

Independent Redistricting Commission Public Comments February 17, 2022

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Item #1

Subject Public Comment

Position No Position

First and Last Name John Williams

Are you an Escondido Resident? Yes

Comments

Once again, Thank you so much Zach and the rest of the Commission--please keep up the exceptional work.

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Item #3

Subject Support for map 1C

Position In Favor

First and Last Name Polett Schafer

Are you an Escondido Resident? Yes

Comments

Hello commissioners,

My name is Polett Schafer and I live in unincorporated Escondido. While I personally cannot vote for city council members and the mayor, it is important to me that the commission chooses map 1C, the east/west map. It is crucial we listen to the COIs of Escondido to draw the maps. The east/west map more accurately captures the needs of the central districts. In order to not dilute the protected class's voting power in Escondido is to work off of the east/west map. Grappling with the intersectionality of race, ethnicity, languages spoken, class/income level, arrival to the US, etc., of our city is a recursive process and I appreciate the commission for taking in public comments, explaining the different laws, and special shout out to our community leaders for consistently speaking up for the different needs of the most marginalized people of Escondido.

Thank you, Polett