

Communication from Public

Name: Marcia Lewis Smith

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 10:23 AM

Council File No: 20-0668

Comments for Public Posting: Please move the Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen to Briarcrest area back into CD5. We share critical life safety issues, including police and fire as well as communities of interest. Our houses of worship, schools and cultural institutions are in CD5. Please respect the natural boundary of Mulholland to the north and the natural topographic boundary of the watershed that ends at Briarcrest to the east. And please respect the work of the Commission. They listened and responded to the needs of communities, including ours. It was a redeeming moment that restored faith in the system. Thank you for your time, energy and hard work.

Communication from Public

Name: Mark J Smith
Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 10:12 AM
Council File No: 20-0668

Comments for Public Posting: I live in the Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen/Briarcrest district. I'm opposed to the Ad Hoc Committee map because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. As a coalition, we have spent hours listening to and trying to make public comment at the Commission's Zoom meetings. We have submitted letters of public comment. And we were heard by the Commission which put in CD5 where we belong. This new map undoes of all that work. It overlooks the principles of redistricting, our expressed communities of interest and the natural boundaries of Mulholland Drive and Briarcrest. The Briarcrest eastern boundary achieves important goals for the community and city: • It matches the service area for the fire department, • It matches the service area for the police department, • Is consistent with and matches the natural topographic boundary at the edge of a watershed, • And puts our community in the same council district as our schools, congregations and cultural institutions. Surely moving us out of CD5 and into the new configuration of CD4 was a mistake. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. Thank you.

Communication from Public

Name: Aaron Fire

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 02:08 PM

Council File No: 20-0668

Comments for Public Posting: Dear Commissioners: I live in the Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen/Briarcrest district and feel we are about to be shoehorned into a district that is not compatible with ours. I'm opposed to the Ad Hoc Committee map because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. We have already experienced what it is like to be overlooked and neglected and excluded from the protections that Bel Air has won--including the Hillside Construction Regulation Ordinance. Putting us in CD4 banishes us from our neighboring community and lumps us in with Valley neighborhoods as distant as Shadow Hills. We are a hillside community with hillside safety concerns that are specific to our location. We share the same topography and dangers as our neighbors to the west. We belong in CD5—surely the new configuration of CD4 was a mistake. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. Sincerely, Aaron Fire

Communication from Public

Name: Arnold Stiefel

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 01:34 PM

Council File No: 20-0668

Comments for Public Posting: Dear Commissioners, As a member of the Bowmont-Hazen-Briarcrest Coalition and a resident of the Coldwater Canyon District, I am writing to let you know I am opposed to the Ad Hoc Committee map that proposes to remove our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. We have been poorly represented for the past decade. Left out of the Hillside Construction Regulations, the Coldwater ridgeline has in turn suffered irreparable damage by unregulated development. Our shared safety and community interests are not completely covered if moved to CD4. By leaving us with CD5, where we share the same issues, you will have taken a giant step in helping save the critical environmental crisis that has slowly been unfolding here. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. Sincerely, Arnold Stiefel

Communication from Public

Name: Tom Hamilton

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 01:06 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Dear Members of the Redistricting Commission: I am a member of the Bowmont Hazen Briarcrest Coalition and am vehemently opposed to the Ad Hoc Committee map because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. Removing us from CD5 banishes us from our community of shared interests with our neighbors to our west on Benedict Cyn and Beverly Glen. This is an arbitrary and illogical cut-off, particularly as we share the same topography, the same construction considerations, the same fire danger, the same public safety issues, and the same critical Life Safety services. It is crucial that we share the same district with hillside neighborhoods that have identical conditions and concerns. We have spent the last 10 years being denied those same protections as CD5. PLEASE return us to CD5 to include Bowmont Hazen and Briarcrest as proposed by our Neighborhood Council. Or use Map L as an alternative. Sincerely, Tom Hamilton

Communication from Public

Name: Stephen Marinko

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 12:46 PM

Council File No: 20-0668

Comments for Public Posting: Dear Commissioners, I am one of 2,756 residents who have felt misrepresented in the past and without any Hillside protections until you joined us with CD5. Now I've learned you've taken a giant step backwards in changing the map, undoing all this hard work. I'm opposed to the Ad Hoc Committee map because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. We are very grateful to you in the past for hearing our plea and placing us in CD5 with hillside neighborhoods to the west that share the same concerns and public safety issues. We require the same specialized knowledge from our representatives, which include our principles of redistricting, our service area for the fire department and police department. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. Thank you, Stephen Marinko 2323 Bowmont Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90210

