From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Gerry. Mander.

----Original Message-----

From:

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 12:08 AM To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Gerry. Mander.

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SLO Board of Supervisors.. I hope we find the Courage to do the right thing. Unlike Nov.30th..this December..What the county People want..minimal change for the minimal growth. As we said at the last BOS meeting and Prior, the Communities overwhelmingly choose the Chamber map over The Richard Patten(who?) map.

Maybe let's not use this scheme to disadvantage opposite party's.. That would be pretty pety. And I'm sure voters will remember.

Thanks... Ronald Ross District 5

From: Redistricting

Sent:

Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]I support a lawsuit in order to defend democracy

From: Lisa Hutfluss

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 3:14 AM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Cc: Board of Supervisors <Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]I support a lawsuit in order to defend democracy

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Dear Board of Supervisors,

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Thank you, Lisa Hutfluss

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Support map ID #74786

-----Original Message-----

From: Vicky Morse <vicky@tcsn.net> Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:44 AM

To: John Peschong co.slo.ca.us>; Debbie Arnold <darnold@co.slo.ca.us>; Lynn Compton

<lcompton@co.slo.ca.us>; Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Support map ID #74786

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Please support this map.

Thank you,

Vicky Morse

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown
Subject: FW: [EXT]district map

From: John Peschong <jpeschong@co.slo.ca.us> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 7, 2021 7:10 AM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT] district map

VICKI JANSSEN, Legislative Assistant
First District Supervisor John Peschong
1055 Monterey St., D430
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408
(805)781-4491/Fax (805) 781-1350

vjanssen@co.slo.ca.us



COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

From: Luther Johnson < luther j35@yahoo.com>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:27 AM

To: John Peschong co.slo.ca.us>; Debbie Arnold <darnold@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT] district map

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Dear Supervisors, I ask for your continual support of district map 74786 that is based on population, and also helps keep like communities together such as Templeton, and Atascadero. Luther Johnson

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Fwd: Letter in Support of Redistricting Map ID 74786

From: Linelle Soxman

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 7:57 AM

To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>; John Peschong <jpeschong@co.slo.ca.us>; Debbie Arnold

<darnold@co.slo.ca.us>; Lynn Compton <lcompton@co.slo.ca.us>
Subject: [EXT]Fwd: Letter in Support of Redistricting Map ID 74786

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Linelle Soxman

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Linelle Soxman

Date: December 6, 2021 at 9:40:16 PM PST

Subject: Letter in Support of Redistricting Map ID 74786

Dear Board of Supervisors,

We fully support the approved Redistricting Map ID 74786. The map does exactly what it is supposed to do - keep communities together, not split them apart. Templeton and Atascadero need to to be kept whole, and finally, it makes complete sense to have Cal Poly and San Luis Obispo city together. This should have always been the case. The map is fair and impartial, follows the rules, shows inordinate common sense, and provides balance. Thank you for voting for a Redistricting Map that works to fairly represent ALL citizens of San Luis Obispo County. We appreciate your due diligence and hard work regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Linelle Soxman and James McPherson

Paso Robles, CA 93446

Sent from my iPad

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Map 74786

From: Kathleen Goble <kgoble@co.slo.ca.us> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:24 AM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT]Map 74786



Correspondence on redistricting.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Goble

Legislative Assistant
5th District Supervisor Debbie Arnold

(p) 805-781-4339 (f) 805-781-1350 kgoble@co.slo.ca.us

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

From: Frank Triggs

Sent: Monday, December 6, 2021 10:08 PM

To: John Peschong < <u>ipeschong@co.slo.ca.us</u>>; Debbie Arnold < <u>darnold@co.slo.ca.us</u>>; Lynn Compton

<lcompton@co.slo.ca.us>; Dawn Ortiz-Legg <dortizlegg@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Map 74786

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This map keeps Templeton and Atascadero whole and also brings Cal Poly and SLO city together. I am in favor of this map. Thank you Board of Supervisors for your choice of Map 74786.

