

Districting: Shafter Recreation and Park District

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Districting Recap and Feedback - Meeting 3 of 5



Presentation Overview

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- 1) Review of Districting Criteria & Timeline
- 2) Review of Community of Interests (COI) and Board Instructions as of Jan 10, 2024
- 3) Presentation of Draft Plans
- 4) Questions and Comments

Timeline: Dec. 2023 - Feb. 2024

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December 12, 2023, 6:00pm	Meeting 1: Regular Board Meeting	Overview and training on the process and criteria. Receive public and Board comment and input on mapping and Communities of Interest.
January 9, 2024, 6:00pm	Meeting 2: Regular Board Meeting	Receive public input and Board direction on map creation.
January 16, 2024, 6:00pm	Draft map(s) posted online for public comment	
January 30, 2024, 6:00pm	Meeting 3: Special Board Meeting	Present Draft map(s) and receive feedback and requested changes
February 13, 2024, 6:00pm	Meeting 4: Regular Board Meeting	Present updated Draft map(s) and receive feedback. Minor adjustments to the map(s) may be made live. Finalize the map(s)
February 27, 2024, 6:00pm	Meeting 5: Regular Board Meeting	Board votes on the final map.

Districting Criteria

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5 criteria are used for drawing districts

1. Equal Population
2. Compliance with Federal Voting Rights Act (FVRA)
3. Contiguity (geographic/Code)
4. Compactness (geographic/Code)
5. Respect for Communities of Interest (traditional/Code)

Criterion 1 - Equal Population

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Total Population = 20,330

of Districts = 5

Ideal District Population = 4,066

Approx. Allowable District Deviation = +/- 203

Recap of COIs

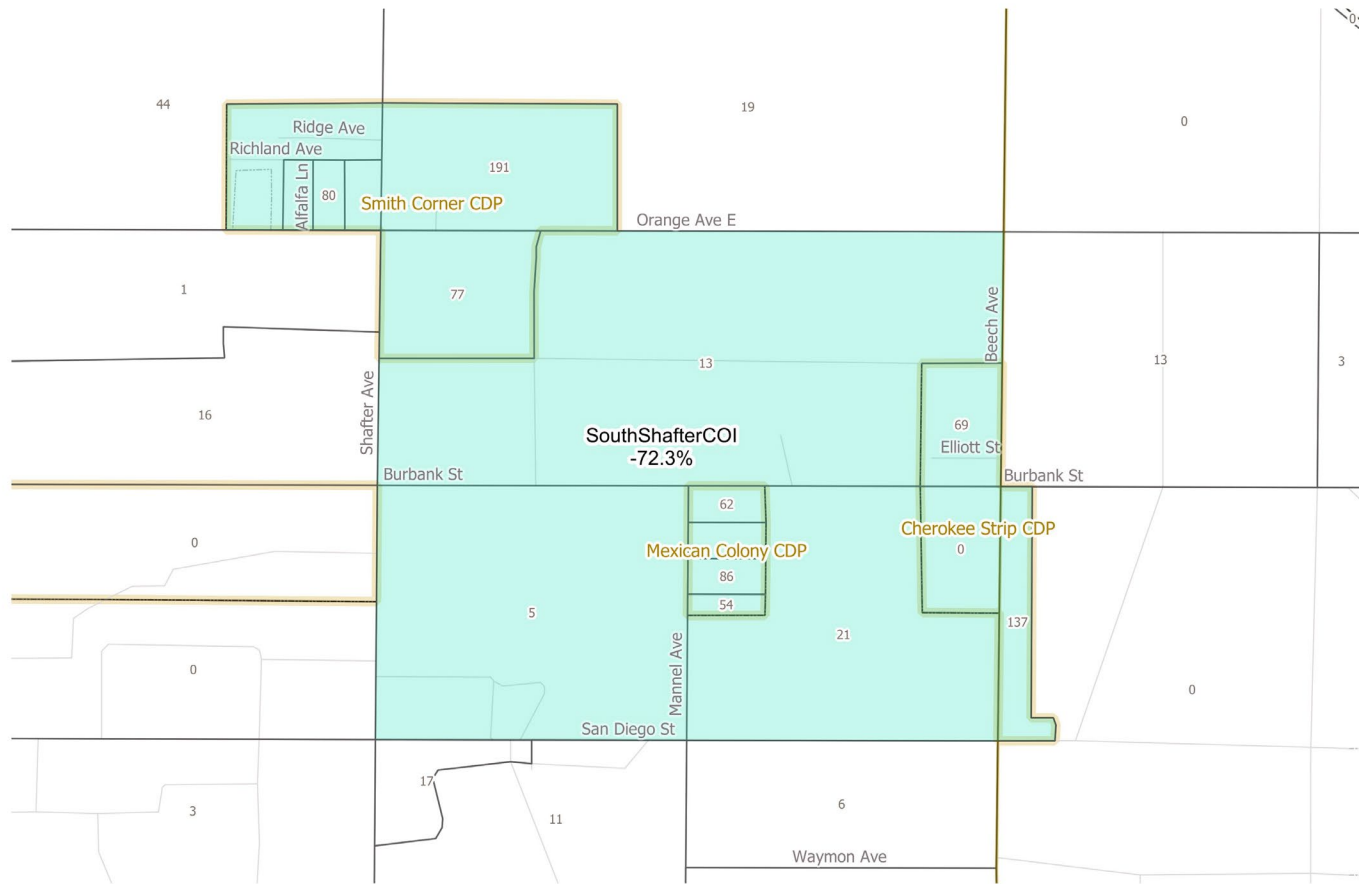
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- Public Identified 3 COIs as of 1/10/2024
 - South Shafter
 - Mexican Colony, Smith Corner, & Cherokee Strip
 - Southwest Shafter
 - North Shafter

COI - South Shafter

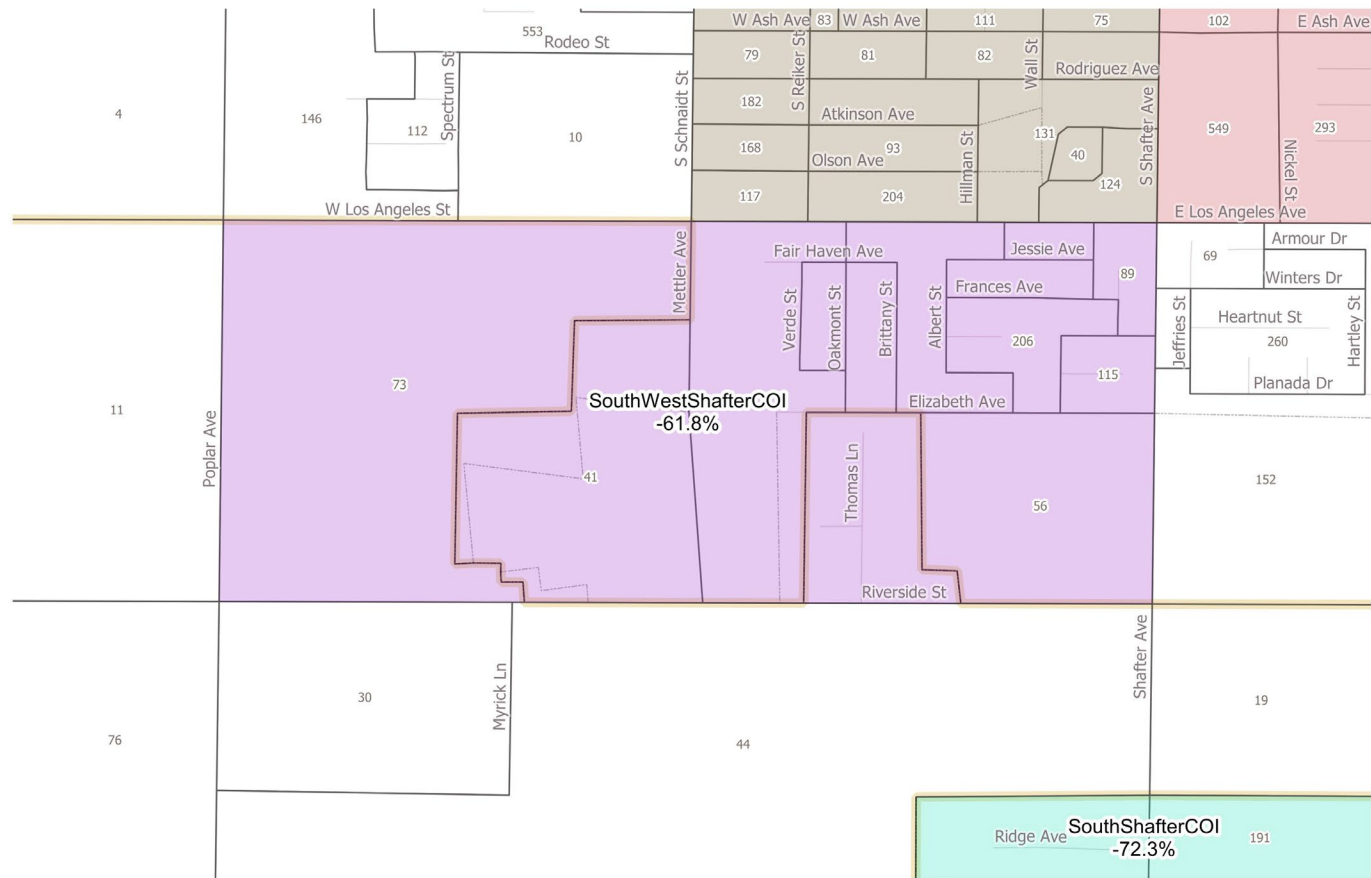
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Communities of Interest Identified as of 1/10/2024