Communication from Public

Name: Chelsey Holland

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 12:19 PM

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Name: peter mathes
Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 09:17 AM
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Name: Andrew Brunswick

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Communication from Public

Name: Joanne Wiles

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 07:27 AM

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Comments for Public Posting: Good Morning. I live in the FranklinCanyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen/Briarcrest district. I'm opposed to the Ad Hoc Committee map because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. As a coalition, we have spent hours listening to and trying to make public comment at the Commission's Zoom meetings. We have submitted letters of public comment. And we were heard by the Commission which put us in CD5 where we belong. This new map undoes of all that work. It overlooks the principles of redistricting, our expressed communities of interest and the natural boundaries of Mulholland Drive and Briarcrest. The Briarcrest eastern boundary achieves important goals for the community and city: It matches the service area for the fire department, It matches the service area for the police department, Is consistent with and matches the natural topographic boundary at the edge of a watershed, And puts our community in the same council district as our schools, congregations and cultural institutions. Surely moving us out of CD5 and into the new configuration of CD4 was a mistake. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. Thank you very much. Joanne Wiles, Georgia Wiles & Wilke Wiles

Communication from Public

Name: Georgia Stavropoulos

Date Submitted: 11/07/2021 11:46 PM

Council File No: 20-0668

Comments for Public Posting: I live in the Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen/Briarcrest district. I'm strongly opposed to the map produced by the Ad Hoc Committee because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. As a neighborhood coalition, we have spent hours listening to and trying to make on-record statements at the Commission's Zoom meetings. We have submitted letters of public comment. And WE WERE HEARD by the Commission, which correctly put us in CD5 where we belong. The map proposed by the Ad Hoc Committee overlooks the principles of redistricting, our expressed communities of interest, and the natural boundaries of Mulholland Drive and Briarcrest. The Briarcrest eastern boundary achieves important goals for the community and city: - It matches the service area for the fire department, - It matches the service area for the police department, - It is consistent with and matches the natural topographic boundary at the edge of a watershed, - And it puts our community in the same council district as our schools, congregations, and cultural institutions. Moving us out of CD5 and into the new configuration of CD4 was a mistake, a mistake made by an Ad Hoc Committee with no understanding of our issues. It is a mistake which we are relying on the City Council to rectify. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. I implore you to RE-INSTATE our District to CD5. Please right the wrong committed by the Ad Hoc Committee. I hope to be thanking you as a member of CD5.

Communication from Public

Name: mb

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 09:23 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Redistricting is not a political process. It is about doing the right thing: Respecting Communities of Interest, natural boundaries, and the voices of our city's residents. Please apply those values and move Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen to Briarcrest back into CD5. Moving 2,500 people from CD4 to CD5 will not affect compliance with the Voting Rights Act. It has no impact on the rest of the map. Just the opposite, it improves population evenness between the districts and responds to the needs of residents. Moving borders between districts in redistricting is a standard practice. And it is the right thing to do. Thank you. Miriam Buck

Communication from Public

Name: Joyce and Bennett Silverman

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 08:32 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: We are writing as a 45 year residents of Hazen Drive. I have actively participated in the process by writing and participating in a public hearing. Up until recently it appeared that we would be placed in CD5. For some reason that recently changed. I ask that you respecting communities of Interest, natural boundaries and the voices of our city's residents. There is overwhelming community interest in having our area placed in CD5. Please apply those factors and move Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen to Briarcrest back into CD5. Moving 2,500 people from CD4 to CD5 will not affect compliance with the Voting Rights Act. It will have no impact on the rest of the map. Just the opposite, it improves population evenness between the districts, responds to the needs of residents, and coincides with police and other city functions. Moving borders between districts in redistricting is a normal practice. And it is the right thing to do. Thank you. Joyce and Bennett Silverman,

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Name: Paul R. Fox

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 08:05 PM

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Name: Francine Fox

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 08:07 PM

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Communication from Public

Name: Elizabeth Waybill

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 08:00 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Communities of Interest, natural boundaries and the voices of our city's residents matter. Please put Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen to Briarcrest back into CD5. Moving 2,500 people from CD4 to CD5 will not affect compliance with the Voting Rights Act. It has no impact on the rest of the map. Just the opposite, it improves population evenness between the districts and responds to the needs of residents. Moving borders between districts in redistricting is a normal practice. Thank you.

