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### COLUSA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

## Minutes

December 7, 2021

**Board Chambers**  
546 Jay Street, Suite 108  
Colusa, CA 95932

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Colusa, State of California meets in Regular Session this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021 at the hour of 11:00 a.m. Present: Supervisors Daurice K. Smith, Kent S. Boes, Denise J. Carter, J. Merced Corona and Gary J. Evans.

### Opening Prayer - Pledge of Allegiance

#### I. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1. Discussion/direction on the Redistricting proposals for County Supervisorial Districts based on 2020 Census data.

Ms. Tyler states that this is the 5<sup>th</sup> meeting to determine new supervisorial district boundaries based on the 2020 Census data. She further states that at this meeting the Board will review proposed map "E", which was based upon public comment, discussions by the Board and meets the following criteria:

- Geographically contiguous districts
- Communities of interest to remain intact
- Cities kept together
- Easily Identifiable boundaries
- Encourage compactness

Ms. Tyler further states that there is a second item on the agenda to move forward with the adoption of an Ordinance, but states the Board will first have the opportunity to discuss the final map.

Chair Evans shares concerns regarding the majority of the population of District 4 residing within the City of Williams. He further states that he has discussed the issue with Supervisor Boes in efforts to find a solution.

Supervisor Boes states the solution they have agreed upon will make District 4 larger and solves District 3 losing rural residential population.

Mr. Azevedo makes the changes on the map to include portions south of E Street to Sutter Street in District 3. He further includes blocks north of E Street to Highway 20 and East to Interstate 5 to District 4. Upon completion, Mr. Azevedo experienced technical difficulty generating the updated population numbers.

Ms. Tyler states the issue needs to be fixed to get the accurate numbers before the Board can proceed.

Chair Evans declares a recess 11:23 a.m. and reconvenes at 11:38 a.m. with all Supervisors present.

Mr. Azevedo states the map update brings the population number of District 3 to 4,291 and District 4's population to 4,174.

Chair Evans asks if there is any further discussion.

Mr. Sellers inquires as to the nature of the redistricting process.

Ms. Tyler explains the redistricting process.

Mr. Sellers asks if the redistricting process will affect the population of the City of Williams.

Ms. Tyler further explains the process and states the supervisorial district boundaries changes have not impacted the population of the City of Williams.

Supervisor Boes states that there won't be significant changes to Supervisor district boundaries within the City of Williams.

Ms. Tyler states that if there are no other changes, this will be the final map. She further states that the Supervisors will no longer have the opportunity to make changes in order to meet the required deadline of December 15, 2021.

Chair Evans states there will be no more changes.

Mr. Stout states that since the boundaries have changed, this Ordinance is no longer accurate. He further refers to Government Code 25131's exception which allows for passage of the Ordinance at a Public Hearing, which will be held at the next meeting on December 14, 2021. If the Ordinance is not passed at a Public Hearing at the next meeting, the Board loses jurisdiction and boundaries will be determined by the Superior Court at the County's expense.

COUNTY COUNSEL

**2. PULLED FROM CONSIDERATION**

Introduce by title only an Ordinance Amending Chapter 2, Article X of the Colusa County Municipal Code pertaining to Supervisorial District Boundaries, and waive any further reading of the ordinance.

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Chair Evans adjourned the meeting at 11:46 a.m. to reconvene in Regular Session on December 14, 2021 at the hour of 9:00 a.m.

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Gary J. Evans, Chair

Attest: Wendy G. Tyler,  
Clerk to the Board of Supervisors

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Melissa Kitts, Deputy Clerk