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Hello IRC Members,

My name is Jim Hickle and I service as President of the Ramona Municipal Water District(RMWD). I write to you today representing our 5 Board of Directors, Staff, 9500 connections, serving over 40,000 people in Ramona. We are an elected board providing Water, Sewer, Fire and EMS services to the Ramona community district service area including Ramona and San Diego Country Estates as outlined by the census areas or the RMWD service district map. The 5 board members and Staff are unanimously opposed to bifurcating our Community of Interest as is currently being proposed in several IRC maps. Several proposed IRC maps split Ramona north and west from the San Diego Country Estates, Ramona East and South. This places 2 RMWD Board members their Ramona constituents in one Supv. district and 3 board members and their constituents within another Supv. district. Historically we has found it relatively easy to work with our singular Supervisor and have received a louder voice as a unified community and RMWD. We would like to all of Ramona to remain as one Community of Interest, as it is today and continue to align ourself with Rural East county who have similar social and economic rural issues. As the RMWD Board and Staff, we believe this is in the best interests of the community we serve. Thank You, Jim Hickle President RMWD

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