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Fwd: CD visualizations for tomorrow's (6/24) meeting

1 message

Barabba, Vincent <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Sep 9, 2011 at 10:59 AM

To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

Forwarded conversation

Subject: Fwd: CD visualizations for tomorrow's (6/24) meeting

From: Ancheta, Angelo <[REDACTED]>

Date: Thu, Jun 23, 2011 at 10:51 PM

To: Commissioners <[REDACTED]>

For those of you working late tonight, see the link below for the visualizations that have been developed for possible section 2 VRA districts and that are up for discussion on Friday. Please note that these are merely explorations of possible districts if the commission is trying to follow certain recommendations or make alterations to its current districts. Because of the complications of LA County, some of the adjacent districts have been drawn as visualizations to see how wide the ripples might be because of the section 2 districts. All of these are, of course, for discussion purposes.

Also, we will be discussing a number of other areas containing potential section 2 districts, but no visualizations were developed, largely because the recommendations would not involve significant changes to the first draft, or there appeared to fewer effects on the region (which is never really a safe assumption, but we'll see what evolves).

Angelo

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From: Ana Henderson <[REDACTED]>

Date: Thu, Jun 23, 2011 at 5:52 PM

Subject: CD visualizations for tomorrow's (6/24) meeting

To: "Sargis, Janeece" <[REDACTED]> "Shupe, Christina" <[REDACTED]> "Claypool, Daniel" <[REDACTED]>

Cc: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> "nicoleboyle.q2" <[REDACTED]> Alex Woods <[REDACTED]> "Ancheta, Angelo" <[REDACTED]> "DiGuilio, Michelle" <[REDACTED]> "Blanco, Maria" <[REDACTED]>

Hello Christina and Janeece,

I hope you are doing well!

The below zip file contains .pdfs of screen shots of visualizations that will be discussed during the daytime portion of tomorrow's CRC work. These are the visualizations that Commissioner Ancheta requested us to provide for posting.

http://dl.dropbox.com/u/29753445/2011.06.22_q2_congressional_visualizations_final.zip

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns about the files.

Thanks,

Ana

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Angelo Ancheta
Commissioner
California Citizens Redistricting Commission

From: **Blanco, Maria** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Thu, Jun 23, 2011 at 11:55 PM
To: "Ancheta, Angelo" <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Commissioners <[REDACTED]>

Thank you for this hard work, this will help us a great deal tomorrow.

Maria

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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: Fw: RE: Seeking Feedback: PowerPoint Template for 2/26 Educational Presentations

Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:41 PM

To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

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From: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
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To: [REDACTED]

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From: "Bonnie E. Glaser" <[REDACTED]>

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Date: Fri, 18 Feb 2011 00:47:14 -0800

Subject: RE: Seeking Feedback: PowerPoint Template for 2/26 Educational Present ations
To Commission Ontai and others:

Karin and I had the following comments about the template and the invite and I have conveyed these over the phone to Sarah; she said she would be incorporating them into revised versions.

PPT Template:

It must be clear that the PPT template is a suggestion only, as we do not want the groups that already have ppts on this topic have to do a lot of revision to fit the structure. It is not clear from the first draft that its not a mandatory structure. For example, the first slide says 'feel free to pick your own background' as though that was the only part that is discretionary.

Sarah and I discussed the reason for the template and she explained that it was to bring out the points that the commissioners would want to know about each organization's outreach and preclude the commissioners from having to ask follow up questions to gather that same information for each speaker. I suggested that it be clearly written in the template that these are suggestions based on what the commissioners would like to hear about outreach (if in fact that is the case), but whatever the organization wanted to convey about their outreach was fine.

The tone of the PPT is patronizing...ie its telling the organization that they do not know how to structure a ppt and therefore they are being given a fill-in-the-blanks format. The PPT tips on slide 9 further emphasize

this message. It seems unlikely that groups who do not have experience with creating powerpoints would read and absorb those tips.

The PPT slides artificially separate what groups are doing now, about to start, plan to do, hope to do, etc. For example, 'languages we are providing materials in' is present tense...what about languages the group plans to provide materials in?

The Maps slide seems unnecessary and doesn't take a whole slide to answer. Also its too vague...it sounds like the question was meant to be asking if the organization is planning to submit a 'state-wide plan,' which is different from 'maps.' Also, maybe the organization does not know yet whether they will do this. The larger groups that are planning to submit statewide plans will know whether to include that information or not in their presentation.

The Suggestions slide has awkward and abstract wording.

Bullet 1.) Possible alternatives: 'We recommend that the CRC do x,y,z to be most successful.' We'd like to see the CRC do x,y,z or keep doing x,y z.

Bullet 2.) Unclear what this means 'engage us.' Interact with us?

Bullet 3) 'come out locally' isn't the correct phrasing. We think its meant to be something like 'what the CRC should know when they come to my region.'

Invitation:

Header: 'reaching out to the community' is awkward. What is 'the community'? Is there just one community? A better word for this might be the organization's 'constituents.' Possible alternative is straightforward: 'What outreach is your organization doing about redistricting?' or 'How is your organization reaching out to its constituents about redistricting?' Also 'about redistricting' or 'on redistricting' is awkward...perhaps it should be 'on the topic of redistricting.'

Sentence in brown font about the 'objective.':

- Don't use word 'citizen' in these materials as that brings up a discussion of citizens versus non-citizen residents of the state, and that is not relevant for this topic.
- 'citizen-based organizations and groups statewide' is also too limiting. Suggested alternative: 'local and statewide organizations'...this can include non-profits, government, and educational institutions (like us at UCB).
- The last sentence explains that the template is available to assist in preparing a presentation – that is much more clear than the way the actual template reads. And re 'standardizing presentations' – why is standardizing important? This needs to be removed or explained.

That sums it up. Thank you for giving us an opportunity to provide input.

Bonnie Glaser

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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Re: Availability of Q2 Mappers on Tuesday - 6/28

1 message

Barabba, Vincent <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Sep 9, 2011 at 11:02 AM

To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

On Mon, Jun 27, 2011 at 10:01 AM, Ancheta, Angelo <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Karin --

Vince and Connie are coming to Q2 on Tuesday to look at L.A. assembly and senate options for VRA compliance. Will Nicole be available starting in the morning?

I have to be in San Jose in the morning, but I'll be arriving around noon. I'll need to work with Tamina and Jaime for a while to look at some of the section 5 districts for Monterey and Merced in order to address some of the testimony in San Jose, in particular Joaquin Avila's argument about potential claims of intentional discrimination.

At least one or two of us will be staying longer in the day and not going to the Sacramento hearing. Does scheduling work?

Angelo

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Angelo Ancheta
Commissioner
California Citizens Redistricting Commission



Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: ADs for Regions I, II, III

Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]>
To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 3:04 PM








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From: **Ana Henderson** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Mon, Jun 6, 2011 at 9:56 PM
Subject: ADs for Regions I, II, III
To: "Sargis, Janece" <[REDACTED]> "Claypool, Daniel" <[REDACTED]> "Shupe, Christina" <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> Ana Henderson <[REDACTED]>

Hi all,
Attached are the draft ADs for Regions I, II, and III. I'm having a little trouble with zip files on this computer, so will send the attachments for the ADs in a few emails rather than one huge email...sorry for any inconvenience.
Thanks,
Ana

