



# COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 8/17/2021

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File #: 21-1176

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Supervisor Mike Wilson

**Agenda Section:** Initiated by Board Member

**SUBJECT:**

Letter to California Citizens Redistricting Commission Related to Humboldt County and Redistricting (Supervisor Mike Wilson)

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Send a letter to the California Citizens Redistricting Commission asking that Humboldt, Trinity, Del Norte and Mendocino Counties ties be preserved through the redistricting process.

**SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

N/A

**DISCUSSION:**

Humboldt county is closely tied to Trinity, Del Norte and Mendocino Counties and together form a community of interest that should be preserved through redistricting. Our communities share similar cultural and economic ties that bind us together and face similar challenges moving forward

Also, it is important to remember that while Humboldt County has close connections to neighboring inland Northern California counties such as Shasta, Siskiyou and Tehama, we are different from these counties and these differences should be recognized in future restricting maps.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

N/A

**STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK:**

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by providing community-appropriate levels of service.

**OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:**

N/A

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ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS:

- A. California Citizens Redistricting Commission Letter

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: N/A

Meeting of: N/A

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