

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

THE CITY OF PATTERSON CITY COUNCIL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Patterson (the “City”) will hold a public hearing on March 22, 2022 at 7:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter, in accordance with the FAIR MAPS Act (Elec. Code, § 21600 et seq.), the Ralph M. Brown Act (Gov. Code, § 54950 et seq.), and the Federal Americans with Disabilities Act, to consider the adoption of:

An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Patterson Adopting Boundaries of City Council Districts (the “Ordinance”).

On May 3, 2016, the Patterson City Council adopted Ordinance No. 795, which established a by-district election process in four (4) City Council districts, with the Mayor being voted at large. Following each federal decennial census, the FAIR MAPS Act (Elec. Code, § 21600 et seq.) (the “Act”) requires the City to complete a redistricting process to reapportion the City’s population between the four (4) City Council districts so that the City Council districts are substantially equal in population. The Act also specifies the criteria and procedures for adoption of City Council district boundaries. The Ordinance will adopt City Council boundaries pursuant to the Act. Prior to adoption of the Ordinance, the City Council conducted public hearings on November 8, 2021, December 6, 2021, and February 1, 2022 to receive a report from City staff on the redistricting process and permissible criteria to be considered for adoption of City Council districts. The City Council also received public input on communities of interest and potential City Council district boundaries at the public hearings. The City Council will conduct a final public hearing on Tuesday, April 5, 2022, to receive public input on communities of interest and potential Council election district boundaries.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinance, this document, the full/complete copy of the staff report on the redistricting process and potential district boundaries and draft maps will be available for public review at the City of Patterson City Hall, City Clerk’s Office, 1 Plaza, 2nd Floor, Patterson, CA., and available On-Line on the City of Patterson Website www.ci.patterson.ca.us listed under Popular Links; “Redistrict Patterson” and “City Council Agendas” special city council meeting of March 22, 2022 at 7:00 p.m., and Legal Notices & Public Hearings. The City of Patterson City Hall is located at 1 Plaza, Patterson, CA. All interested parties are invited to review the document(s) prior to the Tuesday, March 22, 2022 public hearing.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES: are invited to attend the March 22, 2022 public hearing to express opinions or submit evidence for or against the adoption of the Ordinance. Testimony from interested persons will be heard and considered by the City Council prior to taking action or making any recommendation on the Ordinance. Any materials submitted to the City Council for consideration (photographs, petitions, letters, etc.) will be retained by the City and cannot be returned. Materials are also accepted prior to the public hearing, by contacting the City Clerk’s office at the City of Patterson, City Hall, 2nd Floor, 1 Plaza, Patterson, CA 95363 or by calling (209) 895-8012 or by email cityclerk@ci.patterson.ca.us.

On request, the agenda and the documents in the agenda packet can be made available to persons with a disability. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City encourages those with disabilities to participate fully in the public hearing process. Any person requiring special assistance to participate in the meeting, including if translation in an applicable language is needed for this hearing should contact the City Clerk's Office by calling (209) 895-8012 or by email cityclerk@ci.patterson.ca.us at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the meeting to enable the city to make reasonable arrangement to ensure accessibility to the meeting.

Written comments are also accepted, prior to the hearing, by mail at the City Clerk's office, at 1 Plaza, Patterson, CA 95363.

Copies of the proposed ordinances will be available, upon request.

If you have any questions, please call the City Clerk at (209) 895-8014 or email cityclerk@ci.patterson.ca.us.

BY ORDER OF THE PATTERSON CITY COUNCIL

DATE ADVERTISED: Thursday, March 10, 2022

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