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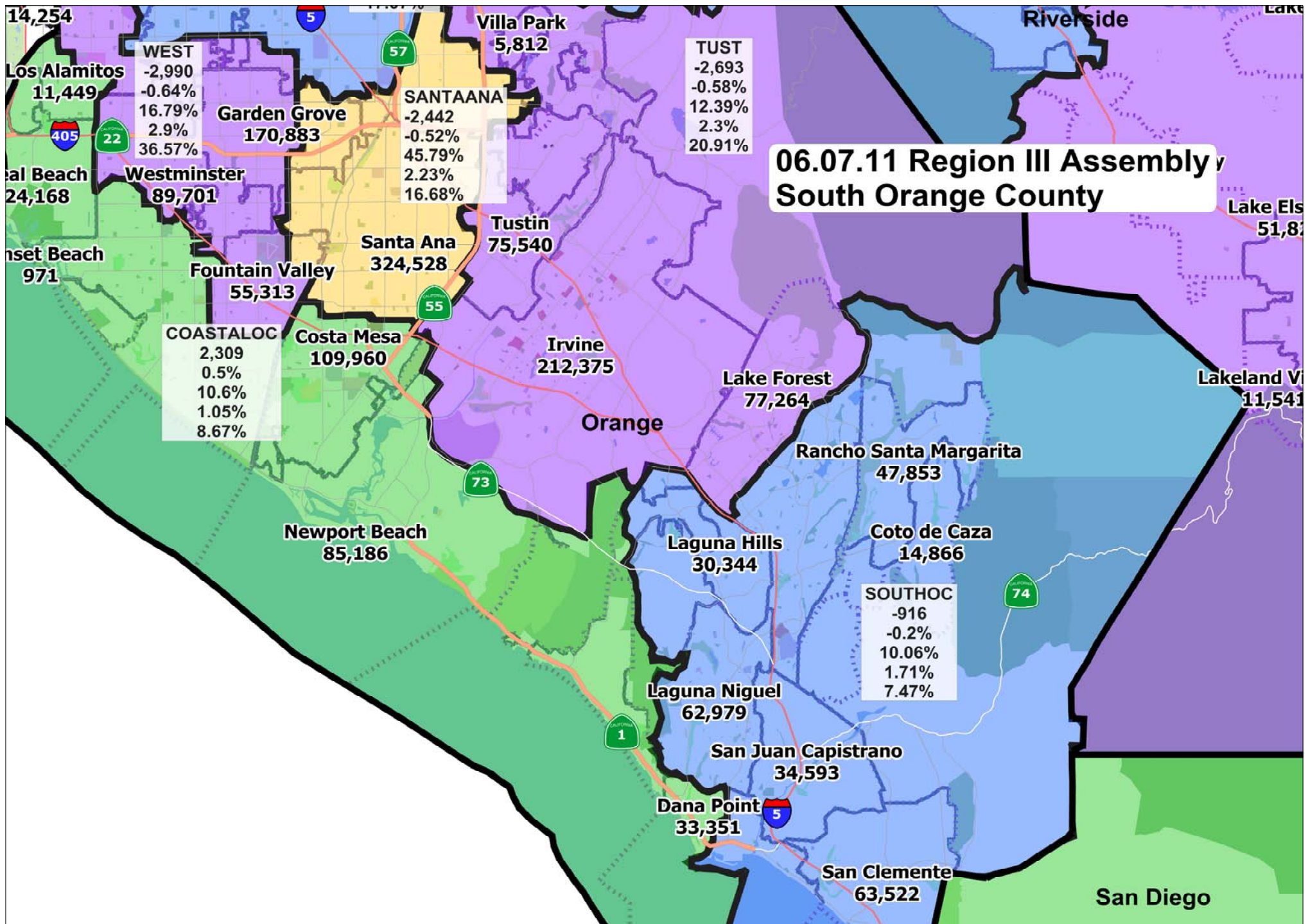
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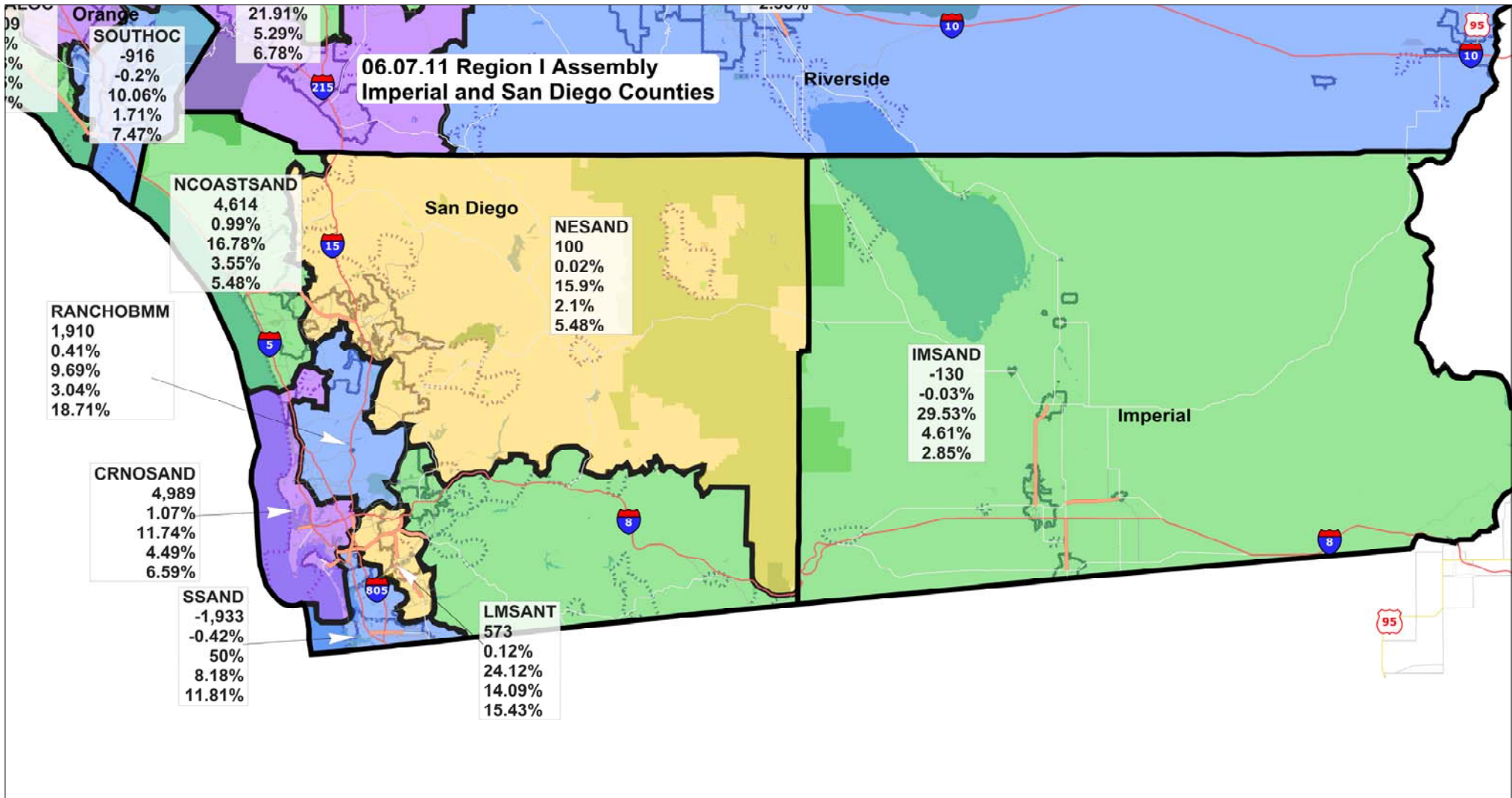
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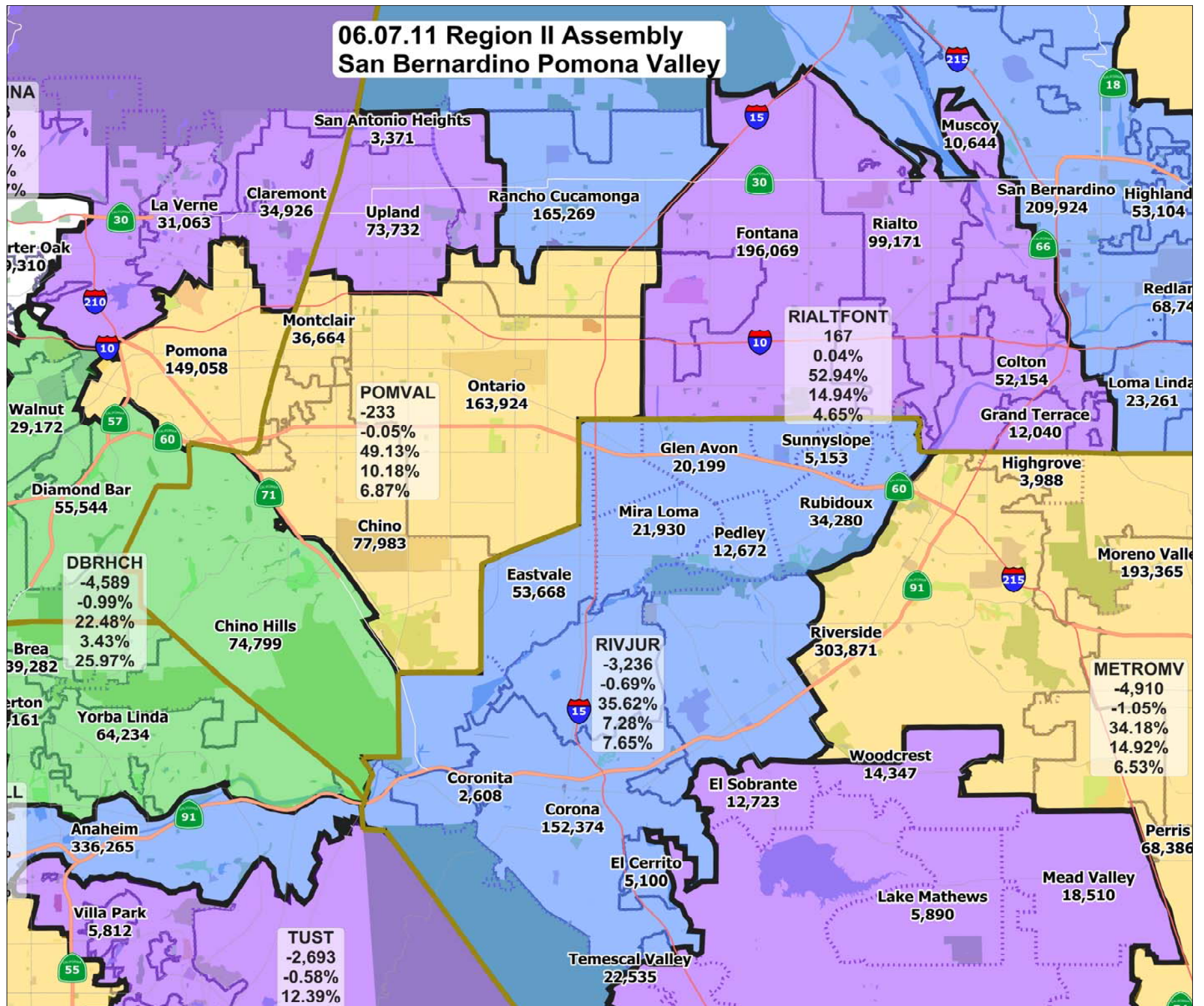
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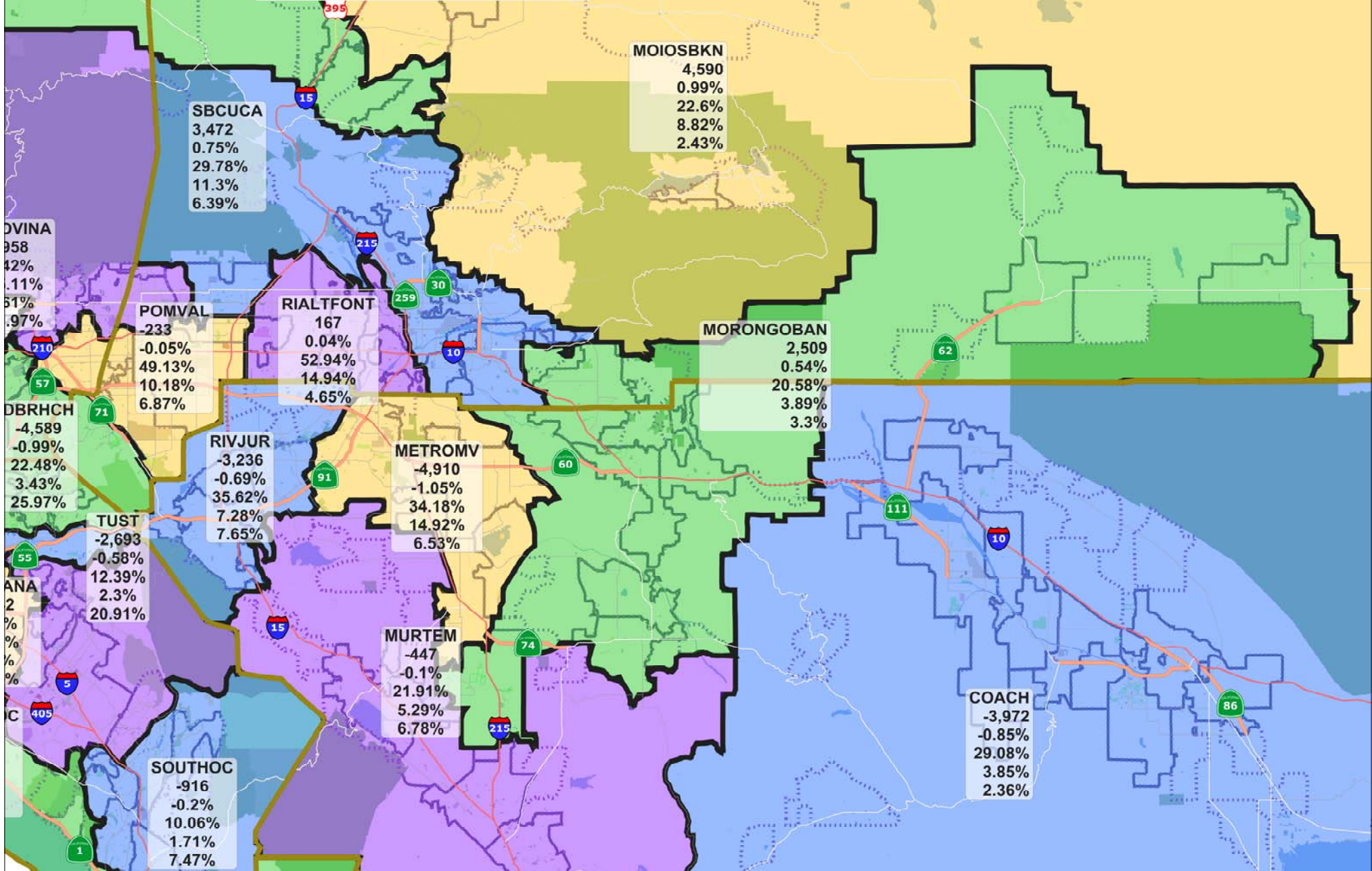
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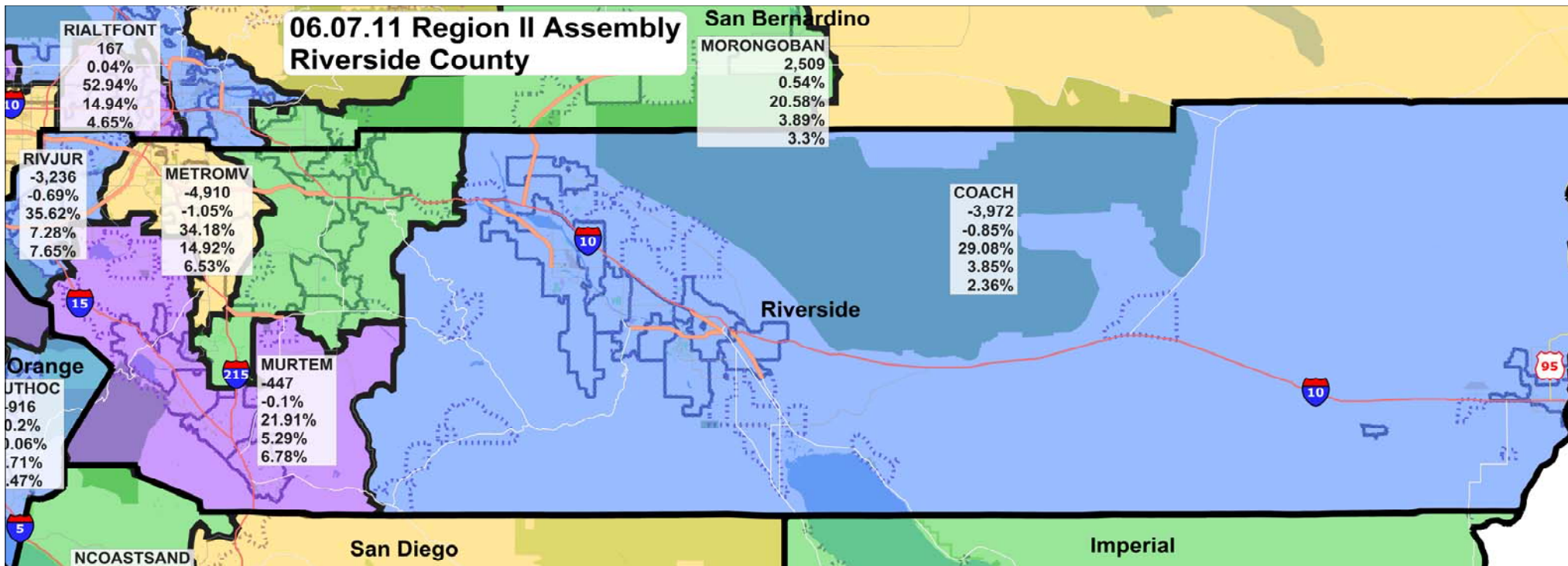
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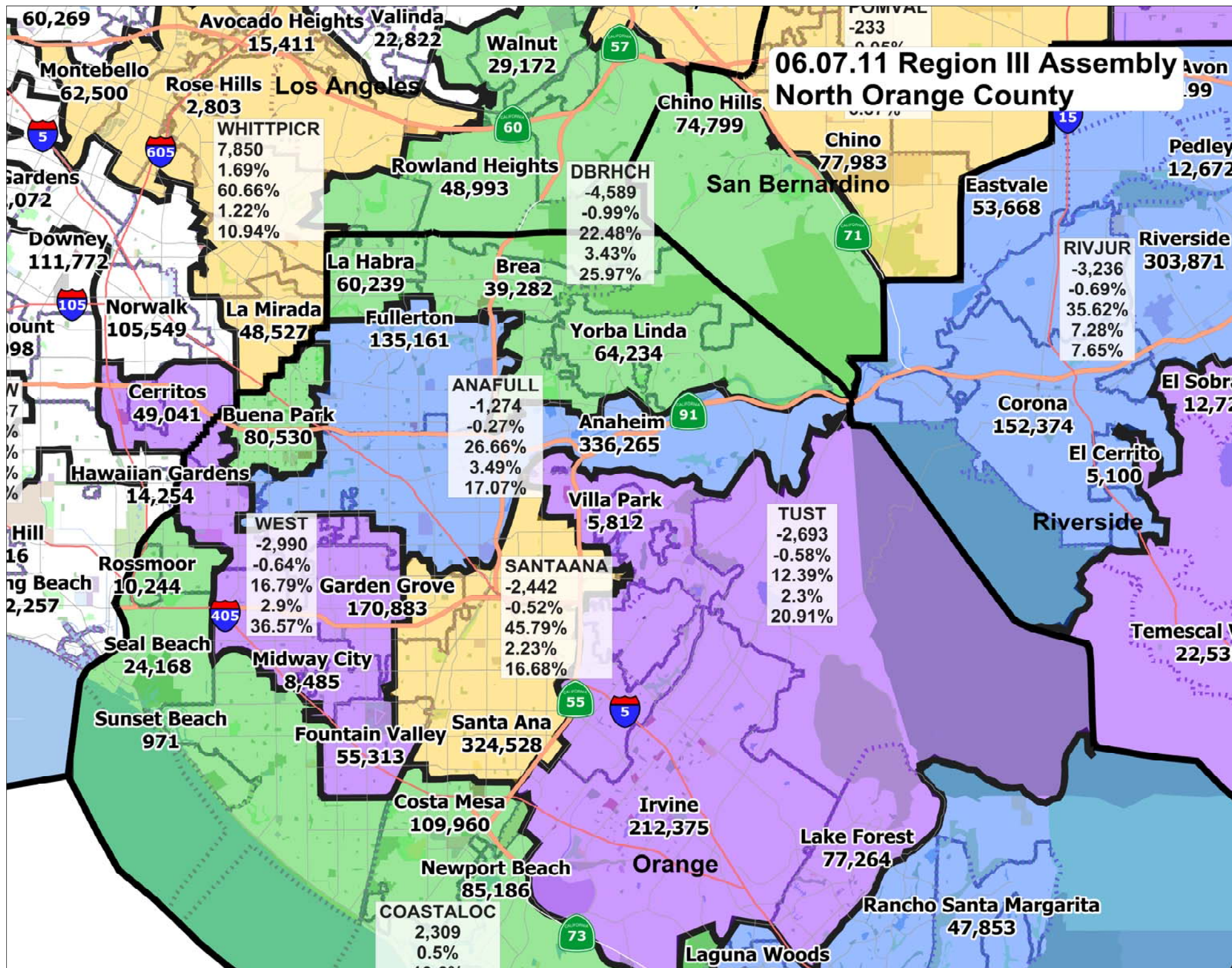