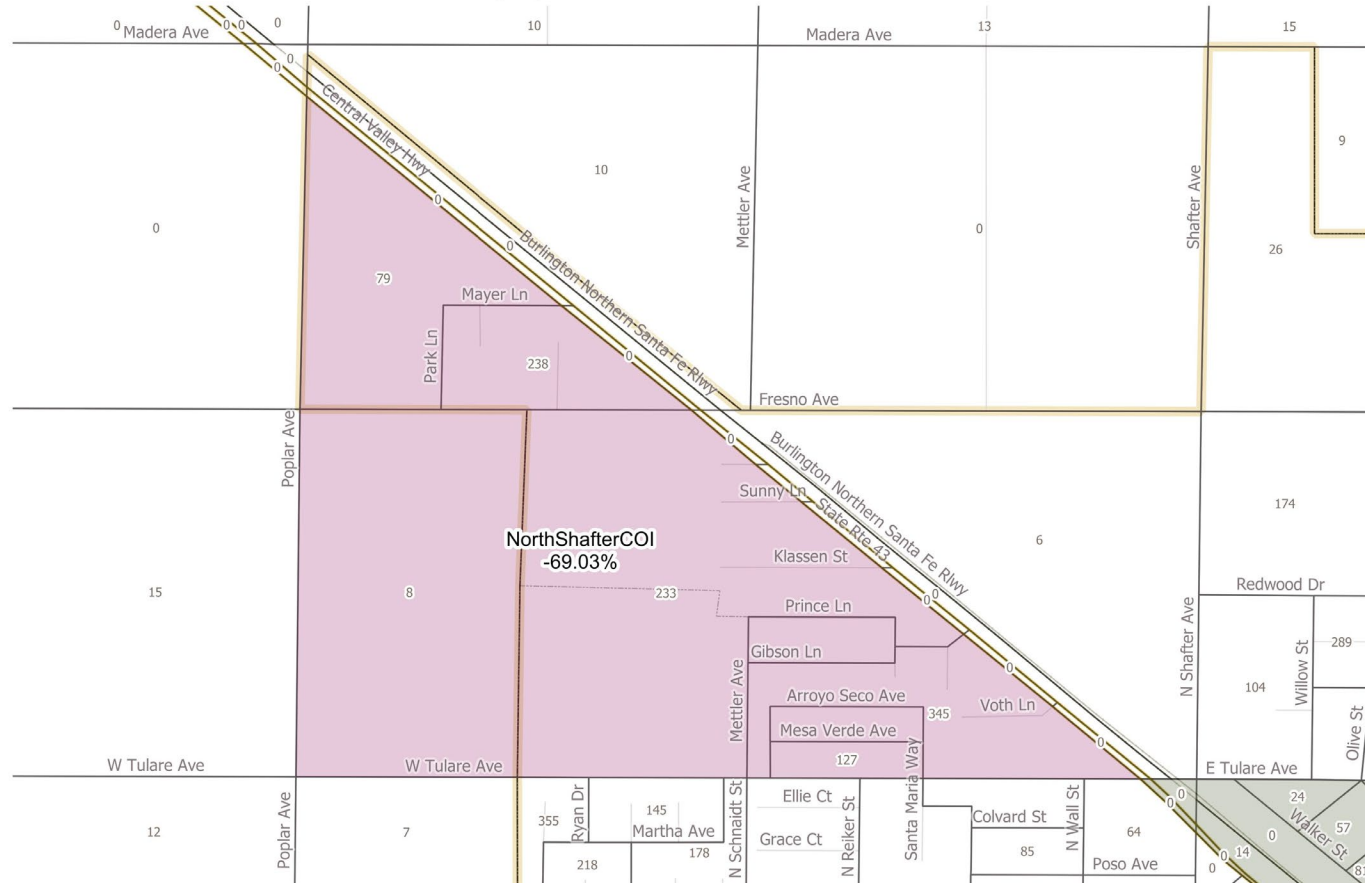
COI - Southwest Shafter

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COI - North Shafter

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Recap of Board Instructions

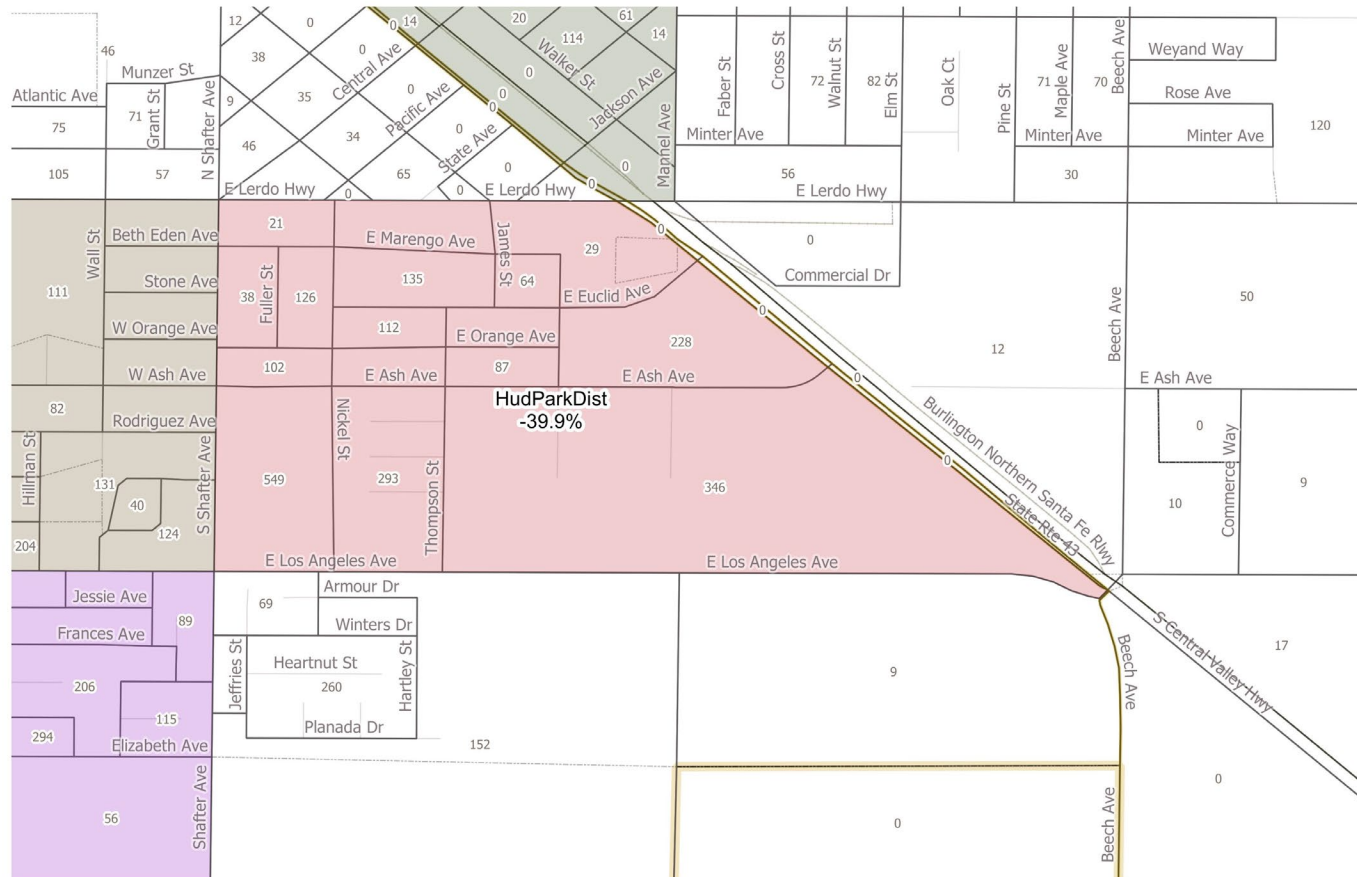
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- Board Instructions
 - Explore creating districts centered around Identified Park Regions
 - Kirschenmann / Hudson Park Region
 - Mannel Park Region
 - Richland / Rodriguez Park Region
 - Create 1 or 2 districts for East Shafter
 - Defined as everything east of State Highway 43
 - Explore if North Shafter and South Shafter COIs can be placed together

Board Identified Region - Kirschenmann / Hudson Park

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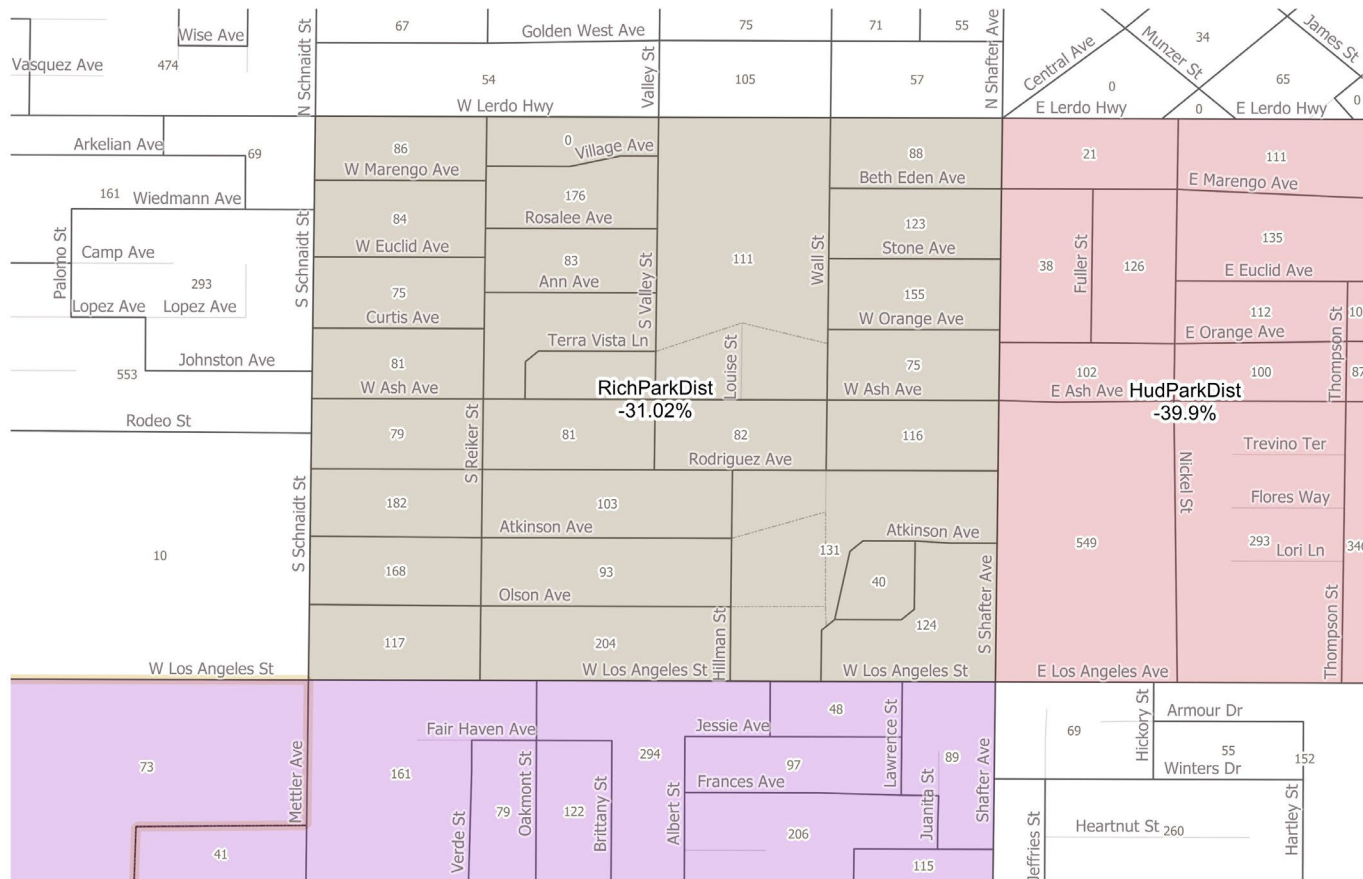
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Board Identified Region - Richland / Rodriguez Park

