

Soledad Health Care District Draft Map Presentation

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Districting Process

Step	Description
Resolution of Intent July 31, 2025	Board adopts a Resolution of Intent to Adopt by-zone elections.
Two Initial Hearings August 28 & September 18	Held prior to release of draft maps. To educate residents and solicit input on the composition of zones.
Release draft maps October 16	Maps must be posted at least 7 days prior to 3 rd hearing.
Two hearings on draft maps October 23 & November 20	Two meetings to discuss and revise the draft maps and to discuss the election sequence.
Map adoption November 20, 2025	Map adopted via ordinance or resolution. Final map must be posted at least 7 days prior to adoption.
November 2026	First Zones hold election; remaining Zones will hold first election in 2028 (Current Directors serve their full term regardless which Zone they live in).

Districting Rules and Goals

1. Federal Laws

Equal Population
Federal Voting Rights Act
No Racial Gerrymandering



2. California Criteria

In prioritized order:

1. **Geographically contiguous**
2. **Avoid division of neighborhoods and “communities of interest”**
(Socio-economic geographic areas that should be kept together)
3. **Avoid division of Cities and Census Designated Places**
4. **Easily identifiable boundaries**
5. **Compact**
(Do not bypass one group of people to get to a more distant group of people)

2. California Prohibition

“Shall not adopt election district boundaries for the purpose of favoring or discriminating against an incumbent, political candidate, or political party.”