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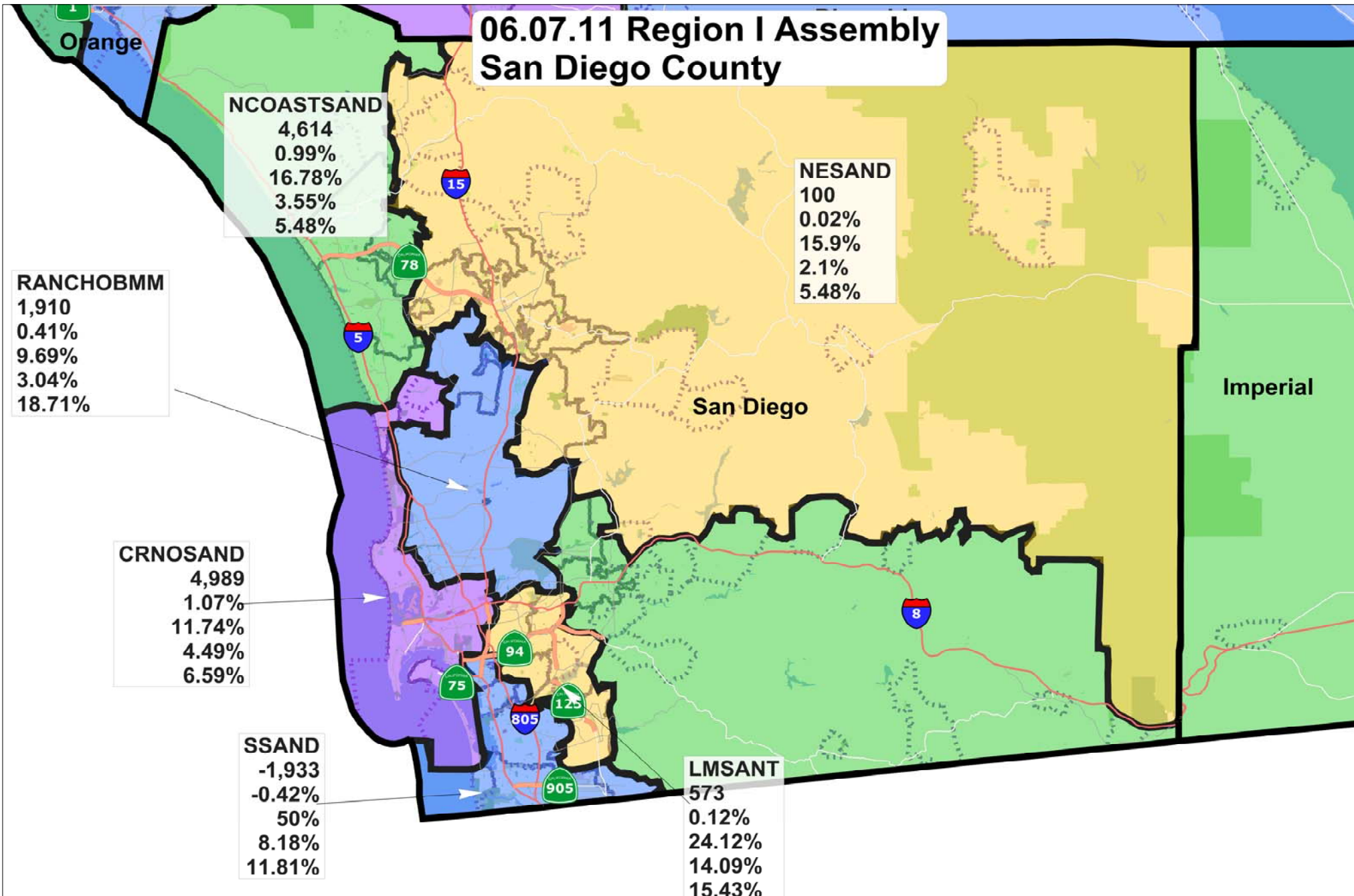
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Fwd: Call Agenda

Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 3:04 PM

To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

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From: **Miller, Kirk** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Sun, Jun 5, 2011 at 8:48 PM

Subject: Fwd: Call Agenda

To: Gil Ontai <[REDACTED]> Gabino Aguirre <[REDACTED]>

Gil,

This does not not look so bad to me. If the afternoon shift can start with the Section 2 and 5 districts, I think that is a about what can be done for efficiency. Could you help stir us in that direction?
Kirk

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From: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]>

Date: Sun, Jun 5, 2011 at 4:17 PM

Subject: Re: Call Agenda

To: Gil Ontai <[REDACTED]> Gabino Aguirre <[REDACTED]>

Cc: Ana Henderson <[REDACTED]> "Miller, Kirk" <[REDACTED]>

hello commissioners ontai and aguirre,
i just wanted to let you know in advance that the grouping of section 2 and section 5 districts will not be possible. q2 is coming up in 2 shifts, with the los angeles and southern california areas going first, in the morning until mid afternoon, and northern ca/central valley areas in the afternoon. we have been, and will continue to work around the clock to get to tuesday and i can not have all of my people at this hearing for 12 hours+ (plus ~3.5hrs of drive time). they need to be able to get some rest some time and i need the first shift to immediately go back to oakland to start implementing your directions to finish the draft maps.
thanks and best regards,
karin

On Sun, Jun 5, 2011 at 3:49 PM, Miller, Kirk <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>
> Gill and Gibano:
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> There is always plenty to review in the weekly call with Gibson Dunn
> and Q2, but in addition to getting some input on the maps in their
> present form, it will be useful for us to consider the following:

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> 1. Dan Kolkey's participation in Tuesday's meeting. I hope we can
> group the Section 2 and Section 5 districts so that he will not have
> to be there for the full, published hours of 9:00am to 9:00pm. We
> would like to think about using his time as productively as possible;
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> 2. The response to Common Cause. We are prepared, with the
> Commission's concurrence, to respond to the letter, and there are a
> couple of ways to approach it. We should be able to conclude that
> issue; and,
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> 3. Press for the draft maps. We have discussed this in the
> Commission meetings, but I'd like to add let them weigh in directly.
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> Please let me know if other matters come to mind. We would like to
> see if we can handle everything in an hour. Best wishes. Kirk
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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: checking in about wrap-up

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>
To: "Leitch, Lonn" <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:38 PM

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From: Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]>
Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 2:01 PM
Subject: Fwd: checking in about wrap-up
To: Marian Johnston <[REDACTED]>

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From: Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]>
Date: Mon, May 2, 2011 at 1:27 PM
Subject: Re: checking in about wrap-up
To: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]>

Hi, Karin--
I'm off the phone now if you have those time estimates...
--}cyn

On Mon, May 2, 2011 at 1:09 PM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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> Karin--
> It would be very helpful when we talk if you would give me some suggested time estimates for what we will need to provide adequate direction on regions 6, 4.
> I'm talking with Kirk now.
> --}cyn

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> On Mon, May 2, 2011 at 12:30 PM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>>
>> Yes, I'm in my office whenever you want to talk [REDACTED] I think the sessions went well; we just need to set expectations on the speed we'll need to move at going forward. Kirk and I are planning to introduce a resolution on discuss time limits at the 5/5 meeting. Am happy to discuss how we can contain costs given that it's the Commission's fault we're behind.
>> --}cyn

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>> On Mon, May 2, 2011 at 12:27 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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>>> hello commissioner dai,
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>>> welcome home. i know all of you must be exhausted! i'm sorry to turn the first day without a hearing into one where i need some feedback on how the next hearing should go!
>>> i contacted commissioner diguilio this morning to ask how the wrap up went in her opinion. as you know, we'd worked closely with her (and with you) on the document that was presented at the hearing, and the technical aspects (visualizations etc) and we'd agreed to check in to see whether anything needed to be adjusted or changed for the next wrap-up. we're frantically working on l.a. so that we can have a document out to all of you by wednesday at 10am. i asked whether we should have a conference call with you to talk about some of the issues that came up, and during the conversation i realized that there were some items that needed to be addressed promptly. commissioner

diguilio called me back and suggested that i get in touch with you directly.

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>>> currently, the schedule has us do the region 4 wrap-up in one day, next thursday. we'd talked about only doing the first wrap-up over a period of 2 days to give the commission time to figure out what would work. i understand that the commission has not yet been able to talk about region 6 in detail, however, we started behind schedule and we are now falling behind even more, and i am concerned that we are on a path that will force us to only do one set of draft maps. if you are available this afternoon, could we talk about how we might schedule the next wrap-up so that the commission can give q2 guidelines to start working on some of the architecture of what districts might look like given the ranked criteria and commissions' prioritizations of the criteria that are not ranked and public input etc.? i'm concerned that we're embarking upon a path where people have the expectations that these lines can be drawn in public: we simply don't have the luxury of time to be able to do this with a total of 177 districts to create.

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>>> i am also a bit under the gun because i need to let my people know what they need to prepare for, and i am worried about our costs skyrocketing due to the changes in scheduling. if the commission wants to talk about region 6 then i need to have jaime at the hearing. currently, i have nicole scheduled to be there for the l.a. wrap up (she's flying in the night before with bonnie because the hearing is at 10am in norco and we're concerned that we won't get there in time if we leave in the a.m). alex is coming in on thursday morning for the input hearings of her regions.

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>>> do you have time to talk? meanwhile, i am having my people work on the l.a. wrap up, on the public input database to incorporate written comments through last night, and on some visualizations.

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>>> please let me know - again, i'm sorry to bring this to you right after you've returned from a long week of hearings!

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>>> thanks

>>> .

>>> karin

>>> (cell is [REDACTED] and i'm currently at [REDACTED])

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Marian M. Johnston
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Fwd: Comments on 7.13.11 Assembly District Visualization for National City

Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]>
To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:44 PM

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From: **Marita (Merly) Ferrer** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Wed, Jul 20, 2011 at 12:13 PM
Subject: Comments on 7.13.11 Assembly District Visualization for National City
To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED] COPAO
<[REDACTED]>

Comments on 7.13.11 Assembly District Visualization for National City
July 20, 2011
Via electronic mail

Commissioners of the California Citizens Redistricting Commission
901 P Street, Suite 154-A
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Comments on 7.13.11 Assembly District Visualization for National City

Dear Commissioners:

I am the President of Council of Philippine American Organizations (COPAO) located in East National City. COPAO has a membership of over 50 Filipino American organizations in San Diego County. COPAO has been working closely on the redistricting maps with the Southwest Center For Asian Pacific American Law (SCAPAL), the lead organization for CAPAFR SAN DIEGO.

We support the Unity Map submitted by CAPAFR and supported by MALDEF and AARC for San Diego County Assembly and Senate Districts. We support the comments submitted by SCAPAL on July 14 and by SCAPAL and APALC on July 15 to your visualizations for our area. We also support the proposed mapping changes for San Diego County submitted by CAPAFR yesterday.

We write to focus your attention on the Assembly lines you have drawn for National City based on the visualization of July 13th. The dividing line between east and west National City you have drawn is South Euclid Avenue. This line basically isolates Filipino Americans residing in East National City in SSAND, which is a Section 2 Latino Voting's Right Act District.

Our Filipino American community has testified both in person and by electronic mail before this Commission that residents of East National City prefer to be in the adjoining LMSAND AD. Their voices will be joining a significant number of other Filipino Americans in Alta Vista, Paradise Hills, Bay Terrace, Bonita, and east Chula Vista who are already in LMSAND. (This also applies to the Senate districts.)

Our 5-page attachment will clarify where we would like the boundary lines drawn for East National City. Page 1 is the proposed changes to your lines for East National City, which is essentially what is in the Unity Map. Page 2 is a map with street identification and boundary lines drawn by the Commission and proposed by CAPAFR. Page 3 lists the street designations for East National City we support. Pages 4 and 5 identify the Filipino American institutions in East National City.

As testified previously, East National City is the hub for social, cultural, health and economic interests and needs of Filipino Americans as well as the larger Asian Pacific Islander (API) communities of Paradise Hills, Bay Terrace, Bonita and Chula Vista. APIs come to National City to work, socialize, worship, shop and access health and social services. This area is a contiguous community of interest that should be kept together so their residents have an equal and fair opportunity to elect representatives of their choice.

We appreciate the opportunity to submit these comments and attachment for your consideration. We look forward to your next set of visualizations.

