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City of Sacramento Sacramento Redistricting Citizens Advisory Committee

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Members of the Sacramento Redistricting Citizens Advisory Committee

Title: Community Participation after Formal Plan Submission

Location/Council District: Citywide

Recommendation: Receive and file

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Background:

In January of this year Council approved a participatory redistricting process that includes Community outreach, education, and the development tools and data to engage the community in redistricting. In February Council extended this process by establishing the Sacramento Redistricting Citizens Advisory Committee.

To assist the community in developing and submitting redistricting plans staff, in partnership with a software vendor, has developed, free to the public, online tools and resources to develop and submit plans. May 16th was the deadline for submittal of redistricting maps using the online tool. The tool will continue to be available so that community members can continue to access the map and census data throughout the process. The maps that were submitted to the City using the online redistricting tool will also continue to be available for viewing. However, formal submissions can no longer be made using the online tool after the deadline.

The community will continue to have opportunities to provide input to the process by attending meetings and providing testimony to the Sacramento Redistricting Citizens Advisory Committee and the Council May – August 2011.

The Sacramento Redistricting Citizens Advisory Committee's charge is to review, organize, analyze, and refine the redistricting proposals submitted to the City, as well as recommend to the City Council preferred redistricting proposals. The Council has final approval authority for the new adopted boundaries.

The community is strongly encouraged to participate throughout the redistricting process. For the weekly meeting agenda and archived meetings of the Sacramento Redistricting Citizens Advisory Committee, go to <http://www.cityofsacramento.org> click on Council Agendas and Meetings and scroll down to Sacramento Redistricting Citizens Advisory Committee. To find out more about the redistricting process visit our website www.cityofsacramento.org/redistricting.

Respectfully Submitted by:

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