

Memorandum

To: CADEM Executive Board

From: 2022 CADEM Joint Subcommittee on Redistricting

Date: September 16, 2022

RE: 2022 CADEM Redistricting Process

Article V of the CADEM Bylaws instructs both the JEDI and Rules committees to, "propose a plan for redistricting of the Regions after each State Reapportionment is adopted." In April, lead Co-Chairs from both committees agreed to form a Joint Subcommittee of 5 members from each standing committee to carry out the redistricting process.

After receiving authorization from its parent committees, the newly formed Joint Subcommittee on Redistricting created a <u>Redistricting Calendar</u> to "map" out the process. Following the creation of the calendar, the Joint Subcommittee produced a Redistricting Survey and hosted 3 Virtual Public Forums to collect delegate recommendations, concerns, and questions about the new CADEM regions.

During these virtual public forums, delegates from every part of our state made their voices heard. While areas like the North part of California largely requested no changes in their current regions, Central and Southern California had a multitude of varying concerns and requests. After collecting and reviewing the dozens of written and verbal testimonies, the Joint Subcommittee met twice to discuss delegate feedback, create a First Draft Map, and approve said draft for dissemination. The Joint Subcommittee then published a final Redistricting Survey and hosted a final virtual public forum, where the general consensus amongst delegates was supportive of the Draft Map. The Joint Subcommittee reviewed the new feedback and voted on a Final Draft Map.

This Final Draft Map will be presented in the floor report of CADEM's November Executive Board Meeting for approval by the body. We thank you all for your feedback and guidance throughout this process.