

WORK SESSION AGENDA

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Miyagishima

Monday, September 12, 2022 at 1:00 PM

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Council Work Session Summary

Meeting: Work Session - Sep 12 2022

TITLE: REDISTRICTING CONCEPT MAPS.

PURPOSE(S) OF DISCUSSION: ☐ Inform/Update ☒ Direction/Guidance ☐ Legislative
Development/Policy

BACKGROUND / KEY ISSUES / CONTRIBUTING FACTORS:

The Las Cruces City Charter requires that there be a “periodic review of the boundaries of the districts” and that each Council district “shall contain as nearly as possible substantially the same population-based upon the most recent federal census.” City Council passed Resolution 22-031 creating an ad hoc committee to work with Research & Polling, Inc. to provide public input and evaluate various redistricting proposals. The committee met every two weeks starting in April, reviewing 10 different concept maps and narrowing down to 4 for council to review. The 4 concept maps will be presented by Research & Polling.

SUPPORT INFORMATION:

[Current District Map](#)

[Concept Map "B"](#)

[Concept Map "H1"](#)

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PLAN(S):

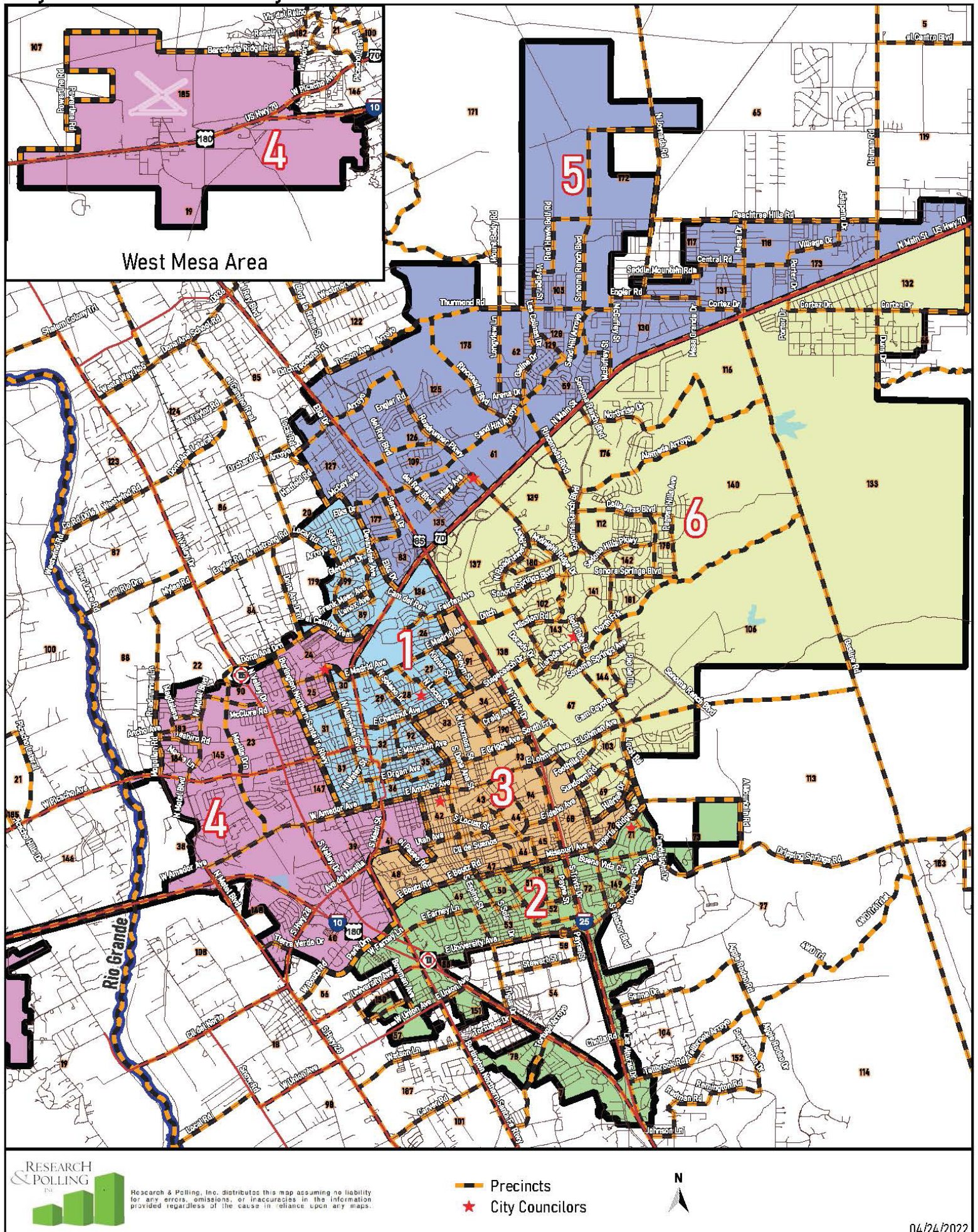
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COMMITTEE/BOARD REVIEW:

