

Inland Empire African American Redistricting Coalition

The Inland Empire African American Redistricting Coalition (IEAARC) was established in 2001 to address community concerns about redistricting after the 2000 census. The group worked with other organizations to develop plans for the assembly, senate, and congress. IEAARC also provided input for the County Board of Supervisors, Board of Education, and two city councils that had single member districts. The primary mission for the group was to develop districts that would allow residents to have the opportunity to elect candidates that best represented their interests.

IEAARC is currently working with our community partners to provide input to the California Redistricting Commission during this new process. The purpose of this document is to highlight the districts that have developed in the Inland Empire. A central focus of these plans is to address the concerns of the African American community in this region relative to opportunities to elect candidates of color in very diverse communities.

The African American population in California in 2010 was about 2.2 million people or about 6% of the State. San Bernardino County's population was slightly over two million or 5.5% of California. The African American population in San Bernardino at 170,700 represents 8% of African Americans in California. The K-12 Black student enrollment in the county is the second largest. Only Los Angeles County has a larger Black student enrollment. These population variables indicate that any policies that impact Blacks in San Bernardino County are also impacting African Americans throughout the State.

There are two significant areas in the County where there are high concentrations of African Americans. Those areas are the "Ebony Triangle" and the Victor Valley. The Victor Valley area primarily includes the cities of Victorville, Apple Valley, Hesperia, and Adelanto. The Ebony Triangle includes an area that is a one-mile buffer around three freeways: I-10 on the South, I-215 on the East, and I-15 on the West. Historically, 31% to 35% of all Blacks residing in San Bernardino County lived within the boundaries of the Ebony Triangle. This region from the Central Valley to the Westend includes the cities of San Bernardino, Rialto, Fontana, Colton, portions of Rancho Cucamonga, and the unincorporated communities of Muscoy and Bloomington. It should be noted that in San Bernardino County, Rialto is the only city in which (excluding prisoners) the percentage of African Americans exceeds the percentage Whites.

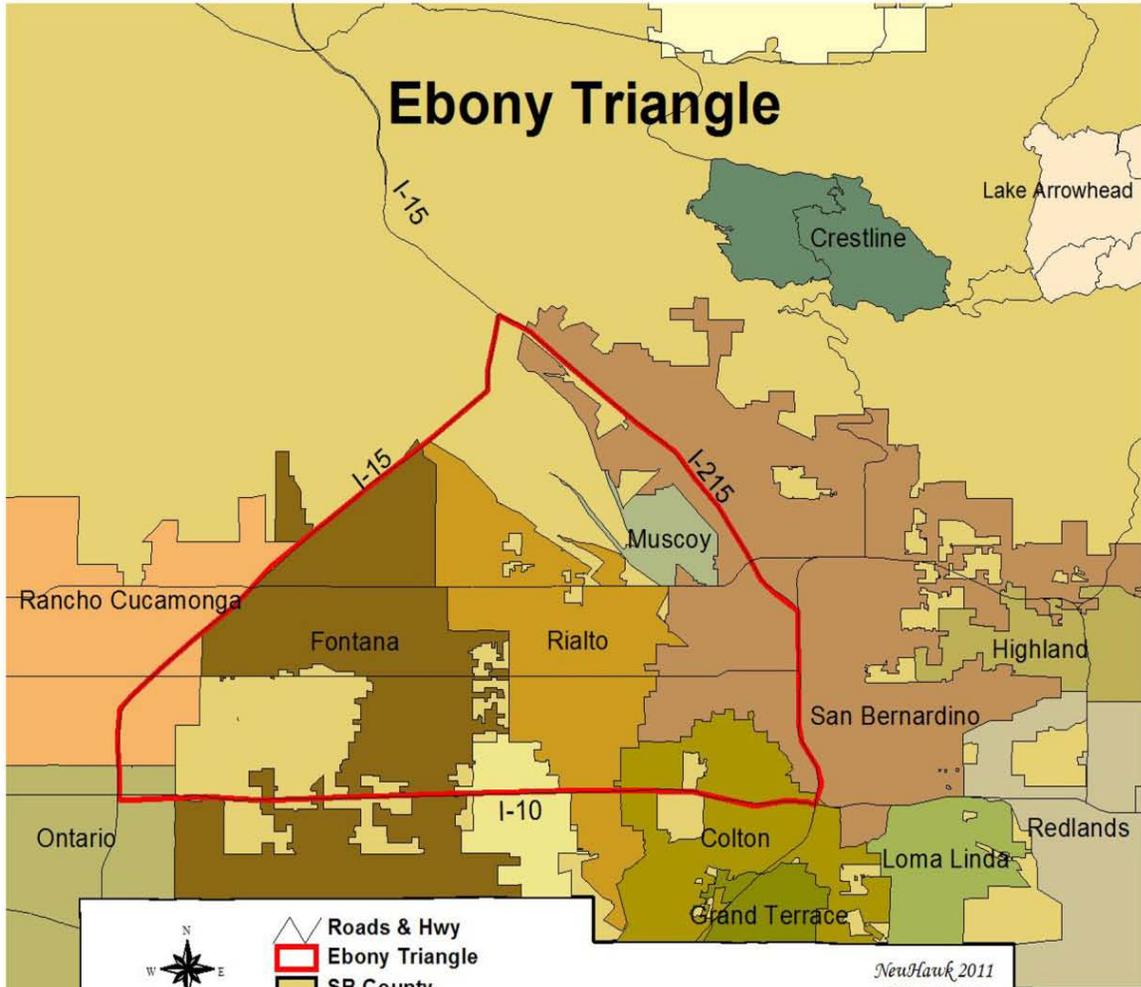
The IEAARC strongly recommends that legislative districts at all levels keep these two areas intact to the degree legally feasible. In addition, we recommend that as many districts as possible be created that are completely within San Bernardino County. For example, the County is split among nine Assembly districts. The 59th AD is an example of a gerrymandering in this county.

