- b. Administrative Matters**
- c. Legal Matters**
- d. Additional Redistricting Criteria**

**7. Future Items**

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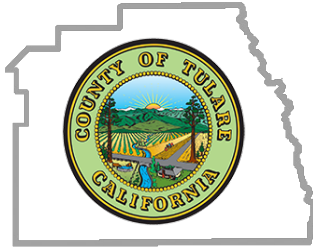
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**8. Evaluation**

**9. Adjournment**

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, July 1, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
International Agri-Center Social Hall  
4500 S. Laspina St., Tulare, CA 93274

### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:34 p.m.

### 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervery
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez (via Zoom)	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

### 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Maile Melkonian; Alex Gutierrez; Angel Ruiz; Abigail Solis; Lucy Hernandez; Lori Pesante

**Public written comments:** None.

#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's June 17, 2021, meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for June 17, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 - Absent

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
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#### 5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

**Topics include: Redistricting Overview; Redistricting Criteria; Communities of Interest; 2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps; Redistricting Software; and County Redistricting Timeline.**

County Staff provided an overview and update on items a-f.

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Alex Gutierrez

**Public written comments:** None.

#### 6. Commission Discussion Items: Staff and Commissioners discussed items a-d

- a. **Public Outreach Matters**
- b. **Administrative Matters**
- c. **Legal Matters**
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#### 8. Evaluation: Commissioners provided feedback regarding today's meeting

#### 9. Adjournment - 8:24 p.m. Adjourned to July 1, 2021

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

July 1, 2021



International Agri-Center Social Hall  
4500 S. Laspina St.  
Tulare, CA 93274

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.

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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for  
the June 17, 2021 meeting



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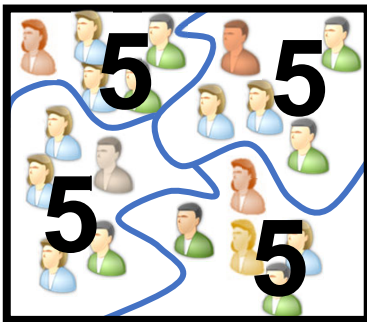
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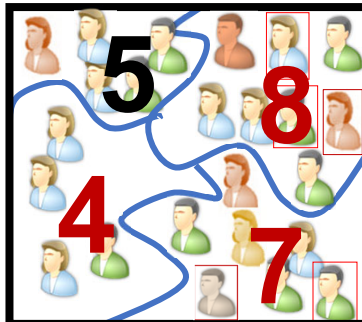
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### Redistricting Overview

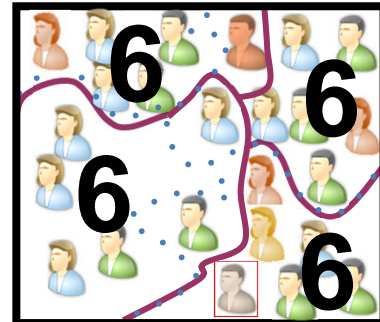
Redistricting is when we redraw districts so that each has the same number of residents.



Over time, populations grow, shrink, and shift, making districts uneven in population size.



Every ten years, after the census, district lines are redrawn to make each district even in number again.



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

In accordance with the Fair Maps Act:

- Every 10 years the County is required to adjust its supervisorial district boundaries to ensure that each supervisor represents approximately the same number of constituents.
- County population is determined by the federal census.
- 8 prioritized criteria set the legal parameters for district boundaries.
  - This Commission may recommend additional criteria

This Commission only considers boundary changes for the 5 county supervisorial districts – not for state, federal, or other local voting districts.

#### Timeline

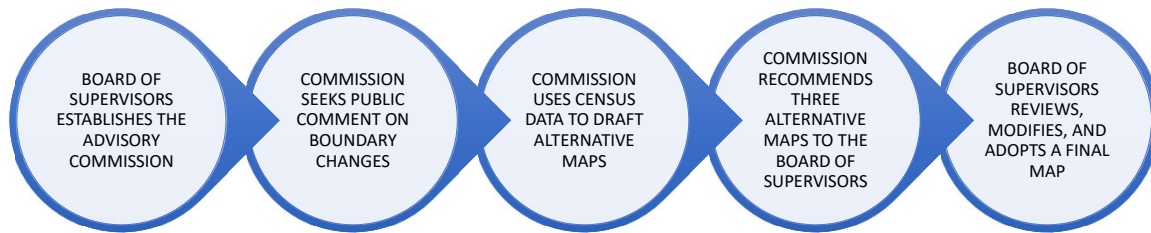
- **September 2021** - Federal census data will be received by the County.
- **November and December 2021** - The Board of Supervisors will adopt final boundaries.
- **June 2022** - Primary election for Districts 4 and 5.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting



**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

CURRENT SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS

District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	District 5
Larry Micari	Pete Vander Poel III	Amy Shuklian	Eddie Valero	Dennis Townsend
Exeter	Allensworth	Visalia	Badger	Camp Nelson
Farmersville	Alpaugh		Cutler	Ducor
Lindcove	Earlimart		Dinuba	Kennedy Meadows
Lindsay	Pixley		Goshen	Poplar-Cotton Center
Poplar	Tipton		Ivanhoe	Porterville
Strathmore	Tulare		Orosi	Posey
Three Rivers	Waukena		Traver	Richgrove
Visalia (part)			Visalia (part)	Springville
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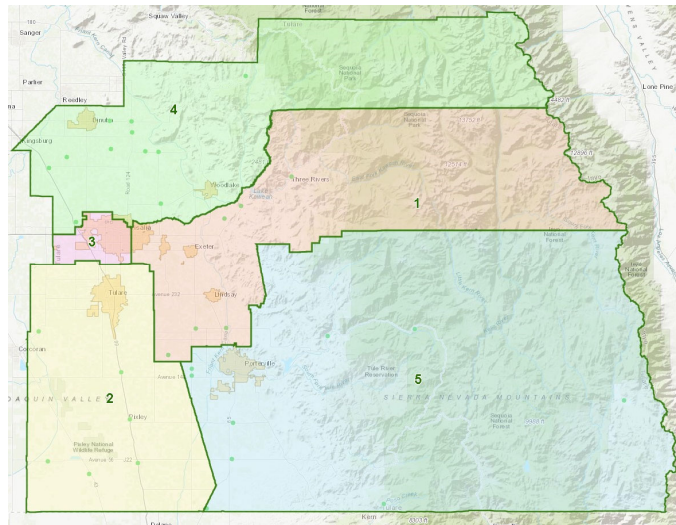


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### Redistricting Overview

COUNTY POPULATION (2010 CENSUS): 422,206

District	Total Population (2010)	Deviation
1	88,563	0.11%
2	89,593	1.31%
3	87,282	-1.31%
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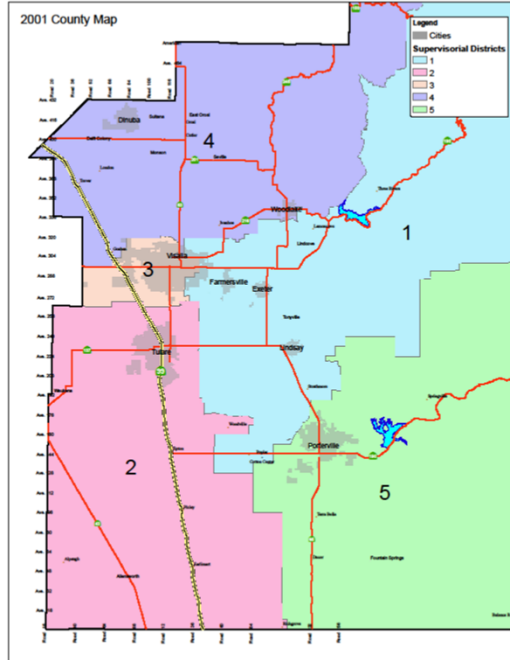
One of the main objectives of redistricting is to redraw boundaries in such a way that optimizes the electoral influence of communities of interest. A community of interest is a neighborhood, community, or group of people who share common policy concerns.

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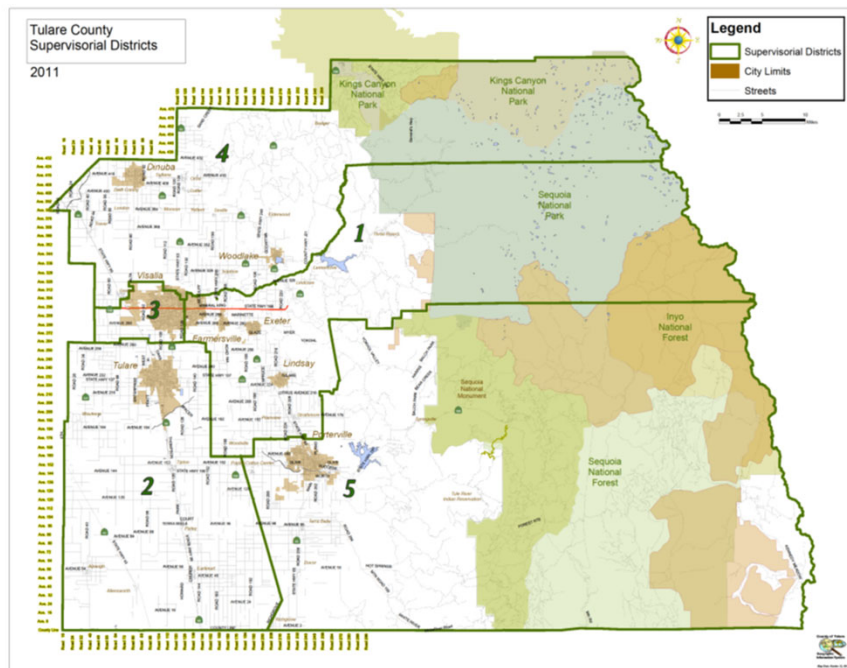
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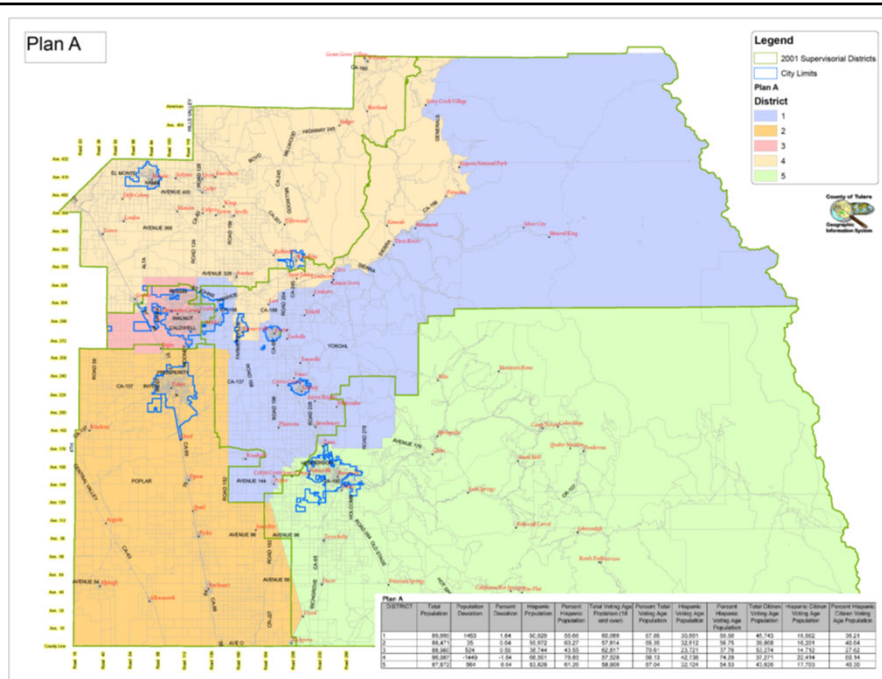


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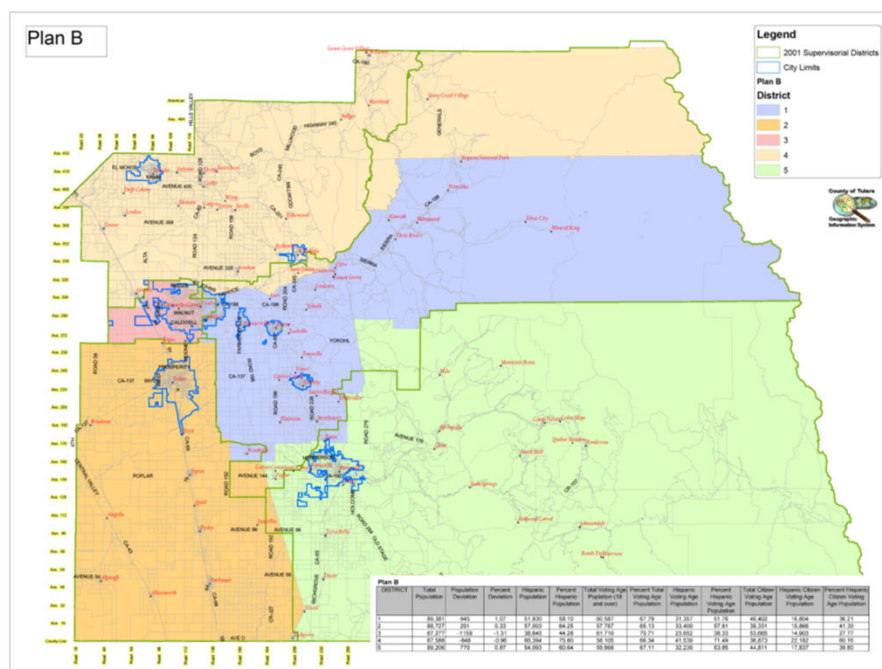


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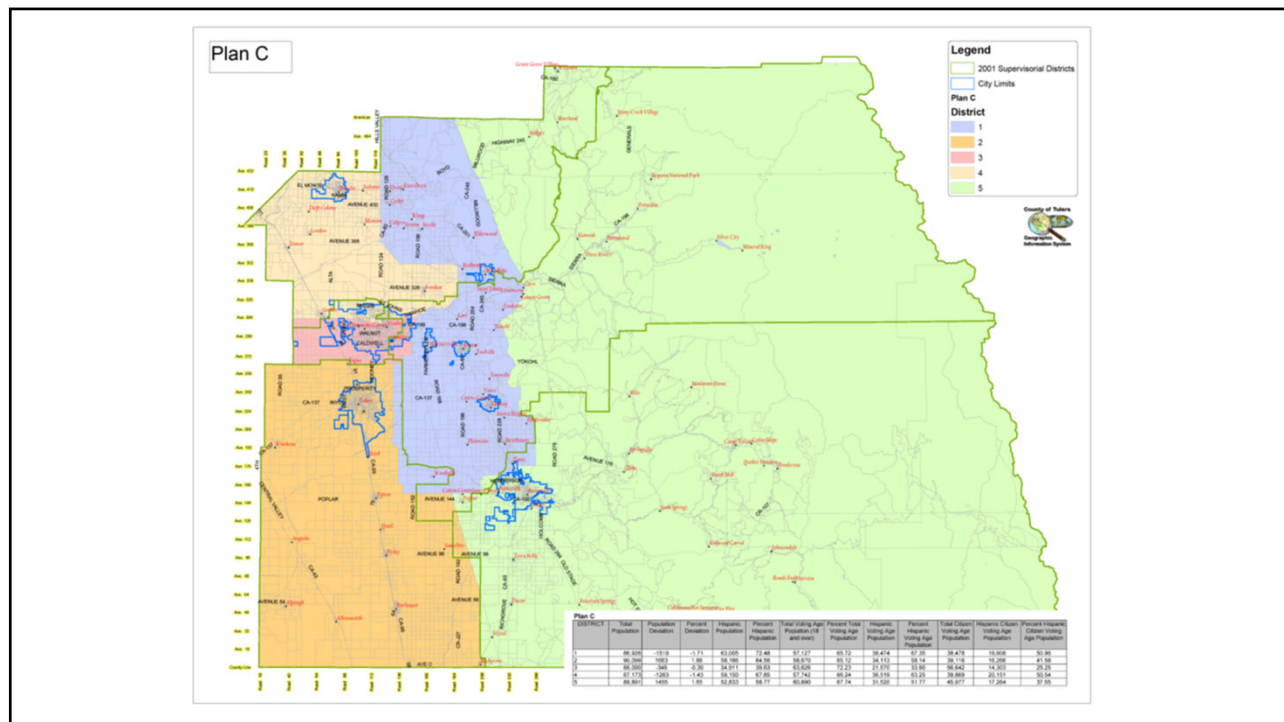




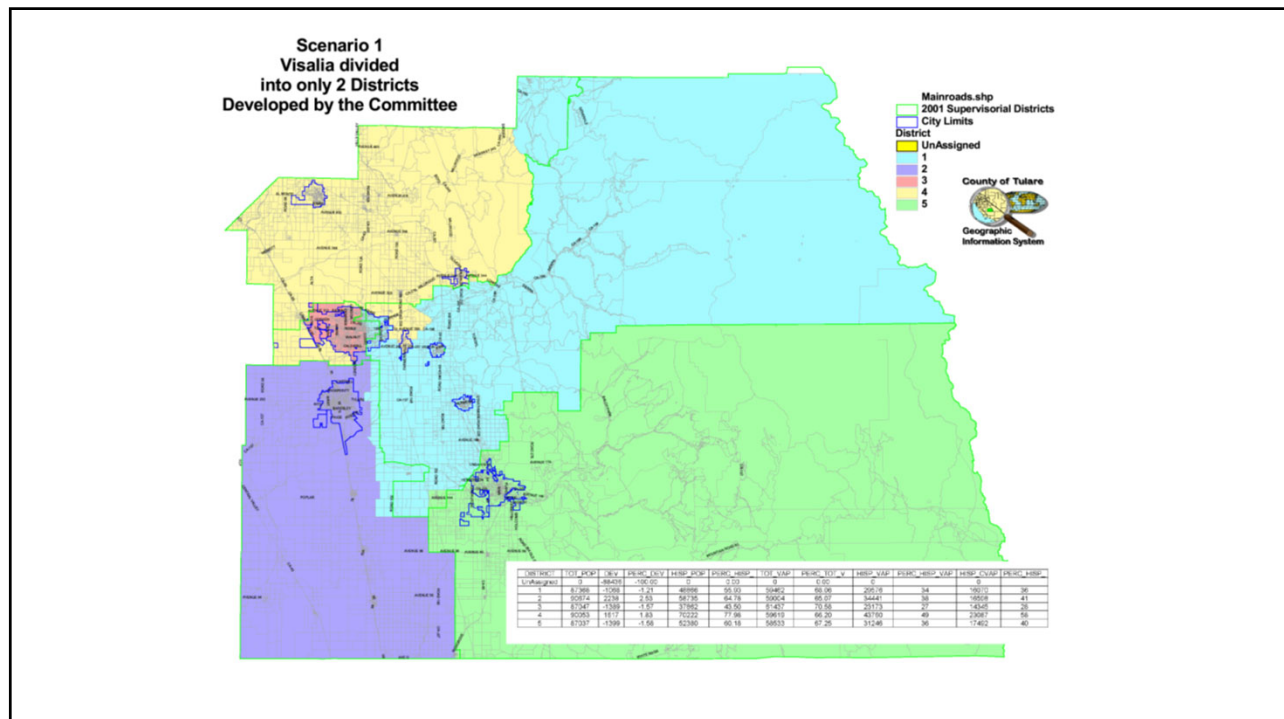
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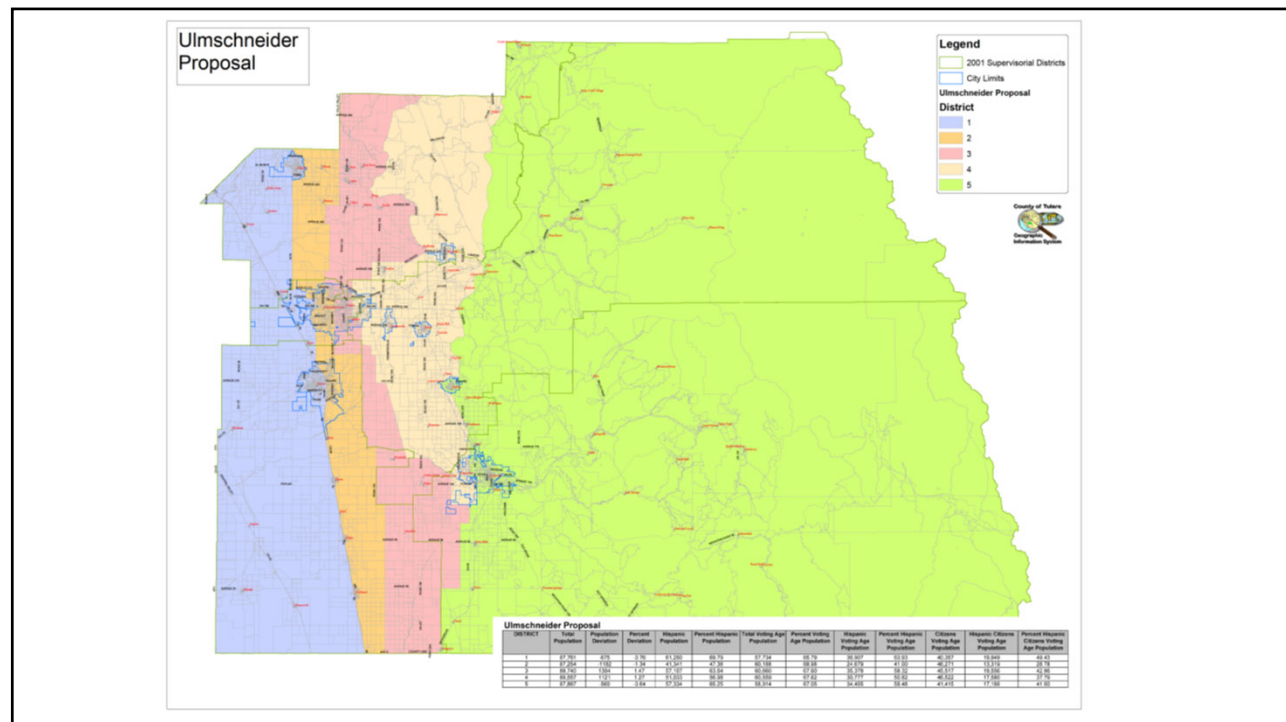


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5. As county supervisors, their awareness and political concerns should cover the entire county and that is what this redistricting attempts to do. It connects the communities of interest instead of compartmentalizing them. For instance, Tulare, Visalia and Dinuba would have 2 or more supervisors with their concerns and this doubles the focus on their needs and services. The same goes with other municipalities like Porterville. This map attempts to bring us together as a county instead of dividing and separating us into compartments of parochial interests.

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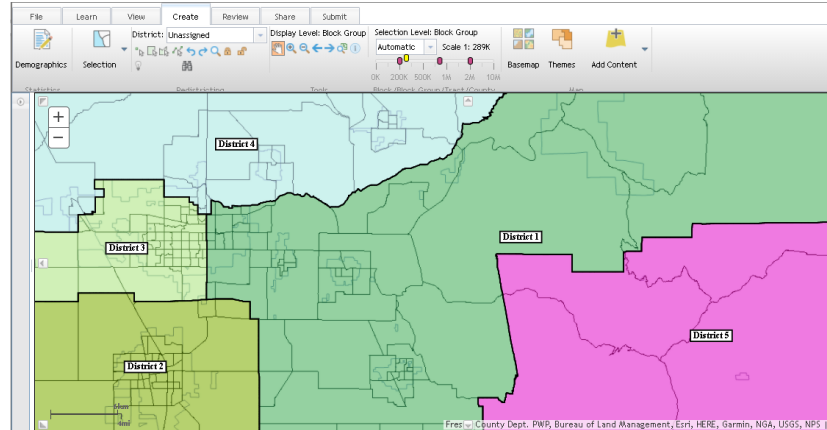


## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Software

Esri URL: <https://tularecountyredistricting.esriemcs.com/redistricting/>

QR Code for Redistricting Software



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## IMPORTANT

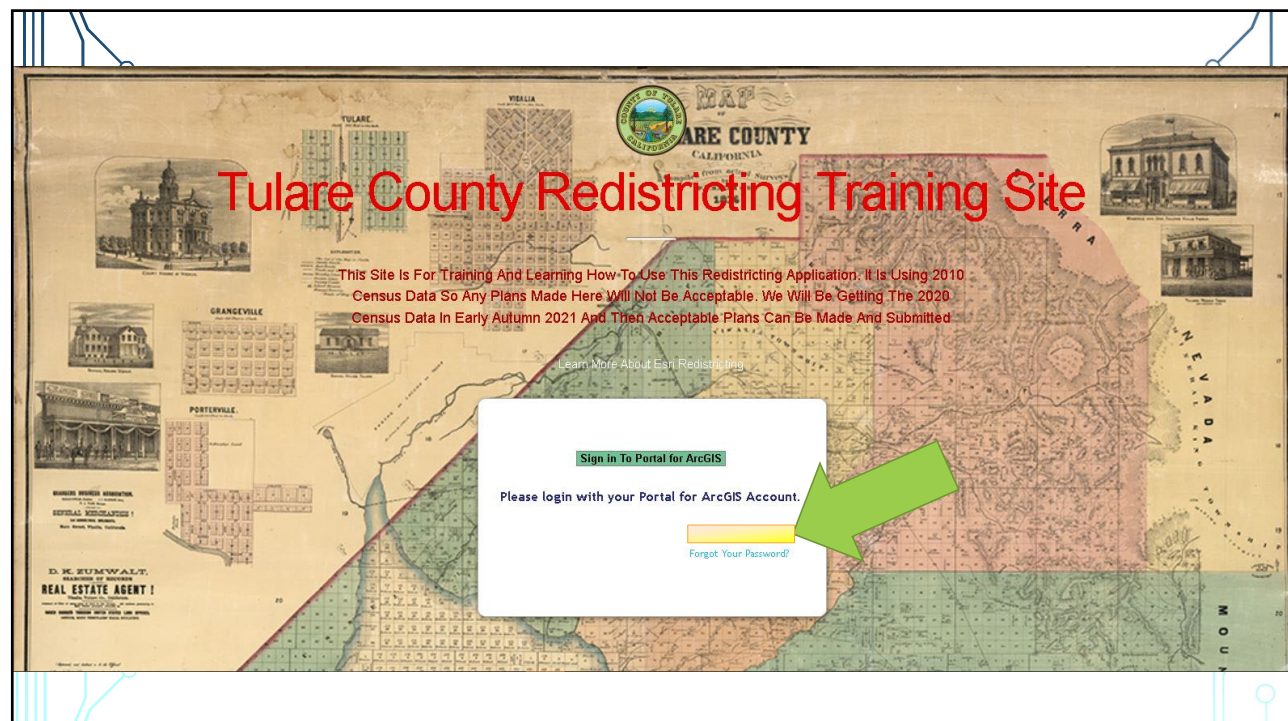
- At the moment, the Redistricting app only has 2010 Census data, 2020 data is not yet available.
- Because of this you cannot at this time make a plan that meets the legal requirements for redistricting.
- This presentation is an overview of the app, we are developing training materials to show more details on its use.
- This application is made available now so you can learn how to use it, so that this fall when the current data becomes available you will be ready to create a proposed plan for submittal.
- There is no change in the Redistricting process we have followed in the past, this tool is simply to give you more engagement into the process.
- You can still submit your ideas on paper, or other mapping tool, (i.e. <https://drawmycacomunity.org/>) this tool we're showing is just an aid in making sure that your plan meets the legal requirements.

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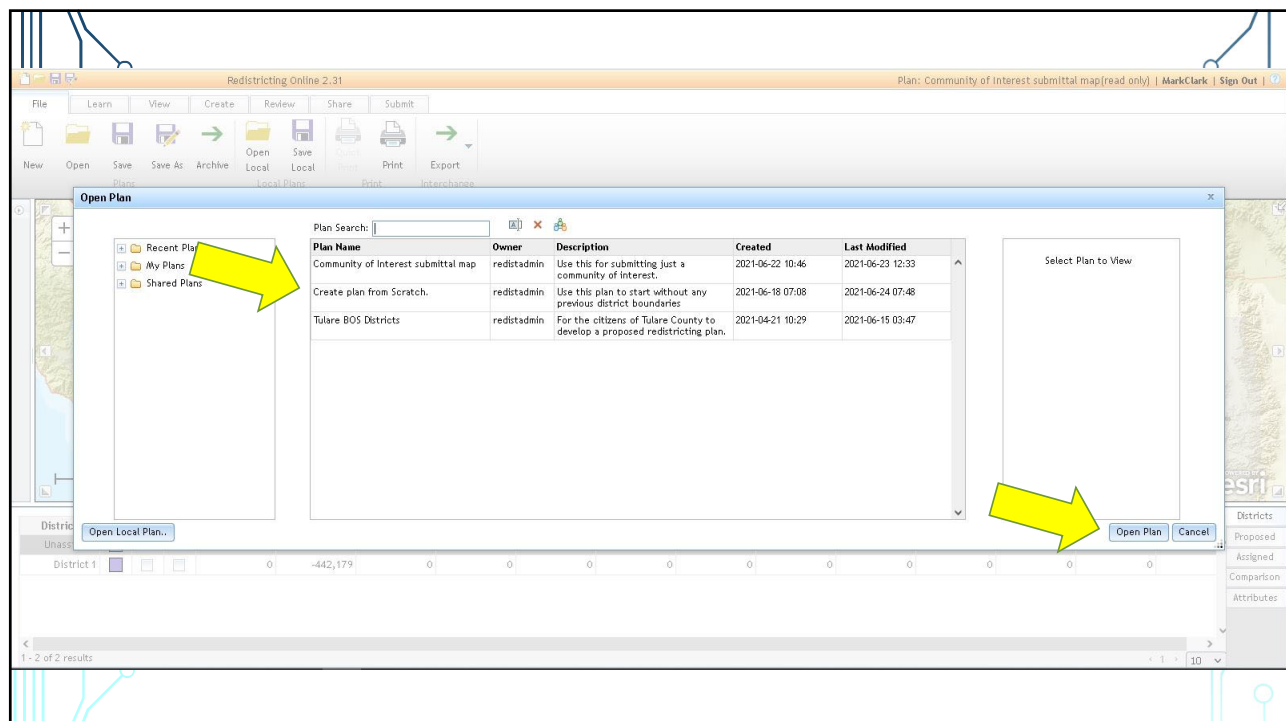
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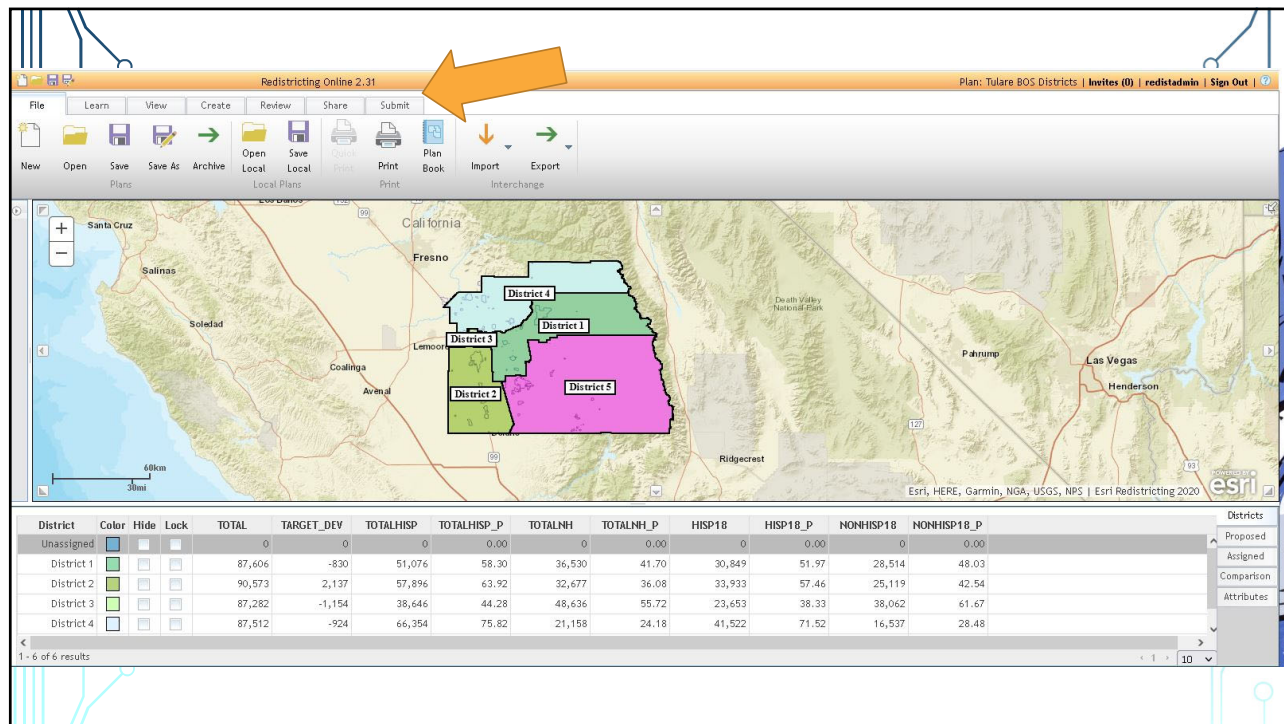
- The main purpose of this app is for the Redistricting Commission, with the help of staff, to create redistricting plans to submit to the Board of Supervisors for their review and approval.
- Another use of this app is so you can develop and propose a redistricting plan and submit your ideas to the Commission.
- This app will also allow you to gain some insight into the difficulty of making a redistricting plan that meets all the legal requirements. You do not have to submit the plan you create.
- In addition, you can use it to submit a community of interest to the Commission for them to consider while making a plan.

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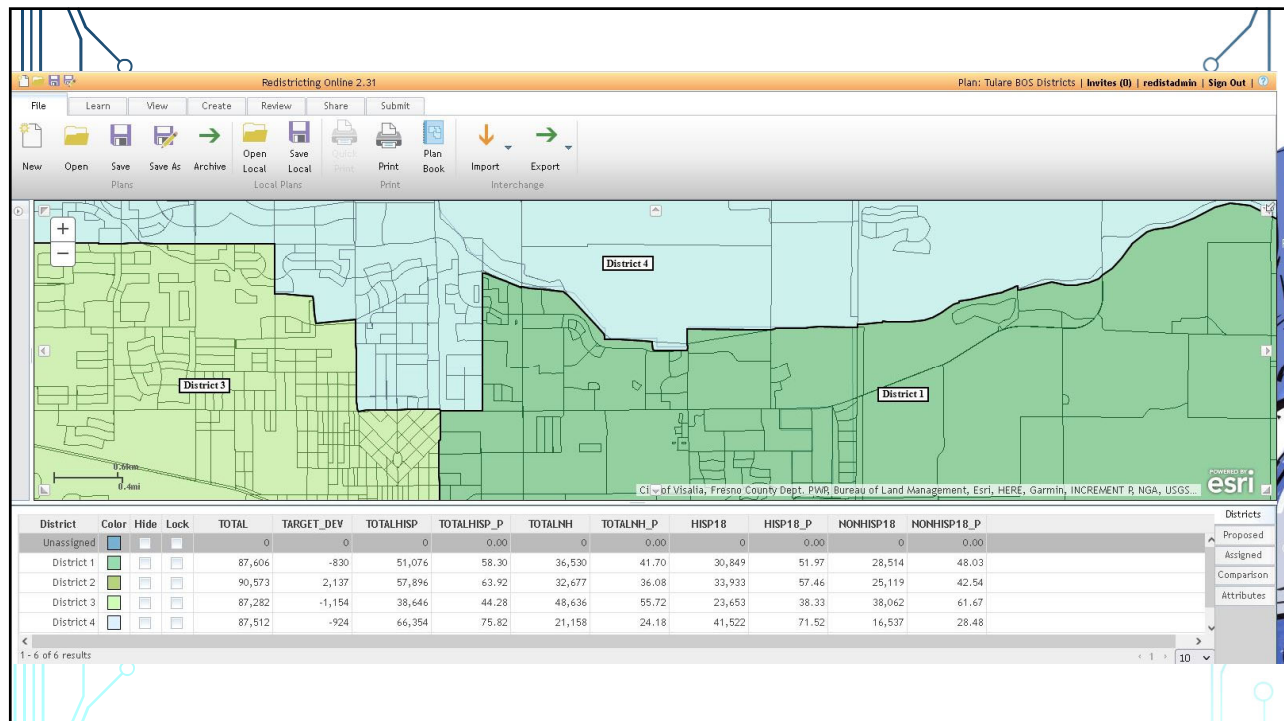


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## Esri Redistricting Online

### Welcome to Esri Redistricting Online!

Esri Redistricting Online assists state and local governments, advocacy groups, and the general public in drawing legislative and congressional redistricting plans following the 2010 U.S. Census. The foundation of Esri Redistricting Online is Esri's proven ArcGIS software platform and pertinent dataset components. ArcGIS software provides comprehensive features and functionality for plan management, visualization, editing, and community collaboration.

Esri Redistricting Online can be used for geographic redistricting and territory design. Esri Redistricting Online is a web-based application that establishes an online community where users can collaborate and share district plans. It uses GIS mapping technology, Esri data, and the latest available Census data to allow state and local government to prototype multiple redistricting scenarios before finalizing new boundaries.

Esri Redistricting Online provides online access to data content used by the community, including Census and PL 94-171 data. It includes tools to promote an increased collaboration between government and citizens. With Esri Redistricting Online and GIS, you can design optimal districts.

If you are new to the Esri Redistricting Online, start with the [Quick Tour: Creating Plan](#), or read the [Frequently Asked Questions](#). Please refer to the help icon in the top right-hand corner of the page for assistance using the redistricting application functions.

#### How to use this tool:

Here is a description of the numbered tabs at the top of this page that will guide you in the process of creating districts.

- 1 | Learn** This is the page you are on now and is the first step in the process.
- 2 | Create** Use the select tools and choose geographies to make district assignments. As you make assignments, the goal is to create balanced populations between districts.
- 3 | Review** View tables/charts that show the distribution of population within the districts you have created. The tables/charts are updated as you select and move populations between districts.
- 4 | Share** The share features allow you to invite friends and colleagues to view and/or comment on your plan. You can also invite others to build a plan together.

To get started, simply choose the **Create** tab, choose a district from the **Active District** menu. Choose a selection tool and select geographies by clicking or drawing on the map. The geographies selected will be assigned to the **Active District**.

In addition to the numbered tabs above, the **File** tab allows you to save and open plans you have created, open plans that people have shared with you, and print your plan. **Make sure to SAVE your plan.**

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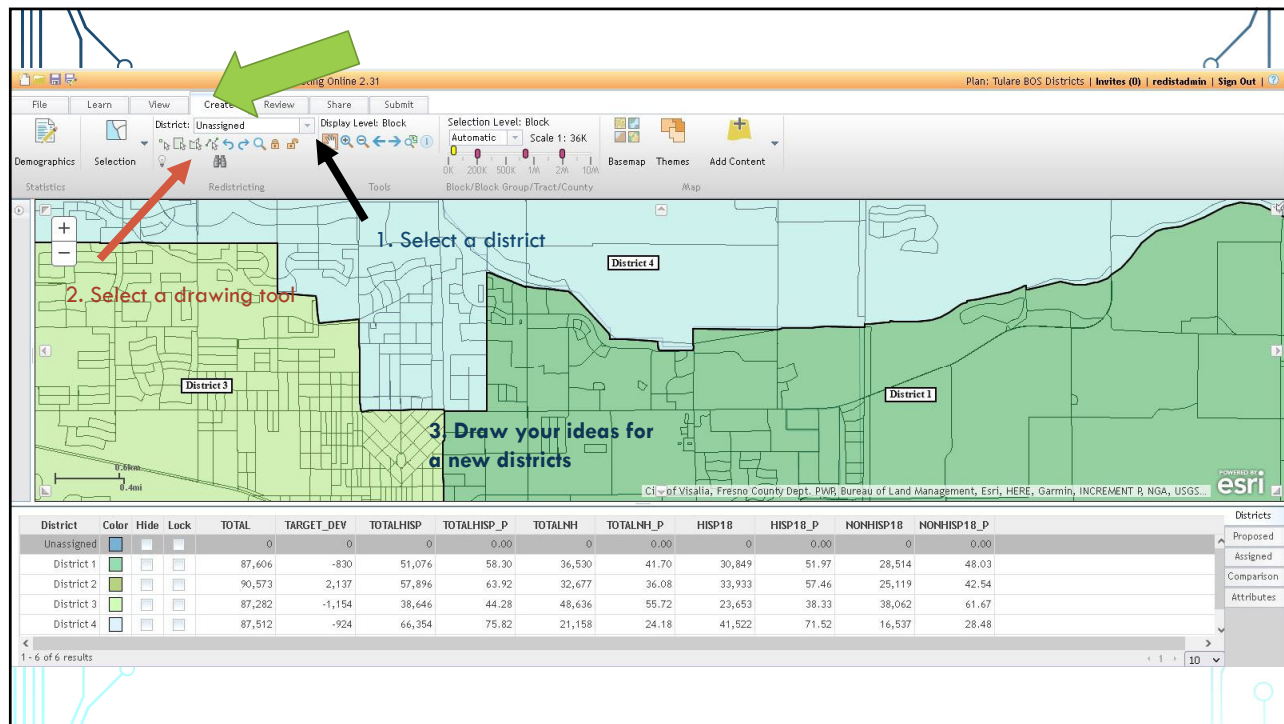
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District 2				90,573	2,137	57,896	63.92	32,677	36.08	33,933	57.46	25,119	42.54
District 3				87,282	-1,154	38,646	44.28	48,636	55.72	23,653	38.33	38,062	61.67
District 4				87,512	-924	66,354	75.82	21,158	24.18	41,522	71.52	16,537	28.48

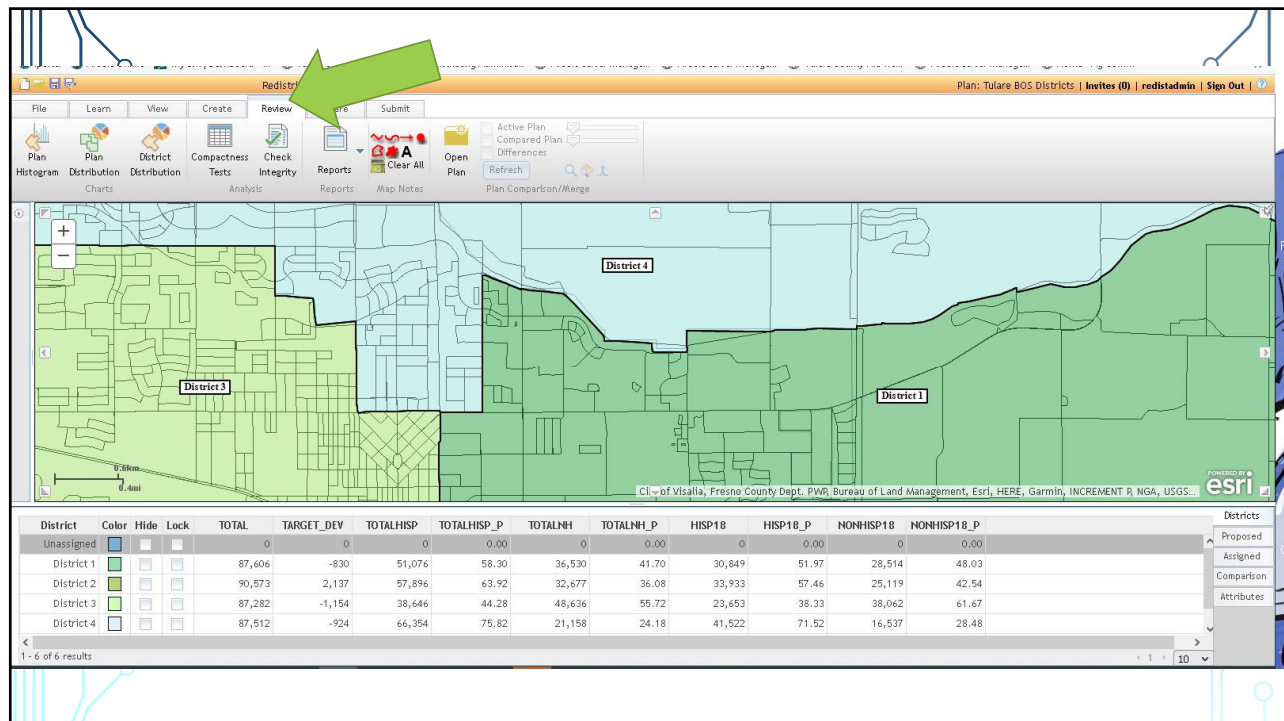
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Districts: Proposed, Assigned, Comparison, Attributes

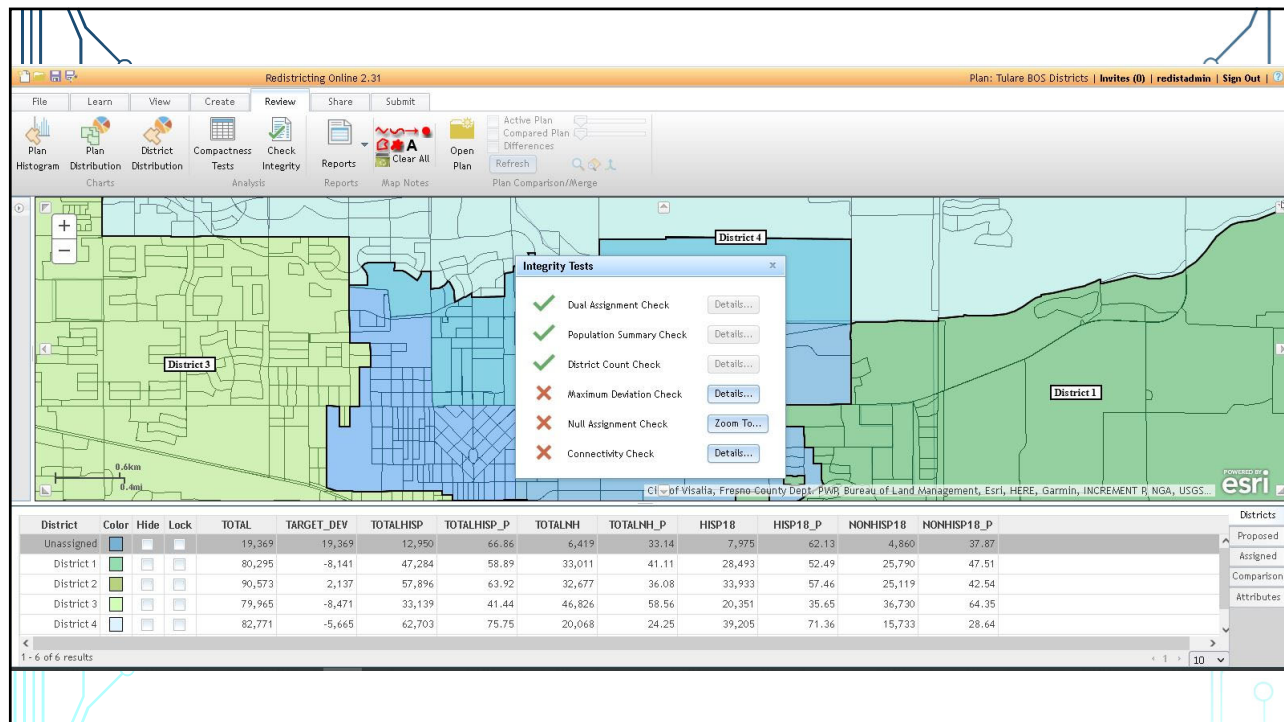
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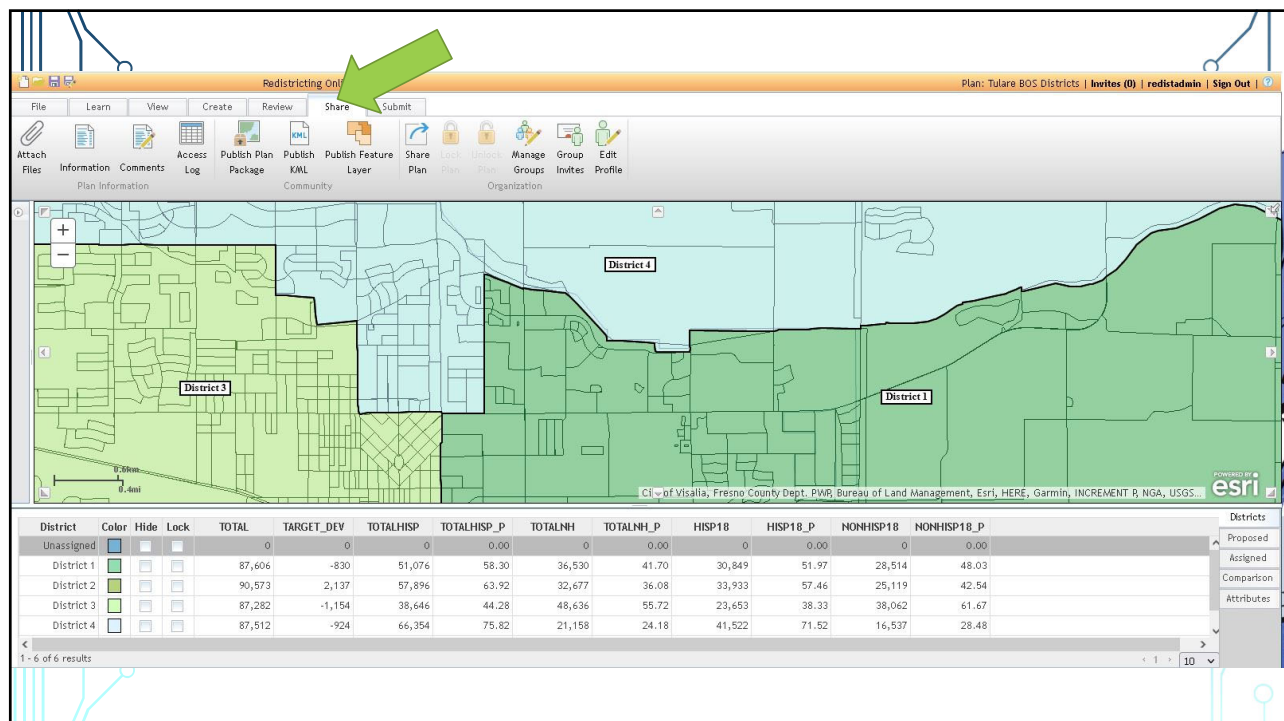
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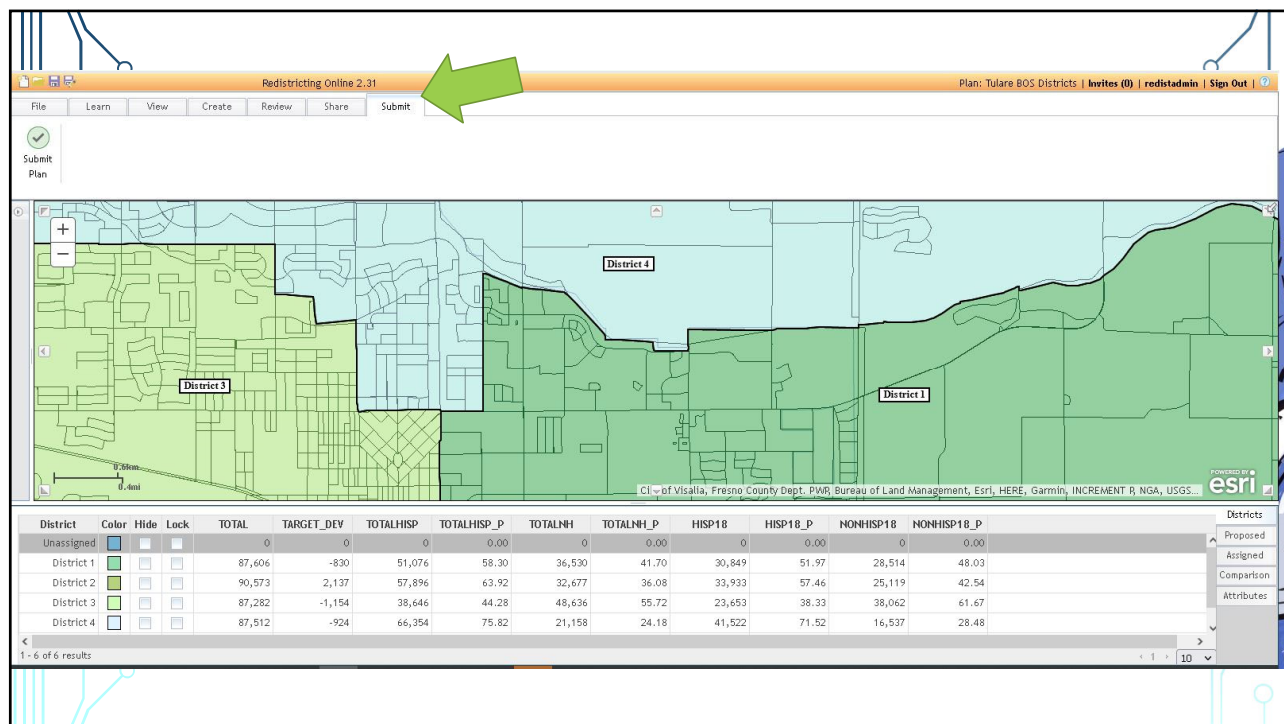
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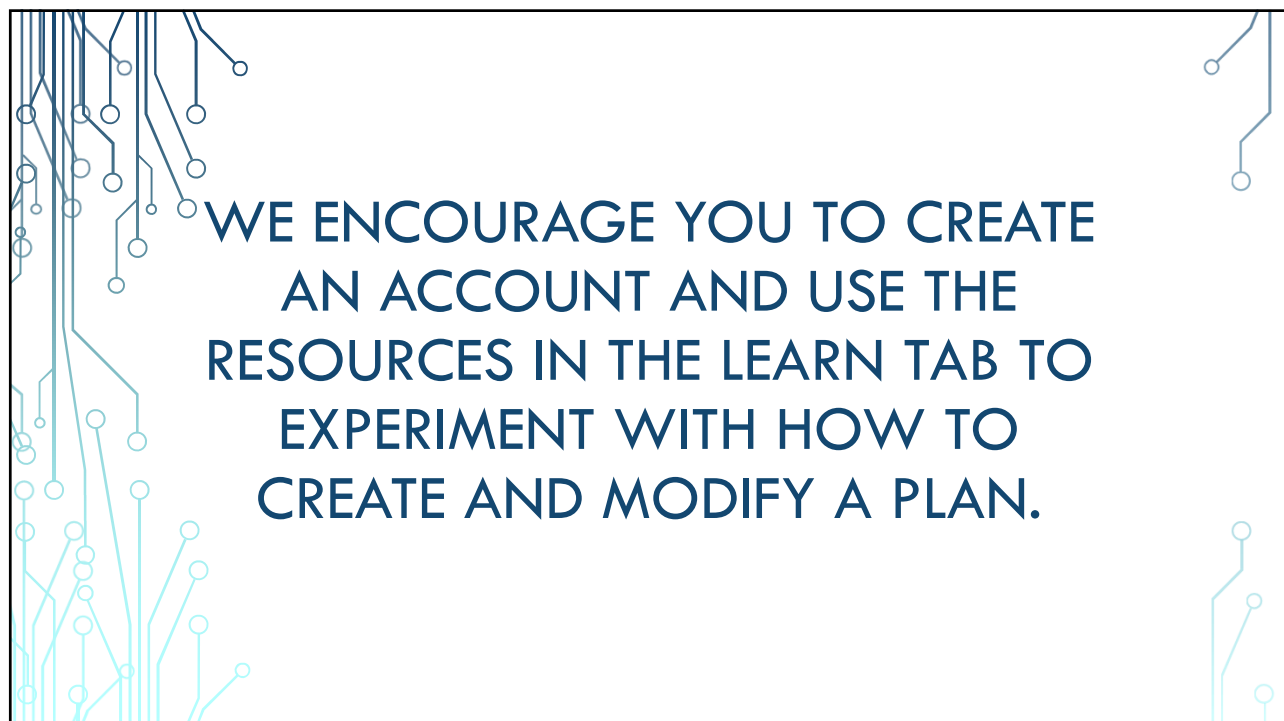
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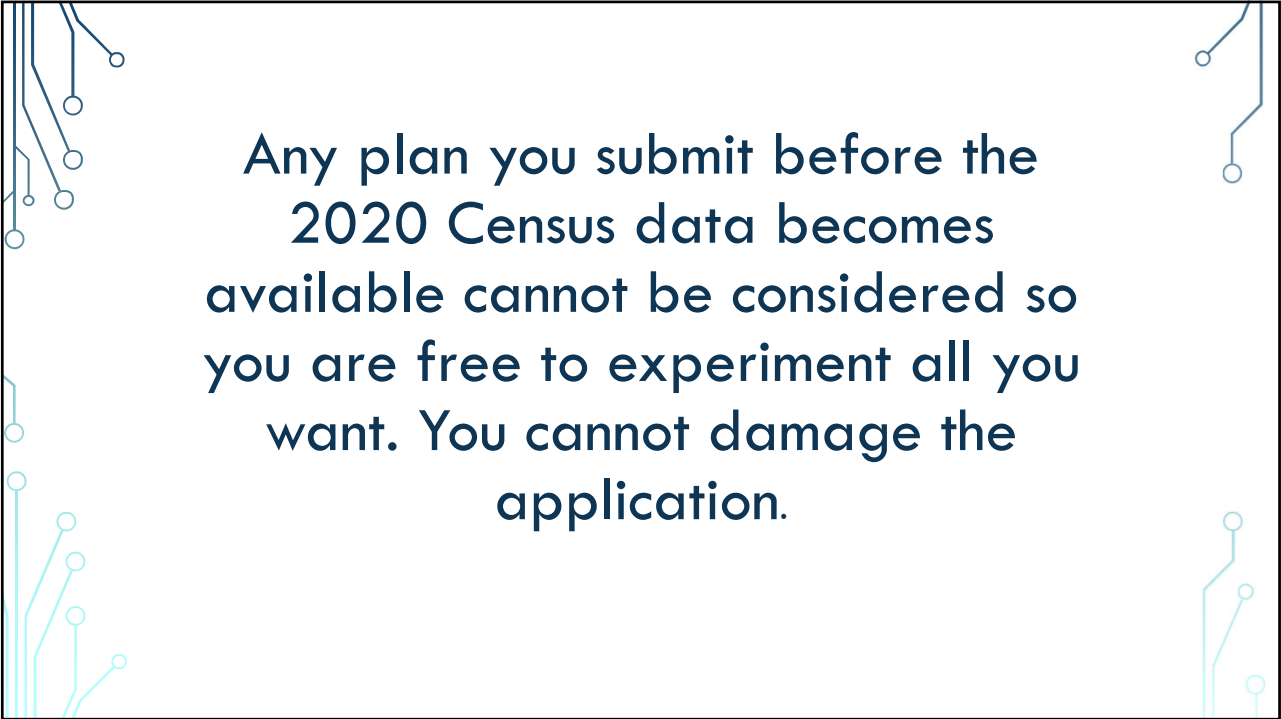


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Any plan you submit before the  
2020 Census data becomes  
available cannot be considered so  
you are free to experiment all you  
want. You cannot damage the  
application.