Redistricting Ad Hoc

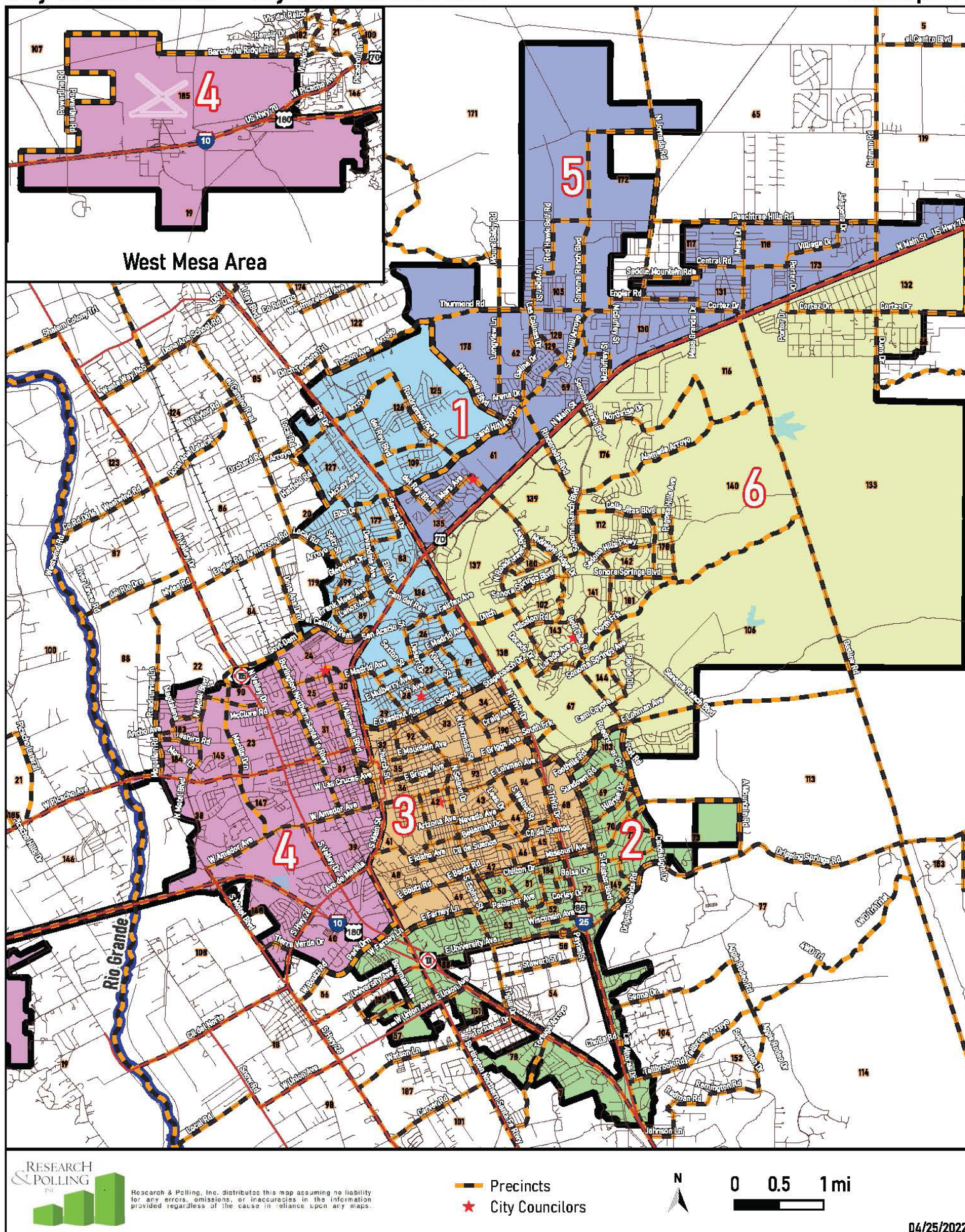