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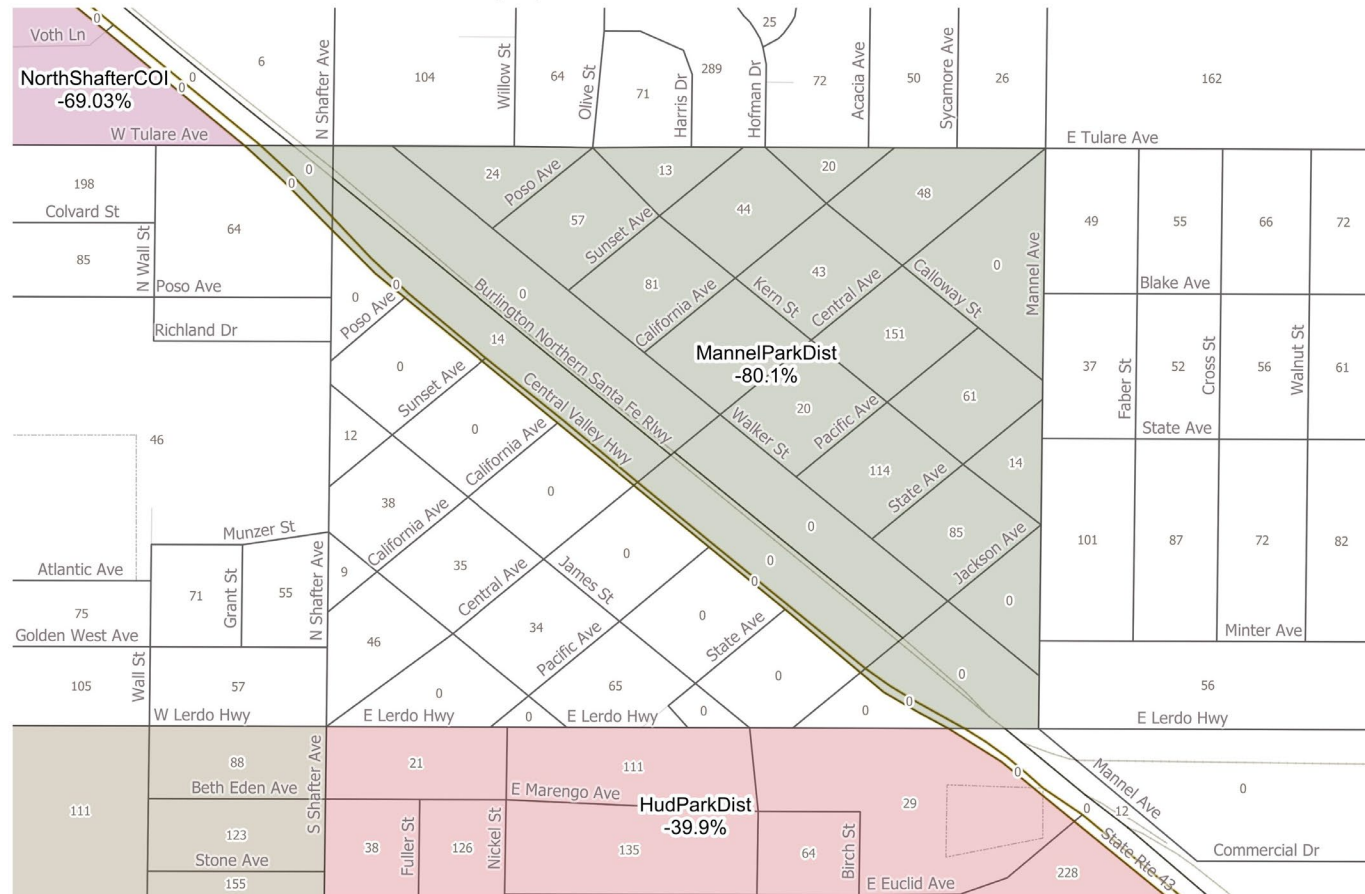
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Board Identified Region - Mannel Park

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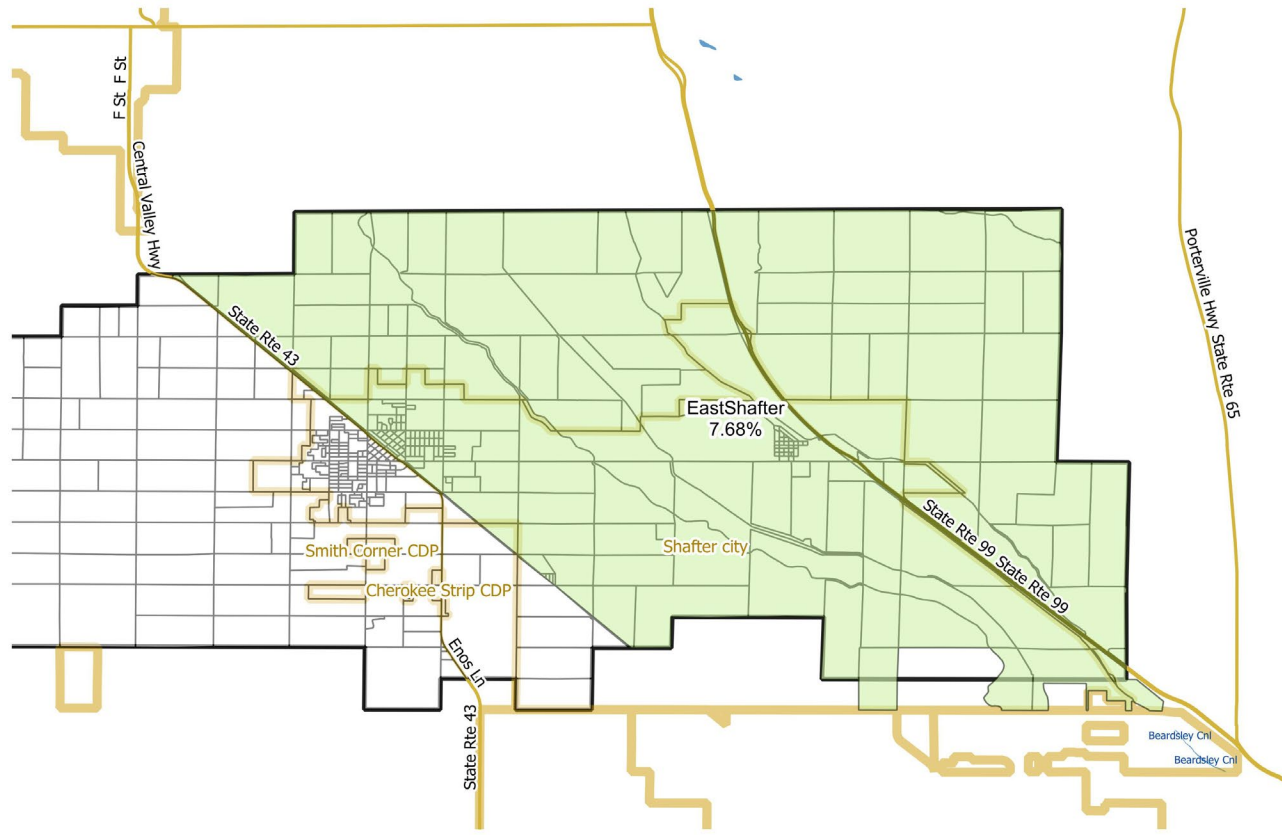
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Notes: East Shafter Too Large for Single District

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East Shafter - Identified as of 1/10/2024



East Shafter is too Populous for 1 single district.

Would be +7.69% Deviation or +311 Total Population

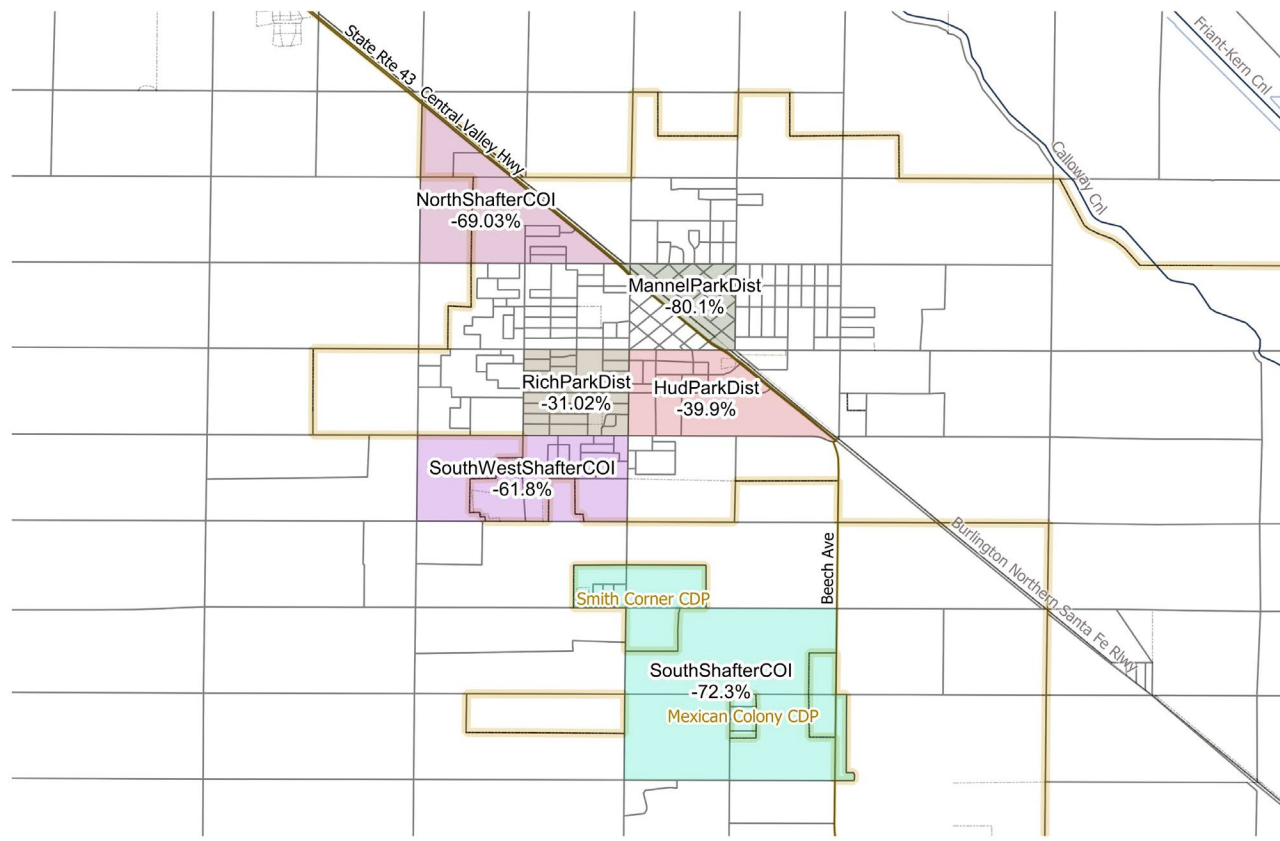
Decision must be made on where to cut region