Sincerely,

Marita (Merly) Ferrer
President, Council of Philippine American Organizations

Attachment - 5 pages

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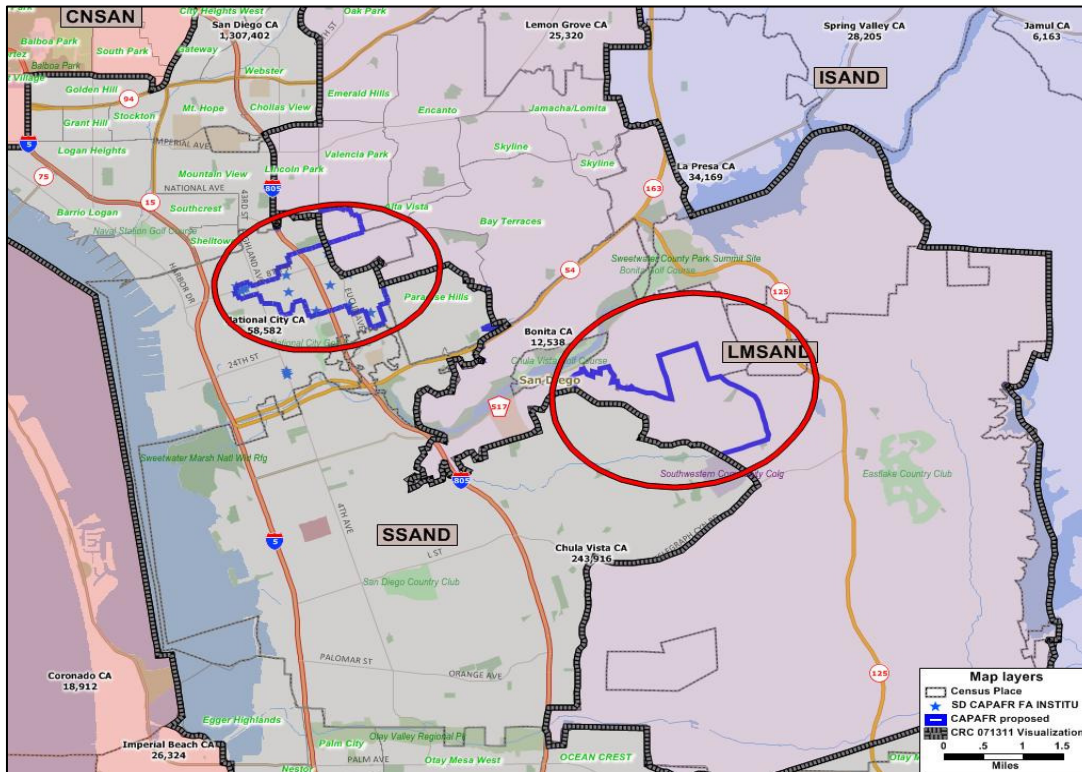


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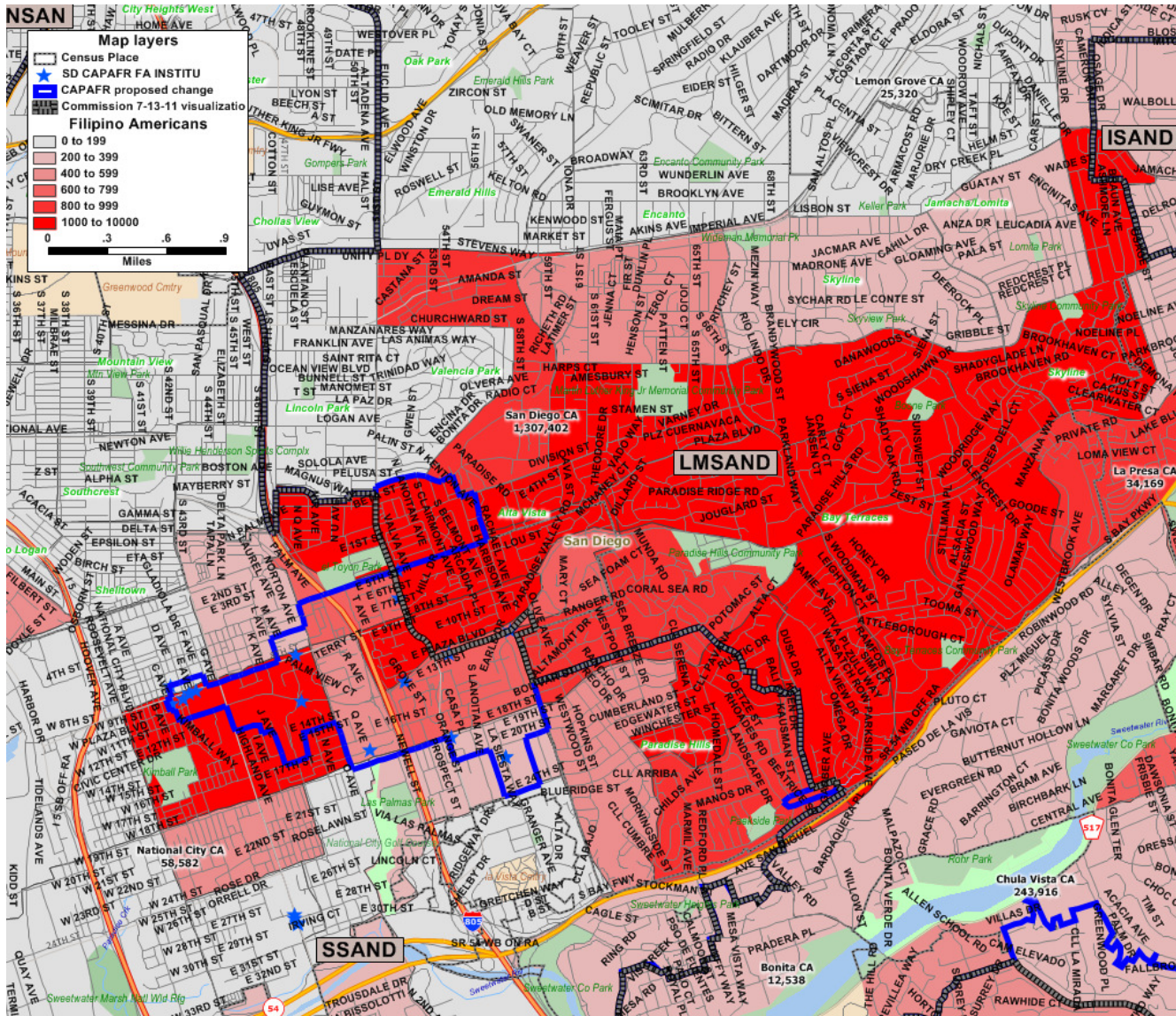
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 NATIONAL CITY
 July 19, 2011



- A: Move portion of National City into LMSAND to unite Filipino Community
- B: Move portion of National City into SSAND for population equality
- C: Move portion of Chula Vista into SSAND for population equality



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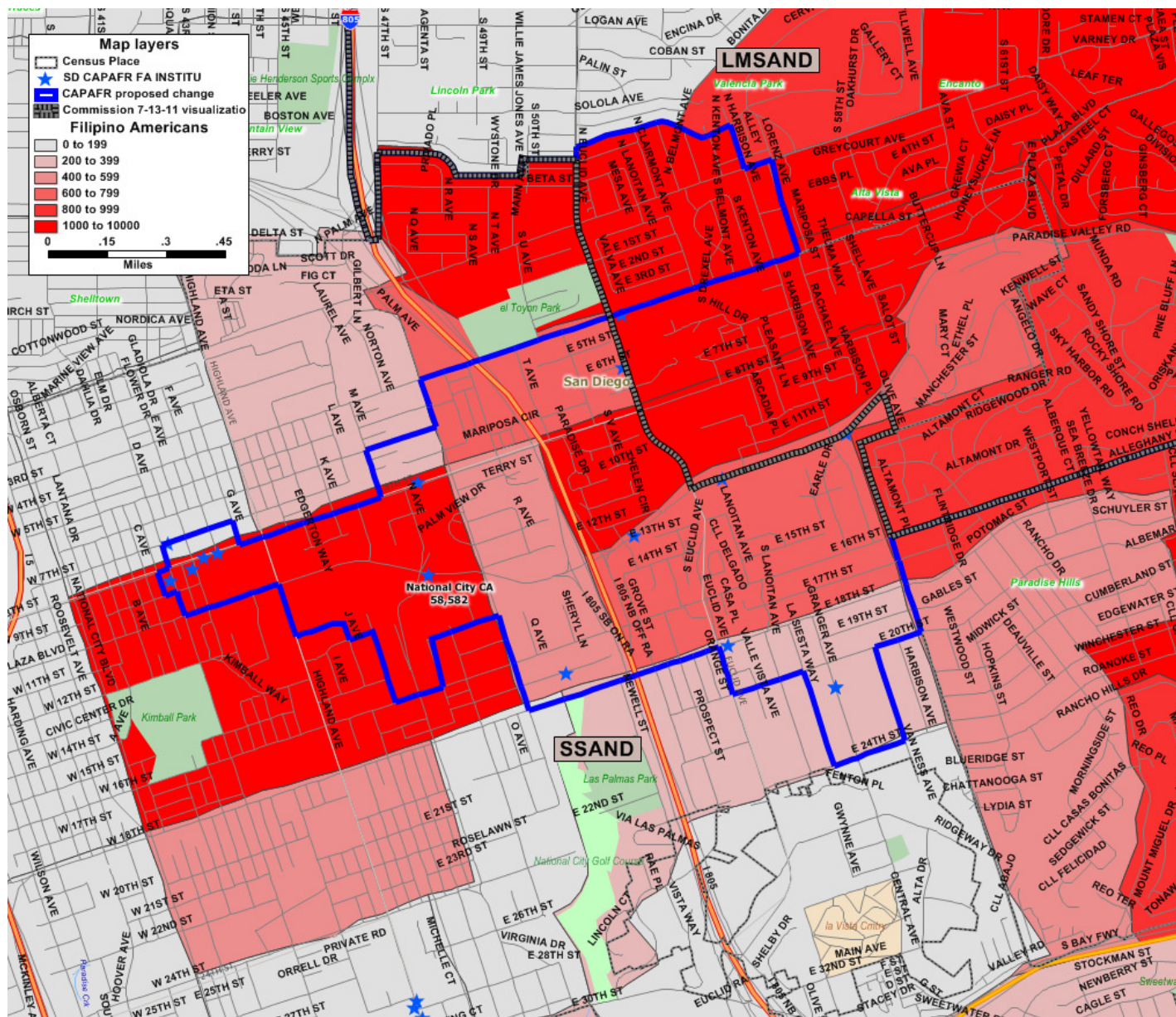


