

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-2020-18
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE
LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT RECOMMENDING
THAT THE ORANGE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL
DISTRICT ORGANIZATION APPROVE AND ESTABLISH TRUSTEE AREAS
FROM WHICH THE LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT TRUSTEES
WILL BE ELECTED IN A BY-TRUSTEE AREA ELECTION PROCESS**

WHEREAS, The Los Alamitos Unified School District (“District”) currently uses an at-large system of electing members of its Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, At-large electoral systems such as the Districts are subject to challenge under the California Voting Rights Act of 2001, codified at sections 14025 - 14032 of the California Elections Code (“CVRA”); and

WHEREAS, By-trustee area electoral systems are not vulnerable to challenge under the CVRA; and

WHEREAS, In a by-trustee area system of election, candidates for the District’s Board of Education (the “Board”) must reside within a specific geographic subarea of the District called a “trustee area” and candidates are elected only by the voters of that trustee area; and

WHEREAS, One method of transitioning from an at-large electoral system to a by trustee area electoral system is for the school district board of education to petition the local county committee on school district organization by resolution to initiate the transition under California Education Code section 5019(c)(1); and

WHEREAS, the Orange County Committee on School District Organization (“Committee”) has indicated that it will initiate this process on behalf of the District at the District’s request, and will consider any recommendation on specific trustee areas made by the District; and

WHEREAS, District staff and consultants have conducted public hearings for map input as required by law, prepared proposed trustee area maps and recommendations (the “Maps”) that were presented to the public at the District’s Regular Board Meetings on September 24, 2019 and October 14, 2019, and thereafter posted the Maps on the District’s website for further input; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Elections Code section 10010, the District held properly noticed public hearings regarding the proposed trustee area maps on November 12, 2019, December 10, 2019, January 7, 2020, and January 21, 2020.

WHEREAS, the Board has considered all public input and comments on the Maps; and

WHEREAS, the Board has adopted Green 4 Map and hereby recommends Green 4 Map to the Committee for its consideration based upon the findings, analysis and recommendations contained in the report attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit “A”; and

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Los Alamitos Unified School District as follows:

1. That the above recitals are true and correct.
2. That the Board has adopted Green 4 Map and recommends Green 4 Map to the Committee for consideration and adoption.
3. That the Superintendent and/or her designee take all actions necessary to notify the Committee of the Board's determination forthwith and provide whatever assistance may be required by the Committee to complete the process.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 21st day of January, 2020.



President of the Board of Education for the
Los Alamitos Unified School District

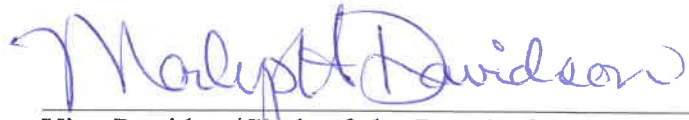
I, Marlys Davidson, Vice President/Clerk of the Board of Education of the Los Alamitos Unified School District, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Board of Education of said District at a meeting of said Board held on the 21st day of January, 2020, and that it was so adopted by the following vote:

AYES: CUTULI, DAVIDSON, RUSSELL, BOYER, HILL

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:



Vice President/Clerk of the Board of Education of
the Los Alamitos Unified School District

EXHIBIT "A"

