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Special Alert

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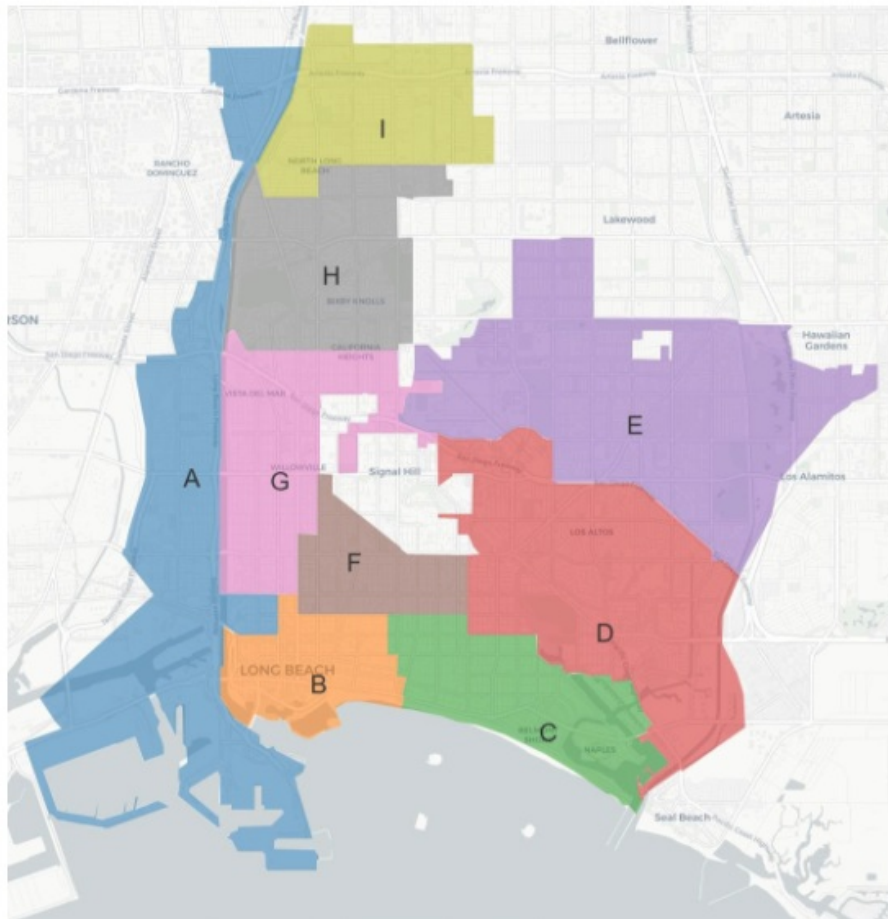
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**Update on Redistricting:
Redistricting Commission Meeting Again
Wednesday November 3rd at 6:00 PM**



Dear Neighbor,

Again I want to **thank every one** of the Third District residents for attending the Redistricting Commission this week, and providing public comment on the various points and details to protection their specific communities of interest. Your dedication and commitment to your community is amazing and so important to this process.

UPDATE:

At the most recent meeting there was a lot of **discussion** among commissioners on areas of the **Third District** and **potential changes** that

could affect a number of neighborhoods in addition to a several other districts. As the meeting went on the commission decided to schedule an **additional meeting** for this coming **Wednesday November 3rd, at 6:00 PM** with the goal of selecting no more than three maps to become the final draft maps that they will continue discussing, editing, and receiving input on.

[Link to Long Beach Post Article on This Week's Redistricting Meeting](#)

It has been **great** to see the **community involved** in this process and active on this topic to provide their input, however this is **not the end of the process** of redistricting.

Public comment will be held in person, so if you have opinions, input, or suggestions about the proposed district maps, I would encourage you to attend this meeting and provide your comments to the commission for their consideration.

