



LOS ANGELES COUNTY REDISTRICTING 2021

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES CITIZENS REDISTRICTING COMMISSION (LA County CRC)

CRC MINUTES FOR PUBLIC HEARING – June 28, 2021

VIA ZOOM VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

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Agenda

1. CALL TO ORDER

Thai V. Le, County of Los Angeles Citizens Redistricting Commission (LA County CRC) Clerk, called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Thai V. Le took roll call. A quorum was present.

Yes	Commissioner Jean Franklin	Yes	Commissioner Priscilla Orpinela-Segura
Yes	Commissioner David Holtzman	Excused	Commissioner Hailes Soto
Yes	Commissioner Mary Kenney	Yes	Commissioner Saira Soto
Yes	Co-Chair Daniel Mayeda	Yes	Commissioner Brian Stecher
Yes	Commissioner Mark Mendoza	Yes	Commissioner John Vento
Yes	Commissioner Apolonio Morales	Yes	Co-Chair Carolyn Williams
Yes	Commissioner Nelson Obregon	Yes	Commissioner Doreena Wong

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The Agenda was accepted.

4. ACTION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

Co-Chairs Carolyn Williams and Daniel Mayeda provided an overview presentation on what redistricting is and how the LA County CRC differs from prior approaches.





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5. PUBLIC HEARING FOR COMMUNITIES OF INTEREST

A community of interest is a contiguous population that shares common social and economic interests that should be included within a single district for purposes of its effective and fair representation. Communities of interest shall not include relationships with political parties, incumbents, or political candidates.

Although the focus was on Zone D, members of the public from other zip codes were welcomed and made public comment. Attendees were asked to complete the Community of Interest (COI) Google Forms, in lieu of speaker cards, regarding their communities of interest. The written and orally presented testimonies the public provided are summarized as COI input during the public hearing and posted on the LA County CRC for ease of access of the public. Individuals interested in learning about the public comments made can either:

- Refer to the COI Google Form summary (posted on the LA County CRC website for this public hearing)
- Listen to the YOUTUBE recording of the public hearing for the oral comments; these comments will be incorporated into the overall summary across public hearings

Speakers providing public testimony were:

- Dr. Tyler Bonanno-Curley, Manager of Government Affairs, City of Long Beach
- Chris Rowe, West Hills (San Fernando Valley): Also provided link to her article to help promote public hearings: <https://www.citywatchla.com/index.php/cw/los-angeles/21961-redistricting-la-county-and-the-city-of-la-contiguous-compact-and-communities-of-interest-part-1>
- Marisela Santa, Mayor of Lynwood (90262 zip code)
- John Mendoza, northern Pomona (91768 zip code)
- Austin Baird, CHIRLA, People's Bloc, and resident of Inglewood and South Bay

6. ADJOURNMENT

Co-Chair Mayeda adjourned the meeting at 8:02 p.m. The LA County CRC kept the adjournment notice live until 8:30 p.m.

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To submit input to the public hearings, including signing up for speaking before the Commission, go to: <https://forms.gle/2SDZSxEuKNZ3ZU1KA>

