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**Chico Unified School District Board of Education Seeks Community Input**  
*Public Hearing on all presented maps for the California Voting Rights Act*

*Chico, CA* –Similar to other governmental municipalities across California, Chico Unified School District is transitioning from an at-large to trustee area election system. The process involves a combination of public outreach meetings, criteria identification, map development and community input. Chico Unified School District is entering the final phases of this process. During the January 19, 2022, Regular Board of Education Meeting, two new map possibilities were brought forward, and the Board removed one map from consideration.

**A Public Hearing will be held at Marigold School on Wednesday, February 2, 2022 regarding potential maps and corresponding election sequencing options.** The agenda for this meeting will be posted on the Chico Unified School District website on Friday, January 28, 2022. All Chico Unified families and community members are invited to attend this meeting.

The Board has the option to approve a final map and election sequence at the February 2, 2022 CUSD Special Board of Education Meeting/Workshop, or the February 16, 2022 CUSD Regular Board of Education Meeting.

Members of the public are invited to share map preferences, criteria considerations and election sequencing input for the subsequent General Election. Informational materials and high-resolution maps can be viewed on the Chico Unified School District website, [www.chicousd.org](http://www.chicousd.org).

**Public input can be provided in several ways:**

**In-Person**

At the Special Board of Education Meeting/Workshop's Public Hearing on **Wednesday, February 2, 2022**.

**Via Mail**

Comments can be mailed or delivered to:

*Chico Unified School District  
Attn: Superintendent's Office  
1163 East Seventh Street  
Chico, CA 95928*

**Via Email or Online**

- **Email comments to [publiccomment@chicousd.org](mailto:publiccomment@chicousd.org)** and (add "CVRA Input" in the subject line).
- **Comments can be submitted online: <https://bit.ly/3DSuGeh>**

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