

Argument Form

Select Type of Argument

Argument in Favor of Measure

Measure Title

A Measure Pertaining to the Sacramento Independent Redistricting Commission Timeline Exception

Election Date: November 03, 2020

Reason for Argument (Max 300 Words)

Argument in Favor of Measure Sacramento Independent Redistricting Commission Timeline Exception. In 2016, voters approved Measure L and created an Independent Redistricting Commission to get politics out of redistricting. Since the creation of the Commission, the statewide primary date has changed from June to March and the coronavirus pandemic has caused the Census Bureau to delay the delivery of updated census data to assist the Commission in drawing new City of Sacramento council district boundaries that are reflective of our current demographics. Without this proposed change in the charter, the Independent Redistricting Commission will not be able to do their job and draw the new City of Sacramento council district boundaries in time for the 2022 election.

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