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Attached to this document are the public comments received to date in relation to the March 23, 2022 regular City Council meeting.

JASON LINDGREN
CITY CLERK

03-23-2022

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Jason Lindgren](mailto:Jason.Lindgren@elkgrove.org); bsinghallen@elkgrove.org
Subject: Oppose Map 21 and 23 submitted for consideration
Date: Wednesday, March 23, 2022 10:23:36 AM
Attachments: [City Council Letter On Re-Districting.docx](#)

[EXTERNAL EMAIL]

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March 22, 2022

Honorable Mayor Bobbie Singh-Allen
Honorable City Councilmembers
Jason Lindgren, City Clerk
8401 Laguna Palms Way
Elk Grove, CA 95758

Dear Mayor and Councilmembers


We are writing to you to oppose Map 21 and 23 submitted for consideration. We are Punjabi residents that live, operate businesses, and are active throughout the Elk Grove. Our community resides in all four districts in the city. We agree with staff assessments that the two maps proposed by the community group have concerns including: displacing neighborhoods and other communities of interest, new growth, natural boundaries, and more. None of us were asked for input for Map 21 and 23 for consideration.

As long time residents, stakeholders, and community leaders, we support staff recommendations for the maps under review with May 11 as our preferred map. May 11 has the least amount of concerns and disruption to communities of interest, including Punjabi's and other API residents that make up the majority of Elk Grove. Elk Grove is a diverse community and we appreciate your hard work and dedication to our city. We want what is in the best interest of all residents observing all legal guidelines for the redistricting process. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Gurjatinder Randhawa, D&I Commission, Resident, Businessowner
Randhir Singh, Businessowner
Aman and Avtar Dhillon, Businessowner, Resident
Jaspreet Singh, Attorney at Law
Bhupinder Sanghera and Kismat Sanghera, Residents and Businessowners
Satwant Kaur, resident
Nilmaljit Kaur, resident and businesswoman
Daljit Kaur, resident and businesswoman
Satvir Singh, resident and businessman
Lakhvinder Singh and Balbir Kaur, retired residents
Babbu Singh, resident and businessowner
Baljit Singh, resident
Gurdeep Singh, resident and businessman
Baldev and Sukhminder Randhawa, residents and businessowners
Ravinderjit Singh
Sonu Singh, resident
Jasmel Singh, resident and businessowner
Talvinder Singh, resident and businessowner
Sheru Singh and Kalwindr Kaur, residents, businessowners, doctor
Amardeep and Sangeeta Singh, residents
Gurpreet and Maninder Singh. Resident
Paul Singh- Resident

Dr Deepak Paul, Resident and Doctor
Gurman Singh Resident and Businessman
Vinkal S Chopra Resident
Jatinder Singh Resident and Businessman
Jaspal Singh Resident and Businessman
Kamal Randhawa Resident and Businessman
Lovedeep Sandhu Resident and Businessman
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Navpreet Sandhu Resident and Businessman
Gurpreet Singh Resident and Businessman
Dr Harpreet Marwaha
Arun Singh Sethi Resident and Businessman
Robin Singh Samra Resident and Businessman
Raman S. Aulukh Resident and Businessman
Jagjit S. Bajwa Resident and Businessman
Jagdeep Singh Resident and Businessman
Ranjiv S Aulukh Resident and Businessman
Babbi K. Aulukh Resident
Gary Sidhu Resident and Businessman
Balbir Singh Resident
Harpreet Singh Resident

For additional questions, please contact Gurjatinder Randhawa at 

03-23-2022

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Jason Lindgren](mailto:jason.lindgren@elkgrovecity.org)
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Map 12 with REVISIONS
Date: Tuesday, March 22, 2022 1:16:27 PM

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Good Afternoon City Clerk Jason Lindgren,

Thank you so much for your email and feedback. I did leave a voice message for you right now, but in the interest of the pressing time I did want to jot down some key points and notes.

I wanted to add that the Punjabi community members that shared at the last meeting are our members. While they had submitted an initial map, upon the City Council's decision to advance only 3 maps, we decided it was best to call for revisions to one of those 3 (hence Map 12 with revisions) as opposed to submitting a completely new map.

We wanted to share with you a few points regarding the concerns you brought up for our proposed revision to Map 12.

