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## describe your community



- **Community Name.**
- **Describe community. Shared interests?**  
What brings you together? What is important?
- **Are there nearby areas you want to be with?**  
Nearby areas you don't ? Why or why not?
- **Is there anything else?**

## Languages

English, Spanish, Simplified Chinese,  
Traditional Chinese, Tagalog, Korean,  
Russian, Armenian, Japanese, Punjabi,  
Khmer, and Vietnamese.



It will soon be available in  
Arabic and Farsi,  
and work will begin soon on  
Thai and Hmong.

# Why Independent Redistricting



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