APPROVED TRUSTEE AREA MAP

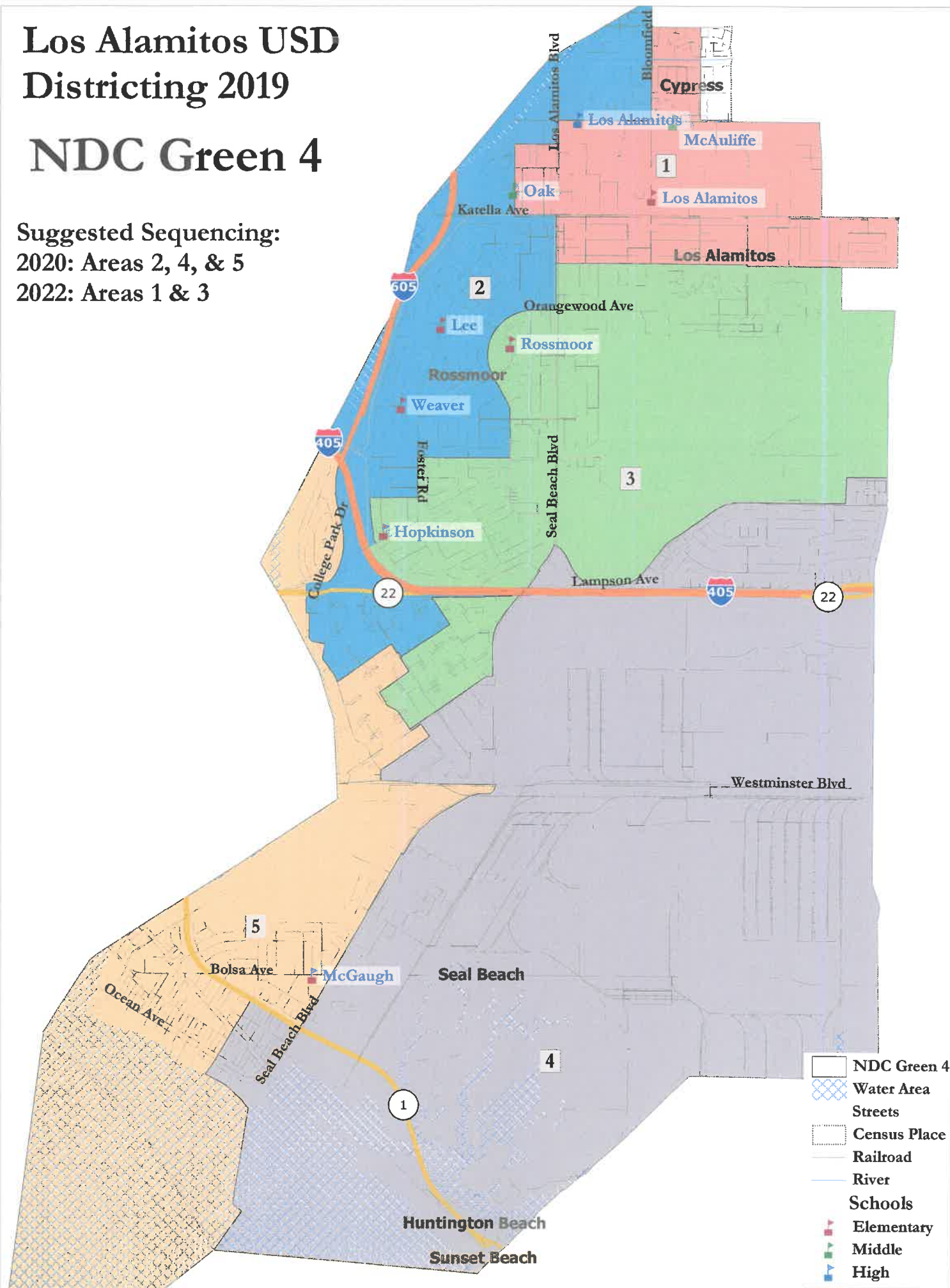
Los Alamitos USD Districting 2019

NDC Green 4

Suggested Sequencing:

2020: Areas 2, 4, & 5

2022: Areas 1 & 3



Los Alamitos Unified - NDC Green 4

District		1	2	3	4	5	Total	
Ideal	Total Pop	9,645	9,255	9,485	9,904	9,658	47,947	
9,589	Deviation from ideal	56	-334	-104	315	69	649	
	% Deviation	0.58%	-3.48%	-1.08%	3.29%	0.72%	6.77%	
Total Pop	% Hisp	24%	11%	11%	11%	9%	13%	
	% NH White	52%	76%	76%	74%	80%	71%	
	% NH Black	4%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	
	% Asian-American	17%	11%	11%	12%	8%	12%	
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	6,789	8,053	7,376	8,212	8,341	38,771	
	% Hisp	30%	10%	8%	12%	11%	14%	
	% NH White	46%	75%	77%	76%	80%	71%	
	% NH Black	8%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	
Voter Registration (Nov 2016)	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	13%	13%	12%	10%	7%	11%	
	Total	4,680	6,511	6,744	6,587	7,340	31,862	
	% Latino est.	18%	11%	9%	8%	8%	11%	
	% Spanish-Surnamed	16%	10%	8%	8%	7%	9%	
Voter Turnout (Nov 2016)	% Asian-Surnamed	8%	7%	8%	8%	6%	7%	
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
	% NH White est.	63%	79%	75%	80%	81%	76%	
	% NH Black	10%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	
Voter Turnout (Nov 2014)	Total	3,234	5,135	5,380	5,360	5,857	24,965	
	% Latino est.	17%	10%	9%	8%	8%	10%	
	% Spanish-Surnamed	15%	9%	8%	7%	7%	9%	
	% Asian-Surnamed	7%	7%	7%	8%	5%	7%	
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
	% NH White est.	65%	80%	76%	80%	82%	78%	
ACS Pop. Est.	% NH Black	10%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	
	Total	3,783	5,722	5,867	6,033	6,417	27,822	
	% Latino est.	19%	10%	9%	9%	7%	10%	
	% Spanish-Surnamed	17%	9%	8%	8%	7%	9%	
	% Asian-Surnamed	6%	7%	6%	7%	5%	6%	
	% Filipino-Surnamed	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
Age	% NH White est.	64%	79%	76%	80%	81%	77%	
	% NH Black est.	7%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	
	Total	9,986	9,757	9,509	9,957	10,135	49,342	
Immigration	age0-19	27%	19%	20%	17%	13%	19%	
	age20-60	53%	42%	40%	45%	46%	45%	
	age60plus	20%	39%	40%	38%	40%	35%	
Language spoken at home	immigrants	19%	15%	15%	14%	11%	15%	
	naturalized	57%	73%	78%	80%	68%	70%	
Language Fluency	english	75%	82%	85%	84%	87%	82%	
	spanish	12%	5%	4%	5%	4%	6%	
	asian-lang	10%	9%	7%	7%	4%	7%	
	other lang	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	
Education (among those age 25+)	Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	9%	7%	6%	6%	5%	7%	
	hs-grad	49%	45%	43%	45%	45%	45%	
	bachelor	27%	30%	30%	32%	31%	30%	
Child in Household	graduatedegree	14%	20%	22%	19%	19%	19%	
	child-under18	35%	21%	20%	19%	12%	21%	
	Pct of Pop. Age 16+	employed	63%	48%	48%	52%	53%	53%
	Household Income	income 0-25k	13%	15%	16%	15%	17%	16%
income 25-50k		16%	19%	19%	18%	16%	18%	
income 50-75k		20%	15%	13%	14%	14%	15%	
income 75-200k		44%	35%	37%	40%	38%	39%	
income 200k-plus		6%	16%	14%	13%	14%	13%	
Housing Stats	single family	54%	73%	67%	63%	56%	63%	
	multi-family	46%	27%	33%	37%	44%	37%	
	rented	61%	14%	12%	29%	32%	29%	
	owned	39%	86%	88%	71%	68%	71%	

Total population data from the 2010 Decennial Census.

Surname-based Voter Registration and Turnout data from the California Statewide Database.

Latino voter registration and turnout data are Spanish-surname counts adjusted using Census Population Department undercount estimates. NH White and NH Black registration and turnout counts estimated by NDC. Citizen Voting Age Pop., Age, Immigration, and other demographics from the 2012-2016 American Community Survey and Special Tabulation 5-year data.