Regarding the displacement concern for communities living between District 2 and District 3, specifically on the East side of Elk Grove Florin Rd, though it is understandable that this may cause a change of district for 5,313-6,158 residents, it is important to note that the vast majority of these residents are of Asian-Punjabi descent. In fact, the block that is being added to the East side of Elk Grove Florin Rd in the revision map (between roads Elk Grove Florin, Sheldon, and Waterman Rd), is 40.7% Asian. This section would benefit from being in a District that is higher in Asian population (District 3) than a district that is predominantly white (District 2). But more than so, this population has more in common with people on the West side of Elk Grove Florin Rd, as they share the same places of worship with Gurdwara Dashmesh Darbar Sahib located on Elk Grove Florin Rd, shop at the same small Asian and Punjabi stores, markets, and other boutiques in the area, and also make use of the same public utilities such as neighborhood parks.

Regarding the concern over the Punjabi community being divided over what boundaries to choose (Bradshaw Rd or Waterman Rd), we would like to note that our community and the Punjabi speakers who shared their comments last week, share the same view. Ideally it would be great if the boundary were to be extended all the way until Bradshaw Rd. However, given the population must be balanced out evenly between all district, and also because the chance in the Asian population with addition of the block between Waterman Rd and Bradshaw Rd within District 3, is only of 0.8%, we would be okay to have the boundary extended until Waterman Rd, instead of Bradshaw Rd.

In regards to your request of a map that could display the presence of the Punjabi communities of interest within Elk Grove, here is a map displaying that information: <https://districtr.org/plan/120524>

Finally while decreasing displacement is one factor under consideration, of course we would both agree that some amount is inevitable and maybe even desirable. Elk Grove has grown by over 15% since the 2010 Census. In some cases 'displacement' is desirable since many individuals, including many we have spoken with and many who will be in attendance tomorrow, seek to reimagine the council areas in ways that connect 'communities of interest' and believe that is most important.

Happy to connect Jason, and really hope to get the City's support listening to resident feedback for the best possible (of course no map is perfect!) map for the residents of Elk Grove - hence why we believe Map 12 with the revisions suggested is the best of those being moved forward. Thank you for all your work on this and that of your team!

Warm Regards,
Naindeep

On Tue, Mar 22, 2022 at 10:39 AM Jason Lindgren <jlindgren@elkgrovecity.org> wrote:
| Good Morning,

I wanted to provide the staff evaluation of the submitted map (for tracking purposes I refer to the map as Map 23).

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, feel free to contact me, 478-2286, jlindgren@elkgrovecity.org.

Jason Lindgren | Office of the City Clerk
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-----Original Message-----

From: Jason Lindgren
Sent: Tuesday, March 22, 2022 9:43 AM
To: Deep Singh <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Rina Kaur <[REDACTED]>; Harjit Singh <[REDACTED]>; Harkiren Kaur <[REDACTED]>; Mandeep Singh <[REDACTED]>
Subject: RE: Map 12 with REVISIONS

Good Morning,

Thank you for your comments and map submittal, these have been forwarded to the City Council for consideration.

I wanted to discuss with you the staff approach to reviewing map submittals and suggestions, but also clarify a concern from the staff perspective about the matters being viewed. If this is a matter that would be easier to meet I can make myself available in-person, over the phone, or teleconference - a key element is timing as we close in on the deadline for a final map to be selected (not only that but also that we have the City Council meeting tomorrow night, March 23, which is quickly approaching).

To give you a sense of the primary staff concern, and I would like to primarily focus on the area east of Elk Grove-Florin Road being moved out of District 2 and into District 3, the movement of voters from one district to another creates an situation we have referred to as "displacement", where voters for a particular district with an expectation to vote - or continue to have the elected official they last voted into office, would be shifted away from their former district or "displaced" into a new district. In this proposed map, those residents east of Elk Grove-Florin Road will encounter displacement.

Under this proposed map it moved the eastern boundary to Waterman Road, that is an area of population of 5, 313. We heard callers on March 9 that spoke of a similar concern to keep the Punjabi community in one district, and that map plan took the eastern District 3 boundary to Bradshaw Road, that is another area of 845 population.

From the feedback we have heard to date from the Punjabi community, I am seeing two maps (Map 21, and then this revised Map 12) that treat the final eastern boundary different, but there are also comments regarding communities south of Elk Grove Boulevard, so even in map submittals to make a connection along the northern portion of the district, there seems to remain a division of portions of the Punjabi Community south of Elk Grove Boulevard. The difficulty from a staff perspective is that total population drives these map designs mathematically, so trying to keep a smaller count group together over a large geographic space becomes difficult.

