

REDISTRICTING ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
BEEVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SEPTEMBER 12, 2011

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Kou Adele May	301 E. Huntington, Beeville, TX 78102	Kou Adele May
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Jimmy Matthews	905 W. McAllen	Jimmy Matthews

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411 E. Hudson St.

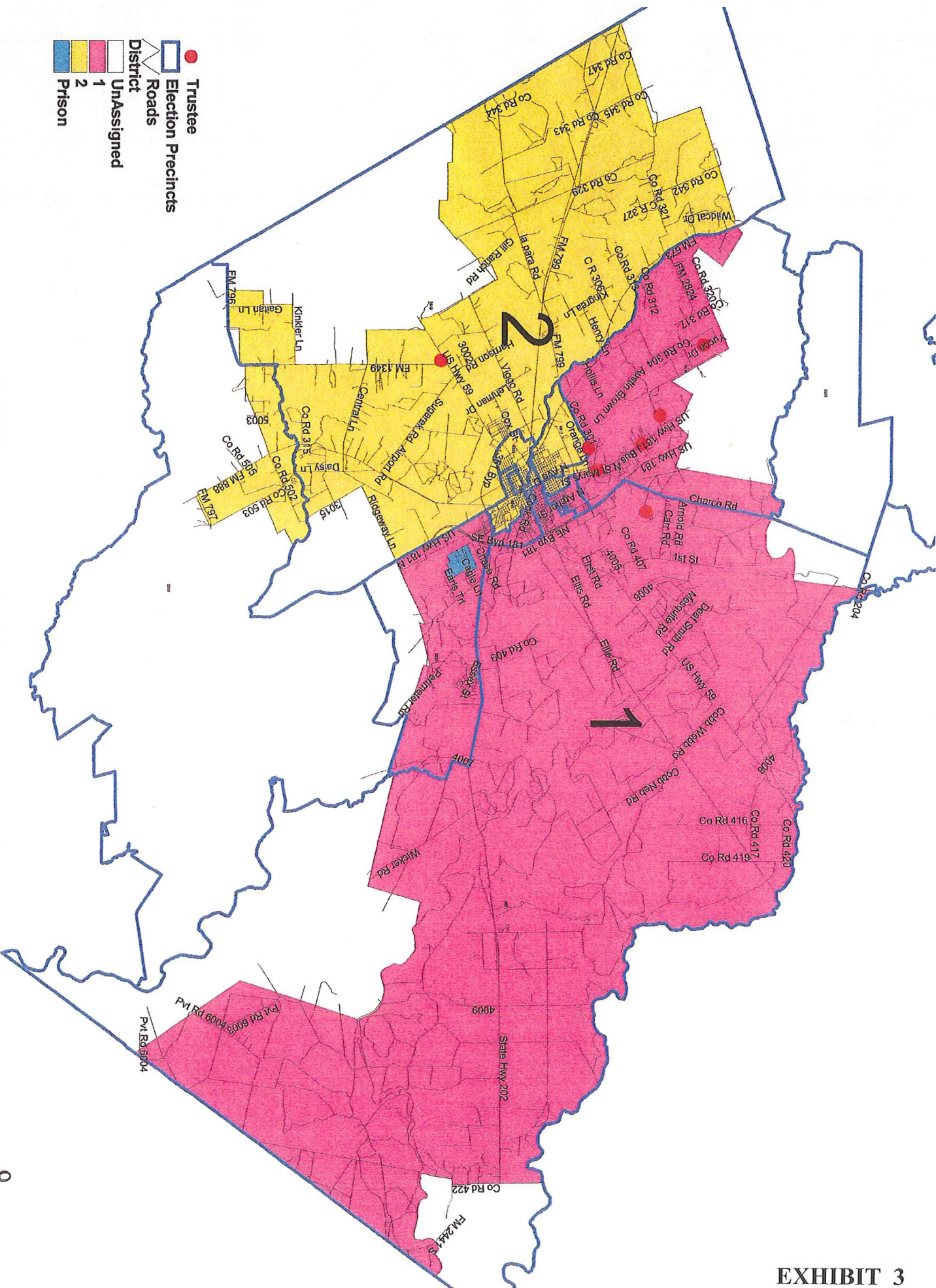


## **GUIDELINES FOR REDISTRICTING YOUR SINGLE-MEMBER DISTRICTS**

1. Draw districts to contain similar total population size. The maximum deviation from the smallest to the largest populated district should not exceed 10%, (+) or (-) 5%. (ONE PERSON, ONE VOTE PRINCIPLE)
2. Draw districts that contain contiguous and compact geographic areas. (CONTIGUITY FACTOR)
3. Use identifiable geographic features as boundaries.
4. Maintain communities of interest and minimize dividing neighborhoods, when possible.
5. Recognize value of incumbent-constituency relations by locating current government members in separate districts.
6. Maintain racial and/or language minority population as a community of interest in one or more single-member districts, if possible. Evaluate minority voting strength in terms of voting age population.
7. Follow guidelines as defined in the Voting Rights Act. Avoid "retrogression": if possible do not make the relevant minority group worse off relative to the current plan. (RETROGRESSION FACTOR)