W. Frank Triggs

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]SLO County Redistricting Map

----Original Message-----

From: Kathleen Goble <kgoble@co.slo.ca.us> Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:26 AM

To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>; BOS_Legislative Assistants Only <BOS_Legislative-Assistants-

Only@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT]SLO County Redistricting Map

Correspondence on redistricting.

Sincerely,
Kathleen Goble
Legislative Assistant
5th District Supervisor Debbie Arnold
(p) 805-781-4339
(f) 805-781-1350
kgoble@co.slo.ca.us

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

----Original Message-----

From: Becky Hallett

Sent: Monday, December 6, 2021 6:11 PM To: Debbie Arnold <darnold@co.slo.ca.us> Subject: [EXT]SLO County Redistricting Map

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As a long time resident of this county, I am writing to the Board of Supervisors in full support of the approved redistricting map ID 74786. This map keeps Templeton and Atascadero whole and also brings Cal Poly and SLO City together.

Thank you for finally making sense of our districts and preserving the integrity of our votes. The Gerrymandering is finally halted for at least a decade.

Becky Hallett

Sent from my iPhone

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown
Subject: FW: [EXT]Redistricting

From: Kathleen Goble <kgoble@co.slo.ca.us> Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:28 AM

To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>; BOS_Legislative Assistants Only <BOS_Legislative-Assistants-

Only@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT] Redistricting



Correspondence on redistricting.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Goble

Legislative Assistant
5th District Supervisor Debbie Arnold

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kgoble@co.slo.ca.us

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO

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From: Donna Jordan

Sent: Monday, December 6, 2021 6:09 PM **To:** Debbie Arnold < darnold@co.slo.ca.us >

Subject: [EXT]Redistricting

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December 06, 2021

To SLO County Board of Supervisors, Debbie Arnold.

I am in support of the approved map ID 74786

Donna Jordan

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown
Subject: FW: [EXT]district map

From: Kathleen Goble <kgoble@co.slo.ca.us> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:32 AM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT] district map

Correspondence on redistricting.



Sincerely,

Kathleen Goble

Legislative Assistant
5th District Supervisor Debbie Arnold

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kgoble@co.slo.ca.us

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

From: Luther Johnson
Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:27 AM

To: John Peschong co.slo.ca.us; Debbie Arnold <darnold@co.slo.ca.us</pre>

Subject: [EXT] district map

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From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown
Subject: FW: [EXT]Thank You

From: Kathleen Goble <kgoble@co.slo.ca.us> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:39 AM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT]Thank You

Correspondence on redistricting.



Sincerely,

Kathleen Goble

Legislative Assistant
5th District Supervisor Debbie Arnold

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COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

From: John Texeira

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:22 AM

To: John Peschong < ipeschong@co.slo.ca.us >; Debbie Arnold < darnold@co.slo.ca.us >; Bruce Gibson

<bgibson@co.slo.ca.us>; Lynn Compton <logistation-logistation-logistation-logistation-logistation-editor-logistation-ed

Subject: [EXT]Thank You

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Dear Supervisors,

America is a nation of laws. The Patten map #74786 conforms to the criteria set forth in Assembly Bill 849 and the California Elections Code. I want to thank the Supervisors who voted to adopt the Patten map and end the 20 years of Gerrymandering San Luis Obispo County.

John Texeira

San Luis Obispo County

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: Item #39 FW: Contact Form Topic: Board of Supervisors meetings/business

From: Board of Supervisors <Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:49 AM

To: Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>; BOS Legislative Assistants Only < BOS Legislative-Assistants-

Only@co.slo.ca.us>; AD-Board-Clerk <ad_board_clerk@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: Item #39 FW: Contact Form Topic: Board of Supervisors meetings/business

For your review, this is a District 1 constituent. This email has been forwarded to all Supervisors, the Board-Clerk and redistricting. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Lisa Marie Estrada
Administrative Assistant III-Confidential
Board of Supervisors
www.slocounty.ca.gov

Direct Line: (805)781-5498

From: Web Notifications < webnotifications@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Monday, December 6, 2021 10:13 PM

To: Board of Supervisors < <u>Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us</u>>

Subject: Contact Form Topic: Board of Supervisors meetings/business

Topic: Board of Supervisors meetings/business

Your Name: Linelle Soxman

Your Email:

