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City of National City Mayor Alejandra Sotelo-Solis & Members of the City Council 1243 National City Blvd. National City, CA 91950

RE: Request to Implement District Voting under the California Voting Rights Act – Agenda Item #3

Dear Mayor Sotelo-Solis & Councilmembers,

I would like to express my support for district-based elections in National City being considered by your council today.

I believe district-based elections facilitate more effective governance and help foster a more democratic system that better represents its constituents. My career as an elected official career started in a district-based election. I have been privileged to work with many great public servants who have also earned their positions using the same type of system.

I support this form of elections and thank you in advance for your consideration.

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