So, it is important that residents like you provide input on your neighborhood, and **how you think lines should be drawn** so that communities you think should be kept together are kept together. **The Redistricting Commission depends on resident input in this process, without which they could draw lines that separate neighborhoods, or divide areas that should be kept together leading to less of a voice for you and your community. So, please be a part of the redistricting effort and make sure the commission hears your voice.**

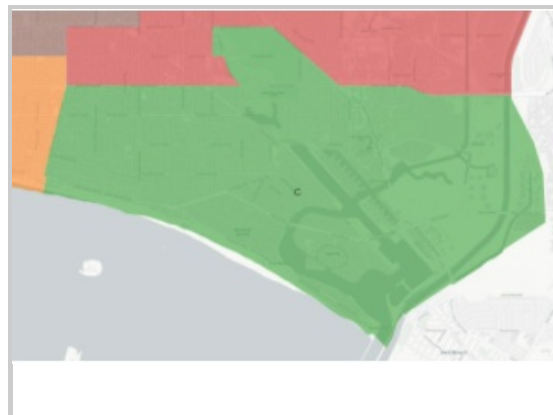
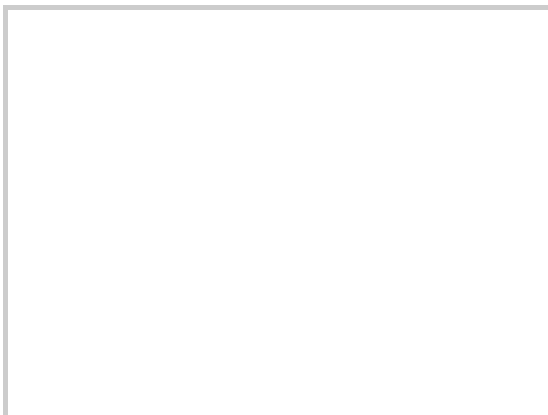
Wednesday the Redistricting Commission will be holding its **third** meeting where they will comment on the draft maps, and residents will also have their first opportunity to comment on these maps.

If you have opinions, input, comments, or concerns about the existing draft maps, now is your chance to comment on them, and help shape the maps.

[Link to maps submitted to the Redistricting Commission](#)

Upcoming Independent Redistricting Commission Public Input Meetings

- **Community Feedback on Draft Maps:** Wednesday, November 3, 2021 at 6:00 PM at City Hall
- **Proposed Final Map Selection:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 6:00 PM at City Hall
- **Final Map Adoption Hearing:** Thursday, November 18, 2021 at 6:00 PM at City Hall



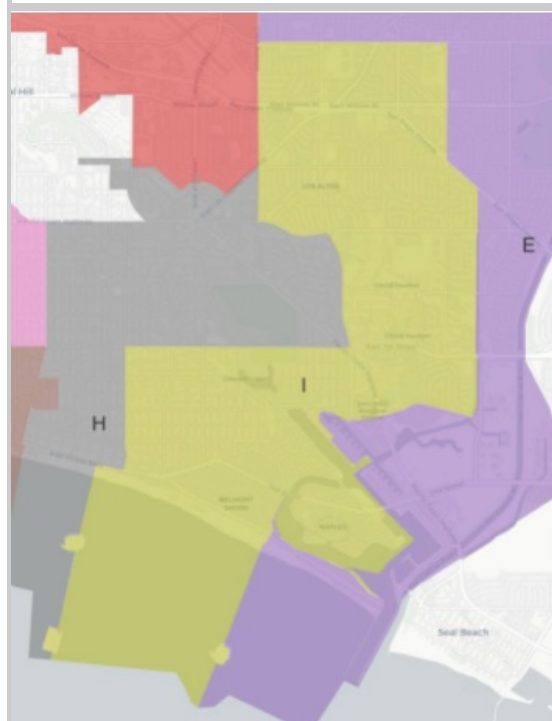


[Link to IRC Draft Map 1](#)