U.S. phone number

Message: RE: Redistricting Map ID 74786 Dear Board of Supervisors, We fully support the approved Redistricting Map ID 74786. The app does exactly what it is designed to do - keep communities together, not split them apart. Templeton and Atascadero need to be kept whole and it makes complete sense to have Cal Poly and San Luis Obispo city together. This should always be the case. The map is fair and impartial, follows the rules, shows common sense and provides balance. Thank you for voting for Redistricting that works to fairly represent ALL citizens of San Luis Obispo County. We appreciate your due diligence and hard work regarding this matter. Sincerely, Linelle Soxman and James McPherson 28 Hilltop Drive Paso Robles, CA 93446

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Form updated: 12/6/2021 10:11:59 PM

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]I support a lawsuit in order to defend democracy

From: Board of Supervisors <Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:50 AM

To: BOS Legislative Assistants Only <BOS Legislative-Assistants-Only@co.slo.ca.us>; AD-Board-Clerk

<ad_board_clerk@co.slo.ca.us>; Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT]I support a lawsuit in order to defend democracy

For your review, this is a District 2 constituent. This email has been forwarded to all Supervisors, the Board-Clerk and redistricting. Thank you.

Sincerely, Lisa Marie Estrada Administrative Assistant III-Confidential Board of Supervisors www.slocounty.ca.gov

Direct Line: (805)781-5498

From: Lisa Hutfluss

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 3:14 AM **To:** Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us >

Cc: Board of Supervisors <Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]I support a lawsuit in order to defend democracy

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Thank you, Lisa Hutfluss

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown Subject: FW: [EXT]74786

----Original Message-----

From: Kathleen Goble <kgoble@co.slo.ca.us> Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:53 AM To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT]74786

----Original Message-----

From: Lorraine Cagliero

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:06 AM

To: John Peschong <john@johnpeschong.com>; Debbie Arnold <darnold@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]74786

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I support 74786. I cannot understand when liberals don't get their way they just threaten law suits and everything gets held up just like they want.

Please do the right thing. Lorraine Cagliero

Sent from my iPad

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: Item #39 FW: [EXT]Redistricting

From: Board of Supervisors <Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:53 AM

To: Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>; BOS Legislative Assistants Only < BOS Legislative-Assistants-

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Subject: Item #39 FW: [EXT]Redistricting

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Administrative Assistant III-Confidential
Board of Supervisors
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Direct Line: (805)781-5498

From: Debbie Punches

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 8:47 AM

To: Board of Supervisors <Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT] Redistricting

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Dear Board of Supervisors

First, I would like to thank you for selecting the best redistricting map, ID74786. It best fits the legal requirements. I encourage the Board to unanimously vote yes on agenda/consent #39.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Debbie

From: Redistricting

Sent:

Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]The Patten map

From: Bonnie Thompson

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 10:07 AM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]The Patten map

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Dear Wade Horton,

I was shocked to learn that the clearly gerrymandered Patten map was adopted by the Board of Supervisors. It has no advantages for county residents and has many disastrous disadvantages. For instance:

- --The new districts have been devised to give Republicans—who are a minority by population in the county—almost perpetual rule.
- --A perfect illustration of the fancy footwork required to attain that Republican advantage is the skinny dog-bone-shaped version of District 3, which connects SLO to Morro Bay via a long, mostly empty span of highway.
- --San Miguel is separated from Paso Robles—its closest neighbor and strongest community of interest.
- -- The whole point of the Patten map was—patently—to keep cities whole. Yes SLO is still divided. So, clearly, that was not the real point at all.
- --As the nonpartisan League of Women Voters has pointed out, the Patten map also accelerates some 48,000 Republican voters and defers 48,000 Democrats. Again, this is no coincidence but is part of the Republican power grab.
- --State law states that communities of interest should be kept together. But not only is San Miguel split from Paso Robles but Los Osos and Morro Bay—about as close, in terms of interests, as two towns can get—are separated.
- --And not only *that*, but Cayucos and Morro Bay are also split. Ignoring the fact that residents of Cayucos are in Morro Bay constantly for shopping, that their children attend school there.