The districts in the plans developed by IEAARC meet the key redistricting criteria including:

- Complying with the federal constitution, including population equality requirements
- Complying with the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965
- Being geographically contiguous
- Respecting the geographic integrity of any city, county, city and county, local neighborhood, or local community of interest to the extent possible without violating any preceding requirements
- Being geographically compact to the extent practicable without conflicting with any preceding requirements
- Having Senate districts that are nested

The attached maps and tables provide an overview of each district including population, voting age population, race/ethnicity, and percent of deviation from the target population, and cities/places in the districts.

Ebony Triangle



 Roads & Hwy
 Ebony Triangle
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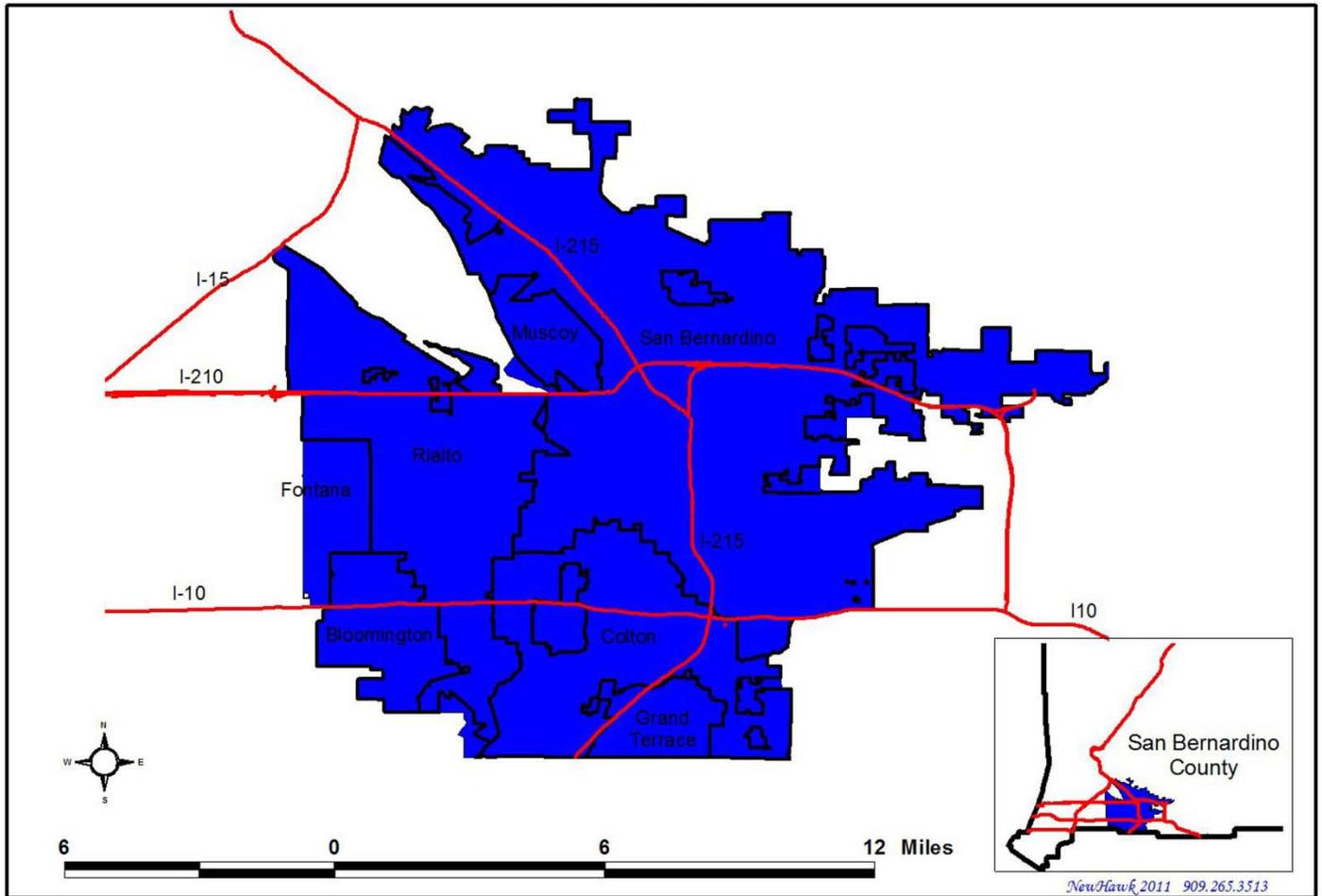