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HAVE FUN!

ANY QUESTIONS?

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 1. Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 2. International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 3. Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 4. Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA *(pending confirmation)
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1 Review draft maps prepared by staff and the community	TBD
October 7	District 2 Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	TBD
October 14	District 3 Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	TBD

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 21	District 4 Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	TBD
October 28	District 5 Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	TBD
November 4	Commission to approve a final report to the Board of Supervisors recommending three maps for adoption.	TBD
November 9	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review and approve final changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 16	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to introduce the ordinance adjusting district boundaries.	TBD
December 7	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to adopt an ordinance adjusting district boundaries.	TBD

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break before hearing public comment.*

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## 5. Informational Presentation Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation*

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## 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Matters
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Legal Matters
- d. Additional Redistricting Criteria

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## 7. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

### Upcoming meetings:

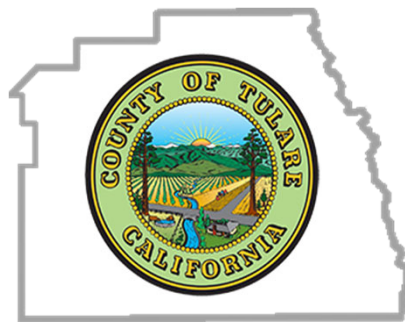
**July 15, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E Acequia Ave., Visalia (District 3)

**July 29, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E Elizabeth Way, Dinuba (District 4)

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

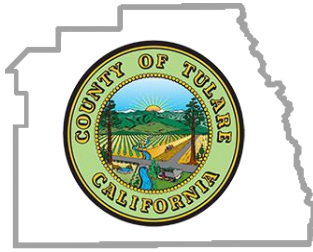
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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, July 15, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Visalia Convention Center, Exhibition Hall  
303 E. Acequia Ave.  
Visalia, CA 93291

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if you need special assistance or language translation services to participate in this meeting, please contact the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors as soon as possible during office hours by calling (559) 636-5000 or by email at [clerkoftheboard@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:clerkoftheboard@tularecounty.ca.gov). Reasonable requests made at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting will ensure accessibility to this meeting.

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

To provide written public comments, please email [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)

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1. Call to Order & Flag Salute
2. Roll Call
3. General Public Comment

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on **any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda**. Under state law, matters presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in addressing the Commission at this time. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for the General Public Comment Period. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

**4. Action and Discussion Items**

**a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's July 1, 2021 meeting (Action)**

**5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.**

Topics include:

- Redistricting Overview;
- Redistricting Criteria;
- Communities of Interest;
- 2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps;
- Redistricting Software;
- County Redistricting Timeline; and
- Redistricting Outreach Efforts.

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break after the informational presentation, before hearing public comment.*

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on the presentations.*

**6. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. Public Outreach Report**
- b. Administrative Matters**
- c. Clerk Matters**
- d. Legal Matters**
- e. Additional Redistricting Criteria**

**7. Future Items**

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**Upcoming meetings:**

July 29, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E Elizabeth Way, Dinuba (District 4)

August 12, 2021, 6:30 p.m., CHMA Community Center, 466 E. Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA (District 5)

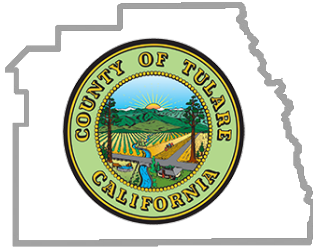
**8. Evaluation**

**9. Adjournment**



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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, July 15, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Visalia Convention Center, Exhibition Hall  
303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA 93291

### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:32 p.m.

### 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez (via Zoom)	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

### 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Brian Thoburn; Arturo Torres; Suzanna Aguilera-Marrero; Lilly Hart; Uler Torres;

**Public written comments:** None.

#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's July 1, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for July 1, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Diaz
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 - Absent

<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
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<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

**Topics include: Redistricting Overview; Redistricting Criteria; Communities of Interest; 2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps; Redistricting Software; and County Redistricting Timeline; and Redistricting Outreach Efforts.** County Staff provided an overview and update on items a-g.

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Angel Ruiz; Luisa; Lori Pesante; Deene Souza; Suzanna Aguilera-Marrero

**Public written comments:** None.

**Commissioner Comments.** None.

#### 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
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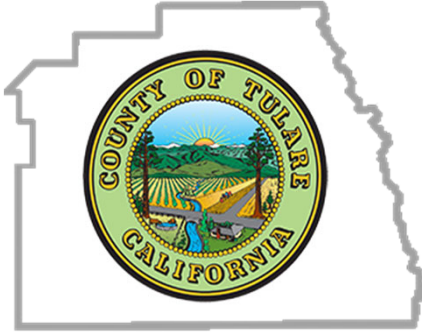
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#### 8. Evaluation: Commissioners provided feedback regarding today's meeting

#### 9. Adjournment - 8:30 p.m. Adjourned to July 29, 2021

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

July 15, 2021



Visalia Convention Center,  
Exhibit Hall  
303 E. Acequia Ave.  
Visalia, CA 93291

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo    |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata    |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervey |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda  |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco   |
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**03:00**

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the July 1, 2021 meeting



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5. Informational Presentation  
Regarding 2021 Tulare County  
Supervisory Redistricting.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview Presentation Outline

1. Redistricting Process
2. Advisory Commission
3. Redistricting Criteria
4. Communities of Interest
5. Packing and Cracking
  - a. Kern County Case Study
6. 2011 Map Proposals

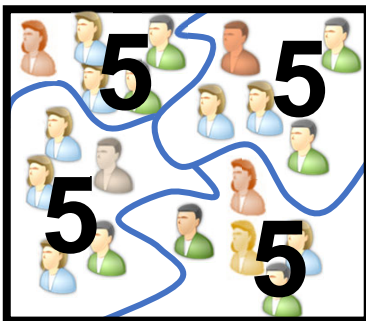
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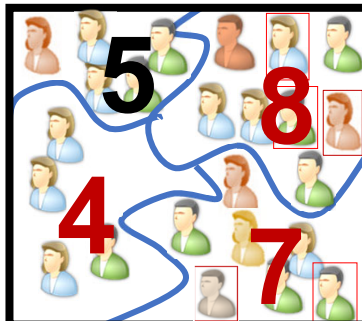
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### Redistricting Overview

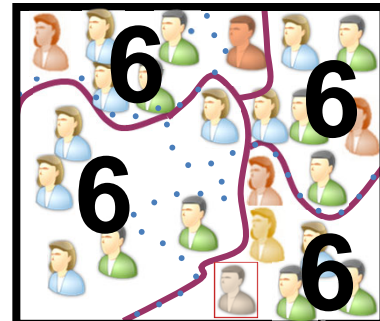
Redistricting is when we redraw districts so that each has the same number of residents.



Over time, populations grow, shrink, and shift, making districts uneven in population size.



Every ten years, after the census, district lines are redrawn to make each district even in number again.



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

- This Commission only considers boundary changes for the five county supervisorial districts – not for state, federal, or other local voting districts.
- In addition to the eight prioritized criteria that set the legal parameters for district boundaries, the Commission may recommend additional criteria



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### General Timeline

- **September 2021** - Federal census data will be received by the County.
- **October 2021** – Commission and community drafts boundary changes.
- **November 2021** -The Board of Supervisors will hold public hearings regarding proposed boundary changes.
- **DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries.
- **June 2022** - Primary election for Districts 4 and 5.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### CURRENT SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS

District 1 Larry Micari	District 2 Pete Vander Poel III	District 3 Amy Shuklian	District 4 Eddie Valero	District 5 Dennis Townsend
Exeter Farmersville Lindcove Lindsay Poplar Strathmore Three Rivers Visalia (part) Woodville	Allensworth Alpaugh Earlimart Pixley Tipton Tulare Waukena	Visalia	Badger Cutler Dinuba Goshen Ivanhoe Orosi Traver Visalia (part) Woodlake	Camp Nelson Ducor Kennedy Meadows Poplar-Cotton Center Porterville Posey Richgrove Springville Terra Bella

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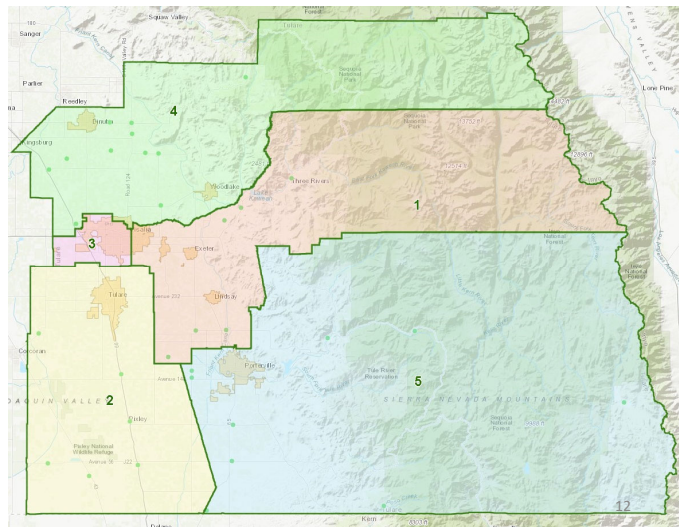
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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

COUNTY POPULATION (2010 CENSUS): 422,179

District	Total Population (2010)	Deviation
1	88,536	0.11%
2	89,593	1.31%
3	87,282	-1.31%
4	87,562	-0.99%
5	89,206	0.87%



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### CENSUS DATA

	2000 Census		2010 Census		Change
	Total Population		Total Population		
<b>Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>	<b>368,021</b>		<b>442,179</b>		<b>20%</b>
White alone	213,751	58%	265,618	60%	24%
Black or African American alone	5,852	2%	7,196	2%	23%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	5,737	2%	6,993	2%	22%
Asian alone	12,018	3%	15,176	3%	26%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	408	0%	509	0%	25%
Some Other Race alone	113,317	31%	128,263	29%	13%
Two or More Races	16,938	5%	18,424	4%	9%
<b>Hispanic or Latino Community</b>	<b>368,021</b>		<b>442,179</b>		<b>20%</b>
Hispanic or Latino	186,846	51%	268,065	61%	43%
Not Hispanic or Latino	181,175	49%	174,114	39%	-4%
<b>Citizen Voting Age Population</b>	<b>193,759</b>		<b>220,082</b>		<b>14%</b>
Citizens 18 years or older	193,759	53%	220,082	50%	14%
<b>Income &amp; Poverty</b>					
Median Household Income	\$	33,983	\$	42,377	25%
Children under 18 in poverty		33%		33.6%	2%

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 1. POPULATION EQUALITY



Districts shall be substantially equal in population as required by the United States Constitution. Population equality shall be based on the total population of residents of the county as determined by the decennial census.

#### 2. LEGAL COMPLIANCE



District boundaries shall comply with the U.S. Constitution, California Constitution, and the federal Voting Rights Act.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 3. CONTIGUITY



To the extent practicable, districts shall be geographically contiguous.

#### 4. COMMUNITY INTEGRITY



To the extent practicable, districts shall respect the geographic integrity of any local neighborhood or local community of interest in a manner that minimizes its division.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 5. CITY OR CDP INTEGRITY



To the extent practicable, the geographic integrity of a city or census designated place shall be respected in a manner that minimizes its division.

#### 6. IDENTIFIABLE BOUNDARIES



District boundaries should be easily identifiable and understandable by residents. To the extent practicable, districts shall be bounded by natural and artificial barriers, by streets, or by boundaries of the county.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 7. COMPACTNESS



To the extent practicable, and where it does not conflict with the preceding criteria, districts shall be drawn to encourage geographic compactness in such a manner that nearby areas of population are not bypassed in favor of more distant populations.

#### 8. NO POLITICAL PARTIES



The Board shall not adopt boundaries for the purpose of favoring or discriminating against a political party.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

- Additional criteria may be recommended by the Commission to the Board of Supervisors
- The Commission will vote to recommend additional criteria to the Board of Supervisors at the August 12 meeting.

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### Communities of Interest

One of the main objectives of redistricting is to redraw boundaries in such a way that optimizes the electoral influence of communities of interest. The State constitution defines a community of interest as a contiguous population which shares common social and economic interests that should be included within a single district for purposes of its effective and fair representation.

#### How to define your community of interest?

1. What are the economic, social, and/or cultural interests that your community shares?
2. Where is your community located geographically?
3. Is your shared interest within the policy jurisdiction of Tulare County?



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### Communities of Interest

The following communities of interest have been brought to the Commission's attention this year:

1. Hispanic or Latino community
2. Low-income communities (census tracts at or below 80% of the statewide median income)
3. Citizen voting age population

The communities of interest considered during the 2011 redistricting process include:

1. Citizen voting age population
2. Hispanic or Latino citizen voting age population
3. School districts
4. Common infrastructure communities (i.e. water systems, sewer systems, refuse collection)



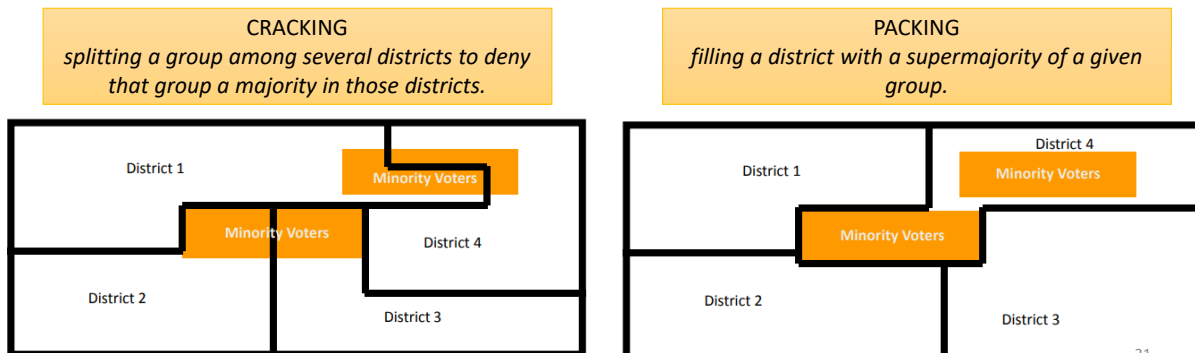
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### “Packing” & “Cracking”

Federal Voting Rights Act prohibits electoral systems which dilute racial and language minority voting rights by denying them an equal opportunity to nominate and elect candidates of their choice.



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Kern County Case

*Luna v. County of Kern*

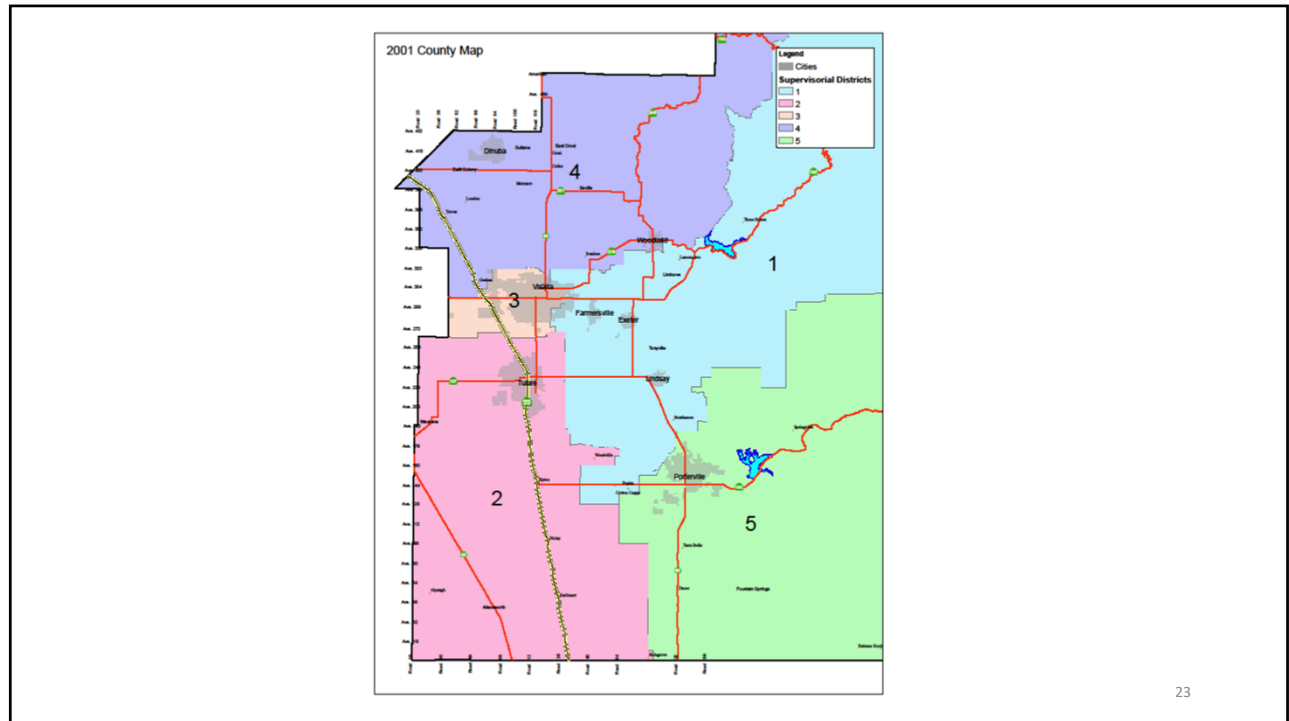
- The Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) alleged that the supervisorial district boundaries drawn by the Kern County Board of Supervisors in 2011 were drawn in violation of the U.S. Voting Rights Act by splitting similar communities of Latino voters in northwest Kern County into two different supervisors' districts.
- A U.S. District Court upheld the allegation that “Latino voters in Kern County have been deprived of an equal opportunity to elect representatives of their choice, in violation of § 2 of the [Federal] Voting Rights Act.”
- Parties settled the suit in March 2018 by redrawing supervisorial district lines to create a second Latino-majority district. The County also paid \$5 million in attorneys' fees and costs for both sides.

Read more about this case here:

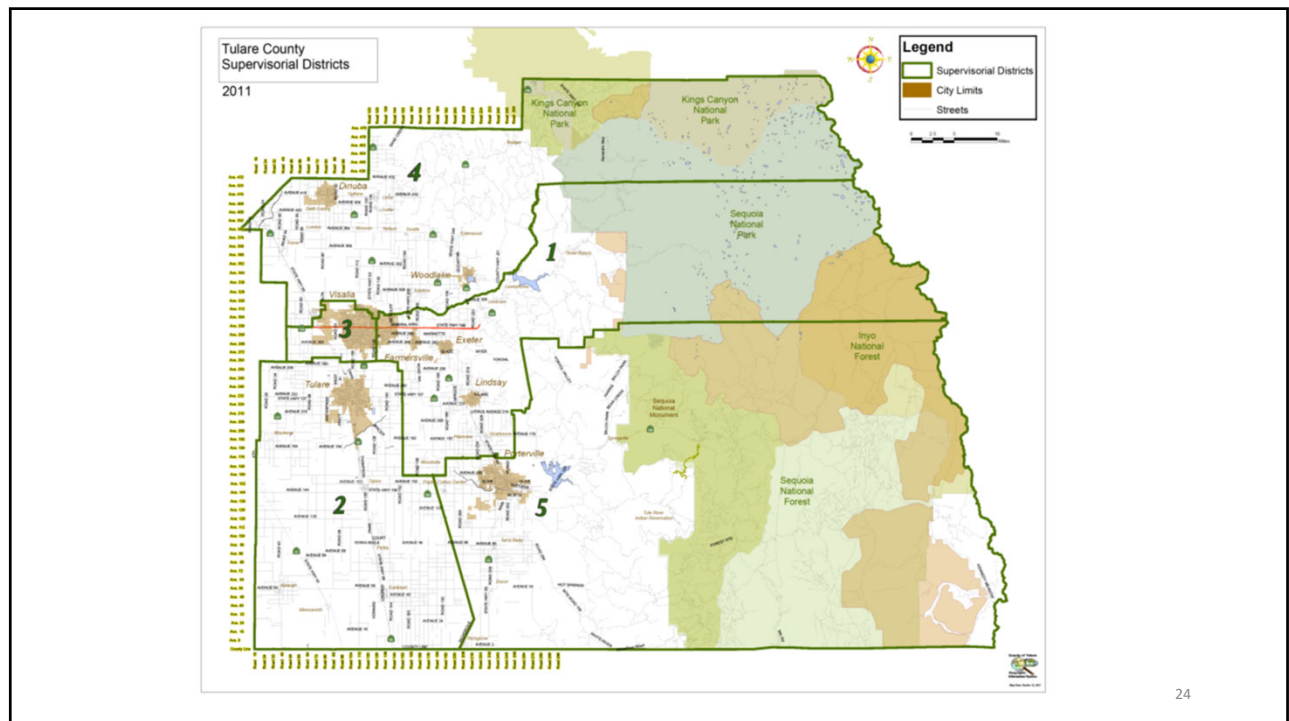
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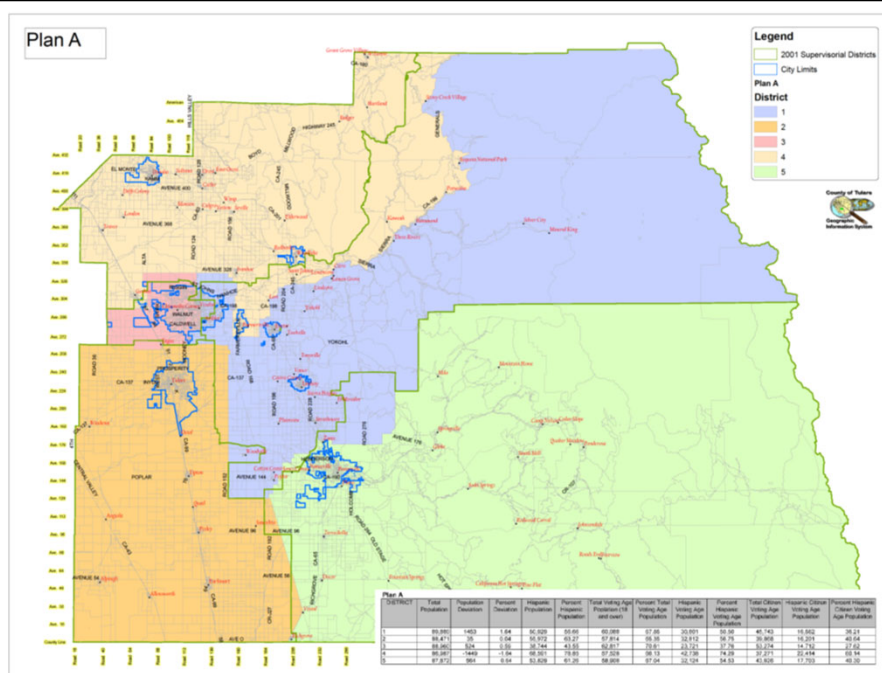
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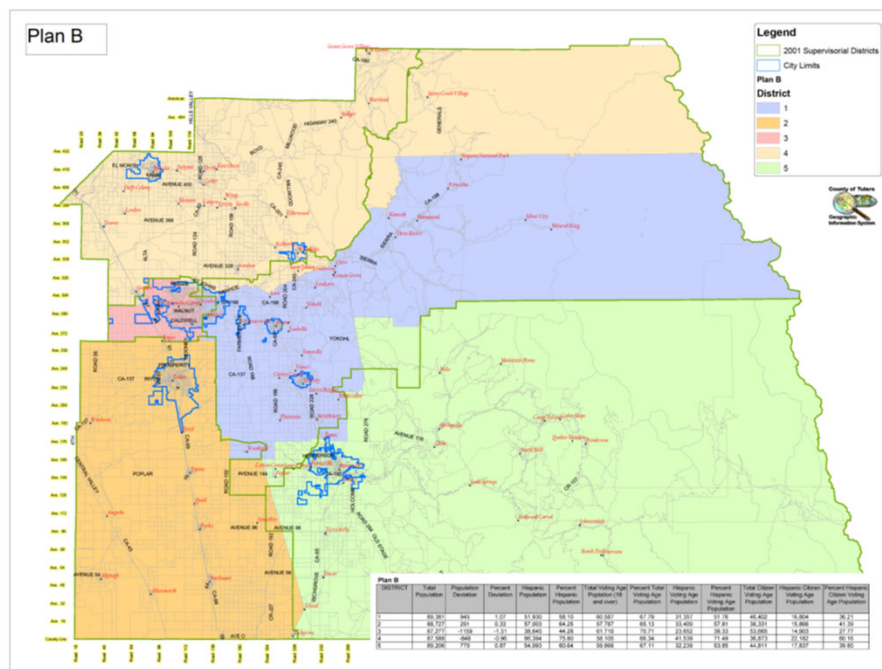


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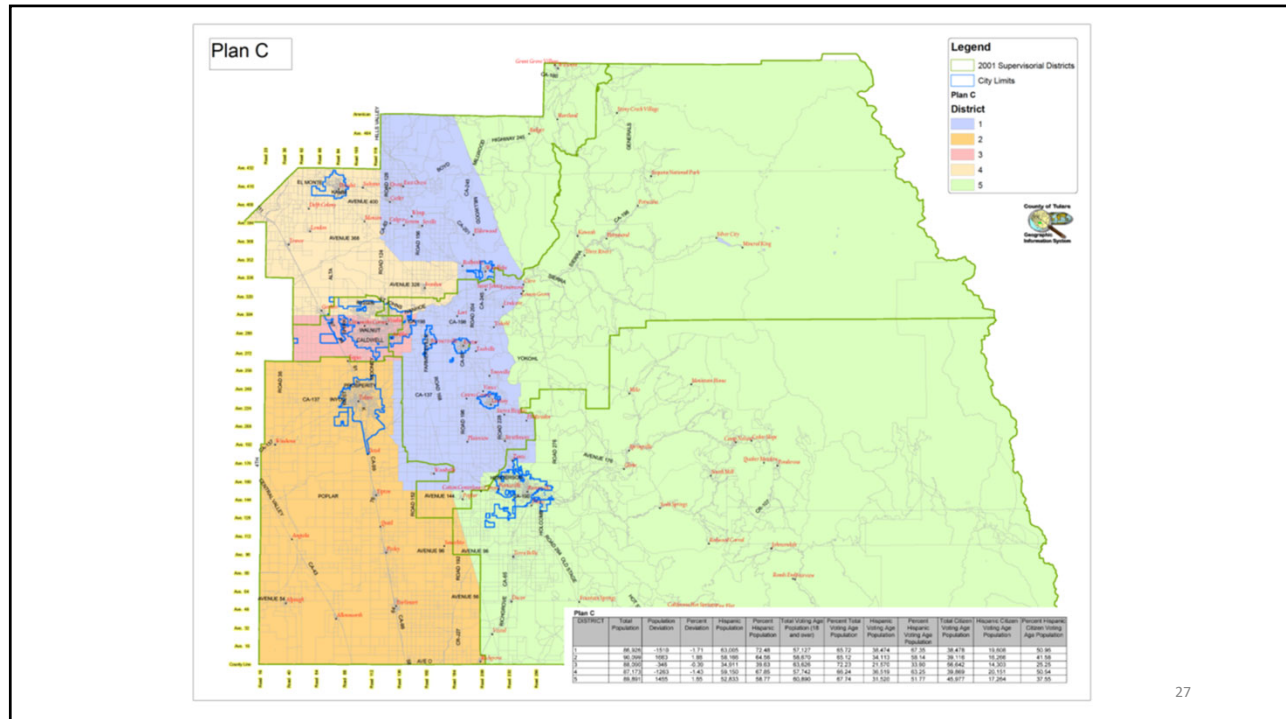
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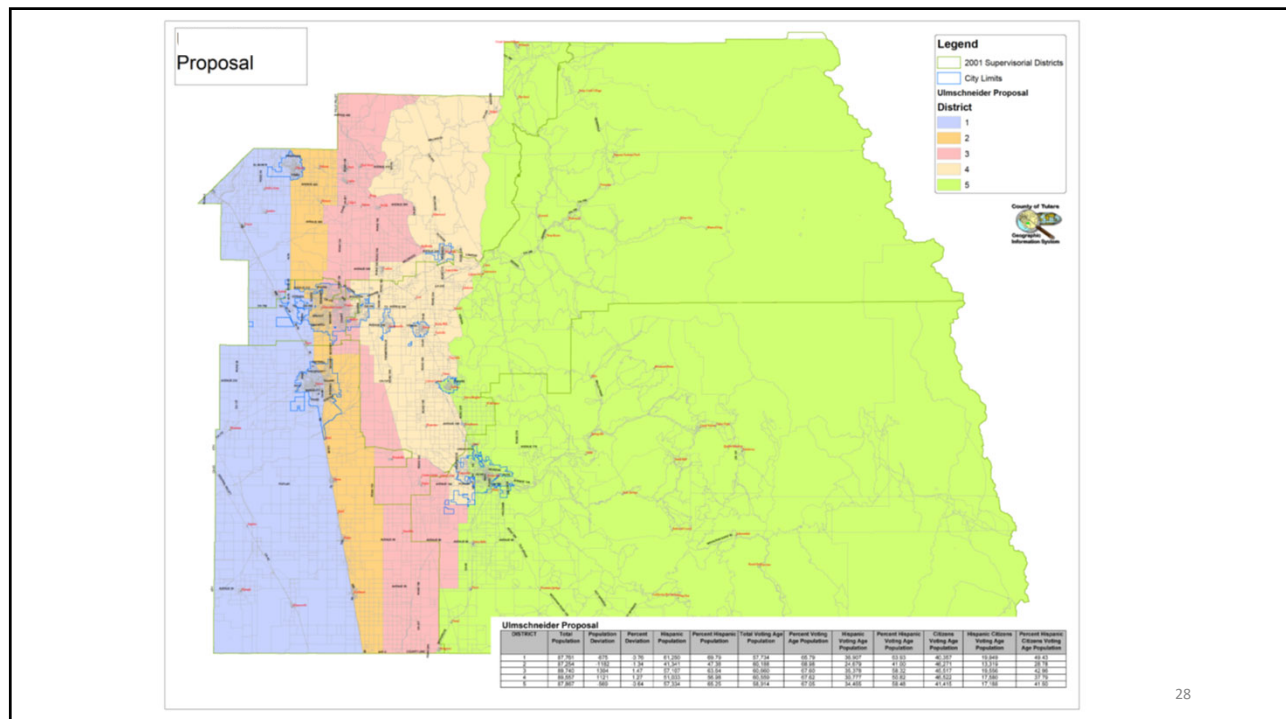


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### RATIONALE

1. Contiguous and electorate friendly by connecting the North and South, East and West parts of Tulare County and easily understood by the average voter as you just count the districts from left to right or West to East.
2. Proportional sizes except for district 5 which is sparsely populated due to the large Sierra Nevada Mountain Range. Nevertheless, pockets of population centers are clustered so that the actual canvass and campaign geography might be relevant.
3. Actually brings our communities together instead of "compartmentalizing" them. The idea of keeping our communities together is what this is from a countywide perspective. "Dividing" our communities is not what this does as any community would still have its fire & police, departments, municipalities, school districts and other such public entities which are within those jurisdictions. In fact, using the expression and words "dividing communities of interest" seems to be a red herring that might actually keep us apart in terms of shared resources of the entire county. The county supervisors in the particular districts at hand will have to be sensitive to the socio-economically blighted areas of the North and South and since Visalia is the Seat of our county government, it makes sense that 4/5ths of these districts will intersect and share it.
4. Each district has approximately 88,436 people. The % deviation has been kept to as low as 0.0 for all of them. They all have Hispanic majorities per our county census. It is likely that 2-3 will have Hispanic CVAP majorities.
5. As county supervisors, their awareness and political concerns should cover the entire county and that is what this redistricting attempts to do. It connects the communities of interest instead of compartmentalizing them. For instance, Tulare, Visalia and Dinuba would have 2 or more supervisors with their concerns and this doubles the focus on their needs and services. The same goes with other municipalities like Porterville. This map attempts to bring us together as a county instead of dividing and separating us into compartments of parochial interests.

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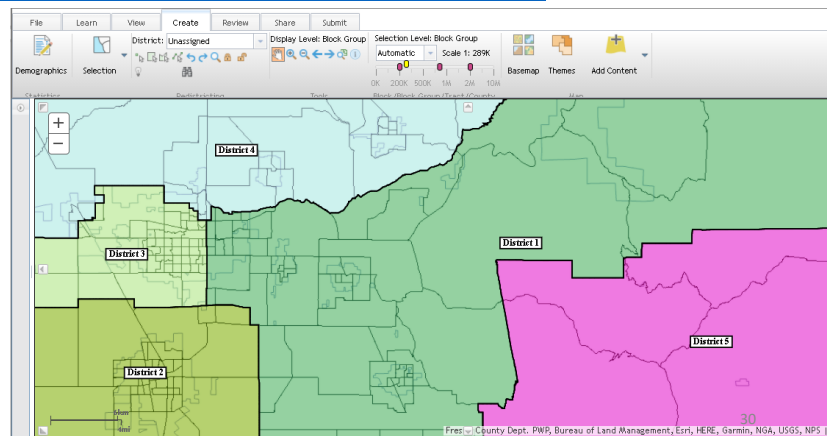
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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Software

Esri URL: <https://tularecountyredistricting.esriemcs.com/redistricting/>

QR Code for Redistricting Software



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## IMPORTANT

- At the moment, the Redistricting app only has 2010 Census data, 2020 data is not yet available.
- Because of this you cannot at this time make a plan that meets the legal requirements for redistricting.
- This presentation is an overview of the app, we are developing training materials to show more details on its use.
- This application is made available now so you can learn how to use it, so that this fall when the current data becomes available you will be ready to create a proposed plan for submittal.
- There is no change in the Redistricting process we have followed in the past, this tool is simply to give you more engagement into the process.
- You can still submit your ideas on paper, or other mapping tool, (i.e. <https://drawmycacomunity.org/>) this tool we're showing is just an aid in making sure that your plan meets the legal requirements.

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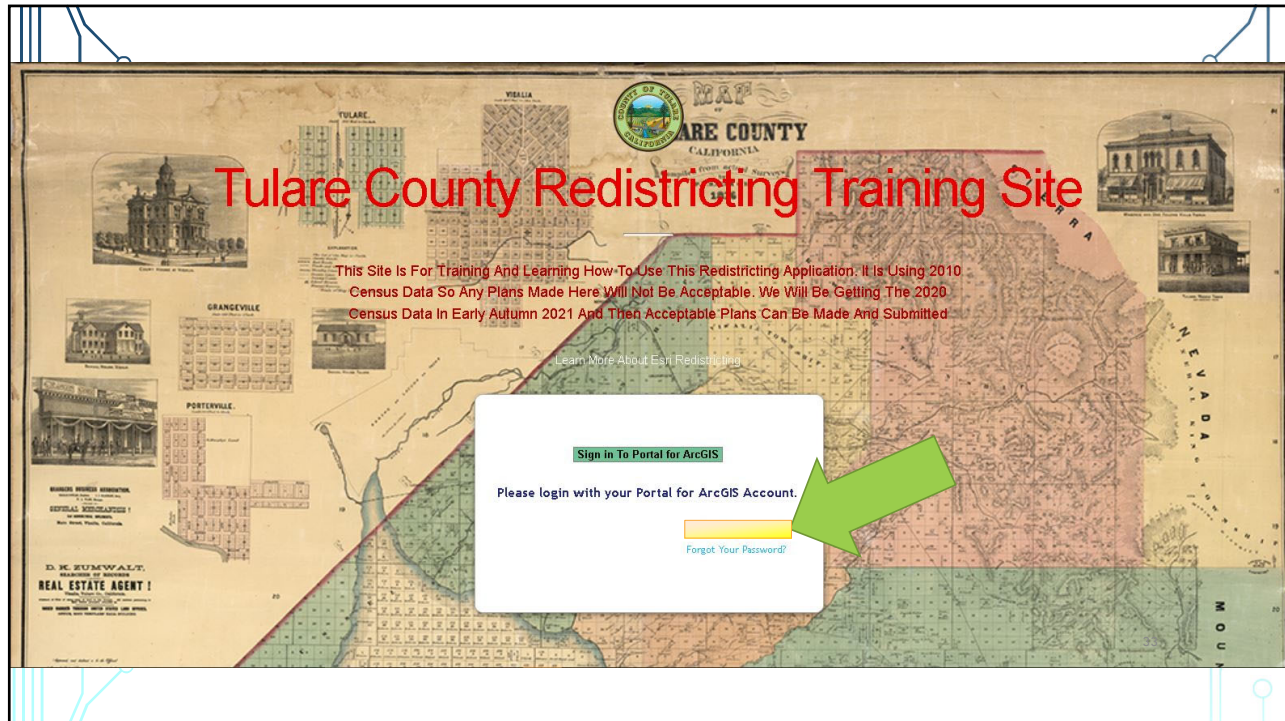
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## WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS APP?

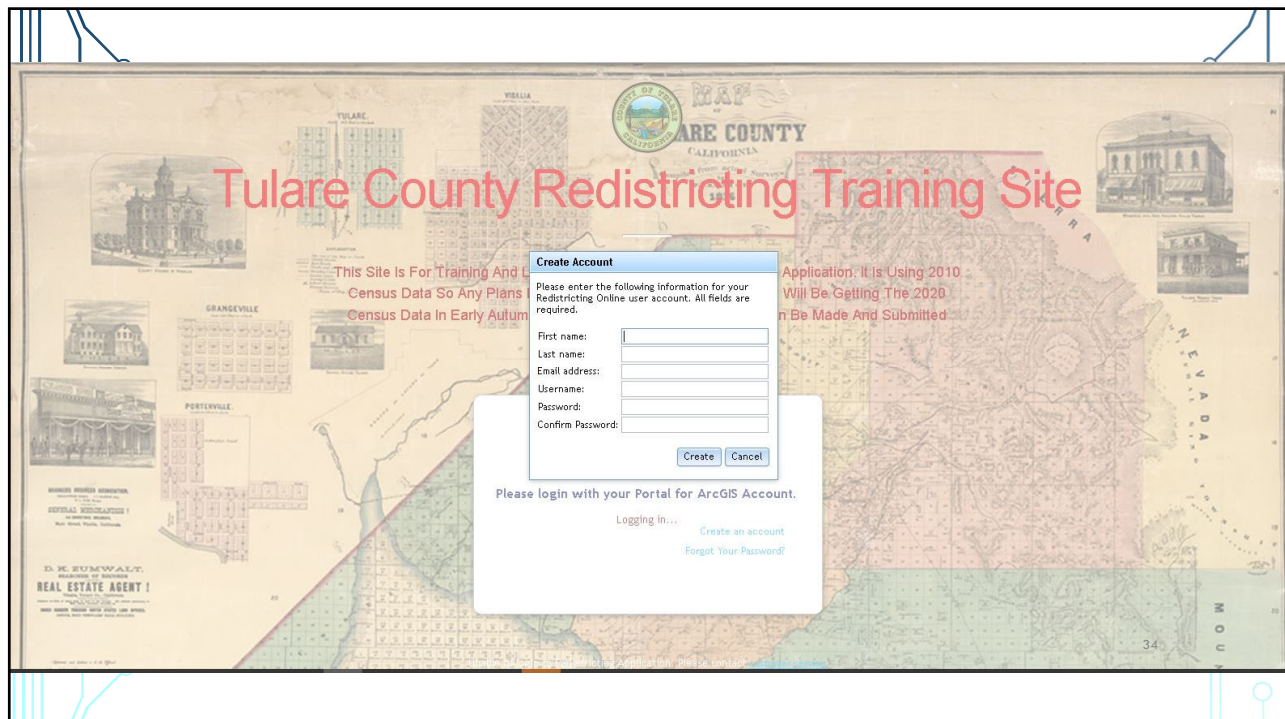
- The main purpose of this app is for the Redistricting Commission, with the help of staff, to create redistricting plans to submit to the Board of Supervisors for their review and approval.
- Another use of this app is so you can develop and propose a redistricting plan and submit your ideas to the Commission.
- This app will also allow you to gain some insight into the difficulty of making a redistricting plan that meets all the legal requirements. You do not have to submit the plan you create.
- In addition, you can use it to submit a community of interest to the Commission for them to consider while making a plan.

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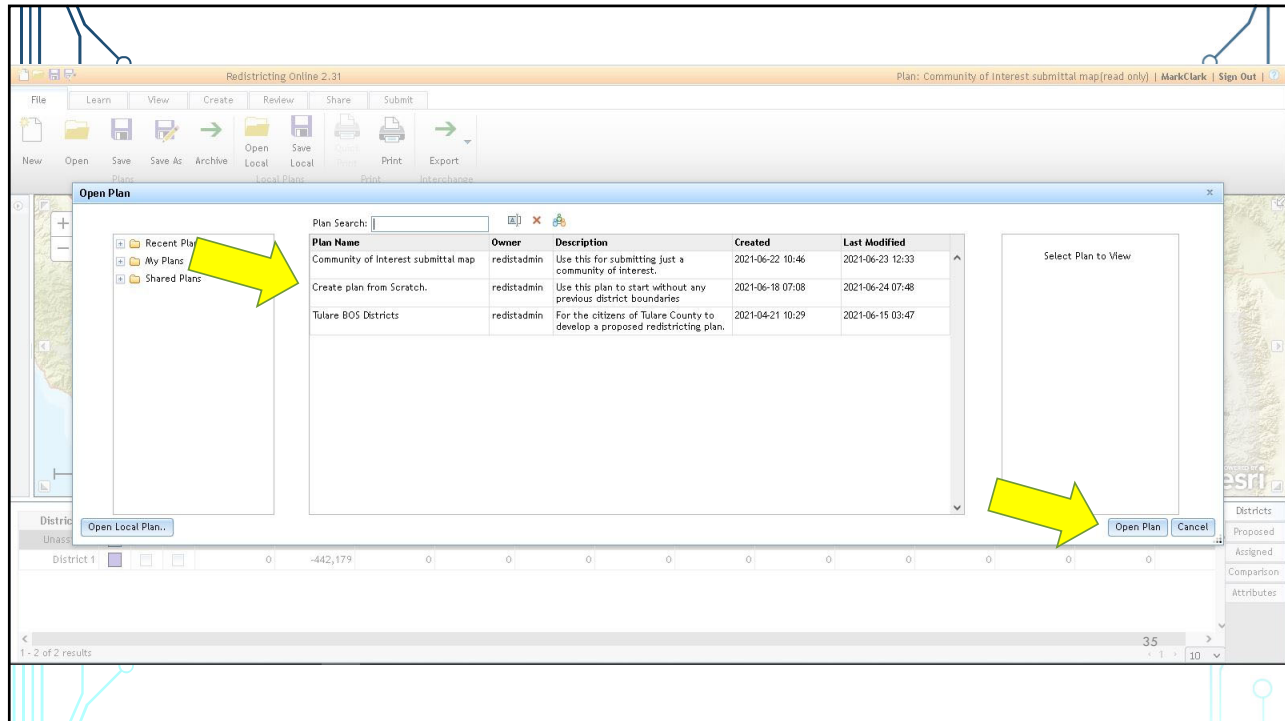
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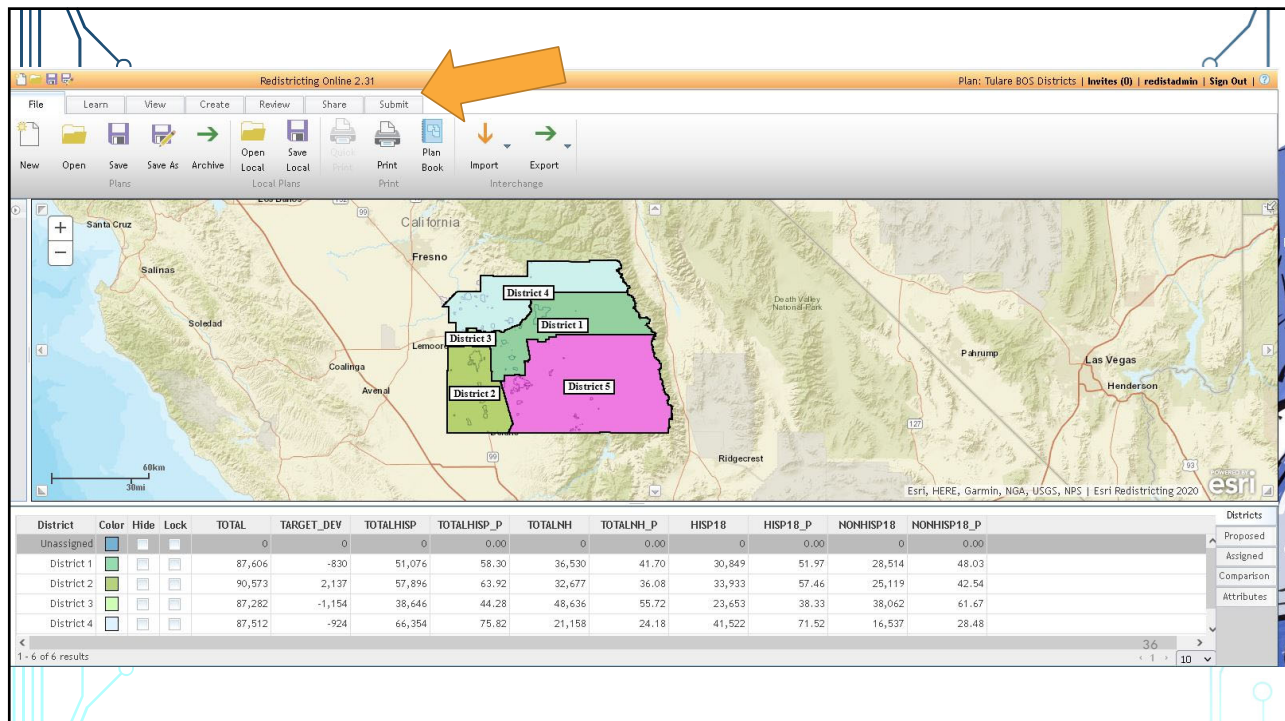
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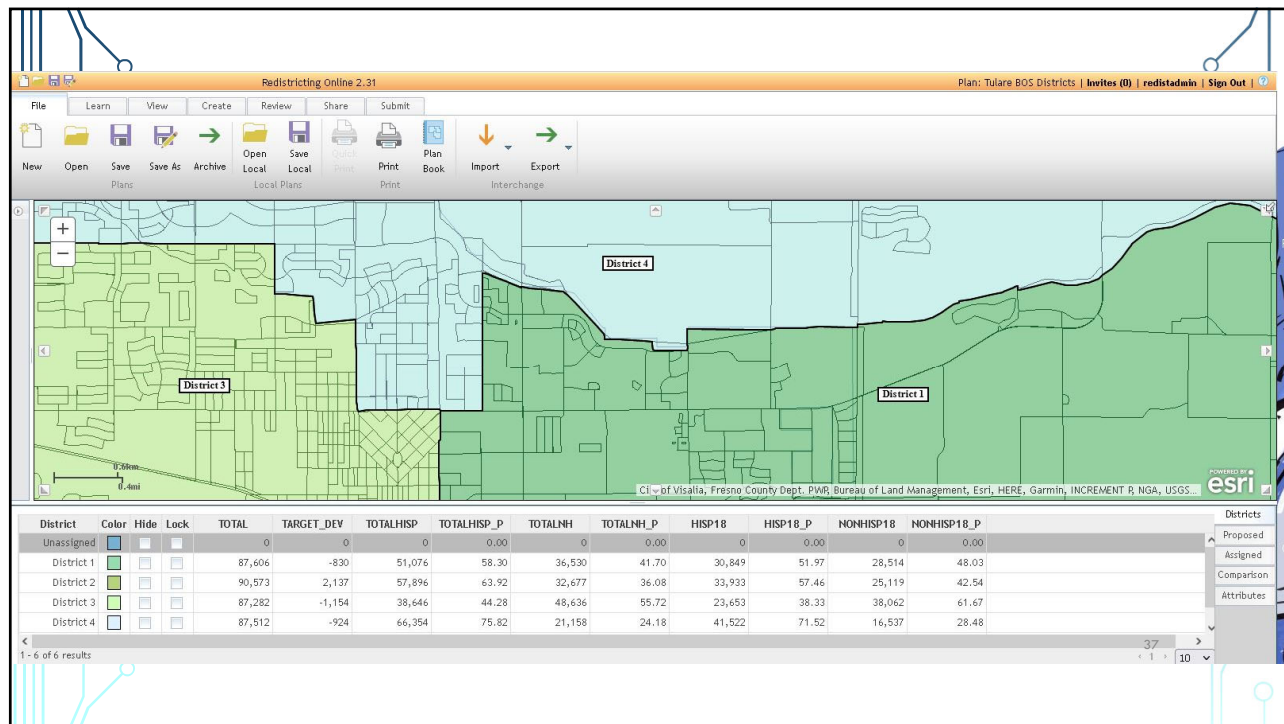


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The screenshot shows the Esri Redistricting Online 2.31 welcome page. A green arrow points to the "Learn" tab in the top menu. The page title is "Esri Redistricting Online" and the subtitle is "Welcome to Esri Redistricting Online!". Below the title, there is a paragraph of text:

Esri Redistricting Online assists state and local governments, advocacy groups, and the general public in drawing legislative and congressional redistricting plans following the 2010 U.S. Census. The foundation of Esri Redistricting Online is Esri's proven ArcGIS software platform and pertinent dataset components. ArcGIS software provides comprehensive features and functionality for plan management, visualization, editing, and community collaboration.

Esri Redistricting Online can be used for geographic redistricting and territory design. Esri Redistricting Online is a web-based application that establishes an online community where users can collaborate and share district plans. It uses GIS mapping technology, Esri data, and the latest available Census data to allow state and local government to prototype multiple redistricting scenarios before finalizing new boundaries.

Esri Redistricting Online provides online access to data content used by the community, including Census and PL 94-171 data. It includes tools to promote an increased collaboration between government and citizens. With Esri Redistricting Online and GIS, you can design optimal districts.

If you are new to the Esri Redistricting Online, start with the [Quick Tour: Creating Plan](#), or read the [Frequently Asked Questions](#). Please refer to the help icon in the top right-hand corner of the page for assistance using the redistricting application functions.

**How to use this tool:**

The process is shown in four steps:

- Login**: Use Account, Password
- Create Districts**: Draw Tools, Summary Tables
- Review Data**: Reports, Charts, Integrity Check, Mark-up
- Share Plans**: Create Groups, Invite Partners

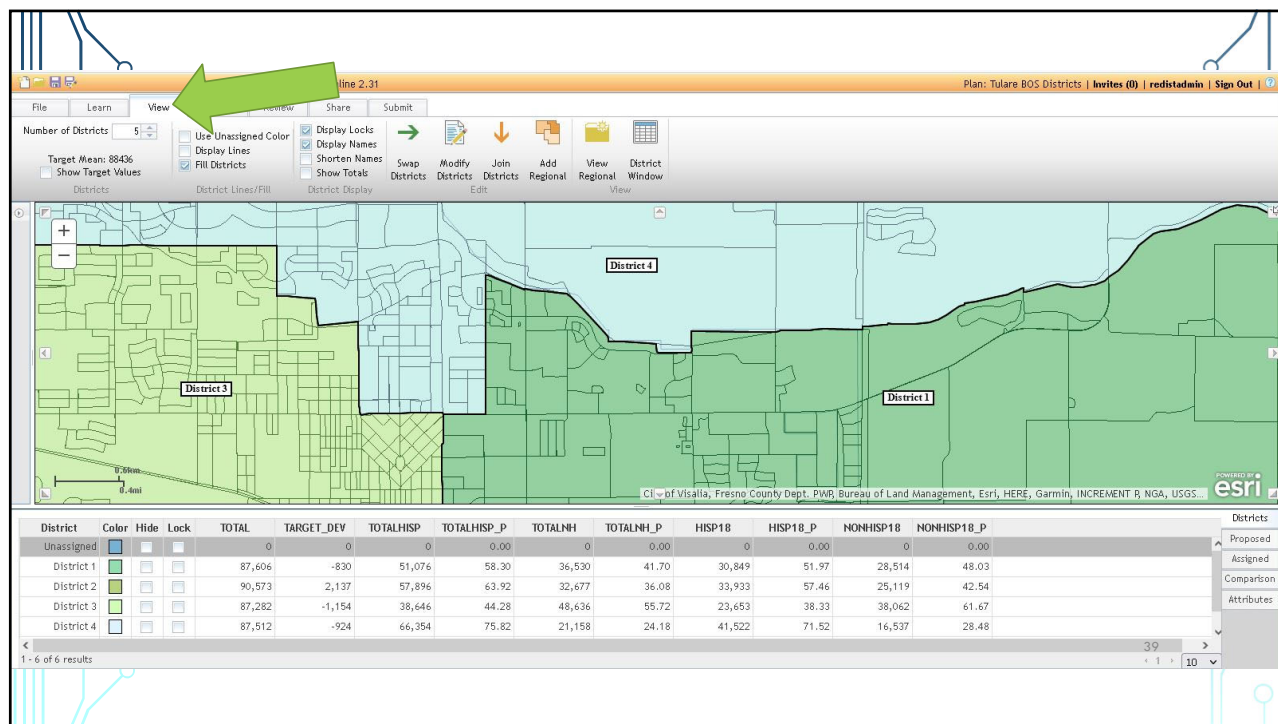
Here is a description of the numbered tabs at the top of this page that will guide you in the process of creating districts.

- 1 | Learn** This is the page you are on now and is the first step in the process.
- 2 | Create** Use the select tools and choose geographies to make district assignments. As you make assignments, the goal is to create balanced populations between districts.
- 3 | Review** View tables/charts that show the distribution of population within the districts you have created. The tables/charts are updated as you select and move populations between districts.
- 4 | Share** The share features allow you to invite friends and colleagues to view and /or comment on your plan. You can also invite others to build a plan together.

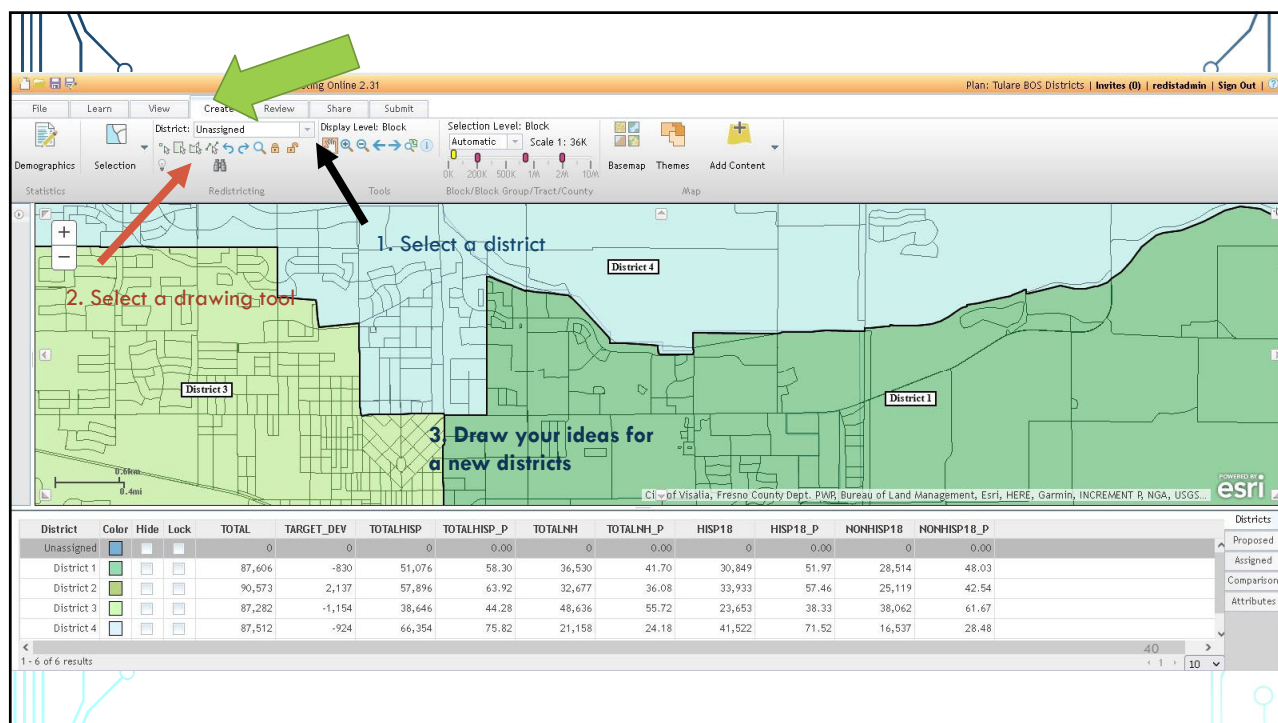
To get started, simply choose the **Create** tab, choose a district from the **Active District** menu. Choose a selection tool and select geographies by clicking or drawing on the map. The geographies selected will be assigned to the **Active District**.