- --Splitting up Los Osos and Morro Bay is literal insanity; the two towns have so much in common that "local" to a resident of either one can mean either town.
- --And grouping Los Osos with Avila Beach is also ludicrous--it takes forty minutes even to get from one to the other. You might as well group Los Osos with San Miguel, for all the use this would do. (But hold on: that's already happened for Cambria.)

The map the board selected is clearly intended to engineer and cement minority rule for the next ten years. That is not democracy.

Is it not absurd to give the power to redraw the map to the very people who will benefit from the new boundaries? This should have been entrusted to a nonpartisan panel.

The Patten map spits in the face of the ideals that are America.

Sincerely yours, Bonnie Thompson

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Gerrymandering

From: District 4 <district4@co.slo.ca.us>
Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 10:28 AM

To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>; BOS_Legislative Assistants Only <BOS_Legislative-Assistants-

Only@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT]Gerrymandering

Public comment on redistricting.

- Caleb Mott

Legislative Assistant District 4 San Luis Obispo County Supervisor Lynn Compton (805) 781-4337 (800) 834-4636 ext 4337

District4@co.slo.ca.us

1055 Monterey St D430 San Luis Obispo CA 93408

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From: Mary Van Ryn

Sent: Sunday, December 5, 2021 7:39 AM **To:** District 4 < <u>district4@co.slo.ca.us</u>> **Subject:** [EXT]Gerrymandering

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Good morning from Nipomo,

As a long time resident, I am extremely frustrated and angry with the management of district 4.

Now you voted to change the district boundaries to make it more conservative.

As an independent voter, I'm beyond disappointed and can tell you, that I will voice my concerns about Lynn Compton. She doesn't represent the south counties best interest.

Every opportunity I have, I will discuss District 4, and how Nipomo is and will be negatively affected by the board of supervisors. Our town is a mess, with congestion and lack of code enforcement. Now you're moving to allow another huge development. Terrible management - sold out to rich developers.

Regards,

Mary van Ryn

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]New districting map

-----Original Message-----

From: Pamela Hostetter

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 10:53 AM To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]New districting map

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Please use the non-partisan chamber map for our new representative distribution. Breaking up the coastal cities does not keep areas of interest together. Morro Bay and Los Osos are combined in our interests, area type and we share upper level schools.

I also do not like that my town will miss out in the next election.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter

Pamela S Hostetter

Sent from my iPad

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: Public Comment - ID 321

From: Web Notifications < webnotifications@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 12:54 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: Public Comment - ID 321

RedistrictingID 321

Form inserted 12/7/2021 12:53:33 PM Form updated 12/7/2021 12:53:33 PM

First Name Christie
Last Name Cutter

Email Phone

Name of

Organization Represented

City San Luis Obispo

Zip 93401

I strongly oppose adopting the Patten map which I see as radical redrawing of districts for the purpose of partisan advantage. The 3/2 "conservative" board majority has railroaded this through ignoring their own staff recommendations and the clear majority of public comment. This flies in

the face of democracy, communities of interest have been divide, not united! this is SO wrong, may

their shame be PUBLIC and judgement severe. Sincerely, Christie Cutter

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Comment

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From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Thank YOu!

From: janlynch1@charter.net

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 2:20 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Thank YOu!

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Thank you for supporting the redistricting plan #74786! Great job!

Patrick & Jan Lynch

From: Redistricting

Sent:

Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Redistricting the county

----Original Message-----

From: Linda Robertson

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 2:43 PM To: Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Redistricting the county

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I just read today's Tribune article about this morning's Board of Supervisors' meeting, and the tenor of the comments quoted convinced me even more that the Patten map is not only a Republican power grab, but an intensely partisan one. Calls for the prosecution of the Democratic supervisors for exercising their legal right to demand data about the partisan makeup of the districts are more and more typical of the authoritarian right in this country, and now this county. They have already tried voter suppression; and I fear for what will become of this county when they have the upper hand for the next ten years. I have no wish to live in a place run by such people. We need an independent redistricting commission, and until that can happen I fully support any lawsuit against the gerrymandered Patten map.