To narrow the focus of the concern of staff, the request to change those areas north of Sheldon Road, between Elk Grove-Florin Road, and Bradshaw Road (and all point in between) is a change of displacement of 5,313-6,158 residents. In the balance of reviewing changes, though such a change may benefit a requesting membership of a portion of that community, such a change may be viewed with a different opinion by the remainder of residents in the affected area.

When reviewing the submittal of revisions to Map 12, such a design carries several shared qualities as Maps 2 and 6 that they City Council reviewed, and a primary concern of the district designs in these maps is that element of displacement.

Again, I would like to make myself available to meet if possible, and those discussion points that I think would assist in the staff analysis are as follows: 1) if you could present a map of the community of interest of Punjabi community, that may assist (not just a district map, but just a map of where you feel the Punjabi Community predominantly resides); 2) some clarification on where the community resides would help look at the issue of district boundaries, and 3) I would like to discuss total population counts because that is the mathematic element that pushes boundaries about the City when changes are suggested

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You can find our draft at the following link -

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We look forward to hearing from you and being in attendance next week at the meeting. Wishing you a wonderful weekend.

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Naindeep Singh

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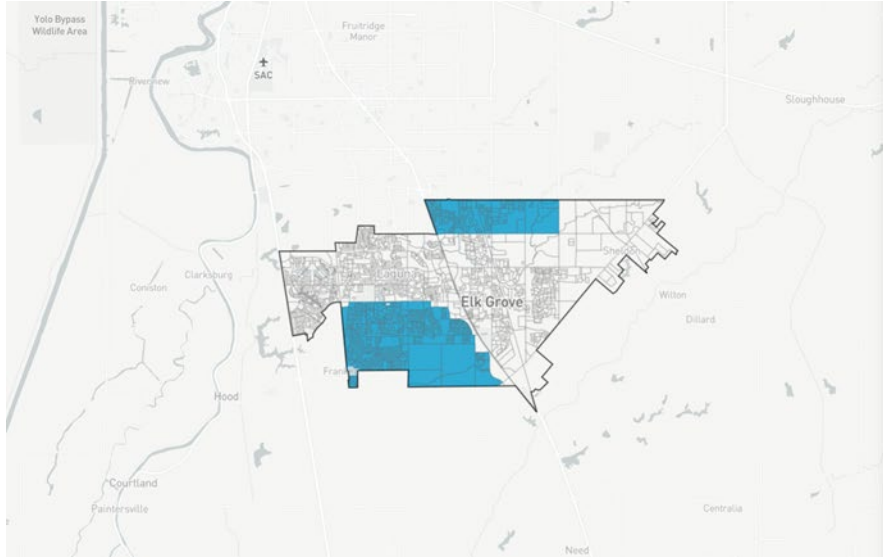
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Population | Data Layers | Evaluation

▼ **Population Balance**

① Uses adjusted 2020 Decennial Census population with processing by the City of Elk Grove on 2020 Blocks.

	66,845
	Ideal: 44,140.25

UNASSIGNED POPULATION: 109,716
 MAX. POPULATION DEVIATION: 51.44%

Highlight unassigned units

03-23-2022

From: [Demers, Steve](#)
To: [Jason Lindgren](#)
Cc: [Voters-GIS](#); [Startup, Karen](#); [Richards, Ronnie](#)
Subject: RE: City of Elk Grove - currently at a top three map list, heading to select on March 23, and adopt final on April 13
Date: Thursday, March 17, 2022 10:06:50 AM
Attachments: [image003.png](#)
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[image013.png](#)

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Good morning Jason,

Honestly, these are all great plans. It's clear the City has taken care to chose major community boundaries, and not divide existing communities.

Map 11 completely follows existing Voting Precinct lines, and so would take no additional effort on our end to implement. So, selfishly, this is my favorite.

Map 12 would require one Precinct split. The boundary between Districts 4 and 2 follows southerly off of Whitelock Pkwy down the current Poppy Ridge Rd, and then continues to extend south. This may ultimately be awkward with the alignment of the future Lotz Pkwy extension, and the future Whitelock interchange. So of the three maps, for that reason, this is my least favorite.