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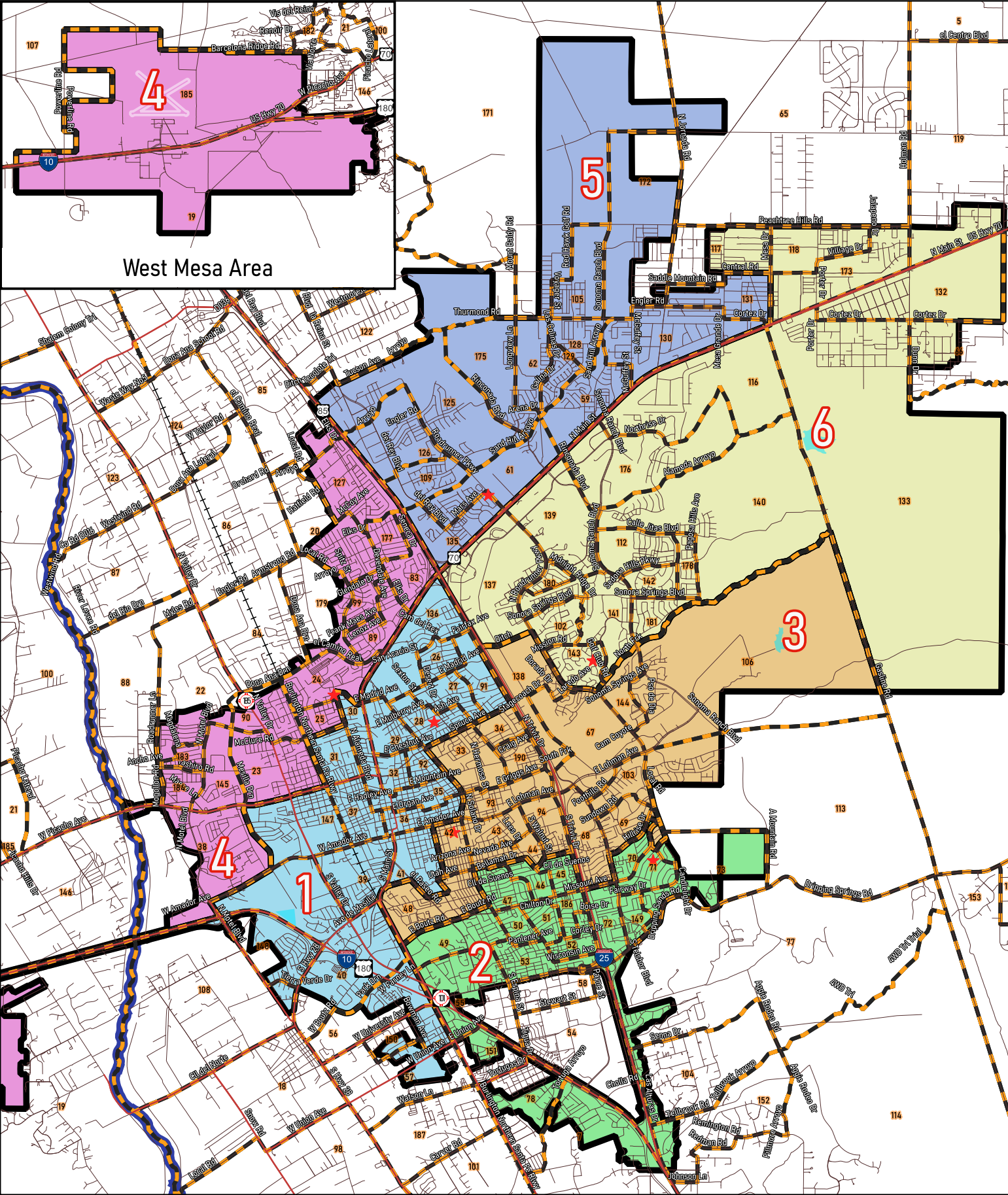
Current Districts