Mannel Park Region within East Shafter

Notes: No Board Identified Regions Large Enough for a District

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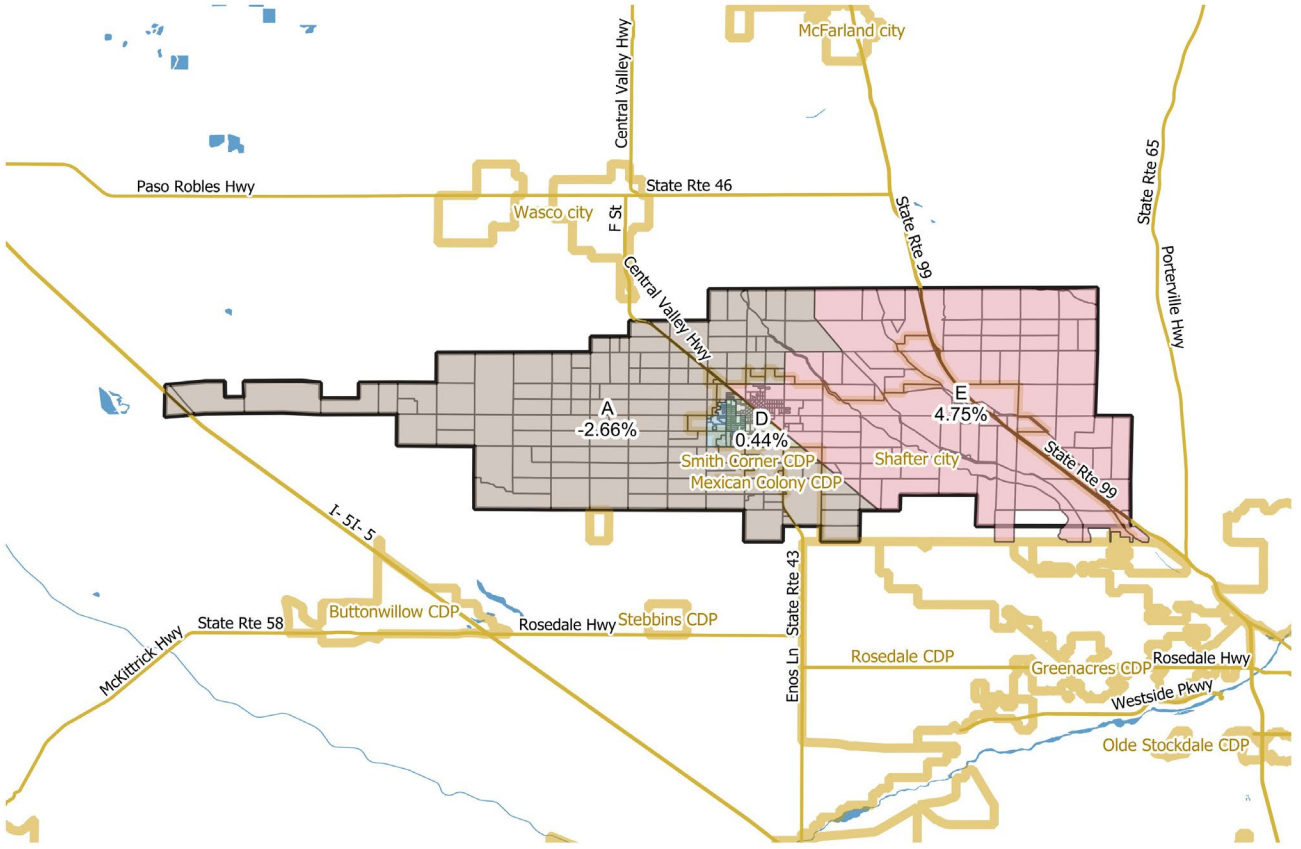
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Board Identified Regions are not large enough for single districts; they will need additional areas to reach ideal population.

Board Identified Regions do not overlap with COIs.

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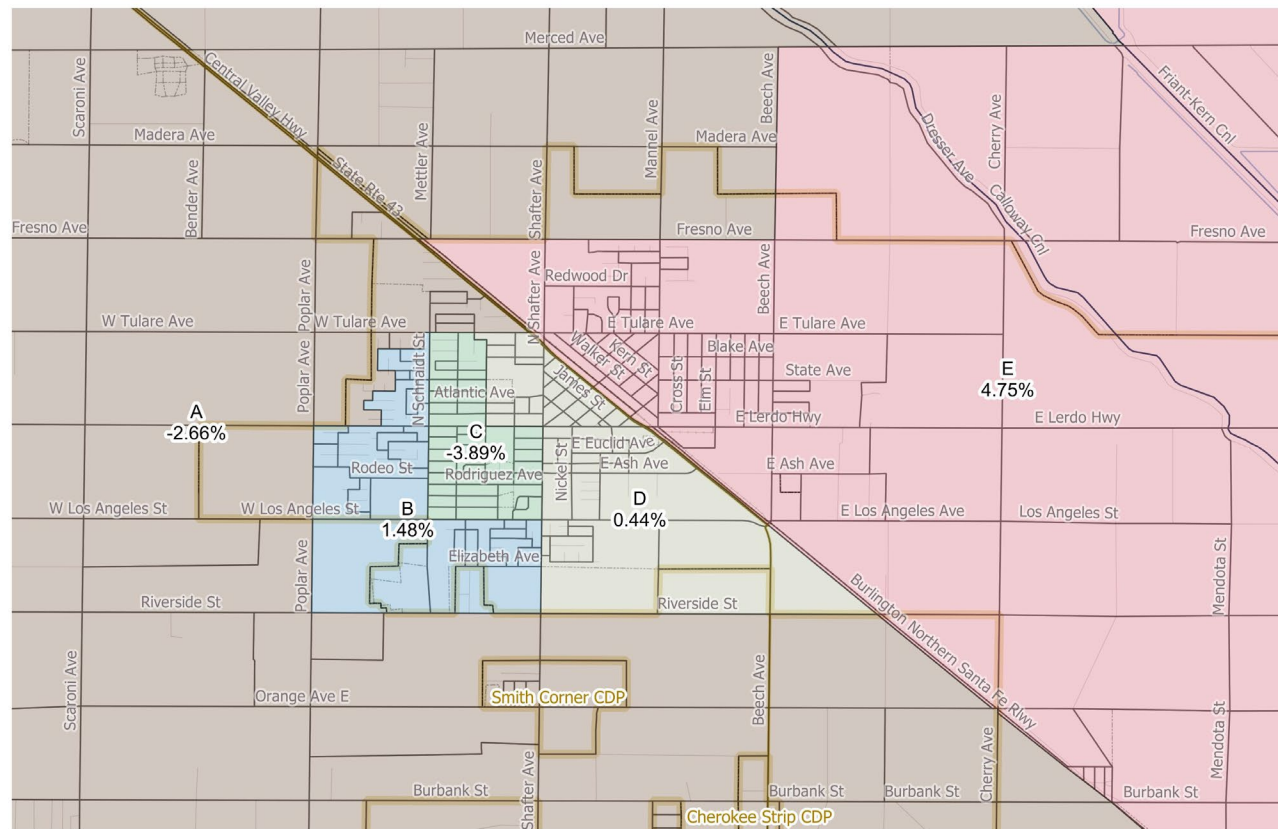