**Proposed District 3 Lines in
IRC Draft Map 1**



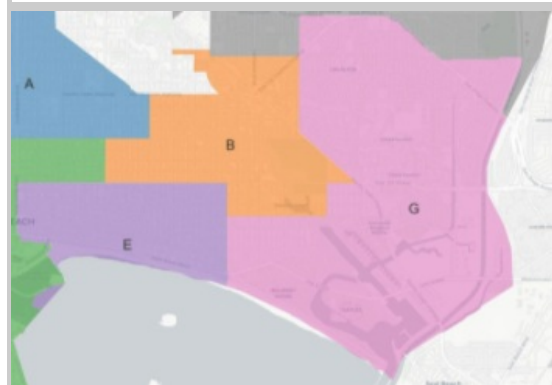
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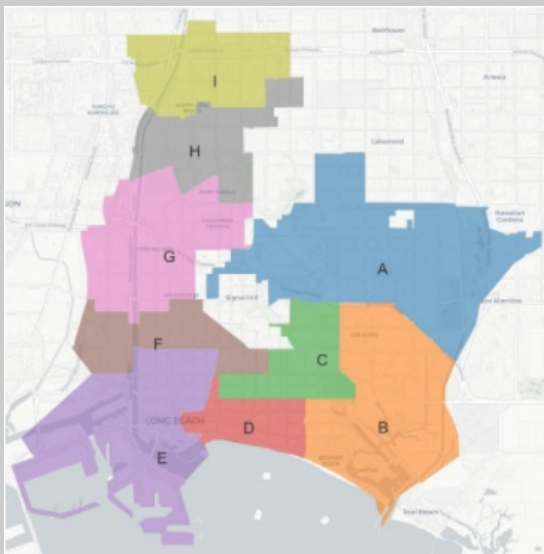
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**Proposed District 3 Lines in
Modified Draft Map 47248**



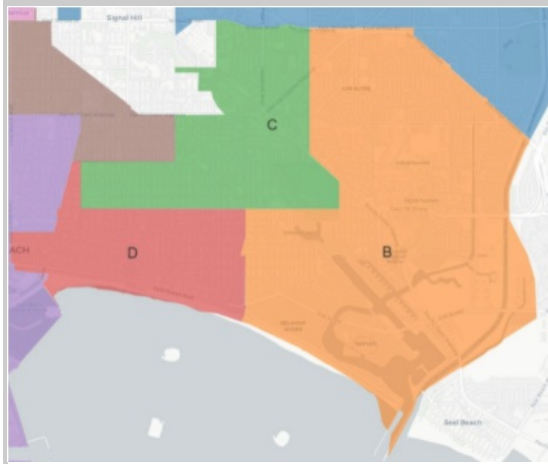
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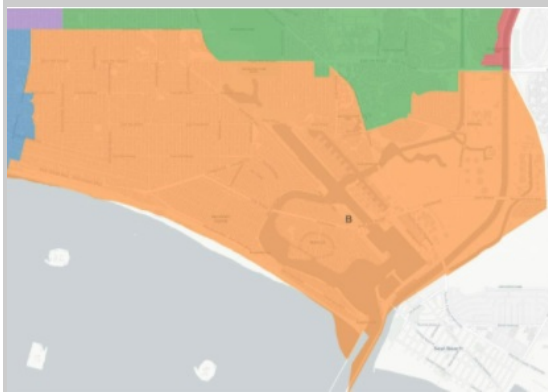
[Link to Modified Draft Map 49564](#)



[Link to Modified Draft Map 61537](#)



**Proposed District 3 Lines in
Modified Draft Map 49564**



**Proposed District 3 Lines in
Modified Draft Map 61537**

Parking Map to Attend Meeting



Parking Directions: If attending the Meeting Next Wednesday the 20th at 6:00 PM, Park in the [City Hall Parking Lot \(332 W. Broadway\)](#) at the corner of Broadway and walk west across Chestnut then south toward City Hall and enter the plaza between City Hall and the Port Headquarters toward City Council Chambers at the far end of the plaza where the meeting will be held. I encourage you to arrive early.

New Mapping Tool for Residents to submit and Comment on Maps: https://districtr.org/event/Long_Beach

Just create a map, and once you're done hit save, and then click share now to submit your map to the Redistricting Commission.

Ultimately the Commission will base its decisions on where to redraw district lines, from the input they receive from residents like you. So, it is up to you to be engaged in this process and provide your comments on your community.

Additional useful links:

[Recent Grunion Gazette Article on Redistricting](#)

[Recent Long Beach Post Article](#)

[Recent Press Telegram Article](#)

[Link for more Background on Redistricting](#)

For more information visit: www.longbeach.gov/redistricting.

If you have questions please feel free to contact my office any time at (562)570-6300 or by email at district3@longbeach.gov.

Sincerely,

Suzie Price

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Operation Gratitude

Halloween Candy Drive

Collecting until
November 8, 2021



The Naples Youth Group
has partnered once again with Operation Gratitude, a
Halloween Candy Drive that sends the candy to our

deployed troops stationed overseas, local military units, Veterans and First Responders. Operation Gratitude and its incredible volunteers are committed to continuing to give back in meaningful ways.