In addition to the numbered tabs above, the **File** tab allows you to save and open plans you have created, open plans that people have shared with you, and print your plan. **Make sure to SAVE your plan.**

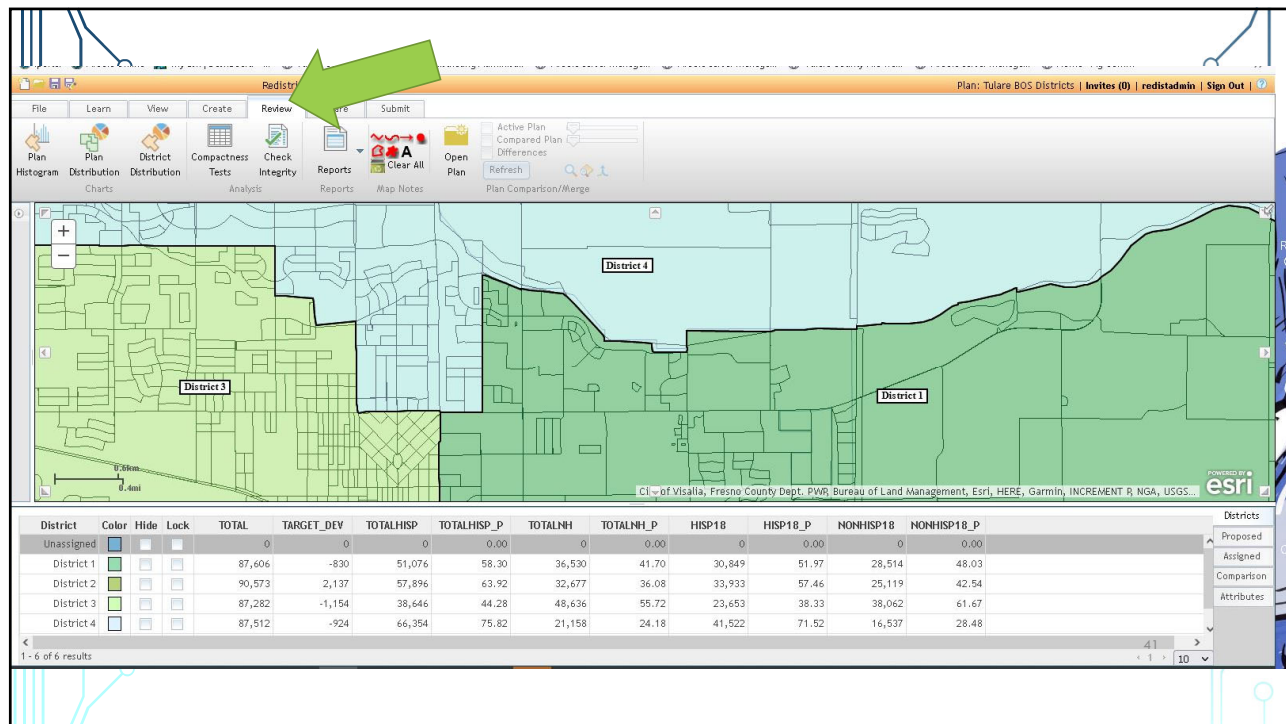
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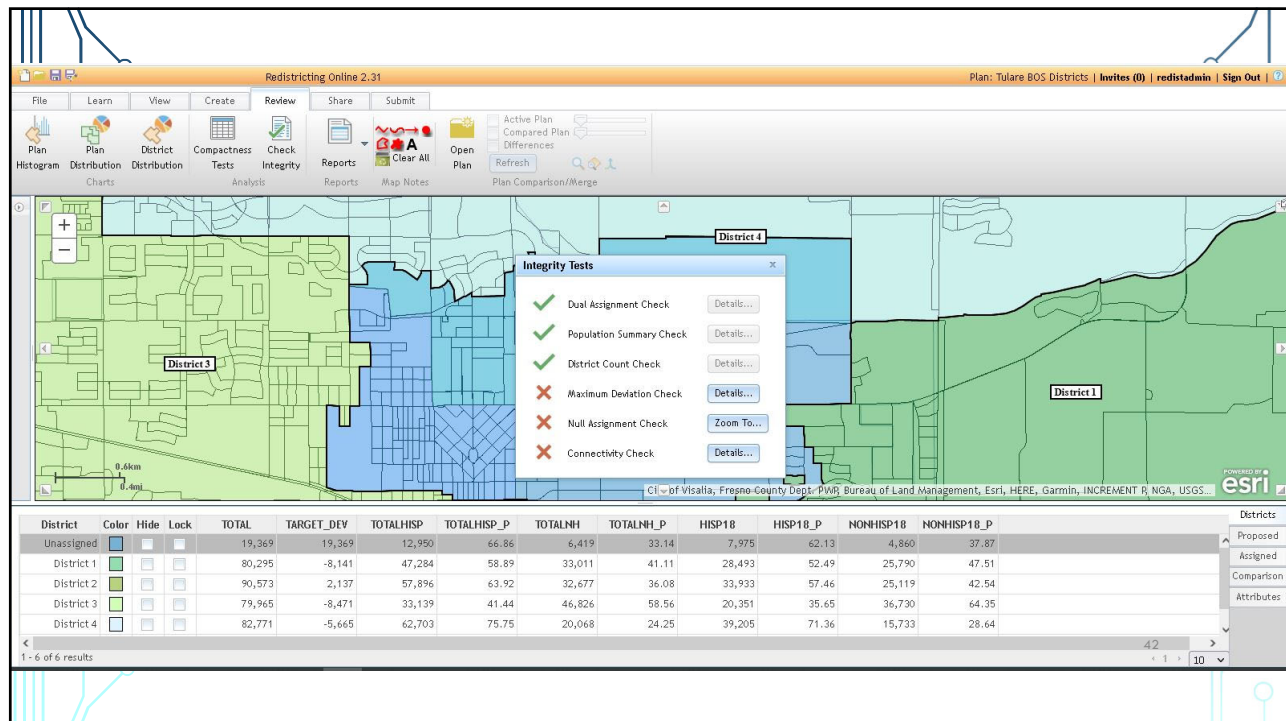
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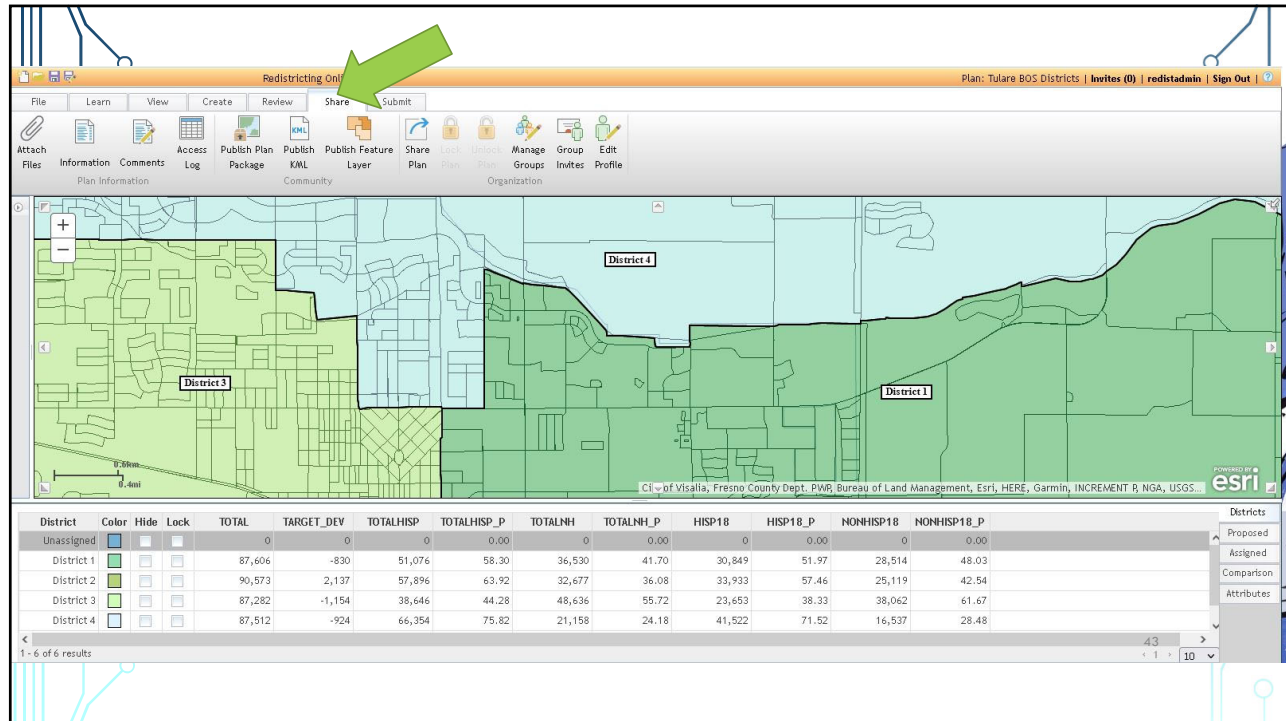
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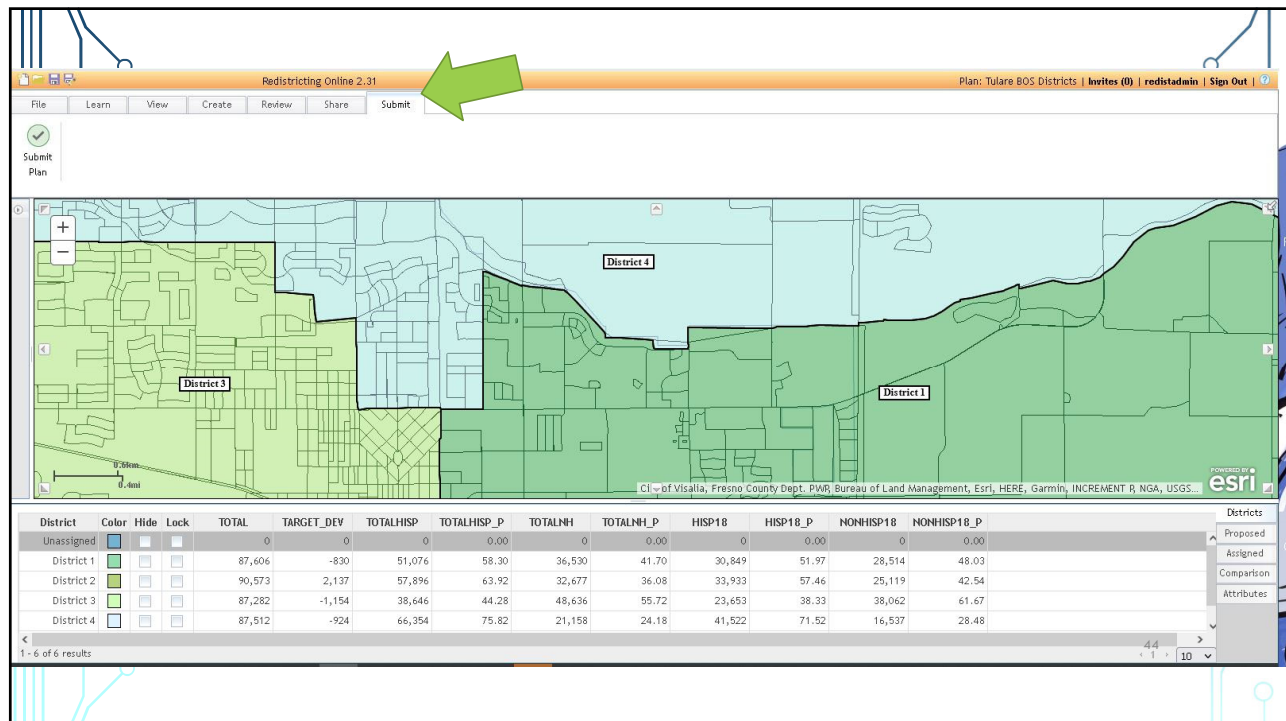
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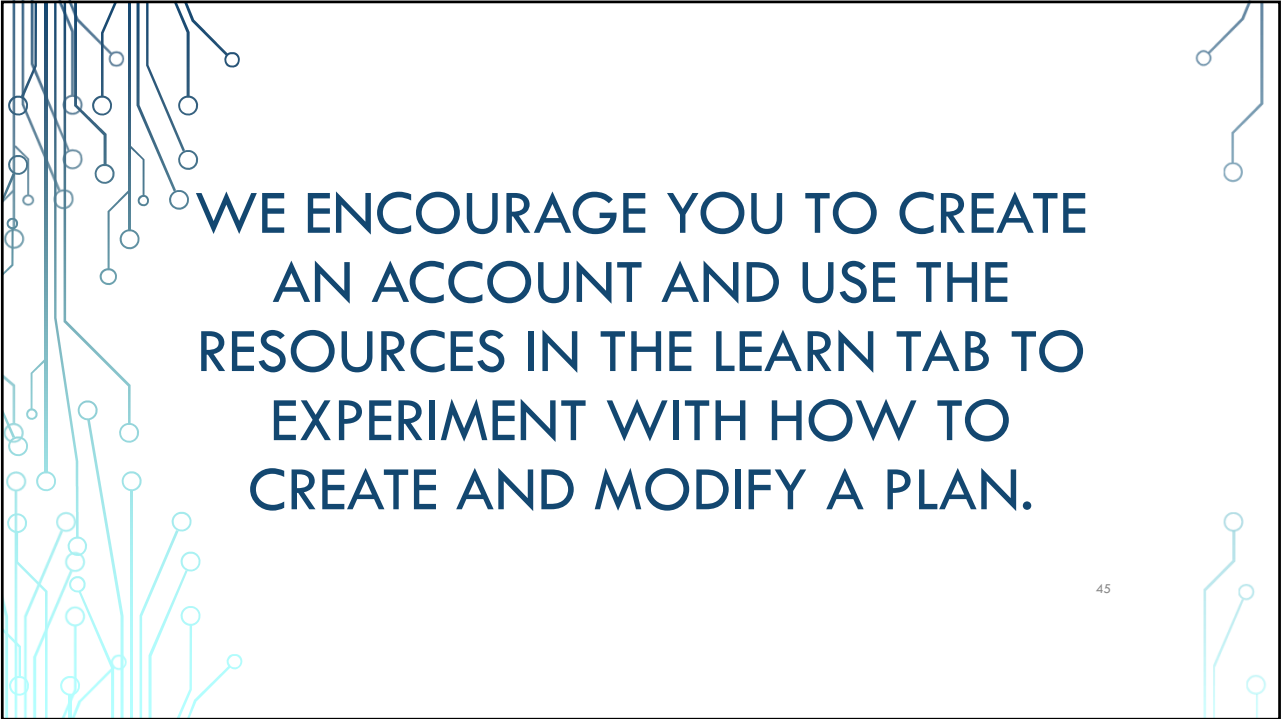


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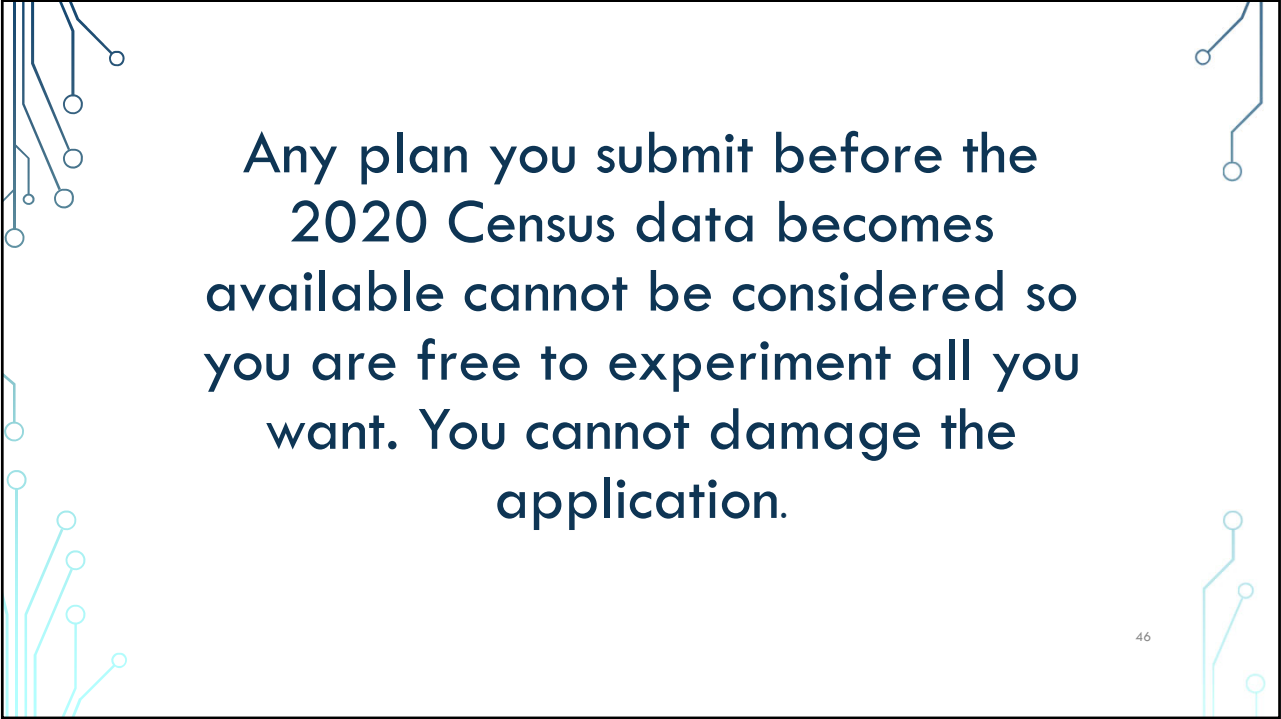




**WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO CREATE  
AN ACCOUNT AND USE THE  
RESOURCES IN THE LEARN TAB TO  
EXPERIMENT WITH HOW TO  
CREATE AND MODIFY A PLAN.**

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**Any plan you submit before the  
2020 Census data becomes  
available cannot be considered so  
you are free to experiment all you  
want. You cannot damage the  
application.**

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 1. Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 2. International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 3. Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 4. Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA *(pending confirmation)
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	TBD
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	TBD
October 7	District 2 Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	TBD

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### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	TBD
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	TBD
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	TBD

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Outreach Efforts

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break before hearing public comment.*

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## 5. Informational Presentation Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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## 5. Informational Presentation Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation*

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted for this matter. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

**Via Zoom** - To make a public comment during the meeting:

Submit a request to speak, using the Q&A feature. The request should include:

Your name

Organization (if any)

Agenda item(s) number

If you are participating via phone, press \*9 to raise your hand. Once called upon, press \*6 to unmute and speak.



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## 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters
- e. Additional Redistricting Criteria

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## 7. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

Upcoming meetings:

**July 29, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E Elizabeth Way, Dinuba (District 4)

**Aug 12, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA (District 5)

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, July 29, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Parks & Community Services Recreation Center  
1390 E. Elizabeth Way  
Dinuba, CA 93618

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if you need special assistance or language translation services to participate in this meeting, please contact the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors as soon as possible during office hours by calling (559) 636-5000 or by email at [clerkoftheboard@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:clerkoftheboard@tularecounty.ca.gov). Reasonable requests made at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting will ensure accessibility to this meeting.

Documents related to the items on this agenda are available for public inspection in the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors Office, 2800 W. Burrell Avenue, Visalia, CA, during normal business hours, 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday and 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. on Friday. Such documents are also available online, subject to staff's ability to post the documents before the meeting, at the following web address: <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/index.cfm/meetings/>

Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

To provide written public comments, please email [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)

To sign up to receive Redistricting agenda notices, please email [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)

1. Call to Order & Flag Salute
2. Roll Call
3. General Public Comment

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on **any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda**. Under state law, matters presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in addressing the Commission at this time. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for the General Public Comment Period. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

#### **4. Action and Discussion Items**

##### **a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's July 15, 2021 meeting (Action)**

#### **5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.**

Topics include:

- Redistricting Overview;
- Redistricting Criteria;
- Communities of Interest;
- 2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps;
- Redistricting Software;
- County Redistricting Timeline; and
- Redistricting Outreach Efforts.

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break after the informational presentation, before hearing public comment.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on the presentations.*

#### **6. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. Public Outreach Report**
- b. Administrative Matters**
- c. Clerk Matters**
- d. Legal Matters**
- e. Additional Redistricting Criteria**

#### **7. Future Items**

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

**Upcoming meetings:**

August 12, 2021, 6:30 p.m., CHMA Community Center, 466 E. Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA (District 5)



August 26, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel Ave., Visalia, CA

**8. Evaluation**

**9. Adjournment**

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6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Parks & Community Services Recreation Center  
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**1. Call to Order & Flag Salute**

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.

**2. Roll Call**

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervery
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**3. General Public Comment**

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Euler Torres

**Public written comments:** None.

#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's July 15, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for July 15, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 7 – Yes; 4 - Absent

<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

**Topics include: Redistricting Overview; Redistricting Criteria; Communities of Interest; 2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps; Redistricting Software; and County Redistricting Timeline; and Redistricting Outreach Efforts.** County Staff provided an overview and update on items a-g.

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Dale Simmons; Angel Ruiz; Lucy Hernandez; Rudy Mendoza; Euler Torres

**Public written comments:** None.

**Commissioner Comments.** Commissioner Verduzco shared the State of California Redistricting Commission flyer regarding their upcoming meeting and encouraged the public to attend via zoom.

#### 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters
- e. Additional Redistricting Criteria

#### 7. Future Items

##### Upcoming meetings:

August 12, 2021, 6:30 p.m., CHMA Community Center, 466 E. Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA (District 5)

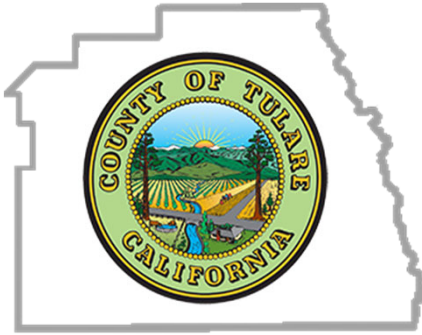
August 26, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrell Ave., Visalia, CA

#### 8. Evaluation: Commissioners provided feedback regarding today's meeting

#### 9. Adjournment- 7:53 p.m. Adjourned to August 12, 2021

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

July 29, 2021



Parks & Community Services  
Recreation Center  
1390 E. Elizabeth Way  
Dinuba, CA 93618

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo    |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata    |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervey |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda  |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco   |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James   |                                |

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## 3. General Public Comment

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda.*

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for this matter. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

**Via Zoom** - To make a public comment during the meeting:

Submit a request to speak, using the Q&A feature.

The request should include:

- Your name
- Organization (if any)
- Agenda item(s) number

*If you are participating via phone, press \*9 to raise your hand. Once called upon, press \*6 to unmute and speak.*



**03:00**

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the July 15, 2021 meeting



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

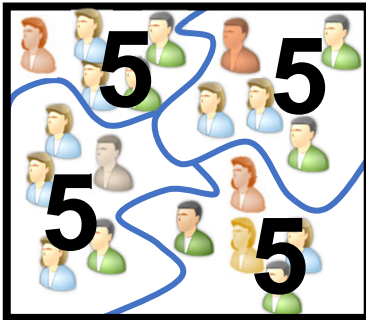
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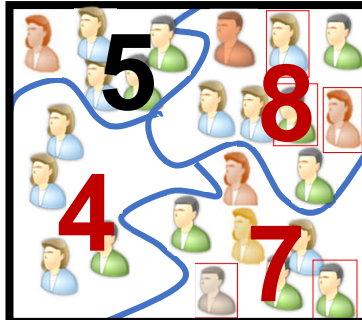
## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

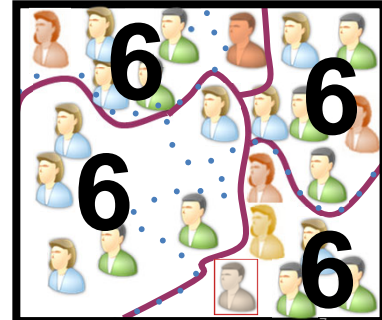
Redistricting is when we redraw districts so that each has the same number of residents.



Over time, populations grow, shrink, and shift, making districts uneven in population size.



Every ten years, after the census, district lines are redrawn to make each district even in number again.

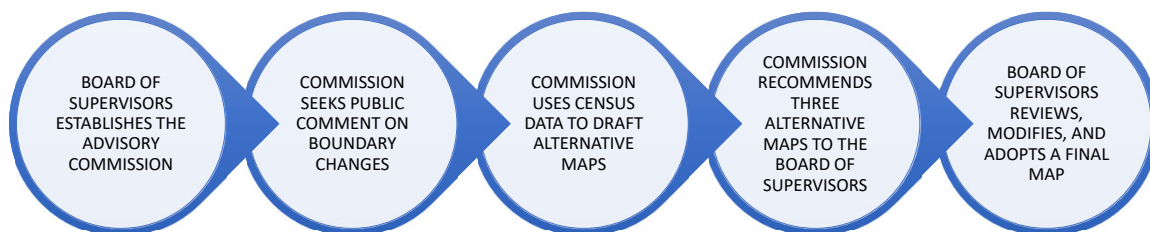


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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

- This Commission only considers boundary changes for the five county supervisorial districts – not for state, federal, or other local voting districts.
- In addition to the eight prioritized criteria that set the legal parameters for district boundaries, the Commission may recommend additional criteria



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### General Timeline

- **September 2021** - Federal census data will be received by the County.
- **October 2021** – Commission and community drafts boundary changes.
- **November 2021** -The Board of Supervisors will hold public hearings regarding proposed boundary changes.
- **DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries.
- **June 2022** - Primary election for Districts 4 and 5.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### CURRENT SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS

<b>District 1</b>	<b>District 2</b>	<b>District 3</b>	<b>District 4</b>	<b>District 5</b>
Larry Micari	Pete Vander Poel III	Amy Shuklian	Eddie Valero	Dennis Townsend
Exeter	Allensworth	Visalia	Badger	Camp Nelson
Farmersville	Alpaugh		Cutler	Ducor
Lindcove	Earlimart		Dinuba	Kennedy Meadows
Lindsay	Pixley		Goshen	Poplar-Cotton Center
Poplar	Tipton		Ivanhoe	Porterville
Strathmore	Tulare		Orosi	Posey
Three Rivers	Waukena		Traver	Richgrove
Visalia (part)			Visalia (part)	Springville
Woodville			Woodlake	Terra Bella

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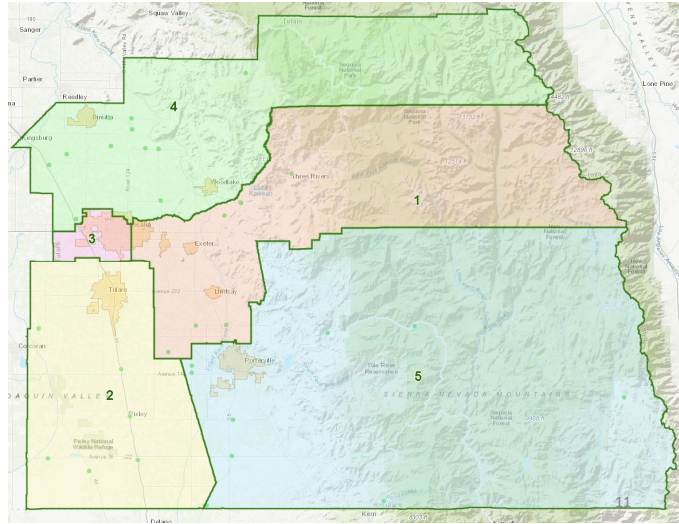


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### Redistricting Overview

COUNTY POPULATION (2010 CENSUS): 422,179

District	Total Population (2010)	Deviation
1	88,536	0.11%
2	89,593	1.31%
3	87,282	-1.31%
4	87,562	-0.99%
5	89,206	0.87%



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### REDISTRICTING DATA

	2000 Census Total Population	2010 Census Total Population	Change
<b>Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>	<b>368,021</b>	<b>442,179</b>	<b>20%</b>
White alone	213,751 58%	265,618 60%	24%
Black or African American alone	5,852 2%	7,196 2%	23%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	5,737 2%	6,993 2%	22%
Asian alone	12,018 3%	15,176 3%	26%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	408 0%	509 0%	25%
Some Other Race alone	113,317 31%	128,263 29%	13%
Two or More Races	16,938 5%	18,424 4%	9%
<b>Hispanic or Latino Origin</b>	<b>368,021</b>	<b>442,179</b>	<b>20%</b>
Hispanic or Latino	186,846 51%	268,065 61%	43%
Not Hispanic or Latino	181,175 49%	174,114 39%	-4%
<b>Voting Age Population (VAP)</b>	<b>243,769</b>	<b>298,055</b>	<b>22%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	109,083 45%	162,196 54%	49%
Not Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	134,686 55%	135,859 46%	1%
<b>Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) - ACS Data</b>	<b>193,760</b>	<b>220,082</b>	<b>14%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	64,220 33%	87,592 40%	36%
Not Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	129,540 67%	132,490 60%	2%

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 1. POPULATION EQUALITY



Districts shall be substantially equal in population as required by the United States Constitution. Population equality shall be based on the total population of residents of the county as determined by the decennial census.

#### 2. LEGAL COMPLIANCE



District boundaries shall comply with the U.S. Constitution, California Constitution, and the federal Voting Rights Act.

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### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 3. CONTIGUITY



To the extent practicable, districts shall be geographically contiguous.

#### 4. COMMUNITY INTEGRITY



To the extent practicable, districts shall respect the geographic integrity of any local neighborhood or local community of interest in a manner that minimizes its division.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 5. CITY OR CDP INTEGRITY



To the extent practicable, the geographic integrity of a city or census designated place shall be respected in a manner that minimizes its division.

#### 6. IDENTIFIABLE BOUNDARIES



District boundaries should be easily identifiable and understandable by residents. To the extent practicable, districts shall be bounded by natural and artificial barriers, by streets, or by boundaries of the county.

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### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 7. COMPACTNESS



To the extent practicable, and where it does not conflict with the preceding criteria, districts shall be drawn to encourage geographic compactness in such a manner that nearby areas of population are not bypassed in favor of more distant populations.

#### 8. NO POLITICAL PARTIES



The Board shall not adopt boundaries for the purpose of favoring or discriminating against a political party.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

- Additional criteria may be recommended by the Commission to the Board of Supervisors
- The Commission will vote to recommend additional criteria to the Board of Supervisors at the August 12 meeting.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Prioritized Groups

#### 1. Minority Groups

- Granted priority consideration through the federal Voting Rights Act, which falls under redistricting criteria #2.
- Identifiable using Census Data.
- Latino population is the largest minority group in Tulare County.

#### 2. Communities of Interest

- Granted priority consideration under redistricting criteria #4.
- Public testimony key to identification.

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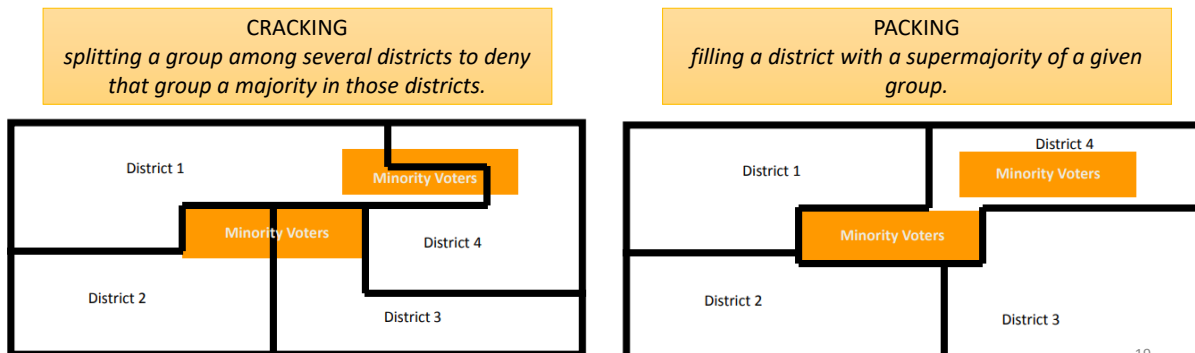
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### “Packing” & “Cracking”

Federal Voting Rights Act prohibits electoral systems which dilute racial and language minority voting rights by denying them an equal opportunity to nominate and elect candidates of their choice.



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### Kern County Case

*Luna v. County of Kern*

- The Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) alleged that the supervisorial district boundaries drawn by the Kern County Board of Supervisors in 2011 were drawn in violation of the U.S. Voting Rights Act by splitting similar communities of Latino voters in northwest Kern County into two different supervisors' districts.
- A U.S. District Court upheld the allegation that "Latino voters in Kern County have been deprived of an equal opportunity to elect representatives of their choice, in violation of § 2 of the [Federal] Voting Rights Act."
- Parties settled the suit in March 2018 by redrawing supervisorial district lines to create a second Latino-majority district. The County also paid \$5 million in attorneys' fees and costs for both sides.

Read more about this case here:

[https://www.bakersfield.com/news/kern-county-supervisors-political-maps-should-be-drawn-in-public-speakers-say/article\\_846b3176-2c6b-11e8-8073-6fed624154d7.html](https://www.bakersfield.com/news/kern-county-supervisors-political-maps-should-be-drawn-in-public-speakers-say/article_846b3176-2c6b-11e8-8073-6fed624154d7.html)

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### Communities of Interest

One of the main objectives of redistricting is to redraw boundaries in such a way that optimizes the electoral influence of communities of interest. The State constitution defines a community of interest as a contiguous population which shares common social and economic interests that should be included within a single district for purposes of its effective and fair representation.

#### How to define your community of interest?

1. What are the economic, social, and/or cultural interests that your community shares?
2. Where is your community located geographically?
3. Is your shared interest within the policy jurisdiction of Tulare County?



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### Communities of Interest

The following communities have been brought to the Commission's attention this year and in 2011:

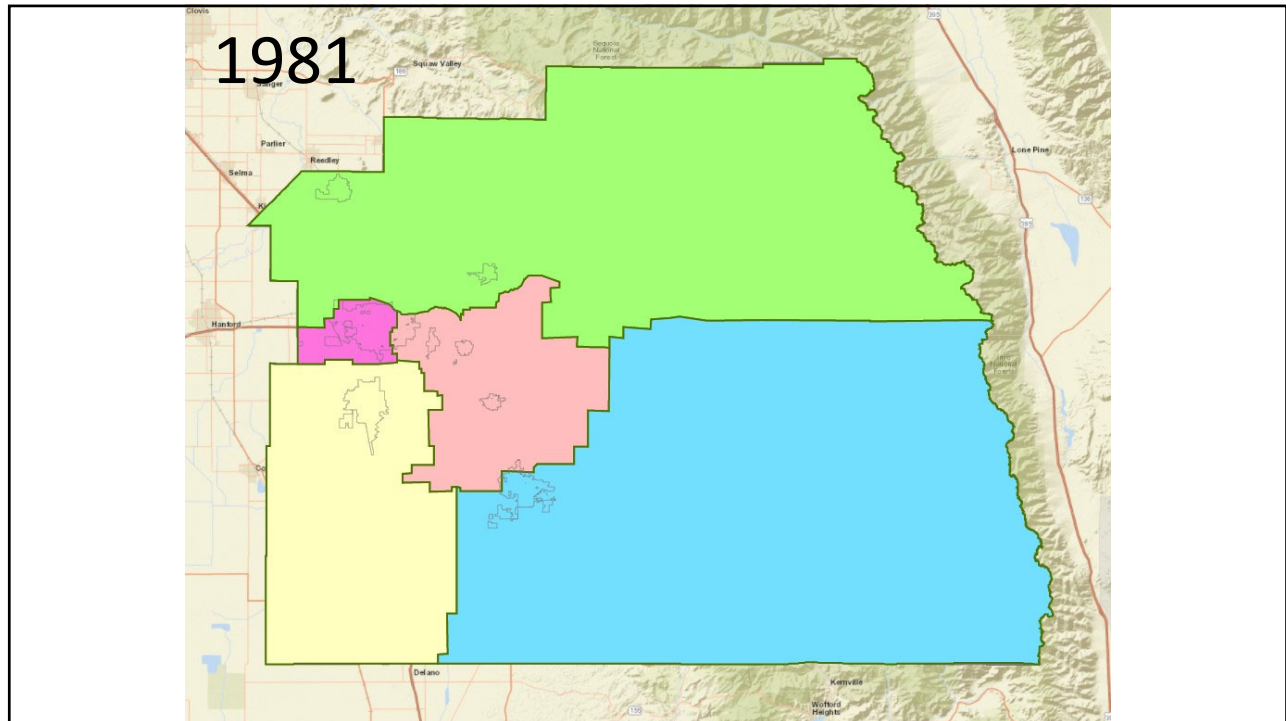
1. Hispanic or Latino community
2. Citizen voting age population
3. Hispanic or Latino citizen voting age population

*These groups were mentioned by the public. They are given a higher degree of protection under the federal Voting Rights Act, and are included in redistricting criteria 2. They are not communities of interest.*

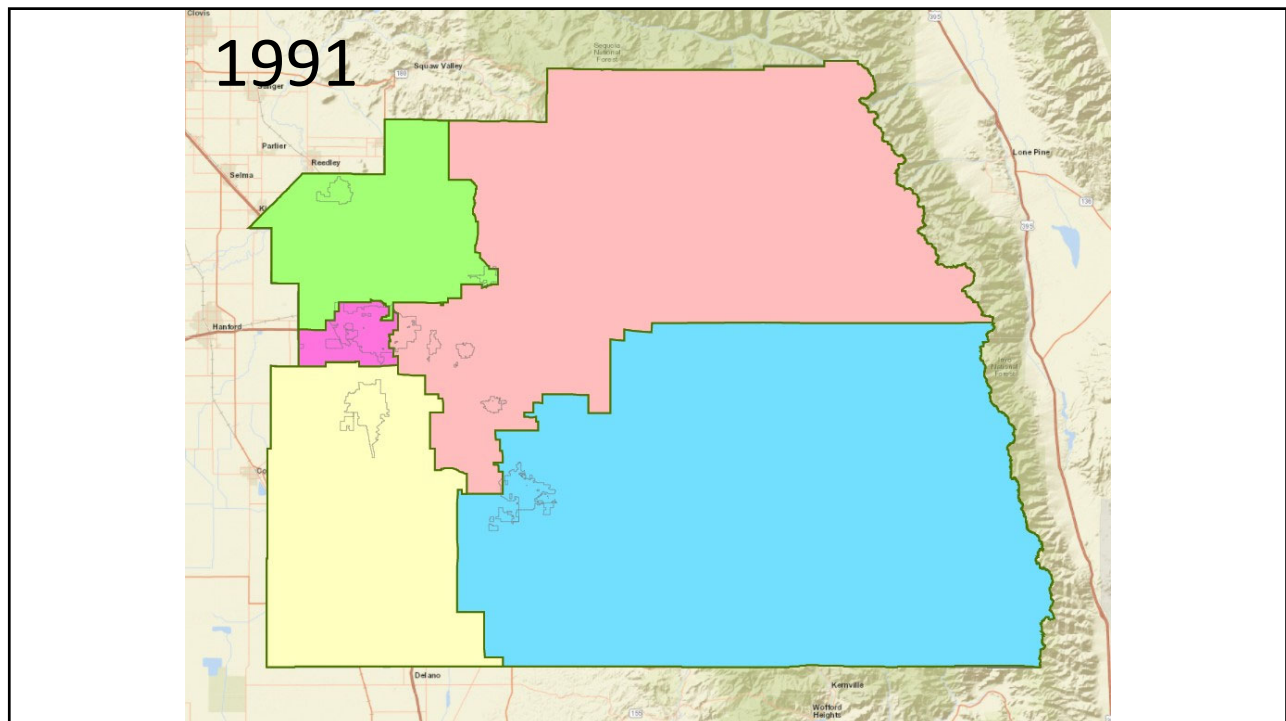
4. Low-income communities (census tracts at or below 80% of the statewide median income)
5. School districts
6. Common infrastructure communities (i.e. water systems, sewer systems, refuse collection)



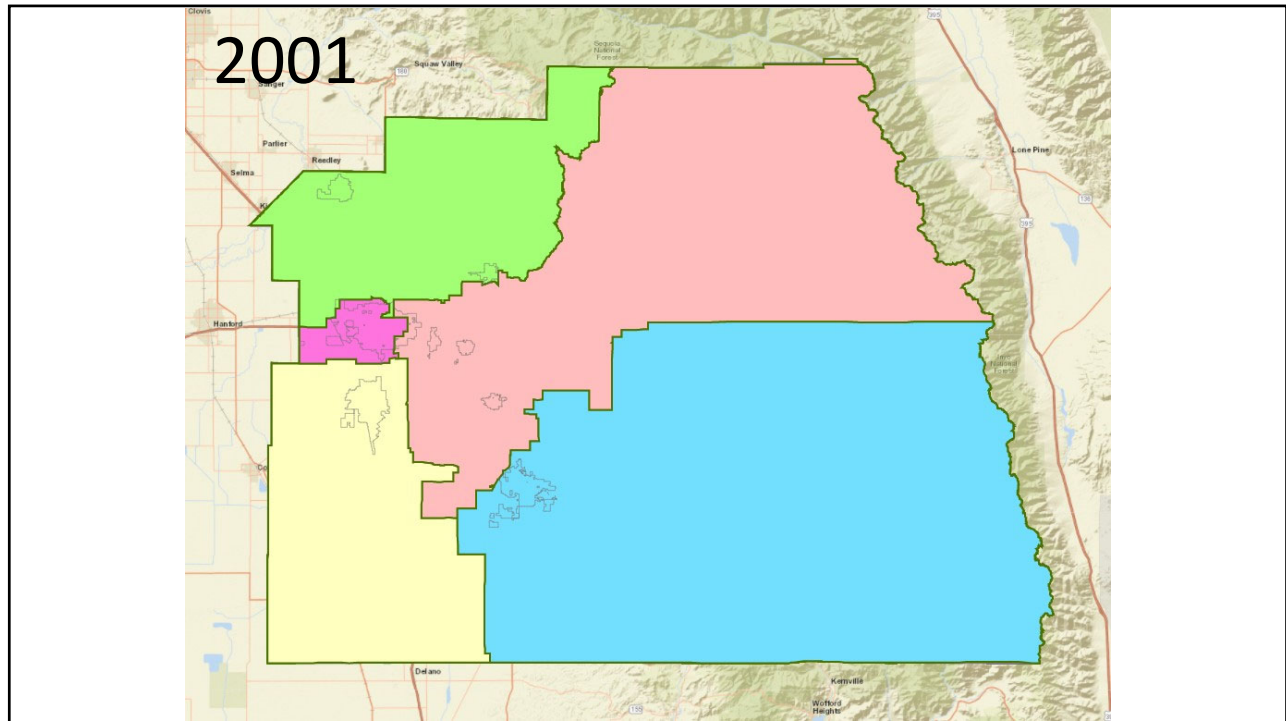
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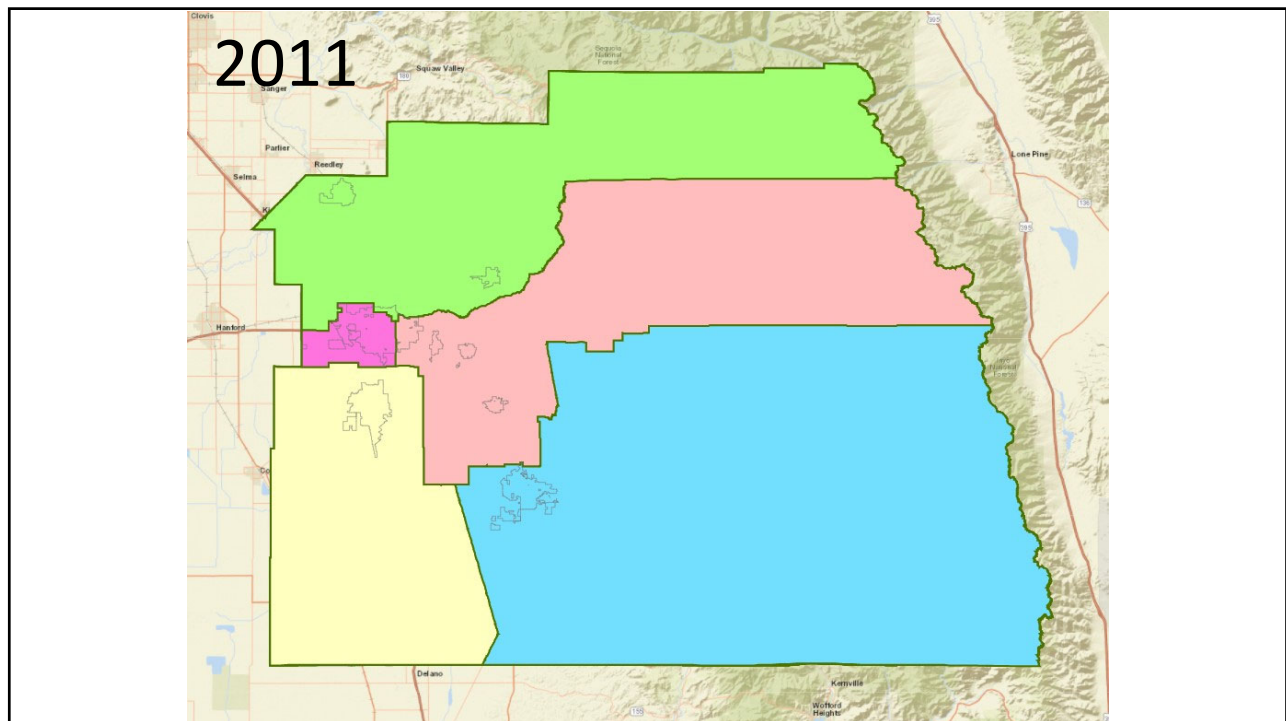
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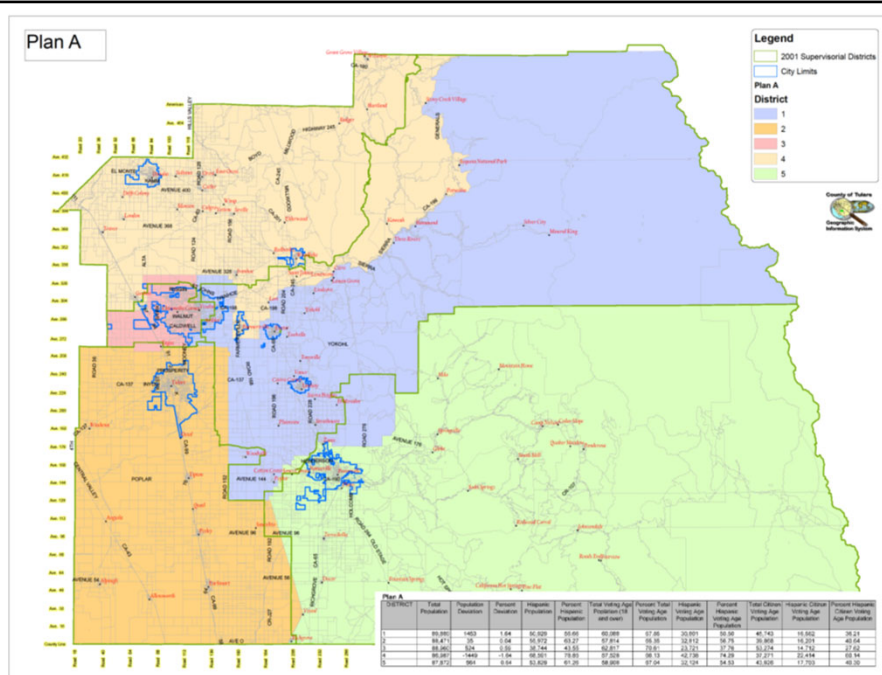


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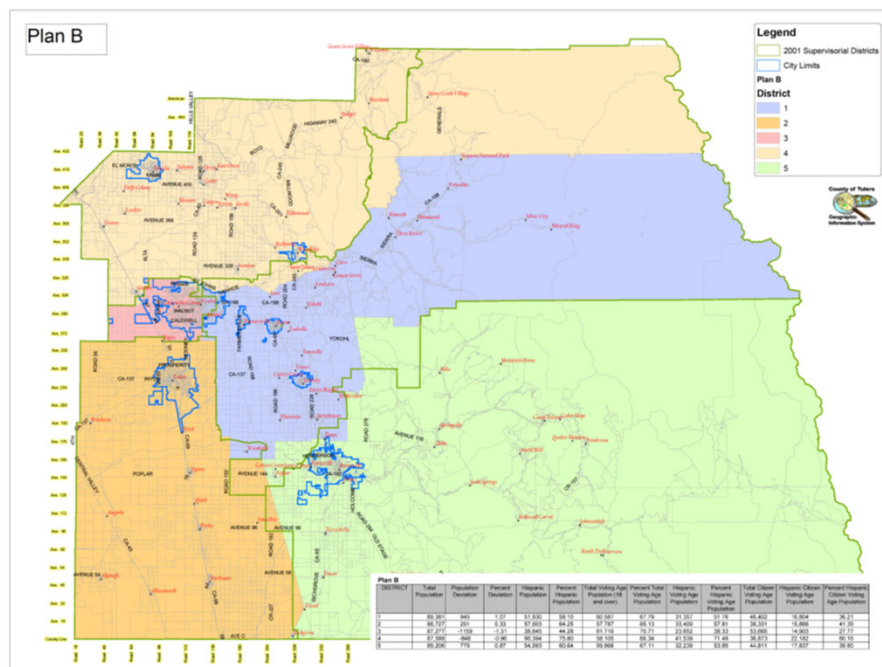
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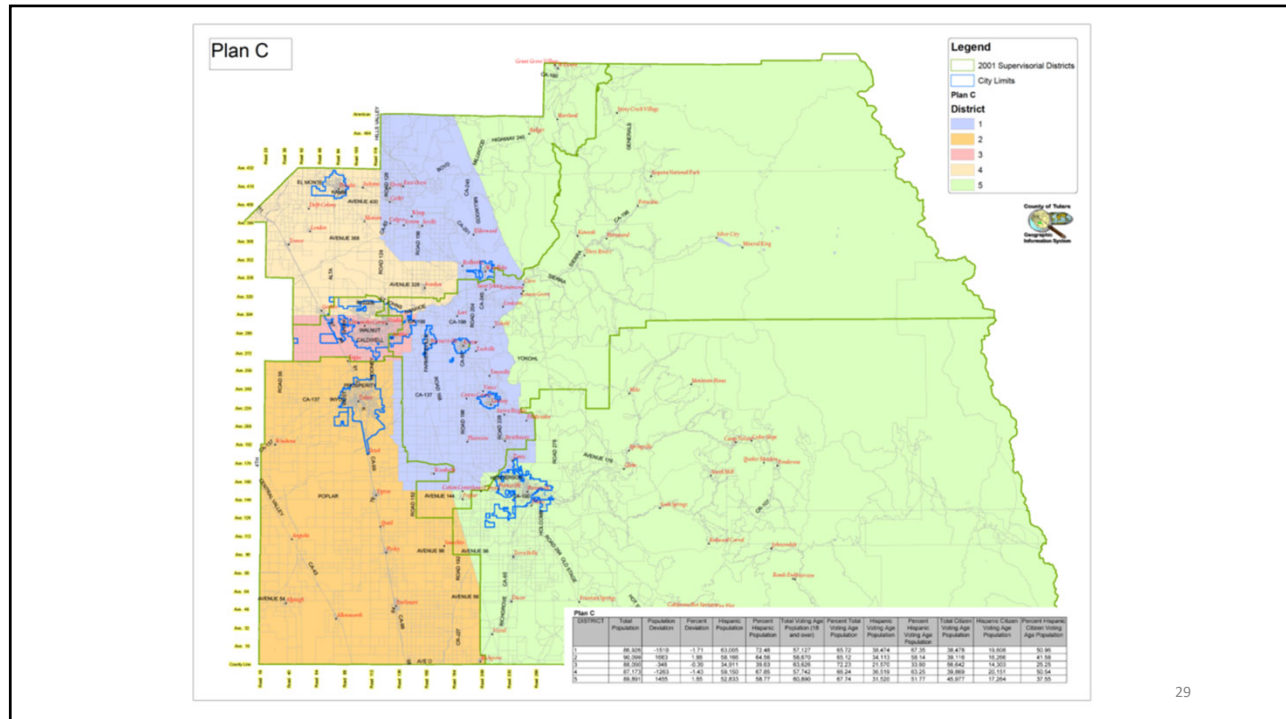
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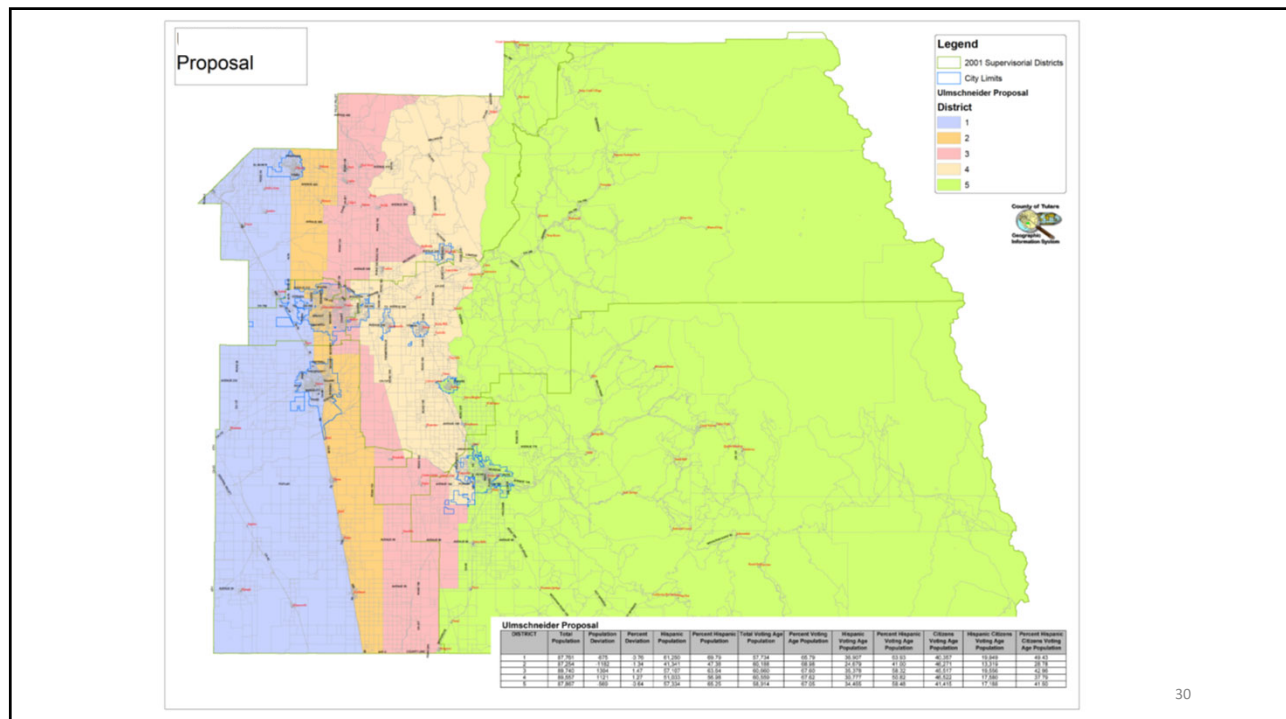
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### RATIONALE

1. Contiguous and electorate friendly by connecting the North and South, East and West parts of Tulare County and easily understood by the average voter as you just count the districts from left to right or West to East.
2. Proportional sizes except for district 5 which is sparsely populated due to the large Sierra Nevada Mountain Range. Nevertheless, pockets of population centers are clustered so that the actual canvass and campaign geography might be relevant.
3. Actually brings our communities together instead of "compartmentalizing" them. The idea of keeping our communities together is what this is from a countywide perspective. "Dividing" our communities is not what this does as any community would still have its fire & police, departments, municipalities, school districts and other such public entities which are within those jurisdictions. In fact, using the expression and words "dividing communities of interest" seems to be a red herring that might actually keep us apart in terms of shared resources of the entire county. The county supervisors in the particular districts at hand will have to be sensitive to the socio-economically blighted areas of the North and South and since Visalia is the Seat of our county government, it makes sense that 4/5ths of these districts will intersect and share it.
4. Each district has approximately 88,436 people. The % deviation has been kept to as low as 0.0 for all of them. They all have Hispanic majorities per our county census. It is likely that 2-3 will have Hispanic CVAP majorities.
5. As county supervisors, their awareness and political concerns should cover the entire county and that is what this redistricting attempts to do. It connects the communities of interest instead of compartmentalizing them. For instance, Tulare, Visalia and Dinuba would have 2 or more supervisors with their concerns and this doubles the focus on their needs and services. The same goes with other municipalities like Porterville. This map attempts to bring us together as a county instead of dividing and separating us into compartments of parochial interests.

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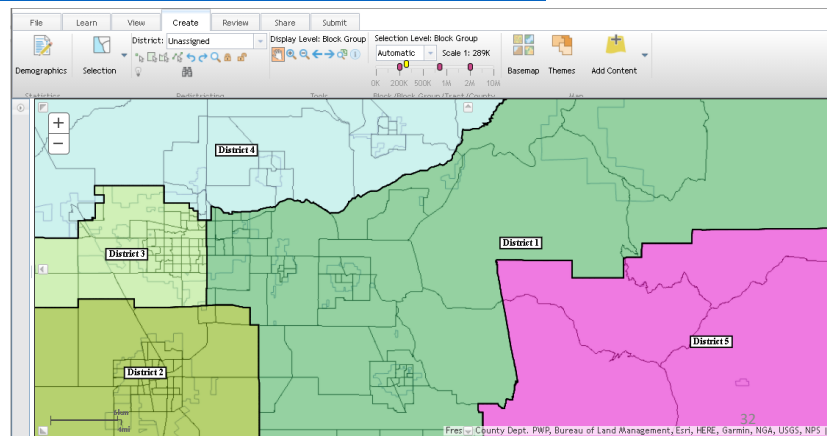
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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Software

Esri URL: <https://tularecountyredistricting.esriemcs.com/redistricting/>

QR Code for Redistricting Software



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## IMPORTANT

- At the moment, the Redistricting app only has 2010 Census data, 2020 data is not yet available.
- Because of this you cannot at this time make a plan that meets the legal requirements for redistricting.
- This presentation is an overview of the app, we are developing training materials to show more details on its use.
- This application is made available now so you can learn how to use it, so that this fall when the current data becomes available you will be ready to create a proposed plan for submittal.
- There is no change in the Redistricting process we have followed in the past, this tool is simply to give you more engagement into the process.
- You can still submit your ideas on paper, or other mapping tool, (i.e. <https://drawmycacomunity.org/>) this tool we're showing is just an aid in making sure that your plan meets the legal requirements.