- Plan Deviation:
- +4.72% to -3.91%
(8.63% Range)
 - +192 to -159 Persons

Draft A - Detail

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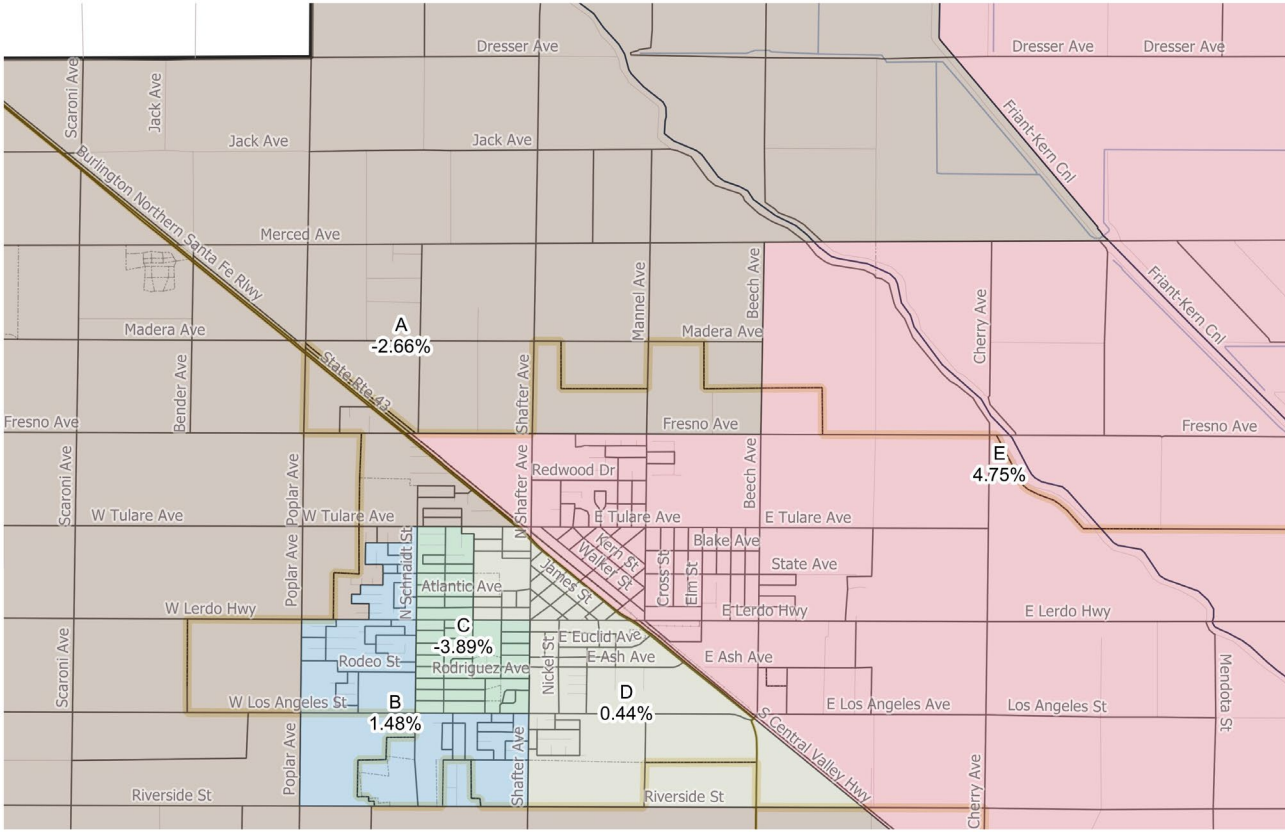


Key Features

- Rodriguez Park, Mannel Park, and Hudson Park core of own districts
- East Shafter mostly in one district
- North Shafter COI with South Shafter COI
- Southwest Shafter COI core of own district

Draft A - District A

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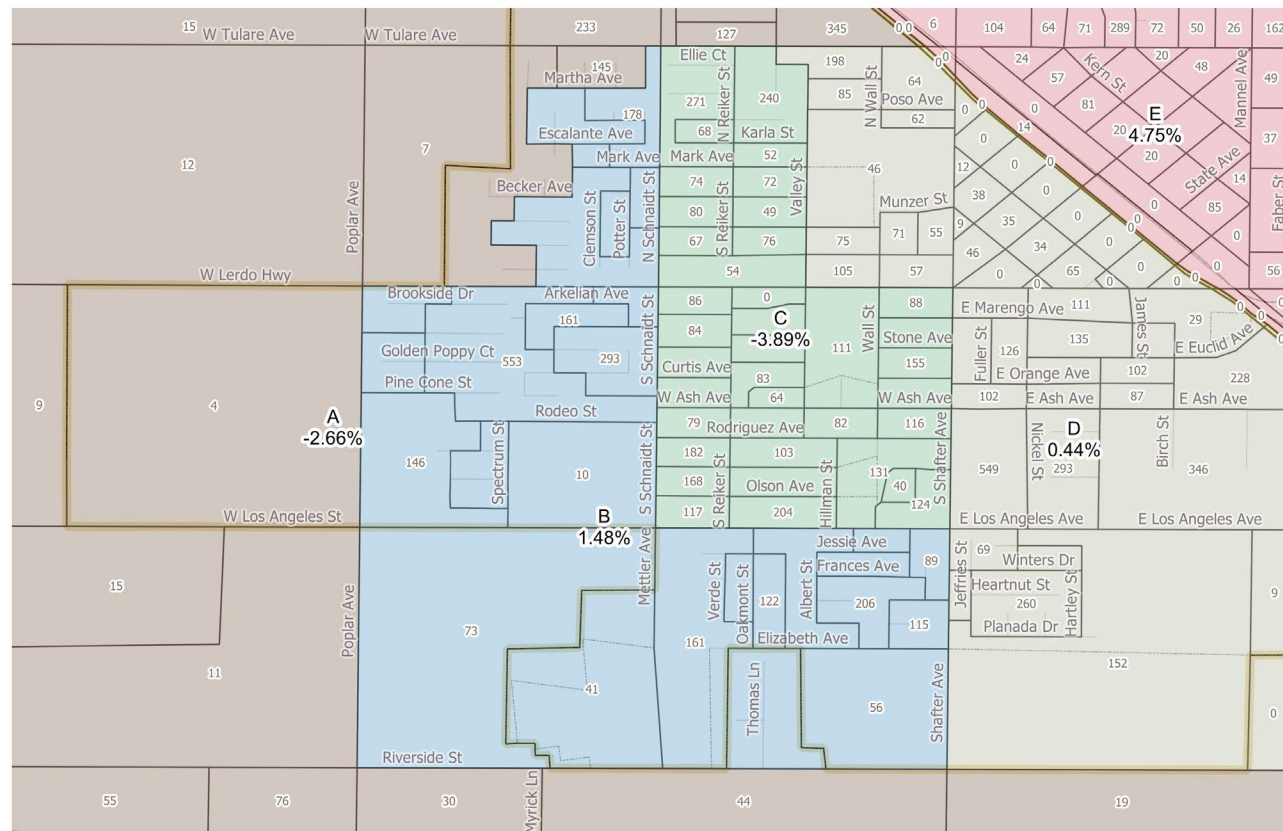
Key Features

- North Shafter COI with South Shafter COI

Draft A - District B

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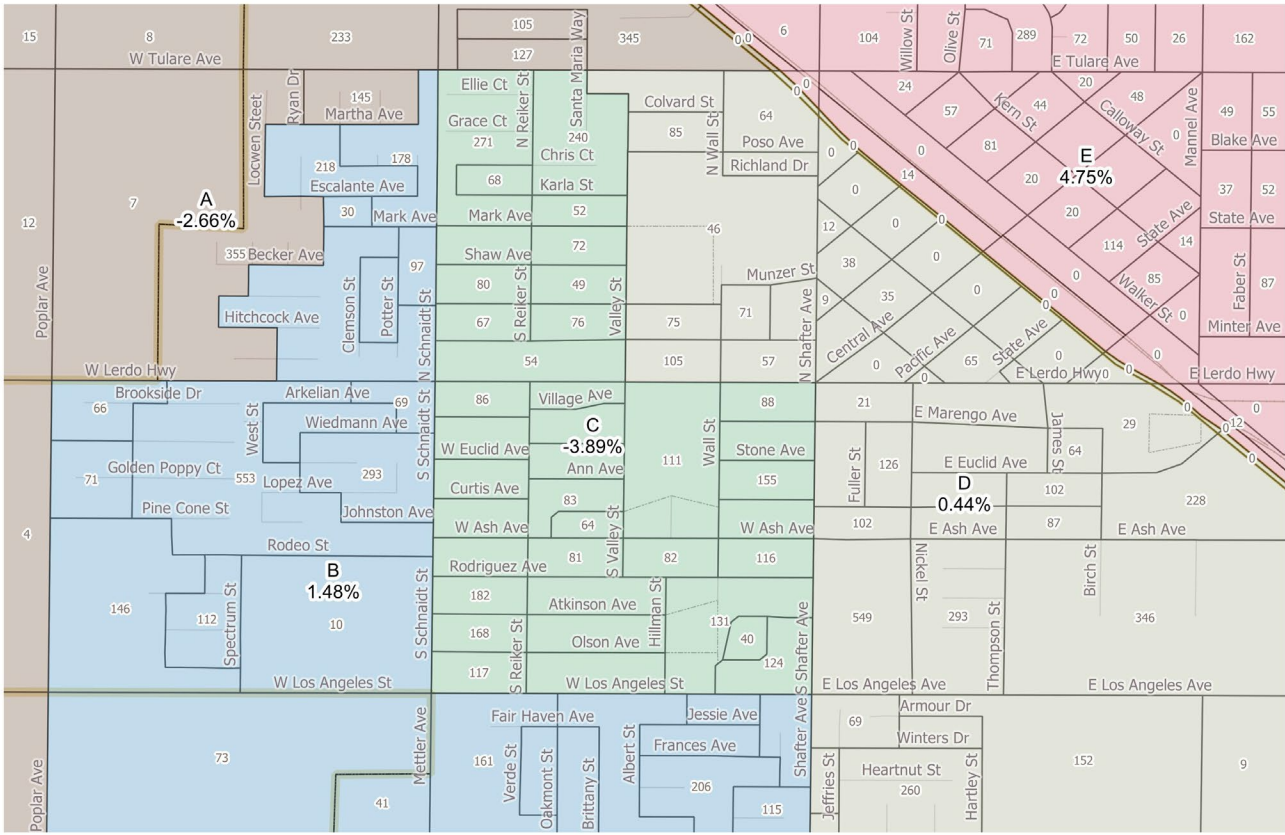