Linda Robertson

San Luis Obispo

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From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Patton redistricting map

----Original Message-----

From: Peggy

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 2:49 PM
To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Patton redistricting map

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It is very clear to me that this map is gerrymandered specifically to favor the Republican Party. There is no need to so radically alter the current map that has been in place for decades. The census did not change equally as radically.

Margaret Ladue Templeton

Sent from my iPhone

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Redistricting Comments - Identification of revised Supervisor District defined areas.

From: Wade Horton < whorton@co.slo.ca.us> Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 2:52 PM

To: Morgan Torell <mtorell@co.slo.ca.us>; Kristin Eriksson <keriksson@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: FW: [EXT]Redistricting Comments - Identification of revised Supervisor District defined areas.

FYI

Wade Horton County Administrative Officer County of San Luis Obispo 805.781.5018 whorton@co.slo.ca.us

From: Murray J. Powell

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 12:48 PM

To: John Peschong < <u>ipeschong@co.slo.ca.us</u>>; Debbie Arnold < <u>darnold@co.slo.ca.us</u>>; Vicki Janssen

<vjanssen@co.slo.ca.us>

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From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Public Comment

----Original Message-----

From: Karen Pearson

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 3:07 PM
To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Public Comment

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I don't possibly see how you can say that you followed all the mandates for redistricting, then say that the Patten Map is not Partisan. But, you won't allow anyone on the board to look at &/or disclose how many democrats/republicans have been displaced by the Patten Map. It has been studied by the League of Women Voters, and very much favors Republicans. IT IS PARTISAN. I suppose if you go this way, you will all be put out of a job, hopefully. What you have done is very blatant and illegal.

Dave & Karen Pearson

Cambria

From: Redistricting

Sent: To:

Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Redistricting map SLO County

----Original Message-----

From: Jan DUFFY

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 3:52 PM
To: Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us > Subject: [EXT]Redistricting map SLO County

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I do NOT support the selection of the Patten map for SLO redistricting. I believe it is being chosen by the conservative Board of supervisor members to provide an unfair and partisan advantage to the Republican Membership of our county. I sincerely hope that a legal challenge to this decision is made before implementation in 2022. I suggest that this decision be placed on the ballot for SLO citizens to determine rather than the current SLO Board of Supervisors.

Janice Duffy

Pismo Beach, Ca

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Please reconsider

----Original Message-----

From: Jeanne Miller

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 4:10 PM
To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Please reconsider

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I live in Atascadero - our closest "relatives" are Templeton and Paso Robles. It is with them that we share similar issues and concerns. The same cannot be said for Atascadero and Cal Poly or Cambria or Cayucos. This new map is ridiculous and I feel deprives me of appropriate representation.

Jeanne Miller

Atascadero

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Redistricting Comments - Identification of revised Supervisor District defined areas.

From: AD-Board-Clerk <ad_board_clerk@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 4:40 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

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Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 12:48 PM

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From: Redistricting

Sent:

Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: Item #39 FW: [EXT]Redistricting

From: AD-Board-Clerk <ad_board_clerk@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 4:40 PM **To:** Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us > **Subject:** Fw: Item #39 FW: [EXT]Redistricting

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Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 09:53 AM

To: Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us >; BOS_Legislative Assistants Only < BOS_Legislative-Assistants-

Only@co.slo.ca.us>; AD-Board-Clerk <ad board clerk@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: Item #39 FW: [EXT]Redistricting

For your review, this is a District 1 constituent. This email has been forwarded to all Supervisors, the Board-Clerk and redistricting. Thank you.

Sincerely, Lisa Marie Estrada Administrative Assistant III-Confidential Board of Supervisors

www.slocounty.ca.gov Direct Line: (805)781-5498

From: Debbie Punches

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 8:47 AM

To: Board of Supervisors < Boardofsups@co.slo.ca.us >

Subject: [EXT] Redistricting

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Dear Board of Supervisors

First, I would like to thank you for selecting the best redistricting map, ID74786. It best fits the legal requirements. I encourage the Board to unanimously vote yes on agenda/consent #39.