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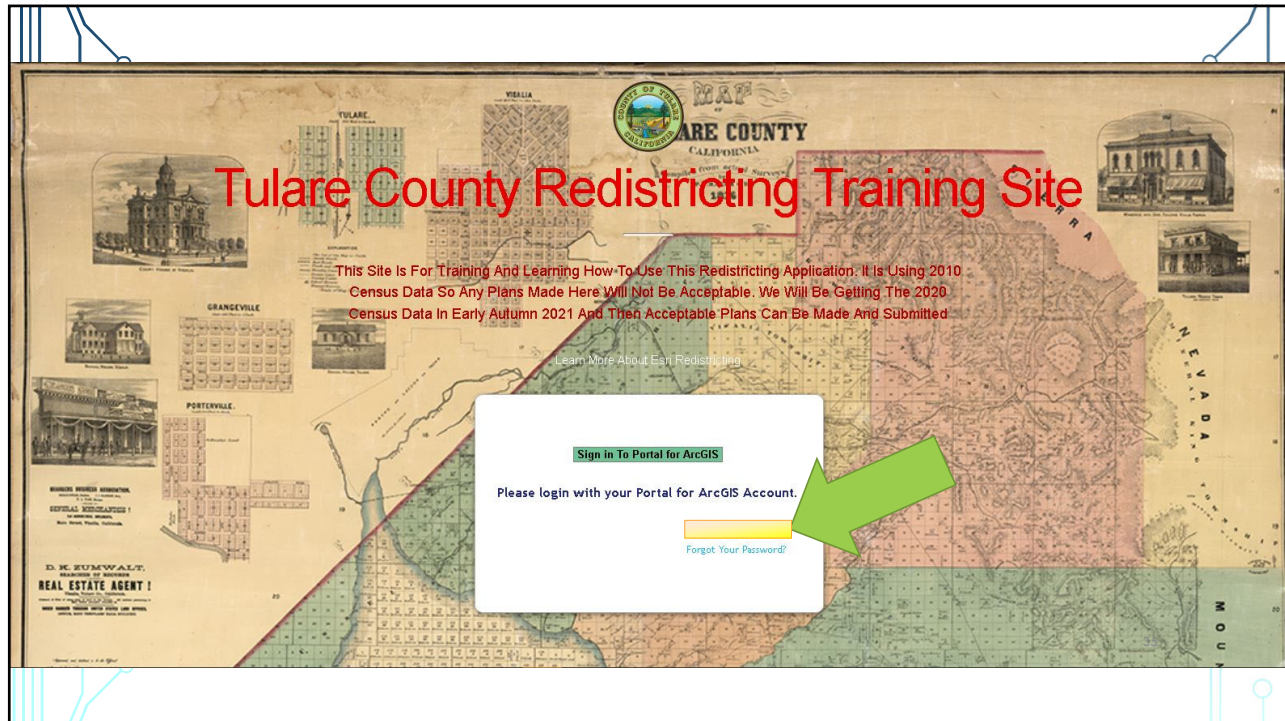
## WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS APP?

- The main purpose of this app is for the Redistricting Commission, with the help of staff, to create redistricting plans to submit to the Board of Supervisors for their review and approval.
- Another use of this app is so you can develop and propose a redistricting plan and submit your ideas to the Commission.
- This app will also allow you to gain some insight into the difficulty of making a redistricting plan that meets all the legal requirements. You do not have to submit the plan you create.
- In addition, you can use it to submit a community of interest to the Commission for them to consider while making a plan.

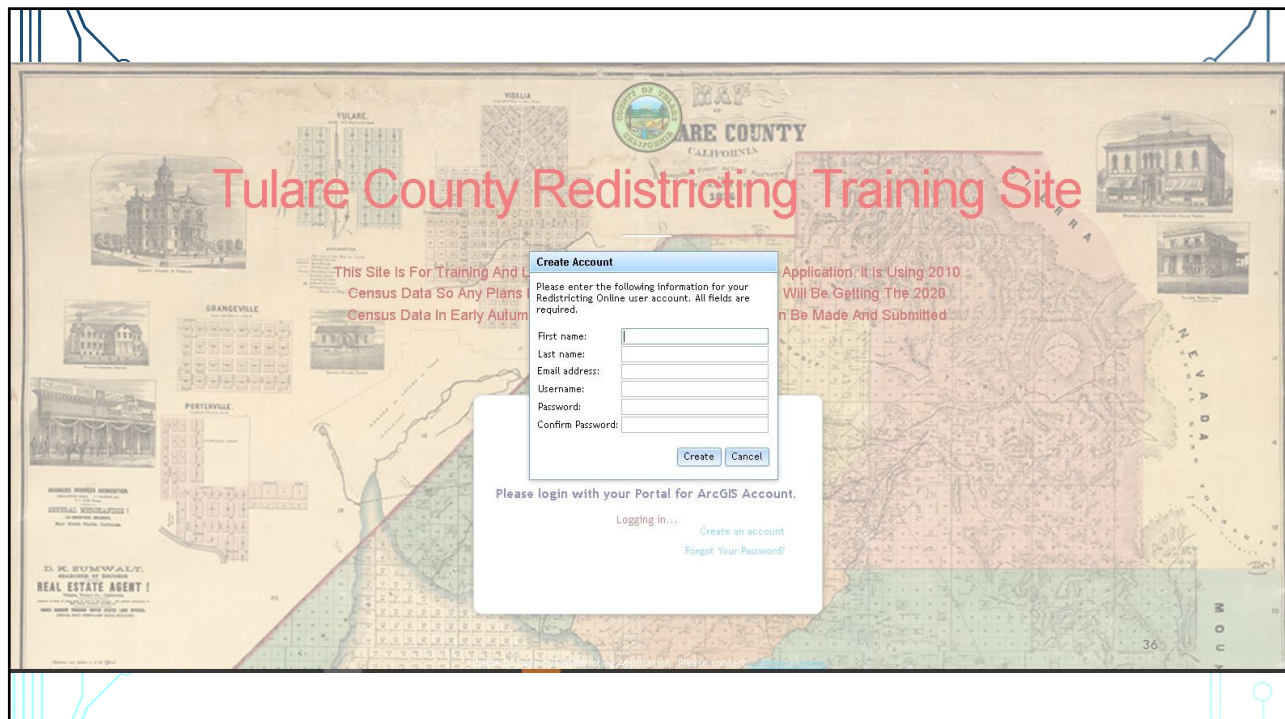
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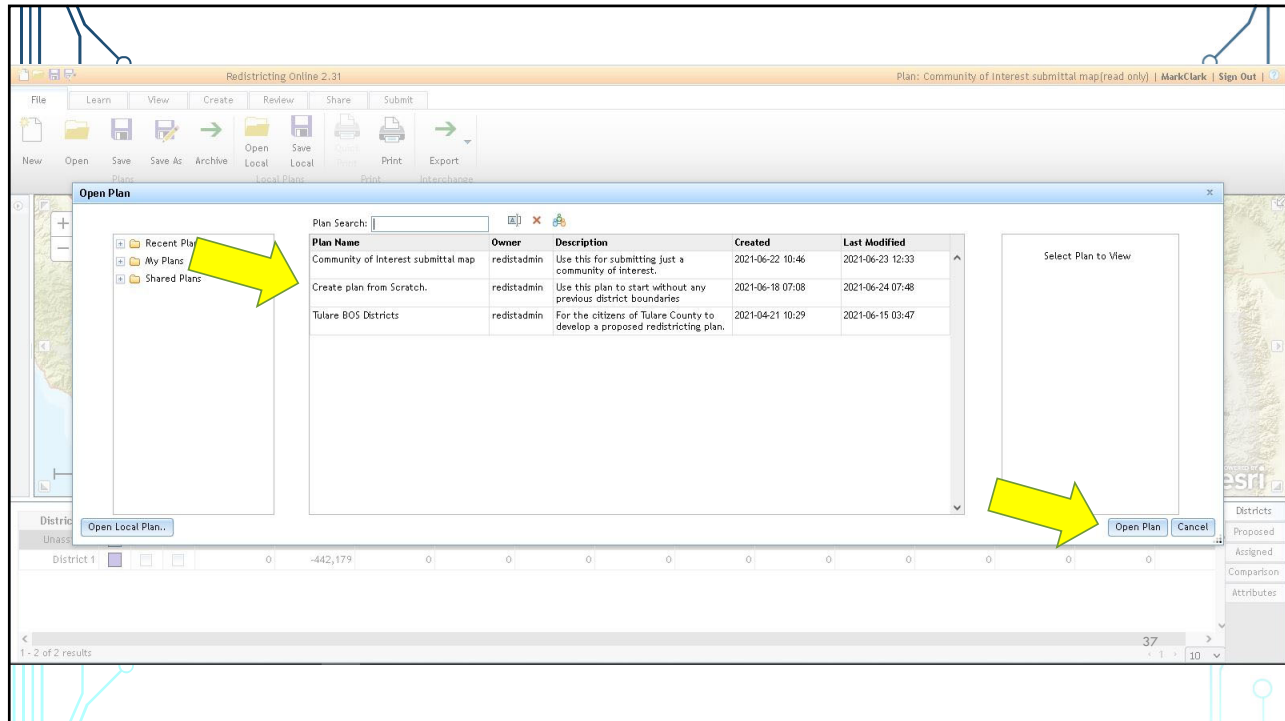




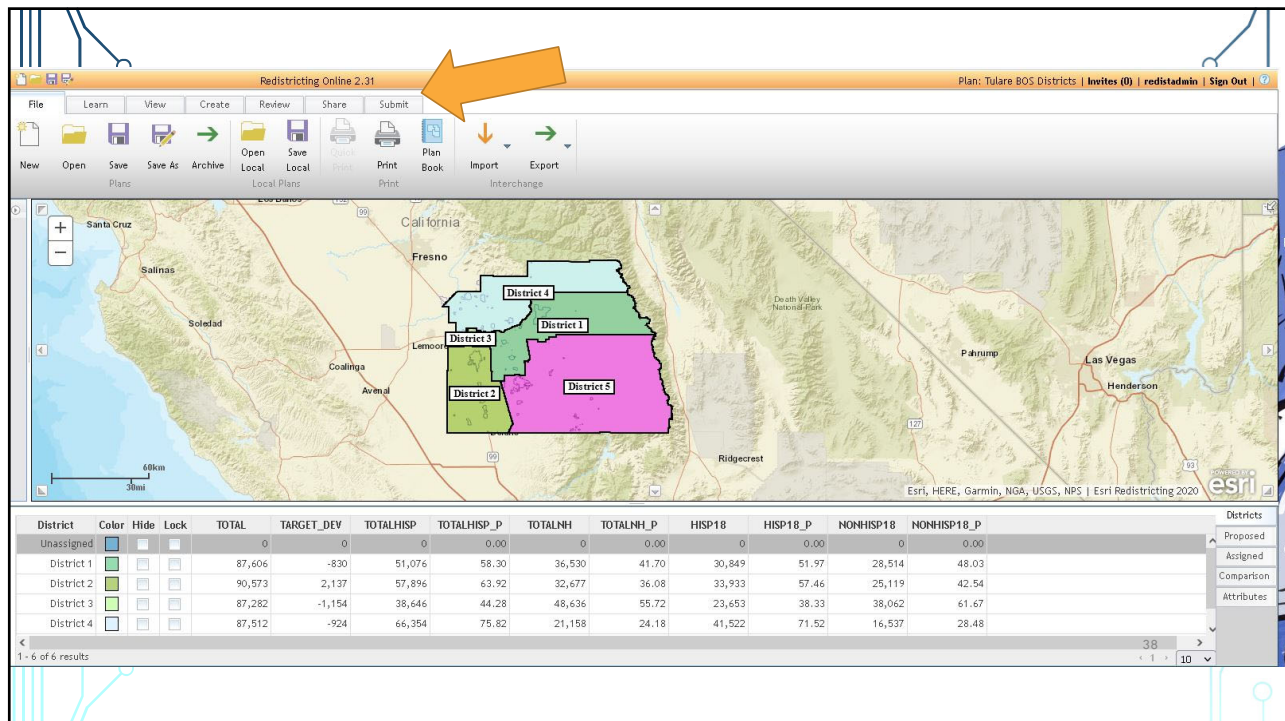
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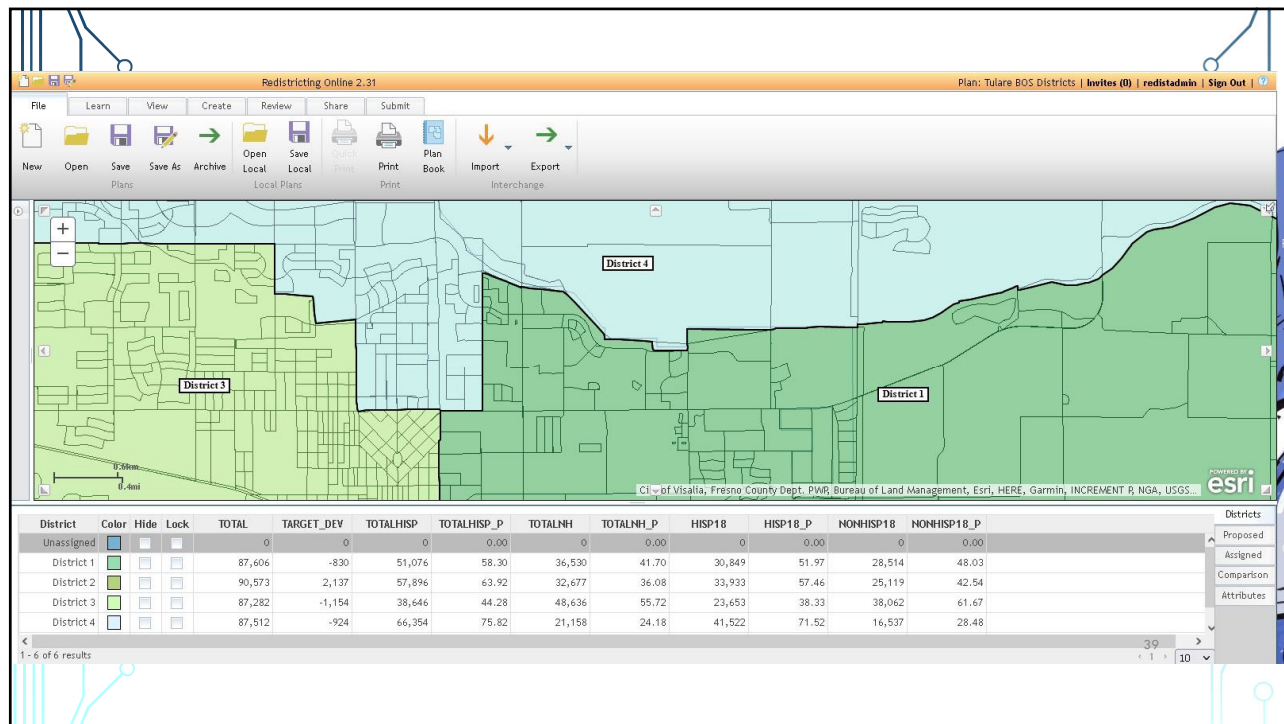
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The screenshot shows the Esri Redistricting Online 2.31 welcome page. A green arrow points to the "Learn" tab in the top menu. The page title is "Esri Redistricting Online" and the subtitle is "Welcome to Esri Redistricting Online!". Below the title, there is a paragraph of text:

Esri Redistricting Online assists state and local governments, advocacy groups, and the general public in drawing legislative and congressional redistricting plans following the 2010 U.S. Census. The foundation of Esri Redistricting Online is Esri's proven ArcGIS software platform and pertinent dataset components. ArcGIS software provides comprehensive features and functionality for plan management, visualization, editing, and community collaboration.

Esri Redistricting Online can be used for geographic redistricting and territory design. Esri Redistricting Online is a web-based application that establishes an online community where users can collaborate and share district plans. It uses GIS mapping technology, Esri data, and the latest available Census data to allow state and local government to prototype multiple redistricting scenarios before finalizing new boundaries.

Esri Redistricting Online provides online access to data content used by the community, including Census and PL 94-171 data. It includes tools to promote an increased collaboration between government and citizens. With Esri Redistricting Online and GIS, you can design optimal districts.

If you are new to the Esri Redistricting Online, start with the [Quick Tour: Creating Plan](#), or read the [Frequently Asked Questions](#). Please refer to the help icon in the top right-hand corner of the page for assistance using the redistricting application functions.

**How to use this tool:**

The process is illustrated by four colored arrows:

- Login** (Blue arrow): Use Account, Password
- Create Districts** (Green arrow): Draw Tools, Summary Tables
- Review Data** (Yellow arrow): Reports, Charts, Integrity Check, Mark-up
- Share Plans** (Orange arrow): Create Groups, Invite Partners

Here is a description of the numbered tabs at the top of this page that will guide you in the process of creating districts.

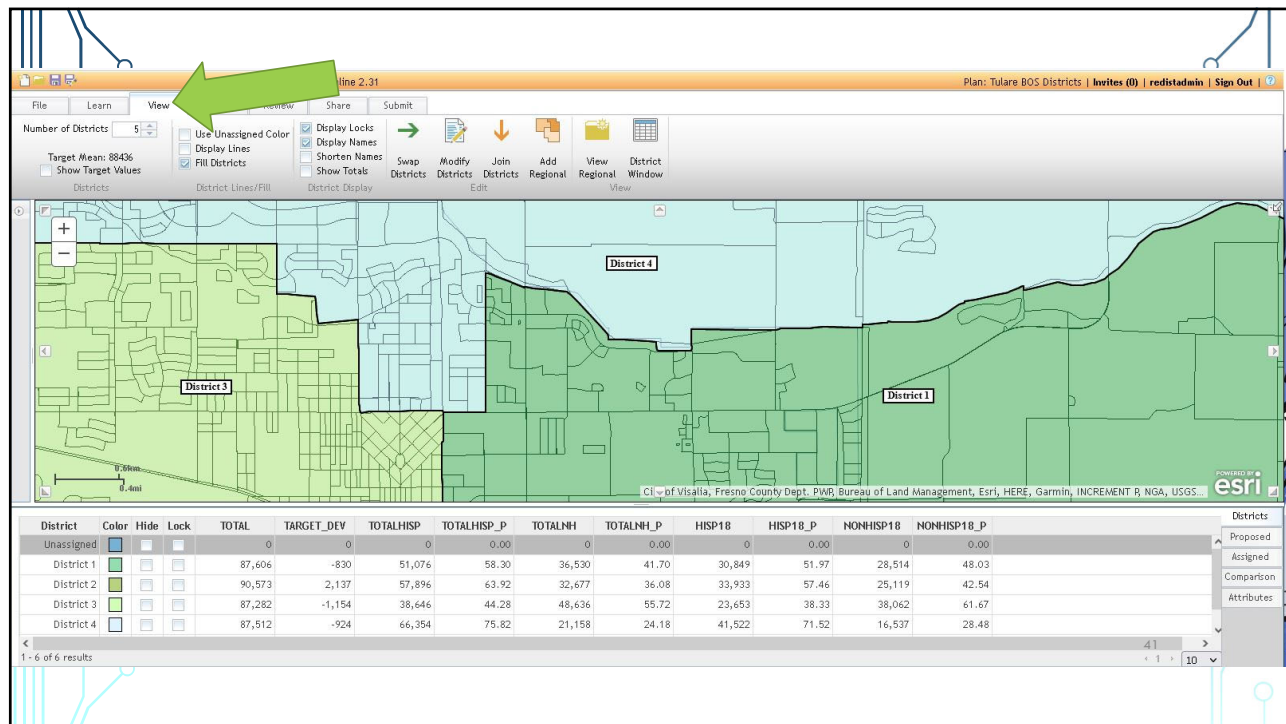
- 1 | Learn** This is the page you are on now and is the first step in the process.
- 2 | Create** Use the select tools and choose geographies to make district assignments. As you make assignments, the goal is to create balanced populations between districts.
- 3 | Review** View tables/charts that show the distribution of population within the districts you have created. The tables/charts are updated as you select and move populations between districts.
- 4 | Share** The share features allow you to invite friends and colleagues to view and /or comment on your plan. You can also invite others to build a plan together.

To get started, simply choose the **Create** tab, choose a district from the **Active District** menu. Choose a selection tool and select geographies by clicking or drawing on the map. The geographies selected will be assigned to the **Active District**.

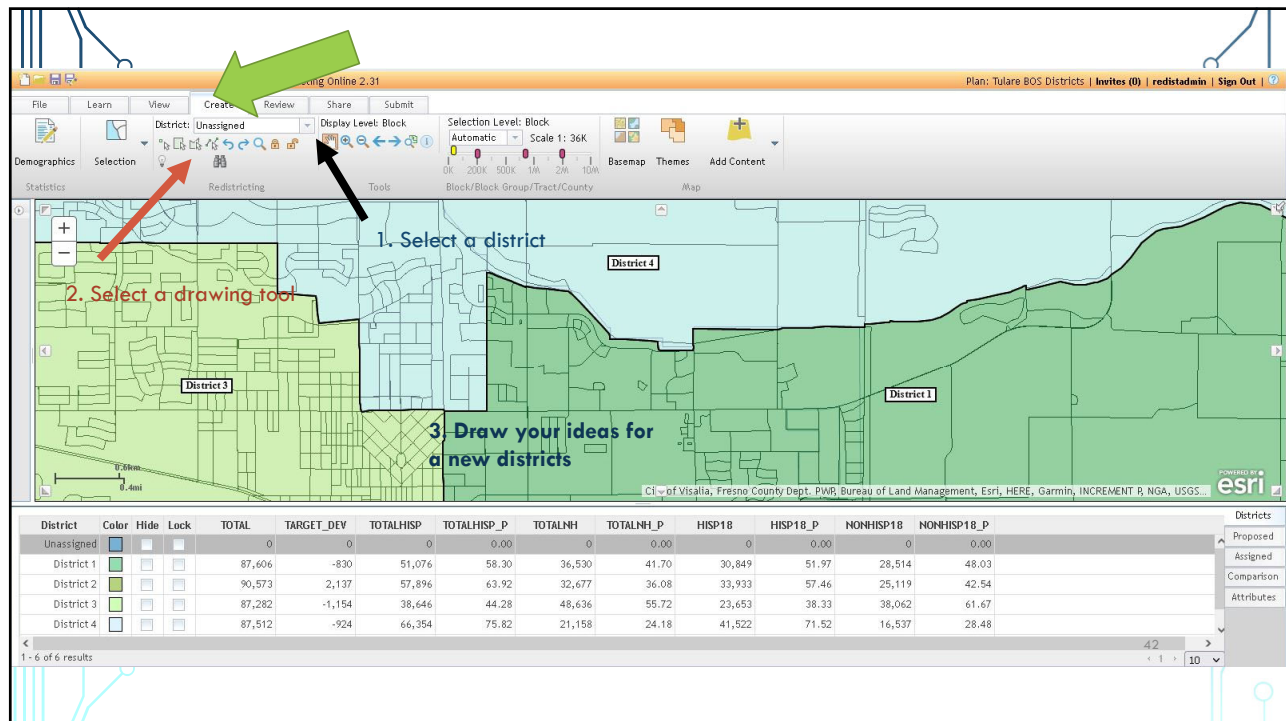
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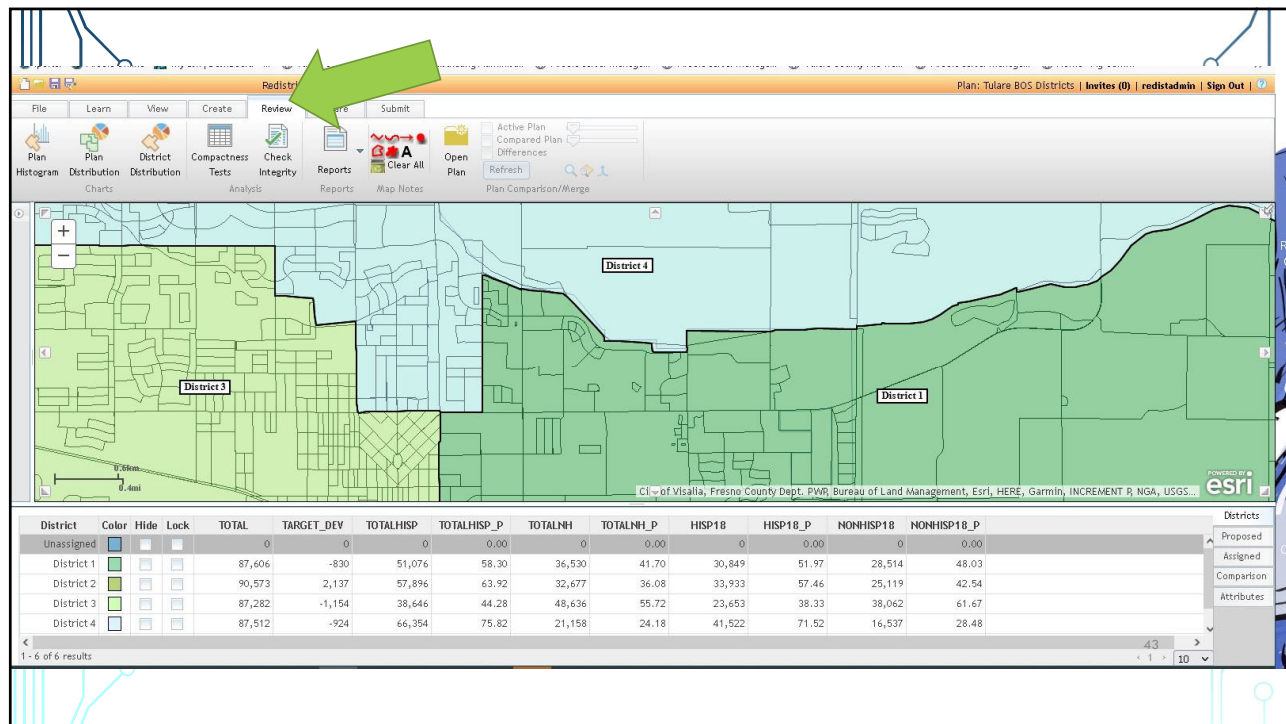


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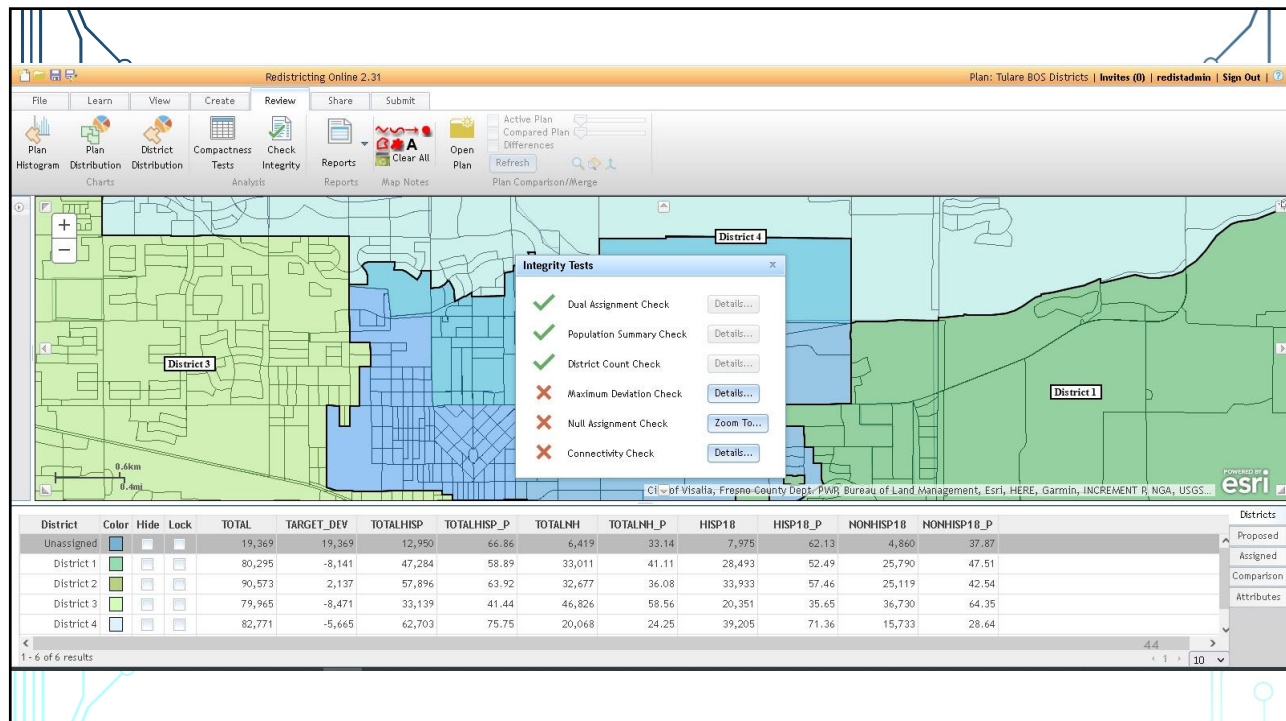


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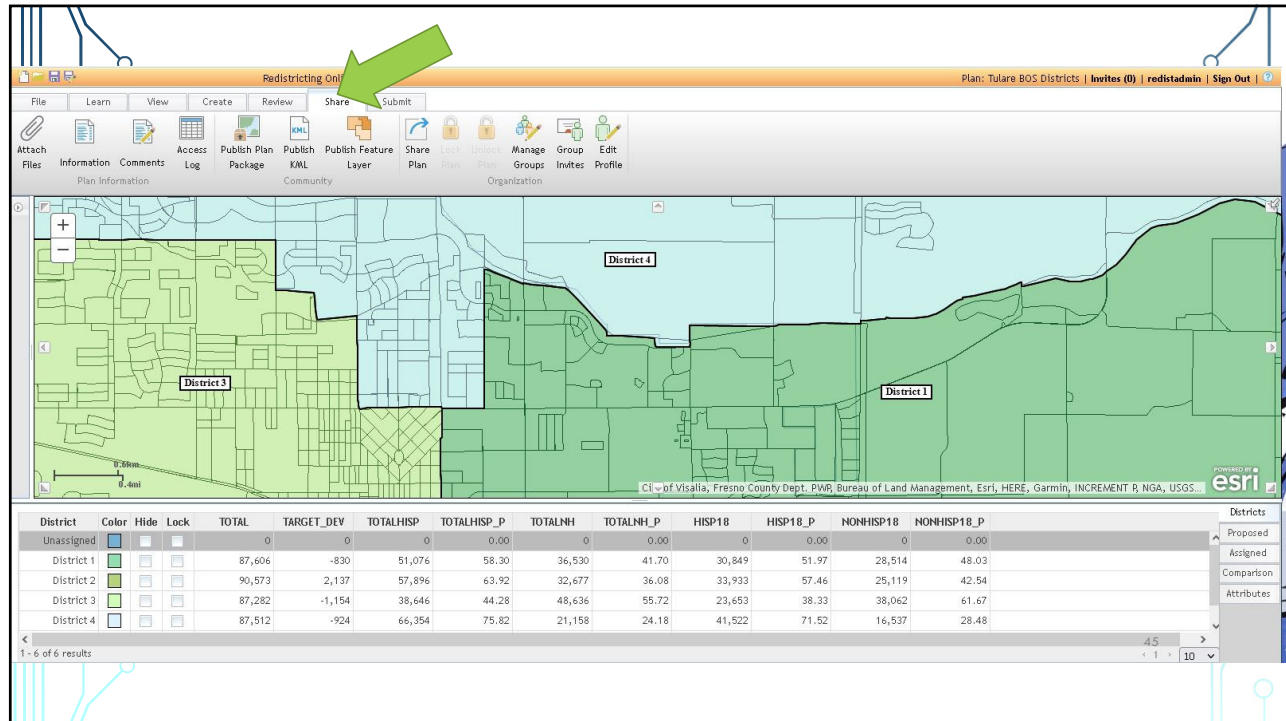




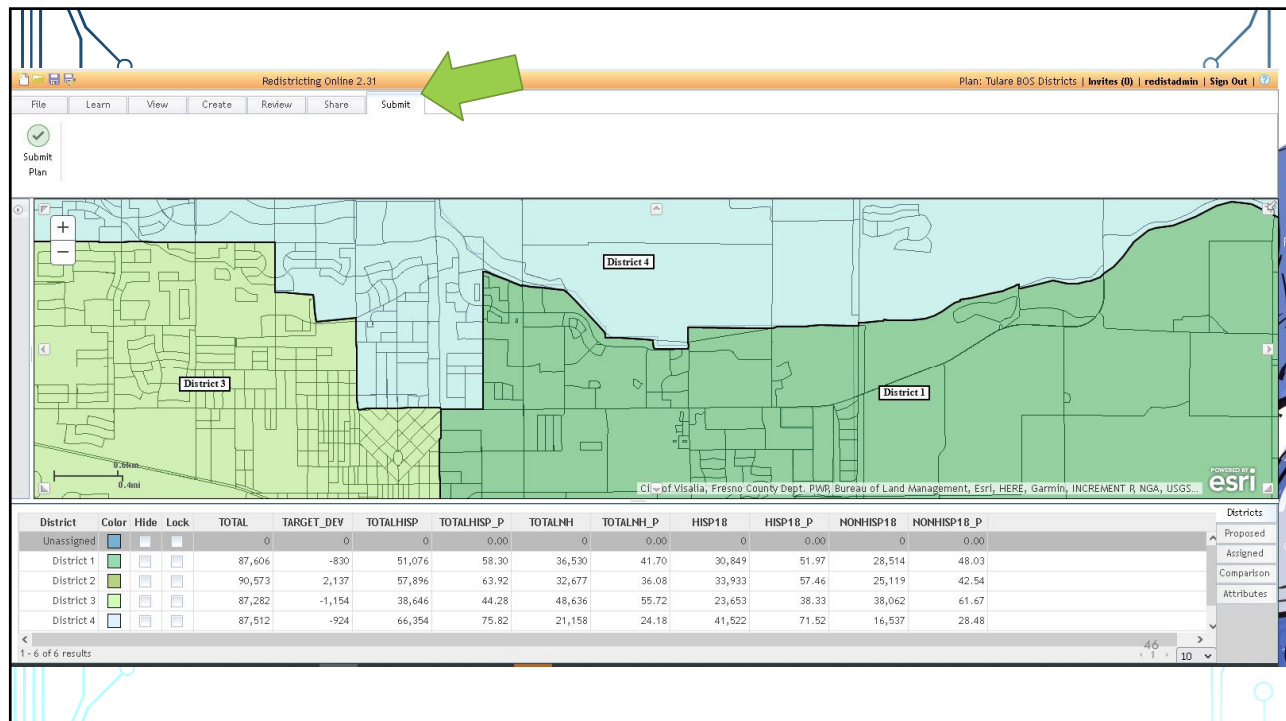
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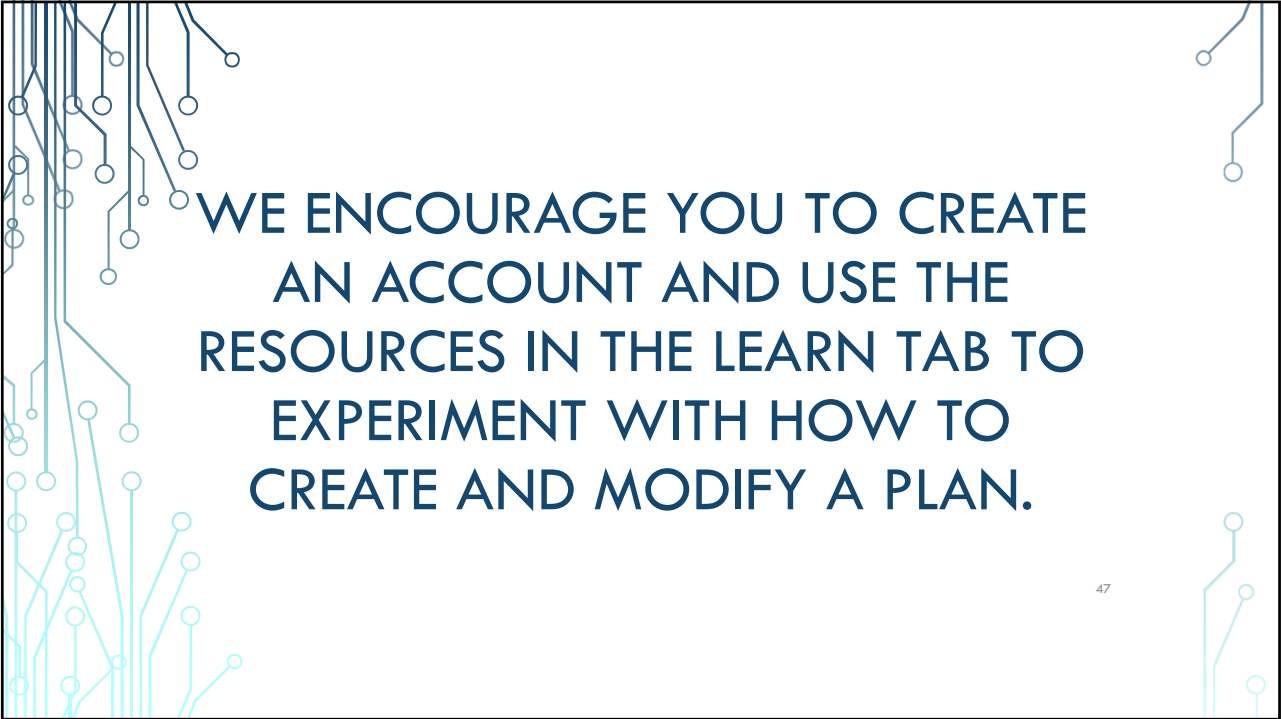
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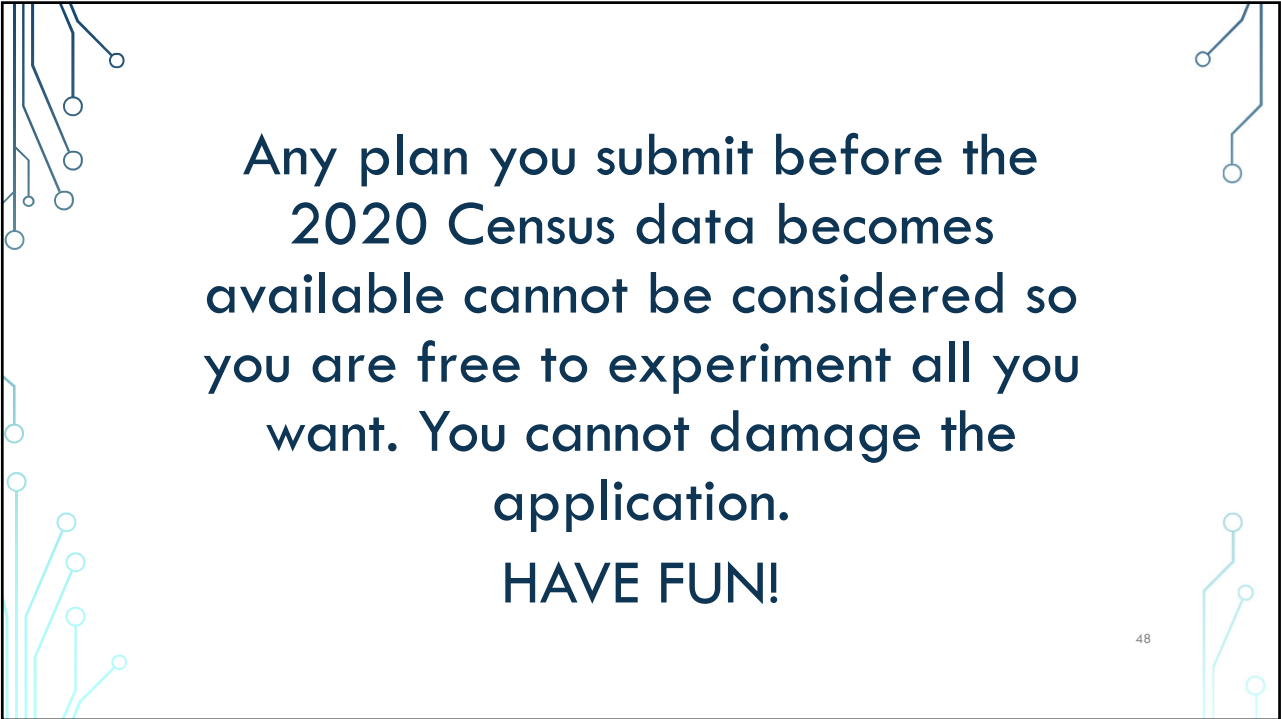
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EXPERIMENT WITH HOW TO  
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Any plan you submit before the  
2020 Census data becomes  
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you are free to experiment all you  
want. You cannot damage the  
application.  
HAVE FUN!

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 1. Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 2. International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 3. Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 4. Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Memorial Building, 35 N. Acacia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	TBD
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	TBD

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Outreach Efforts

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals

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## 5. Informational Presentation Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break before hearing public comment.*

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## 5. Informational Presentation Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation*

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## 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters
- e. Additional Redistricting Criteria

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## 7. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

Upcoming meetings:

**Aug 12, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA (District 5)

**Aug 26, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel Ave., Visalia, CA

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## 8. Evaluation

*Plus/Delta evaluation of tonight's meeting.*

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, August 12, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
CHMA Community Center  
466 E. Putnam Ave.  
Porterville, CA 93257

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

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1. Call to Order & Flag Salute
2. Roll Call
3. General Public Comment

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**4. Action and Discussion Items**

**a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's July 29, 2021 meeting (Action)**

**5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.**

Topics include:

- Redistricting Overview;
- Redistricting Criteria;
- Communities of Interest;
- 2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps;
- Redistricting Software;
- County Redistricting Timeline; and
- Redistricting Outreach Efforts.

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break after the informational presentation, before hearing public comment.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on the presentations.*

**6. Additional Redistricting Criteria Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors (Action)**

*Staff will provide a brief presentation regarding additional redistricting criteria.*

*Commissioners will hear public comment regarding additional redistricting criteria.*

*Commissioners will discuss and vote to recommend or not to recommend additional criteria to the Board of Supervisors.*

**7. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. Public Outreach Report**
- b. Administrative Matters**
- c. Clerk Matters**
- d. Legal Matters**

**8. Future Items**

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**Upcoming meetings:**

August 26, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel Ave., Visalia, CA

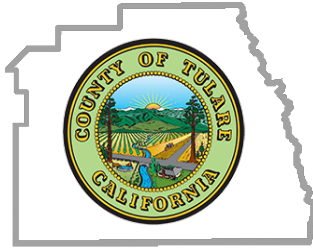
September 9, 2021, Public Hearing, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel Ave., Visalia, CA

**9. Evaluation**

**10. Adjournment**

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, August 12, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
CHMA Community Center  
466 E. Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA 93257

### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.

### 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

### 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Fred Beltran

**Public written comments:** None.



#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's July 29, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for July 29, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner George
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 8 – Yes; 2 – Abstain; 1 - Absent

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Abstain</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Abstain</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Informational presentation regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

Topics include: **Redistricting Overview; Redistricting Criteria; Communities of Interest; 2010 Proposed, Submitted, and Final Redistricting Maps; Redistricting Software; and County Redistricting Timeline; and Redistricting Outreach Efforts.** County Staff provided an overview and update on items a-g.

**Commissioner Comments.** None.

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Dale Simmons; Virginia Gurrola; Fred Beltran; Angel Ruiz;

**Public written comments:** None.

#### 6. Additional Redistricting Criteria Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors (Action)

A motion was made to not recommend additional redistricting criteria to the Board of Supervisors:

Motion Made:	Commissioner McKerverey
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 - Absent

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<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
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#### 7. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters

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**8. Future Items**

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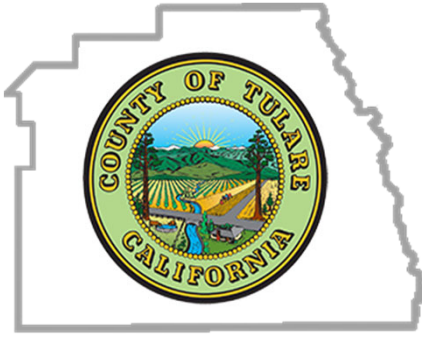
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September 9, 2021, Public Hearing, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel Ave., Visalia, CA

**9. Evaluation:** Commissioners provided feedback regarding today's meeting

**10. Adjournment: 8:06 p.m. Adjourned to August 26, 2021**

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



August 12, 2021

CHMA Community Center  
466 E. Putnam Ave.  
Porterville, CA 93257

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo    |
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| ✓ Commissioner Albert George | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervey |
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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the July 29, 2021 meeting



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

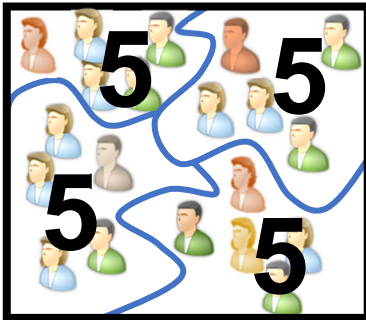
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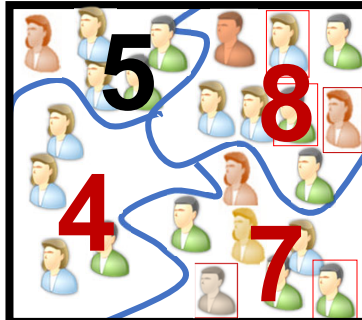
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### Redistricting Overview

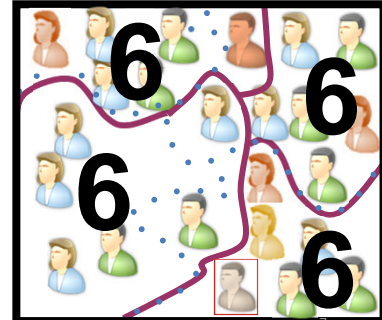
Redistricting is when we redraw districts so that each has the same number of residents.



Over time, populations grow, shrink, and shift, making districts uneven in population size.



Every ten years, after the census, district lines are redrawn to make each district even in number again.

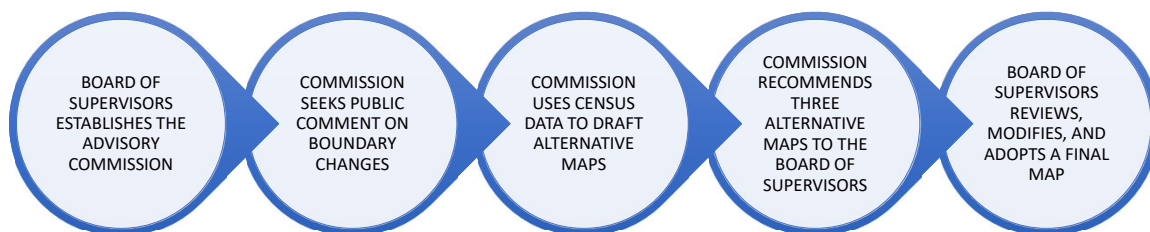


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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

- This Commission only considers boundary changes for the five county supervisorial districts – not for state, federal, or other local voting districts.
- In addition to the eight prioritized criteria that set the legal parameters for district boundaries, the Commission may recommend additional criteria



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### General Timeline

- **September 2021** - Federal census data will be received by the County.
- **October 2021** – Commission and community drafts boundary changes.
- **November 2021** -The Board of Supervisors will hold public hearings regarding proposed boundary changes.
- **DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries.
- **June 2022** - Primary election for Districts 4 and 5.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### CURRENT SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS

<b>District 1</b>	<b>District 2</b>	<b>District 3</b>	<b>District 4</b>	<b>District 5</b>
Larry Micari	Pete Vander Poel III	Amy Shuklian	Eddie Valero	Dennis Townsend
Exeter	Allensworth	Visalia	Badger	Camp Nelson
Farmersville	Alpaugh		Cutler	Ducor
Lindcove	Earlimart		Dinuba	Kennedy Meadows
Lindsay	Pixley		Goshen	Poplar-Cotton Center
Poplar	Tipton		Ivanhoe	Porterville
Strathmore	Tulare		Orosi	Posey
Three Rivers	Waukena		Traver	Richgrove
Visalia (part)			Visalia (part)	Springville
Woodville			Woodlake	Terra Bella

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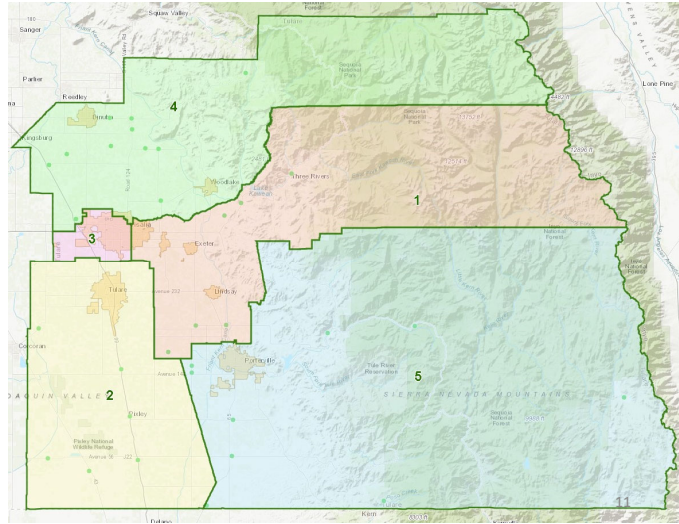
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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

COUNTY POPULATION (2010 CENSUS): 422,179

District	Total Population (2010)	Deviation
1	88,536	0.11%
2	89,593	1.31%
3	87,282	-1.31%
4	87,562	-0.99%
5	89,206	0.87%



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Overview

#### REDISTRICTING DATA

	2000 Census Total Population	2010 Census Total Population	Change
<b>Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>	<b>368,021</b>	<b>442,179</b>	<b>20%</b>
White alone	213,751 58%	265,618 60%	24%
Black or African American alone	5,852 2%	7,196 2%	23%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	5,737 2%	6,993 2%	22%
Asian alone	12,018 3%	15,176 3%	26%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	408 0%	509 0%	25%
Some Other Race alone	113,317 31%	128,263 29%	13%
Two or More Races	16,938 5%	18,424 4%	9%
<b>Hispanic or Latino Origin</b>	<b>368,021</b>	<b>442,179</b>	<b>20%</b>
Hispanic or Latino	186,846 51%	268,065 61%	43%
Not Hispanic or Latino	181,175 49%	174,114 39%	-4%
<b>Voting Age Population (VAP)</b>	<b>243,769</b>	<b>298,055</b>	<b>22%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	109,083 45%	162,196 54%	49%
Not Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	134,686 55%	135,859 46%	1%
<b>Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) - ACS Data</b>	<b>193,760</b>	<b>220,082</b>	<b>14%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	64,220 33%	87,592 40%	36%
Not Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	129,540 67%	132,490 60%	2%

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 1. POPULATION EQUALITY



Districts shall be substantially equal in population as required by the United States Constitution. Population equality shall be based on the total population of residents of the county as determined by the decennial census.

#### 2. LEGAL COMPLIANCE



District boundaries shall comply with the U.S. Constitution, California Constitution, and the federal Voting Rights Act.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 3. CONTIGUITY



To the extent practicable, districts shall be geographically contiguous.

#### 4. COMMUNITY INTEGRITY



To the extent practicable, districts shall respect the geographic integrity of any local neighborhood or local community of interest in a manner that minimizes its division.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 5. CITY OR CDP INTEGRITY



To the extent practicable, the geographic integrity of a city or census designated place shall be respected in a manner that minimizes its division.

#### 6. IDENTIFIABLE BOUNDARIES



District boundaries should be easily identifiable and understandable by residents. To the extent practicable, districts shall be bounded by natural and artificial barriers, by streets, or by boundaries of the county.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

In order of priority

#### 7. COMPACTNESS



To the extent practicable, and where it does not conflict with the preceding criteria, districts shall be drawn to encourage geographic compactness in such a manner that nearby areas of population are not bypassed in favor of more distant populations.

#### 8. NO POLITICAL PARTIES



The Board shall not adopt boundaries for the purpose of favoring or discriminating against a political party.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Criteria

- Additional criteria may be recommended by the Commission to the Board of Supervisors
- The Commission will vote tonight, August 12, to recommend additional criteria to the Board of Supervisors.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Prioritized Groups

#### 1. Minority Groups

- Granted priority consideration through the federal Voting Rights Act, which falls under redistricting criteria #2.
- Identifiable using Census Data.
- Latino population is the largest minority group in Tulare County.

#### 2. Communities of Interest

- Granted priority consideration under redistricting criteria #4.
- Public testimony key to identification.

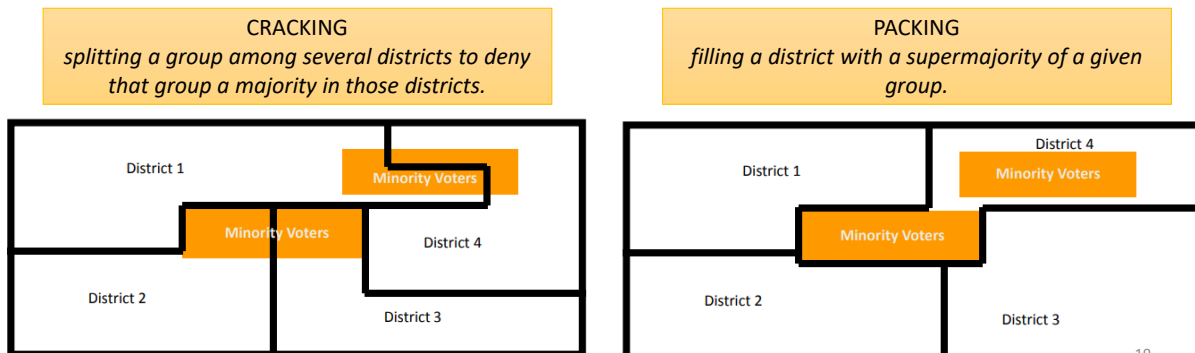
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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### “Packing” & “Cracking”

Federal Voting Rights Act prohibits electoral systems which dilute racial and language minority voting rights by denying them an equal opportunity to nominate and elect candidates of their choice.



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Kern County Case

*Luna v. County of Kern*

- The Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (MALDEF) alleged that the supervisorial district boundaries drawn by the Kern County Board of Supervisors in 2011 were drawn in violation of the U.S. Voting Rights Act by splitting similar communities of Latino voters in northwest Kern County into two different supervisors' districts.
- A U.S. District Court upheld the allegation that “Latino voters in Kern County have been deprived of an equal opportunity to elect representatives of their choice, in violation of § 2 of the [Federal] Voting Rights Act.”
- Parties settled the suit in March 2018 by redrawing supervisorial district lines to create a second Latino-majority district. The County also paid \$5 million in attorneys' fees and costs for both sides.

Read more about this case here:

[https://www.bakersfield.com/news/kern-county-supervisors-political-maps-should-be-drawn-in-public-speakers-say/article\\_846b3176-2c6b-11e8-8073-6fed624154d7.html](https://www.bakersfield.com/news/kern-county-supervisors-political-maps-should-be-drawn-in-public-speakers-say/article_846b3176-2c6b-11e8-8073-6fed624154d7.html)

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Communities of Interest

One of the main objectives of redistricting is to redraw boundaries in such a way that optimizes the electoral influence of communities of interest. The State constitution defines a community of interest as a contiguous population which shares common social and economic interests that should be included within a single district for purposes of its effective and fair representation.

#### How to define your community of interest?

1. What are the economic, social, and/or cultural interests that your community shares?
2. Where is your community located geographically?
3. Is your shared interest within the policy jurisdiction of Tulare County?