3. Other Traditional Redistricting Principles

Future population growth

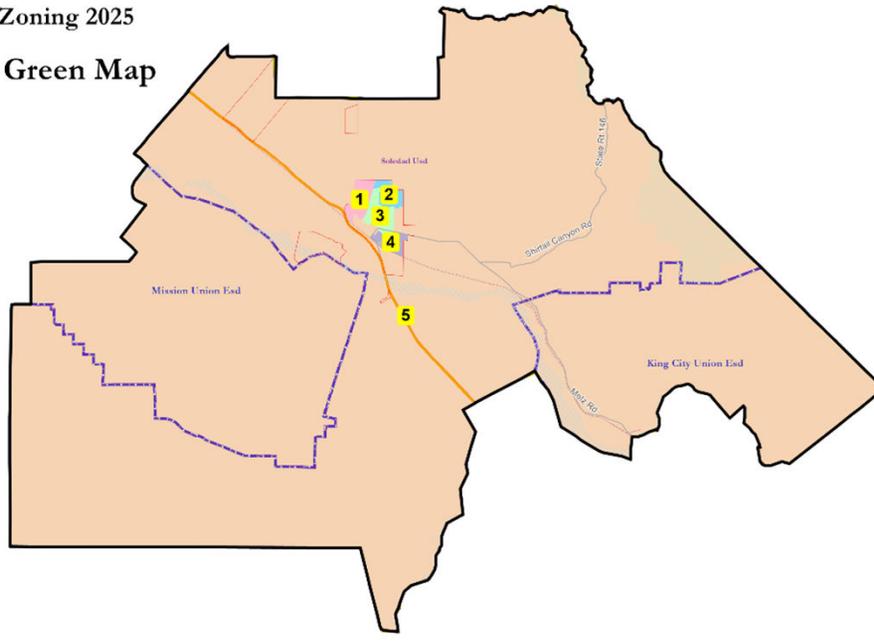
Draft Maps

All maps are also available on the Interactive Web Viewer

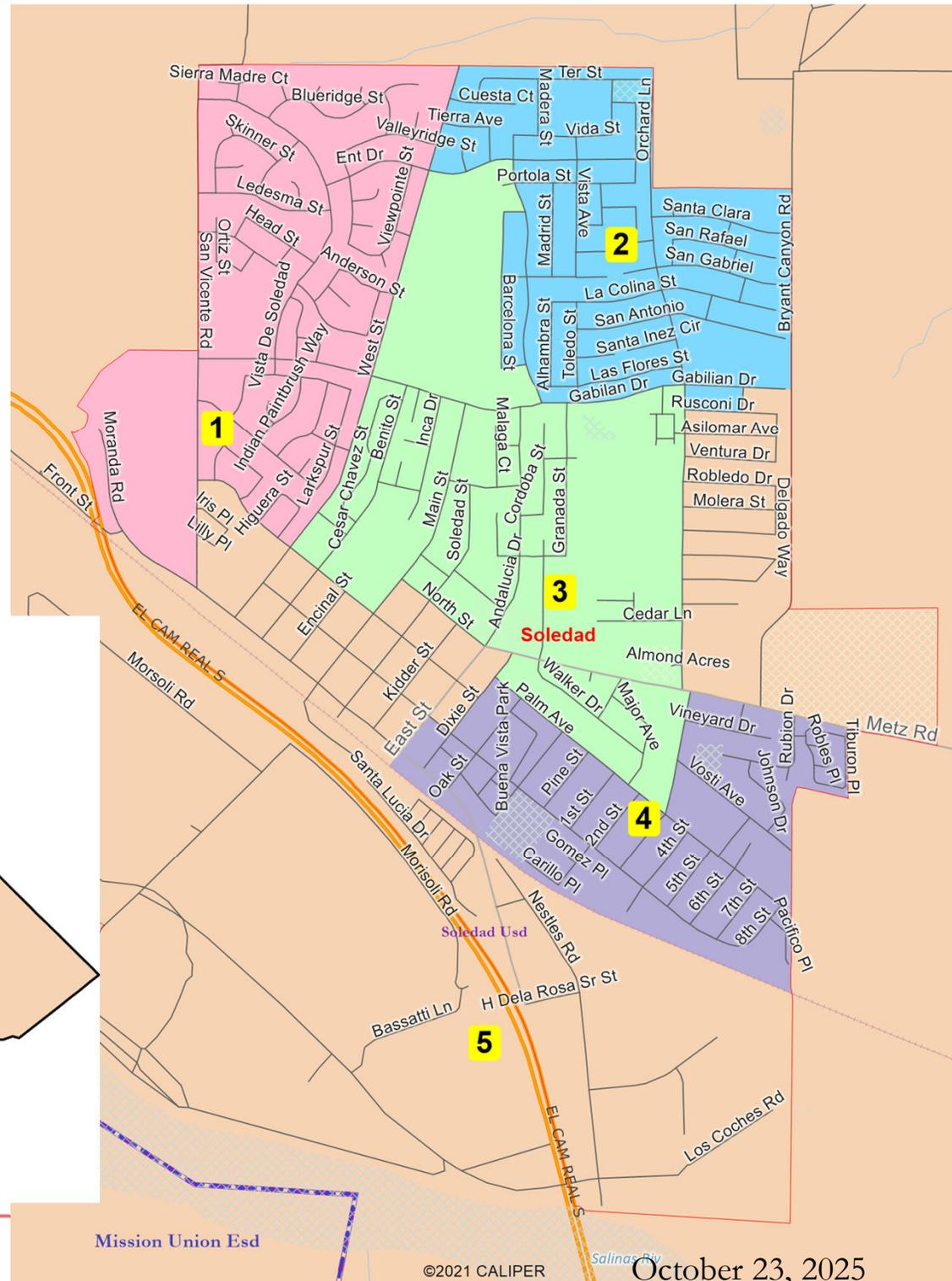
