

September 13, 2021

Vince Farhat, Chair
Redistricting Task Force
Members of the Task Force

WPRA's Redistricting Community of Interest

Dear Chair Farhat and Members:

The West Pasadena Residents' Association (WPRA) submits its Community of Interest designation as the current Pasadena City Council District 6. A Community of Interest map reflecting this designation is attached.

WPRA's service area is bounded by Colorado Street on the north, Fair Oaks Avenue on the east, and the city limits on the west and south. WPRA represents nearly 8000 residences, both owners and renters, along with businesses, schools, performance venues, recreation areas, city facilities, and open space, including both sides of the Lower Arroyo.

However, the Community of Interest encompasses a larger area inclusive of all areas north of Colorado and to the west of the Central Arroyo as well. The area shares interest and pride in, and strongly supports, recognized neighborhoods and history. Together these form a cohesive whole with common bonds and links – **a Community of Interest – congruent with Council District 6.**

If any minor adjustments to the current CD 6 boundaries are made pursuant to population shifts, they should be made in the eastern portion of District 6, and in no case west of Fair Oaks Avenue.

WPRA also believes that Colorado Boulevard is the touchstone for all of Pasadena, and that all Council Districts should share and benefit from a stake in its economic vitality and historic significance.

Thank you for your consideration of our points of view.

Respectfully,

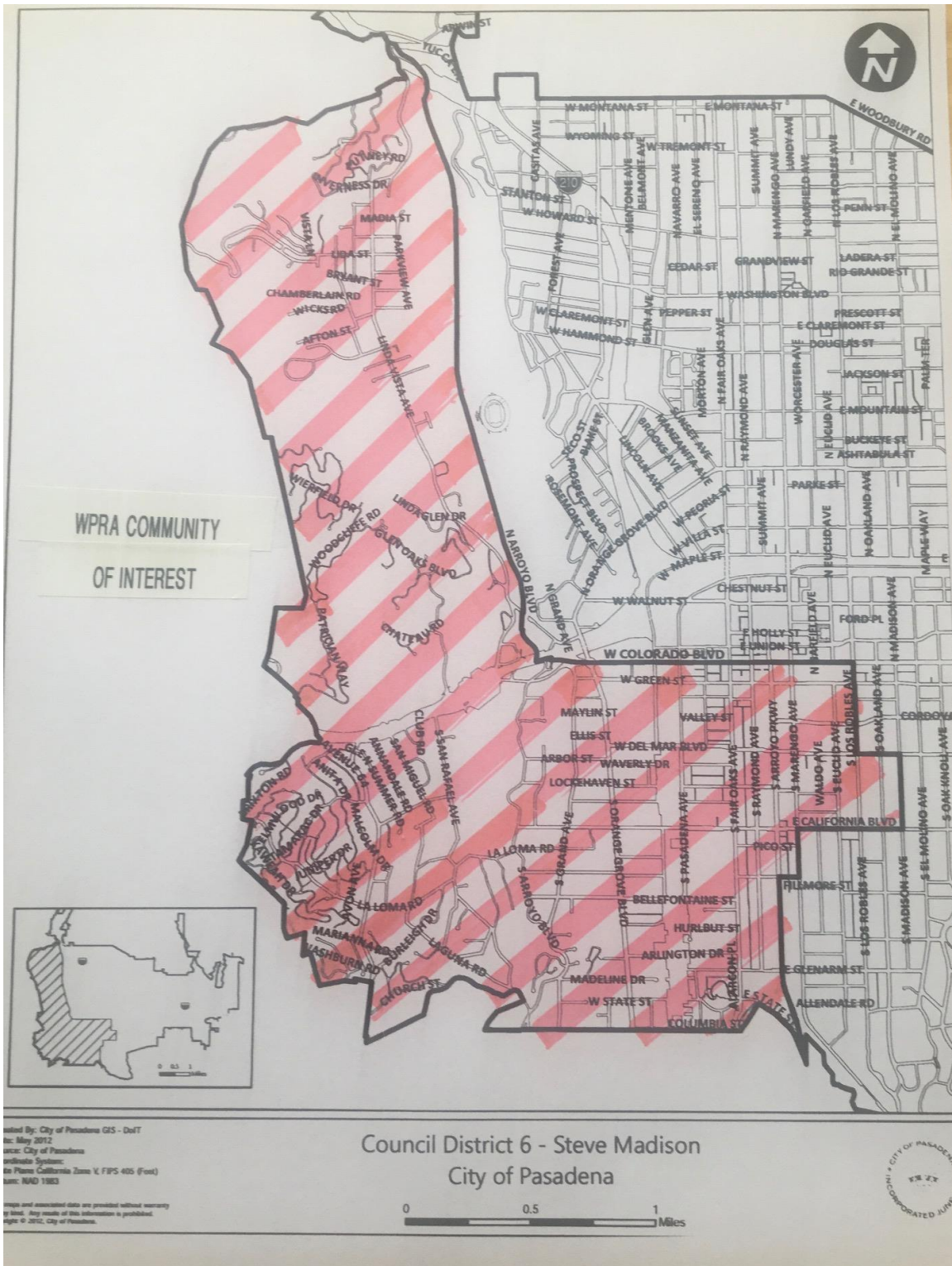
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Dan Beal, President
For the Board of Directors

C: Councilmember Steve Madison

The WPRA is an all-volunteer organization dedicated to maintaining and enhancing the quality of life in southwest Pasadena. We represent nearly 8,000 households, including 1,000 paid members.

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