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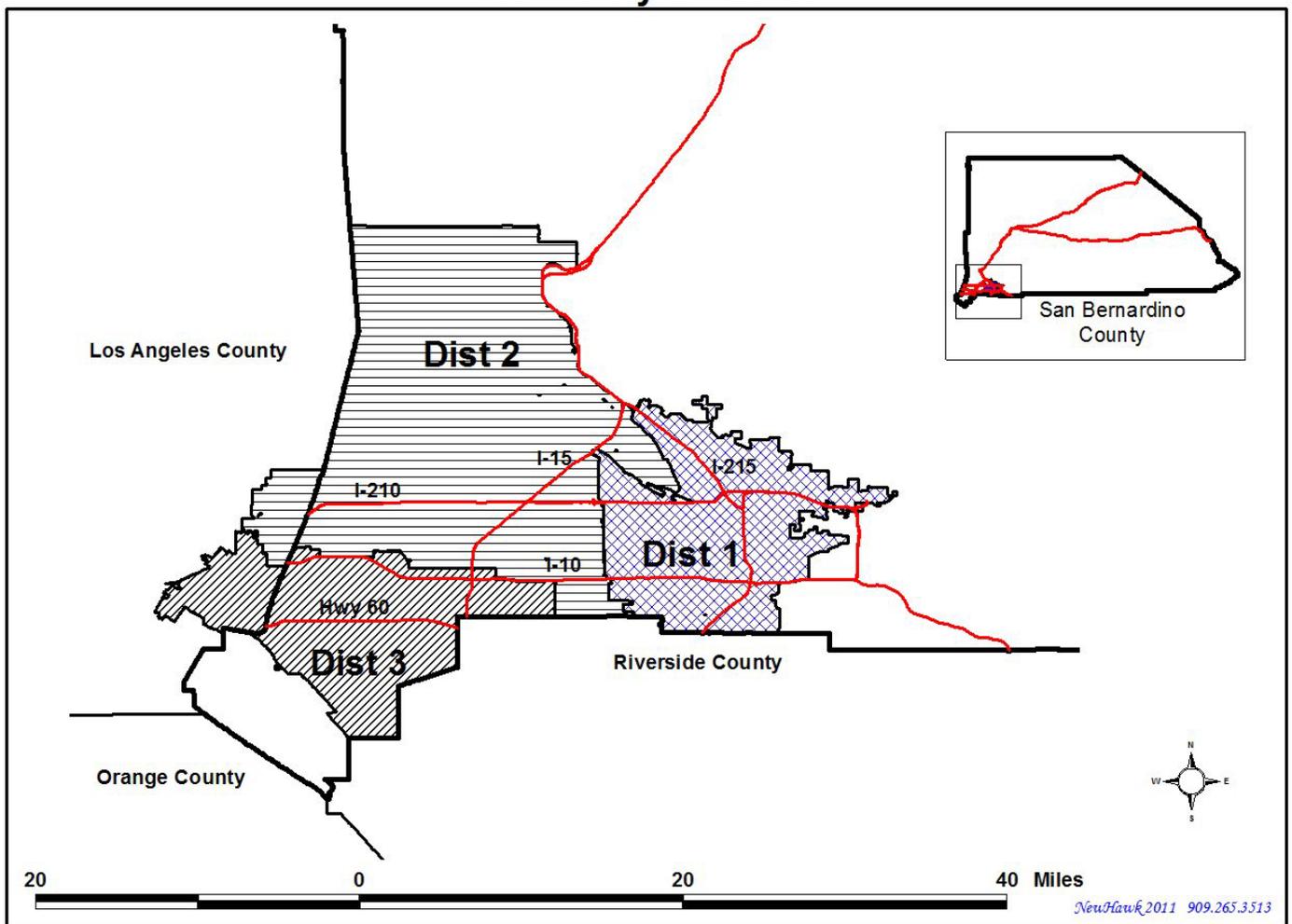
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Assembly Districts