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Concept B



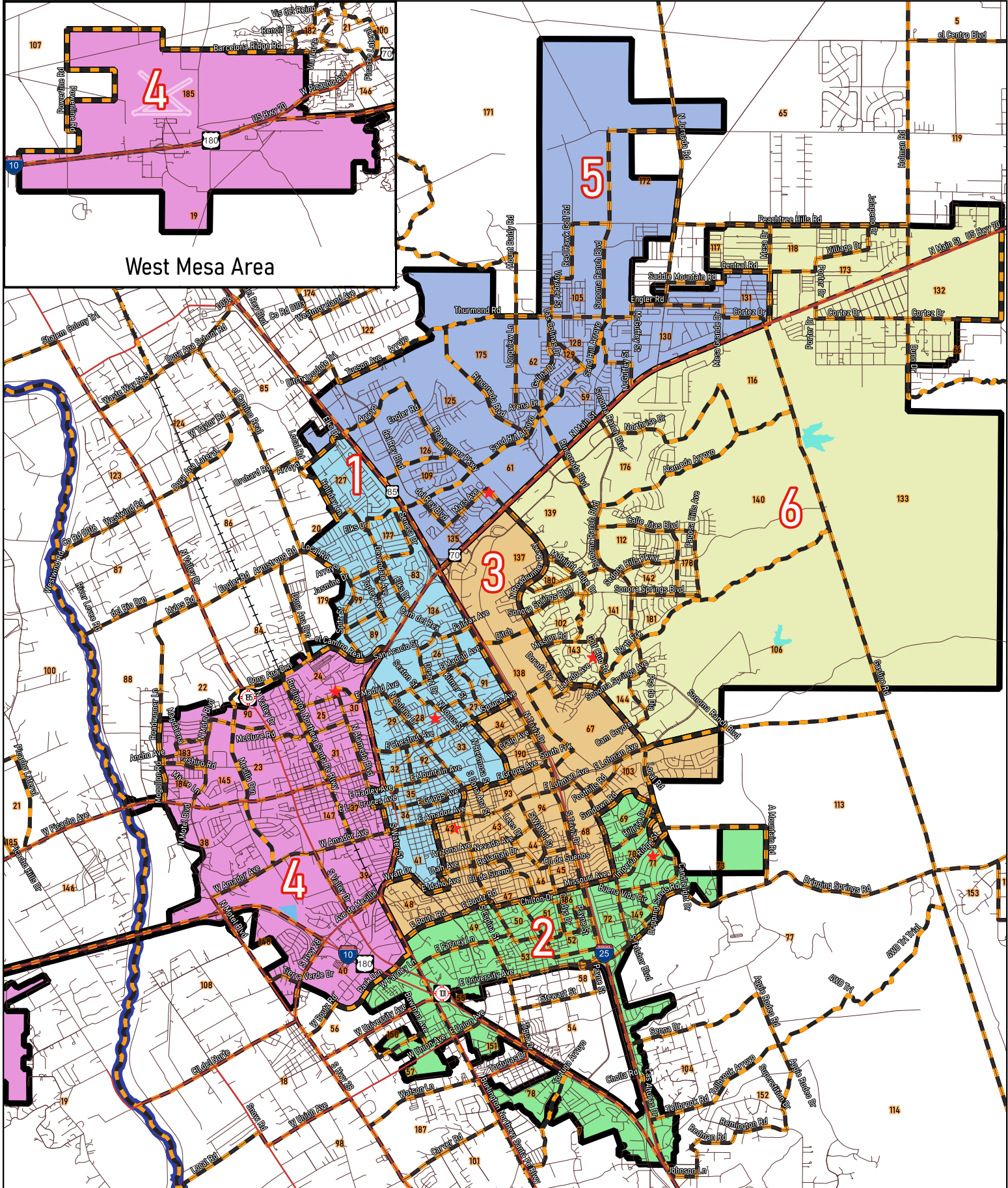


