



**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING
NATIONAL CITY COUNCIL**

March 15, 2022

This meeting was conducted utilizing teleconferencing and electronic means consistent with State of California Assembly Bill No. 361, approved by Governor Newsom on September 16, 2021.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

OPEN SESSION

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:10 p.m. by Mayor Sotelo-Solis.

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers present: Bush, Morrison, Rios, Rodriguez, Sotelo-Solis
Other Elected Officials present: Molina
Administrative Officials present: Raulston, Winney, Bell Jr., Chapel
Consultants: Matt Rexroad, Fabian Valdez Jr.

Interpretation in Spanish provided by Carlos Diaz.

Councilmember Rios led the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comment for non-agenda items.

PUBLIC HEARING: ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

1. Public Hearing to Consider District Elections and Final Map Consideration.

City Clerk Molina read the title of the Item into the record.

Mayor Sotelo-Solis introduced City Clerk Molina who provided a summary and introduced Matt Rexroad, consultant with Redistricting Insights. Fabian Valdez Jr. provided a PowerPoint presentation, including maps submitted by members of the public, and addressed questions from Council.

Mayor Sotelo-Solis declared the Public Hearing open at 4:25 p.m.

Public Comment:

Ten (10) speakers registered and provided comment: Monseratt Hernandez, Alicia Sanchez, Myleen Abuan, Kandi Custodio-Tan, Jose Franco Garcia, Marianne Delatorre, Mae Case, Kristina Manaquil, Julio DeGuzman, and Joann Fields.

Twenty-six (26) written comments were received and read: Amy Castaneda, Angela Subido, Aurora Soriano Cudal, Silvia Calzada, Jerry Cano, Teddy Datuin, Debbie Espe - Neighborhood Voices of San Diego, Diana Go, Dyno - Asian Solidarity Collective, Joyce Ann Eclarino, Eric - Asian Solidarity Collective, Femie Villaflores, David Garcias, Jose Lopez, Karla Nava, Ken Seaton-Msemaji, Alfredo Leano, Joseph V. Mazares III, Pebblz Luv, Angelica Ramirez, Myrna TF Reyes, Ron Cho, Cynthia Suero-Gabler, Stacey Uy, Board of Directors – COPAO, and Mark Leo.

ACTION: Motion by Councilmember Rios, seconded by Councilmember Morrison, to close the Public Hearing at 6:01 p.m.

Motion carried by unanimous vote.

ACTION: Motion by Councilmember Rios, seconded by Vice-Mayor Bush, to select the map from Public Submission #4 (submitted by the group South Bay Collective for Fair Representation) for adoption.

Substitute motion by Councilmember Rodriguez, seconded by Councilmember Morrison, to select the adjusted map from Public Submission #1 (submitted by the group APAC) for adoption.

Ayes: Morrison, Rodriguez

Nays: Rios, Bush, Sotelo-Solis

Motion failed by 2-3 vote.

Vote on original motion to accept map from Public Submittal #4.

Ayes: Rios, Rodriguez, Bush, Sotelo-Solis

Nays: Morrison

Motion carried by 4-1 vote.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Sotelo-Solis adjourned to the Regular Meeting of the City Council and Community Development Commission - Housing Authority of the City of National City, Tuesday, April 5, 2022, 6:00 p.m. via teleconference.

The meeting adjourned at 6:03 p.m.


Luz Molina, City Clerk

The foregoing minutes were approved at the Regular Meeting of June 7, 2022.


Alejandra Sotelo-Solis, Mayor