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# October 3, 2021 Agenda Item 1 - Public Workshop on the 2021 Redistricting Process (Redistricting Public Hearing #4)

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Tue, Nov 2, 2021 at 9:00 PM

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Honorable Supervisors,

As residents of the Bass Lake Area, we ask that you consider keeping our Bass Lake Area neighborhoods whole, and not allow them to be split across multiple districts, as Draft City Alternative Revised 1, Draft City Alternative Revised 2, and the Draft Pollock Pines Alternative proposes to do.

The Bass Lake Villages on the eastern side of Bass Lake - Bridlewood Canyon, Woodridge, and The Hills of El Dorado - have existed as a Community of Interest for twenty years. We are neighbors, with similar concerns, interests, and needs. Dividing our community based on a fence line, as each of the three proposed draft alternatives seeks to accomplish, will diminish our voice as neighbors. A fence line is an artificial, arbitrary boundary for supervisorial districts.

We are a community of interest in respects to:

- Our Town the Bass Lake Villages were included in the borders of 2005 EDH Cityhood Ballot Measure
- Our proximity as neighbors with similar concerns to our immediate local interconnected roads, public safety, and our natural environment
- · Our properties all exist in the El Dorado Hills CSD boundaries
- Our properties all exist in the El Dorado Hills Fire Department boundaries
- Our children all attend the same public elementary and high schools (Rescue USD and El Dorado High School District)

From your own meeting slides materials, the mapping factors in order of priority are:

- 1. Geographic contiguity.
- 2. Geographic integrity of neighborhoods and local communities of interest.
- 3. Geographic integrity of cities or census-designated places.
- 4. Natural and artificial barriers, including streets and boundaries of the county when practicable.
- 5. Boundaries should be easily identifiable and understandable by residents and bounded by natural and artificial barriers.
- 6. Geographical compactness.

Keeping our Bass Lake Villages in a single district accomplishes each and every one of these goals. To do otherwise violates each and every element of the listed priorities.

The Bass Lake Villages are as much a Community of Interest as any other community in the County - as neighbors, we have the same concerns and issues as residents of the eastern side of Bass Lake. We are neighbors - dividing our neighborhoods divides our voice in

### Supervisor representation.

In the event that the El Dorado Hills Community Draft Alternative map from a working group of El Dorado Hills neighbors is provided as an option prior to your meeting, we would encourage you to utilize this Draft Alternative, as we believe that it is the option to best represent the Bass Lake Area, as well as the best representation for El Dorado Hills and Cameron Park.

Our priority is to keep our Bass Lake Neighborhoods together in a single district.

Thank you,
Dan & Lori Figgins
1093 Jasmine Circle/Woodridge Development



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Please add as public comment to Item #21-1713.

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From: greg garrett <greggarrett.gtgcorp@gmail.com>

Date: Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 2:08 PM Subject: [redistricting] District Map Input

To: <redistricting@edcgov.us>

#### Greetings,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide input into the supervisor districts.

In general, I think each district should share both rural and suburban characteristics. Shared characteristics will help create inherent collaboration with the board, rather than conflict which is inherent to districts with largely different community make ups- seemingly the City Alternative.

I don't have time to use all of the nice tools you've provided; however would you please accept the following map input: -Expand District 1 boundaries north to include parts of Rescue, using Silver Springs Parkway as the eastern boundary passing through Green Valley Rd to where the line intersects with Deer Valley Rd; from there follow the Oak Ridge High School Boundaries.

-Adjust District 4 boundaries to include Cameron Park, Bass Lake...

- Adjust District 2 to generally include EDH south of Interstate 50, Latrobe, etc.

Currently people who live in district 4 off the west side of Deer Valley Road identify with El Dorado Hills and those off Starbuck Rd. feel Cameron Park is there community. Currently, neither is represented by the large geographical boundaries of district 4. In short, they have no say in their community.

Residents south of Interstate 50 will be getting a their own high school and may become more associated with the larger communities developing from Sacramento County. Focusing District 2 boundaries here ensures proper representation as this growth occurs.

Again, shared district characteristics will benefit governance through built in board collaboration.

Thank You Again.

**Greg Garrett** 

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Sent from my iPhone

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From: Mary Elliott-Klemm <ml.elliott@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Sun, Oct 31, 2021 at 3:56 PM

Subject: [redistricting] November 3 Public Hearing

To: <redistricting@edcgov.us>

To whom it may concern:

I would like to comment on Alternative #3, the Pollock Pines Alternative.

I was a resident of Pollock Pines for 24 years and am presently a resident of Somerset, in South County, and have lived there for about 20 years. This provides me with some insight into these areas.

I am also a member of the Board of the Aukum Fairplay FireSafe Council.

I would like to note some of the positive aspects of Alternative #3.

First of all, Pollock Pines has much more in common with Placerville than with South Lake Tahoe. Its population shops in Placerville, may work in that area, and is connected by Highway 50 directly to the area. Pollock Pines is also similar in nature to the Camino community, its nextdoor neighbor. It seems logical to me to have it within the same district as Placerville.

Secondly, it makes much more sense for Somerset to be connected to South Lake Tahoe than to Cameron Park/EDH.

Somerset and South County is a rural area with nothing in common to its more westerly neighbors. Pulling much of the rural areas together makes sense and might provide them with a Supervisor that can understand and focus on those rural

Thirdly, it makes more sense for Somerset to be connected to South Lake Tahoe and the rural areas for a common perspective of Wildfire Prevention. The needs for Wildfire prevention in the Tahoe area are very similar to those in rural South County area. Both deal with many National Forest areas within the boundaries. The preventive methods of thinning and brush control also are common to these areas.

I hope that these comments will be helpful in your decision making process.

Sincerely, Mary Elliott-Klemm Somerset, 95684

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To Members of the Board of Supervisors,

In viewing Redistricting Workshop Map #1, please reconsider the boundaries of District 1 and 2. I believe the commercial and residential areas along Latrobe Road should be included with EI Dorado Hills in District 1 and Cameron Park/Shingle Springs should be in District 2. Cameron Park and Shingle Springs are not only connected by one Post Office, but so many of the Chamber of Commerce and community activities are combined "Cameron Park/Shingle Springs". After attending workshop #3, I believe the numbers could work with the allowed variance. Thank you for your consideration, Cinda Walton Cameron Park

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