Key Features

- Southwest Shafter COI core of own district

Draft A - District C

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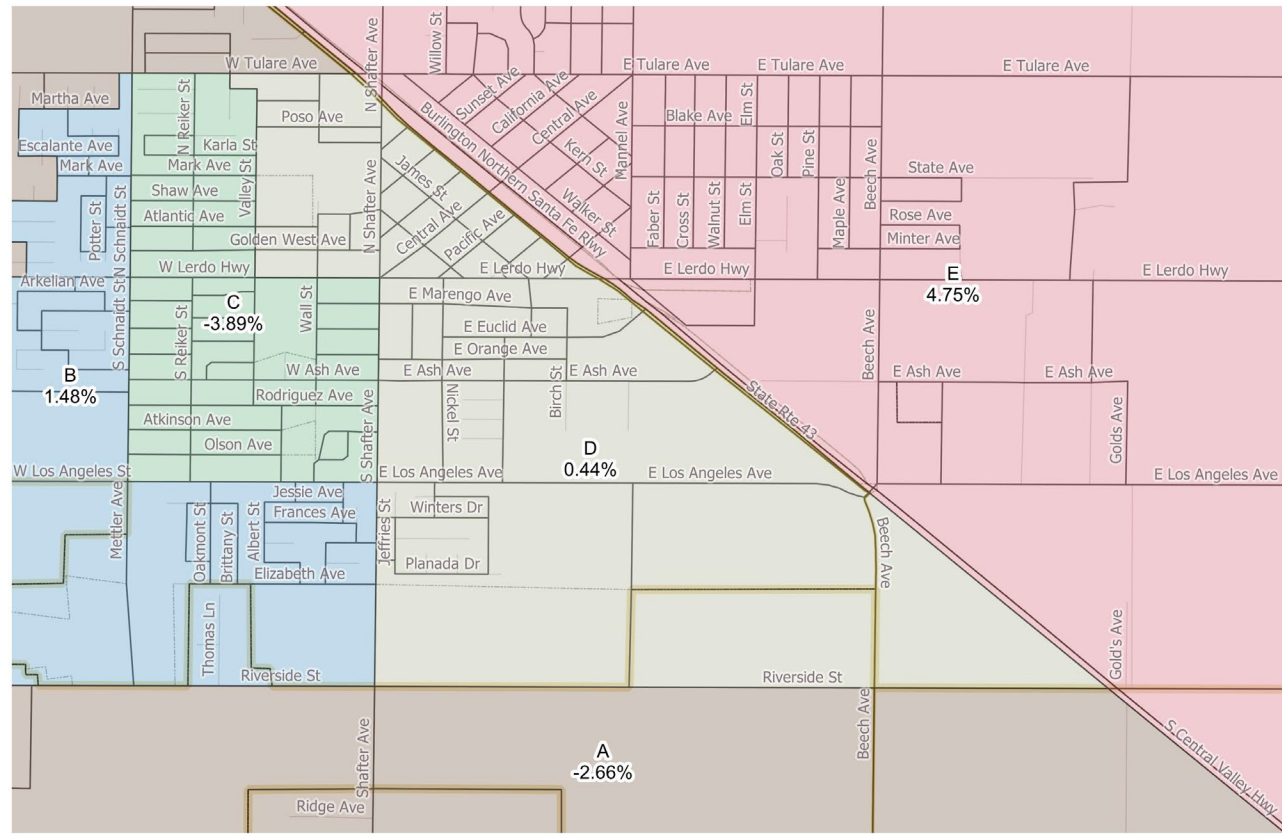


- Key Features
- Richland / Rodriguez Park District

Draft A - District D

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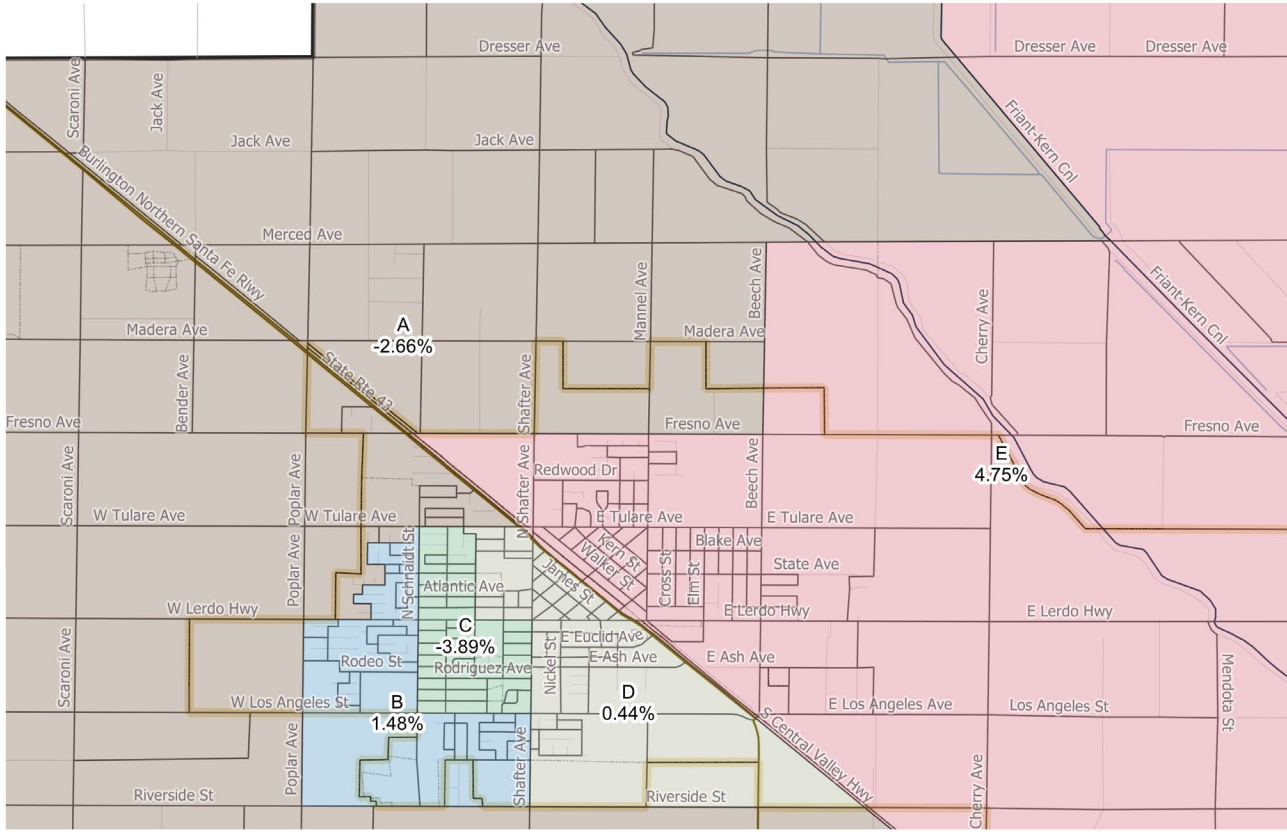


Key Features

- Kirschenmann / Hudson Park District

Draft A - District E

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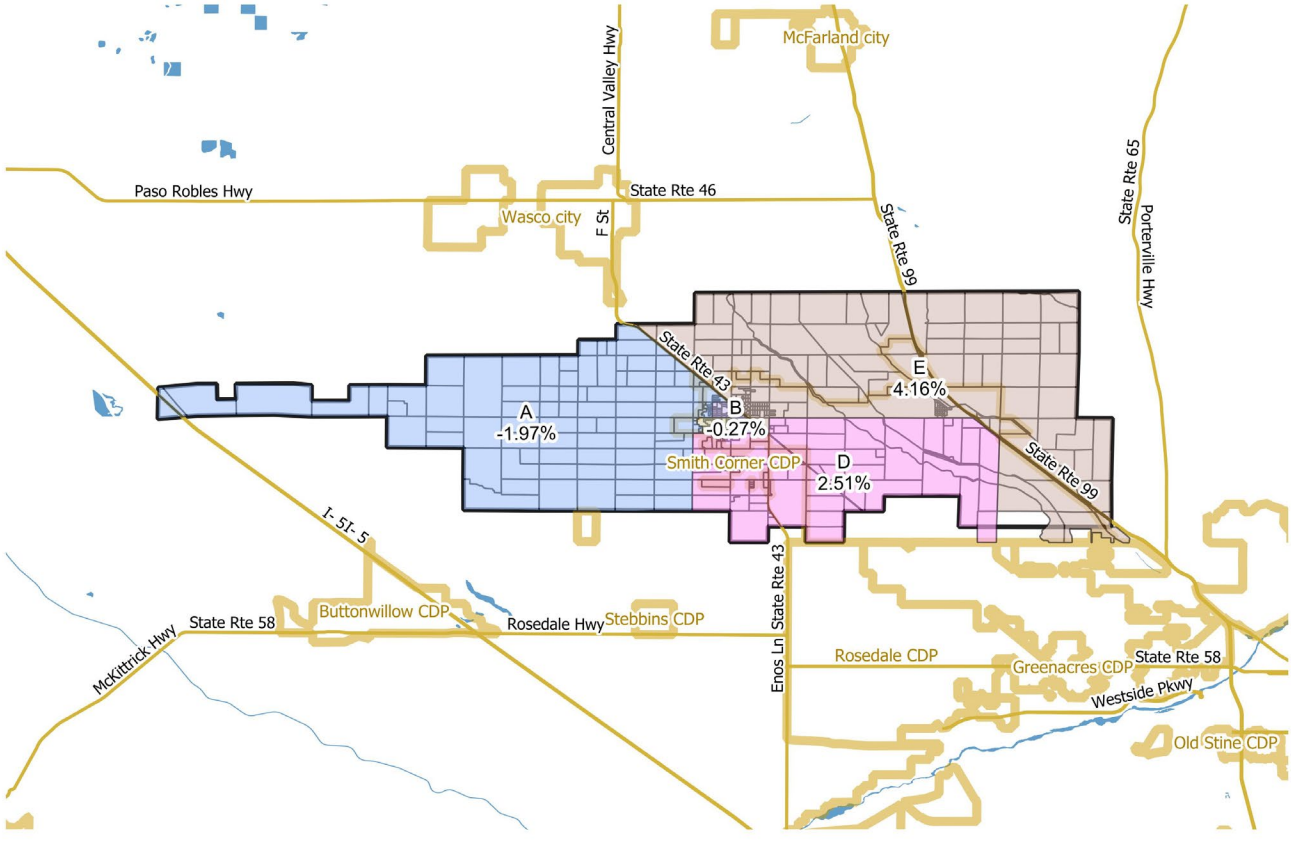


Key Features

- Mannel Park District
- East Shafter mostly in one district
- Part of Northeast sent to District A

