

**CITY OF LA MIRADA
SUMMARY OF THE REDISTRICTING WORKSHOP
OCTOBER 28, 2021 – 6 P.M.**

The workshop was held in the La Mirada Resource Center, 13710 La Mirada Boulevard.

The following staff members were present: City Manager Jeff Boynton, Assistant City Manager/City Clerk Anne Haraksin, and Senior Administrative Analyst Jorge Orozco.

City Manager Jeff Boynton welcomed the three members of the community who were present and gave a brief overview of the process. He reported that in compliance with federal and state law, the City is required to update election district boundaries every ten years, following the receipt of updated population data from the federal decennial census. He said district boundaries must be adopted by December 15 to ensure the districts are established in advance of the City's General Municipal Election that is scheduled to be held as part of the statewide primary in June 2022.

City Manager Boynton introduced Dr. Justin Levitt of National Demographics Corporation (NDC).

Dr. Levitt gave a presentation on the redistricting process, laws and criteria related to redistricting, the City's current districts and the updated demographics based on the 2020 census. He defined communities of interest as a population that shares common social or economic interests that should be included within a single district for purposes of its effective and fair representation. Dr. Levitt also demonstrated how to use the online mapping tools and provided a timeline for the submittal of draft maps.

Dr. Levitt responded to questions asked by the members of the public regarding the online mapping tools, the draft map submittal process, and the adoption of a draft map.

The workshop concluded at 7:08 p.m.