Inland Empire African American Redistricting Coalition District 1



Inland Empire African American Redistricting Coalition Assembly Districts



Assembly District	District 2 Population	Percent of Total	District 2 18 & Over	Percent of Total
Total Population	460,034		332,714	
Hispanic or Latino	211,583	45.99%	137,752	41.40%
White alone, Not Hispanic	158,085	34.36%	128,475	38.61%
Black or African American alone, Not Hispanic	37,389	8.13%	27,573	8.29%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, Not Hispanic	1,096	0.24%	880	0.26%
Asian alone, Not Hispanic	39,651	8.62%	30,963	9.31%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, Not Hispanic	1,010	0.22%	703	0.21%
Some other race alone, Not Hispanic	975	0.21%	610	0.18%
Two or more races, Not Hispanic	10,245	2.23%	5,758	1.73%

	Percent
Deviation	Deviation
(5,640)	-1.21%

Communities in District

Fontana
Lytle Creek CDP
Rancho Cucamonga city
Upland city
San Antonio Heights CDP
Claremont
Unincorporated areas
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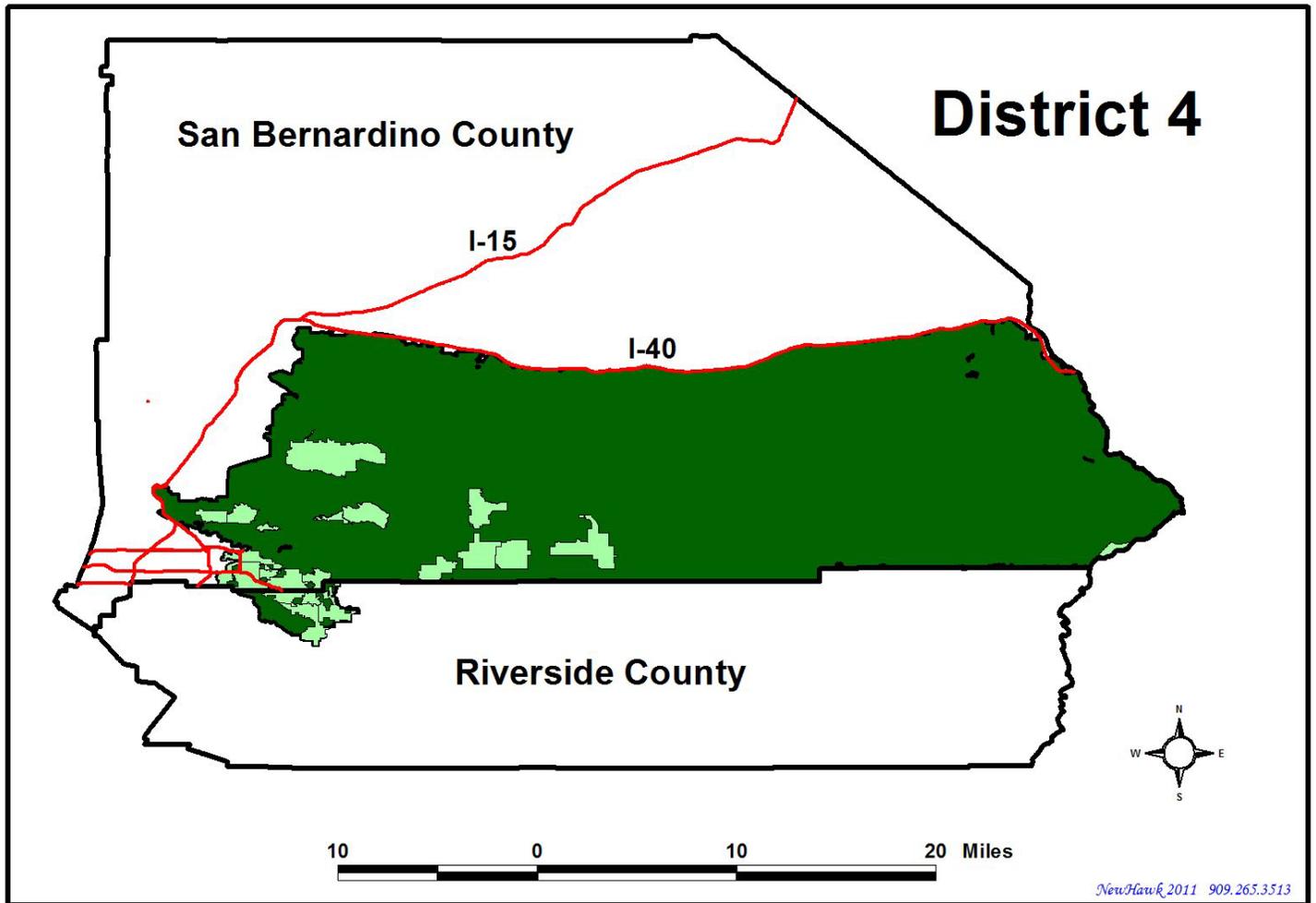
Assembly District	District 3 Population	Percent of Total	District 3 18 & Over	Percent of Total
Total Population	459,262		325,319	
Hispanic or Latino	309,132	67.31%	202,799	62.34%
White alone, Not Hispanic	80,312	17.49%	68,052	20.92%
Black or African American alone, Not Hispanic	27,648	6.02%	21,604	6.64%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, Not Hispanic	1,100	0.24%	868	0.27%
Asian alone, Not Hispanic	33,004	7.19%	26,834	8.25%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, Not Hispanic	910	0.20%	666	0.20%
Some other race alone, Not Hispanic	1,008	0.22%	707	0.22%
Two or more races, Not Hispanic	6,148	1.34%	3,789	1.16%

