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Public Invited to Compton Community College District Trustee Area Boundary Redistricting Committee Virtual Meeting January 20

Communities Served by the District Encouraged to Give Feedback on Proposed Boundary Maps

The Compton Community College District (CCCD) Redistricting Committee will hold its next virtual meeting on Thursday, January 20, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. Community members in cities served by the District are invited to attend the meeting to ask questions and provide input on the proposed Trustee Area boundary maps. Districts must be made as equal in population as is practical, so communities have equal access to elected representation.

All committee meetings are open to the public and take place via Zoom; meeting access information is available online: https://www.compton.edu/district/district information/district-redistricting.aspx

The Compton Community College District, along with many other public agencies and school districts in California, is taking steps to review and modify its elected trustee area boundaries. Every 10 years, local community colleges, city councils and other local agencies must adjust their elected trustee area boundaries to equalize the population. How and where district boundaries are drawn can shape communities' ability to elect the representatives of their choice.

Currently, trustees in the CCCD must live in the trustee area they represent. Residents vote by "trustee area," whereas, they may only vote for candidates who reside in their specific trustee area.

The proposed maps for the new Compton Community College District Trustee Areas, as well as the Redistricting Action Plan, are available now on the CCCD website at: https://compton.edu/district/district_information/district-redistricting.aspx.

Members of the public are encouraged to review and comment on the redistricting maps. Included on the redistricting webpage is the current Compton Community College District Trustee areas map and two proposed Compton Community College District Trustee areas maps. A Public Hearing will be held during the January 24, 2022 Compton CCD Board of Trustees meeting.

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About the Compton Community College District

Board meetings are usually held the third Tuesday of each month and are open to the public. The District is located at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221.