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Communities of Interest

The following communities have been brought to the Commission's attention this year and in 2011:

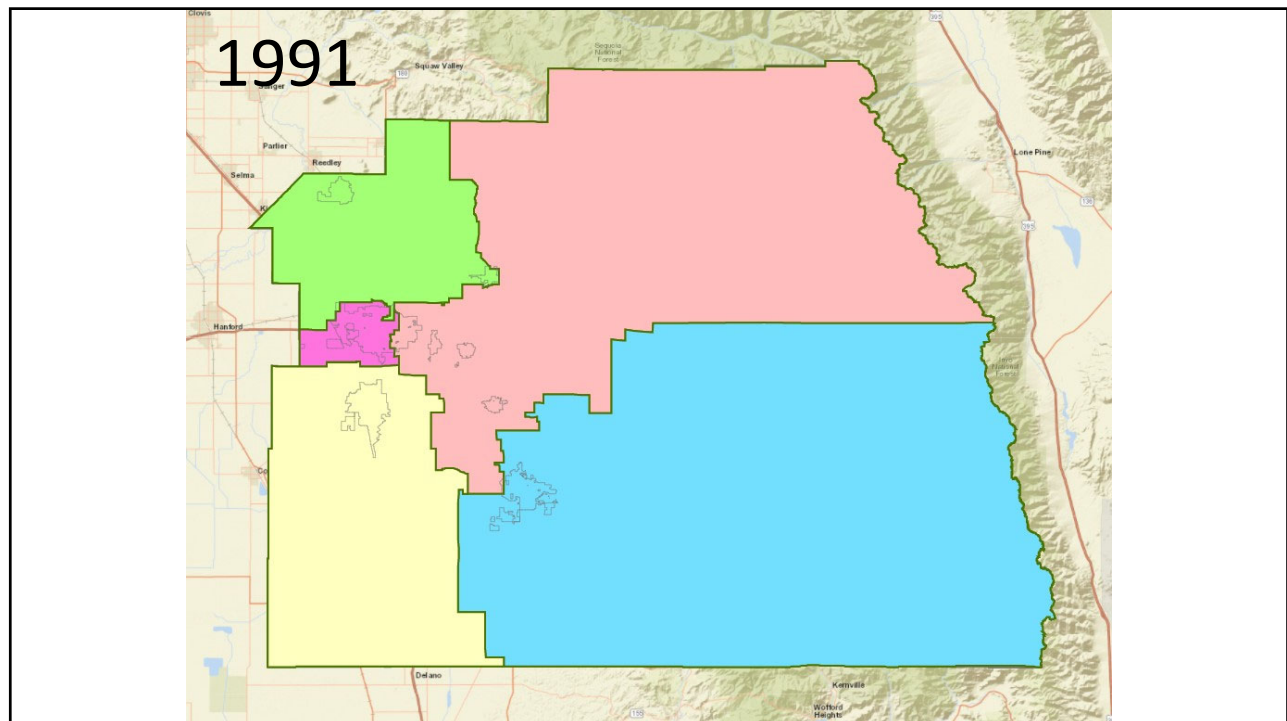
1. Hispanic or Latino community
2. Citizen voting age population
3. Hispanic or Latino citizen voting age population
4. Low-income communities (census tracts at or below 80% of the statewide median income)
5. School districts
6. Common infrastructure communities (i.e. water systems, sewer systems, refuse collection)
7. Keep the cities of Tulare and Visalia in the same district
8. Keep West Goshen in District 4

*These groups were mentioned by the public. They are given a higher degree of protection under the federal Voting Rights Act, and are included in redistricting criteria 2. They are not communities of interest.*

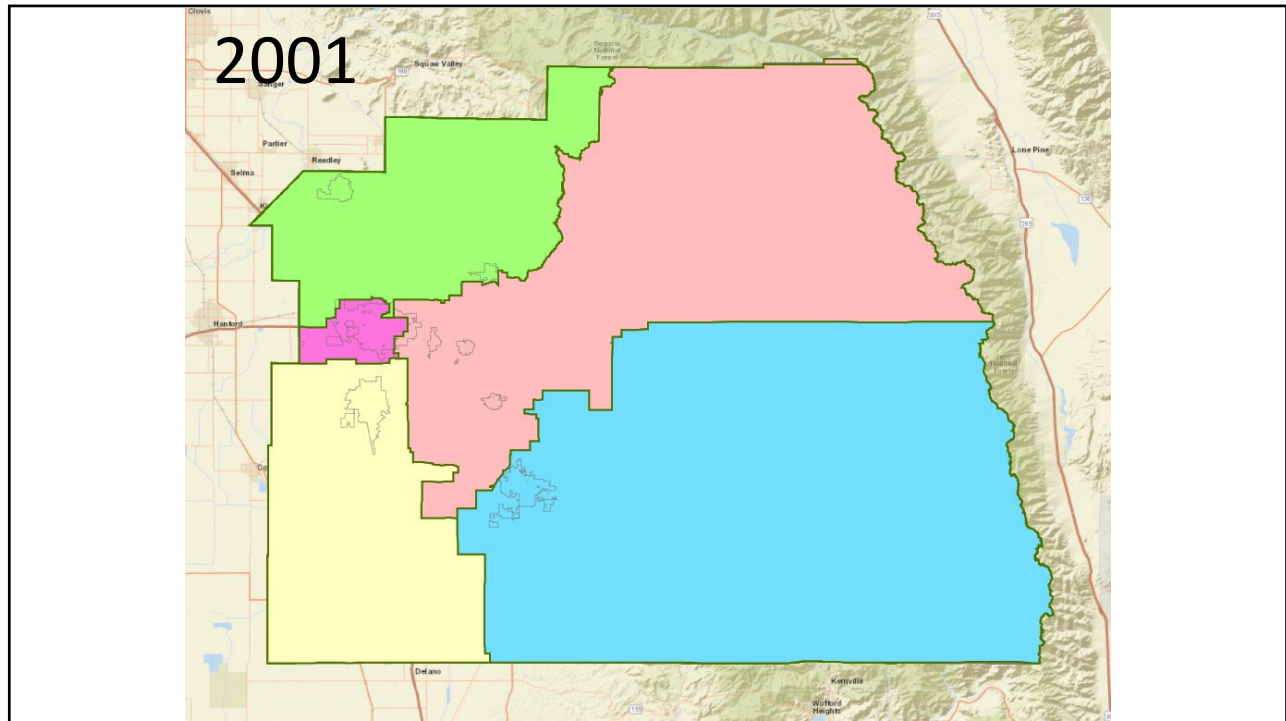


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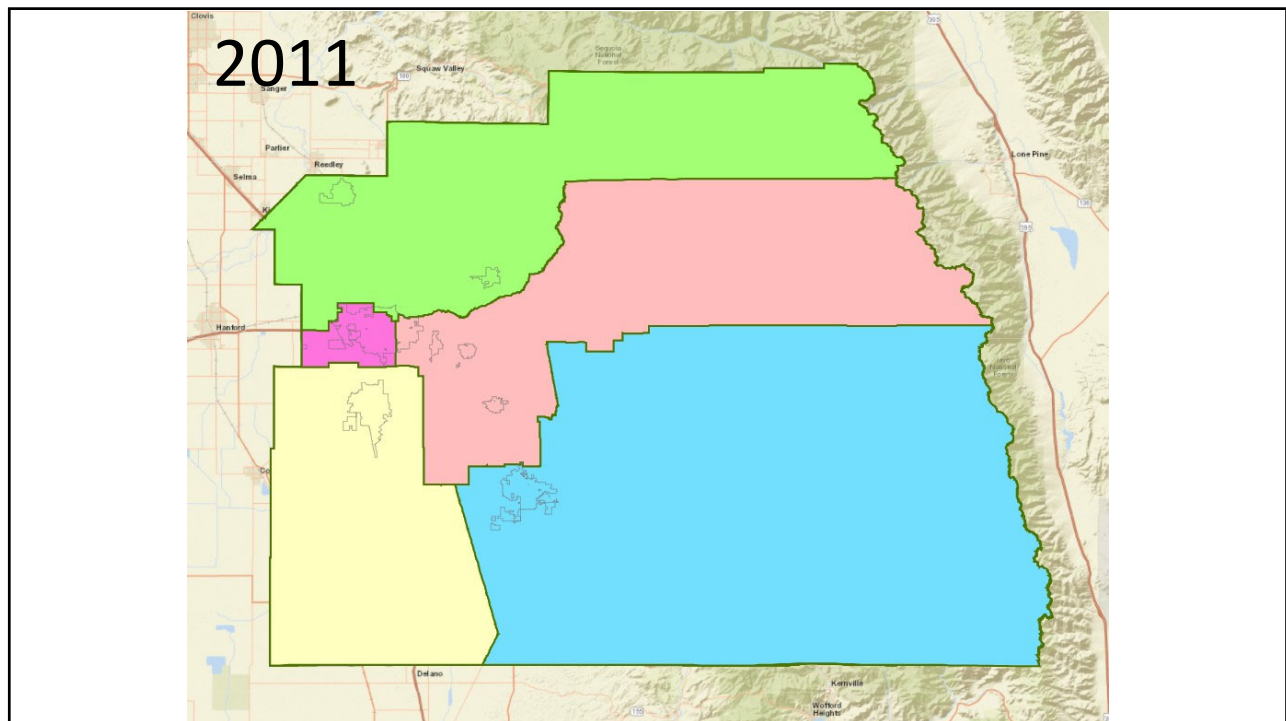
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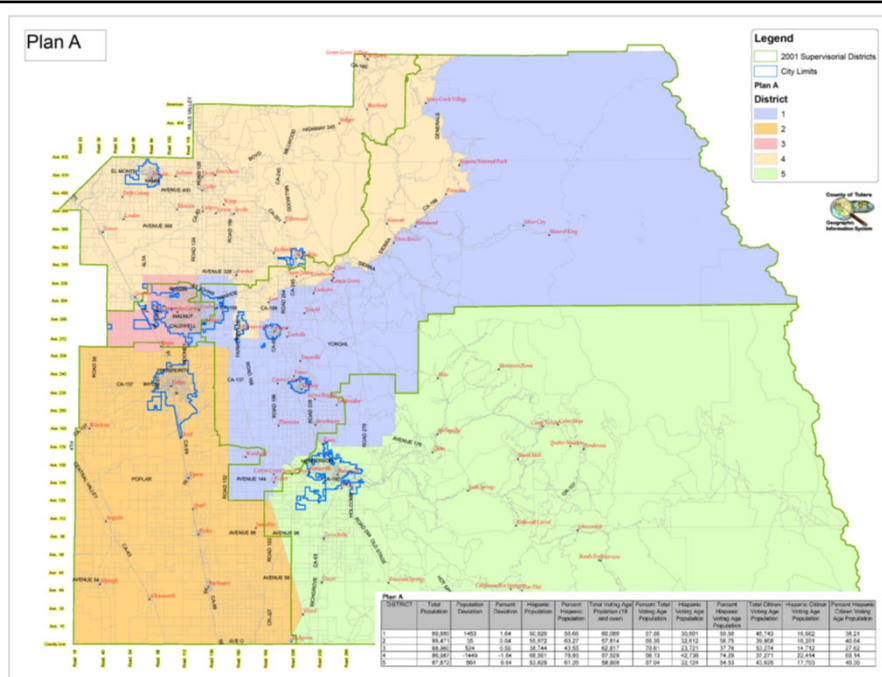
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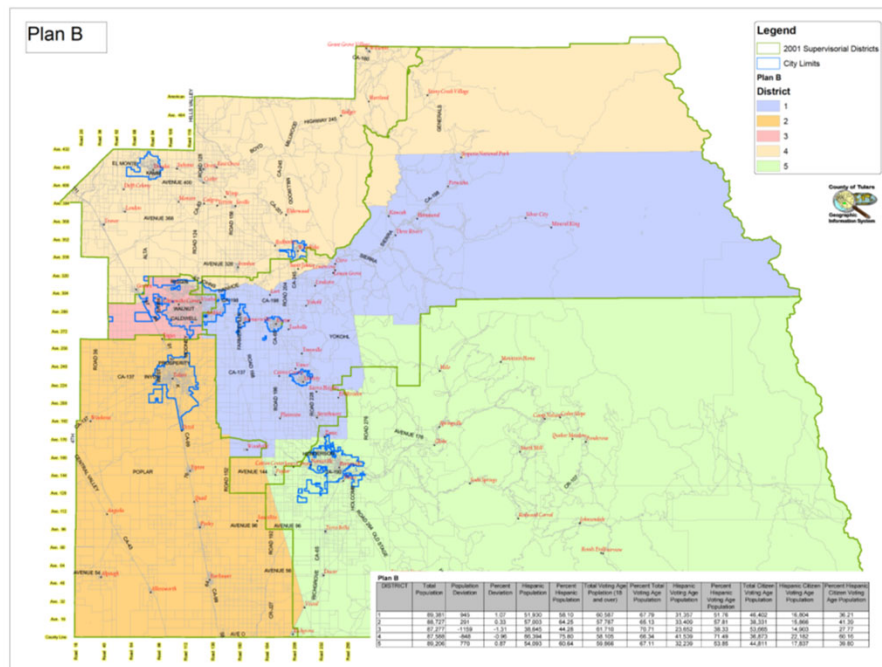


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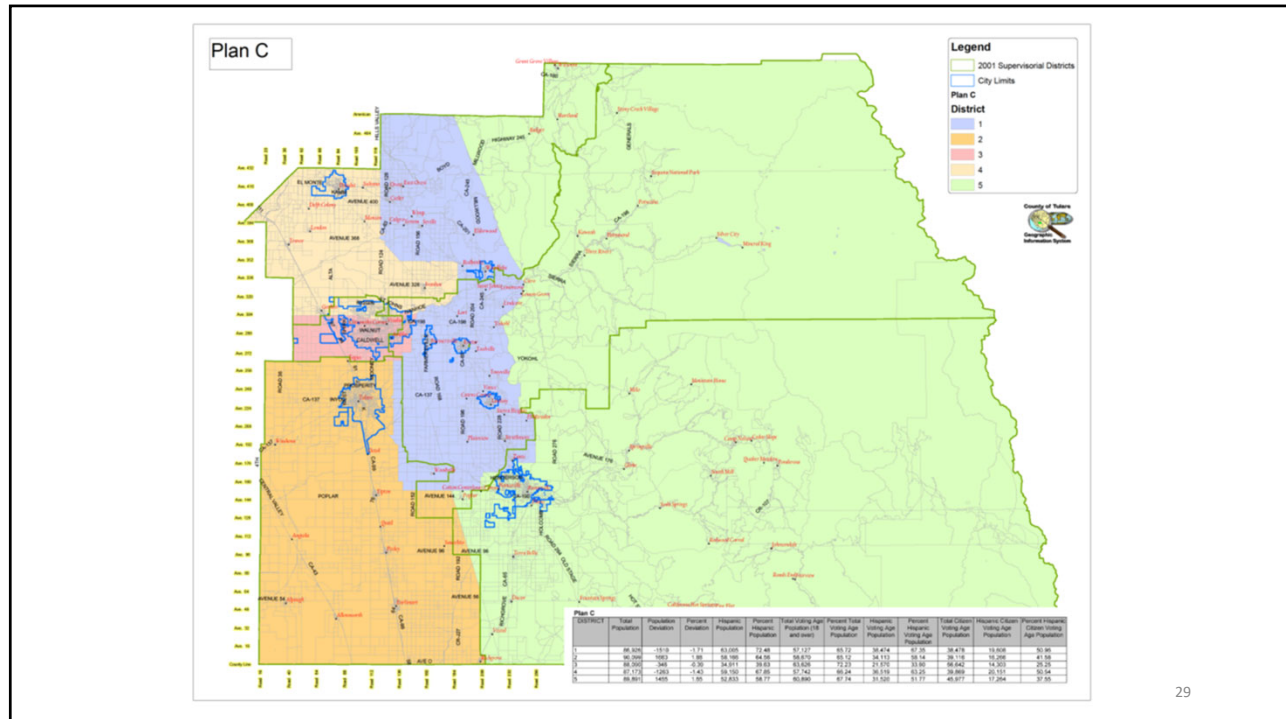
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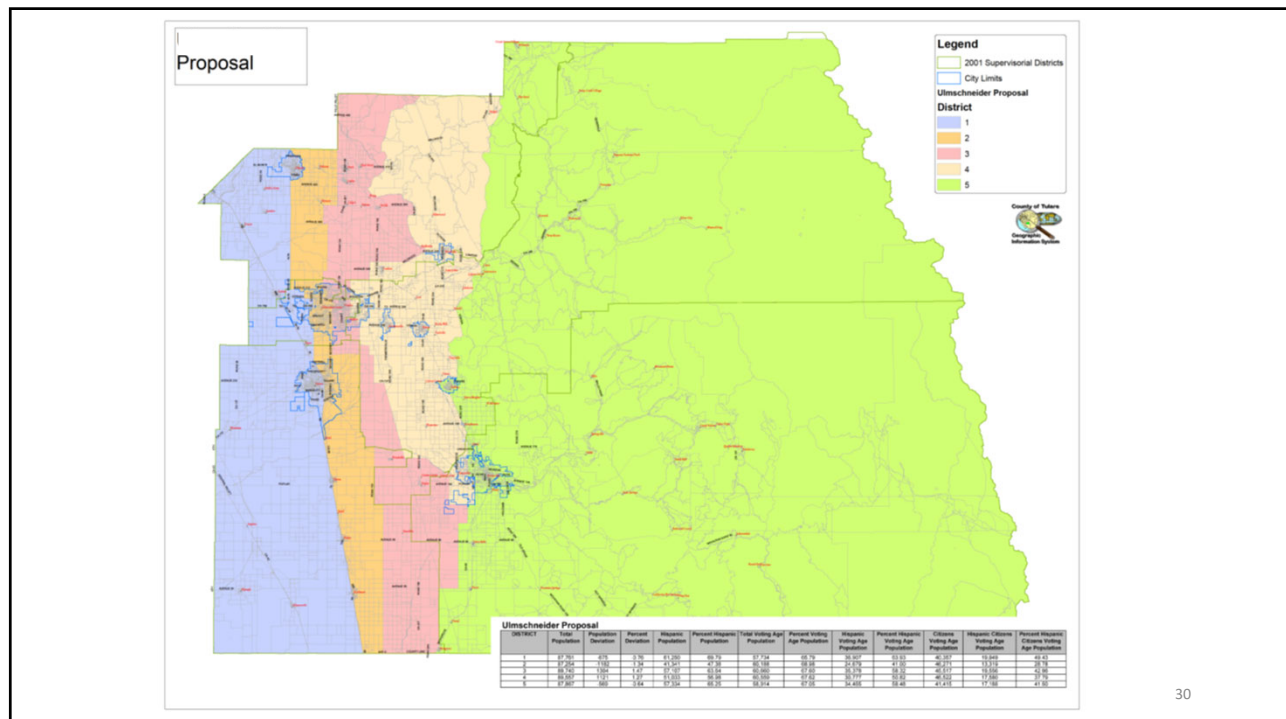
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### RATIONALE

1. Contiguous and electorate friendly by connecting the North and South, East and West parts of Tulare County and easily understood by the average voter as you just count the districts from left to right or West to East.
2. Proportional sizes except for district 5 which is sparsely populated due to the large Sierra Nevada Mountain Range. Nevertheless, pockets of population centers are clustered so that the actual canvass and campaign geography might be relevant.
3. Actually brings our communities together instead of "compartmentalizing" them. The idea of keeping our communities together is what this is from a countywide perspective. "Dividing" our communities is not what this does as any community would still have its fire & police, departments, municipalities, school districts and other such public entities which are within those jurisdictions. In fact, using the expression and words "dividing communities of interest" seems to be a red herring that might actually keep us apart in terms of shared resources of the entire county. The county supervisors in the particular districts at hand will have to be sensitive to the socio-economically blighted areas of the North and South and since Visalia is the Seat of our county government, it makes sense that 4/5ths of these districts will intersect and share it.
4. Each district has approximately 88,436 people. The % deviation has been kept to as low as 0.0 for all of them. They all have Hispanic majorities per our county census. It is likely that 2-3 will have Hispanic CVAP majorities.
5. As county supervisors, their awareness and political concerns should cover the entire county and that is what this redistricting attempts to do. It connects the communities of interest instead of compartmentalizing them. For instance, Tulare, Visalia and Dinuba would have 2 or more supervisors with their concerns and this doubles the focus on their needs and services. The same goes with other municipalities like Porterville. This map attempts to bring us together as a county instead of dividing and separating us into compartments of parochial interests.

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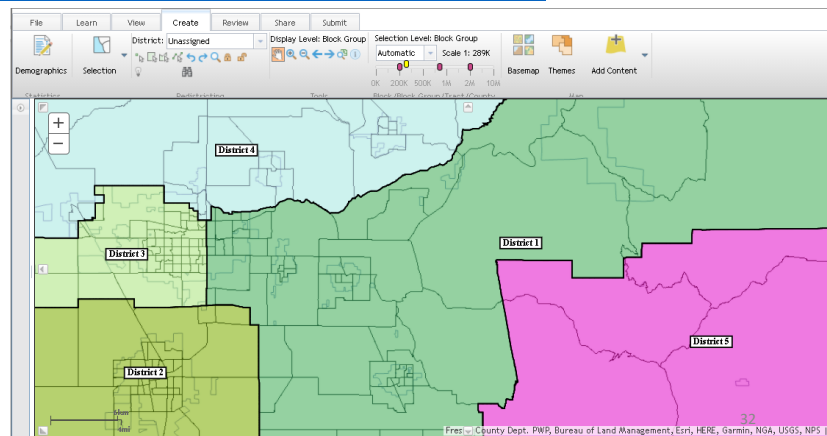
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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Software

Esri URL: <https://tularecountyredistricting.esriemcs.com/redistricting/>

QR Code for Redistricting Software



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## IMPORTANT

- At the moment, the Redistricting app only has 2010 Census data, 2020 data is not yet available.
- Because of this you cannot at this time make a plan that meets the legal requirements for redistricting.
- This presentation is an overview of the app, we are developing training materials to show more details on its use.
- This application is made available now so you can learn how to use it, so that this fall when the current data becomes available you will be ready to create a proposed plan for submittal.
- There is no change in the Redistricting process we have followed in the past, this tool is simply to give you more engagement into the process.
- You can still submit your ideas on paper, or other mapping tool, (i.e. <https://drawmycacomunity.org/>) this tool we're showing is just an aid in making sure that your plan meets the legal requirements.

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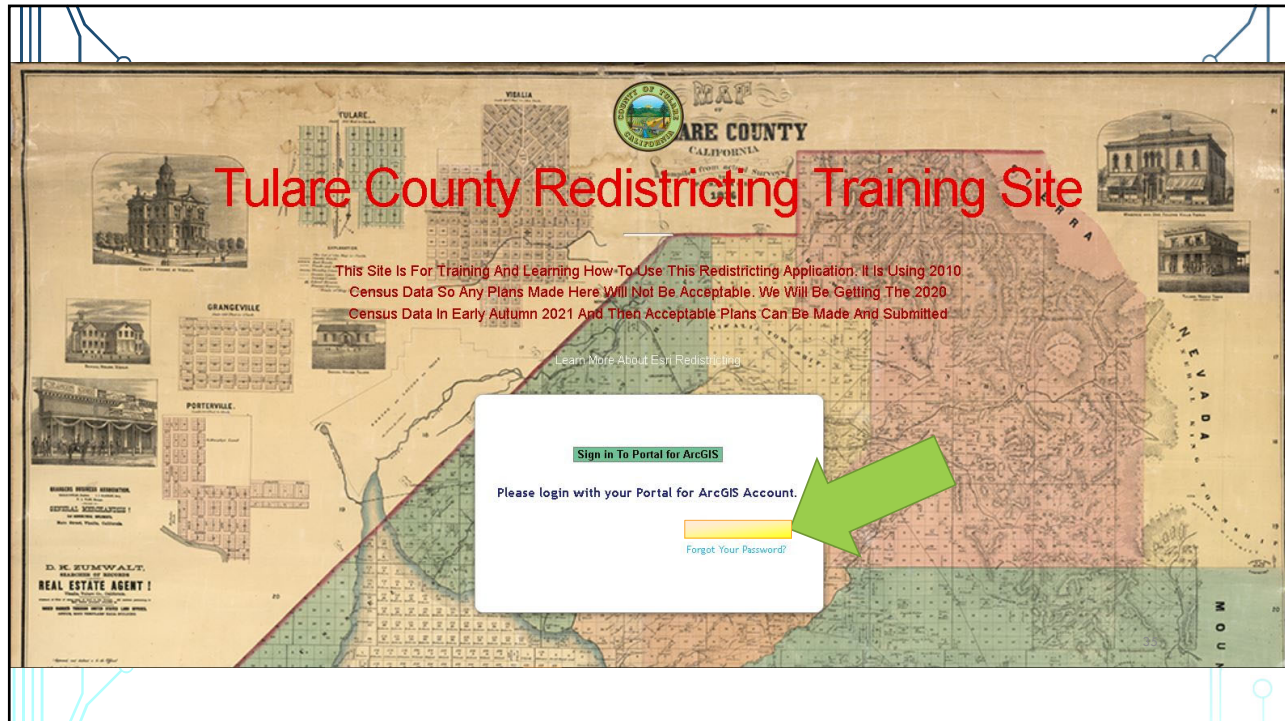
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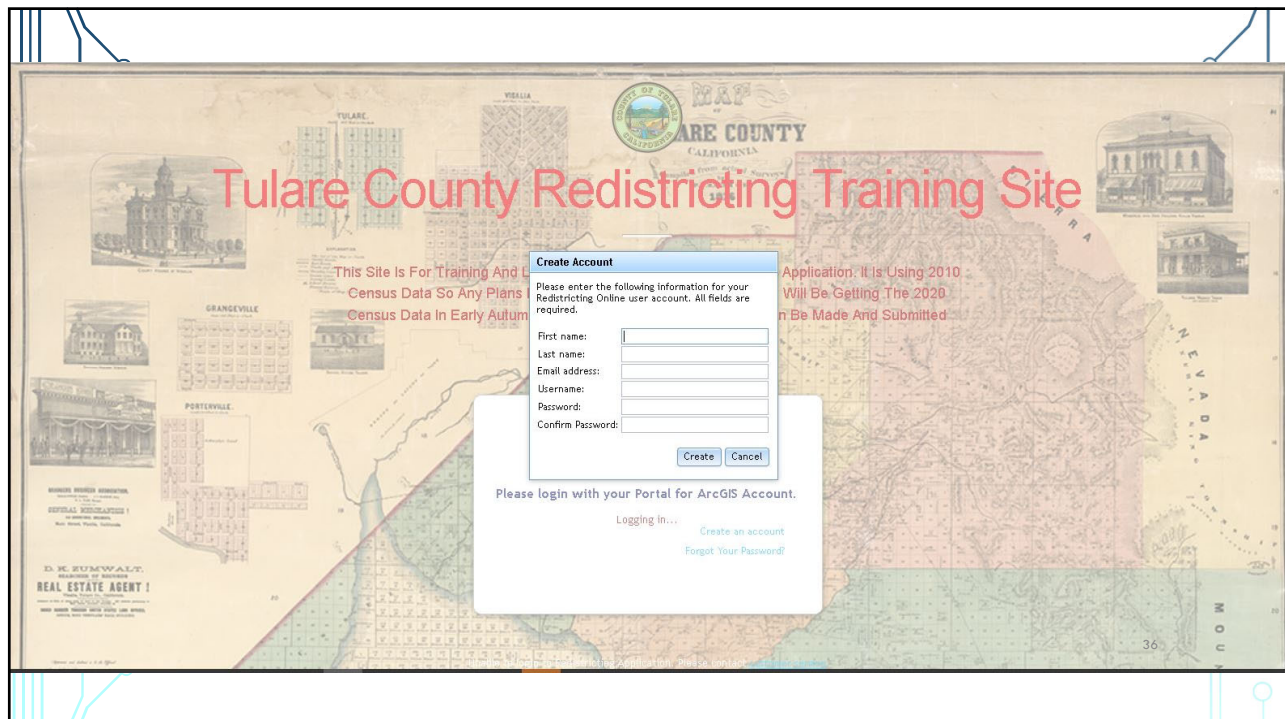
- The main purpose of this app is for the Redistricting Commission, with the help of staff, to create redistricting plans to submit to the Board of Supervisors for their review and approval.
- Another use of this app is so you can develop and propose a redistricting plan and submit your ideas to the Commission.
- This app will also allow you to gain some insight into the difficulty of making a redistricting plan that meets all the legal requirements. You do not have to submit the plan you create.
- In addition, you can use it to submit a community of interest to the Commission for them to consider while making a plan.

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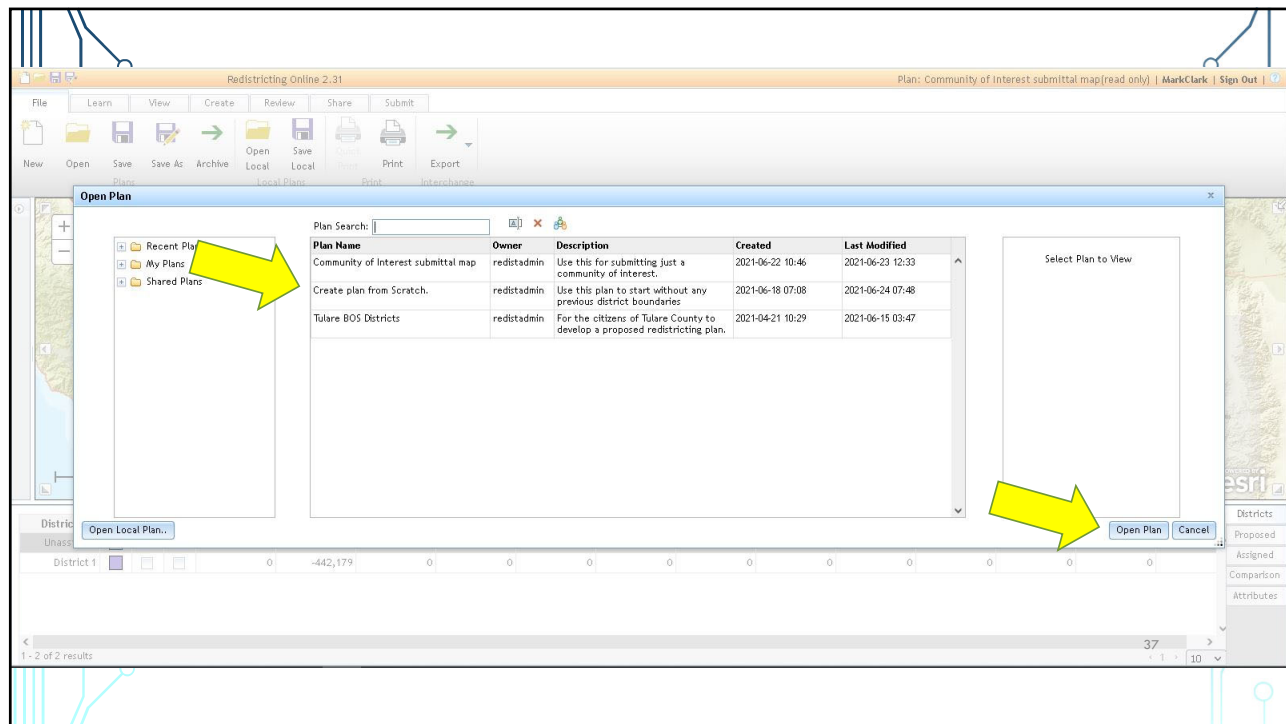


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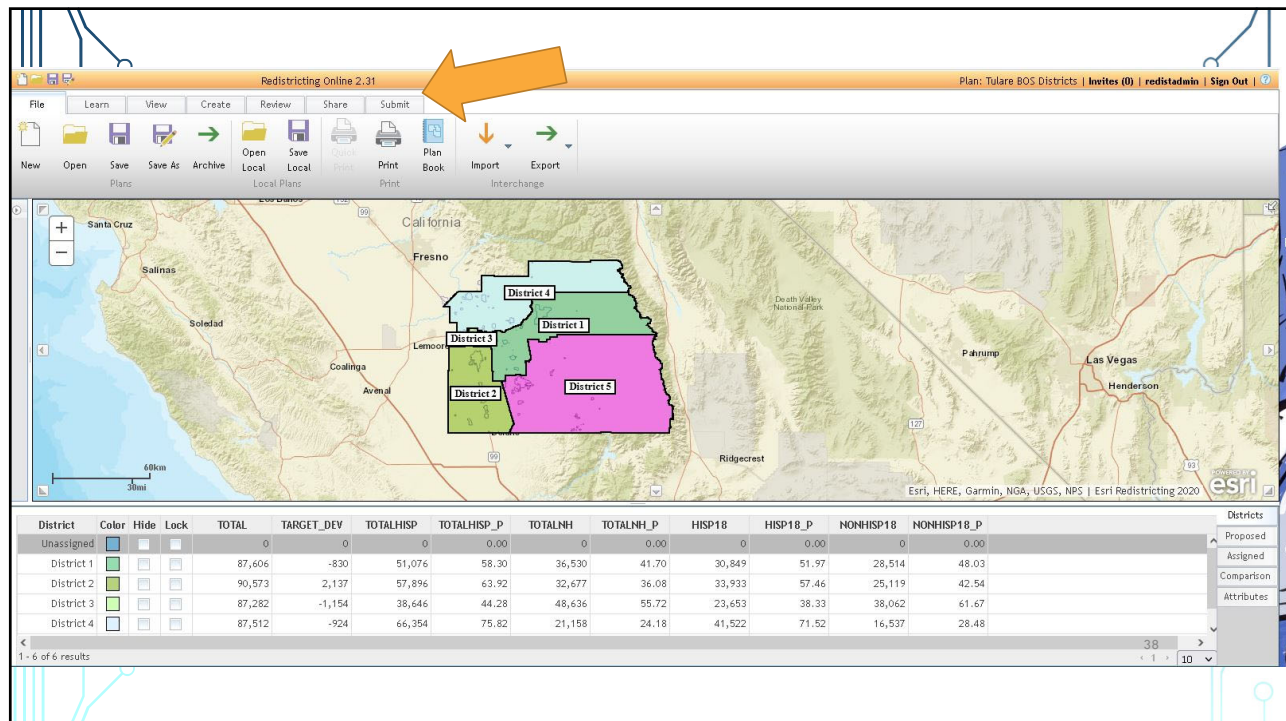


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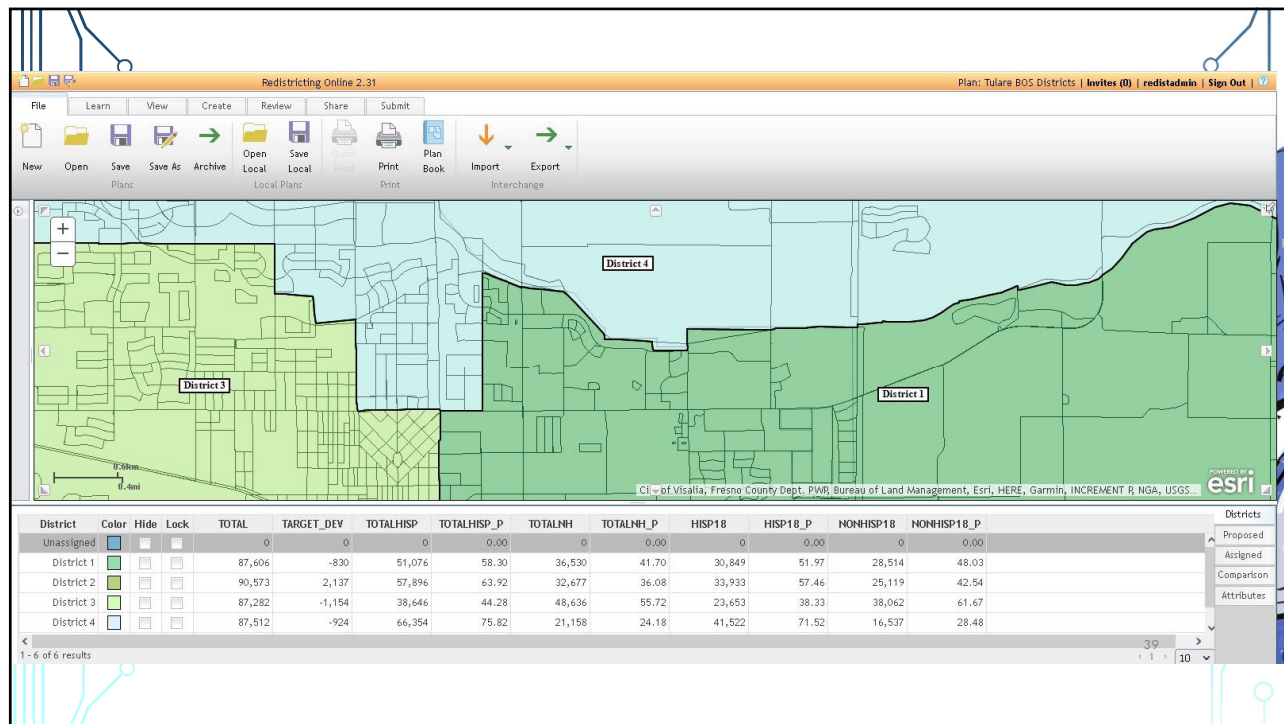




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The screenshot shows the "Welcome to Esri Redistricting Online!" page. A green arrow points to the "Learn" tab in the top navigation bar. The page content includes:

## Welcome to Esri Redistricting Online!

Esri Redistricting Online assists state and local governments, advocacy groups, and the general public in drawing legislative and congressional redistricting plans following the 2010 U.S. Census. The foundation of Esri Redistricting Online is Esri's proven ArcGIS software platform and pertinent dataset components. ArcGIS software provides comprehensive features and functionality for plan management, visualization, editing, and community collaboration.

Esri Redistricting Online can be used for geographic redistricting and territory design. Esri Redistricting Online is a web-based application that establishes an online community where users can collaborate and share district plans. It uses GIS mapping technology, Esri data, and the latest available Census data to allow state and local government to prototype multiple redistricting scenarios before finalizing new boundaries.

Esri Redistricting Online provides online access to data content used by the community, including Census and PL 94-171 data. It includes tools to promote an increased collaboration between government and citizens. With Esri Redistricting Online and GIS, you can design optimal districts.

If you are new to the Esri Redistricting Online, start with the [Quick Tour: Creating Plan](#), or read the [Frequently Asked Questions](#). Please refer to the help icon in the top right-hand corner of the page for assistance using the redistricting application functions.

### How to use this tool:

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    Login[Login] --> Create[Create Districts]
    Create --> Review[Review Data]
    Review --> Share[Share Plans]
  
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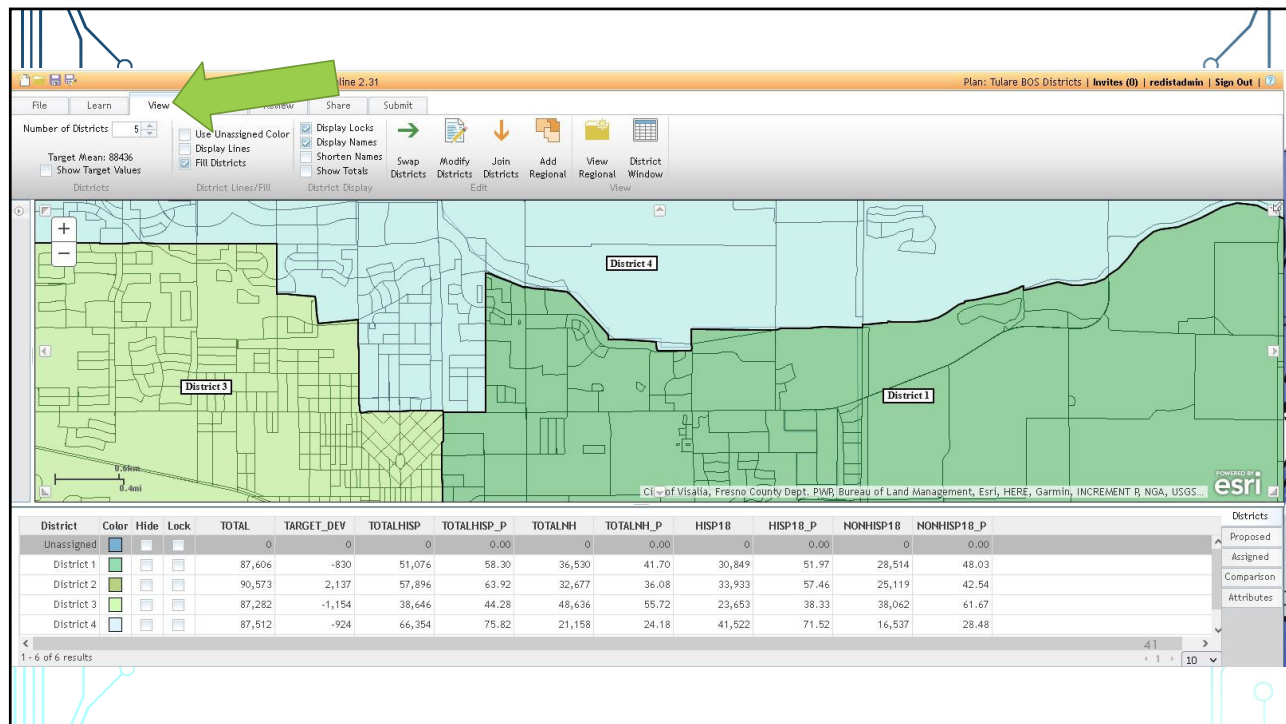
Here is a description of the numbered tabs at the top of this page that will guide you in the process of creating districts.

- 1 | Learn** This is the page you are on now and is the first step in the process.
- 2 | Create** Use the select tools and choose geographies to make district assignments. As you make assignments, the goal is to create balanced populations between districts.
- 3 | Review** View tables/charts that show the distribution of population within the districts you have created. The tables/charts are updated as you select and move populations between districts.
- 4 | Share** The share features allow you to invite friends and colleagues to view and /or comment on your plan. You can also invite others to build a plan together.

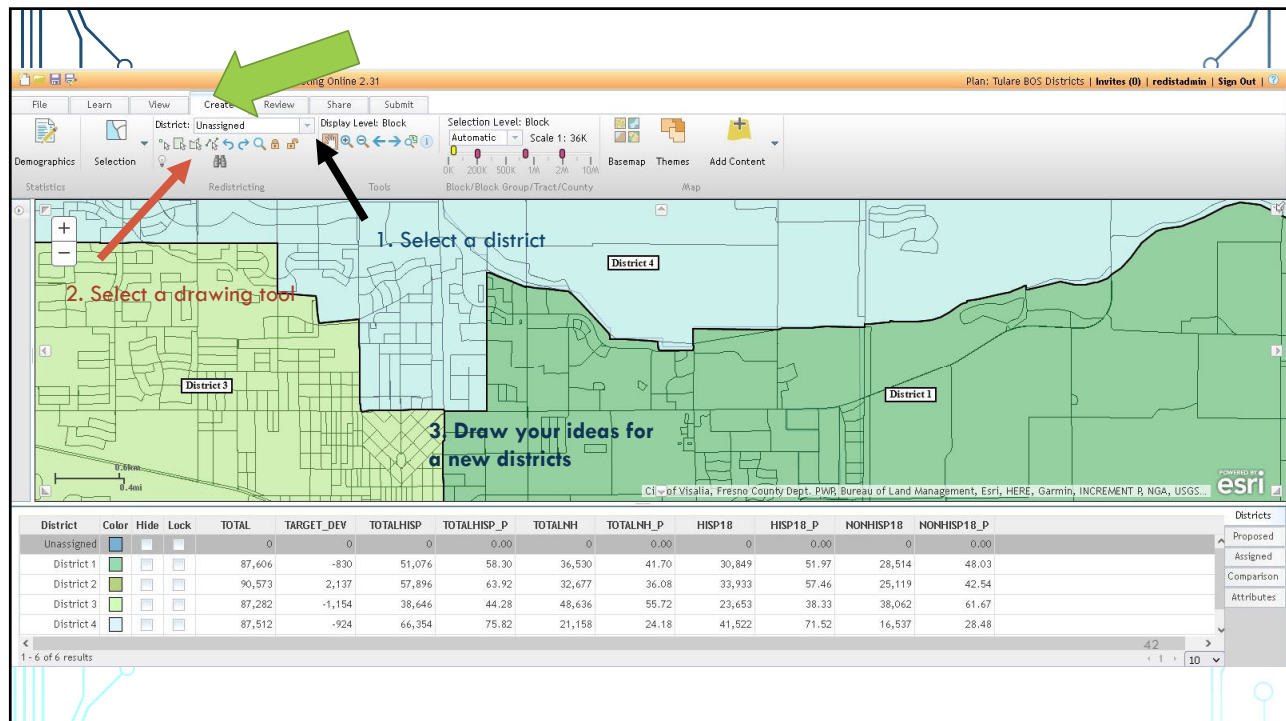
To get started, simply choose the **Create** tab, choose a district from the **Active District** menu. Choose a selection tool and select geographies by clicking or drawing on the map. The geographies selected will be assigned to the **Active District**.

In addition to the numbered tabs above, the **File** tab allows you to save and open plans you have created, open plans that people have shared with you, and print your plan. **Make sure to SAVE your plan.**

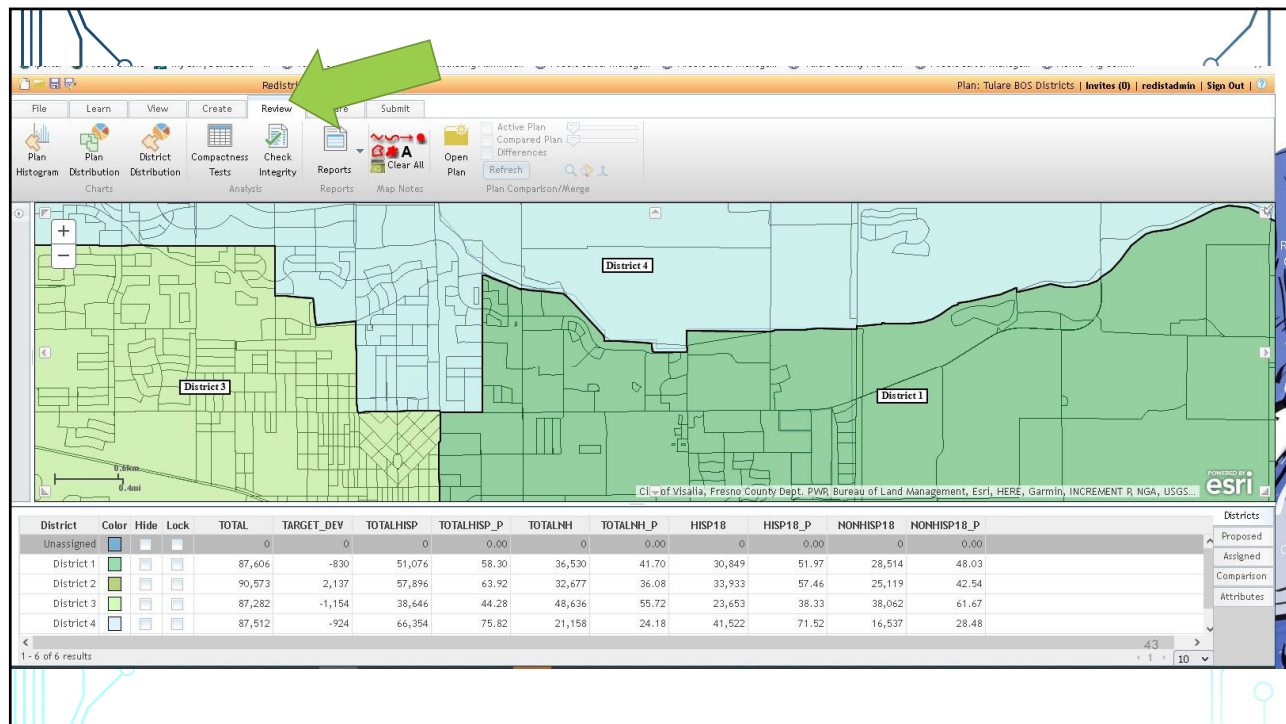
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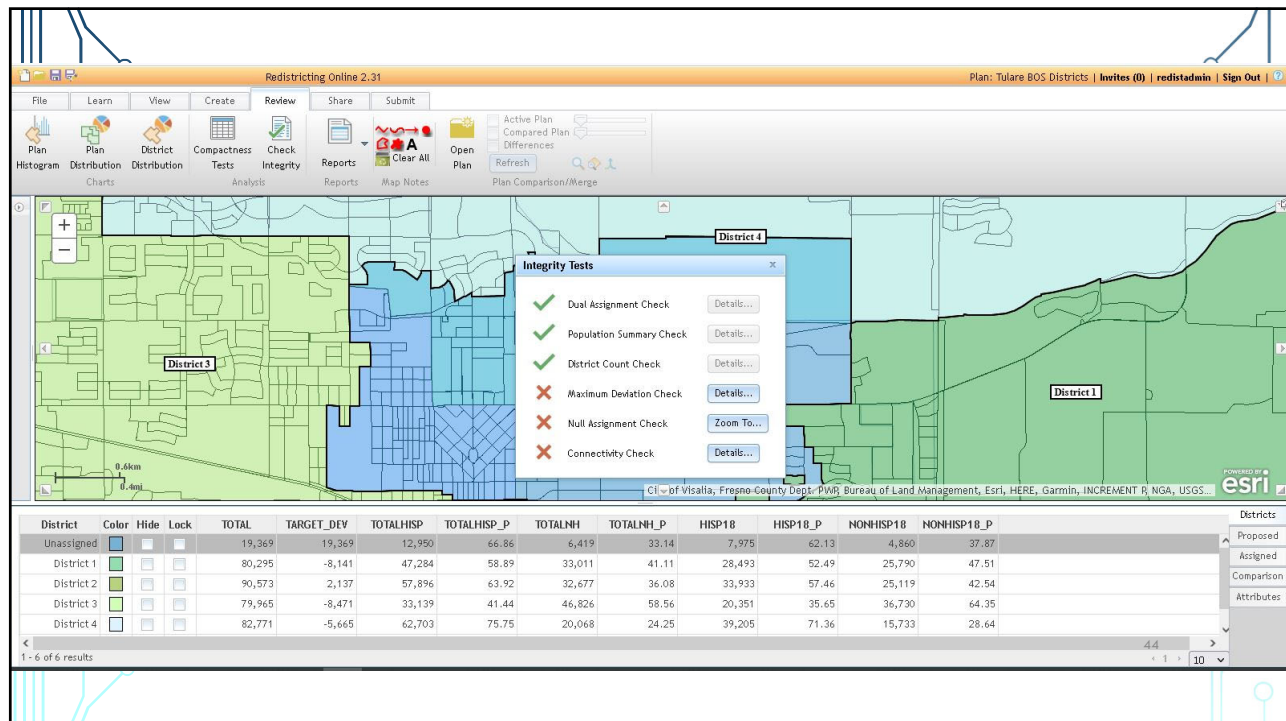
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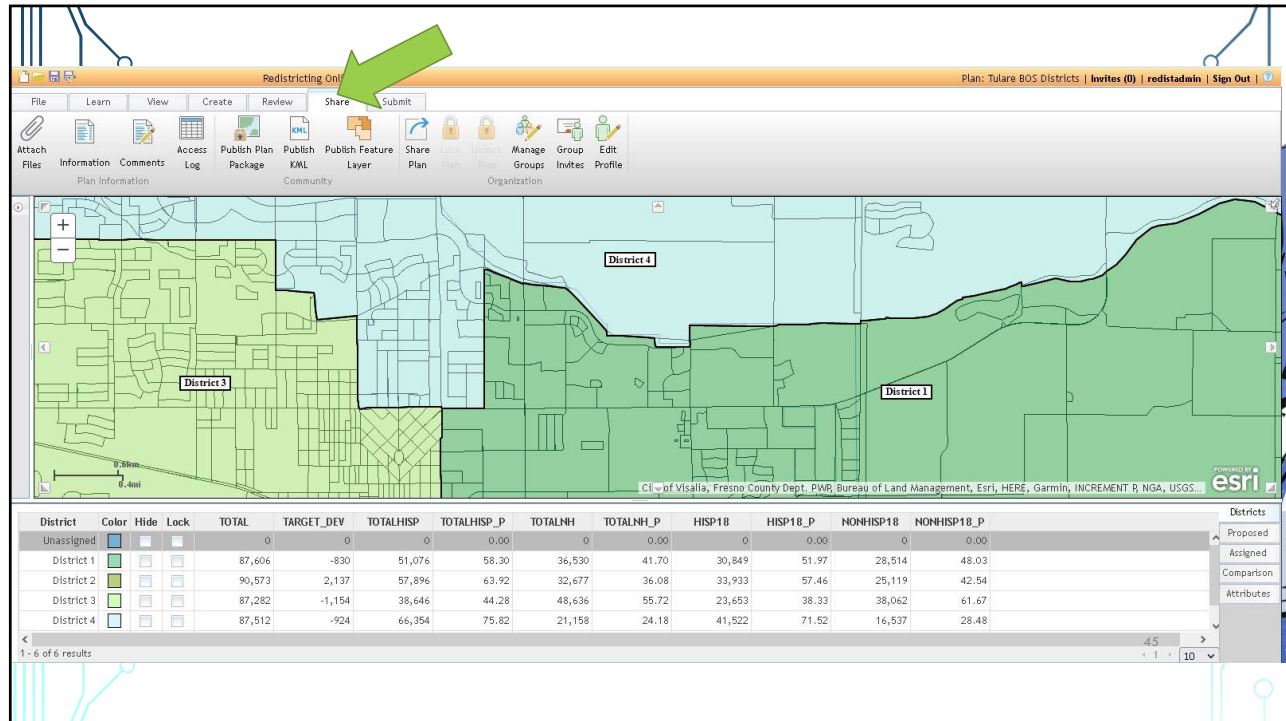


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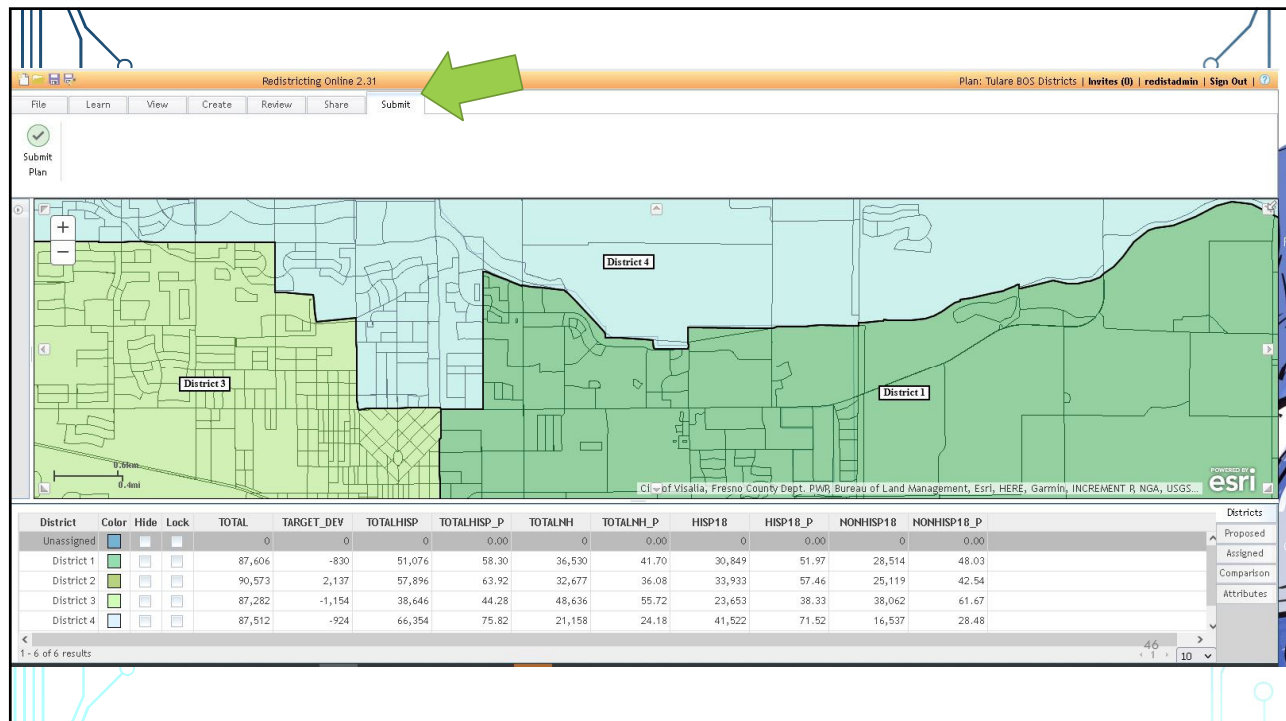


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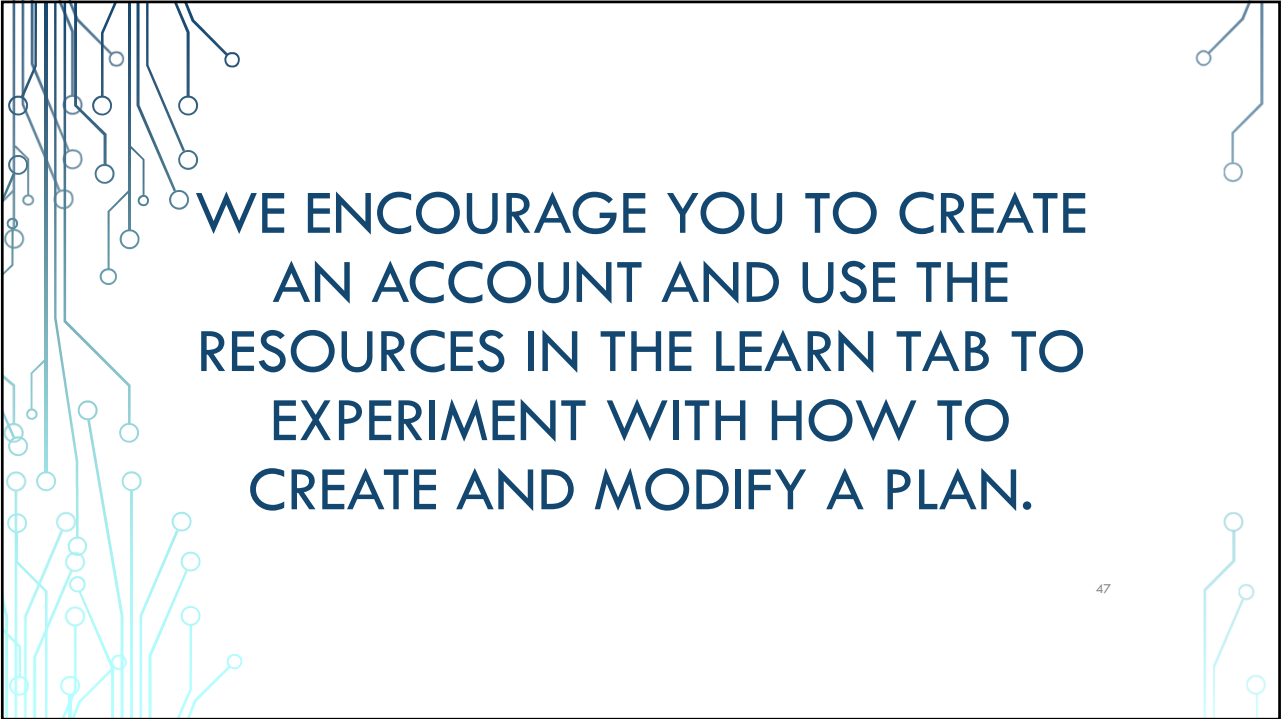




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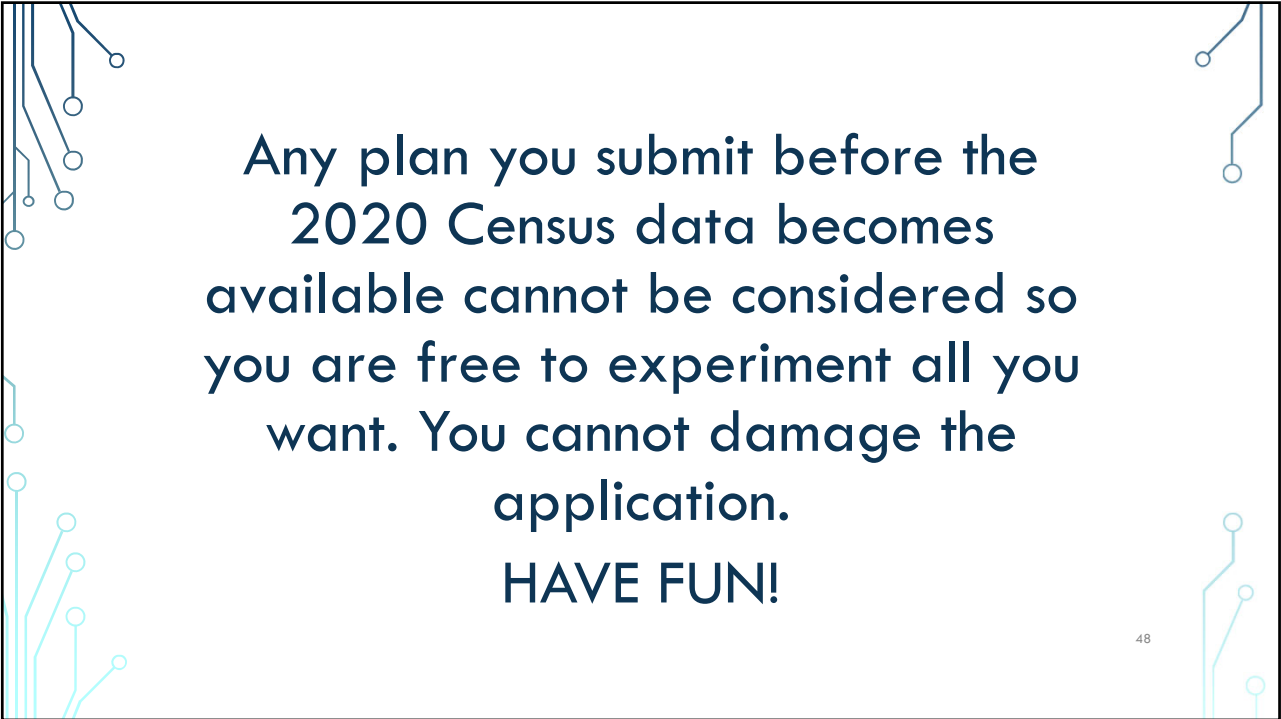
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WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO CREATE  
AN ACCOUNT AND USE THE  
RESOURCES IN THE LEARN TAB TO  
EXPERIMENT WITH HOW TO  
CREATE AND MODIFY A PLAN.

