

Soledad Unified Draft Plan Presentation

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Districting Process

Step	Description
Two Initial Hearings <i>Oct. 12 & Nov. 9</i>	Held prior to release of draft maps. Education and to solicit input on the communities in the Districts.
Two Draft Map Hearings <i>Jan. 11 & Feb. 8</i>	Two Public Hearings to discuss and revise the draft maps and to discuss the election sequence. Draft maps must be posted at least 7 days before they are considered by the Board.
Map Selected by Board <i>Feb. 22</i>	Selection of Board's preferred map.
Map Adoption by County Committee <i>By March 13</i>	After Board adoption, the County Committee on School District Organization holds a hearing and votes on final approval.

Redistricting Rules and Goals

Federal Laws

- ❑ Equal Population
- ❑ Federal Voting Rights Act
- ❑ No Racial Gerrymandering

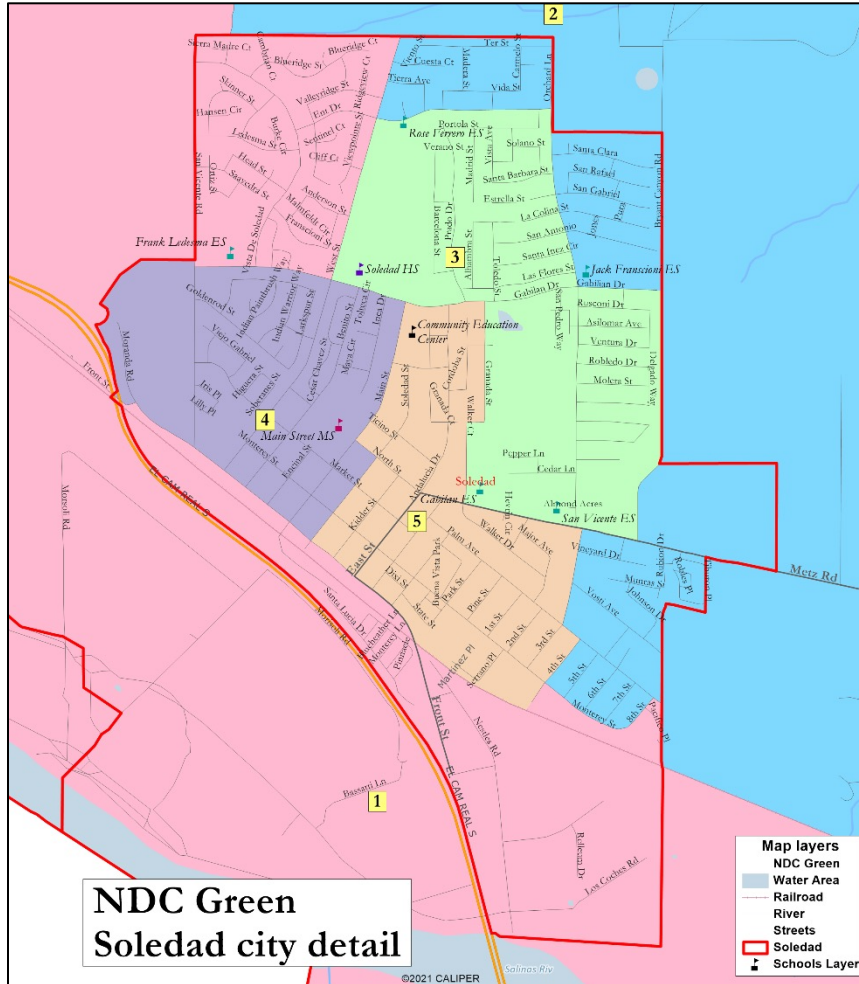
Traditional Redistricting Principles

- ❑ Communities of interest
- ❑ Compact
- ❑ Contiguous
- ❑ Visible (Natural & man-made) boundaries
- ❑ Respect voters' choices / continuity in office
- ❑ Planned future growth



Green Map

[Interactive Review Map](#)