Map 11A would require two Precinct splits, but they are splits that I am anticipating making over the next decade anyway, as the Southeast Policy Area and Sousa Dairy develop, so I have no concerns here. Similar issue at Whitelock and Poppy Ridge, but this may be less awkward than Map 12 because the D4/D2 boundary follows Poppy Ridge instead of extending south.

All that to say, any of these three maps can be implemented for election purposes without undue effort. And from my standpoint, I see no show-stoppers to any of them.

Thank you Jason, for giving me this feedback opportunity.

Keep me in the loop on your progress, and send me your final maps and/or GIS shapefiles as soon as the final plan has been approved.

Steve Demers

GIS Analyst | [Sacramento County](#)

Department of Technology

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From: Startup. Karen

Sent: Wednesday, March 16, 2022 2:19 PM

To: Voters-GIS <Voters-GIS@saccounty.gov>

Subject: FW: City of Elk Grove - currently at a top three map list, heading to select on March 23, and adopt final on April 13

FYI

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Good Afternoon,

I wanted to touch base as the City of Elk Grove closes in on finalizing a new district map.

Currently we have three map finalists. The goal is to select one map next week (on March 23), and then make a final adoption action on April 13. I'd transfer over the data files on April 14 and that should have Elk Grove set up for the November 2022 election.

I wanted to give you and your team a glance at the proposed finalist maps. The attached PDF is from our demographer. These maps can also be accessed via DistrctR (the program they were originally drawn in), and I have those links below (that allows import/export of the data files, etc.):

Map 11:

<https://distrctr.org/edit/116294?event=draweg>

Map 12 (it notes renumbered as the DistrctR author used different color coded numberings):

<https://distrctr.org/edit/116501?event=draweg>

Map 22 (the Map 11A revision):

<https://districtr.org/edit/118703?event=draweg>

If the County has any concerns over the maps, the geometry, etc. please let me know. We would like for our maps to fit best with County systems.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, feel free to contact me, 478-2286, jlindgren@elkgrovecity.org.



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Interoffice Memorandum

March 22, 2022

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Date

City Council

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To

Jason Lindgren, City Clerk

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From

Item 8.2 – A Public Hearing to select a final district map for the Redistricting Project

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Subject

Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members,

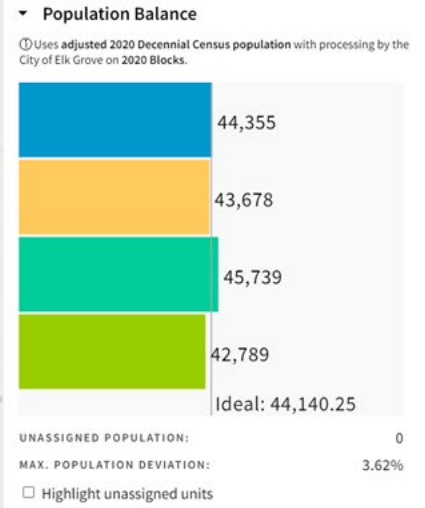
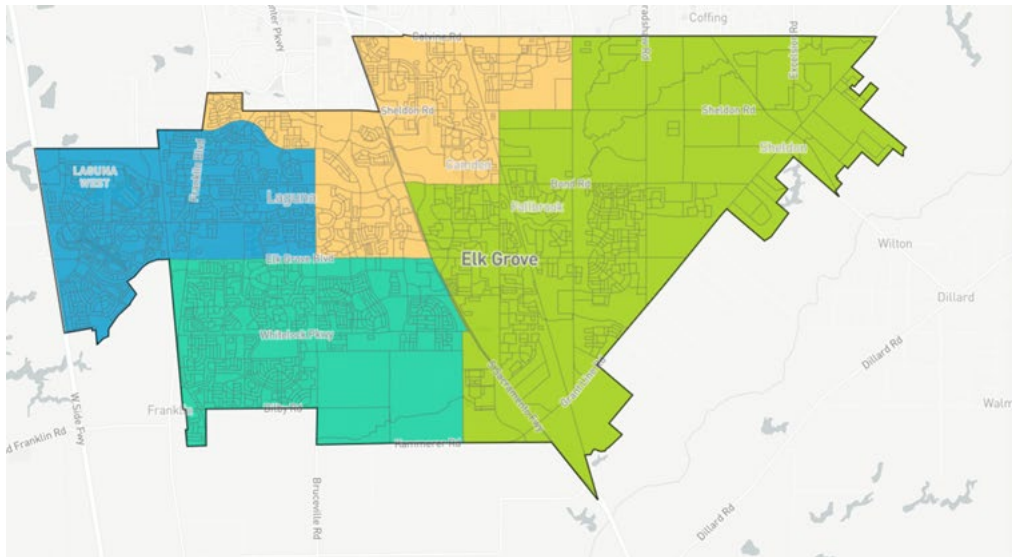
Since the publishing of the staff report, a district map variation to Map 12 was submitted, sent direct to City Staff. The total number of maps submitted to date is 23.