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Any plan you submit before the  
2020 Census data becomes  
available cannot be considered so  
you are free to experiment all you  
want. You cannot damage the  
application.  
HAVE FUN!

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 1. Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 2. International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 3. Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	District 4. Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
<b>YOU ARE HERE</b> August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Memorial Building, 35 N. Acacia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	TBD
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	TBD

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2021 Tulare County Supervisorial Redistricting.

### Redistricting Outreach Efforts

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals

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## 5. Informational Presentation Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break before hearing public comment.*

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## 5. Informational Presentation Public Comment Period

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## 6. Additional Redistricting Criteria Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors (Action)

### Staff Presentation

- Additional criteria to be considered in redistricting
  - Can only be considered after satisfying all mandatory criteria
  - Cannot conflict with mandatory criteria

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## 6. Additional Redistricting Criteria Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors (Action)

### Staff Presentation

- Political Parties – Cannot redistrict to favor/disfavor political parties
  - AB 849 (“Fair Maps Act”)
  - Elections Code 21500 (d) “The board shall not adopt supervisorial district boundaries for the purpose of favoring or discriminating against a political party.”

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## 6. Additional Redistricting Criteria Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors (Action)

### Staff Presentation

- Residence of Incumbents
  - None of the laws that apply to Tulare County redistricting (i.e., Voting Rights Act, Fair Maps Act) prohibit considering the location of incumbents’ residences.
  - Some counties have enacted laws to prohibit their redistricting commissions from considering the locations of incumbents’ residences
    - Los Angeles County [Elec. § 21534(b)]
    - San Diego County [Elec. § 21552(b)]
  - Considering incumbent residence location, at first glance, could be an appropriate additional criteria, but in practice could potentially be challenged as political gerrymandering (favoring/disfavoring political parties)

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## 6. Additional Criteria Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment on additional redistricting criteria to be recommended to the Board of Supervisors.*

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## 6. Additional Redistricting Criteria Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors (Action)

Commission Discussion & Action



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## 7. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters

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## 8. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

Upcoming meetings:

**Aug 26, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel Ave., Visalia, CA

**Sept 9, 2021, PUBLIC HEARING** at 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel Ave., Visalia, CA

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## 9. Evaluation

*Plus/Delta evaluation of tonight's meeting.*

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

MEETING IS ADJOURNED

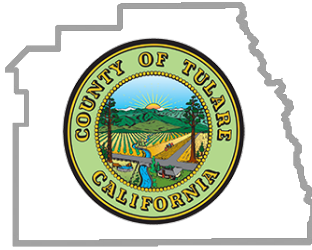


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RALPH DIAZ, DISTRICT 1  
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LIZBETH GOMEZ, AT-LARGE  
JOHN HOBBS, CHAIR, DISTRICT 2



SCOTT JAMES II, DISTRICT 5  
MARIE MACEDO, DISTRICT 2  
DARLENE MATA, VICE CHAIR, DISTRICT 3  
EDWARD MCKERVEY, DISTRICT 5  
LUIS SEPULVEDA, DISTRICT 3  
JOSE VERDUZCO, DISTRICT 4

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, August 26, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrel Ave.  
Visalia, CA 93291

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

### 2. Roll Call

### 3. General Public Comment

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### 4. Action and Discussion Items

#### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's August 12, 2021 meeting (Action)

### 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

Topics include:

- Supervisorial District Demographics in 2011;
- Preliminary Supervisorial District Demographics in 2021; and
- County Redistricting Timeline.

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break after the informational presentation, before hearing public comment.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the informational presentation. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on the presentations.*

### 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters

### 7. Future Items

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#### **Upcoming meetings:**

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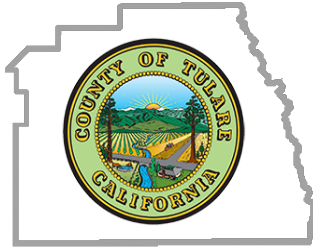
September 23, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA

### 8. Adjournment



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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, August 26, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrell Ave., Visalia, CA 93291

## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.

## 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

## 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: William Garfield; Luisa Quezada; Lori Pesante; Jesus Garcia; Martha Curiel; Omar Quezada; Elva Martinez; Gabriela Quezada; Ana Aguilera Oregon; Suzanne Aguilera Marrero; Angel Ruiz; Lucy Hernandez; Buddy Jones

**Public written comments:** Lori Pesante & Jesus Garcia submitted a proposed map

#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's August 12, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for August 12, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Diaz
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 8 – Yes; 3 - Absent

<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

Topics include: **Supervisory District Demographics in 2011; Preliminary Supervisory District Demographics in 2021; and County Redistricting Timeline.** County Staff provided an overview and update on items a-c.

**Commissioner Comments.** None.

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Virginia Gurrola; Vincent Salinas

**Public written comments:** Virginia Gurrola

#### 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. **Public Outreach Report** – Lucia Vasquez provided a report on public outreach efforts
- b. **Administrative Matters** – John Hess provided notice of the training for redistricting software
- c. **Clerk Matters** – None
- d. **Legal Matters** – None

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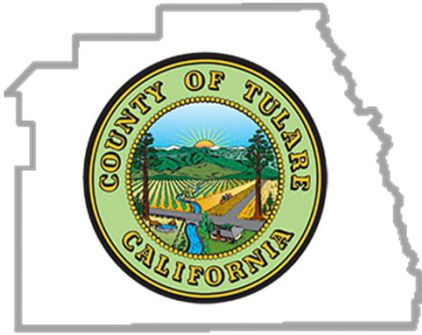
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#### 8. Adjournment: 7:49 p.m. Adjourned to September 9, 2021

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



August 26, 2021

Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrel Ave.  
Visalia, CA 93291

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco, District 1  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo, District 2     |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz, District 1    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata, District 3     |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George, District 4 | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervery, District 5 |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large   | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda, District 3   |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs, District 2    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco, District 4    |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James, District 5   |   |

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for  
the August 12, 2021  
meeting



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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

	2000 Census		2010 Census			2020 Census <i>not State adjusted</i>		
	Total Population		Total Population		% Change	Total Population		% Change
<b>Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>	<b>368,021</b>		<b>442,179</b>		<b>20%</b>	<b>473,117</b>		<b>7%</b>
White alone	213,751	58%	265,618	60%	24%	186,255	39%	-30%
Black or African American alone	5,852	2%	7,196	2%	23%	6,668	1%	-7%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	5,737	2%	6,993	2%	22%	10,645	2%	52%
Asian alone	12,018	3%	15,176	3%	26%	17,194	4%	13%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander al	408	0%	509	0%	25%	723	0%	42%
Some Other Race alone	113,317	31%	128,263	29%	13%	165,230	35%	29%
Two or More Races	16,938	5%	18,424	4%	9%	86,402	18%	369%
<b>Hispanic or Latino Origin</b>								
Hispanic or Latino	186,846	51%	268,065	61%	43%	309,895	65.5%	16%
Not Hispanic or Latino	181,175	49%	174,114	39%	-4%	163,222	34%	-6%
<b>Voting Age Population (VAP)</b>	<b>243,769</b>		<b>298,055</b>		<b>22%</b>	<b>331,093</b>		<b>70%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	109,083	45%	162,196	54%	49%	201,152	61%	24%
Not Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	134,686	55%	135,859	46%	1%	129,941	39%	-4%
<b>Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) - ACS Data</b>	<b>193,760</b>		<b>220,082</b>		<b>14%</b>	<b>256,925</b>		<b>54%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	64,220	33%	87,592	40%	36%	131,300	51%	50%
Not Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	129,540	67%	132,490	60%	2%	125,625	49%	-5%

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Supervisory District Demographics in 2011

2011 Data By Population			CRITERIA #1		
District	Total Population	Deviation from the mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Population	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop
1	88,536	100	0.11%	51,523	58%
2	89,593	1,157	1.31%	57,412	64%
3	87,282	-1,154	-1.30%	38,646	44%
4	87,562	-874	-0.99%	66,391	76%
5	89,206	770	0.87%	54,093	61%
SUM	442,179			268,065	61%
MEAN	88,436		2.61%	53,613	61%

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Supervisory District Demographics in 2011

2011 Data By Voting Age Population (18 years and over)

District	Total VAP	Deviation	% Deviation	VAP as % of Total Population	Hispanic VAP	% of Total Population	Hispanic VAP as a % of Total VAP
1	60,023	412	0.69%	68%	31,222	35%	52%
2	58,371	-1,240	-2.08%	65%	33,646	38%	58%
3	61,715	2,104	3.53%	71%	23,653	27%	38%
4	58,080	-1,531	-2.57%	66%	41,536	47%	72%
5	59,866	255	0.43%	67%	32,239	36%	54%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>298,055</b>			<b>67%</b>	<b>162,296</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>54%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>59,611</b>		<b>6.10%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>32,459</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>54%</b>

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Supervisory District Demographics in 2011

2011 Data By Citizen Voting Age Population

District	Total CVAP	Deviation	% Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Population	Hispanic CVAP	% of Total Population	CRITERIA #2 Hispanic CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	45,589	1,573	3.57%	51%	16,542	19%	36%
2	39,171	-4,845	-11.01%	44%	16,128	18%	41%
3	53,677	9,661	21.95%	61%	14,905	17%	28%
4	36,834	-7,182	-16.32%	42%	22,180	25%	60%
5	44,811	795	1.81%	50%	17,837	20%	40%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>220,082</b>			<b>50%</b>	<b>87,592</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>44,016</b>		<b>38.27%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>17,518</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>40%</b>

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Preliminary Supervisorial District Demographics in 2021

(not State-adjusted)

2021 Data By Population

District	Total Population	Deviation from the mean	CRITERIA #1	Hispanic Population	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop
			% Deviation		
1	92,221	-2,402	-2.54%	59,148	64%
2	97,949	3,326	3.51%	66,607	68%
3	97,594	2,971	3.14%	49,318	51%
4	91,749	-2,874	-3.04%	72,037	79%
5	93,604	-1,019	-1.08%	62,785	67%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>6.55%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Preliminary Supervisorial District Demographics in 2021

(not State-adjusted)

2021 Data By Voting Age Population (18 years and over)

District	Total VAP	Deviation	% Deviation	VAP as % of Total Population	Hispanic VAP	% of Total Population	Hispanic VAP as a % of Total VAP
1	65,437	-782	-1.18%	71%	38,672	42%	59%
2	67,234	1,015	1.53%	69%	42,591	43%	63%
3	70,886	4,667	7.05%	73%	32,266	33%	46%
4	62,828	-3,391	-5.12%	68%	47,497	52%	76%
5	64,708	-1,511	-2.28%	69%	40,126	43%	62%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>331,093</b>			<b>70%</b>	<b>201,152</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>61%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>66,219</b>		<b>12.17%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>40,230</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>61%</b>

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Preliminary Supervisorial District Demographics in 2021

(not State-adjusted)

District-specific citizen voting age population (CVAP) data coming soon

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis of 2021 preliminary, not State-adjusted data in current supervisorial districts
1. Population Equality	The 2020 Census data in current drawn districts reflects a 6.55% population deviation. This figure is within the constitutional threshold of 10%, but higher than the County's 2011 deviation of 2.61%
2. Legal Compliance	Federal Voting Rights Act Compliance: Because Tulare County has a large Hispanic or Latino minority population (65.5% of the total population in 2020), Hispanic Citizen Voting Age Population (H-CVAP) data is an essential measure of Federal Voting Rights Act compliance. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In 2011, the County drew one H-CVAP majority district - District 4, with 60% H-CVAP.</li> <li>H-CVAP has grown from 40% of total CVAP in 2011 to 51% of total CVAP in 2020.</li> <li>District-specific data coming soon.</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor currently together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen currently in District 4</li> <li>✗ Mountain community currently divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia currently not in the same district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Current districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1, 4, and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ Current district boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

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## 5. Informational Presentation Regarding 2011 and 2021 Redistricting Data.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	City of Porterville Council Chambers 291 N. Main Street, Porterville, CA
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	TBD
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	TBD

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 5. Informational Presentation Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break before hearing public comment.*

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## 5. Informational Presentation Public Comment Period

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## 6. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters

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## 7. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

Upcoming meetings:

**Sept 9, 2021, PUBLIC HEARING** at 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrell Ave., Visalia, CA

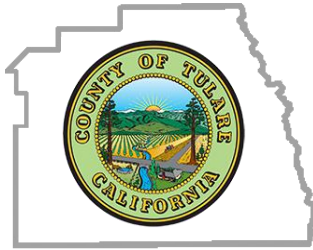
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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, September 9, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrel Ave.  
Visalia, CA 93291

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

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1. Call to Order & Flag Salute
2. Roll Call
3. General Public Comment

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#### **4. Action and Discussion Items**

##### **a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's August 26, 2021 meeting (Action)**

#### **5. Community Map Presentations**

*Community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps during this period. Maps presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time and will be considered at the following Commission meeting. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in presenting a map to the Commission at this time. **Please submit any map copies or supporting documentation to the Commission Secretary (Clerk of the Board)**. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

#### **6. PUBLIC HEARING to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.**

Topics include:

- Preliminary Supervisorial District Demographics in 2021;
- Communities of Interest;
- Staff analysis of community map proposals submitted prior to September 17; and
- County redistricting timeline.

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the presentation.*

**Public Testimony.** *The Commission will hear public testimony regarding the presentation or the composition of one or more supervisorial districts. A maximum of one (1) hour will be allotted to public testimony.*

**End Public Hearing.**

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break after the public hearing.*

#### **7. Determine if Supervisorial District Boundary Changes are Necessary. (Action)**

*Staff will provide a brief presentation regarding boundary change recommendations.*

*Commissioners will hear public comment regarding boundary changes.*

*Commissioners will discuss and vote to determine if boundary changes are necessary.*

**8. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. **Public Outreach Report**
- b. **Administrative Matters**
- c. **Clerk Matters**
- d. **Legal Matters**

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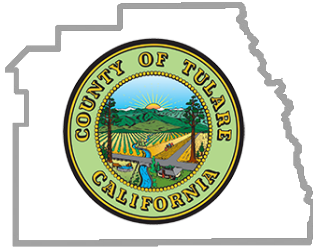
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**10. Adjournment**

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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, September 9, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2800 W. Burrell Ave.  
Visalia, CA 93291

## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.

## 2. Roll Call

Hilary Robello, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

## 3. General Public Comment

None.



#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's August 26, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for August 26, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 8 – Yes; 1 – Abstain - 2 - Absent

<b>Abstain</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Community Map Presentations

A motion was made to allow groups or individuals who have drafted a comprehensive plan that draws Supervisorial District boundaries covering the entire County be allowed up to 15 minutes, at the Chair's discretion, to present their proposed map to the Advisory Commission:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Gomez
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 7 – Yes; 2 – Abstain - 2 - Absent

<b>No</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Public written comments:** None

**Commissioner Comments:** James; Gomez; Mata; Macedo; Hobbs

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Margarite Melo, Lori Pesante, and Jesus Garcia submitted a map and presented as a group; Angel Ruiz

**6. PUBLIC HEARING to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.**

**Public Hearing Opened: 7:27 p.m.**

Topics include: **Preliminary Supervisorial District Demographics in 2021; Communities of Interest; Staff analysis of community map proposals submitted prior to September 17:** John Hess presented a PowerPoint presentation. Mr. Jesus Garcia (member of the public) responded to a question by Commissioner Hobbs.

**County redistricting timeline:** Lucia Vasquez provided an overview of the timeline.

**Commissioner Comments:** None

**Public Testimony:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Virginia Gurrola

**Public written comments:** Maggie Bloetscher

**End Public Hearing: 7:58 p.m.**

**10 minute Break.**

**7. Determine if Supervisorial District Boundary Changes are Necessary. (Action)**

A motion was made to recommend to the Board of Supervisors that Supervisorial District Boundary Changes are Necessary:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Mata
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 9 – Yes; 2 - Absent

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
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<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**8. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. **Public Outreach Report** – Lucia Vasquez provided a report on public outreach efforts
- b. **Administrative Matters** – John Hess provided notice that the Commission will initiate five draft maps for staff to analyze

- c. **Clerk Matters**– Hilary Robello announced that fliers with instructions on community map submission and review process are available in person or online
- d. **Legal Matters** – Jeff Kuhn provided legal opinions on Commissioner map submission do's and don'ts

## **9. Future Items**

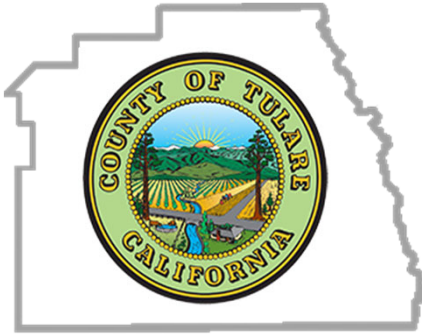
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## **10. Adjournment: 8:42 p.m. Adjourned to September 23, 2021**

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



September 9, 2021

Board of Supervisors Chambers  
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Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco, District 1  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo, District 2     |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz, District 1    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata, District 3     |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George, District 4 | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervery, District 5 |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large   | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda, District 3   |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs, District 2    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco, District 4    |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James, District 5   |   |

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the August 26, 2021 meeting



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## 5. Community Map Presentations

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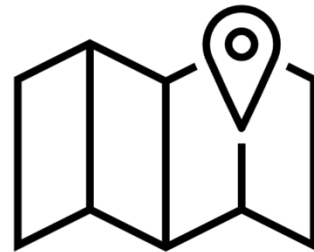
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## 6. PUBLIC HEARING

to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.

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## 6. Public hearing to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.

	2000 Census		2010 Census		% Change	2020 Census <i>not State adjusted</i>		% Change
	Total Population		Total Population			Total Population		
<b>Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>	<b>368,021</b>		<b>442,179</b>		<b>20%</b>	<b>473,117</b>		<b>7%</b>
White alone	213,751	58%	265,618	60%	24%	186,255	39%	-30%
Black or African American alone	5,852	2%	7,196	2%	23%	6,668	1%	-7%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	5,737	2%	6,993	2%	22%	10,645	2%	52%
Asian alone	12,018	3%	15,176	3%	26%	17,194	4%	13%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	408	0%	509	0%	25%	723	0%	42%
Some Other Race alone	113,317	31%	128,263	29%	13%	165,230	35%	29%
Two or More Races	16,938	5%	18,424	4%	9%	86,402	18%	369%
<b>Hispanic or Latino Origin</b>								
Hispanic or Latino	186,846	51%	268,065	61%	43%	309,895	65.5%	16%
Not Hispanic or Latino	181,175	49%	174,114	39%	-4%	163,222	34%	-6%
<b>Voting Age Population (VAP)</b>	<b>243,769</b>		<b>298,055</b>		<b>22%</b>	<b>331,093</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>11%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	109,083	45%	162,196	54%	49%	201,152	61%	24%
Not Hispanic or Latino Population 18+ years	134,686	55%	135,859	46%	1%	129,941	39%	-4%
<b>Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) - ACS Data</b>	<b>193,760</b>		<b>220,082</b>		<b>14%</b>	<b>256,925</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>17%</b>
Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	64,220	33%	87,592	40%	36%	131,300	51%	50%
Not Hispanic or Latino Citizens 18+ years	129,540	67%	132,490	60%	2%	125,625	49%	-5%

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## 6. Public hearing to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.

### Preliminary Supervisorial District Demographics in 2021 (not State-adjusted)

2021 Data By Population

District	Total Population	Deviation from the mean	CRITERIA #1	Hispanic Population	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop
			% Deviation		
1	92,197	-2,426	-2.56%	59,136	64%
2	97,971	3,348	3.54%	66,629	68%
3	97,528	2,905	3.07%	49,259	51%
4	91,815	-2,808	-2.97%	72,096	79%
5	93,606	-1,017	-1.08%	62,775	67%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>6.51%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>

2021 Data By Citizen Voting Age Population

District	Total CVAP	Deviation	% Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Population	Hispanic CVAP	% of Total Population	CRITERIA #2
							Hispanic CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	51,448	5	0.01%	56%	24,895	27%	48%
2	47,427	-4,016	-7.81%	48%	26,195	27%	55%
3	60,198	8,755	17.02%	62%	24,707	25%	41%
4	47,183	-4,260	-8.28%	51%	30,511	33%	65%
5	50,960	-483	-0.94%	54%	25,150	27%	49%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>257,216</b>			<b>54%</b>	<b>131,458</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>51%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>51,443</b>		<b>25.30%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>26,292</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>51%</b>

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## 6. Public hearing Staff analysis of preliminary data in current districts

Analysis of 2021 preliminary, not State-adjusted data in current supervisorial districts	
1. Population Equality	<p>The 2020 Census data in current drawn districts reflects a 6.51% population deviation. This figure is within the constitutional threshold of 10%, but higher than the County's 2011 deviation of 2.61%. An acceptable range for population equality would be 94,000 to 96,000 people per district.</p>
2. Legal Compliance	<p>Hispanic Citizen Voting Age Population (H-CVAP) data is an essential measure of Federal Voting Rights Act compliance in Tulare County.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In 2011, the County drew one H-CVAP majority district - District 4, with 60% H-CVAP.</li> <li>H-CVAP has grown from 40% of total CVAP in 2011 to 51% of total CVAP in 2020.</li> <li>Currently drawn districts now reflect H-CVAP majority in two districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 4 (65%) is 5% higher than in 2011, which may indicate lost electoral influence for the Hispanic community in this district.</li> <li>District 2 (55%) and District 1 (48%) or District 5 (49%) present an opportunity for a second and possibly third H-CVAP majority district.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Consider the influence of voter registration and turnout on CVAP.</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor currently together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen currently in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community currently divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia currently not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in one district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Current districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1, 4, and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ Current district boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Public hearing to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.

### Communities of Interest

The following communities have been brought to the Commission's attention this year:

1. Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville
2. West Goshen in District 4
3. Foothill-Mountain community in one district
4. Tulare and Visalia in one district
5. Tule River Tribe lands in one district

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## 6. Public hearing

Staff analysis of community maps submitted prior to Sept 17, 2021

COM-001 Equity Coalition Map, submitted 8/26/21

2021 Data By Population

District	Total Population	Deviation from the mean	CRITERIA #1	Hispanic Population	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop
			% Deviation		
1	94,622	-1	0.00%	66,123	70%
2	94,610	-13	-0.01%	71,418	75%
3	94,634	11	0.01%	42,097	44%
4	94,627	4	0.00%	72,559	77%
5	94,624	1	0.00%	57,698	61%
SUM	473,117			309,895	66%
MEAN	94,623		0.03%	61,979	66%

2021 Data By Citizen Voting Age Population

District	Total CVAP	Deviation	% Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Population	Hispanic CVAP	% of Total Population	CRITERIA #2
							Hispanic CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	49,828	-763	-0.30%	53%	29,019	31%	58%
2	43,326	-7,265	-2.87%	46%	27,697	29%	64%
3	58,448	7,857	3.11%	62%	20,662	22%	35%
4	48,840	-1,751	-0.69%	52%	30,919	33%	63%
5	52,514	1,923	0.76%	55%	22,982	24%	44%
SUM	252,956			53%	131,279	28%	52%
MEAN	50,591		5.98%	53%	26,256	28%	52%

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## 6. Public hearing

Staff analysis of community maps submitted prior to Sept 17, 2021

COM-001 Equity Coalition Map, submitted 8/26/21	
1. Population Equality	The proposed map reflects a 0.03% population deviation – within the constitutional threshold of 10%, and lower than the County's 2011 deviation of 2.61%
2. Legal Compliance	Hispanic Citizen Voting Age Population (H-CVAP) data is an essential measure of Federal Voting Rights Act compliance in Tulare County. The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in three districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 - 58%</li> <li>• District 2 - 64%</li> <li>• District 4 - 63%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>× Terra Bella and Ducor not together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>× Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>× Tule River Tribe lands not in the same district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>× Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>× Tulare is divided into two districts</li> <li>× Porterville is divided into three districts</li> <li>× Exeter is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Current districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ Current district boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Public hearing to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 6. Public hearing to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

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## 6. Public hearing to receive testimony regarding the composition of one or more supervisorial districts.

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	City of Porterville Council Chambers 291 N. Main Street, Porterville, CA
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 6. Public Hearing Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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## 6. Public Hearing - Public Testimony Period

*The Commission will hear public testimony regarding the presentation or the composition of one or more supervisorial districts*

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break.*

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## 7. Determine if Supervisorial District Boundary Changes are Necessary

Commission Discussion & Action



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## 7. Public Comment on Boundary Changes

*The Commission will hear public comment regarding the necessity of supervisorial district boundary changes.*

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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### a. Public Outreach Report

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals
- Media
- Social Media

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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### b. Administrative Matters

Drafting Commission Maps

- September 23 – Staff will request actionable direction from the Commission regarding five draft maps
- September 30 – Staff will present five draft maps to the Commission based on direction.

### c. Clerk Matters

Community map submission process.

### d. Legal Matters

Commissioner map submission dos and don'ts.

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## 9. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

Upcoming meetings:

**Sept 23, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA

**Sept 30, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA

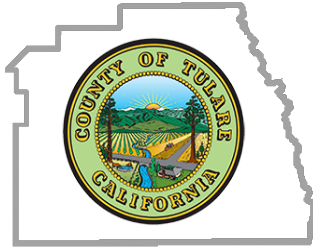
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JOSE VERDUZCO, DISTRICT 4

# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, September 23, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Lindsay Wellness Center  
860 Sequoia Ave.  
Lindsay, CA 93247

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

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## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

## 2. Roll Call

### 3. General Public Comment

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on **any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda**. Under state law, matters presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in addressing the Commission at this time. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for the General Public Comment Period. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

### 4. Action and Discussion Items

#### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's September 9, 2021 meeting (Action)

### 5. Community Map Presentations

*Community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps during this period. Maps presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time and will be considered at the following Commission meeting. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in presenting a map to the Commission at this time. **Please submit any map copies or supporting documentation to the Commission Secretary (Clerk of the Board)**. Presentations will be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to September 21

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the presentation.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the staff analysis. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on this item.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break.*

### 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps. (Action)

*Staff will facilitate a discussion regarding geographic and demographic elements to be included in five draft maps.*

*Commissioners will hear public comment regarding this item.*

*Commissioners will discuss and vote to direct staff to prepare five draft maps.*

### 8. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters

**9. Future Items**

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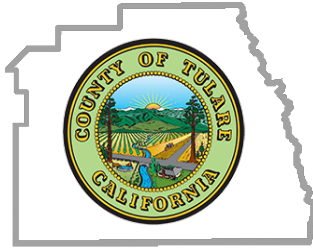
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October 7, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

**10. Adjournment**

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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

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Thursday, September 23, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Lindsay Wellness Center  
860 Sequoia Ave. Lindsay, CA 93247

## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

## 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Absent	Commissioner Edward McKervery
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

## 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** None

**Public written comments:** Clarence Conover; Christina Lynch; John Austin; Christian Lewis; Emi Rourke; Matt Goldsmith; Patty Dixon; Shannon Lewis; Delores Lucero; Geoffrey and Linda Goldsmith; Ken Greenspan; Shari Busek; Jason and Julie Hawes

#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's September 9, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for September 9, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Macedo
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner George
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 9 – Yes; 1 – Abstain - 1 - Absent

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Abstain</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Community Map Presentations

**Public speaker comments:** Kory Wells submitted a map and presented a PowerPoint; Karen Detaoli asked a follow up question to Mr. Wells presentation.

**Public written comments:** None

#### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to September 21

John Hess, Assistant CAO presented staff analysis of Equity Coalition Map (COM-001A) submitted on 09/09/2021

**Commissioner Comments:** Mata; Hobbs; James; Macedo

**Public Comment:** Angel Ruiz

**Break.** 7:32 p.m. – Return 7:40 p.m.

#### 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps. (Action)

John Hess, Assistant CAO, provided instructions to the Commission in preparing five draft maps to be considered at the next meeting

A motion was made to have staff draw maps that prioritize the drawing of the maximum number of effective majority minority districts possible, pursuant to our obligations under the Voting Right Act:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Verduzco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Failed</b> 3 – Yes; 7 – No; 1 - Absent

<b>No</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey



<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>No</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to adopt the protocols of the maps as described by the Commission during the meeting:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Gomez
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 - Absent

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Public speaker comments:** Maile Melkonion

**Public written comments:** None

#### 8. Commission Discussion Items

- a. **Public Outreach Report** - Lucia Vasquez provided a report on public outreach efforts
- b. **Administrative Matters** – None
- c. **Clerk Matters** - None
- d. **Legal Matters** - None

#### 9. Future Items

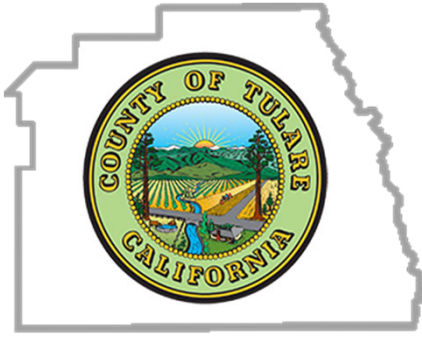
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October 7, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

#### 10. Adjournment: 9:00 p.m. Adjourned to September 30, 2021

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



September 23, 2021

Lindsay Wellness Center  
860 Sequoia Ave.  
Lindsay, CA

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco, District 1  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo, District 2     |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz, District 1    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata, District 3     |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George, District 4 | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervery, District 5 |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large   | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda, District 3   |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs, District 2    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco, District 4    |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James, District 5   |   |

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## 3. General Public Comment

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**03:00**

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the September 9, 2021 meeting



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## 5. Community Map Presentations

*During this period, community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps. Presentations will be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak*

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to September 2

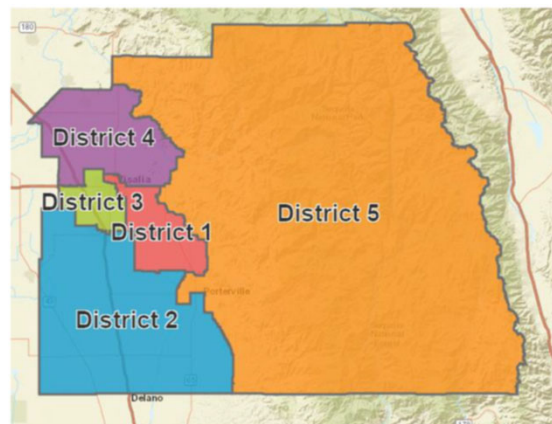
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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

Maggie Bloetscher clarified that her public comment, submitted via email on 8/29/2021 and read into the Commission meeting record on 9/9/2021, was in support of the initial COM-001 Equity Coalition Map, and not a new community map submission.

Staff analysis of COM-001 was presented to the Commission on 9/9/2021.

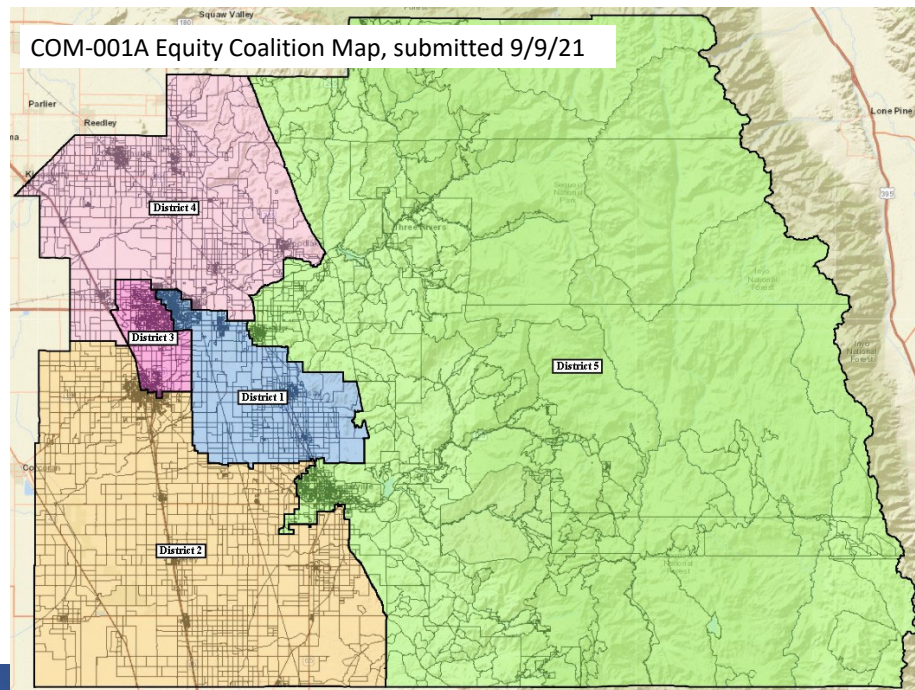


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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-001A Equity Coalition Map, submitted 9/9/21

2020 Census Data, not State-adjusted

District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	CRITERIA #1		Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	CRITERIA #2	
			% Deviation	Hispanic Pop						H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	94,624	1	0.00%	66,745	71%	51,700	257	55%	29,800	58%	
2	94,632	9	0.01%	71,114	75%	43,475	-7,968	46%	27,450	63%	
3	94,613	-10	-0.01%	41,676	44%	58,514	7,071	62%	20,176	34%	
4	94,653	30	0.03%	72,304	76%	49,699	-1,744	53%	30,979	62%	
5	94,595	-28	-0.03%	58,056	61%	53,828	2,385	57%	23,053	43%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>			<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>257,216</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>131,458</b>	<b>51%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>0.06%</b>	<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,443</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,292</b>	<b>51%</b>	

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-001A Equity Coalition Map, submitted 9/9/21

1. Population Equality	The proposed map reflects a 0.06% population deviation – within the constitutional threshold of 10%, and lower than the County's 2011 deviation of 2.61%	
2. Legal Compliance	<p>Hispanic Citizen Voting Age Population (H-CVAP) data is an essential measure of Federal Voting Rights Act compliance in Tulare County. The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in three districts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 - 58%</li> <li>• District 2 - 63%</li> <li>• District 4 - 62%</li> </ul>	
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous	
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducor not together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> <li>✗ Exeter is divided into two districts</li> </ul>	
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries	
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.	
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.	

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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment regarding this item.*

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break.*

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## 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps

1. Commissioners identify 5 to 10 geographic or demographic elements to include in draft maps.

*Examples:*

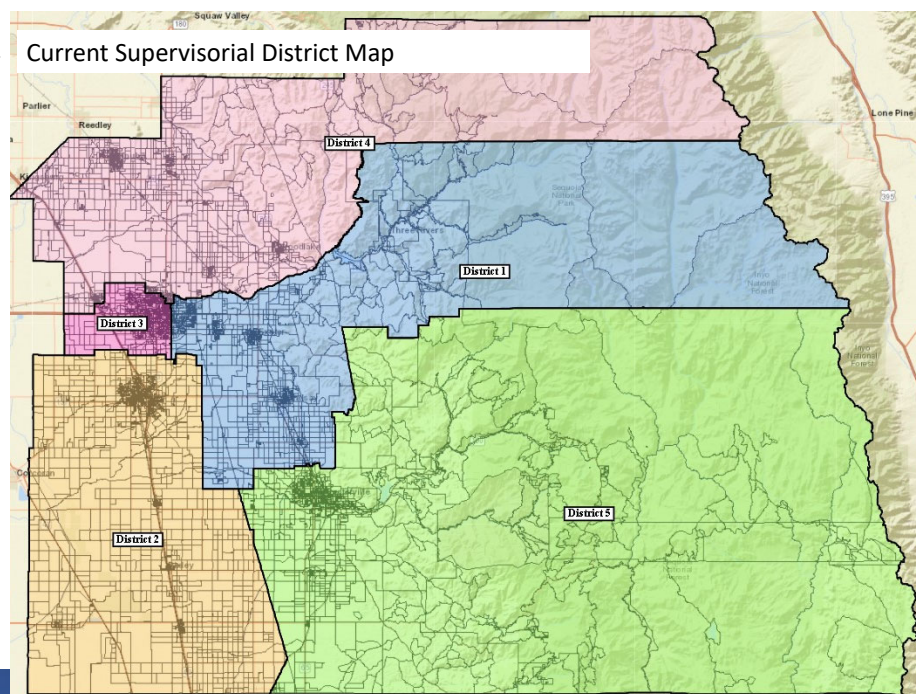
- A map that creates a mega-mountain district.
- A map that divides the mountains into no more than two districts.
- A map that preserves the integrity of as many communities of interest as possible.
- A map that preserves the integrity of cities and considers urban development boundaries.
- A map that divides Visalia into no more than two districts.
- A map that reduces population deviation to no more than 2%.
- A map that creates two 60% Hispanic CVAP majority districts.
- A map that creates three 60% Hispanic CVAP majority districts.

2. Staff lists each element on a white board for consideration.
3. Commission uses the listed elements to build five draft maps.
4. The Commission takes action to direct staff to draft the five maps for consideration at the next meeting.

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## 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps



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## 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps

### Criteria, in order of priority

1. Population Equality
2. Legal Compliance, Voting Rights Act
3. Contiguity
4. Community Integrity
5. City or CDP Integrity
6. Identifiable Boundaries
7. Compactness
8. No Political Parties

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## 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps

### Communities of Interest

The following communities have been brought to the Commission's attention this year:

1. Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville
2. West Goshen in District 4
3. Foothill-Mountain community in one district
4. Tulare and Visalia in one district
5. Tule River Tribe lands in one district
6. Porterville in District 5
7. Split Visalia between no more than two districts

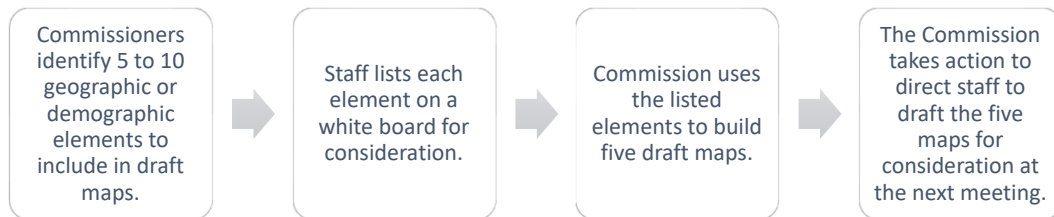
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## 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps

### Commission Discussion



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## 7. Public Comment on Five Draft Maps

*The Commission will hear public comment regarding the Commission's direction to staff to prepare five draft maps.*

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## 7. Direct Staff to Prepare Five Draft Maps

### Commission Action

*Direct staff to prepare five draft maps for Commission consideration at the September 30 meeting.*



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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### a. Public Outreach Report

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals
- Media
- Social Media

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	City of Porterville Council Chambers 291 N. Main Street, Porterville, CA
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### b. Administrative Matters

#### Drafting Commission Maps

- September 30 – Staff will present five draft maps to the Commission based on direction, and receive direction regarding changes.
- October 7 – Staff will request that the Commission eliminate one draft map, and receive direction regarding changes to the remaining four maps.

### c. Clerk Matters

### d. Legal Matters

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## 9. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

Upcoming meetings:

**Sept 30, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA

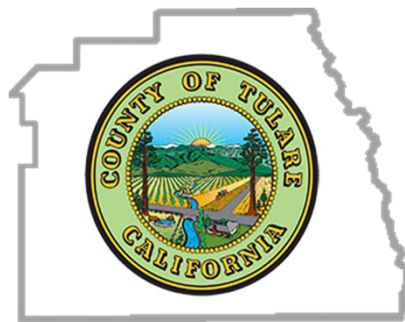
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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

**MEETING IS ADJOURNED**



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## COMMISSIONERS

RODNEY BLACO, DISTRICT 1  
RALPH DIAZ, DISTRICT 1  
ALBERT GEORGE, DISTRICT 4  
LIZBETH GOMEZ, AT-LARGE  
JOHN HOBBS, CHAIR, DISTRICT 2



SCOTT JAMES II, DISTRICT 5  
MARIE MACEDO, DISTRICT 2  
DARLENE MATA, VICE CHAIR, DISTRICT 3  
EDWARD MCKERVEY, DISTRICT 5  
LUIS SEPULVEDA, DISTRICT 3  
JOSE VERDUZCO, DISTRICT 4

# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, September 30, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
South Tulare County Memorial Building  
712 E. Washington  
Earlimart, CA 93219

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

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## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

## 2. Roll Call

### 3. General Public Comment

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### 4. Action and Discussion Items

#### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's September 23, 2021 meeting (Action)

### 5. Community Map Presentations

*Community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps during this period. Maps presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time and will be considered at the following Commission meeting. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in presenting a map to the Commission at this time. **Please submit any map copies or supporting documentation to the Commission Secretary (Clerk of the Board)**. Presentations will be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to September 28

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the presentation.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the staff analysis. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on this item.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break.*

### 7. Commission Map Review and Direction to Staff. (Action)

*Staff will present the five Commission maps created with direction from the 9/23 meeting.*

*Commissioners will discuss the maps.*

*Commissioners will hear public comment regarding the maps.*

*Commissioners will discuss and vote to direct staff to modify maps for consideration at the next meeting.*

### 8. Commission Discussion Items

- a. Public Outreach Report
- b. Administrative Matters
- c. Clerk Matters
- d. Legal Matters

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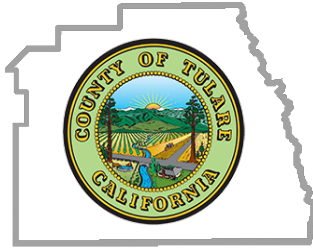
October 7, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

October 14, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia St., Woodlake, CA

## **10. Adjournment**

## COMMISSIONERS

RODNEY BLACO, DISTRICT 1  
RALPH DIAZ, DISTRICT 1  
ALBERT GEORGE, DISTRICT 4  
LIZBETH GOMEZ, AT-LARGE  
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JOSE VERDUZCO, DISTRICT 4

# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, September 30, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
South Tulare County Memorial Building  
712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA 93219

## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m.

## 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco (via Zoom)	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata (via Zoom)
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKervery (via Zoom)
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez (via Zoom @ 7:31 p.m.)	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco (via Zoom)
Yes	Commissioner Scott James (via Zoom)		

## 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Maggie Bloetscher; Mercy Herrera

**Public written comments:** Anthony Ferranti

#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's September 23, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for September 23, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Diaz
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Macedo
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 - Absent

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Absent</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Community Map Presentations

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Lori Pesante and Jesus Garcia, Dolores Huerta Foundation, submitted an updated map to the Equitable Map Coalition; Donna Mekeel, League of Women Voters of Tulare County; Angel Ruiz; Alex Gutierrez; Sarah Ramirez; [SPANISH TRANSLATOR]; Luisa Quezada; Anamaria Aguilera; Jesus Aguilera; Lucy Hernandez

**Public written comments:** None

**Break. 7:48 p.m.**

#### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to September 28

John Hess, Assistant CAO presented staff analysis of Wells Map (COM-002) and Verduzco Map (COM-003) submitted on 9/23/2021

**Commissioner Comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Diaz; Hobbs; James; Sepulveda; Macedo; Verduzco; George

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Jesus Garcia; Mercy Herrera; Lori Pesante; Kori Wells; Dale Simmons

**Break. 8:52 p.m.**



## 7. Commission Map Review and Direction to Staff. (Action)

John Hess, Assistant CAO presented five Commission maps created with direction from the 9/23/21 meeting

A motion was made to select the Tulare County Equitable Map Coalition Map as one of the Commission Recommended maps submitted to the Board of Supervisors:

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Gomez
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 7 – Yes; 4 - No

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>No</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to direct staff to return with variations to Commissioner maps to include Community of Interest stated by members of the public:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	No Second
Outcome:	<b>Motion Failed due to lack of Second</b>

A motion was made by Commissioner James to direct staff to make changes to the Commission maps per the testimony by the public. Commissioner James withdrew his motion

A motion was made to Amend **Map 1** to correct the communities of Poplar and Woodlake and make them whole:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Balco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to Amend **Map 2** to correct the communities of Poplar, Richgrove and Woodlake and make them whole:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Diaz
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to Amend **Map 3** to correct the contiguity issue between Districts 2 and 5 and make Tipton, Poplar, Richgrove whole:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Diaz
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to deny and discard **Map 4**:

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner McKerverey
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to create another similar map to Map 3 that includes at least two mountain districts and return to Commission:

Motion Made:	Commissioner McKervey
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Diaz
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 – No

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to Amend **Map 5** to look at the communities of Ducor and Terra Bella and see if we can incorporate them in District 5 and correct Tipton to see how far we deviate:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to create an additional Map that splits Tulare to keep unincorporated areas in one District:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Gomez
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Commissioner Comments:** ALL

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Sarah Ramirez; Amy Arambula; Lucia Vazquez

**8. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. **Public Outreach Report** – Lucia Vasquez provided a report on public outreach efforts
- b. **Administrative Matters** – John Hess introduced discussion on Brown Act regarding remote access
- c. **Clerk Matters** – None
- d. **Legal Matters** – Jeff Kuhn discussed and provided recommendations on Brown Act accommodations regarding remote access to meetings

**9. Future Items**

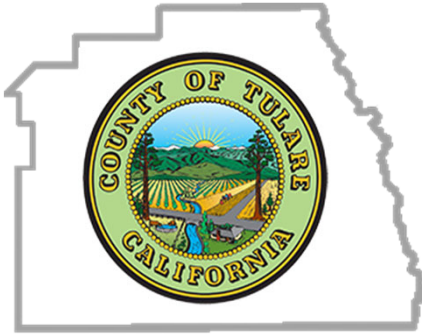
**Upcoming meetings:**

October 7, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

October 14, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia St., Woodlake, CA

**10. Adjournment – 10:50 p.m. Adjourned to October 7, 2021**

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



September 30, 2021

South Tulare County Memorial Building  
712 E. Washington  
Earlimart, CA 93219

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco, District 1  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo, District 2     |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz, District 1    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata, District 3     |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George, District 4 | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervery, District 5 |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large   | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda, District 3   |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs, District 2    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco, District 4    |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James, District 5   |   |

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## 3. General Public Comment

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda.*

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for this matter. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the September 23, 2021 meeting



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## 5. Community Map Presentations

*During this period, community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps. Presentations will be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak*

*In Person – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record. Please submit any map copies or supporting documentation to the Commission Secretary (Clerk of the Board).*

*Via Zoom - To make a public comment during the meeting:*

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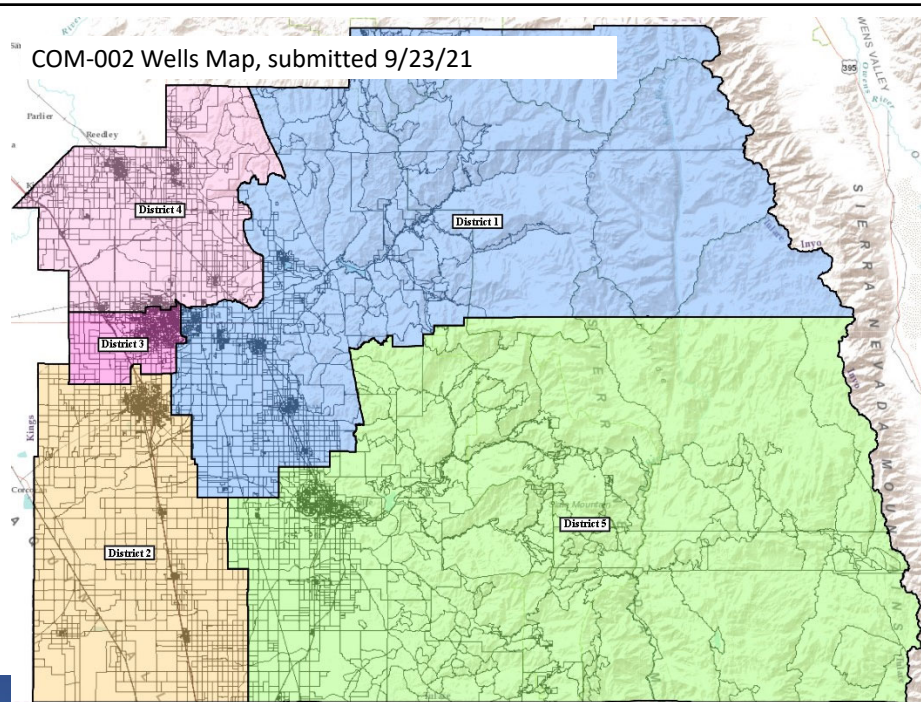
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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to September 2

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-002 Wells Map, submitted 9/23/21

2020 Census Data, not State-adjusted

District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	CRITERIA #1		Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	CRITERIA #2	
			% Deviation								H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	94,631	8	0.01%		62,412	66%	53,150	1,707	56%	26,817	50.5%	
2	94,622	-1	0.00%		64,722	68%	44,768	-6,675	47%	25,021	55.9%	
3	94,668	45	0.05%		49,603	52%	59,014	7,571	62%	24,663	41.8%	
4	94,592	-31	-0.03%		69,637	74%	48,753	-2,690	52%	29,503	60.5%	
5	94,604	-19	-0.02%		63,521	67%	51,531	88	54%	25,454	49.4%	
<b>SUM</b>	<b>473,117</b>				<b>309,895</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>257,216</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>131,458</b>	<b>51.1%</b>	
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>94,623</b>		<b>0.08%</b>		<b>61,979</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,443</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,292</b>	<b>51.1%</b>	

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

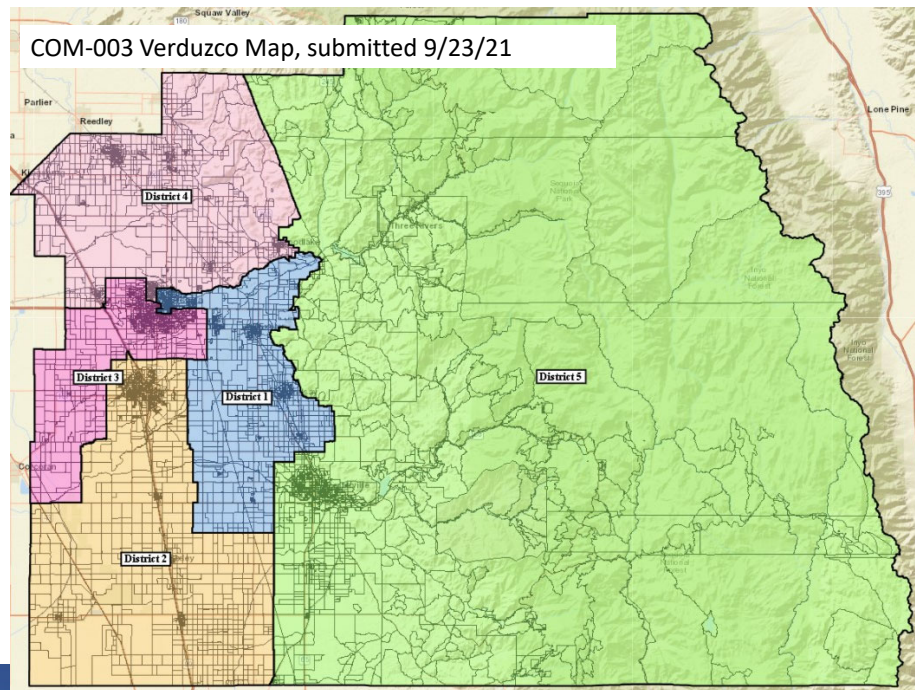
COM-002 Wells Map, submitted 9/23/21

1. Population Equality	The proposed map reflects a 0.08% population deviation – within the constitutional threshold of 10%, and lower than the County's 2011 deviation of 2.61%	
2. Legal Compliance	Hispanic Citizen Voting Age Population (H-CVAP) data is an essential measure of Federal Voting Rights Act compliance in Tulare County. The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in two districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>• District 4 – 60.5%</li> </ul>	
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous	
4. Community Integrity	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district	✓ Porterville in District 5 ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size	
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries	
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.	
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.	

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-003 Verduzco Map, submitted 9/23/21

2020 Census Data, not State-adjusted

District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	CRITERIA #1			Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	CRITERIA #2	
			% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop					H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	98,076	3,453	3.65%	70,309	72%	52,894	1,451	54%	30,673	58.0%	
2	94,341	-282	-0.30%	64,455	68%	45,163	-6,280	48%	25,178	55.7%	
3	92,943	-1,680	-1.78%	42,333	46%	58,476	7,033	63%	20,630	35.3%	
4	92,508	-2,115	-2.24%	70,968	77%	47,593	-3,850	51%	30,008	63.1%	
5	95,249	626	0.66%	61,830	65%	53,090	1,647	56%	24,969	47.0%	
SUM	473,117			309,895	66%	257,216		54%	131,458	51.1%	
MEAN	94,623		5.88%	61,979	66%	51,443		54%	26,292	51.1%	

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-003 Verduzco Map, submitted 9/23/21

1. Population Equality	The proposed map reflects a 5.88% population deviation – within the constitutional threshold of 10%, but higher than the County's 2011 deviation of 2.61%	
2. Legal Compliance	Hispanic Citizen Voting Age Population (H-CVAP) data is an essential measure of Federal Voting Rights Act compliance in Tulare County. The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in three districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 58.0%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.1%</li> </ul>	
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous	
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size	
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries	
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from north to south.	
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.	