No Candy to donate??

Rite Aid and many others are selling Halloween candy at 50% off.

Please deliver your donated candy to:

200 Rivo Alto Canal, or
246 Ravenna Drive

Donate your leftover candy to a great cause!
Thank you!



SAVE THE DATE!

NIA

ANNUAL COMMUNITY MEETING

Wednesday • November 10 • 6:00PM
Long Beach Yacht Club

Topics Include:
2022 Board Election
Meet LBPD East Division Commander
Michael Richens



Join the NIA and Naples Neighborhood Watch in greeting our new East Division Commander Michael Richens. Commander Richens joined the LBPD in 2003 and has worked all over the city. Come hear him speak... and bring your questions.

BONUS! Naples Neighborhood Watch will be giving out FREE dusk-to-dawn outdoor bulbs for those dark front porches and alleys we are seeing all over the island. Come get yours! (Islanders only) No charge, and free installation - just ask! Check out our display of motion detector lights and timer switches too. See you on the 10th!



SAVE THE DATE **November 11** **Veterans Day** **Celebration**

**Please join us
to celebrate
our distinguished veterans**

The Naples Islands Garden Club (NIGC) would like to recruit all our proud men and women who have served in the US military to our Veterans Day celebration. This annual event will be held on Thursday, November 11 at 9 am at the La Bella Fontana located at the Colonnade. Please join your local neighbors as we celebrate our veterans' duty and sacrifice to keep our country safe and free. Refreshments including coffee and donuts will be served and we welcome our veterans and neighbors to meet and celebrate this special occasion in unison. The NIGC and local Naples community look forward to sharing our heartfelt thanks to all our veterans who have served our country. We all share the common bond of being proud Americans and what better way to share our patriotism than celebrating our veterans who have defended our freedom through the years! Local veterans who would like to attend are kindly asked to RSVP to NIGC1973@gmail.com so that we can properly recognize you at the November 11 Veteran's Day celebration. We look forward to seeing you and recognizing you!



Naples Shirts

and Mugs GET YOURS!



Our "new official logo" t-shirts (short & long sleeve), sweatshirts (quarter zip & full zip hoodie), and our "limited edition" Naples mugs (2 colors/2 styles) are still available for purchase.

They will make great Christmas gifts and the mugs are also a thoughtful gift for all those holiday parties coming up.

To check size availability, and/or place an order, please contact Cynthia at cynthia.cardarelli@verizon.net or (562)477-0091



2021 Holiday Home Decoration Entry Form "Diamonds on the Bay"

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____



Judging will be Wednesday, December 15th beginning at 6:00 PM
Send the above information by Sunday, December 12th to
donnahkraus@yahoo.com

Award Categories: Animation, Excellence,
Beauty, Window Display, Craftsmanship, Creativity,
Design, Fantasy, Heritage, Humorous,
Judges' Award of Merit, Use of Lights, Newcomer,
Originality, Sweepstakes, Theme, Yard Display,
and Block Awards for Excellence



75th

NAPLES BOAT PARADE

Saturday • Dec. 18th

Theme:

Diamonds on the Bay

[DOWNLOAD BOAT PARADE ENTRY
FORM](#)

Mandatory Skippers' Meeting
Wednesday, December 15th at 7:00PM
Long Beach Yacht Club in the Regatta Room

QUESTIONS?

Contact John Schuman,
Boat Parade Chairperson
investorsmortgagejohn@yahoo.com

**Only boats with Official Parade Numbers
will be allowed in the Canals**



"Is My NIA Membership Up-To-Date??"

Not sure if you renewed
your membership this year?

[CLICK HERE](#)

to view our list
of active members.

Membership runs
June 1, 2021 to May 31, 2022.

Questions or Corrections?
Contact John Angelo at
membership.nia@gmail.com

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NIA Mission

Promote • Unite • Improve

The mission of the NIA is to promote and protect the interests and welfare of the Naples community, particularly in regards to public improvements, public utilities and all other governmental related activities; to unite the property owners and residents for the purposes of developing and improving the civic and social interests and activities; and to partner with other organizations and associations whose missions are similar to those of the NIA.

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