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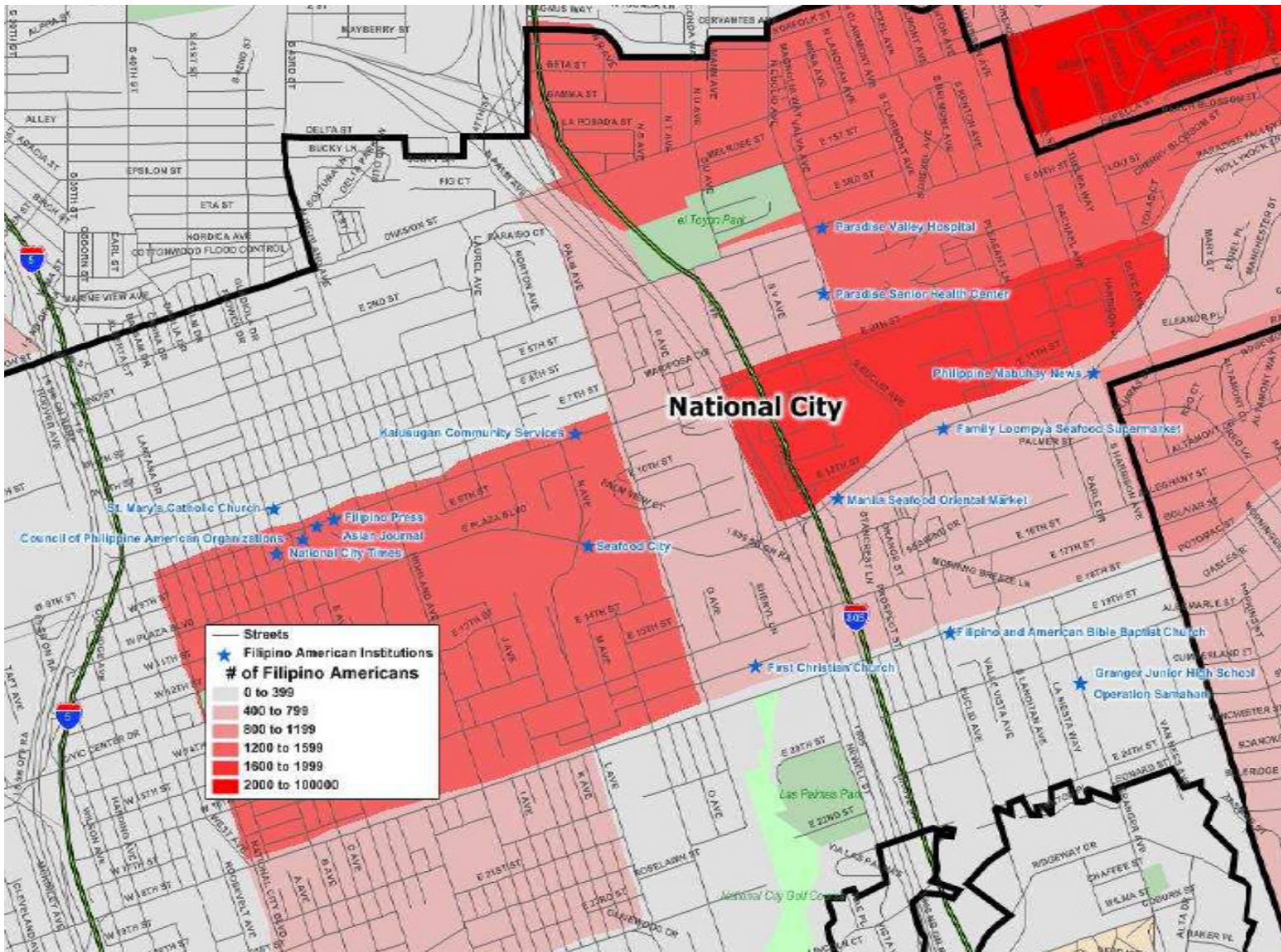
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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: Comments to Commission's Proposed Maps

Ontai, Lilbert <[REDACTED]>
To: Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Aug 19, 2011 at 2:56 PM

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From: **Mary Anne Foo** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2011 at 3:58 PM
Subject: Comments to Commission's Proposed Maps
To: [REDACTED]

Please see our attached comments to the proposed Commission Maps. Thank you for the opportunity to provide feedback.

Mary Anne Foo, MPH

Executive Director

Orange County Asian and Pacific Islander Community Alliance

[REDACTED]
Garden Grove, CA 92843

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July 14, 2011

Via electronic mail

California Citizens Redistricting Commission
901 P Street, Suite 154-A

RE: Comments About Visualizations for Orange County Districts

The Orange County Asian and Pacific Islander Community Alliance, Inc. (OCAPICA) is the lead agency for the Coalition of Asian Pacific Americans for Fair Redistricting – Orange County (CAPAFR-OC). As CAPAFR-OC, we represent different community based organizations and associations. Our comments in response to the Commission's July 2 and July 8, 2011 visualizations for Orange County districts. We make the following three comments about the Commission's visualization.

1. **North Orange County:** Both the July 2 and July 8 Assembly visualizations only keep partially intact the north county community of interest made up of Fullerton, Brea, Buena Park, Cypress, and La Palma. Fullerton, Buena Park, Cypress and La Palma appear to be kept together, but La Palma is separated from this community of interest, as are Cerritos and Artesia. In the July 8 Congressional visualization, Fullerton and La Palma are kept together, but are split from Buena Park, La Palma and Cypress; additionally, Cerritos and Artesia are in another district. The July 8th Senate visualization also keeps Fullerton and Brea together but separate from Buena Park, La Palma and Cypress.

The Commission's discussion during its business meeting where it indicated that it will look at the CAPAFR-MALDEF-AARC unity map for the north Orange County area. However, we have yet to see the Commission's visualizations for this area fully reflect the unity map, and the significant community testimony that the unity map embodies. We hope that the next iteration of visualizations will better accommodate this community of interest and generally encourage the Commission to keep as much of this community of interest intact as possible.

2. **Little Saigon:** The Commission's July 8th Assembly visualization of Little Saigon (Westminster/Garden Grove) appears to show Little Saigon being drawn into a district with eastern Long Beach. The July 8th Assembly visualization now shows Little Saigon being drawn into a district that includes Los Alamitos, Rossmore and Seal Beach, as well as the southern part of Costa Mesa (south of the 405). Rather than either scenario, our preference is for Little Saigon to be in a district with western Anaheim, similar to what is shown in the CAPAFR-MALDEF-AARC unity proposal.



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We also understand that the Commission had a discussion of drawing the Santa Ana-Anaheim district in such a way as to preserve more of the geographical integrity of the Little Saigon community of interest, by putting west Santa Ana and more of eastern Garden Grove in a district with the rest of Little Saigon. We are encouraged by this discussion and note that while it is difficult to tell for certain, the July 2nd and 8th Assembly visualizations appear to reflect this. However, the July 8th Congressional visualization does not; the July 8th Congressional visualization also splits the Little Saigon community of interest by putting Fountain Valley in

[REDACTED] We hope that the Commission will adopt the same approach in its Assembly [REDACTED] levels of government and reunite Little Saigon at the Congressional level.

On the Senate side, we encourage the Commission to look at the CAPAFR-MALDEF-AARC unity map for Southern California Senate districts. The unity map shows a substantially different configuration for Little Saigon and the Santa Ana-Anaheim than the July 8th Senate visualization.

[REDACTED] and July 8th Assembly visualizations in south Orange County split the City of Irvine, and the July 8th Congressional visualization also splits Irvine. We believe that Irvine should be kept whole at all levels of government. Residents of Irvine have pride in the city's low crime rates and strong educational system, and these are issues that they advocate with policymakers on. Having unified representation for the city is key to their ability to have fair and effective representation on these issues.

[REDACTED] is in high consideration, should you have any questions or need further comments, do not hesitate to contact me at [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]. Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments and for your consideration.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]
Mary Anne Foo
OCAPICA Executive Director
CAPAFR-OC Member



Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: agenda and handouts

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>
To: "Leitch, Lonn" <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:37 PM

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From: **Dai, Cynthia** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 3:54 PM
Subject: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: agenda and handouts
To: Marian Johnston <[REDACTED]>

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From: **Dai, Cynthia** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Wed, May 4, 2011 at 1:52 PM
Subject: Re: agenda and handouts
To: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]>

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On Wed, May 4, 2011 at 1:52 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:
any moment.

On Wed, May 4, 2011 at 1:47 PM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:
Do we have an ETA on the wrap-up materials?

On Wed, May 4, 2011 at 11:05 AM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:
me too! sounds good! ARGH!

On Wed, May 4, 2011 at 10:53 AM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:
I hope the other regions will be easier!

I went ahead and put Region 6 after our region 4 discussion. Currently, your part of the agenda looks like:

1. Q2 Data and Research Provides Regional Wrap-up (Region 4) (10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.)
 - a. **Feedback on previous regions, if available**
2. CRC discusses all information provided by Q2 Data and Research and provides line drawing direction to Q2 Data and Research, as necessary (**Region 4**). (10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.)

Lunch (12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.)

3. CRC discusses all information provided by Q2 Data and Research and provides line drawing direction to Q2 Data and Research, as necessary (continued, **plus Region 6**) (12:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.)

This is probably optimistic, but fits in the timelines you suggested. I expect to run over, and we have the flexibility to do so, but at least no one will think it reasonable to take the whole day 😊.

--}cyn

On Wed, May 4, 2011 at 10:31 AM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

hi commissioner dai

we are still working on the wrap up document. there is so much section 2 stuff going on in l.a. that the technical notes are taking FOREVER and will be nowhere near complete. i didn't sleep last night and we're making progress but i want to be able to give you a little more than what we have currently. hopefully i'll be able to get this out in the next couple of hours.

regarding jaime and the region 4 discussion: this sounds alright to me even though i have not been able to talk to nicole about whether she'll be comfortable presenting jaime's visualizations. they will need to talk this through when nicole is done with her part of the technical notes. she was only working on section 2 until around 7am this morning, and she's now figuring out how the other scenarios fit or don't fit together. if all fails then jaime needs to come down and that would be easier if the discussion were later in the day. best,

karin

On Wed, May 4, 2011 at 7:22 AM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Karin--

I'm thinking of breaking up the region 4 discussion with a working lunch on region 6, but how is Jamie doing? Do you recommend doing it first, or afterward?

Also, are we still on target to get the wrap-up docs today?