The submitted map and accompanying staff evaluation is attached to this memo.

The submitted variation is noted as Map 23, it relates to changes to Map 12, but in review of all submittals to date Map 23 shares many similarities with Maps 2 and 6 reviewed at the March 9, 2022 public hearing. Map 23 holds concerns like those of the category 2 staff recommendation of maps proposing thematic changes that create increased electoral disruptions (in particular the inclusion of former District 2 areas east of Elk Grove-Florin Road, but this proposal also exchanges voters out of District 3 south of Bond Road into District 2).



Map 23 (community suggested revised map 12) 119710 03-18-2022



Voting Age Population by Race

COMPARE Asian VAP

WITH Hispanic VAP

AND Black VAP

	Asian	Hispanic	Black
1	28%	18.7%	11.3%
2	38%	17.2%	11.3%
3	44.7%	14.5%	11.6%
4	22.6%	17.8%	6%
Overall	33.3%	17.1%	10.1%

Voting Age Population by Race

COMPARE White VAP

WITH Two or more races VAP

AND Native Hawaiian and Pacifi

	White	Two	NH/PI
1	34.6%	5.5%	1%
2	25.1%	5.6%	2.1%
3	21.9%	4.8%	1.6%
4	45.5%	5.7%	1.1%
Overall	31.8%	5.4%	1.4%

Elk Grove

Total	176,561
Asian	32.9%
White	29.1%
Hispanic	19%
Black	9.8%
Two	6.9%
NH/PI	1.4%
Other	0.7%
Native Am.	0.3%

State

Contiguous	Good
Borders	Good
Compact	Mid

Com of Int

Rural	Good
HOAs	Mid
Subdivisions	Mid
Taxation	Good

Boundary

City Sac	Good
County Sac	Mid
Study Area	Good
Connector	Mid
Rail	Good
I-5	Good
SR-99	Mid

Electoral

Connect	Mid
1-3 Excng	Good
2-4 Excng	Good
Displace	Concern
District Core	Good
Continuity	Good

Population

Dev +/-	Mid
New Growth	Concern
Built-out	Mid

Policy

Traverse 99	Mid
Boundary 99	Mid
Zero Dev	Concern

Good = ■

Mid = ■

Concern = ■

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together, we are the movement.

Dear City Clerk, Honorable Mayor, and Elk Grove Council Members,

My name is Naindeep Singh and am the Executive Director of the Jakara Movement, an organization that works within the Punjabi Sikh community of Elk Grove. For the past few weeks we have been speaking to Elk Grove residents about their thoughts on the current draft maps, key communities of interest, and their priorities.

As a few members of the Punjabi community living in Elk Grove shared during the last Council public hearing, the Punjabi-speaking community predominantly lives on the North-East side of Highway 99, between Calvine Rd, Shaldon Rd and Bradshaw Road, and on the South-West side of Highway 99, South of Elk Grove Blvd. These two areas are home to numerous Punjabi-owned small businesses, and these Punjab communities attend the same schools, make use of the same public utilities such as public neighborhood parks, and health care facilities, and attend the same Gurdwaras (Sikh places of worship) with Gurdwara Sacramento Sikh Society located on Bradshaw Road, as well as Gurdwara Dashmesh Darbar Sahib, located on Elk Grove Florin Rd.

Out of the three maps that you chose to move forward with during the last public hearing, Map 11 and Map 22 (or Map 11 revised), extensively split the Punjabi community living in Elk Grove both on the East of Highway 99 and on the West of Highway 99, making it difficult for our community to have accurate and fair representation in the districts affecting these areas. This also has adverse effects on other Asian American communities as well.

Map 12, though a better option from Map 11 and Map 22, also splits our community on the North-East side of Highway 99, between Calvine Road, Sheldon Rd. We hope you will make the following REVISIONS with a few changes to this map, so that it can accurately capture and represent the diversity of the Asian population living within Elk Grove and allow for accurate representation of the Punjabi community.