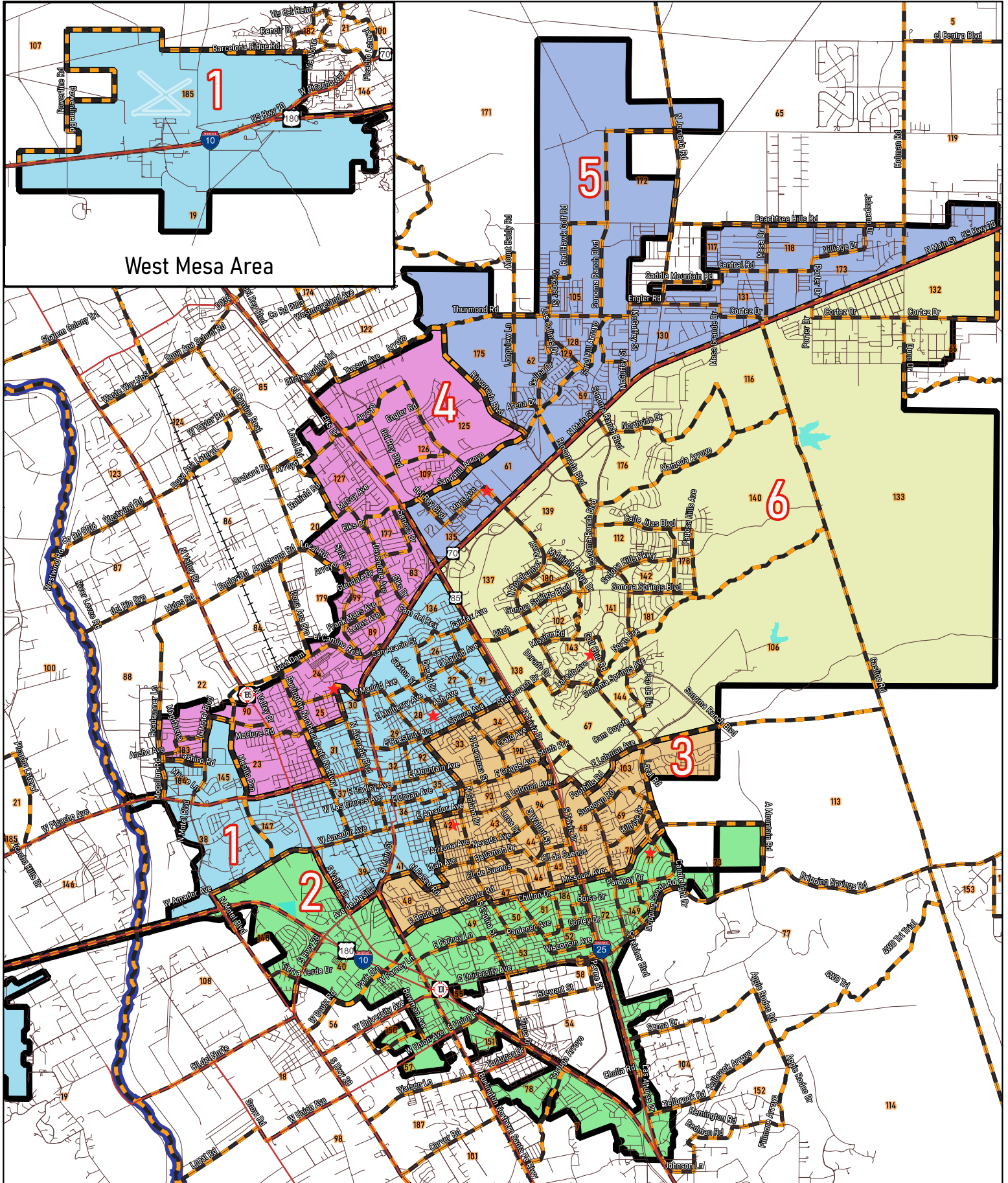
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- Precincts
- City Councilors