--}cyn

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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Anaheim & Pomona Valley Questions

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:35 PM

To: "Leitch, Lonn" <[REDACTED]>

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From: Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]>

Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 4:16 PM

Subject: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Anaheim & Pomona Valley Questions

To: Marian Johnston <[REDACTED]>

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From: <[REDACTED]>

Date: Mon, Jun 6, 2011 at 9:33 AM

Subject: Re: Anaheim & Pomona Valley Questions

To: Alex Woods <[REDACTED]> Cynthia Dai

<[REDACTED]> Michael Ward <[REDACTED]>

Cc: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> Ana Henderson

<[REDACTED]>

I have been reviewing public comments and waiting to hear from C. Ward for input as well. I am struggling with this and want to study it more tonight. I will tell you that despite the Artesia / Cerritos testimony, we cannot sacrifice Buena Park to LA county. At a minimum we don't want to split Artesia/cerritos and the little india area, but we can't put them in oc if it means buena park goes into la county. we need to respect county lines for the oc city of buena park, that may be the tough choice we have to make.

Jodie

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: Alex Woods <[REDACTED]>

Date: Sun, 5 Jun 2011 15:55:10 -0700

To: Filkins-Webber, Jodie<[REDACTED]>

<[REDACTED]>

Cc: Karin Mac Donald<[REDACTED]> Ana

Henderson<[REDACTED]>

Subject: Anaheim & Pomona Valley Questions

Hello Commissioner Filkins-Webber and Commissioner Dai,

I wanted to touch base with both of you with regards to Orange County - specifically the Fullerton, Yorba Linda, Brea, Placentia area. I have been trying to figure out a way to include Fullerton with Yorba Linda, Brea, and Placentia but I have been unable to.

I have configured the Anaheim district to include Anaheim and the Anaheim Hills, and part of Buena Park. I am unable to include all of

Buena Park because with the addition of Cerritos and Artesia in Orange County districts, there needs to be a population exchange with LA County (this can be done elsewhere if necessary). Also, if I were able to include all of Buena Park, I would then have to split another city in order to minimize the population deviation for the Anaheim district. The area to the south of the Anaheim district is the "West" district, which respects the Little Saigon COI and connects to Cerritos and Artesia, so I have not tried to move south for this district.

I have attached a screenshot of the area for your reference. I just wanted to see if either of you had any insight into this area to make this work. Feel free to give me a call if you want to discuss this in more detail.

Additionally, I have a question with regards to Rancho Cucamonga - it is currently split into 3 districts. I realized that if I include the unincorporated area next to Fontana in the Pomona Valley district instead of Rancho Cucamonga, we could reduce the split to 2 districts. Please let me know if this is something I should look into further.

Let me know your thoughts. Again, please feel free to call me if you would like to discuss over the phone [REDACTED]

Thank you for your help. Please know how much I appreciate your help and direction!

Best,
Alex

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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Bay Area splits?

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>
To: "Leitch, Lonn" <[REDACTED]>

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From: Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]>
Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 4:21 PM
Subject: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Bay Area splits?
To: Marian Johnston <[REDACTED]>

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From: Tamina Alon <[REDACTED]>
Date: Tue, Jun 21, 2011 at 10:36 PM
Subject: Re: Bay Area splits?
To: "Galambos-Malloy, Connie" <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Karin MacDonald <[REDACTED]> Ana Henderson
<[REDACTED]> "Dai, Cynthia" <[REDACTED]>

Here are the county splits reports!

On Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 5:18 PM, Tamina Alon <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>
> Hi Connie,
>
> Here is the city splits report that Nicole created for the 1st draft maps,
> http://dl.dropbox.com/u/29753445/20110610_q2_1st_draft_city_splits.zip
>
> There are two reports in each file. The first lists
> every city in the state, its assigned district, the total population
> of the city in the district and % of population of the city in the
> district. The 2nd version which follow the first, lists the cities in
> each district, the population of the city in the district and the % of
> the city assigned to the district. On the last page of the report, is
> a summary of total splits.
>
> We are working on a county splits report too.
>
> I am free for a conference call or meeting any time except Wednesday night (have to take my kids to the airport).
> Let me know what time works best for you!
>
> Tamina
>
> On Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 5:04 PM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie <[REDACTED]> wrote:
>>
>> Tamina...hope you are well. Cyn and I are leads on exploring Bay Area
>> options and to inform our work want to ask you for the splits list for
>> Draft 1. Also - it might be worth a conference call to touch base
>> about what you've tried so we don't retrace your steps; when might you

>> be available over the next few days prior to our Thursday/Friday
>> business meeting? We will share a Google Doc that has our notes so you
>> can get a sense of our thinking.

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>> Thanks!

>> Connie

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>> Sent from my mobile device

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>> Connie Galambos Malloy, Commissioner

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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: CD RIV and Moreno Valley

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:35 PM

To: "Leitch, Lonn" <[REDACTED]>

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From: Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]>

Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 4:20 PM

Subject: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: CD RIV and Moreno Valley

To: Marian Johnston <[REDACTED]>

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From: Alex Woods <[REDACTED]>

Date: Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 3:26 PM

Subject: Re: CD RIV and Moreno Valley

To: "Dai, Cynthia" <[REDACTED]>

Cc: [REDACTED]

City splits list:

INMSB/INMNOSB

Redlands

SBRIA/SB

Fontana

Redlands

ONTPM/ONT

Chino (the split report says population 77,362, percentage 99.2% - this is an inadvertent split we will need to look at. 621 people are in the San Gabriel Valley Diamond Bar district)

Chino Hills

Fontana

RVMVN/RVMV

Corona Pop 6,455, Percentage 4.2%

PRS/PRS

Corona Population 145,919 Percentage 95.8%

COACH/COACH

None

Thanks,

Alex

On Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 3:10 PM, Alex Woods <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>

> Yes, these are for Congressional. Sorry I used the district "short" names instead (not necessarily shorter) of the "long" names because those were the district identifiers on the Maptitude split report I just referenced. Sorry for the

confusion.

>

> INMSB= INMNOSB

> SBRIA= SB

> ONTPM= ONT

>

> The split for Chino Hills:

> SGVDB/San Gabriel Valley Diamond Bar- Population 30,578 Percentage 40.9%

> ONTPM/ONT- Population 44,221 Percentage 59.1%

>

> Let me check the report again to see if there are additional city splits for Region II.

>

> Thanks,

> Alex

>

> On Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 2:22 PM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>>

>> Alex, confirm we are working with Congressional districts right now. Besides Chino Hills, were there any other city splits?

>> --}cyn

>>

>> On Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 2:06 PM, <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>>>

>>> Let me make sure I have this straight- my paper copy of san bernardino cd is entitled "sb" inmnosb and ont. Thus, please confirm that your reference to sbira is also "sb" on our paper copy.

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>>> One more please, what is pop of chino hills in ont?

>>> Jodie

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>>> Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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>>> From: Alex Woods <[REDACTED]>

>>> Date: Mon, 20 Jun 2011 13:53:44 -0700

>>> To: Dai, Cynthia<[REDACTED]>

>>> Cc: Filkins-Webber, Jodie<[REDACTED]>

>>> Subject: Re: CD RIV and Moreno Valley

>>> Redlands- Total Pop 68,747

>>> INMSB Population 50,145 Percentage 72.9%

>>> SBRIA Population 18,602 Percentage 27.1%

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>>> Fontana - Total Pop 196,069

>>> SBRIA Population 167,175 Percentage 85.3%

>>> ONTPM Population 28,894 Percentage 14.7%

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>>> On Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 10:14 AM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>>>>

>>>> Yes, could you pls give us the population split in the current Congressional district for Redlands? Also Fontana? (How much went into each district?)

>>>> --}cyn

>>>>

>>>> On Mon, Jun 20, 2011 at 9:52 AM, Alex Woods <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>>>>>

>>>>> Hi,

>>>>> The total population for the cities of Riverside, Moreno Valley, Perris, March, Mead Valley and Good Hope combined is 594,940. (Please note this does not include unincorporated area north of Moreno Valley and Riverside to the county line.)

>>>>

>>>> The population of Romoland, Homeland and Nuevo is 14,100.

>>>>

>>>> Let me know if you need any additional info.

>>>>

>>>> Thanks,

>>>> Alex

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>>>> On Sun, Jun 19, 2011 at 5:28 PM, Filkins-Webber, Jodie <[REDACTED]> wrote:

>>>>>

>>>>> In preparation for next week -- can you give me the total pop numbers for RIV, Moreno Valley, Perris, March, Mead Valley, Good Hope, -- then tell me total pop of Romoland, Homeland Neuveo.

>>>>> I am cc Cyn on this as she will be working with me in Reg. 2.

>>>>> Thanks,

>>>>>

>>>>> --

>>>>> Jodie Filkins Webber

>>>>> Commissioner

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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Clarifications on my mapping comments

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>
To: "Leitch, Lonn" <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:36 PM

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From: **Dai, Cynthia** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 4:01 PM
Subject: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Clarifications on my mapping comments
To: Marian Johnston <[REDACTED]>

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[REDACTED]>
Date: Mon, May 30, 2011 at 10:21 AM
Subject: Re: Clarifications on my mapping comments
To: "Galambos-Malloy, Connie" <[REDACTED]>
Cc: "Dai, Cynthia" <[REDACTED]> "DiGuilio, Michelle" <[REDACTED]>

hi commissioner galambos-malloy
we can talk this afternoon - any time after 2pm will work for me.
cheers
.
karin

On Mon, May 30, 2011 at 9:54 AM, Galambos-Malloy, Connie <[REDACTED]> wrote:
Thanks Karin, much appreciated. When we talk we can address point A but as of this moment you should have all of Saturday's notes.

Perhaps we can touch base this afternoon by phone? I am working on a draft agenda and would like that to be sketched more fully first.

Connie

On Mon, May 30, 2011 at 7:58 AM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:
we have a number of problems now:
a. incomplete and at times erroneous notes and
b. still no notes at all from saturday
anything at all that you can share with us is helpful!
thanks

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karin

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ps i am available for a conference call anytime today aside from 12-2.

On Sun, May 29, 2011 at 9:27 PM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

I don't think it's a significant legal issue since the video is the official record. However, it may be very inconvenient.

--}cyn

On Sun, May 29, 2011 at 8:31 PM, DiGuilio, Michelle <[REDACTED]> wrote:

I agree that this is a significant issue, especially since it's a paper trail from one of our attorneys. I emailed Connie on this earlier in the hopes that she could address this issue as the incoming Chair. Again, I could be available tomorrow at any time for a conference call. Thanks!
Michelle

On Sun, May 29, 2011 at 8:06 PM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hi, Karin--

Unfortunately, I stopped taking notes at some point, but my memory is quite good. We can resolve any discrepancies on a conference call.