Thank you for your time and consideration. Debbie

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: Public Comment - ID 322

From: Web Notifications < webnotifications@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 5:21 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: Public Comment - ID 322

RedistrictingID 322

Form inserted 12/7/2021 5:20:53 PM Form updated 12/7/2021 5:20:53 PM

First Name Tim
Last Name Rich

Email Phone

Name of Organization Represented

City Los Osos Zip 93402

My concern with the Patten map is that it was developed with the intent of favoring one party over the other, a clear violation of the line drawing criteria. Bruce Gibson and Dawn Ortiz-Legg asked to

Comment make these data transparent, but was voted down. I insist that these data are made public. My other concern is that criteria #2, "communities of interest" was violated. Splitting up Los Osos, Morro Bay and Cambria into three separate districts for no good reason makes no sense

whatsoever.

Public Records

Notice

True

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Fwd: County District Plans

From: bill Smith

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:15 PM **To:** Redistricting < Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us > **Subject:** [EXT]Fwd: County District Plans

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Dear Board,

Please do not approve the Patten map for redistricting. There really isn't any necessity to vote in a new map at all. County demographics and population has not significantly changed since the last census. Please leave well enough alone.

I'm a long time resident of South County.

Thank you, Bill Bonama

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: Public Comment - ID 323

From: Web Notifications < webnotifications@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:42 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: Public Comment - ID 323

RedistrictingID 323

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Self

First Name Gregory
Last Name Ross

Email

Phone

Name of Organization

Represented

City Arroyo Grande

Zip 93420

Comment The 3/2 board majority should be ashamed of the undemocratic nature of their action

regarding redistricting. These actions will not be tolerated!

Public Records Notice True

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]SLO County Redistricting Map

From: Thomas Dowell

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:43 PM
To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>
Cc: Jenny Beck <jennybeck11@hotmail.com>
Subject: [EXT]SLO County Redistricting Map

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Good evening - I'm writing to comment on the proposed map written by AG resident Patten and supported by the local republican party.

It is clearly no accident that the GOP has endorsed this map as the nature of its partisan influences are obvious. While the right wing supervisors claim ignorance that any knowledge of demographic data went into the creation of this map, it's fairly trivial to see how flaccid that claim is.

When the map is overlayed with population and racial data, it is self evident that this map has been created with the same anti democracy gerrymandering methods employed in many other republican controlled counties across the country where changing demographics are shifting the political priorities of the electorate. Rather than evolving their platform to accommodate the voters, republicans are employing dirty tricks to confuse the public and distract from their corruption. SLO County is not immune to this corruption of the democratic process.

The GOP would have you believe that this map was created to "keep communities together". This is a lie and a lame attempt to dog whistle the racial insecurities of republican voters. If it were at all true, the map would show the same respect for municipal borders of more left leaning communities as it does for the right. It does not, in fact cleaving the southern third of San Luis Obispo completely in a desperate attempt to salvage power in the face of a shifting electorate by disenfranchising voters (primarily low income and POC).

Adopting this map is an egregious and flagrant violation of the Fair Map Act and a painful reminder that a certain group of people in this country are willing to destroy democracy rather than cede power to the will of the people.

Please do not adopt this map.

Tom Dowell Resident of Morro Bay

From: Redistricting

Sent: To:

Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: Public Comment - ID 324

From: Web Notifications < webnotifications@co.slo.ca.us>

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:56 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

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RedistrictingID 324

Form inserted 12/7/2021 6:55:20 PM Form updated 12/7/2021 6:55:20 PM

First Name Kathleen Last Name Fisher

Phone

Email

Name of Organization Represented

City Arroyo Grande

Zip 93420

I am in despair for our country and for the county of SLO. How can the wishes of the majority be ignored by a power hungry minority? I strongly oppose the recent redistricting map approved by Compton and her cohorts much to the chagrin of most of us who live here. I support any action

that would render this ill conceived decision null and void. The Chamber of Commerce map

proposal is a fair and sane approach to this current gerrymandered fiasco.

Public Records

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Comment

True

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown
Subject: FW: [EXT]Patten Map

From: Shelley Lawrence

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 9:14 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Patten Map

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Dear Wade Horton,

Why the heck did the board of supervisors even decide to change the districting? The census indicated that we had changed very little. And why does the board of supervisors even get to vote on the districts? Why is this not a vote of the people? Who votes for whom? Seems backwards if not unethical...and it should be illegal!