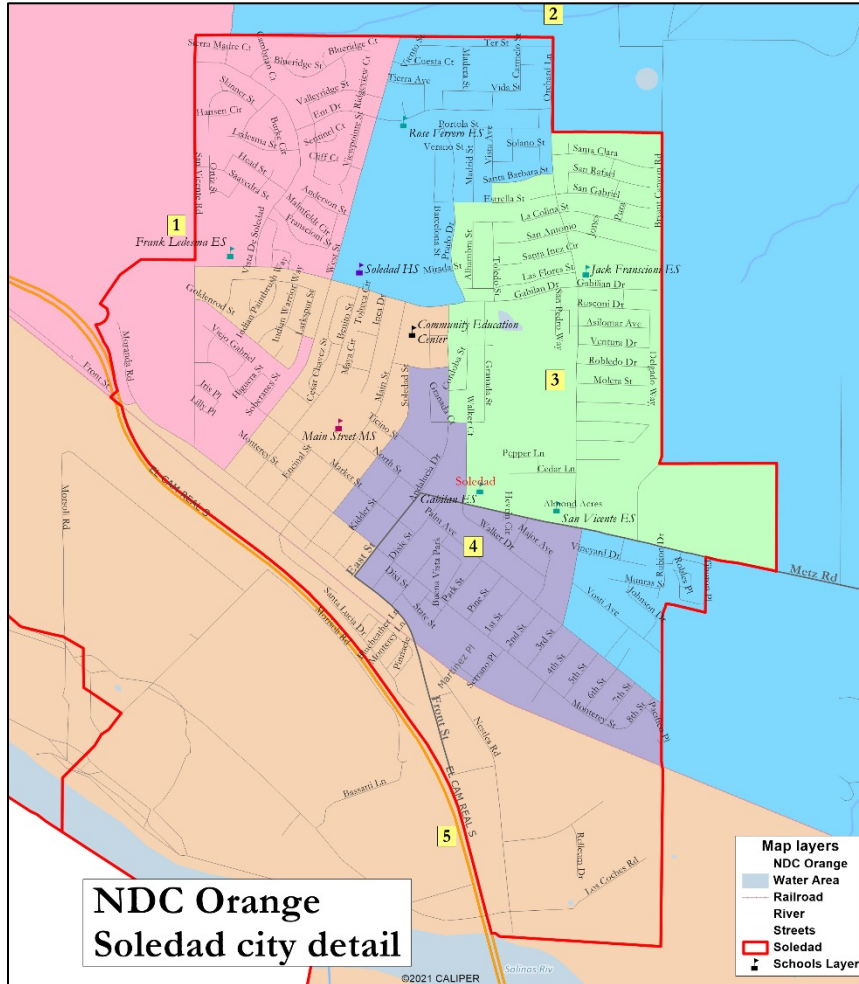


Deviation – 2.7%
Creates three compact districts
within Soledad city

Suggested Sequence of Elections:
Area 1: 2024 (Mora)
Area 2: 2024 (Galvan)
Area 3: 2026 (Bourke)
Area 4: 2026 (Ocampo)
Area 5: 2024 (Pantoja)

Orange Map

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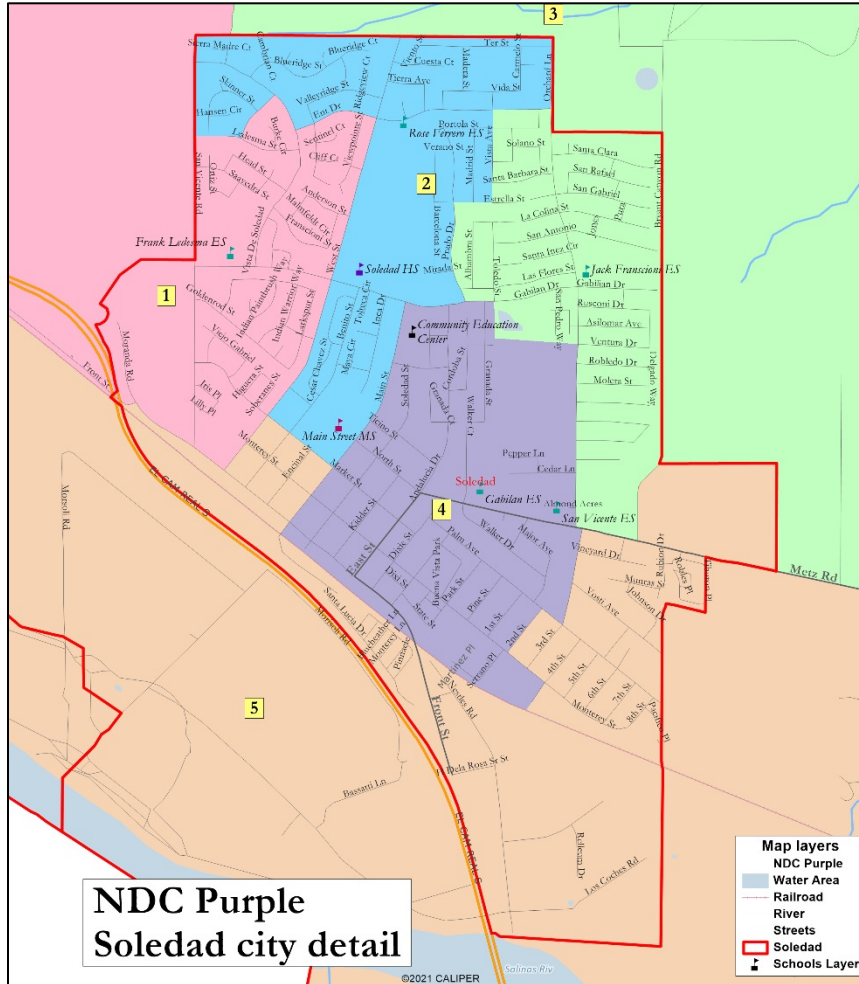


Deviation – 3.1%
Divides the rural area between
three districts

Suggested Sequence of Elections:
Area 1: 2024 (Mora)
Area 2: 2024 (Galvan)
Area 3: 2026 (Bourke)
Area 4: 2026 (Pantoja)
Area 5: 2024 (Ocampo)

Purple Map

Interactive Review Map



Deviation – 4.5%
 Attempts to follow elementary school attendance areas

Suggested Sequence of Elections:
 Area 1: 2024 (Mora & Ocampo)
 Area 2: 2024 (Galvan)
 Area 3: 2026 (Bourke)
 Area 4: 2026 (Pantoja)
 Area 5: 2024 (*vacant*)

Public Hearing & Discussion

- ❑ What do you like about the different draft maps?
- ❑ Any requests for revisions or modifications?

- ❑ Discussion:
 - ❑ Selection of 1-2 “Focus” Maps
 - ❑ Direction on maps to bring back to Feb. 8 Hearing
 - ❑ Additional outreach and/or engagement