



**PLACENTIA-YORBA LINDA  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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RE: Transition to By-Trustee Area Electoral System

September 19, 2017

Dear PYLUSD Community,

On behalf of the Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District (PYLUSD) Governing Board of Education, I would like to thank you for your participation and input regarding the district's transition to by-trustee area voting thus far.

Following three informative community information nights and two successful public hearings, the PYLUSD Governing Board of Education adopted a resolution that established criteria for developing trustee area maps on Tuesday, September 12, 2017.

With the adoption of this resolution, the district's retained demographer, National Demographics Corporation (NDC), initiated the process in creating proposed trustee area maps. The district's proposed trustee area maps will be available for public viewing beginning Tuesday, October 3, 2017, at [www.pylusd.org/bytrusteearea/](http://www.pylusd.org/bytrusteearea/). The maps will also be on public display at the Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District office near the Board Room (1301 E. Orangethorpe Ave., Placentia, CA 92870) and at the Professional Development Academy (4999 Casa Loma Ave., Yorba Linda, CA 92886). As a reminder, these maps will not impact school attendance boundaries.

In moving forward, the district will hold two additional public hearings in order to collect community feedback on proposed trustee area maps. These public hearings will take place in the PYLUSD Board Room on the following dates:

- Public Hearing #3 – Tuesday, October 10, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.
- Public Hearing #4 – Tuesday, November 7, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.

If you are unable to attend a public hearing, but wish to submit questions or feedback regarding one or more of the trustee area maps, please fill out the district's Google form titled, "PYLUSD By-Trustee Area Transition Comments/Questions Form," at [www.pylusd.org/bytrusteearea/](http://www.pylusd.org/bytrusteearea/).

Following the fourth public hearing on November 7, the PYLUSD Governing Board of Education will select and adopt one map to submit to the Orange County Committee on School District Organization and the California State Board of Education for final approval. Once the map is approved by both committees, by-trustee area voting will be in place for the 2018 General Election on Tuesday, November 6, 2018.

Once again, I thank you for your participation as our Governing Board leads this thoughtful transition.

Sincerely,

Gregory S. Plutko, Ed.D.  
Superintendent