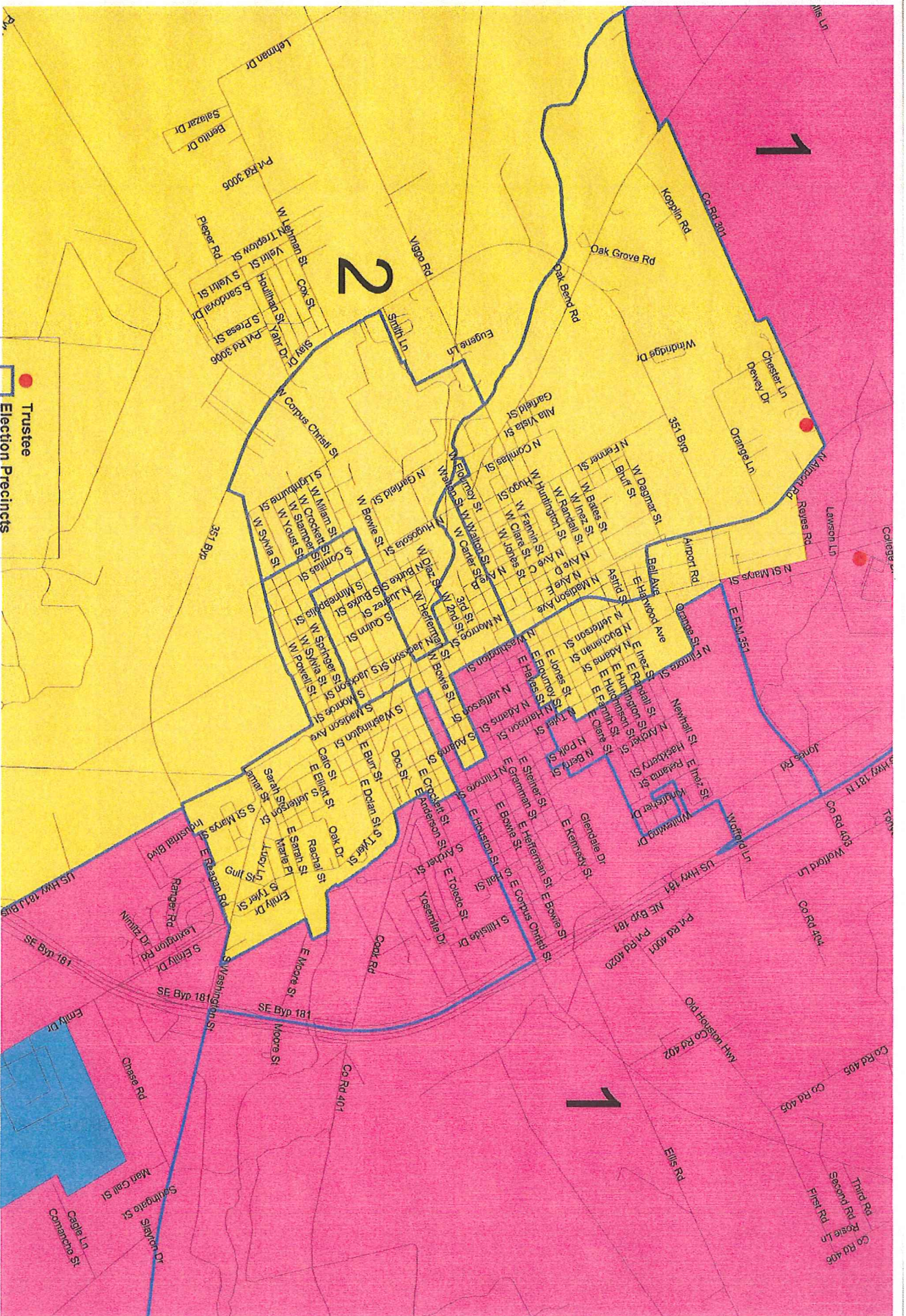
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- Trustee
- Election Precincts
- Roads
- District
- UnAssigned
- 1
- 2
- Prison