The map that was adopted makes no sense for the people of this county. Communities of interest were separated such as San Miguel and Paso robles and Cayucos and Morro Bay and Morro Bay and Los Osos. They share a high school for heaven's sake! This reeks of a partisan power grab! The board's vote was self-serving and keeps the minority voters in the driver's seat for the next 10 years!

SHAME ON THEM. They should be voted OUT of office but I guess that can't happen now, can it?

And to borrow from Bonnie Thompson's letter, "Is it not absurd to give the power to redraw the map to the very people who will benefit from the new boundaries? This should have been entrusted to a nonpartisan panel."

Take back this decision! Sincerely yours,

Shelley Lawrence San Luis Obispo (she/her/hers)

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]unreal redistricting map

From: Ed Rush

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 11:54 PM **To:** Redistricting Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us

Subject: [EXT]unreal redistricting map

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How can anyone justify separating Morro Bay from its neighbors in Cayucos and Los Osos, while connecting it to Cal Poly and San Luis Obispo? That makes no sense at all. One look shows that this is clearly a textbook case of gerrymandering.

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Ed Rush, Atascadero, Calif.

ed@edrene.us

(This email system won't let me show ed@edrene.us in the From line, but please reply to it anyway.)

From: Redistricting

Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown
Subject: FW: [EXT]Redistricting

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From: william smith

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:14 PM
To: Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us>

Subject: [EXT]Redistricting

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Dear Board Members,

I am a resident of Avila Valley. I am absolutely opposed to the Patten redistricting map and urge you to either vote for the other map or leave districts as they are. There really wasn't enough population shift to even require redistricting.

Yours,

William Smith

Sent from my iPad

From: Redistricting

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Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Fwd: Redistricting of Supervisorial Districts

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From: william smith

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 6:13 PM
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Subject: Redistricting of Supervisorial Districts

Greetings Supervisors,

I am writing to ask you to leave supervisors' district as they have been for the last ten years. The county has not seen enough population change to justify redistricting.

If you must vote on a new plan, DO NOT APPROVE the Patten map plan.

Thank you,

William Jerome

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Sent:

To: Maria G. Brown

Subject: FW: [EXT]Republican Gamesmanship

From: Laurance Shinderman

Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 3:53 PM **To:** Redistricting <Redistricting@co.slo.ca.us> **Subject:** [EXT]Republican Gamesmanship

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The Trumpian Troika of Peschong, Arnold and Compton who vote in lock step; refuse to establish a non partisan citizen's advisory committee to provide formal insight and direction on redistricting the County Supervisory districts or heed the comments of the SLO chamber of commerce or the league of women voters.

Essentially, their collective position is to have the politicians pick the voters rather than the voters selecting their representatives.

Lynn Compton won her 2018 election by a razor thin margin of 60 votes; and more than likely would face a more formidable and experienced candidate in 2024 for the 4th supervisory district.

So what to do? Redraw the district lines to pack the traditionally blue voters in Oceano, currently in the 4th district, into the already blue 5th district. In essence this would slice off voters that trend blue and would not support her and then redraw her district to include the traditionally red voters of Edna Valley into the 4th Supervisory District.

The result; a political shell game of lopping off a large segment of contiguous voters who may not support her; for a more receptive segment of Edna Valley voters. Simply stated; gerrymander the districts to establish an unfair political advantage by manipulating the boundaries of electoral districts.

With a current 3 to 2 majority on the Board of Supervisors on the line; rather than making their case to the voters; their game plan is to change the boundaries. What would the alternative be? Calling up Tommy Gong's replacement, a respected public servant who maintained election integrity and say...come on...find me 60 more votes.

Lynn is fond of saying that she does her homework...but again it seems that her homework was done by the Republican cabal that drew a map that she well knows favored her by lopping off voters that were fed up with her shenanigans.

Of course; Peschong and Arnold were like bobble heads nodding in agreement.

"Those who can make you believe absurdities, can make you commit atrocities."...Voltaire