	Percent Deviation
Deviation	Deviation
(6,412)	-1.38%

Communities in District

Montclair city
Ontario city
Chino city
Pomona city
Fontana (Southridge)
Unincorporated areas
DISTRICT_AD3

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****** CONCEPTUAL DISTRICT ******

Assembly District	District 4 Population	Percent of Total	District 4 18 & Over	Percent of Total
Total Population	421,085		316,290	
Hispanic or Latino	123,956	29.44%	78,687	24.88%
White alone, Not Hispanic	236,876	56.25%	194,122	61.37%
Black or African American alone, Not Hispanic	19,995	4.75%	14,354	4.54%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, Not Hispanic	3,184	0.76%	2,458	0.78%
Asian alone, Not Hispanic	23,989	5.70%	18,923	5.98%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, Not Hispanic	1,204	0.29%	857	0.27%
Some other race alone, Not Hispanic	680	0.16%	444	0.14%
Two or more races, Not Hispanic	11,201	2.66%	6,445	2.04%

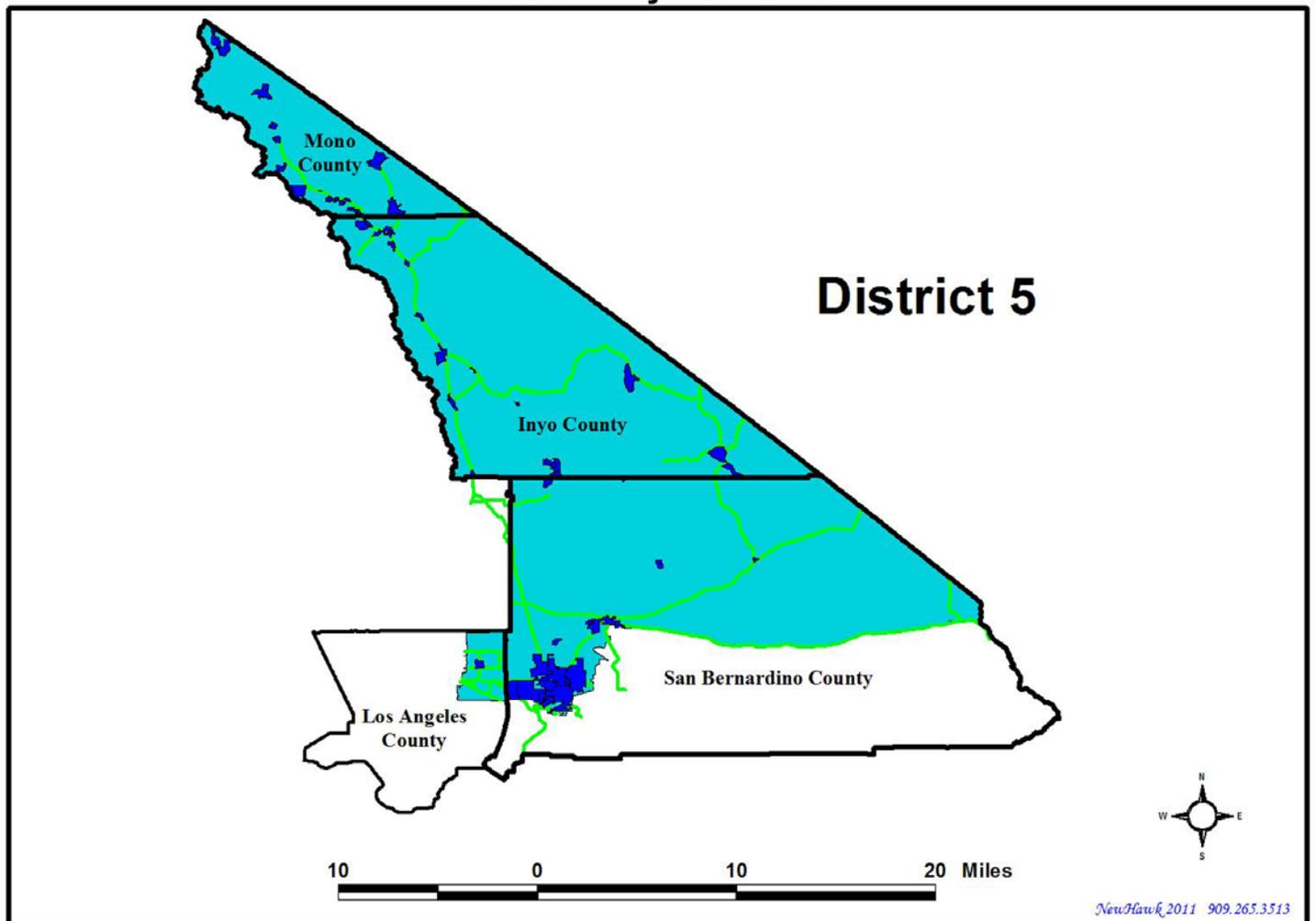
Deviation	Percent Deviation
(44,589)	-9.58%

