

Citizen Redistricting Committee  
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## CITIZEN REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE

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Meeting Minutes of October 7, 2021 | 3:00PM-7:00  
PM Indian Pueblo Cultural Center, Albuquerque, NM  
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### [SUBJECT TO RATIFICATION BY COMMITTEE]

Invocation by Acoma Governor Vallo. (0:01:30)

### CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order by Chair Chávez. The roll was called; all Committee Members were present. (05:20:00)

HON. EDWARD L. CHÁVEZ, CHAIR  
RYAN CANGIOLSI, MEMBER present  
HON. LISA CURTIS, MEMBER present  
ROBERT RHATIGAN, MEMBER present  
JOAQUIN SANCHEZ, MEMBER present  
HON. MICHAEL SANCHEZ, MEMBER present  
CHRISTOPHER SAUCEDO, MEMBER present

Acoma Governor Vallo. (06:55:00) Maps that are submitted capture the agreement of all the Pueblos. Some work is still underway, but the maps for CD, State legislature are complete and are to protect the voting rights of the Native Americans. Also has worked for an influence district in SD30.

Wilfred Herrera Jr. (0:12:20) Chairman, All Pueblo Council of Governors. He supports Governor Vallo's comments, recognizing the Citizen Redistricting Committee, the current effort by many parties to do the

redistricting every ten years. The All Pueblo Council of Governors has an excellent group of individuals who understand the process to get maps and districts that will be beneficial to all across the state. He is glad to hear that our maps have received fair consideration. We also hope for approval by the CRC and by the legislature.

## **Committee Meeting Items**

### **1. Opening remarks**

*(Hon. Edward L. Chávez)*

The Chair thanked Governor Vallo and Chairman Herrera for their greetings. The Chair noted that the agenda would permit the IPCG present their maps and offer testimony in support of their maps. The CRC will display its concepts for public comment should any member of the public want to discuss a CRC concept. Also explained the delay in getting the new precincts in to district. Explained the approach as described by Tufts University. Discussed stipends that are being paid for expenses, but encouraged transparency by the public, to let the CRC know if they received a stipend so that suspicious minds do not grow and grow.

(0:23:00)

### **2. Presentation of district plans and public comment (*Note: Public input will be indexed, summarized and time stamp for each witness and will be provided on the CRC website at [nmredistricting.org](http://nmredistricting.org).*)**

#### **a. Congressional District Plans**

Motion by Chair Chávez to move the Pueblos Consensus CD map as a concept for additional public input, seconded by Member Curtis. (1:58:00) All members voted in favor of the motion except Member Cangiolosi.

#### **b. State Senate District Plans.**

Chairman Chávez (4:03:00) requests Research and Polling to incorporate the

Pueblo Consensus maps into CRC Senate Concept C. Take Navajo -6% deviation map and incorporate it into concept C in a separate map.

c. State House District Plans.

Chairman Chávez (4:46:25) requests Research & Polling to incorporate the Pueblo Consensus map into CRC House Concept D. Also take the Navajo Nation -6 deviation map and incorporate it into House Concept D in a separate map.

d. Public Education District Plans.

Regis Pecos, vote of thanks to involved parties by former Governor and a closing prayer. (04:52:00)

Adjournment

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