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On behalf of the Rancho Santa Fire Protection District, I would like to lend support to Map 13. Map 13 keeps the entire Fire District in one supervisorial district (D5). Splitting the Fire District, an unincorporated area of the County, and dividing it into two or three supervisorial districts with other larger cities tends to dilute the ability to have good representation in local government. This is especially true in low populated semi-rural areas such as Del Dios, Elfin Forrest and Harmony Grove. From a public safety standpoint, Map 13 makes a lot of sense as our Fire District works very closely with the Cities of Oceanside, Carlsbad, San Marcos, Encinitas, Del Mar and Solana Beach. We are in the same Operational Zone for emergency services, have shared ambulance services with CSA 17, and utilize the same emergency dispatch center.

Thank you for your consideration.

Fred Cox, Fire Chief

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