Communities in District

Includes some communities in Riverside County since Yucaipa and Calimesa are closely related communities. They are both in the same school district. Linked by I-10 the pass communities are also in this district.

Banning city	Homestead Valley CDP	Big Bear City CDP
Beaumont city	Joshua Tree CDP	Big Bear Lake city
Cherry Valley CDP	Morongo Valley CDP	Crestline CDP
Calimesa city	Yucca Valley town	Lake Arrowhead CDP
	Twentynine Palms city	Running Springs CDP
Loma Linda city	Needles city	Unincorporated areas
Highland city	Big River CDP	
Redlands city	Bluewater CDP	DISTRICT4
Mentone CDP		
Oak Glen CDP		
Yucaipa city		

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Assembly District	District 5 Population	Percent of Total	District 5 18 & Over	Percent of Total
Total Population	467,174		326,671	
Hispanic or Latino	189,059	40.47%	115,119	35.24%
White alone, Not Hispanic	202,710	43.39%	161,032	49.29%
Black or African American alone, Not Hispanic	43,953	9.41%	29,047	8.89%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, Not Hispanic	4,793	1.03%	3,705	1.13%
Asian alone, Not Hispanic	12,098	2.59%	9,678	2.96%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, Not Hispanic	1,689	0.36%	1,165	0.36%
Some other race alone, Not Hispanic	948	0.20%	615	0.19%
Two or more races, Not Hispanic	11,924	2.55%	6,310	1.93%