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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment regarding this item.*

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break.*

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## 7. Commission Map Review

Commission maps will be presented and discussed as follows:



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## 7. Commission Map Review

### MAP & ANALYSIS ARC-001, Map 1

	Commission Direction	
1. Population Equality		Population Deviation – 2.78%
2. Legal Compliance	3 Majority H-CVAP districts	H-CVAP Majority Districts: • District 1 – 55.5% • District 2 – 55.6% • District 4 – 62.7%
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mountains in one district</li> <li>Reduce carving of District 4 foothill communities</li> <li>Tribal lands in one district</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	• Tulare in one district	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### MAP & ANALYSIS ARC-002, Map 2

	Commission Direction	
1. Population Equality		Population Deviation – 2.94%
2. Legal Compliance	4 Majority H-CVAP districts	H-CVAP Majority Districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 52.1%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.6%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.4%</li> <li>• District 5 – 47.4% (close, but not a majority)</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mountains in one district</li> <li>• Keep communities of interest intact</li> <li>• Tribal lands in one district</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	• Porterville in one district	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### MAP & ANALYSIS ARC-003, Map 3

	Commission Direction	
1. Population Equality		Population Deviation – 1.89%
2. Legal Compliance	3 Majority H-CVAP districts	H-CVAP Majority Districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 58.2%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>• District 4 – 59.1%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mountains in two districts</li> <li>• Minimize splitting of foothill communities</li> <li>• Tribal lands in one district</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	• Tulare in one district	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### MAP & ANALYSIS ARC-004, Map 4

	Commission Direction	
1. Population Equality		Population Deviation – 2.75%
2. Legal Compliance	4 Majority H-CVAP districts	H-CVAP Majority Districts: • District 1 – 55.3% • District 2 – 56.0% • District 4 – 59.1% • District 5 – 51.9%
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	• Mountains in two districts • Minimize splitting of foothill communities • Tribal lands in one district	✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 × Foothill-Mountain community not in one district × Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 × Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity	• Porterville in one district	× Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### MAP & ANALYSIS ARC-005, Map 5

	Commission Direction	
1. Population Equality		Population Deviation – 1.58%
2. Legal Compliance		H-CVAP Majority Districts: • District 1 – 60.1% • District 2 – 55.1% • District 4 – 62.9%
3. Contiguity		✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity		× Terra Bella and Ducor not together with City of Porterville ✓ West Goshen in District 4 ✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district × Tulare and Visalia not in the same district ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district ✓ Porterville in District 5 × Visalia divided into more than two districts
5. City or CDP Integrity		× Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries		✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness		Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties		✓ District boundaries do not favor or discriminate against any political party

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### COMMENTS ARC-001, Map 1

#### 1. Commissioner Comment Period

#### 2. Public Comment Period

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### COMMENTS ARC-002, Map 2

#### 1. Commissioner Comment Period

#### 2. Public Comment Period

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### COMMENTS ARC-003, Map 3

#### 1. Commissioner Comment Period

#### 2. Public Comment Period

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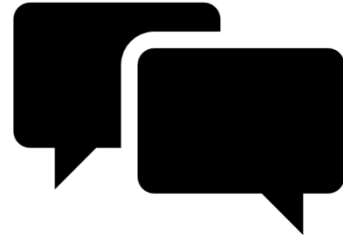
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### COMMENTS ARC-004, Map 4

#### 1. Commissioner Comment Period

#### 2. Public Comment Period

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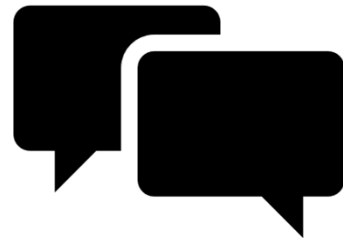
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### COMMENTS ARC-005, Map 5

#### 1. Commissioner Comment Period

#### 2. Public Comment Period

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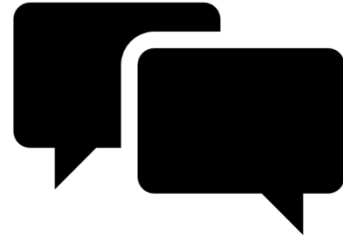
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### ACTION ARC-001, Map 1

*Direct staff to modify ARC-001 for consideration at the October 7 meeting.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-002, Map 2

*Direct staff to modify ARC-002 for consideration at the October 7 meeting.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-003, Map 3

*Direct staff to modify ARC-003 for consideration at the October 7 meeting.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

**ACTION** ARC-004, Map 4

*Direct staff to modify ARC-004 for consideration at the October 7 meeting.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

**ACTION** ARC-005, Map 5

*Direct staff to modify ARC-005 for consideration at the October 7 meeting.*



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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### a. Public Outreach Report

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals
- Media
- Social Media

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisory boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA



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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	City of Porterville Council Chambers 291 N. Main Street, Porterville, CA
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisory district boundaries

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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### b. Administrative Matters

#### Drafting Commission Maps

- October 7 – Staff will request that the Commission eliminate one draft map, and receive direction regarding changes to the remaining four maps.
- October 14 – Staff will request that the Commission eliminate one draft map, and receive direction regarding changes to the remaining three maps.

### c. Clerk Matters

### d. Legal Matters

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## 9. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

#### Upcoming meetings:

**October 7, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

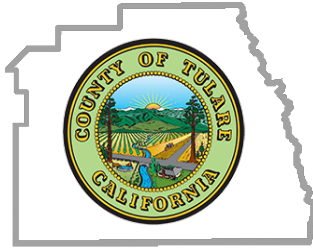
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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, October 7, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Visalia Veterans Memorial  
609 W Center Ave  
Visalia, CA

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

### 2. Roll Call

### 3. General Public Comment

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### 4. Action and Discussion Items

- a. **Approval of Minutes of the Commission's September 30, 2021 meeting (Action)**
- b. **Staff Request for Final Report Transmittal Letter**

### 5. Community Map Presentations

*Community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps during this period. Maps presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time and will be considered at the following Commission meeting. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in presenting a map to the Commission at this time. **Please submit any map copies or supporting documentation to the Commission Secretary (Clerk of the Board)**. Presentations will be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 5, 2021

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the presentation.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the staff analysis. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on this item.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break.*

### 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review and Direction to Staff. (Action)

- a. *Opening Comments*
  - i. *Commission Purpose*
  - ii. *District Effectiveness*
  - iii. *Map Findings*
  - iv. *Process Outline*
- b. *Staff will present the six Commission maps created with direction from the 9/30 meeting.*
- c. *Commissioners will form three working groups, each of which will discuss the merits and inadequacies of two of the six Commission maps*



- d. Each working group will present which of the two maps they would recommend keeping and which to eliminate and why.*
- e. Commissioners will hear public comment regarding the maps.*
- f. Commissioners will vote on each map to direct staff to*
  - i. Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.*
  - ii. Move the map forward with modifications for consideration at the next meeting.*
  - iii. Eliminate the map.*

**8. Commission Discussion Items**

- a. Public Outreach Report**
- b. Administrative Matters**
- c. Clerk Matters**
- d. Legal Matters**

**9. Future Items**

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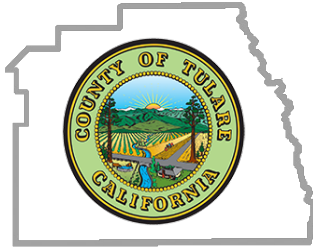
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**10. Adjournment**

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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

MEETING POSTED ON YOUTUBE:

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Thursday, October 7, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Visalia Veterans Memorial  
609 W Center Ave, Visalia, CA

## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:38 p.m.

## 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

## 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Suzanna Aguilera Marrero; Rachel Reyna-Reigns; Patrick Isherwood;

**Public written comments:**

#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's September 30, 2021 meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for September 30, 2021:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Blaco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

##### b. Staff Request for Final Report Transmittal Letter

A motion was made to have Chair Hobbs and Vice Chair Mata to prepare a Final Report Transmittal Letter to be submitted to the Board of Supervisors:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner McKervey
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Community Map Presentations

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Brett Taylor; Steve Kindschuh; Jasmine Gutierrez

**Public written comments:** None

#### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 5, 2021

John Hess, Assistant CAO presented staff analysis of Equity Coalition Map (COM-001B); Taylor Map (COM-004) and Kindschuh Map (COM-005) submitted prior to October 5, 2021.

**Commissioner Comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Diaz; James; Gomez; Hobbs; Macedo;

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Angel Ruiz; Omar; Larry Riddick; Alma Serrano; Suzanna Aguilera Marrero; Deene Souza; Kory Wells; Rachel Reyna Reigns; Lucy Hernandez; Maile Melkonion;

A motion was made to include 28 separate comments into the record regarding public comments in favor of the Equity Coalition Map.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner George
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Break. 8:04 p.m.**

## **7. Commission Workgroup Map Review and Direction to Staff. (Action)**

John Hess, Assistant CAO lead the Commission Workgroup Map Review.

A motion was made to approve the following Findings for the Tulare County Equitable Map Coalition:

- The map is in compliance with three districts of H-CVAP majority;
- Takes into consideration the community input that the Commission received regarding the single mountain district;
- Splits the City of Tulare into two different districts, which, while not the preference of all Commissioners, reflects the voices we heard in the community and provides a diversity in maps recommended to the Board of Supervisors;
- Fair distribution of population, to date had the most impressive population deviation;
- Strongest number for H-CVAP majorities through the districts;
- Most inclusive support by community members and most significant public turnout at meetings;
- Terra Bella, Ducor, and Poplar communities have more in common with City of Porterville than City of Tulare with specific regard to where individuals go to school and shop;

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
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<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to move ARC-001A map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 - No

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Maile Melkonion;

A motion was made to move map ARC-002A forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
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<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Maile Melkonion;



A motion was made to move map ARC-003A forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner McKervery
Outcome:	<b>Motion Failed</b> 5 – Yes; 4 – No; 2 - Abstain

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervery
<b>Abstain</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Abstain</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>No</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to eliminate map ARC-003A.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Verduzco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Failed</b> 3 – Yes; 5 – No; 3 - Abstain

<b>No</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
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<b>No</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Abstain</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to eliminate map ARC-005A, ARC-006 and ARC-007.

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Mata
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

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<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to move map ARC-003A forward with at least 60% H-CVAP in two districts

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
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<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

## 8. Commission Discussion Items

- a. **Public Outreach Report** - Lucia Vasquez provided a report on public outreach efforts
- b. **Administrative Matters** – John Hess provided a review of upcoming meetings
- c. **Clerk Matters** - None
- d. **Legal Matters** - None

## 9. Future Items

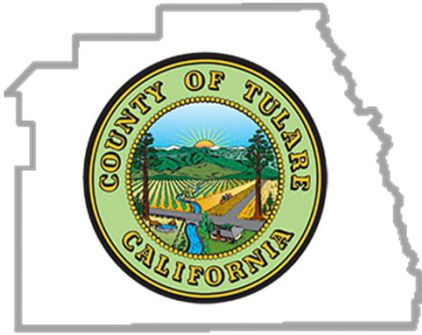
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## 10. Adjournment – 9:55 p.m. Adjourned to October 14, 2021

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



October 7, 2021

Visalia Veterans Memorial Building  
609 W. Center Ave.  
Visalia, CA

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco, District 1  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo, District 2     |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz, District 1    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata, District 3     |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George, District 4 | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervery, District 5 |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large   | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda, District 3   |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs, District 2    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco, District 4    |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James, District 5   |   |

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**03:00**

**06:00**

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the September 30, 2021 meeting

4b. Staff Request for Final Report Transmittal Letter



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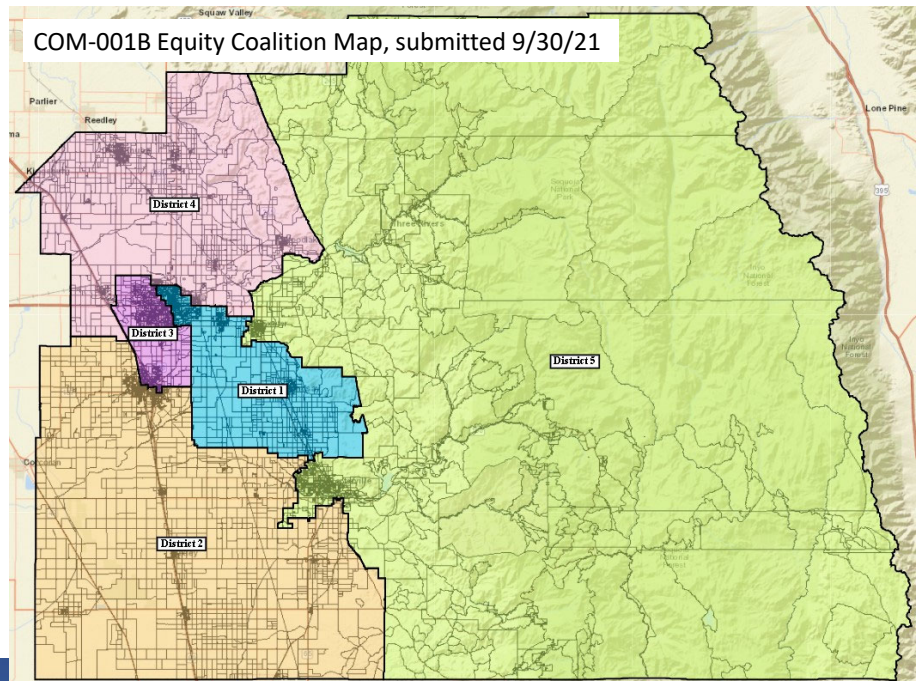


## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 5

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-001B Equity Coalition Map, submitted 9/30/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-001B			CRITERIA #1								CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP		
1	95,022	11	0.01%	67,093	71%	50,961	-812	54%	29,419	57.7%		
2	95,022	11	0.01%	71,380	75%	44,022	-7,751	46%	27,838	63.2%		
3	94,992	-19	-0.02%	41,874	44%	59,655	7,882	63%	20,861	35.0%		
4	95,070	59	0.06%	72,634	76%	50,012	-1,761	53%	31,223	62.4%		
5	94,950	-61	-0.06%	58,305	61%	54,216	2,443	57%	23,347	43.1%		
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>		
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.13%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>		

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

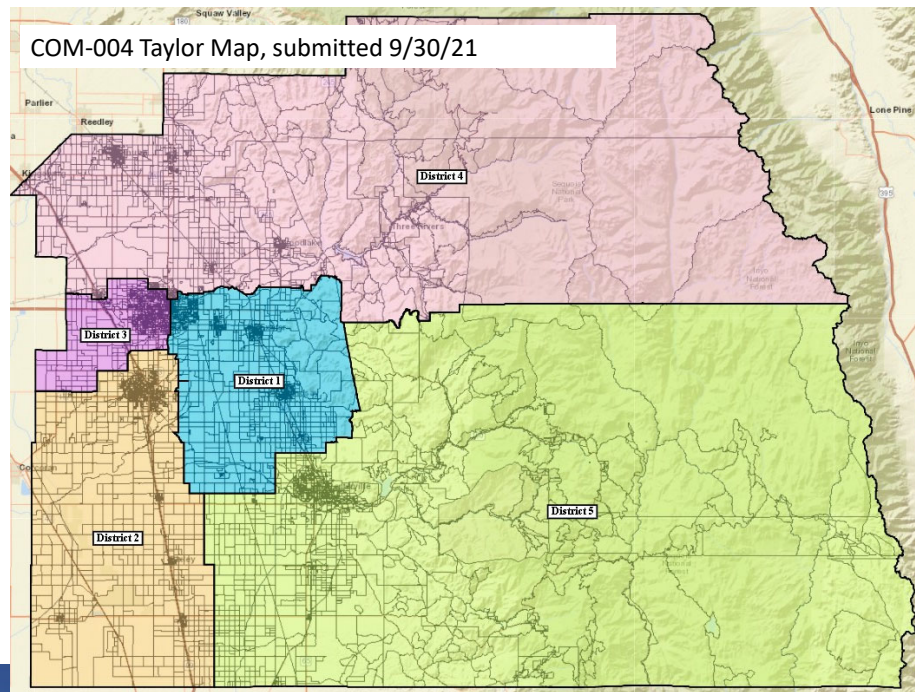
COM-001B Equity Coalition Map, submitted 9/30/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.13% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 57.7%</li> <li>District 2 – 63.2%</li> <li>District 4 – 62.4%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous</li> <li>✗ Terra Bella and Ducornot together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided into two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-004 Taylor Map, submitted 9/30/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-004			CRITERIA #1									CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP			
1	94,351	-660	-0.69%	61,437	65%	52,379	606	56%	25,814	49.3%			
2	95,376	365	0.38%	65,153	68%	46,268	-5,505	49%	25,751	55.7%			
3	94,978	-33	-0.03%	47,831	50%	58,258	6,485	61%	23,979	41.2%			
4	95,052	41	0.04%	72,860	77%	49,929	-1,844	53%	31,274	62.6%			
5	95,299	288	0.30%	64,005	67%	52,032	259	55%	25,870	49.7%			
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%			
MEAN	95,011		1.08%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%			

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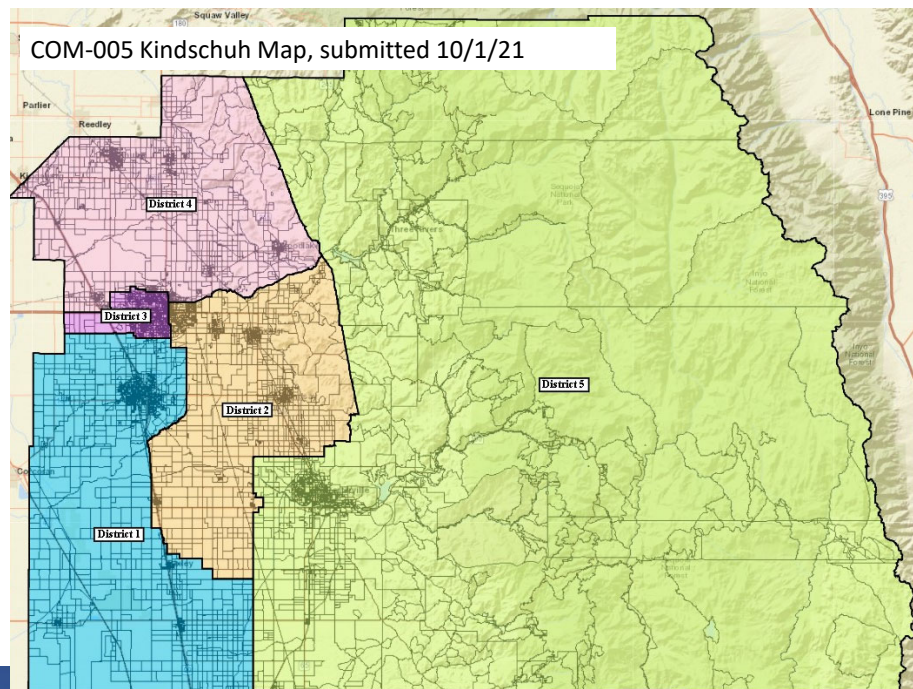
COM-004 Taylor Map, submitted 9/30/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	1.08% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.6%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✗ West Goshen not fully in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ West Goshen divided between District 4 and District 3</li> <li>✗ Goshen divided between District 4 and District 3</li> <li>✗ East Tulare Villa divided between District 2 and District 1</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center divided between District 5 and District 1</li> <li>✗ Lemon Cove divided between District 1 and District 4</li> <li>✗ Lindcove divided between District 1 and District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-005 Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/1/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-005			CRITERIA #1								CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as a % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP		
1	95,001	-10	-0.01%	63,713	67%	46,892	-4,881	49%	25,478	54.3%		
2	94,987	-24	-0.03%	63,165	66%	51,797	24	55%	26,225	50.6%		
3	95,155	144	0.15%	48,596	51%	58,293	6,520	61%	24,393	41.8%		
4	94,955	-56	-0.06%	73,669	78%	49,014	-2,759	52%	31,381	64.0%		
5	94,958	-53	-0.06%	62,143	65%	52,870	1,097	56%	25,211	47.7%		
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>		
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.21%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>		

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-005 Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/1/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
<b>1. Population Equality</b>	0.21% population deviation
<b>2. Legal Compliance</b>	The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 54.3%</li> <li>District 4 – 64.0%</li> </ul>
<b>3. Contiguity</b>	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
<b>4. Community Integrity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community <b>mostly</b> in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Districts 1 and 2 appear to have swapped their traditional geographies</li> </ul>
<b>5. City or CDP Integrity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into four districts</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center divided between District 1 and District 2</li> <li>✗ Pixley divided between District 1 and District 2</li> <li>✗ Tipton divided between District 1 and District 2</li> </ul>
<b>6. Identifiable Boundaries</b>	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
<b>7. Compactness</b>	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
<b>8. No Political Parties</b>	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment regarding this item.*

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break.*

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

1. Role of the Commission
2. “Effective” Districts
3. Map Findings
4. Process Outline

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

#### 1. Role of the Commission

- Board of Supervisors chose to create this Commission to establish a transparent process for collecting public comments, drafting maps, and establishing a historical record
- Each Commissioner was appointed by the Board of Supervisors
- Commissioners are agents and representatives of the County of Tulare
- All actions, statements, and materials produced by individual Commissioners will be used for the next 10 years as part of the County's historical record
- All actions, statements, and materials will be used to support and defend the map adopted by the Board of Supervisors

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

#### 1. Role of the Commission

- There are different forms of redistricting commission in State law:
  - No commission
  - Independent: the legislative body **must adopt** the map produced by the Commission
  - Hybrid: the legislative body **must adopt one of** the maps produced by the Commission
  - Advisory (Tulare County model): the legislative body **may adopt one of** the maps produced by the Commission, or generate its own map

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

#### 1. Role of the Commission

- Primary task of this Commission is to provide the Board of Supervisors a **rational justification** for a set of three proposed maps that must meet legislative criteria
- Every map adopted by the Commission needs to have findings as to why the Commission is recommending that map. Otherwise, the record is lacking as to why the Commission is forwarding its maps and the actions of the Commission will not be clear to the Board of Supervisors or the public for years to come
- If the rationale for adopting a map is not clearly articulated, it will be difficult for the Board to understand your actions, your efforts will not have the impact you have intended, and the historical record will not accurately reflect the reasons for your actions

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

#### 2. "Effective" Districts

- a. **CVAP:** this is the only factor specifically required by the Fair Maps Act and has been well covered in our past meetings.
- b. **Voter Registration:** reflects the number of citizens currently engaged in the electoral process, which affects electoral influence
- c. **Voter Turnout:** reflects the rate of participation of registered voters in the election process, which affects electoral influence
- d. **Racially Polarized Voting:** data that analyzes the correlation between the ethnicity rates of a precinct with that precinct's election results for minority candidates – Counsel to comment

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

#### 3. Map Findings to be included in the record of Commission actions

- a. **COM-001B Equity Coalition Map:** the Commission adopted this map last week as one of the three maps to be recommended to the Board of Supervisors.

The Commission did not articulate the rationale for adopting this map. Currently, there is nothing in the record to indicate why the Commission took that action. For the Commission to have an impact on the Board's consideration of this map, the Commission must clearly identify, through a resolution, the reasons you adopted this map.

- b. The remaining two maps will also be required to have findings at the time of adoption
- c. All of these findings will be included in the Final Report to be submitted to the Board

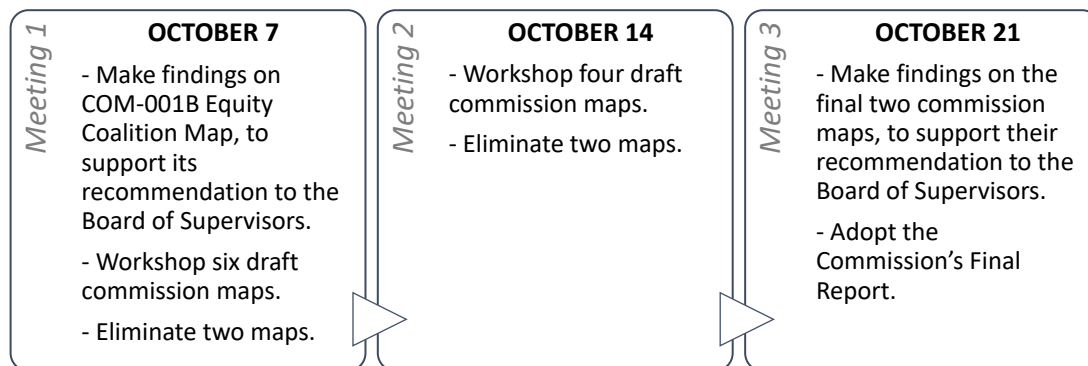
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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

#### Process Outline



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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Staff Map Presentations

Staff will present the six Commission maps created with direction from the 9/30 meeting.

1. ARC-001a
2. ARC-002a
3. ARC-003a
4. ARC-005a
5. ARC-006
6. ARC-007

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Map Workshop

1. Commissioners will form three working groups, each of which will discuss the pros and cons of two of the six Commission maps.

GROUP 1 – Workshop two maps with a mega-mountain district

GROUP 2 – Workshop two maps with the mountains split into two districts

GROUP 3 – Workshop two maps with that split cities other than Visalia

2. Each working group will present which of the two maps they would recommend keeping and which to eliminate and why.

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# WORKSHOP ACTIVITY

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** **ARC-001A**

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-001A

*Direct staff to:*

- a) *Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.*
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- c) *Eliminate the map.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** ARC-002A

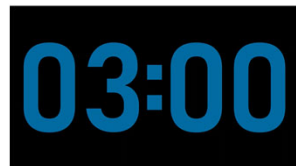
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## 7. Commission Map Review

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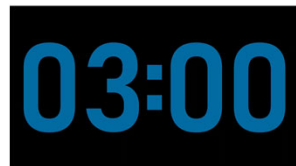
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-003A

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** ARC-005A

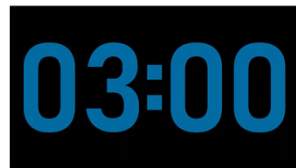
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-005A

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## 7. Commission Map Review

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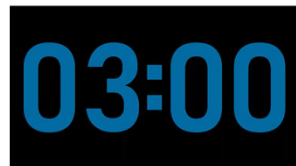
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-006

*Direct staff to:*

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** ARC-007

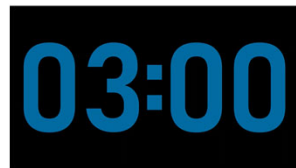
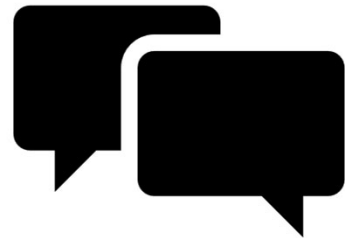
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-007

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- c) Eliminate the map.*



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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### a. Public Outreach Report

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals
- Media
- Social Media

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisory boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA



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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	City of Porterville Council Chambers 291 N. Main Street, Porterville, CA
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### b. Administrative Matters

#### Drafting Commission Maps

- October 14 – Staff will request that the Commission eliminate two draft maps, and receive direction regarding changes to the remaining four maps.
- October 21 – Staff will request that the Commission eliminate two more draft maps, make findings on its two final maps to support their recommendation to the Board of Supervisors and adopt the Commission's Final Report.

### c. Clerk Matters

### d. Legal Matters

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## 9. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

### Upcoming meetings:

**October 14, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Woodlake Community Center,  
145 N. Magnolia St., Woodlake, CA

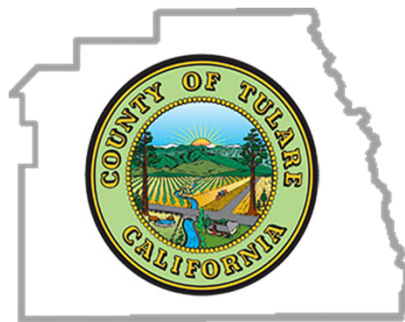
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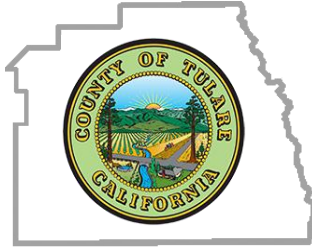


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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, October 14, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Woodlake Community Center  
145 N. Magnolia St.  
Woodlake, CA

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

### 2. Roll Call

### 3. General Public Comment

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on **any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda**. Under state law, matters presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in addressing the Commission at this time. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for the General Public Comment Period. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

### 4. Action and Discussion Items

- a. **Approval of Minutes of the Commission's October 7, 2021 Regular and Special Meeting (Action)**
- b. **Approval of Final Report Transmittal Letter (Action)**

### 5. Community Map Presentations

*Community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps during this period. Maps presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time and will be considered at the following Commission meeting. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in presenting a map to the Commission at this time. **Please submit any map copies or supporting documentation to the Commission Secretary (Clerk of the Board)**. Presentations will be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 12, 2021

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the presentation.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the staff analysis. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on this item.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break.*

### 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review and Direction to Staff. (Action)

- a. *Staff will present the three Commission maps moved forward or modified by action from the 10/7 meeting.*
- b. *Commissioners will form three working groups, each of which will discuss the pros and cons of one Commission map and two community maps.*
- c. *Each working group will present which of the maps they would recommend keeping, which to modify, and which to eliminate and why.*
- d. *Commissioners will hear public comment regarding the maps.*
- e. *Commissioners will vote on each Commission map to direct staff to*
  - i. *Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.*

- ii. Move the map forward with modifications for consideration at the next meeting.*
- iii. Eliminate the map.*

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- a. Public Outreach Report**
- b. Administrative Matters**
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- d. Legal Matters**

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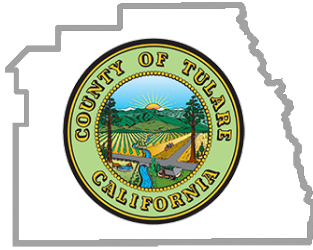
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**10. Adjournment**

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# 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MINUTES

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6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Woodlake Community Center  
145 N. Magnolia St., Woodlake, CA

## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

Commissioner Hobbs called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

## 2. Roll Call

Melinda Benton, Secretary of the Commission/Clerk, took roll call and a quorum was present.

Yes	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	Yes	Commissioner Marie Macedo (via Zoom)
Yes	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	Yes	Commissioner Darlene Mata
Yes	Commissioner Albert George	Yes	Commissioner Edward McKervey
Yes	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	Yes	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
Yes	Commissioner John Hobbs	Yes	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
Yes	Commissioner Scott James		

## 3. General Public Comment

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Rudy Mendoza; Carlos Ramos; Alma Serrano; James Pidgeon; Nick Giordano; Mercedes Barerra; Vincent Salinas;

**Public written comments:**



#### 4. Action and Discussion Items

##### a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's October 7, 2021 Regular and Special Meeting (Action)

A motion was made to approve the minutes for October 7, 2021, Regular and Special Meeting:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Blaco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

##### b. Approval of Final Report Transmittal Letter (Action)

A motion was made to table the approval of the Final Report Transmittal to the October 21, 2021 meeting:

Motion Made:	Commissioner Blaco
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner McKerverey
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

#### 5. Community Map Presentations

**Public speaker comments:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Kory Wells; Sally Pace; Susan Welch; Rudy Mendoza; Sue Winters; Frances Ortiz; Laura Mancera; Gabriela; Jose Martinez; Bill Mancera;

**Public written comments:** None

#### 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 12, 2021

John Hess, Assistant CAO presented staff analysis of Kindschuh Map (COM-005A); Mattis Map (COM-006); and Ramos Map (COM-007); submitted prior to October 14, 2021.

**Commissioner Comments:** Hobbs; James; McKerverey

**Public Comment:** Maggie Bloetscher; Maile Melkonion; Maria Serrano

**Break. 8:05 p.m.**

**7. Commission Workgroup Map Review and Direction to Staff. (Action)**

A motion was made to eliminate maps ARC-003B1 and ARC-003B2

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Mata
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Lucia Hernandez

A motion was made to send three maps only to the Board of Supervisors.

Motion Made:	Commissioner James
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Verduzco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Failed</b> 7- No; 4 – Yes

<b>No</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>No</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>No</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Frances Ortiz; Angel Ruiz

A motion was made to eliminate maps ARC-001A; COM-004; COM-006C; COM-007.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Mata
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Macedo
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 11 – Yes

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKerverey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		
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A motion was made to eliminate map COM-005A.

Motion Made:	Commissioner McKervey
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner Blaco
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 – No

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

A motion was made to eliminate map COM-002.

Motion Made:	Commissioner Sepulveda
Motion Seconded:	Commissioner James
Outcome:	<b>Motion Passed</b> 10 – Yes; 1 – No

<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Rodney Blaco	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Marie Macedo
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Ralph Diaz	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Darlene Mata
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Albert George	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Edward McKervey
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez	<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Luis Sepulveda
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner John Hobbs	<b>No</b>	Commissioner Jose Verduzco
<b>Yes</b>	Commissioner Scott James		

**Public Comment:** All public comments are recorded and posted on YouTube; the following individuals spoke: Kory Wells

## 8. Commission Discussion Items

- a. **Public Outreach Report** - Lucia Vasquez provided a report on public outreach efforts
- b. **Administrative Matters** - John Hess provided overview of upcoming meeting
- c. **Clerk Matters - None**
- d. **Legal Matters - None**

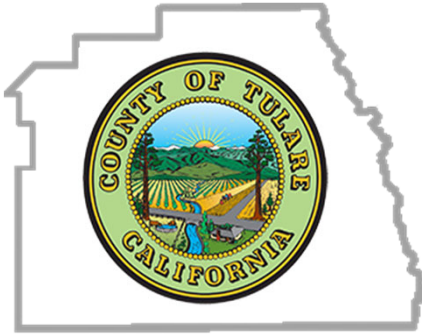
## 9. Future Items

### Upcoming meetings:

October 21, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Porterville City Council Chambers, 291 N. Main St, Porterville, CA

## 10. Adjournment - 9:47 p.m. Adjourned to October 21, 2021

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



October 14, 2021

Woodlake Community Center  
145 N. Magnolia St.  
Woodlake, CA

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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## 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco, District 1  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo, District 2     |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz, District 1    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata, District 3     |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George, District 4 | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervery, District 5 |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large   | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda, District 3   |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs, District 2    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco, District 4    |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James, District 5   |   |

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## 3. General Public Comment

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda.*

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for this matter. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

**Via Zoom** - To make a public comment during the meeting:

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**06:00**

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the September 30, 2021 meeting

4b. Approval of Final Report Transmittal Letter



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## 5. Community Map Presentations

*During this period, community members, interest groups, and Commissioners may present proposed maps. Presentations will be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak*

*In Person – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record. Please submit any map copies or supporting documentation to the Commission Secretary (Clerk of the Board).*

*Via Zoom - To make a public comment during the meeting:*

*Submit a request to speak, using the Q&A feature.*

*The request should include:*

- *Your name*
- *Organization (if any)*
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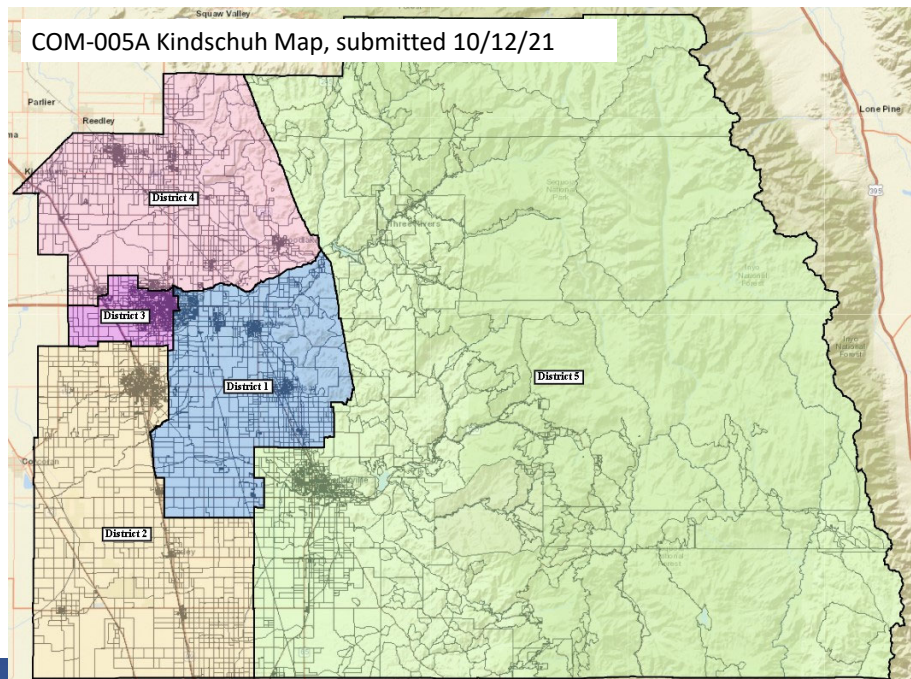
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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 12

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-005A Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/12/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-005A			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,795	-216	-0.23%	61,889	65%	52,491	718	55%	26,530	50.5%
2	95,105	94	0.10%	65,137	68%	46,130	-5,643	49%	25,729	55.8%
3	94,957	-54	-0.06%	49,204	52%	58,254	6,481	61%	23,890	41.0%
4	95,255	244	0.26%	72,916	77%	49,138	-2,635	52%	31,310	63.7%
5	94,944	-67	-0.07%	62,140	65%	52,853	1,080	56%	25,229	47.7%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.48%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

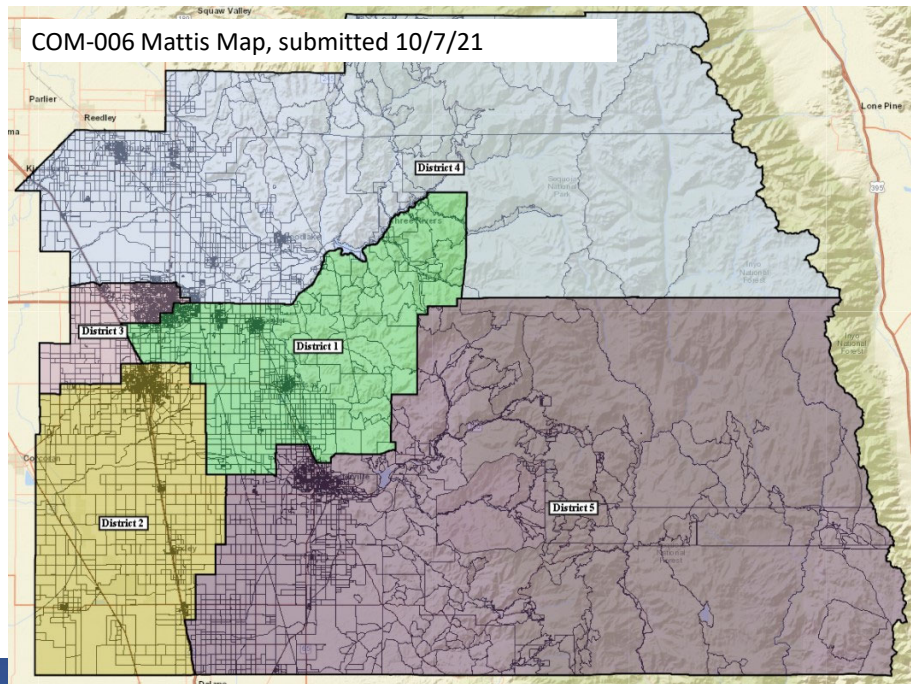
COM-005A Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/12/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.48% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 55.8%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community <b>mostly</b> in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into four districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-006 Mattis Map, submitted 10/7/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-006			CRITERIA #1								CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP		
1	94,980	-31	-0.03%	59,095	62%	54,513	2,740	57%	25,569	46.9%		
2	95,028	17	0.02%	64,876	68%	46,001	-5,772	48%	25,640	55.7%		
3	94,989	-22	-0.02%	52,433	55%	55,100	3,327	58%	24,929	45.2%		
4	95,024	13	0.01%	70,887	75%	51,358	-415	54%	30,675	59.7%		
5	95,035	24	0.03%	63,995	67%	51,894	121	55%	25,875	49.9%		
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%		
MEAN	95,011		0.06%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%		

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-006 Mattis Map, submitted 10/7/21

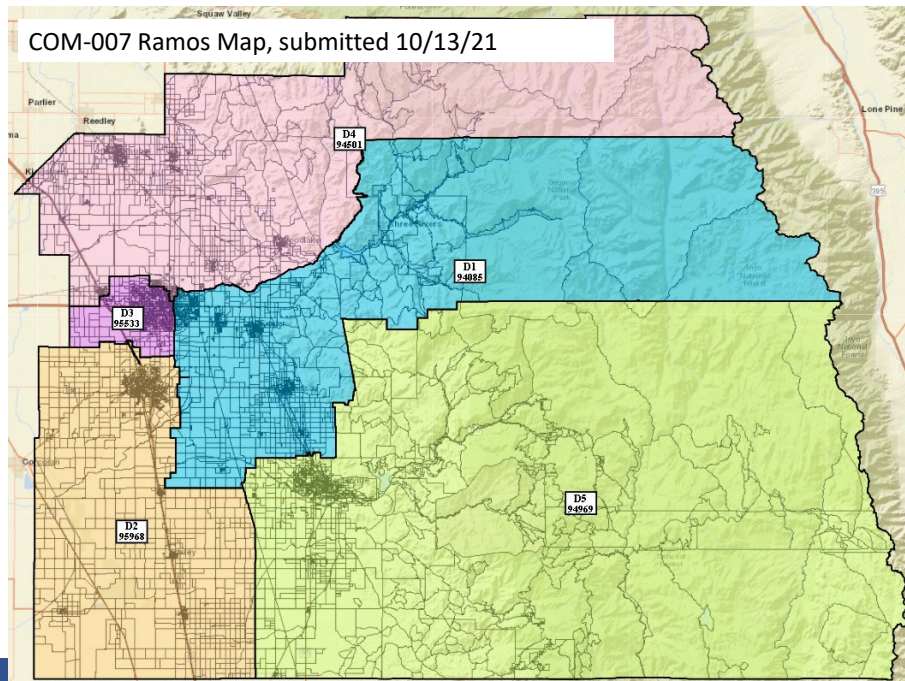
Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.06% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>District 4 – 59.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✗ West Goshen not in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided between three districts– mostly in District 2, a few northern blocks in District 3, and District 1</li> <li>✗ Porterville divided between two districts – mostly in District 5 and a few northern blocks in District 1</li> <li>✗ Three Rivers is divided between District 4 and District 1</li> <li>✗ Lemon Cove divided between District 1 and District 4</li> <li>✗ Goshen divided between District 3 and District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning the nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-007 Ramos Map, submitted 10/13/21



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-007 Ramos Map, submitted 10/13/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-007			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,085	-926	-0.97%	59,815	64%	52,989	1,216	56%	25,412	48.0%
2	95,968	957	1.01%	65,624	68%	46,517	-5,256	48%	25,944	55.8%
3	95,533	522	0.55%	47,567	50%	59,116	7,343	62%	23,970	40.5%
4	94,501	-510	-0.54%	74,295	79%	48,608	-3,165	51%	31,654	65.1%
5	94,969	-42	-0.04%	63,985	67%	51,636	-137	54%	25,708	49.8%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>1.98%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-007 Ramos Map, submitted 10/13/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	1.98% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	The proposed map reflects H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 2 – 55.8%</li> <li>District 4 – 65.1%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts</li> <li>✗ Goshen is divided between District 4 and District 5</li> <li>✗ East Tulare Villa is divided between District 1 and District 2</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between District 5 and District 2</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4, 1, and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment regarding this item.*

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. A maximum of one (1) hour is allotted for this matter. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

**Via Zoom** - To make a public comment during the meeting:

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break.*

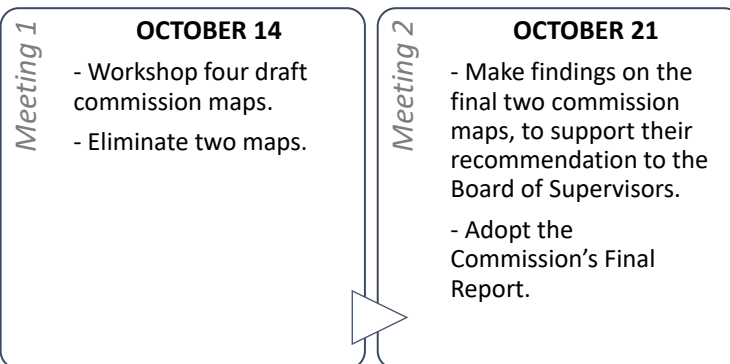
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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Opening Comments

#### Process Outline



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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Staff Map Presentations

Staff will present four Commission maps moved forward from the 10/7 meeting.

1. ARC-001a
2. ARC-002a
3. ARC-003b1
4. ARC-003b2 (alternative option to ARC-003b1)

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Map Workshop

1. Commissioners will form three working groups, each of which will discuss the pros and cons of one Commission map and two Community maps.
2. Each working group will present their findings.

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# WORKSHOP ACTIVITY

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### PUBLIC COMMENTS ARC-001A

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-001A

*Direct staff to:*

- a) *Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.*
- b) *Move the map forward with modifications for consideration at the next meeting.*
- c) *Eliminate the map.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** ARC-002A

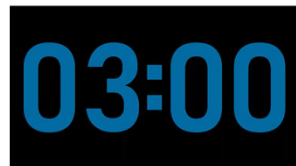
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-002A

*Direct staff to:*

- a) *Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.*
- b) *Move the map forward with modifications for consideration at the next meeting.*
- c) *Eliminate the map.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** ARC-003B1

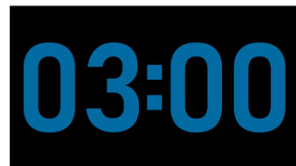
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-003B1

*Direct staff to:*

- a) *Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.*
- b) *Move the map forward with modifications for consideration at the next meeting.*
- c) *Eliminate the map.*



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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** ARC-003B2

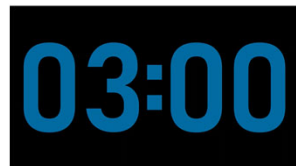
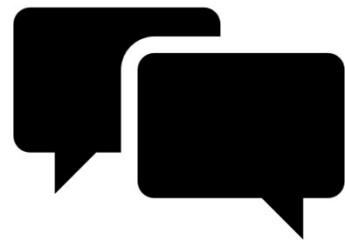
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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION** ARC-003B2

*Direct staff to:*

- a) Move the map forward without changes for consideration at the next meeting.*
- b) Move the map forward with modifications for consideration at the next meeting.*
- c) Eliminate the map.*



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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### a. Public Outreach Report

The County is making a good faith effort to notify various community groups about the redistricting process.

Current outreach efforts include:

- Cities
- Associations
- Service and political groups
- Individuals
- Media
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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
<b>October 14</b>	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	City of Porterville Council Chambers 291 N. Main Street, Porterville, CA
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA

**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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## 8. Commission Discussion Items

### b. Administrative Matters

Drafting Commission Maps

- October 21 – Staff will request that the Commission make findings on its two final maps to support their recommendation to the Board of Supervisors and adopt the Commission's Final Report.

### c. Clerk Matters

### d. Legal Matters

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## 9. Future Items

*During this period, Commissioners may discuss and direct staff to place items on future agendas.*

Upcoming meetings:

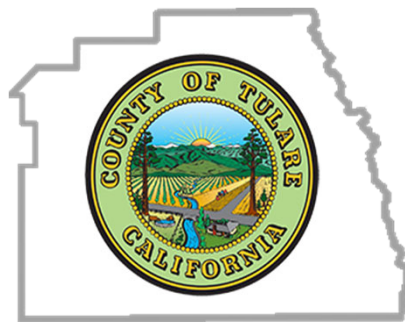
**October 21, 2021**, 6:30 p.m., Porterville City Council Chambers, 291 N. Main St., Porterville, CA

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## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING

MEETING IS ADJOURNED

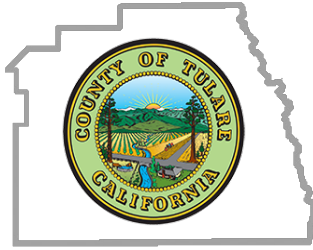


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**COMMISSIONERS**

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RALPH DIAZ, DISTRICT 1  
ALBERT GEORGE, DISTRICT 4  
LIZBETH GOMEZ, AT-LARGE  
JOHN HOBBS, CHAIR, DISTRICT 2



SCOTT JAMES II, DISTRICT 5  
MARIE MACEDO, DISTRICT 2  
DARLENE MATA, VICE CHAIR, DISTRICT 3  
EDWARD MCKERVEY, DISTRICT 5  
LUIS SEPULVEDA, DISTRICT 3  
JOSE VERDUZCO, DISTRICT 4

## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING AGENDA

Thursday, October 21, 2021  
6:30 p.m. Commission Convenes  
Porterville City Council Chambers  
291 N. Main St.  
Porterville, CA

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Items listed under Action and Discussion will be presented and discussed as follows:

- Item is introduced by the Chair.
- Staff presents a report or presentation.
- Commissioners may ask questions of staff.
- Public comment on the item is heard.
- Commission discusses and votes on the item.

To provide written public comments, please email [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)

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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute

### 2. Roll Call

**3. General Public Comment**

*During the General Public Comment Period, members of the public may comment on **any matter under the jurisdiction of the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting and not appearing on this meeting's agenda**. Under state law, matters presented under this item cannot be discussed or acted upon by the Commission at this time. Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest in addressing the Commission at this time. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes allotted for the General Public Comment Period. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.*

**4. Action and Discussion Items**

- a. Approval of Minutes of the Commission's October 14, 2021 meeting (Action)**
- b. Approval of Final Report Transmittal Letter (Action)**

**5. Report on Considered Maps**

*Staff will present a brief summary of Commission meetings, actions, and maps considered to date.*

**6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 19, 2021**

**Commissioner Comments.** *Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the presentation.*

**Public Comment.** *The Commission will hear public comment on the staff analysis. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes so that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, with a maximum of thirty (30) minutes allotted to public comments on this item.*

**Break.** *The Commission will take a short break.*

**7. Commission Workgroup Map Review and Direction to Staff. (Action)**

- a. Staff will present the one Commission map moved forward from the 10/14 meeting.*
- b. Commissioners will form three working groups, each of which will discuss the pros and cons of the one Commission map and several community maps.*
- c. Each working group will present which of the maps they would recommend keeping, which to modify, and which to eliminate and why.*
- d. Commissioners will hear public comment regarding the maps.*
- e. Commissioners will vote on each Commission map to direct staff to:*
  - i. Eliminate the map; or*
  - ii. Recommend the map to the Board of Supervisors with findings.*

**8. Approval of the Commission Final Report as to Form (Action)**

- a. The Commission will review and approve a draft Final Report as to form.*

- b. After approval, staff will revise the report to include any Commission direction related to report form, the Commission's final map recommendations with findings, and Commission comments on eliminated maps.*
- c. This report will be presented to the Board of Supervisors at the October 26, 2021 meeting.*

## **9. Closing Remarks**

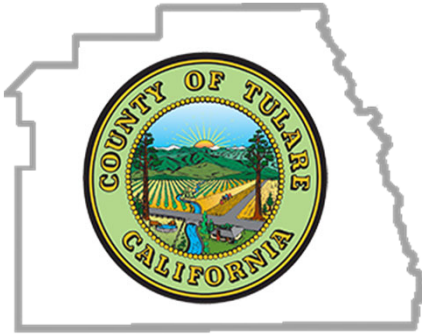
Upcoming Public Hearings to be held by the Board of Supervisors:

- October 26, 2021, 9:00 a.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
- November 2, 2021, 6:30 p.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
- November 9, 2021, 9:00 a.m., Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA

## **10. Adjournment**



## 2021 ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING MEETING



October 21, 2021

Porterville City Council Chambers  
291 N. Main St.  
Porterville, CA

Meeting Convenes at 6:30 p.m.  
LIVE STREAM WILL BEGIN SHORTLY



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### 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute



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## 2. Roll Call

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| ✓ Commissioner Rodney Blaco, District 1  | ✓ Commissioner Marie Macedo, District 2     |
| ✓ Commissioner Ralph Diaz, District 1    | ✓ Commissioner Darlene Mata, District 3     |
| ✓ Commissioner Albert George, District 4 | ✓ Commissioner Edward McKervery, District 5 |
| ✓ Commissioner Lizbeth Gomez, At-Large   | ✓ Commissioner Luis Sepulveda, District 3   |
| ✓ Commissioner John Hobbs, District 2    | ✓ Commissioner Jose Verduzco, District 4    |
| ✓ Commissioner Scott James, District 5   |   |

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**Via Zoom** - To make a public comment during the meeting:

Submit a request to speak, using the Q&A feature.