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Name: angela mathes

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Communication from Public

Name: Stacy

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 07:39 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: What we are asking for is not unreasonable or unusual.... Please do what is right! Redistricting is not a political process. It is about doing the right thing: Respecting Communities of Interest, natural boundaries and the voices of our city's residents. Please apply those values and move Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen to Briarcrest back into CD5. Moving 2,500 people from CD4 to CD5 will not affect compliance with the Voting Rights Act. It has no impact on the rest of the map. Just the opposite, it improves population evenness between the districts and responds to the needs of residents. Moving borders between districts in redistricting is a normal practice. And it is the right thing to do. Thank you. Stacy Klines

Communication from Public

Name: Wanda CANNON

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 07:40 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Dear Los Angeles City Council: Redistricting is not a political process. It is about doing the right thing: Respecting Communities of Interest, natural boundaries and the voices of our city's residents. Please apply those values and move Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen to Briarcrest back into CD5. Moving 2,500 people from CD4 to CD5 will not affect compliance with the Voting Rights Act. It has no impact on the rest of the map. Just the opposite, it improves population evenness between the districts and responds to the needs of residents. Moving borders between districts in redistricting is a normal practice. And it is the right thing to do. Thank you, Wanda Cannon

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Communication from Public

Name: Jordan Lloyd

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 02:37 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: To Whom It May Concern: I am a Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen/Briarcrest resident and I am opposed to the Ad Hoc Committee map because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. This new map does not recognize the natural boundary of Mulholland Drive and the integrity of our Community of Common Interest. I cannot imagine the difficulty of your task and your special attention in originally merging us with CD5 made a world of difference for the 2,756 residents here. By unifying us with CD5, we finally felt heard as we share the same concerns and public safety issues of our Westside neighbors. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. Thank you, Jordan Lloyd

Communication from Public

Name: Don Roos

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 04:59 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I live on Bowmont Drive in the Franklin Canyon/Coldwater/Bowmont/Hazen/Briarcrest district. I'm very disappointed that the Ad Hoc Committee put us back in CD4. PLEASE return us to CD5. We've spent many hours and you've had to read many emails from us opposing the first map. We need to be in CD5 because we have common interests, goals, and challenges with the other communities in CD5 - specifically fire, police, and all the issues that come with our shared topography (winding roads, narrow roads, etc., flooding) - not to mention schools, congregations, etc. When the CD4 was first proposed, we fought it - we thought successfully. And now somehow it is back! This is a big mistake, and very disheartening that we thought we had found a solution and now it's been undone. Please help us get representation that reflects our shared community interests, issues, and challenges. Thank you.

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Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 04:53 PM

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Name:

Date Submitted: 11/08/2021 02:51 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I have lived in the Franklin Canyon area (off of Hazen Dr.) for almost 25 years. I — and many of my neighbors — have written you all several times for the past few weeks, but sadly, I see the need to write you yet again. I'm stunned that the Ad Hoc Committee map removed our area from CD5 and put it back into CD4 ! The Commission had just put us in CD5 — only to have us tossed back. Our neighborhood has “zoomed” and written and we are frustrated and concerned as to this latest turn of events. Having us in CD5 makes complete sense, particularly regarding matching Fire & Police Dept. services. The natural topography also makes sense to have us in CD5. Further, we need to be in CD5 so we can be in the same council district as our schools, congregations and cultural institutions. I'm praying that you see that bouncing us back to CD4 was a mistake, and that you determine to put us back in CD5. This decision will impact our lives for years to come, and quite frankly, I'm fearful of the ramifications of not being in CD5. Sincerest thanks for your time and consideration in this matter. Please, please please take a moment to make the right decision.

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Communication from Public

Name: Lyla Chan

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Comments for Public Posting: To Whom It May Concern, As residents of the BHPO/Coldwater/Briarcrest area, we do NOT support the Ad Hoc Committee map because it removed our area from CD5 and put it in CD4. Please return us to CD5. The 2,756 residents of this community have written letters, endured endless Zoom meetings to make public comment, and plead with you to merge us back with CD5. It restores important resources and access that is essential to our community. We share interest around fire danger, land use, cross-canyon traffic, and public services. This is the dividing line for our critical Life-Safety services: Police and Fire Department. It creates a coherent district with multiple communities of interest that respond to the redistricting criteria of demographics, geography, social, and political. Please help us secure representation that reflects our shared communities of interest and issues. Thank you, Lyla Chan