Draft B

Shafter Recreation and Parks District
Draft B - 1/16/2024

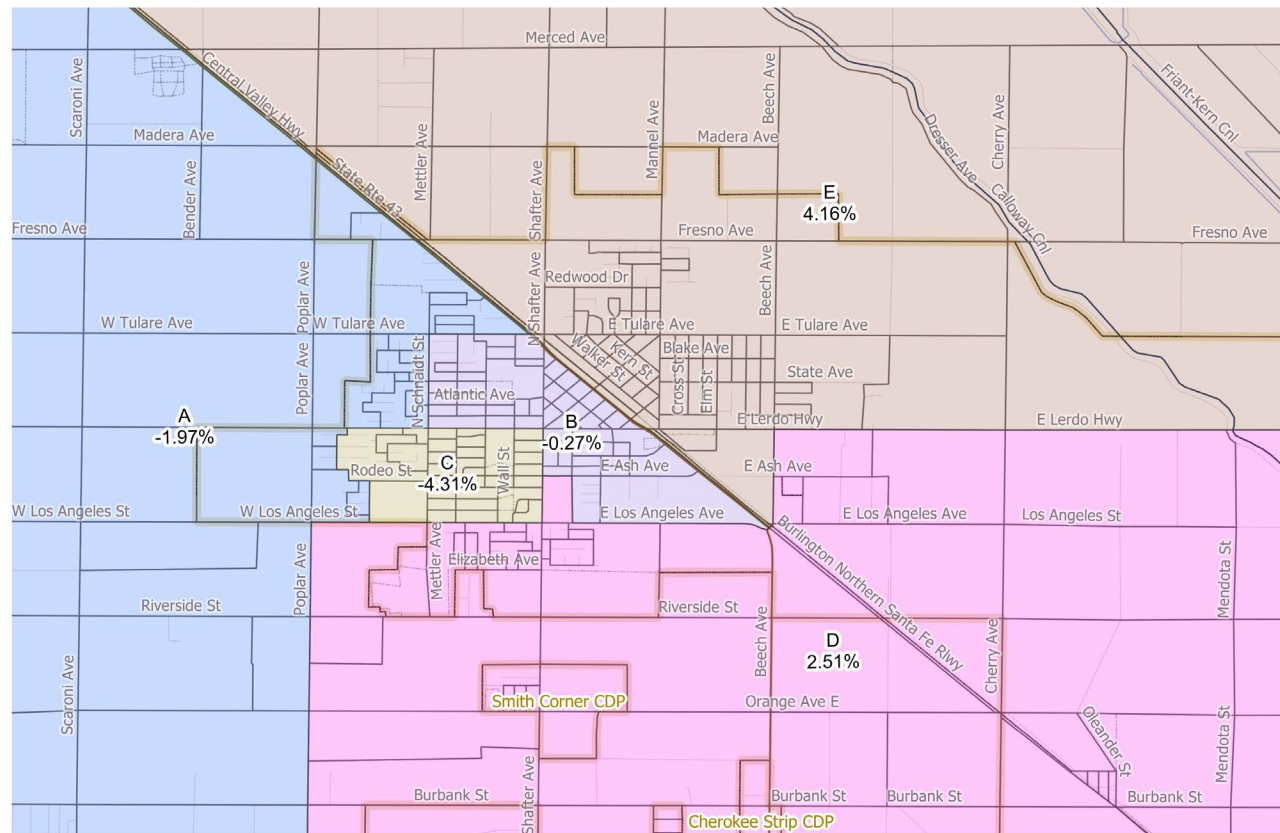


- Plan Deviation:
- +4.13% to -4.33% (8.46% Range)
 - +168 to -176 Persons

Draft B - Detail

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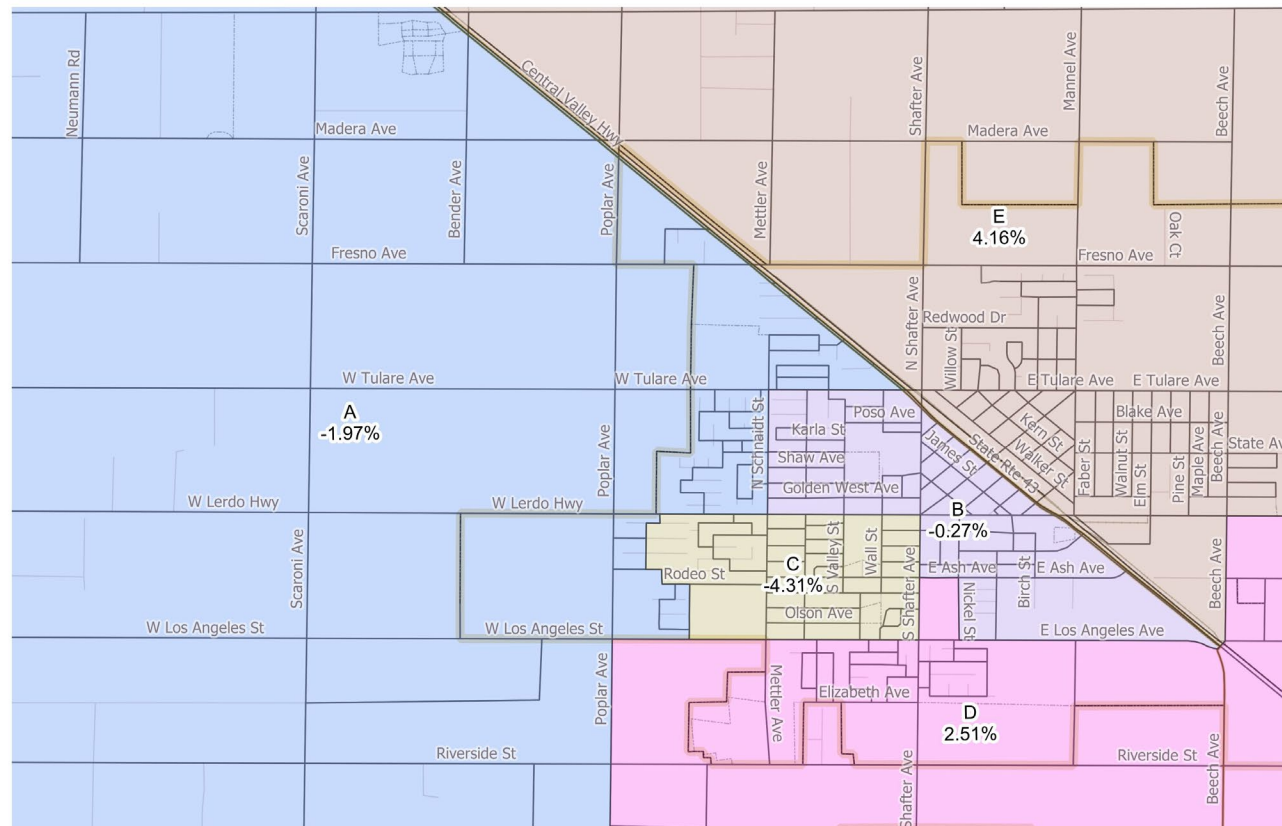
Key Features

- Rodriguez Park, Mannel Park, and Hudson Park core of own districts
- East Shafter mostly in one district
- North Shafter COI apart from South Shafter COI
- Southwest Shafter COI with South Shafter COI

Draft B - District A

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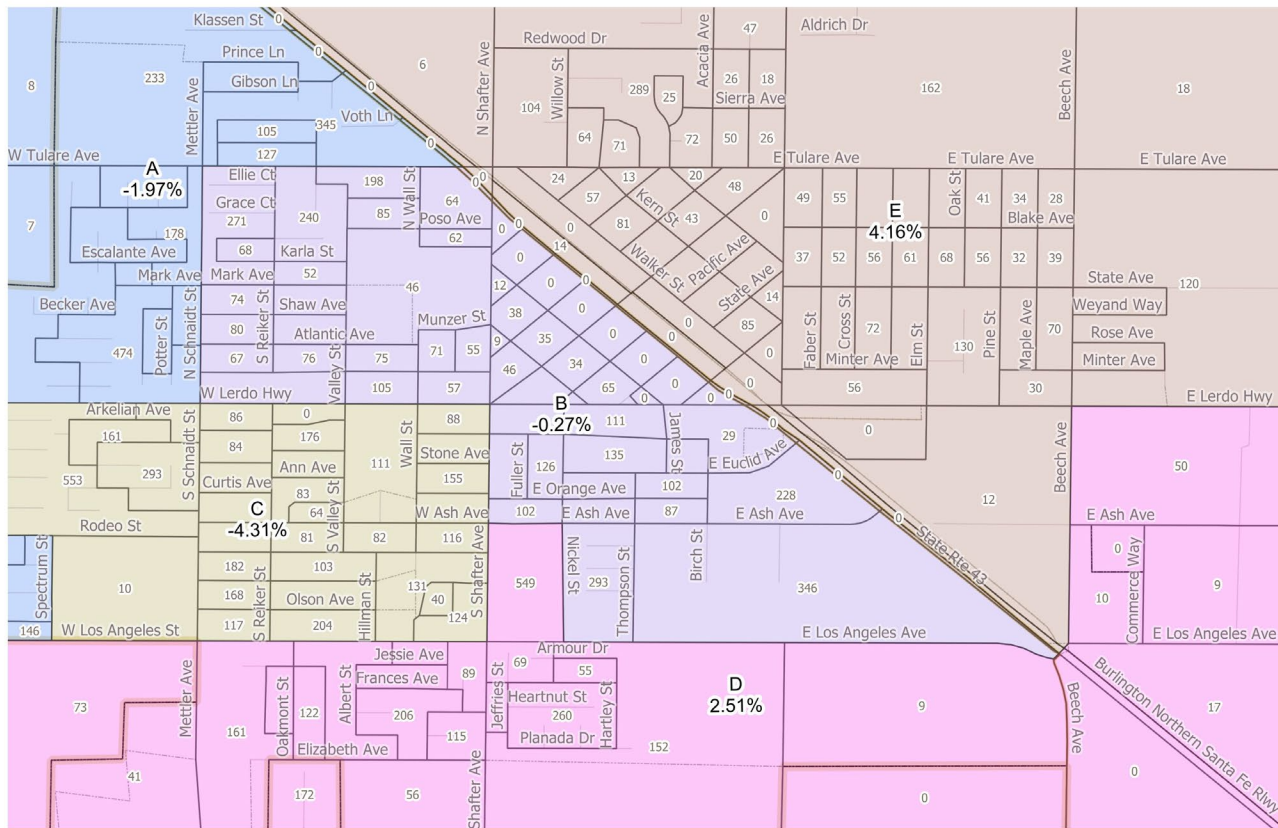
Key Features

- North Shafter COI with areas north of Lerdo Hwy
- North Shafter not with East Shafter