We ask that you implement the following changes:

- Remove the block between roads Highway 99, Elk Grove Florin, Bond Rd and Elk Grove Blvd from the Yellow District (which corresponds to present day District 3).
- Integrate the block between roads Elk Grove Florin, Sheldon and Waterman within the Yellow District (which corresponds to present day District 3).

These changes allow for a map that has a lower variance rate than Map 12, and allow for a greater inclusion and representation of communities of color, particularly the Asian community and Punjabi Community within District Yellow (present day District 3).

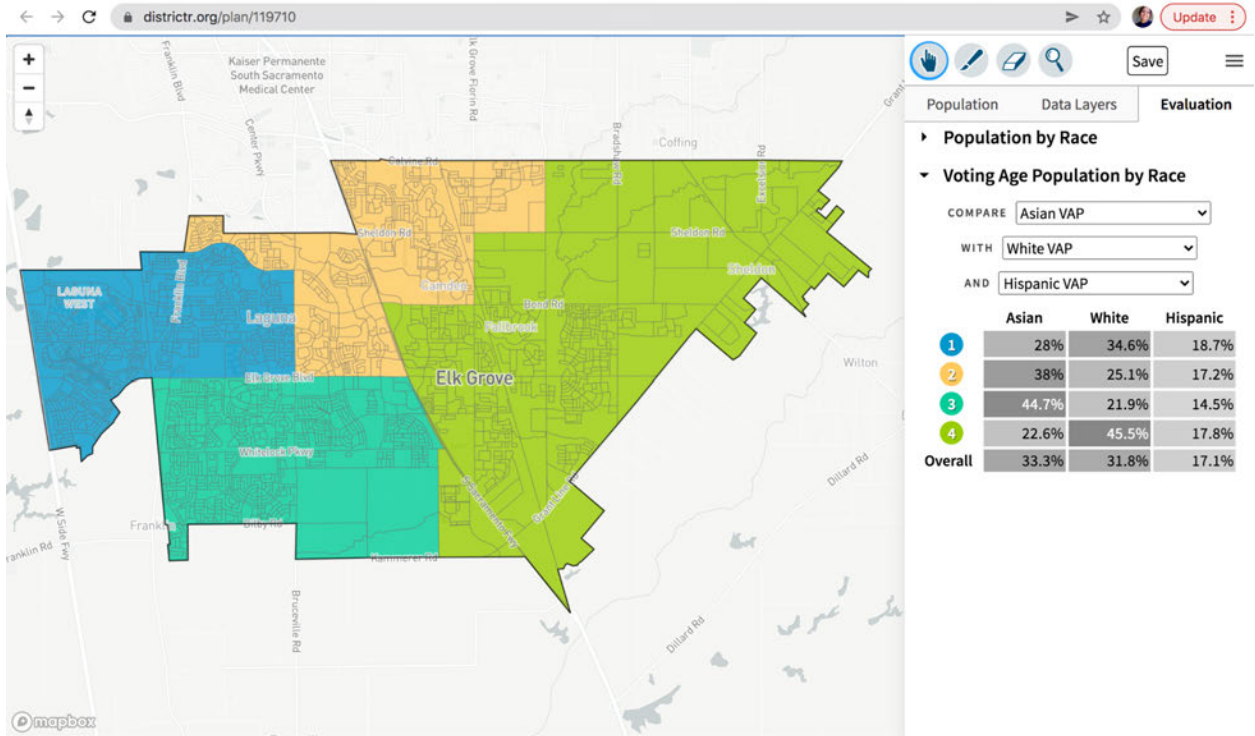
Attached below we are sharing with you what these changes look like on a Map.

Link: <https://districtr.org/plan/119710>

We strongly urge that you implement these changes and adopt this revised version of Map 12 for Elk Grove City Council.

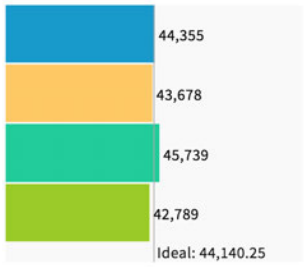
Sincerely,
Naindeep Singh
Jakara Movement

Map 12 Revised:



Population Balance

Uses adjusted 2020 Decennial Census population with processing by the City of Elk Grove on 2020 Blocks.