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Council Work Session Summary

Meeting: Work Session - Sep 12 2022

TITLE: SISTER CITIES FOUNDATION UPDATE.

PURPOSE(S) OF DISCUSSION: ☒ Inform/Update ☐ Direction/Guidance ☐ Legislative Development/Policy

BACKGROUND / KEY ISSUES / CONTRIBUTING FACTORS:

Mr. Tim Chappell, the Las Cruces Sister Cities Foundation President, will be giving an update on the Sister Cities Foundation. The presentation will include the following:

1. Overview of Sister Cities International.
2. Overview of Las Cruces Sister Cities and it's two current affiliates.
3. Summarize the Nienburg affiliate with pictures and map.
4. Summarize the Lerdo affiliate with pictures and map.
5. Summarize the proposed Cuauhtemoc, Mexico affiliate with pictures and map.
6. List upcoming events, meetings and exchanges.

PLAN(S):

None

COMMITTEE/BOARD REVIEW:

None



Council Work Session Summary

Meeting: Work Session - Sep 12 2022

TITLE: ARPA REPORTING.

PURPOSE(S) OF DISCUSSION: ☒ Inform/Update ☐ Direction/Guidance ☐ Legislative
Development/Policy

BACKGROUND / KEY ISSUES / CONTRIBUTING FACTORS:

In response to the economic hardship due to the coronavirus pandemic, the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) provided direct allocation to aid in recovery efforts and the City of Las Cruces (City) was allocated \$24,759,826. City Council adopted a resolution for the funding to be allocated in the following manner: \$2 million to support public health emergency response, \$6.9 million to replace public sector revenue loss for capital needs, \$11.4 million to address negative economic impacts, \$3.5 million to improve water and sewer infrastructure, and \$1 million for premium pay. The purpose of this work session is to review how the expenditures are reported, including periodic reports to the U.S. Treasury and real-time reporting on the City's website.

PLAN(S):

None

COMMITTEE/BOARD REVIEW:

None



Council Work Session Summary

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TITLE: City of Las Cruces Economic Outlook

PURPOSE(S) OF DISCUSSION: ☒ Inform/Update ☐ Direction/Guidance ☐ Legislative
Development/Policy

BACKGROUND / KEY ISSUES / CONTRIBUTING FACTORS:

The Economic Development Department will present a mid-year update of the economic outlook of the City of Las Cruces. The presentation will focus on labor force trends, industry trends, and general business trends of the local economy.

PLAN(S):

None

COMMITTEE/BOARD REVIEW:

None