--}cyn

On Sun, May 29, 2011 at 7:33 PM, Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> wrote:

hi commissioner dai

i am happy to report that we did not get a ticket and that we had all of the equipment back in the office at 2am!

thank you for these notes and clarifications. we would REALLY APPRECIATE your notes from the past two days. my people have voiced concern with ms johnston's notes and our's are rather thin.

happy memorial day weekend to all of you

.

karin

On Sun, May 29, 2011 at 12:53 PM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Hey, Karin--

Hopefully you made it home without a ticket 😊!

I just wanted to clarify my comments yesterday:

- On the comment about keeping Parkfield in Monterey County with SLO County, I hadn't considered the fact that we would then have to consider retrogression for the SLO County district. If that is problematic, I would say don't worry about it for Assembly if we end up fixing it in the larger Senate coastal district. That is consistent with our "spread the pain" philosophy.
- Likewise on the 29 Palms area: I seem to recall that you were not able to include all of Coachella Valley in the district, so adding this area might make it worse. Since only a few people mentioned this area (who were from neighboring towns), I would say only encroach into San Bernardino county if you need the population. I don't recall hearing about Idyllwild, but it's up on a mountain and probably could go to Hemet rather than Coachella Valley.
- Per our visualization on p. 6 of our wrap-up for Regions 1,2, and 3, it looked like it might have been perfect if we added the southern part of the Salton Sea area for an Assembly district. Did that screw up the San Diego district? If so, it seems like we kept the Salton Sea whole in the larger districts, so it's OK.

I am copying the Chair and Technical Lead on these comments, and I'm sure that we'll discuss these options on the record at our upcoming line-drawing meetings. I also wanted to express my concern that some of Marian Johnston's notes for our past sessions did not seem completely accurate to me. I'm not sure what the lead time is on our session transcripts, but I'm sure any one of us would be happy to complete your notes if you are unsure in the upcoming days.

Thanks for working so hard over the holiday weekend,
--}cyn

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Leitch, Lonn <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: mappers available for Sacramento line drawing on June 29th

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Jul 26, 2011 at 2:34 PM

To: "Leitch, Lonn" <[REDACTED]>

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From: **Dai, Cynthia** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Tue, Jul 5, 2011 at 4:24 PM

Subject: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: mappers available for Sacramento line drawing on June 29th

To: Marian Johnston <[REDACTED]>

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From: **Karin Mac Donald** <[REDACTED]>

Date: Thu, Jun 23, 2011 at 11:06 AM

Subject: Re: mappers available for Sacramento line drawing on June 29th

To: "Dai, Cynthia" <[REDACTED]>

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On Thu, Jun 23, 2011 at 10:46 AM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Not suggesting not nesting at all, but figuring out where to blend...

--}cyn

On Jun 23, 2011 9:59 AM, "Karin Mac Donald" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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> i don't know what this is in reference to. just keep me posted so i can schedule people accordingly/check on their availability. fyi - if you decide not to nest AT ALL then that will require a complete remap of all of ca or the respective areas and that can not be done in a few days! so maybe that needs to be a priority. thanks

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> On Thu, Jun 23, 2011 at 9:46 AM, Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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>> If we don't deal w/section 5 and 2 this time, we absolutely MUST deal w/it at Peter's mtg. Also, I think we should review all the assy districts and discuss senate nesting (or not).

>> --}cyn

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>> On Jun 23, 2011 1:50 AM, "DiGuilio, Michelle" <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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Fwd: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Northwestern California

Johnston, Marian <[REDACTED]>
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Subject: CRP PRA, 1 Fwd: Northwestern California
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From: Dai, Cynthia <[REDACTED]>
Date: Sat, Jun 4, 2011 at 2:09 PM
Subject: Fwd: Northwestern California
To: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> Bonnie Glaser
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Cc: Stan Forbes <[REDACTED]>

Q2 team--

This is a relevant public comment about grouping western Siskiyou county with the North Coast based on the native American population. I don't think there is much population there, and it might be a reasonable split if it makes a better Sonoma county split with the Bay Area district south. My main concern is that if we split Siskiyou, that the mountain watershed that appears to include I-5 to the East is maintained in a separate district per the League of Conservation Voters presentation. The CAPAFR district 1 may be close to this. We haven't paid much attention to the Native American tribes in the north, and I hadn't realized that they extended that far inland.

--}cyn

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From: Office, Communications <[REDACTED]>
Date: Sun, May 22, 2011 at 2:03 PM
Subject: Fwd: Northwestern California
To: Commissioners <[REDACTED]> Daniel Claypool
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From: Diane Beck <[REDACTED]>
Date: Sat, May 21, 2011 at 12:01 AM
Subject: Northwestern California
To: Citizens Redistricting Commission <[REDACTED]>

Dear Commissioners:

I regret to say that I was not paying attention to redistricting--in particular the significance of the Citizen's Redistricting Commission--until I read, today, the lead story in my local newspaper, the Eureka Times-Standard.

Coastal areas of northern CA--particularly Mendocino, Humboldt, and Del Norte counties--have a great many interests in common and smallish populations. In common we share similar concerns over fisheries, coastal streams, public and private timber management, national forests, and national and state wildlife areas, parks, and conservation areas. All three include populations of Native Americans in federally recognized areas with similar concerns.

The California Coastal Commission's North District representative may be appointed from one of these three counties. Additionally, in 2010, under the Marine Life Protection Act (MLPA), these three counties comprised the North Coast Sub-Region and was the only one of four coastal Sub-Regions to submit a Single Proposal to the CA Fish and Game Commission for consideration.

These three relatively lightly populated coastal counties are largely rural and include a great amount of federal land. My perception is that our north coast concerns are understood well by our presently constituted political representatives in the U.S. Congress and the state Senate and Assembly.

Like Del Norte County, Trinity County has a very small population and a large percentage of federal land--national forest and wilderness. Their forest and fisheries issues are similar to Humboldt County's. The Trinity River in Trinity County is the major tributary of the Klamath River, the second largest salmon stream in California after the Sacramento River. Trinity County representation should be the same as the three coastal counties.

At present, the very large Siskiyou County has different representation from Humboldt, Trinity, and Del Norte counties. But geographically, it is obvious that western Siskiyou County (perhaps to around I-5)--with a very small, entirely rural population and a great percentage of federal land and the Klamath River running through it--would be far better served by representatives who deal with the same issues of concern to north coast and Trinity counties.

I doubt deeply that western Siskiyou County, with its great percentage of federal land and small population of largely Native Americans, is represented much at all as it is presently "districted." And yet, their issues of concern are similar to many of those of Humboldt, Del Norte, and Trinity counties--which in the National Geographic Atlas are all within the Klamath Mountains and all have Native American, forest, river, fisheries, and federal land issues in common.

Humboldt, Mendocino, Del Norte, Trinity, and western Siskiyou counties have a great deal more in common than they do with most of the cities and towns of the I-5 corridor east of us. Redding has a population of 90,000, as compared with the 28,000 of Eureka, Humboldt County's largest city and the largest city north of Santa Rosa along the Hwy. 101 corridor.

The Times-Standard article (5/20/11) indicates that the Commission has not visited the north coast. I wish you could drive up Hwy. 101, spend a bit of time and hold a meeting or two, and fly back over our coast, forests, ag lands, and rivers.

As well as I understand the process, I appreciate what the Commission is trying to do and thank you for it. You do not have an easy task!

Yours sincerely,

Diane Fairchild Beck

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Subject: Fwd: Public Comment: City of Benicia and Solano County
To: Karin Mac Donald <[REDACTED]> Bonnie Glaser
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Karin--
This is the public comment I referenced that nicely divided Solano County if you need to.
--}cyn

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From: Christina Arrostuto <[REDACTED]>
Date: Sun, May 22, 2011 at 8:14 AM
Subject: Public Comment: City of Benicia and Solano County
To: [REDACTED]

From: Christina Arrostuto <[REDACTED]>
Subject: City of Benicia and Solano County

Message Body:

Hello and thank you for your important and dedicated efforts. I attended the public hearing in Oakland on May 21 and didn't get a chance to speak. As a Vallejo native, current Benicia resident and

lifelong resident of Solano County, I have the following comments:

First I would like to comment on our Solano County national-level representation:

I strongly disagree with the speaker from Contra Costa County who didn't think that any of Solano County should be in the 10th Congressional District. As funny as they may look to someone not familiar with Solano County and the East Bay and Sacramento Valley Regions, the representation we have for Solano on the national level is quite appropriate and works well for us. This is because there are distinct differences within Solano County that lend us to have multiple "communities of interest" in the region.

--If you grow up in the Vallejo/Benicia area, you believe you grew up in the San Francisco Bay Area.

--If you grow up in Vacaville/Dixon area, you think you grew up in the Sacramento Valley Region.

--If you grow up in Rio Vista, you think you live in the San Joaquin Delta Region.

This is how differently life is experienced in Solano County.

Using these references, you can see that in Vallejo/Benicia, we think nothing of crossing the Benicia/ Martinez or Carquinez bridges to shop, have dinner, go to school or work, etc. We fly out of San Francisco or Oakland, eat and shop in Concord or Napa, and drive out Highway 37 to go to the movies in San Rafael. The water is not a barrier to us.

Residents of Vacaville and Dixon see Sacramento as their "big city," eat, work, attend college and shop there and fly out of their airport. Until the Kaiser in Vacaville opened, they went to Davis or Sac for medical care. They view going to the Bay Area as a big trek. This area is prime agricultural land and agriculture is the largest economic interest of Solano County - you can see why residents in this part of the county more easily identify with their Yolo and Sacramento Valley neighbors.

Rio Vista is not even in the territory of the Solano County Office of Education - it's in the River Delta School District. Folks there shop, work and play all along the Delta corridor, boating, fishing and farming.

I'm not really sure how people in Fairfield identify. I think that since this is the county seat, they think of themselves as more aligned with the county, or that they stand alone, but you'd have to ask someone who lives there about that.

As you can imagine, there are economic and ethnic communities of interest that clump up along these geographic lines as well, serving as a "two-fer" in determining lines of representation.

So the disparate representation works well for us on the national level. This also makes sense to split us along these lines because, given the number of constituents each Congressperson must absorb, all

of Solano would be only a smaller part of any one District.

On the state level, we enjoy a similar blend of strength in the numbers of our representatives, also falling reasonably well along geographic and "community of interest" lines.

These are my comments. Please feel free to contact me at [REDACTED] if you have any questions.

Best regards, Christina Arrostuto

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