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Subject: Diane Harrison RE: My comments on submitted maps so far 2.5.22
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Thank you, Diane, for your comments.

By way of this email the appropriate staff is included for their review of our comments and your email will be forwarded to the Independent Redistricting Commission as well as the Demographers. Your email will also be included as part of the public record for the upcoming IRC meeting.

Thank you for taking the time to be involved in this process.

Best regards,
~Elizabeth

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From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: My comments on submitted maps so far

Dear Commissioners, Staff, and Demographers,

I've gone over the upcoming agenda, agenda packet, and all publicly-available information. I have no knowledge of Plan 10, but with Plan 9, I used the map to create a new spreadsheet in order to add that analysis to the others. And of course, I know my own (8B or the new 8) submitted earlier this month. If any others have been submitted since the January 29th meeting, I am unaware of them.

First, several plans split the Community of Concern. The ones that do not are 2, 3, 6, 8, and 9. I did look at the Nextdoor neighborhoods, but did not eliminate any plans since those neighborhoods themselves don't seem to honor city boundaries or even other Nextdoor neighborhood boundaries.

I know I do not have an official vote, but I'd like to submit my unofficial vote with my reasons.

#1 - Plan 8B or the new 8. Plan deviation is 6.8%. D1 is 49% Asian. D2 is 24% Hispanic. D2 is the district containing Pieces 2,3, and 7 and has 21,332 people.

#2 - Plan 3. Plan deviation is 7.5%. D1 is 48% Asian. D2 is 23% Hispanic. D1 is the district containing Pieces 2,3, and 7 and has 20,787 people.

#3 (though pretty much tied for #2) - Plan 6. Plan deviation is 7.6%. D1 is 48% Asian. D2 is 23% Hispanic. D1 is the district containing Pieces 2,3, and 7 and has 20,787 people.

#4 - Plan 9. Plan deviation is 8.6%. D1 is 48% Asian. D2 is 22% Hispanic. D1 is the district containing Pieces 2,3, and 7 and has 20,733 people.

#5 - Plan 2. Plan deviation is 6.9%. D1 is 47% Asian. D2 is 22% Hispanic. D2 is the district containing Pieces 2,3, and 7 and has 20,875 people.

Thank you for considering my plans and my views!

Not to throw a monkey wrench in, but I was just recalling that in 2018, we also looked at school district boundaries. Some Santa Clara residents attend public schools in Sunnyvale, Cupertino, and San Jose for some reason. Anyway, we didn't want to split up any school districts, and I believe that that is why D6 came out the way it did. But, I don't remember what those school district boundaries were. Our demographers may know.

Sincerely, Diane Harrison [REDACTED] Santa Clara, CA 95051 (land of the Ohlone and Muwekma Ohlone people) [REDACTED]