The request should include:

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- Organization (if any)
- Agenda item(s) number

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**03:00**

**06:00**

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## 4. Action and Discussion Items

4a. Approval of minutes for the October 14, 2021 meeting

4b. Approval of Final Report Transmittal Letter



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## 5. Report on Considered Maps

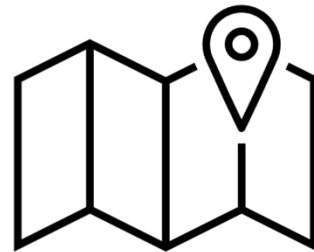
### 1. *Commission meetings*

- *14 meetings*
- *284 in-person attendees, 50 online attendees*
- *26 unique organizations represented*
- *30 Commission meeting hours*
- *68 meeting preparation hours times 11 staff*

### 2. *Actions*

- *No additional criteria*
- *Need for boundary changes*
- *Recommended maps and findings*

### 3. *Maps considered by the Commission*



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## 5. Report on Considered Maps

### Thanks to the Commission & Staff

#### IT Support Team

- Scott Schafer
- Victor Pacheco
- Manuel Azevedo
- Paul Ham
- Lisseth Davalos
- Zack Potter

#### Clerk of the Board

- Melinda Benton
- Hillary Robello
- Melissa Lopez
- Kirsten Bain

#### HHS Community Outreach Team

#### RMA Translation Services

#### County Counsel

- Jeff Kuhn
- Matt Pierce

#### Outreach Consultants

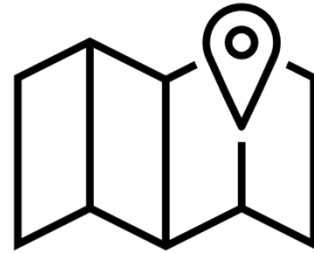
- Lali Moheno
- Lucia Vazquez
- Reyna Rodriguez

#### GIS

- Mark Clark
- Bob Irvine
- Omar Plasencia

#### CAO

- Katrina Fernandez
- Alex Cruz



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## 5. Report on Considered Maps

### Community Maps

Community Maps						< 5%	>55%																
#	Map Number	Map Name	Submit Date	Action	Final Data	Population Deviation	D1 HCVAP	D2 HCVAP	D3 HCVAP	D4 HCVAP	D5 HCVAP	3 HCVAP 55%+	Mountains in One District	Tulare Whole	West Goshen in D4	Woodlake in D4	Strathmore, Lindsay, Farmersville together	Terra Bella & Ducor with Porterville	Tribal Land Together				
1	COM-001	Equity Coalition	08/26/21	Revised	N	0.03%	58.2%	63.9%	35.4%	63.3%	43.8%	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N				
2	COM-001a	Equity Coalition	09/09/21	Revised	N	0.06%	57.6%	63.1%	34.5%	62.3%	42.8%	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y				
3	COM-001b	Equity Coalition	09/30/21	Recommended	Y	0.13%	57.7%	63.2%	35.0%	62.4%	43.1%	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y				
4	COM-002	Wells	09/23/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	0.14%	50.4%	55.8%	41.9%	60.8%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y				
5	COM-002a1	Wells	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	0.04%	52.3%	55.8%	39.1%	62.4%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
6	COM-002a2	Wells	10/14/21	Withdrawn	Y	0.03%	54.1%	55.8%	38.3%	61.6%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y				
7	COM-003	Verduzco	09/23/21	Revised	Y	6.04%	57.7%	55.8%	35.5%	63.5%	47.3%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
8	COM-003a	Verduzco	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	4.72%	58.0%	55.8%	35.5%	63.2%	47.2%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
9	COM-004	Taylor	09/30/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.08%	49.3%	55.7%	41.2%	62.6%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
10	COM-004a	Taylor	10/19/21	For Consideration	Y	1.56%	49.1%	55.4%	41.5%	63.0%	49.5%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
11	COM-005	Kindschuh	10/01/21	Revised	Y	0.21%	54.3%	50.6%	41.8%	64.0%	47.7%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
12	COM-005a	Kindschuh	10/12/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	0.48%	50.5%	55.8%	41.0%	63.7%	47.7%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
13	COM-005b	Kindschuh	10/17/21	For Consideration	Y	0.41%	56.3%	55.9%	36.3%	63.7%	47.7%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
14	COM-006	Mattis	10/07/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	0.06%	46.9%	55.7%	45.2%	59.7%	49.9%	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y				
15	COM-007	Ramos	10/13/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.98%	48.0%	55.8%	40.5%	65.1%	49.8%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
16	COM-008	Blaco, 2 Mtn	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	3.53%	50.2%	55.7%	40.3%	61.3%	50.7%	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y				
17	COM-009	Blaco, EastWest	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	1.70%	45.9%	51.3%	41.1%	66.3%	53.9%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N				
18	COM-010	Blaco, 1 Mtn	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	1.60%	46.4%	55.7%	40.6%	62.2%	54.0%	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N				
19	COM-011	Blaco, D4 Reach	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	2.30%	51.6%	49.0%	43.9%	63.4%	49.9%	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y				
20	COM-012	Kindschuh	10/18/21	For Consideration	Y	0.91%	56.1%	57.4%	36.3%	63.3%	47.0%	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y				
21	COM-013	Tootle	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	0.52%	47.2%	55.9%	42.6%	62.5%	49.8%	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
22	COM-014	Doe	10/15/21	For Consideration	Y	0.43%	57.2%	55.5%	35.7%	63.6%	47.9%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
23	COM-015	Mattis	10/14/21	For Consideration	Y	0.09%	58.2%	46.0%	45.4%	62.1%	46.2%	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
24	COM-016	Salinas	10/16/21	For Consideration	Y	3.33%	48.8%	55.6%	42.4%	61.6%	50.1%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				

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## 5. Report on Considered Maps

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1	ARC-001		09/30/21	Revised	N	2.78%	55.5%	55.6%	37.7%	62.7%	47.4%	Y	Y	Y	N	N		Y	Y		
2	ARC-001a		10/07/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.62%	54.9%	55.8%	37.9%	63.2%	47.8%	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y		
3	ARC-002		09/30/21	Revised	N	2.94%	52.1%	55.6%	39.7%	63.4%	47.4%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
4	ARC-002a		10/07/21	For Consideration	Y	2.74%	51.8%	55.7%	40.1%	63.7%	47.6%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
5	ARC-003		09/30/21	Revised	N	1.89%	58.2%	55.9%	36.2%	59.1%	49.5%	Y	N		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
6	ARC-003a		10/07/21	Revised	Y	2.17%	57.7%	55.9%	36.5%	59.5%	49.7%	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
7	ARC-003b1		10/14/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	2.13%	56.3%	55.9%	36.0%	61.8%	49.7%	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y		
8	ARC-003b2		10/14/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.98%	54.5%	60.3%	36.1%	60.3%	48.9%	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y		
9	ARC-004		09/30/21	9/30 - Eliminated	N	2.75%	55.3%	56.0%	36.6%	59.1%	51.9%	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y		
10	ARC-005		09/30/21	Revised	N	1.58%	60.1%	55.1%	36.5%	62.9%	45.5%	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y		
11	ARC-005a		10/07/21	10/7 - Eliminated	Y	2.85%	57.2%	55.4%	36.8%	62.8%	48.0%	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y		
12	ARC-006		10/07/21	10/7 - Eliminated	Y	1.52%	46.6%	62.8%	39.0%	61.7%	50.6%	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N		
13	ARC-007		10/07/21	10/7 - Eliminated	Y	1.31%	50.9%	60.2%	38.9%	60.2%	48.9%	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y		

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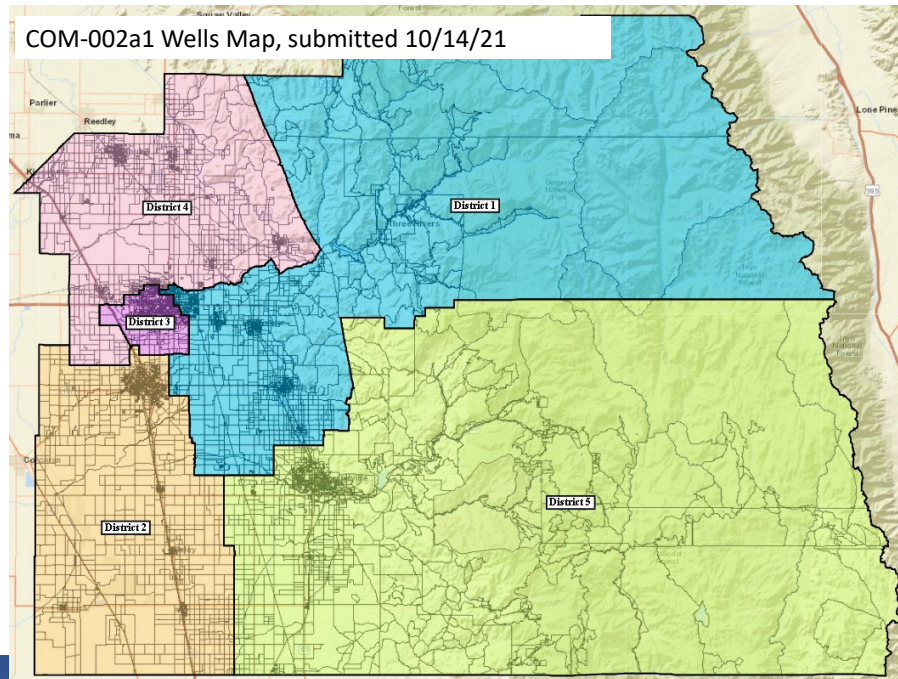
## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps submitted prior to October 19

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-002a1 Wells Map, submitted 10/14/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-002a1			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as a % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	94,992	-19	-0.02%	64,088	67%	51,920	147	55%	27,178	52.3%	
2	95,023	12	0.01%	64,989	68%	46,038	-5,735	48%	25,695	55.8%	
3	95,026	15	0.02%	46,549	49%	60,043	8,270	63%	23,477	39.1%	
4	95,011	0	0.00%	71,852	76%	48,977	-2,796	52%	30,560	62.4%	
5	95,004	-7	-0.01%	63,808	67%	51,888	115	55%	25,778	49.7%	
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%	
MEAN	95,011		0.04%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%	

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-002a1 Wells Map, submitted 10/14/21

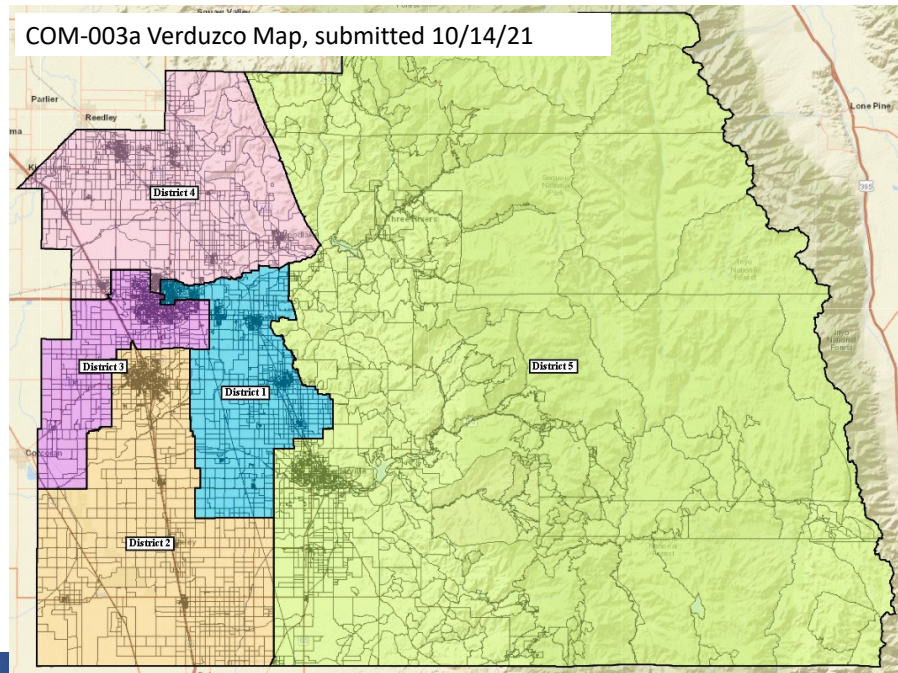
Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.04% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 52.3%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.8%</li> <li>• District 4 – 62.4%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<div> <div> ✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville  ✓ West Goshen in District 4  ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district  ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district  ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district </div> <div> ✓ Porterville in District 5  ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts  ✓ Woodlake in District 4 </div> </div>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-003a Verduzco Map, submitted 10/14/21



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-003a Verduzco Map, submitted 10/14/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-003A			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	97,546	2,535	2.67%	70,192	72%	52,692	919	54%	30,574	58.0%	
2	94,792	-219	-0.23%	64,761	68%	45,893	-5,880	48%	25,601	55.8%	
3	93,066	-1,945	-2.05%	42,426	46%	58,534	6,761	63%	20,767	35.5%	
4	93,638	-1,373	-1.45%	71,630	76%	48,205	-3,568	51%	30,463	63.2%	
5	96,014	1,003	1.06%	62,277	65%	53,536	1,763	56%	25,283	47.2%	
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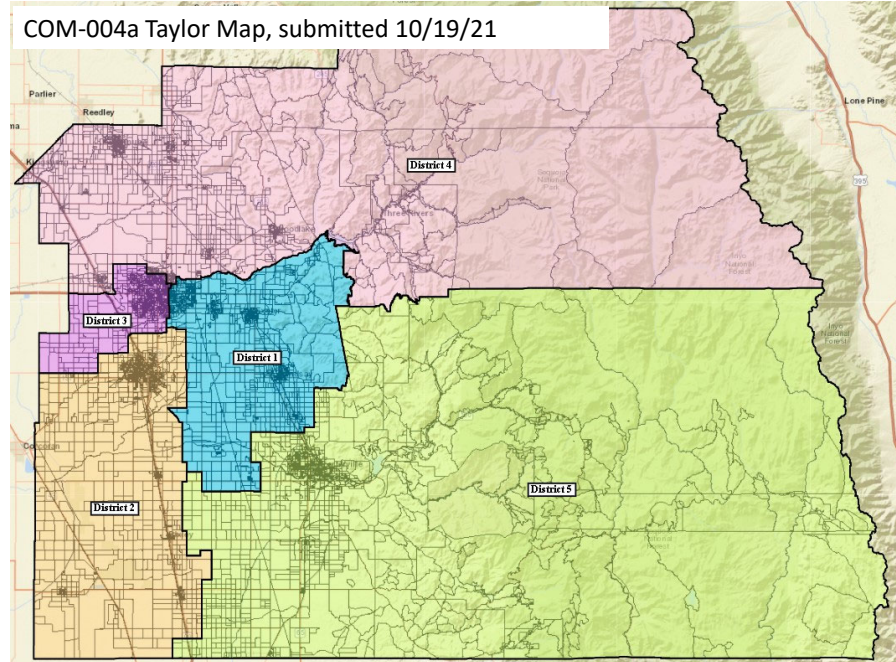
COM-003a Verduzco Map, submitted 10/14/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	4.72% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 58.0%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.8%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.2%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous</li> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> </ul>
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-004a Taylor Map, submitted 10/19/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-004A			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as a % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	94,818	-193	-0.20%	61,725	65%	52,505	732	55%	25,779	49.1%	
2	95,327	316	0.33%	64,896	68%	46,298	-5,475	49%	25,652	55.4%	
3	95,856	845	0.89%	48,659	51%	58,787	7,014	61%	24,408	41.5%	
4	94,681	-330	-0.35%	72,764	77%	49,620	-2,153	52%	31,256	63.0%	
5	94,374	-637	-0.67%	63,242	67%	51,656	-117	55%	25,593	49.5%	
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%	
MEAN	95,011		1.56%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%	

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COM-004a Taylor Map, submitted 10/19/21

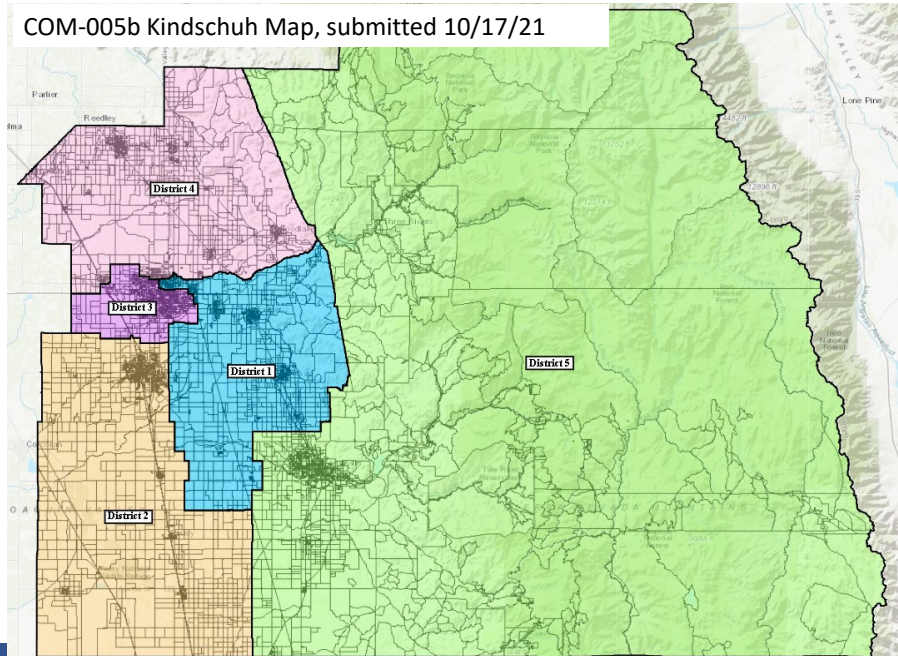
Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	1.56% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 2 – 55.4%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.0%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous</li> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> </ul>
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-005b Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/17/21



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COM-005b Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/17/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-005B			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,865	-146	-0.15%	67,528	71%	50,863	-910	54%	28,630	56.3%
2	95,022	11	0.01%	65,066	68%	46,033	-5,740	48%	25,717	55.9%
3	94,970	-41	-0.04%	43,636	46%	59,979	8,206	63%	21,802	36.3%
4	95,255	244	0.26%	72,916	77%	49,138	-2,635	52%	31,310	63.7%
5	94,944	-67	-0.07%	62,140	65%	52,853	1,080	56%	25,229	47.7%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.41%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

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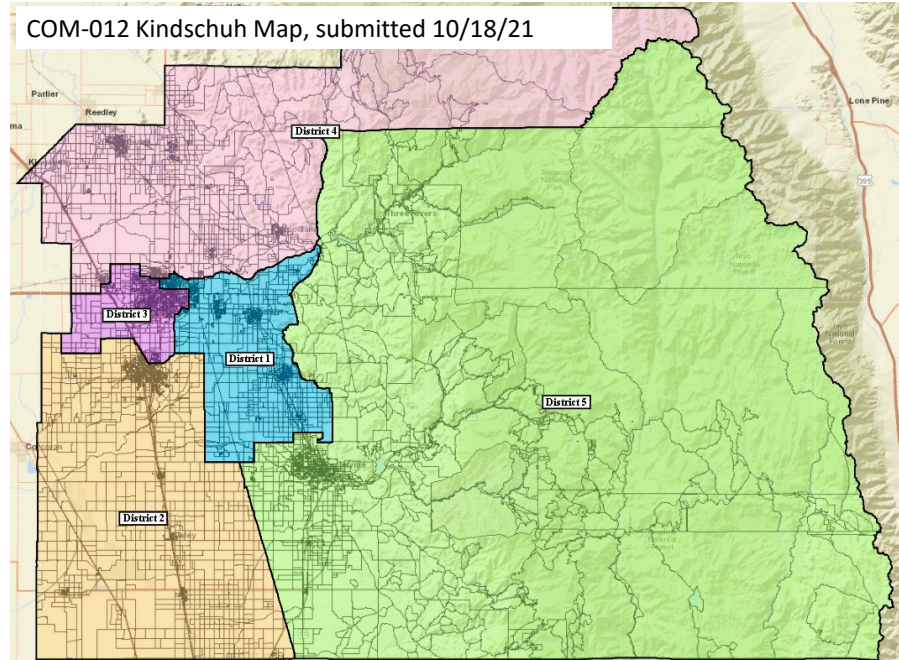
COM-005b Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/17/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.41% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 56.3%</li> <li>District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.7%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous</li> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> </ul>
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-012 Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/18/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-012			CRITERIA #1								CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as a % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP		
1	95,080	69	0.07%	67,382	71%	50,962	-811	54%	28,585	56.1%		
2	95,058	47	0.05%	66,615	70%	45,893	-5,880	48%	26,358	57.4%		
3	95,056	45	0.05%	43,353	46%	59,565	7,792	63%	21,623	36.3%		
4	94,497	-514	-0.54%	72,227	76%	48,923	-2,850	52%	30,983	63.3%		
5	95,365	354	0.37%	61,709	65%	53,523	1,750	56%	25,139	47.0%		
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%		
MEAN	95,011		0.91%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%		

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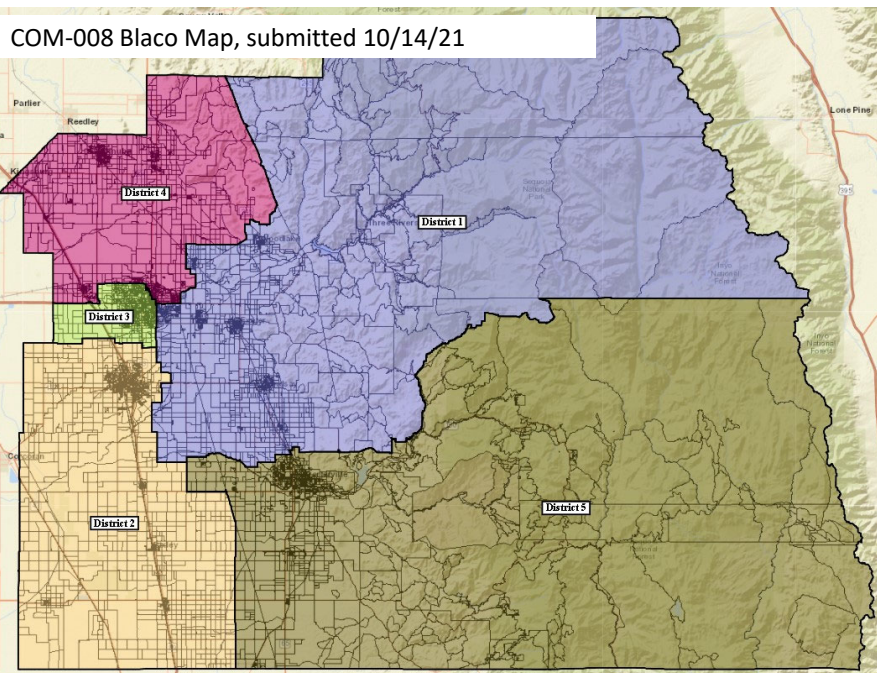
COM-012 Kindschuh Map, submitted 10/18/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.91% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 56.1%</li> <li>• District 2 – 57.4%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.3%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<div> <div> ✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville  ✓ West Goshen in District 4  ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district  ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district  ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district </div> <div> ✓ Porterville in District 5  ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts  ✓ Woodlake in District 4 </div> </div>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into three districts ✗ Tulare is divided into two districts ✗ Lemon Cove is divided into two districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 4 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-008 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-008			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	93,273	-1,738	-1.83%	61,217	66%	51,690	-83	55%	25,925	50.2%
2	96,592	1,581	1.66%	65,978	68%	46,853	-4,920	49%	26,092	55.7%
3	93,241	-1,770	-1.86%	46,068	49%	57,880	6,107	62%	23,323	40.3%
4	96,565	1,554	1.64%	72,880	75%	50,974	-799	53%	31,263	61.3%
5	95,385	374	0.39%	65,143	68%	51,469	-304	54%	26,085	50.7%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>3.53%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

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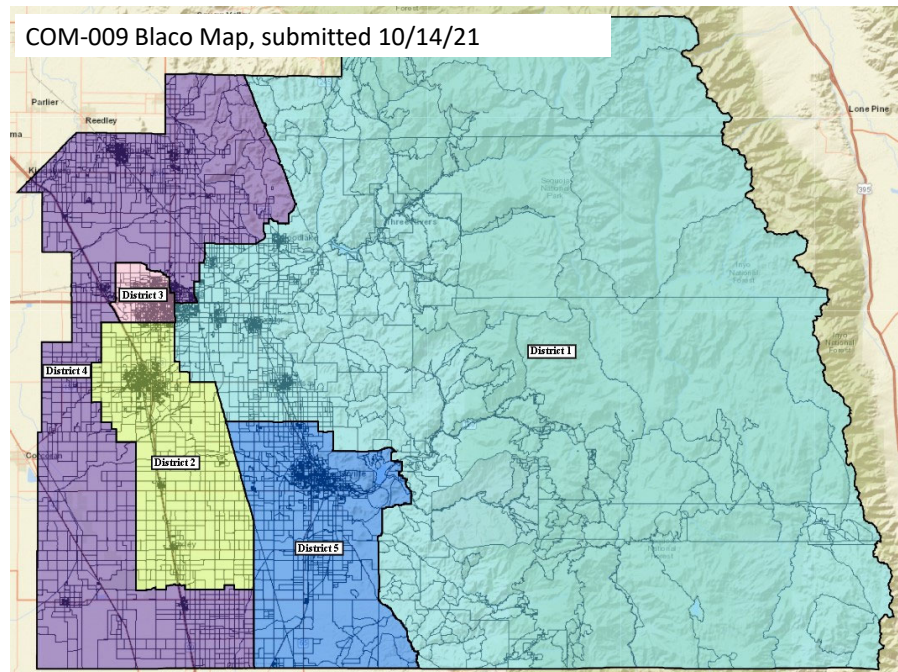
COM-008 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
<b>1. Population Equality</b>	3.53% population deviation
<b>2. Legal Compliance</b>	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>District 4 – 61.3%</li> </ul>
<b>3. Contiguity</b>	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
<b>4. Community Integrity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Woodlake not in District 4</li> </ul>
<b>5. City or CDP Integrity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into three districts due to population size</li> <li>✗ Ivanhoe is divided between two districts– mostly in D1, a couple southern blocks in D4</li> <li>✗ East Tulare Villa is divided between two districts– mostly in D2, one eastern block in D1</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts– mostly in D5, western blocks in D2</li> </ul>
<b>6. Identifiable Boundaries</b>	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
<b>7. Compactness</b>	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
<b>8. No Political Parties</b>	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-009 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-009			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP	
1	94,844	-167	-0.18%	58,760	62%	53,986	2,213	57%	24,759	45.9%	
2	95,309	298	0.31%	61,000	64%	48,636	-3,137	51%	24,950	51.3%	
3	94,631	-380	-0.40%	48,447	51%	56,919	5,146	60%	23,393	41.1%	
4	95,942	931	0.98%	75,740	79%	48,916	-2,857	51%	32,436	66.3%	
5	94,330	-681	-0.72%	67,339	71%	50,409	-1,364	53%	27,150	53.9%	
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%	
MEAN	95,011		1.70%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%	

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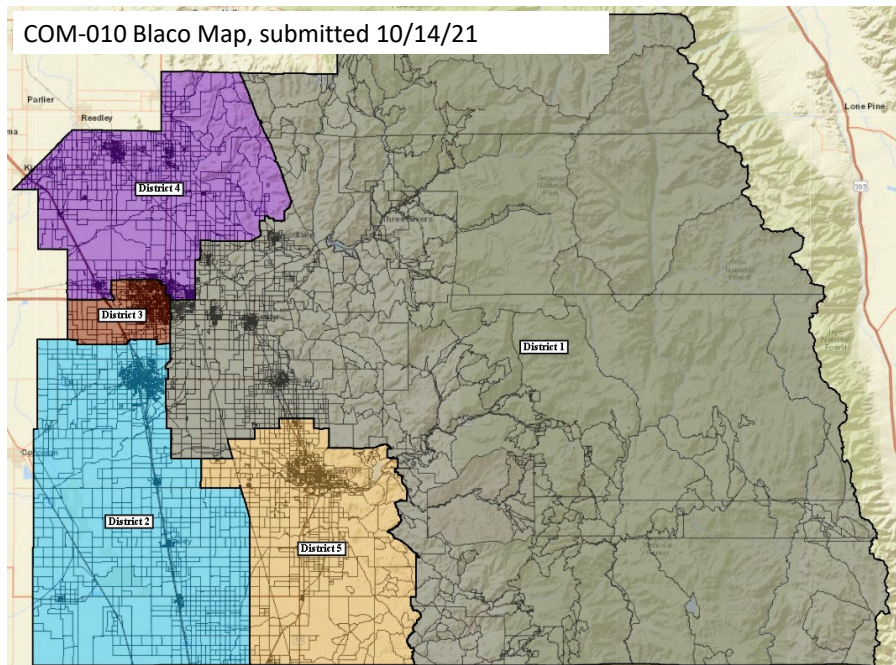
COM-009 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	1.70% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 2 – 51.3%</li> <li>• District 4 – 66.3%</li> <li>• District 5 – 53.9</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<div> <div> ✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville  ✓ West Goshen in District 4  ✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district  ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district  ✗ Tule River Tribe lands not in the same district  ✗ Visalia is divided into <b>four</b> districts  ✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts– mostly in D5, western blocks in D2  ✗ Earlimart is divided between two districts– mostly in D4, couple northern blocks in D2 </div> <div> ✓ Porterville in District 5  ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts  ✗ <b>Woodlake not in District 4</b> </div> </div>
5. City or CDP Integrity	
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-010 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-010			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,822	811	0.85%	59,524	62%	54,059	2,286	56%	25,067	46.4%
2	95,623	612	0.64%	65,374	68%	46,359	-5,414	48%	25,836	55.7%
3	94,304	-707	-0.74%	46,991	50%	58,428	6,655	62%	23,697	40.6%
4	94,607	-404	-0.43%	71,676	76%	49,637	-2,136	52%	30,871	62.2%
5	94,700	-311	-0.33%	67,721	72%	50,383	-1,390	53%	27,217	54.0%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>1.60%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

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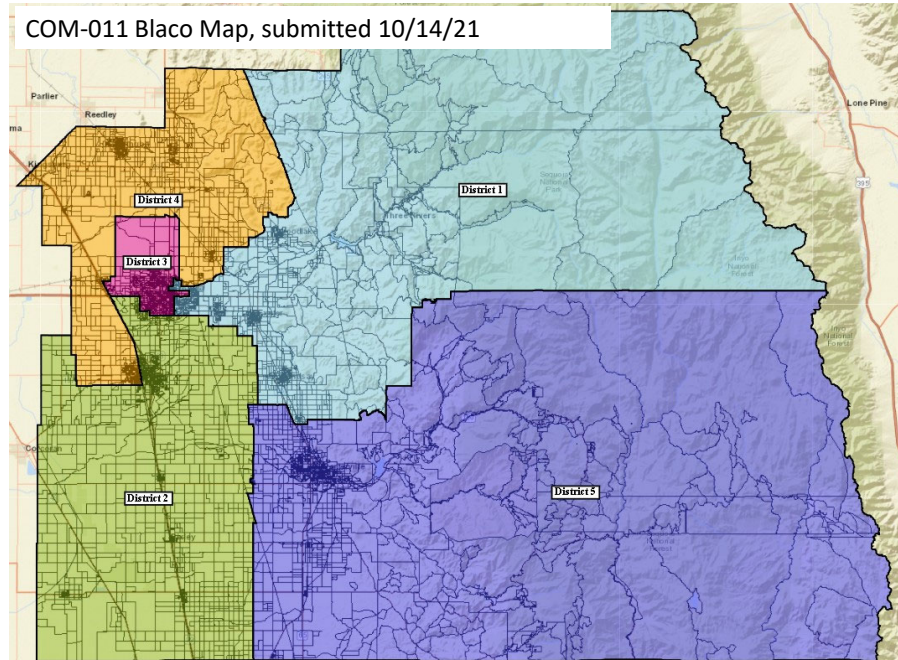
COM-010 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	1.60% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 2 – 55.7%</li> <li>District 4 – 62.2%</li> <li>District 5 – 54.0%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✗ Tule River Tribe lands not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Woodlake not in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts– mostly in D5, western blocks in D2</li> <li>✗ Woodville is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Plainview is divided between two districts– mostly in D1, one southern block in D5</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-011 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-011			CRITERIA #1								CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP		
1	94,525	-486	-0.51%	62,222	66%	53,045	1,272	56%	27,372	51.6%		
2	94,268	-743	-0.78%	57,707	61%	50,236	-1,537	53%	24,605	49.0%		
3	94,032	-979	-1.03%	50,156	53%	55,306	3,533	59%	24,285	43.9%		
4	96,016	1,005	1.06%	76,495	80%	47,553	-4,220	50%	30,133	63.4%		
5	96,215	1,204	1.27%	64,706	67%	52,726	953	55%	26,293	49.9%		
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%		
MEAN	95,011		2.30%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%		

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COM-011 Blaco Map, submitted 10/14/21

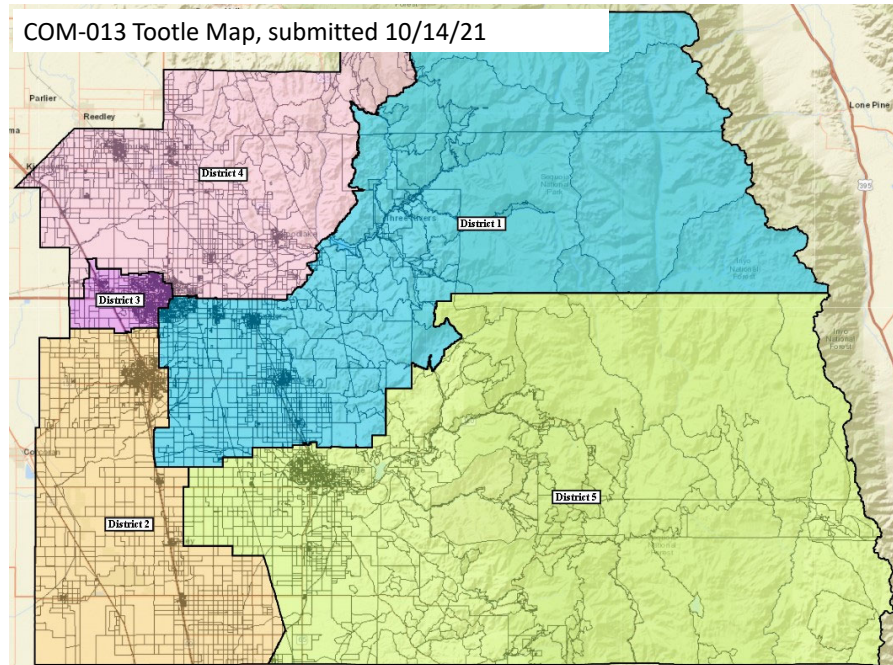
Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	2.30% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 51.6%</li> <li>District 4 – 63.4%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community in not one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✗ Woodlake not in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>four</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Goshen is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Strathmore is divided between two districts</li> <li>✗ Poplar-Cotton Center is divided between two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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COM-013 Tootle Map, submitted 10/14/21



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COM-013 Tootle Map, submitted 10/14/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-013			CRITERIA #1								CRITERIA #2	
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP		
1	95,014	3	0.00%	58,908	62%	54,522	2,749	57%	25,711	47.2%		
2	95,126	115	0.12%	65,180	69%	46,192	-5,581	49%	25,799	55.9%		
3	95,014	3	0.00%	50,278	53%	55,814	4,041	59%	23,783	42.6%		
4	94,704	-307	-0.32%	72,708	77%	50,685	-1,088	54%	31,657	62.5%		
5	95,198	187	0.20%	64,212	67%	51,653	-120	54%	25,738	49.8%		
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%		
MEAN	95,011		0.52%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%		

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COM-013 Tootle Map, submitted 10/14/21

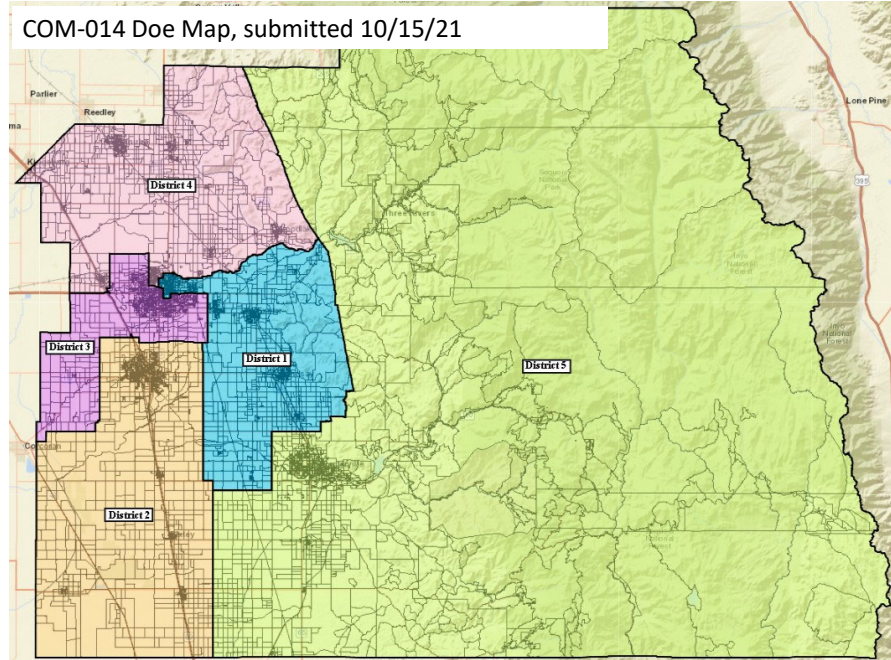
Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.52% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 2 – 55.9%</li> <li>District 4 – 62.5%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✗ West Goshen not in District 4</li> <li>✗ Foothill-Mountain community in not one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into four districts</li> <li>✗ Woodville is divided between two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1 and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west.
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-014 Doe Map, submitted 10/15/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-014			CRITERIA #1							CRITERIA #2
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	94,748	-263	-0.28%	68,076	72%	50,957	-816	54%	29,168	57.2%
2	95,115	104	0.11%	64,760	68%	46,116	-5,657	48%	25,612	55.5%
3	94,887	-124	-0.13%	43,358	46%	59,891	8,118	63%	21,383	35.7%
4	95,152	141	0.15%	72,703	76%	49,050	-2,723	52%	31,210	63.6%
5	95,154	143	0.15%	62,389	66%	52,852	1,079	56%	25,315	47.9%
SUM	475,056			311,286	66%	258,866		54%	132,688	51.3%
MEAN	95,011		0.43%	62,257	66%	51,773		54%	26,538	51.3%

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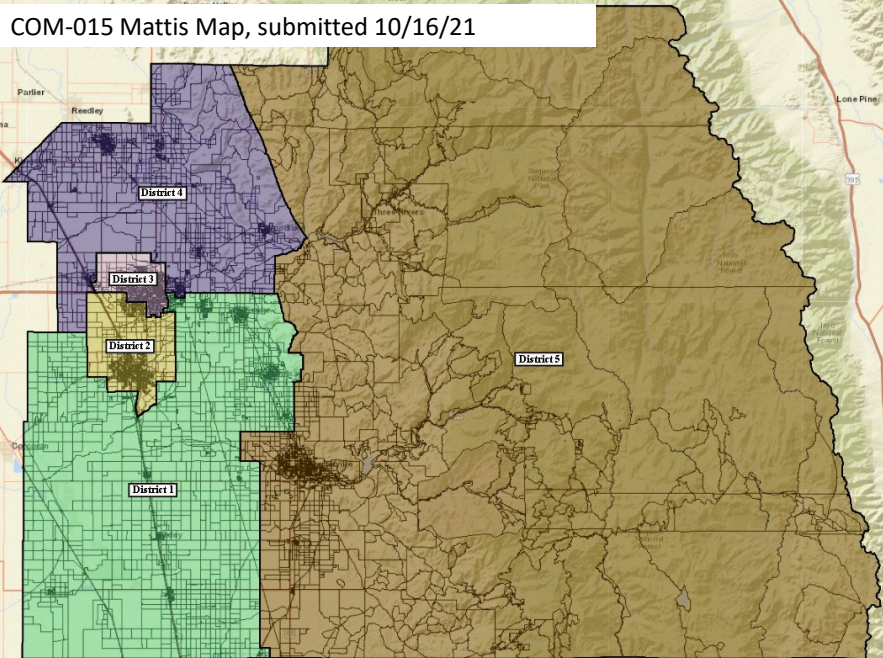
COM-014 Doe Map, submitted 10/15/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.43% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District 1 – 57.2%</li> <li>• District 2 – 55.5%</li> <li>• District 4 – 63.6%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<div> <div> ✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville  ✓ West Goshen in District 4  ✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district  ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district  ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district </div> <div> ✓ Porterville in District 5  ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts  ✓ Woodlake in District 4 </div> </div>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-015 Mattis Map, submitted 10/16/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-015			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	95,028	17	0.02%	70,326	74%	46,473	-5,300	49%	27,067	58.2%
2	94,997	-14	-0.01%	55,364	58%	52,699	926	55%	24,224	46.0%
3	94,976	-35	-0.04%	51,538	54%	55,667	3,894	59%	25,282	45.4%
4	95,059	48	0.05%	73,118	77%	50,475	-1,298	53%	31,359	62.1%
5	94,996	-15	-0.02%	60,940	64%	53,552	1,779	56%	24,756	46.2%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>0.09%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

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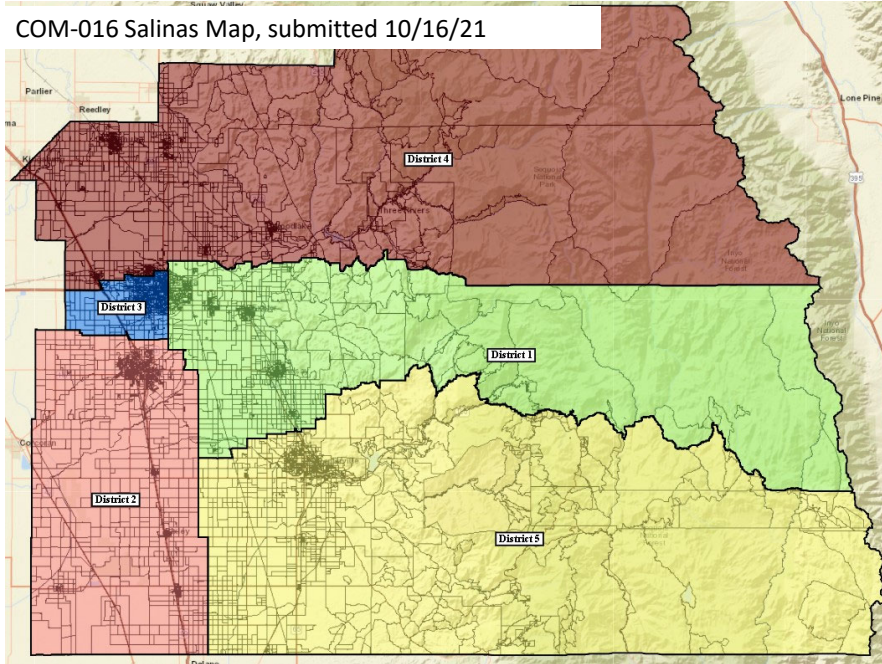
COM-015 Mattis Map, submitted 10/16/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	0.09% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 58.2%</li> <li>District 4 – 62.1%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville</li> <li>✓ West Goshen in District 4</li> <li>✓ Foothill-Mountain community in one district</li> <li>✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district</li> <li>✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district</li> <li>✓ Porterville in District 5</li> <li>✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts</li> <li>✓ Woodlake in District 4</li> </ul>
5. City or CDP Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Visalia is divided into <b>four</b> districts</li> <li>✗ Tulare is divided between two districts</li> </ul>
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	District 5 is the least geographically compact, spanning the entire county from north to south
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps



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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-016 Salinas Map, submitted 10/16/21

2020 Final Census Data, State-adjusted

COM-016			CRITERIA #1			CRITERIA #2				
District	Total Pop	Deviation from mean	% Deviation	Hispanic Pop	Hispanic Pop as a % of Total Pop	Total CVAP	CVAP Deviation	CVAP as % of Total Pop	Hispanic CVAP	H-CVAP as a % of Total CVAP
1	93,494	-1,517	-1.60%	60,046	64%	52,525	752	56%	25,639	48.8%
2	96,656	1,645	1.73%	65,850	68%	46,875	-4,898	48%	26,053	55.6%
3	95,513	502	0.53%	50,492	53%	58,726	6,953	61%	24,923	42.4%
4	93,817	-1,194	-1.26%	70,201	75%	48,878	-2,895	52%	30,085	61.6%
5	95,576	565	0.59%	64,697	68%	51,862	89	54%	25,988	50.1%
<b>SUM</b>	<b>475,056</b>			<b>311,286</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>258,866</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>132,688</b>	<b>51.3%</b>
<b>MEAN</b>	<b>95,011</b>		<b>3.33%</b>	<b>62,257</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>51,773</b>		<b>54%</b>	<b>26,538</b>	<b>51.3%</b>

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## 6. Staff Analysis of Community Maps

COM-016 Salinas Map, submitted 10/16/21

Redistricting Criteria	Analysis
1. Population Equality	3.33% population deviation
2. Legal Compliance	H-CVAP majorities in the following districts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>District 1 – 55.6%</li> <li>District 4 – 61.6%</li> </ul>
3. Contiguity	✓ All five districts are geographically contiguous
4. Community Integrity	<div> <div> ✓ Terra Bella and Ducor together with City of Porterville  ✓ West Goshen in District 4  ✗ Foothill-Mountain community not in one district  ✗ Tulare and Visalia not in the same district  ✓ Tule River Tribe lands in the same district </div> <div> ✓ Porterville in District 5  ✗ Visalia divided into more than two districts  ✓ Woodlake in District 4 </div> </div>
5. City or CDP Integrity	✗ Visalia is divided into <b>three</b> districts ✗ Ivanhoe is divided between two districts – mostly in D4, one southern block in D1 ✗ Lemon Cove is divided between two districts
6. Identifiable Boundaries	✓ Districts are drawn using identifiable boundaries
7. Compactness	Districts 1, 4, and 5 are the least geographically compact, spanning nearly the entire county from east to west
8. No Political Parties	✓ District boundaries do not appear to favor or discriminate against any political party.

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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Commissioner Comment Period

*Commissioners may provide comment or ask clarifying questions of staff regarding the informational presentation.*



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## 6. Staff analysis of community maps Public Comment Period

*The Commission will hear public comment regarding this item.*

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. A maximum of one (1) hour is allotted for this matter. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

**Via Zoom** - To make a public comment during the meeting:

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# BREAK

*The Commission will take a short break.*

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Staff Map Presentations

Staff will one Commission maps moved forward from the 10/14 meeting.

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## 7. Commission Workgroup Map Review

### Map Workshop

1. Commissioners will form three working groups, each of which will discuss the pros and cons of the last Commission map and four Community maps.
2. Each working group will present their findings.

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# WORKSHOP ACTIVITY

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### PUBLIC COMMENTS

**In Person** – Please complete and submit a comment card indicating your interest addressing the Commission. Any person addressing the Commission will be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes. At all times, please use the microphone and state your name and address for the record.

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## 7. Commission Map Review

### **ACTION**

*Direct staff to:*

- a) Recommend the map to the Board of Supervisors with findings*
- b) Eliminate the map.*



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## 8. Final Report Approval as to form

### **ACTION**

*Review and approve the draft Final Report as to form*



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## 9. Closing Remarks

- October 26 – Staff will present the Commission’s Final Report to the Board of Supervisors
- November 2 – Board of Supervisors will consider maps.
- November 9 – Board of Supervisors will select the final map.

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## 9. Closing Remarks

### Thanks to the Commission

### Thanks to Staff

#### IT Support Team

- Scott Schafer
- Victor Pacheco
- Manuel Azevedo
- Paul Ham
- Lisseth Davalos
- Zack Potter

#### Clerk of the Board

- Melinda Benton
- Hillary Robello
- Melissa Lopez
- Kirsten Bain

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#### RMA Translation Services

#### County Counsel

- Jeff Kuhn
- Matt Pierce

#### Outreach Consultants

- Lali Moheno
- Lucia Vazquez
- Reyna Rodriguez

#### GIS

- Mark Clark
- Bob Irvine
- Omar Plasencia

#### CAO

- Katrina Fernandez
- Alex Cruz

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
May 20	First Commission Meeting. Commission Training	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 3	Elect Commission Officers, Discuss Redistricting Process	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
June 17	District 1 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Exeter Veterans Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave Exeter, CA
July 1	District 2 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	International Agri-Center Social Hall, 4500 S. Laspina St Tulare, CA
July 15	District 3 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Visalia Convention Center Exhibit Hall, 303 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia, CA
July 29	District 4 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	Parks & Community Services Recreation Center, 1390 E. Elizabeth Way Dinuba, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

Date	Meeting Topic	Location
August 12	District 5 Informational Meeting Regarding the Redistricting Process	CHMA Community Center, 466 E Putnam Ave., Porterville, CA
August 26	Review 2020 census data and determine the necessity of boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 9	Public Hearing 1. To be held by the Commission before drawing its first map. Review 2020 census data and receive public feedback regarding boundary changes.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
September 23	District 1. Review the 2020 census data in current supervisorial boundaries.	Lindsay Wellness Center, 860 Sequoia Ave., Lindsay, CA
September 30	District 2. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	South Tulare County Memorial Building, 712 E. Washington, Earlimart, CA
October 7	District 3. Working Meeting Review and revise draft maps and community-proposed maps	Visalia Veteran's Memorial Building, 609 W. Center, Visalia, CA

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## 8a. Public Outreach Report

### Redistricting Timeline

*dates and topics are subject to change*

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Date	Meeting Topic	Location
October 14	District 4. Working Meeting Identify three final maps for recommendation to the Board.	Woodlake Community Center, 145 N. Magnolia Street, Woodlake, CA
October 21	District 5. Final Commission Meeting Approve final report and recommend maps to BOS	City of Porterville Council Chambers 291 N. Main Street, Porterville, CA
October 26	Public Hearing 2. Held by the Board of Supervisors to review Commission recommendation, hear public comment, and propose changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 2	Public Hearing 3. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment on proposed changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA
November 9	Public Hearing 4. Held by the Board of Supervisors to receive public comment and approve final changes to district boundaries.	Board of Supervisors Chambers, 2800 W. Burrel, Visalia, CA

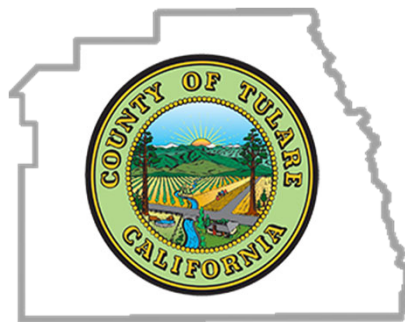
**DECEMBER 15, 2021** - Legal deadline for the County to adopt new supervisorial district boundaries

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MEETING IS ADJOURNED



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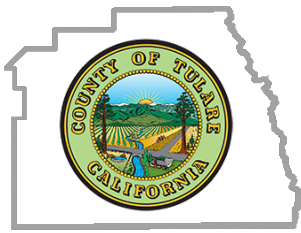
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## COMMISSION MEETING PARTICIPATION

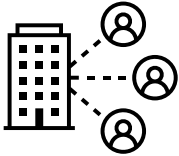
### PARTICIPATION & PUBLIC COMMENT FLYER

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## TULARE COUNTY ADVISORY COMMISSION ON SUPERVISORIAL REDISTRICTING



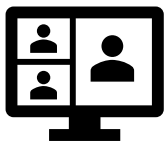
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**To participate virtually via Zoom webinar:**

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Phone: (669) 900-9128; Webinar ID: 996 2446 8577; Passcode 589218

**To make a public comment during the meeting:**

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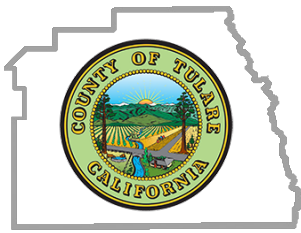


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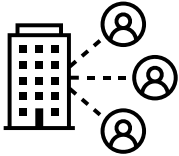
Comments submitted before 5:00 p.m. the day before the meeting, will be distributed to the Commissioners and posted online ahead of the meeting for the public record. You can submit public comments by:

1. Email [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)
  - Subject: Redistricting
2. Mail to: Tulare County Redistricting: 2800 W. Burrell Ave., Visalia, CA 93291

**To sign up to receive Redistricting agenda notices email:** [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)



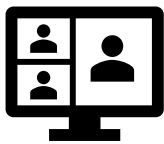
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**Para dar un comentario público durante la reunión vía Zoom:**

Use la herramienta de Q&A (Pregunta y Respuesta). Deberá incluir:

- Su nombre
- Organización (si hay alguna)
- Numero de la agenda

Si prefiere participar vía Zoom usando su teléfono, presione \*9 para levantar su mano de manera virtual. Cuando sea su turno, presione \*6 para prender su micrófono y poder dar su comentario.



**Comentario Publico:** para enviar su comentario por escrito:

Sus comentarios deben ser entregados antes de las 5:00 p.m. el día antes de la reunión, serán distribuidos a los Comisionados y publicados en línea antes de que empiece la reunión para el registro público. Puede entregar sus comentarios escritos:

1. Correo electrónico [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)
  - Tema: Redistribución
2. Enviados por correo: Redistribución del Condado de Tulare  
2800 W. Burrell Ave., Visalia, CA 93291

Para inscribirse para recibir las agendas de las reuniones mande un correo electrónico a:  
[Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov)

Preguntas: Contacte a la oficina de Administración del Condado al (559) 636-5005 o visite el sitio web de Redistribución <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/>



# APPENDIX I

## COMMUNITY MAP SUBMISSION

### HOW TO SUBMIT A MAP FLYER

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# COUNTY OF TULARE REDISTRICTING 2021

## COMMUNITY MAP SUBMISSION & REVIEW

This document provides general guidance regarding how the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting (Commission) will receive and review community-proposed maps (community maps). **The deadline to submit community maps to the Commission for consideration is October 19, 2021.**

### Map Formats

The Commission will consider community maps in the following formats:





1. Electronic maps (created with GIS or other map-drawing software)
2. Hand-drawn maps
3. A written description of proposed boundaries

### What Information to Include?

To the extent practicable, maps should include the following information:

1. Your name and contact information. Contact information will be used for notification purposes only.
2. Your map's name. Staff will also assign your map a number for tracking purposes.
3. Total population data for each district (Redistricting Criteria #1).
4. Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) data for each district (Redistricting Criteria #2).
5. Any other documentation or rationale used in developing your map.

### How to Submit a Map?

	<b>Through County Redistricting Software.</b> If you create a map using the County's Redistricting Software, you may submit that map to the commission using the "Submit Plan" button.
	<b>At a Commission Meeting.</b> Community members are invited to present their maps during the "Community Map Presentations" period of Commission meetings. If possible, please provide fifteen (15) copies of your map and any supporting documents for each of the Commissioners. If you need assistance creating copies, please email <a href="mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov">Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov</a> or call (559) 636-5000. Any documents prepared for the Commissioners should be handed to the Secretary of the Commission (Clerk of the Board) at the start of your presentation.
	<b>By Email.</b> Maps and supporting documentation may be emailed to <a href="mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov">Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov</a>
	<b>By Mail.</b> Maps and supporting documentation may be mailed to the following address, and must be received by October 19, 2021 for Commission consideration: Tulare County Redistricting Commission 2800 W. Burrell Ave. Visalia, CA 93291

### County Review Process

Maps submitted by the Tuesday before a Commission meeting or during the "Community Map Presentations" period of a Commission meeting will be placed on the next Commission agenda for consideration. You will be notified of the Commission meeting in which your map will be considered and invited to present your map on that date.

For more information, please email [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov) or visit <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/>





# CONDADO DE TULARE -REDISTRIBUCIÓN DE DISTRITOS 2021 ENVÍO Y REVISIÓN DEL MAPA DE LA COMUNIDAD

Este documento proporciona una guía general sobre cómo la Comisión recibirá y revisará los mapas (mapas de la comunidad) propuestos por la comunidad tocante la Redistribución de Distritos Supervisores (Comisión) de 2021. El último día para enviar mapas de la comunidad a la Comisión para su consideración es el 19 de octubre de 2021.

## Formatos de Mapa

La Comisión considerará mapas comunitarios en los siguientes formatos:





1. Mapas electrónicos creados con GIS (sistema de información geográfica) u otro sistema/programa de dibujo de mapas.
2. Mapas dibujados a mano
3. Una descripción escrita de los límites propuestos.

## ¿Qué información debo incluir?

En la medida de lo posible, los mapas deberían incluir la siguiente información:

1. Su nombre e información de contacto. La información de contacto se utilizará únicamente con fines de notificación.
2. El nombre de su mapa. El personal también asignará un número a su mapa para fines de seguimiento.
3. Datos de población total para cada distrito (Criterio de redistribución de distritos # 1).
4. Datos de población en edad de votar (CVAP) para cada distrito (Criterio de redistribución de distritos # 2).
5. Cualquier otra documentación o justificación utilizada para desarrollar su mapa.

## ¿Cómo enviar un mapa?

	<b>A través del Programa de redistribución de distritos del condado.</b> Si crea un mapa utilizando el programa de redistribución de distritos del condado, puede enviar ese mapa a la comisión mediante el botón "Enviar plan".
	<b>En una reunión de la Comisión.</b> Se invita a los miembros de la comunidad a presentar sus mapas durante el período de las reuniones de la Comisión de "Presentaciones de mapas de la comunidad". Si es posible, proporcione quince (15) copias de su mapa y cualquier documento de respaldo para cada uno de los Comisionados. Si necesita ayuda para crear copias, envíe un correo electrónico a <a href="mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov">Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov</a> o llame al (559) 636-5000. Cualquier documento preparado para los Comisionados debe entregarse al Secretario de la Comisión (Secretario de la Junta) al comienzo de su presentación.
	<b>Por Correo Electrónico.</b> Los mapas y la documentación de respaldo se pueden enviar por correo electrónico al: <a href="mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov">Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov</a>
	<b>Por Correo</b> Los mapas y la documentación de respaldo pueden enviarse por correo a la siguiente dirección y deben recibirse antes del 19 de octubre de 2021 para que la Comisión los considere: Tulare County Redistricting Commission 2800 W. Burrell Ave. Visalia, CA 93291

## Proceso de revisión del condado

Los mapas presentados el martes antes de una reunión de la Comisión o durante el período de "Presentaciones de mapas de la comunidad" de una reunión de la Comisión se incluirán en la próxima agenda de la Comisión para su consideración. Se le notificará de la reunión de la Comisión en la que se considerará su mapa y se le invitará a presentar su mapa en esa fecha. Para más información, envíe un correo electrónico al [Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov](mailto:Redistricting@tularecounty.ca.gov) or visite la pagina <https://tularecounty.ca.gov/redistricting/>



# APPENDIX J

## CONSIDERED MAPS

### SUMMARY OF COMMISSION- CONSIDERED MAPS

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Summary of Maps Considered by the 2021 Advisory Commission on Supervisorial Redistricting

10/21/2021

Community Maps						A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
						< 5%	>55%												
#	Map Number	Map Name	Submit Date	Action	Final Data	Population Deviation	D1 HCVAP	D2 HCVAP	D3 HCVAP	D4 HCVAP	D5 HCVAP	3 HCVAP 55%+	Mountains in One District	Tulare Whole	West Goshen in D4	Woodlake in D4	Strathmore, Lindsay, Farmersville together	Terra Bella & Ducor with Porterville	Tribal Land Together
1	COM-001	Equity Coalition	08/26/21	Revised	N	0.03%	58.2%	63.9%	35.4%	63.3%	43.8%	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
2	COM-001a	Equity Coalition	09/09/21	Revised	N	0.06%	57.6%	63.1%	34.5%	62.3%	42.8%	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
3	COM-001b	Equity Coalition	09/30/21	9/30 - Recommended	Y	0.13%	57.7%	63.2%	35.0%	62.4%	43.1%	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
4	COM-002	Wells	09/23/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	0.14%	50.4%	55.8%	41.9%	60.8%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
5	COM-002a1	Wells	10/14/21	10/21 - Recommended	Y	0.04%	52.3%	55.8%	39.1%	62.4%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
6	COM-002a2	Wells	10/14/21	Withdrawn	Y	0.03%	54.1%	55.8%	38.3%	61.6%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
7	COM-003	Verduzco	09/23/21	Revised	Y	6.04%	57.7%	55.8%	35.5%	63.5%	47.3%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
8	COM-003a	Verduzco	10/14/21	10/21 - Recommended	Y	4.72%	58.0%	55.8%	35.5%	63.2%	47.2%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
9	COM-004	Taylor	09/30/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.08%	49.3%	55.7%	41.2%	62.6%	49.7%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
10	COM-004a	Taylor	10/19/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	1.56%	49.1%	55.4%	41.5%	63.0%	49.5%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
11	COM-005	Kindschuh	10/01/21	Revised	Y	0.21%	54.3%	50.6%	41.8%	64.0%	47.7%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
12	COM-005a	Kindschuh	10/12/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	0.48%	50.5%	55.8%	41.0%	63.7%	47.7%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
13	COM-005b	Kindschuh	10/17/21	10/21 - Recommended	Y	0.41%	56.3%	55.9%	36.3%	63.7%	47.7%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
14	COM-006	Mattis	10/07/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	0.06%	46.9%	55.7%	45.2%	59.7%	49.9%	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
15	COM-007	Ramos	10/13/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.98%	48.0%	55.8%	40.5%	65.1%	49.8%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
16	COM-008	Blaco, 2 Mtn	10/14/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	3.53%	50.2%	55.7%	40.3%	61.3%	50.7%	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
17	COM-009	Blaco, EastWest	10/14/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	1.70%	45.9%	51.3%	41.1%	66.3%	53.9%	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N
18	COM-010	Blaco, 1 Mtn	10/14/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	1.60%	46.4%	55.7%	40.6%	62.2%	54.0%	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N
19	COM-011	Blaco, D4 Reach	10/14/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	2.30%	51.6%	49.0%	43.9%	63.4%	49.9%	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y
20	COM-012	Kindschuh	10/18/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	0.91%	56.1%	57.4%	36.3%	63.3%	47.0%	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
21	COM-013	Tootle	10/14/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	0.52%	47.2%	55.9%	42.6%	62.5%	49.8%	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
22	COM-014	Doe	10/15/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	0.43%	57.2%	55.5%	35.7%	63.6%	47.9%	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
23	COM-015	Mattis	10/14/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	0.09%	58.2%	46.0%	45.4%	62.1%	46.2%	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
24	COM-016	Salinas	10/16/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	3.33%	48.8%	55.6%	42.4%	61.6%	50.1%	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Commission Maps

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						Population Deviation	D1 HCVAP	D2 HCVAP	D3 HCVAP	D4 HCVAP	D5 HCVAP	3 HCVAP 55%+	Mountains in One District	Tulare Whole	West Goshen in D4	Woodlake in D4	Strathmore, Lindsay, Farmersville together	Terra Bella & Ducor with Porterville	Tribal Land Together
1	ARC-001		09/30/21	Revised	N	2.78%	55.5%	55.6%	37.7%	62.7%	47.4%	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y
2	ARC-001a		10/07/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.62%	54.9%	55.8%	37.9%	63.2%	47.8%	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
3	ARC-002		09/30/21	Revised	N	2.94%	52.1%	55.6%	39.7%	63.4%	47.4%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
4	ARC-002a		10/07/21	10/21 - Eliminated	Y	2.74%	51.8%	55.7%	40.1%	63.7%	47.6%	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
5	ARC-003		09/30/21	Revised	N	1.89%	58.2%	55.9%	36.2%	59.1%	49.5%	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
6	ARC-003a		10/07/21	Revised	Y	2.17%	57.7%	55.9%	36.5%	59.5%	49.7%	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
7	ARC-003b1		10/14/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	2.13%	56.3%	55.9%	36.0%	61.8%	49.7%	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
8	ARC-003b2		10/14/21	10/14 - Eliminated	Y	1.98%	54.5%	60.3%	36.1%	60.3%	48.9%	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
9	ARC-004		09/30/21	9/30 - Eliminated	N	2.75%	55.3%	56.0%	36.6%	59.1%	51.9%	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
10	ARC-005		09/30/21	Revised	N	1.58%	60.1%	55.1%	36.5%	62.9%	45.5%	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
11	ARC-005a		10/07/21	10/7 - Eliminated	Y	2.85%	57.2%	55.4%	36.8%	62.8%	48.0%	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
12	ARC-006		10/07/21	10/7 - Eliminated	Y	1.52%	46.6%	62.8%	39.0%	61.7%	50.6%	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N
13	ARC-007		10/07/21	10/7 - Eliminated	Y	1.31%	50.9%	60.2%	38.9%	60.2%	48.9%	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y