Percent
Deviation **Deviation**
1,500 **0.32%**

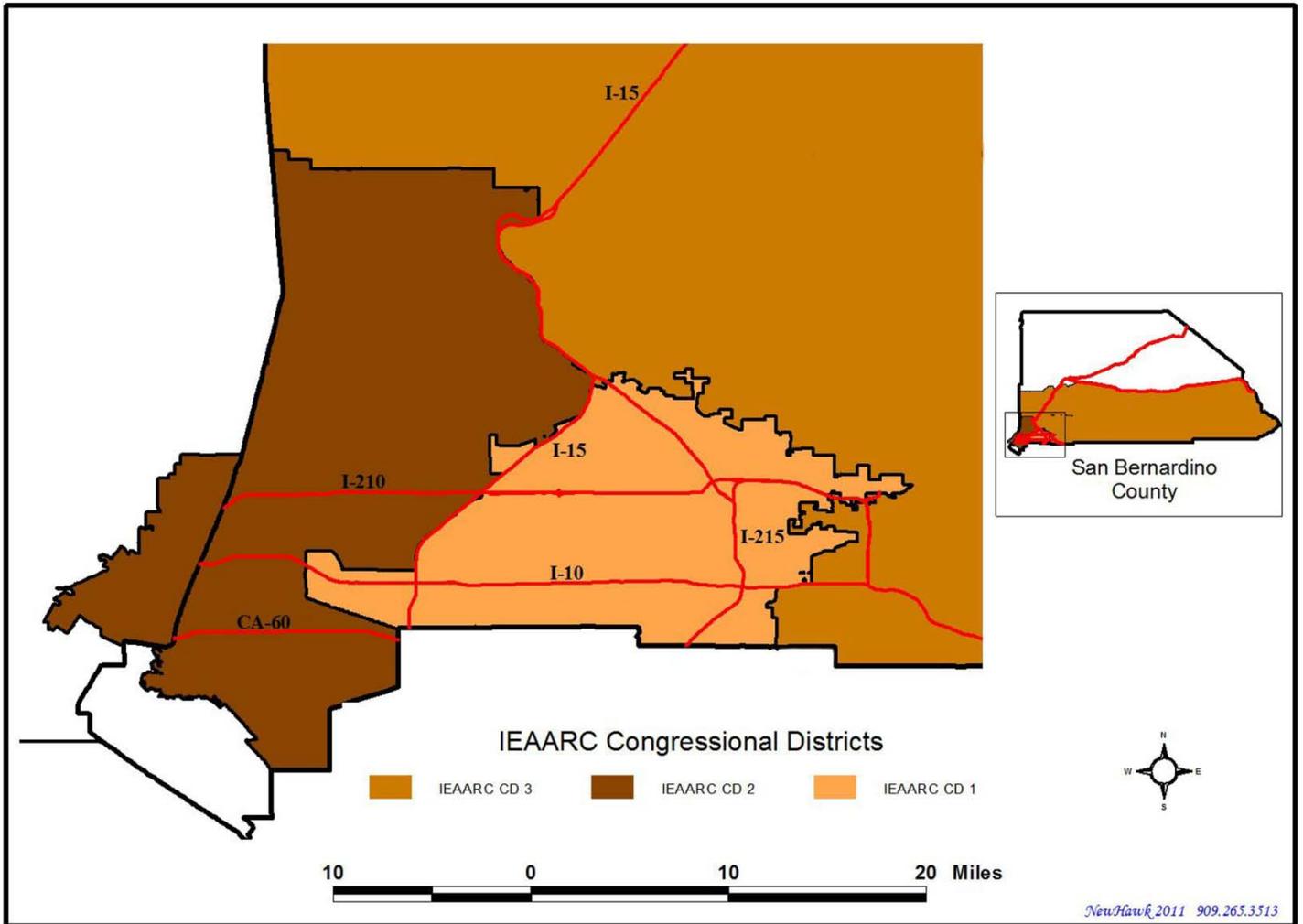
Communities in District

Includes the high desert communities and Inyo/Mono counties. Also a portion of Los Angeles County (Lake Los Angeles) up to the Palmdale and Lancaster borders. The Victor Valley and Antelope Valley have been in the same legislative districts in the past. However, the growth in both areas is too large for them to be in one district now without splitting cities.

Inyo-Mono Counties	Victorville city
Baker CDP	Mountain View Acres CDP
Barstow city	Oak Hills CDP
Fort Irwin CDP	Phelan CDP
Lenwood CDP	Piñon Hills CDP
Adelanto city	Wrightwood CDP
Silver Lakes CDP	Lucerne Valley CDP
Apple Valley town	UNINCORPORATED
Spring Valley Lake CDP	Hesperia city

Congressional Districts

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Congressional District	District 1 Population	Percent of Total	District 1 18 & Over	Percent of Total
Total Population	698,322		473,475	
Hispanic or Latino	458,018	65.59%	288,388	60.91%
White alone, Not Hispanic	115,620	16.56%	95,997	20.27%
Black or African American alone, Not Hispanic	78,117	11.19%	55,393	11.70%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, Not Hispanic	2,054	0.29%	1,620	0.34%
Asian alone, Not Hispanic	30,114	4.31%	23,617	4.99%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, Not Hispanic	1,957	0.28%	1,303	0.28%
Some other race alone, Not Hispanic	1,301	0.19%	839	0.18%
Two or more races, Not Hispanic	11,141	1.60%	6,318	1.33%

Deviation
(4,583)

Percent Deviation
-0.65%

Communities in District

Due to the growth of the Westend, Ontario is only included up to Grove Avenue and Mission Blvd.

Bloomington CDP	Rialto Uninc
Colton city	The Wash Uninc
Grand Terrace city	South of Rialto
Fontana city	Devore
Muscoy CDP	Colton Uninc
Rialto city	Reche Canyon
San Bernardino city	San Bernardino Uninc
West Fontana Uninc	Ont & RC (parts)

Congressional District	District 2 Population	Percent of Total	District 2 18 & Over	Percent of Total
Total Population	698,773		509,376	
Hispanic or Latino	369,365	52.86%	244,128	47.93%
White alone, Not Hispanic	207,316	29.67%	171,696	33.71%
Black or African American alone, Not Hispanic	43,673	6.25%	33,702	6.62%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, Not Hispanic	1,711	0.24%	1,368	0.27%
Asian alone, Not Hispanic	60,617	8.67%	48,671	9.56%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, Not Hispanic	1,365	0.20%	1,001	0.20%
Some other race alone, Not Hispanic	1,522	0.22%	1,016	0.20%
Two or more races, Not Hispanic	13,204	1.89%	7,794	1.53%