MAP 1 OF 2: BEEVILLE ISD DRAFT SMD PLAN 2-A 9





# MAP 2 OF 2: BEEVILLE ISD DRAFT SMD PLAN 2-A



**BEEVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**COMPARISON OF CURRENT MEGA 2 SMD PLAN AND DRAFT SMD PLAN 2-A**  
**1987 AND 2010 TOTAL AND VOTING AGE POPULATION BY RACE/ETHNICITY**

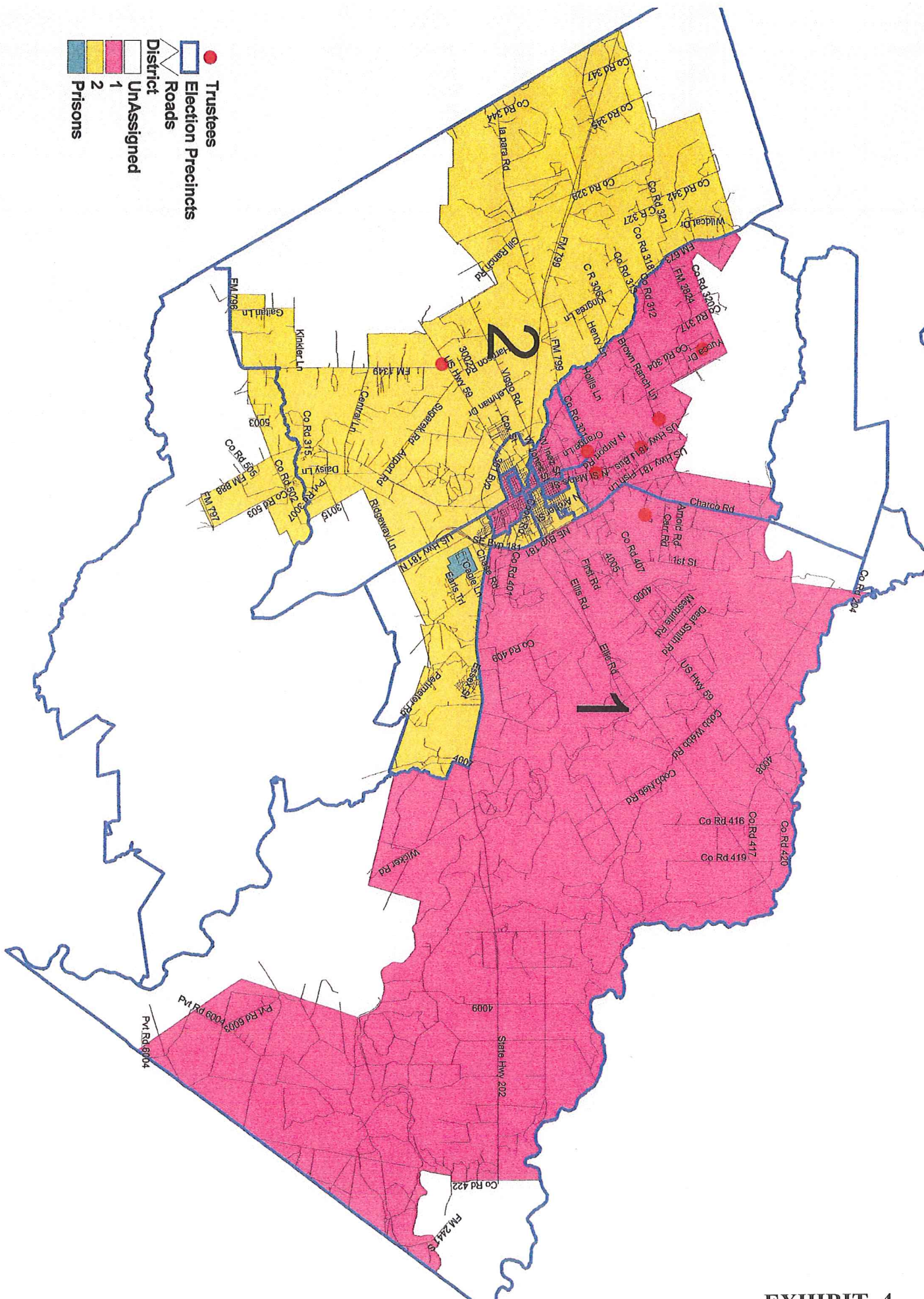
<b>1987 POPULATION - MEGA 2 SMD PLAN</b>							
SINGLE-M DISTRICT	TOTAL	HISPAN	% HISPAN	NO HISP BLACK	% NH BLACK	TOTAL MINORITY	% TOTAL MINORITY
<b>DISTRICT ONE</b>			<b>ESTIMATED HISP</b>				
TOTAL POP	11,173	2,804	25.1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
VOTE AGE	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>DISTRICT TWO</b>			<b>ESTIMATED HISP</b>				
TOTAL POP	10,082	6,634	65.8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
VOTE AGE	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>TOTAL ISD</b>							
TOTAL POP	21,255	9,438	44.4%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
VOTE AGE	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
IDEAL SIZE:			<b>10,628</b>				
DEVIATION:			<b>10.3%</b>				