UNASSIGNED POPULATION: 0

MAX. POPULATION DEVIATION: 3.62%

Highlight unassigned units

03-23-2022

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Alicia Tutt](mailto:Alicia.Tutt@elkgrovecity.org); [Jason Lindgren](mailto:Jason.Lindgren@elkgrovecity.org)
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Public Comment: FY 2022-23 CDBG/CSG/ARPA Proposed Funding Recommendations Public Hearing
Date: Tuesday, March 22, 2022 11:29:32 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
[Meals on Wheels by ACC Thank you 2022.pptx](#)

[EXTERNAL EMAIL]

Hello,

Meals on Wheels by ACC would like to have our message of gratitude (attached) expressed to the Council and City staff for their support and included as public comment.

The specific Agenda item is 8.3.

Thank you very much, and please let me know if you need anything further or if you have any questions--

Jennifer Massello

Administrative Operations Manager

[REDACTED]



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“When something is important enough, you do it even if the odds are not in your favor.” -Elon Musk

From: Alicia Tutt <atutt@elkgrovecity.org>
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2022 3:59 PM
To: Alicia Tutt <atutt@elkgrovecity.org>
Subject: FY 2022-23 CDBG/CSG/ARPA Proposed Funding Recommendations Public Hearing

Thank you for submitting an application for FY 2022-23 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), Community Service Grant (CSG) and/or American Rescue Plan Act Nonprofit Grant funding. The City received 35 applications totaling more than \$2.7 million in requests. Staff carefully reviewed all applications, and we sincerely appreciate the level of effort that went into each application. The grant applications were reviewed according to several factors, including impact on community and high-need populations, feasibility of implementation, budget reasonableness, administrative capacity, and leveraged funds.

The City Council will consider the proposed allocations at their meeting next Wednesday, March 23, 2022 at 6:00 pm. Contents of the Regular City Council agenda packet, including CDBG/CSG/ARPA funding recommendations, may be viewed at https://p1cdn4static.civicleve.com/UserFiles/Servers/Server_109585/File/cityclerk/citycouncil/2022/ag-

[03-23-22.pdf](#) (please click the blue hyperlink for agenda item 8.3).

The City of Elk Grove encourages interested parties to participate in public meetings and comment on the issues being discussed. For information on how to participate in the meeting and how to provide public comment please refer to the agenda posted for this meeting at the link provided above. **PLEASE NOTE: THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER AND WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY ATTEND IN PERSON OR VIA THE ZOOM MEETING PLATFORM. PLEASE SEE THE AGENDA COVER PAGE FOR INFORMATION ABOUT HOW TO ATTEND AND/OR PROVIDING PUBLIC COMMENT.**

Following the March 23rd meeting, the City will release a public review draft of the CDBG 2022-23 Action Plan for a 30-day comment period starting April 11, 2022. The final Action Plan is expected to be adopted on May 11, 2022. CSG allocations will be formally adopted as a part of the annual City budget. Approved CDBG, CSG and ARPA funding agreements will begin July 1, 2023.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,
Alicia



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Meals on Wheels by ACC

Wishes to express our gratitude for the continued support of our Senior Nutrition Program to the City Staff and Council of Elk Grove.



03-23-2022

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Bobbie Singh-Allen](#)
Cc: [Jason Lindgren](#); [Alicia Tutt](#); [Stephanie Nguyen](#); [Patrick Hume](#); [Kevin Spease](#)
Subject: City of Elk Grove
Date: Monday, March 21, 2022 6:20:25 PM

[EXTERNAL EMAIL]

Good Evening City of Elk Grove Staff,

My name is Joe Allen. I am the Founder of [Strikes For Kids](#). We are a national 501 c(3) nonprofit organization that partners more than 125 professional athletes with benefiting youth organizations in communities across the United States. I wanted to take the time to say though we did not receive additional funding with our last application, we are very thankful for your support on round one of ARPA. The past two years have been increasingly frustrating and stressful as we have made a significant impact for the past decade, so to have the pandemic come along and bring it to a halt has been a challenge.

I'm grateful for Alicia Tutt. As someone tasked with drafting agreements and working with more than eighty+ applications, she was remarkable in communication. Alicia took time out of her hectic schedule to respond to every email and gave me a detailed response to avoid having to ask follow-up questions. She went above and beyond and deserves the utmost praise for her hard work and dedication.

Sincerely,

Joe Allen
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