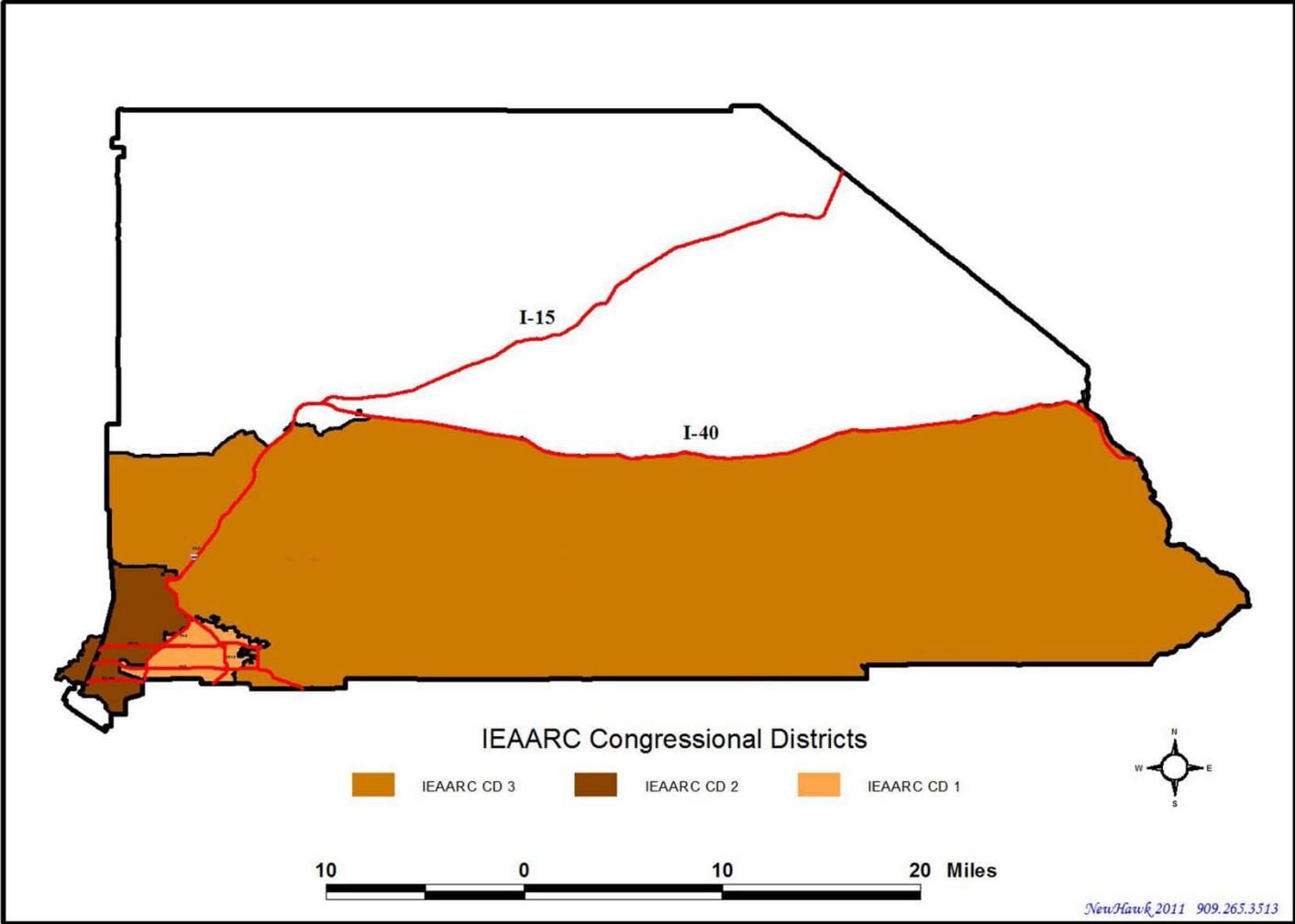
Deviation	Percent Deviation
(4,132)	-0.59%

Communities in District

This district is a new district as a result of the growth in these communities. Because of the many demographic and economic similarities, Claremont is linked with Upland in this district. The district extends north to community of Wrightwood.

Claremont
Lytle Creek CDP
Rancho Cucamonga city
San Antonio Heights CDP
Upland city
Wrightwood CDP
Chino city
Montclair city
Ontario city (part)
Pomona city

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Congressional District	District 3 Population	Percent of Total	District 3 18 & Over	Percent of Total
Total Population	704,724		506,866	
Hispanic or Latino	248,696	35.29%	153,537	30.29%
White alone, Not Hispanic	346,942	49.23%	277,974	54.84%
Black or African American alone, Not Hispanic	52,907	7.51%	35,643	7.03%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, Not Hispanic	4,431	0.63%	3,574	0.71%
Asian alone, Not Hispanic	29,481	4.18%	23,397	4.62%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, Not Hispanic	2,243	0.32%	1,552	0.31%
Some other race alone, Not Hispanic	1,343	0.19%	871	0.17%
Two or more races, Not Hispanic	18,681	2.65%	10,318	2.04%

Deviation **Percent Deviation**
1,819 **0.26%**

Communities in District

As per COI testimony from our members who reside in the mountains, this district keeps all of these communities together. There is a much stronger relationship with Redlands, Loma Linda, and Highland than with the High Desert.

Loma Linda city	Morongo Valley CDP
Highland city	Yucca Valley town
Redlands city	Big River CDP
Mentone CDP	Bluewater CDP
Oak Glen CDP	Big Bear City CDP
Yucaipa city	Big Bear Lake city
Homestead Valley CDP	Crestline CDP
Joshua Tree CDP	Lake Arrowhead CDP
Twentynine Palms city	Running Springs CDP
Needles city	Unincorporated