<b>2010 POPULATION* - DRAFT SMD PLAN 2-A</b>							
TOTAL	HISPAN	% HISPAN	NO HISP BLACK	% NH BLACK	TOTAL MINORITY	% TOTAL MINORITY	
10,134	5,876	58.0%	276	2.7%	6,346	62.6%	
7,343	3,875	52.8%	203	2.8%	4,224	57.5%	
9,551	7,170	75.1%	188	2.0%	7,489	78.4%	
6,711	4,838	72.1%	125	1.9%	5,064	75.5%	
19,685	13,046	66.3%	464	2.4%	13,835	70.3%	
14,054	8,713	62.0%	328	2.3%	9,288	66.1%	
		<b>9,843</b>					
		<b>5.9%</b>					

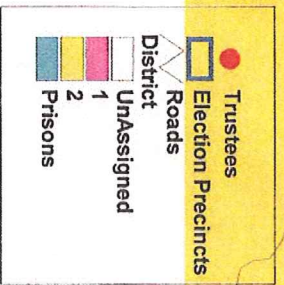
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9,589	6,355	66.3%	192	2.0%	6,675	69.6%	
6,913	4,277	61.9%	128	1.9%	4,504	65.2%	
10,096	6,691	66.3%	272	2.7%	7,160	70.9%	
7,141	4,436	62.1%	200	2.8%	4,784	67.0%	
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**Re-Districting Committee  
July 2011**

<b><u>Board Member</u></b>	<b><u>Community Member Selected</u></b>
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Nick Cardenas	Jimmy Martinez 905 N. Madison Avenue Beeville, TX 78102 358-5236
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Tom Beasley	Lou Adele May 301 E. Huntington Beeville, TX 78102 358-1307
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Velma Elizalde	Jessy Garza 809 W. Huntington Beeville, TX 78102 358-8800 / 319-5658 cell
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John Fish	Laura Fischer 13 Shady Lane Beeville, TX 78102 358-0270
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Viola Salazar	Rosalinda Perez
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Matt Huie	John Galloway 303 E. Fannin Beeville, TX 78102 358-4032
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Kevin Behr	Alden Southmayd P.O. Box 1772 Beeville, TX 78104 542-8335 cell 362-3221 wk
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MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 12, 2011**

**MINUTES**

The Redistricting Advisory Committee (RAC) of the Beeville Independent School District met at 6:00 p.m. on September 12, 2011 at 201 North St. Mary's Street, Beeville, Texas.

**The following RAC members were present:**

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|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Jimmy Martinez | 4. Rosalinda Perez |
| 2. Lou Adele May  | 5. John Galloway   |
| 3. Laura Fischer  | 6. Alden Southmayd |

**The following RAC member was not present:**

1. Jessy Garza

Note: Mr. Garza did not call to say he would be absent. Committee members also were not aware of any reason for his absence. He came the next morning (September 13) to pick up the redistricting handout from the meeting. He said he forgot about the meeting.

**The following Beeville ISD staff and consultants were present:**

1. Superintendent Dr. Sue Thomas
2. Superintendent's Secretary Minnie Sandoval

**Other persons attending:**

1. Jason Collins of the BeePic Newspaper
2. Tax Assessor-Collector Linda Bridge

**Topics and Information Presented/Discussed:**

Dr. Thomas introduced Attorney Judy Brown of Walsh, Anderson, Brown, Gallegos & Green, P.C. in Austin, Texas; and Leslie Johnston of Johnston & Associates in Tow, Texas.

Ms. Brown explained the need for redistricting and the guidelines for the process. Ms. Johnston reviewed the trustee multi-member election districts, other changes to the trustee election system, and redistricting options.

The RAC members considered two draft plans, Plan 2-A and Plan 2-B, provided by the demographer. The RAC members agreed that having easily identifiable boundaries would be important for voters' understanding of the new plan and for the administration of elections under the new plan.

All RAC members unanimously agreed that the 2-B plan created better boundaries and created two multi-member districts with an even percentage of Hispanic population at 66.3% each.

John Galloway was appointed Committee Chair.

**Decisions regarding future meetings and additional information/request needed:**

No further meetings were necessary as the committee was in total agreement.

The hearing adjourned at 7:36 p.m.