Draft A - District B

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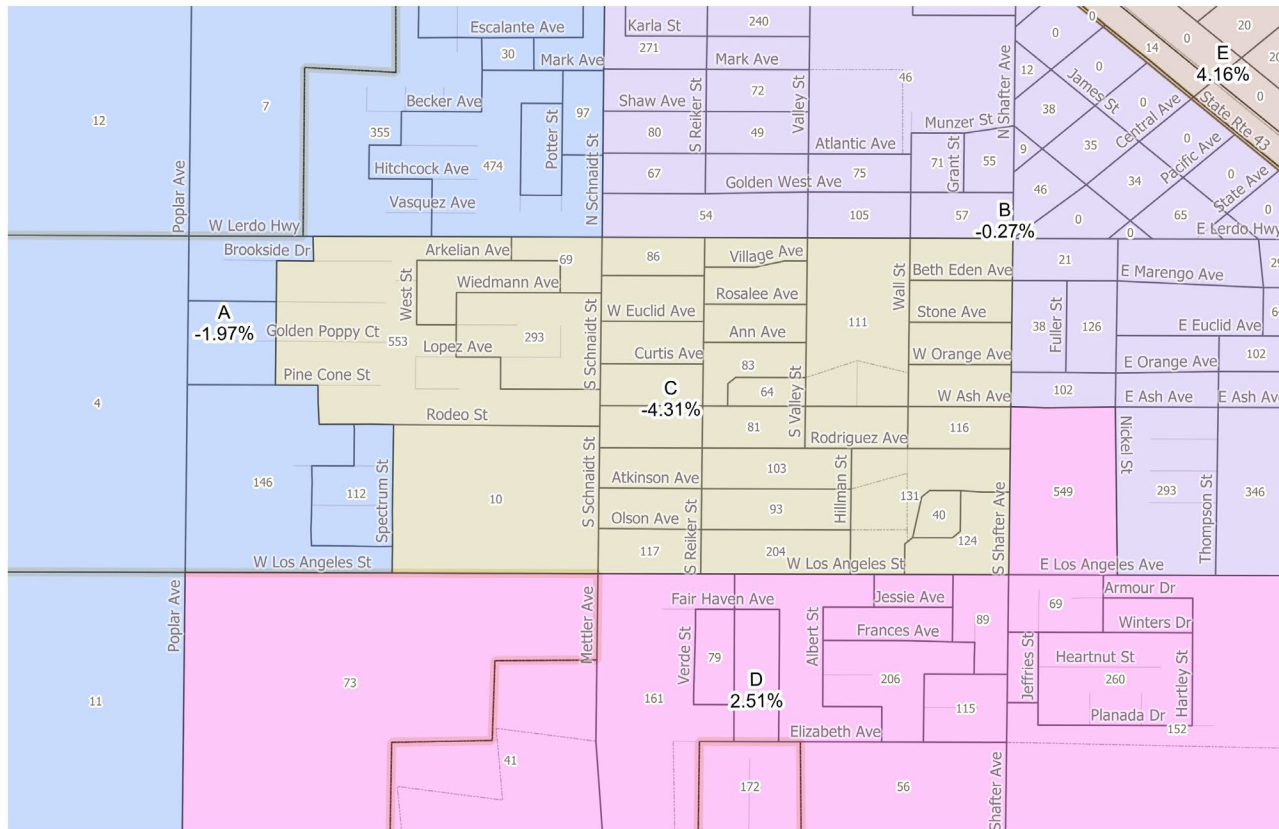
Key Features

- Kirschenmann / Hudson Park District

Draft B - District C

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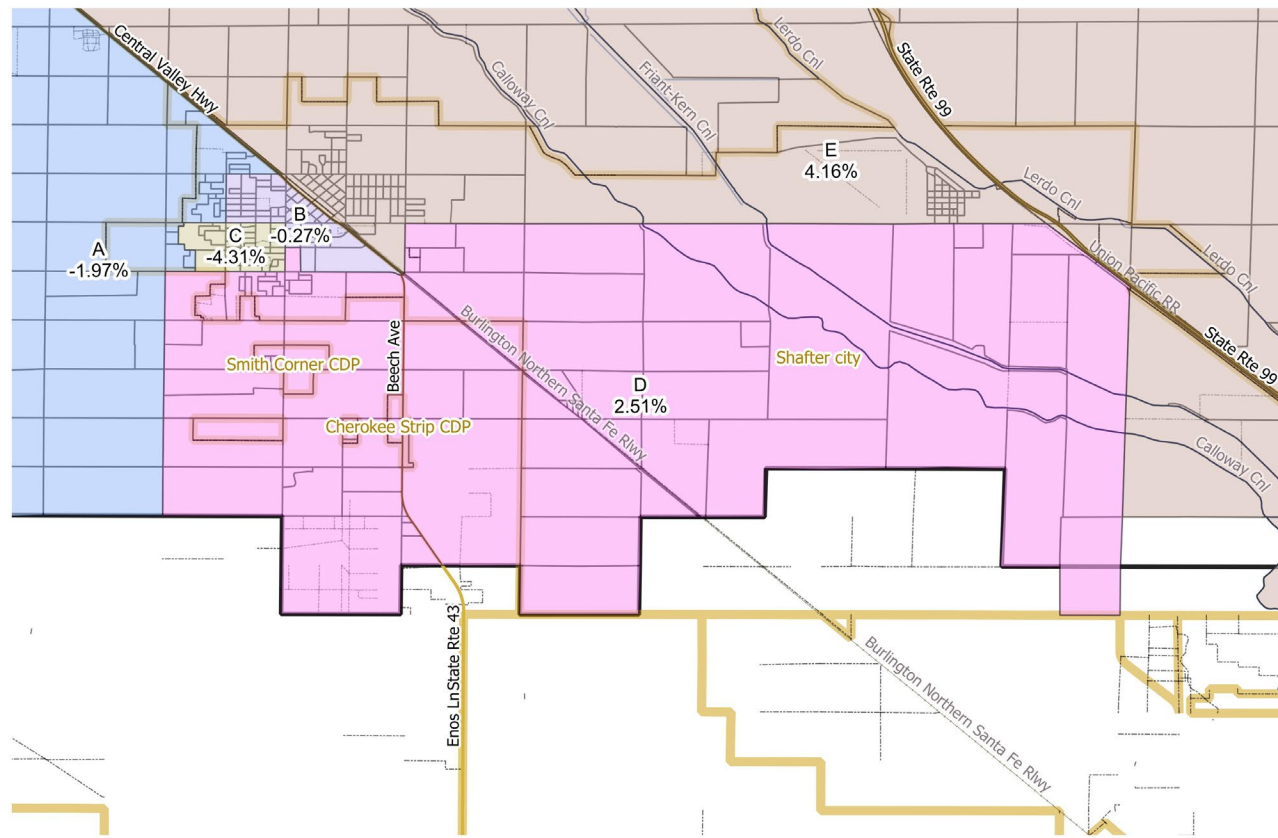
Key Features

- Richland / Rodriguez Park District

Draft A - District D

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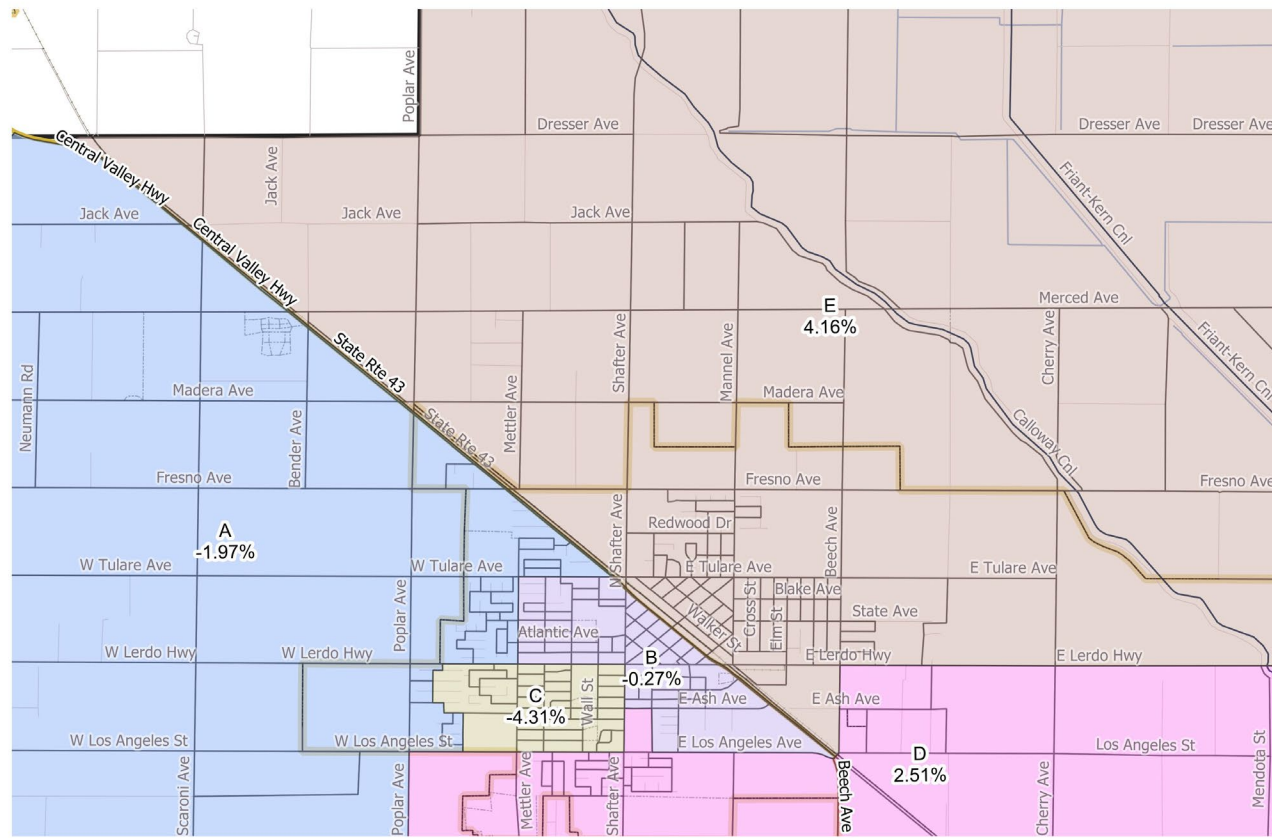
Key Features

- South Shafter grouped with Southwest Shafter
- Some population from East Shafter for population balancing

Draft B - District E

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Key Features

- Mannel Park District
- East Shafter mostly in one district

Do you have more questions?

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- Stay informed - Our Website:
 - <https://www.shafterrecreation.com/districting>
- Here is how to contact us:
 - You can attend the Board hearings
 - All meetings will start at 6pm at the Walker Center, 505 Sunset Ave., Shafter, CA 93263
 - Or email your questions to: district@shafterrec.com
 - Or call us: 1-661-746-3303
 - Or send mail to: SHAFTER RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT; 700 E. Tulare Ave. Shafter, CA.