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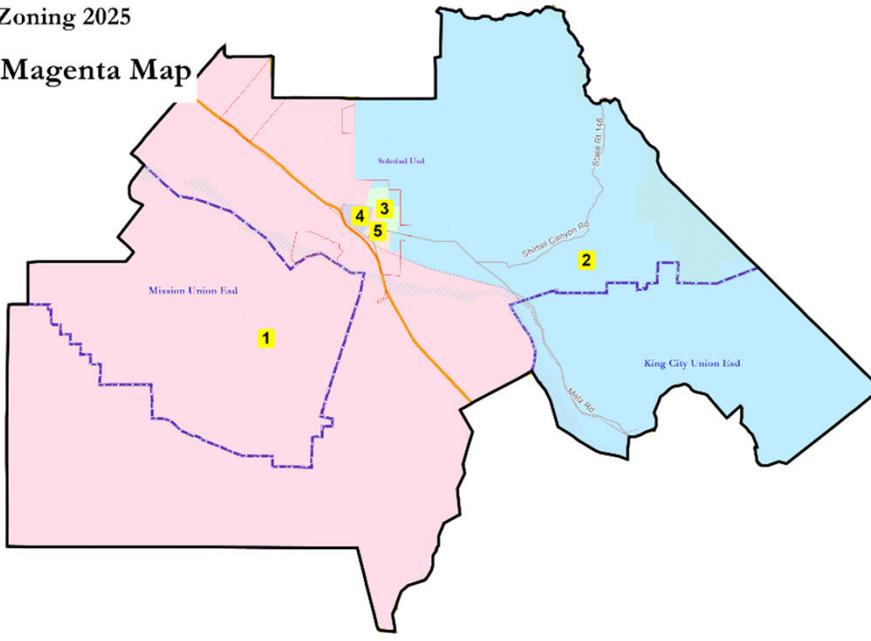
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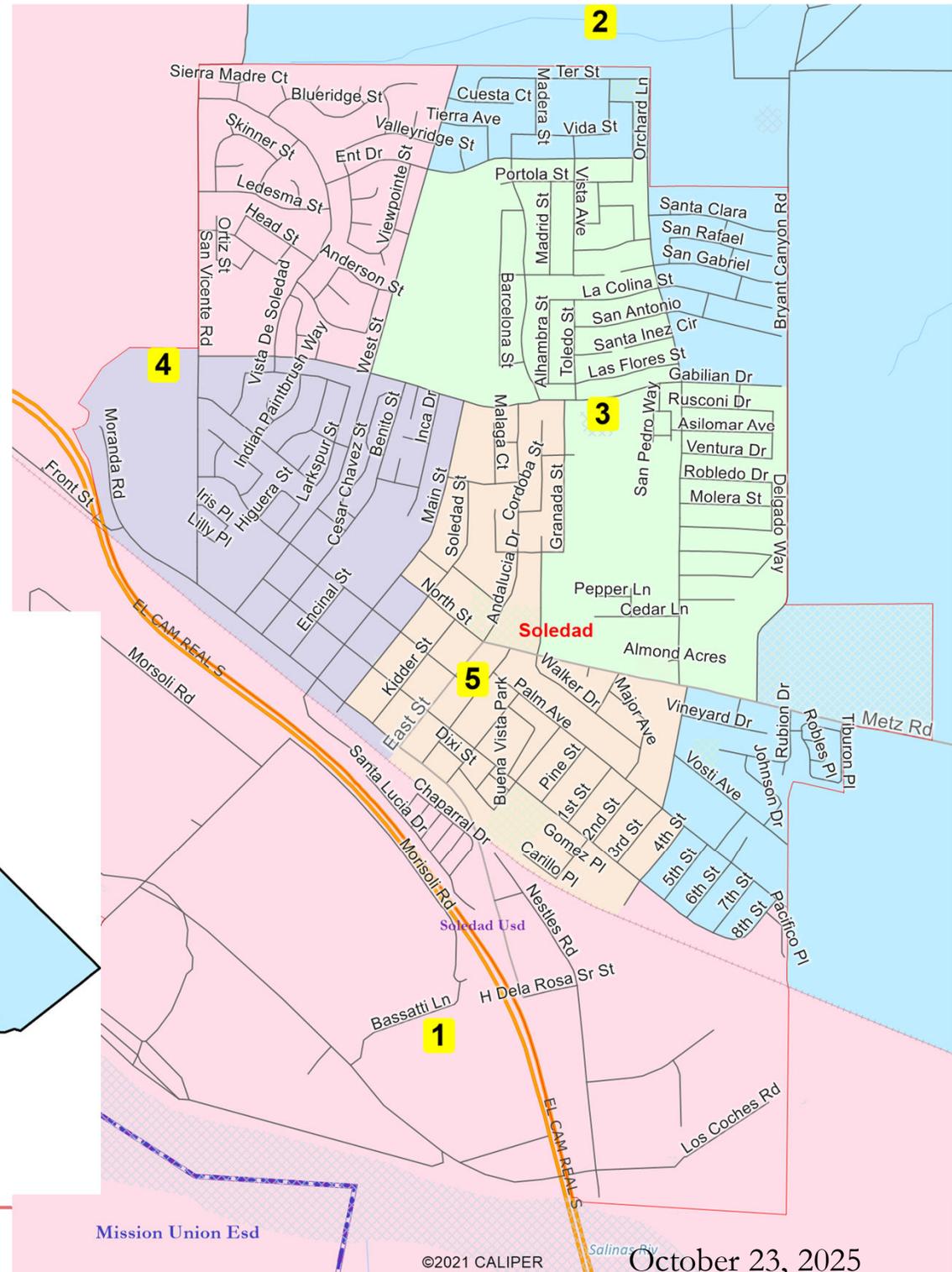
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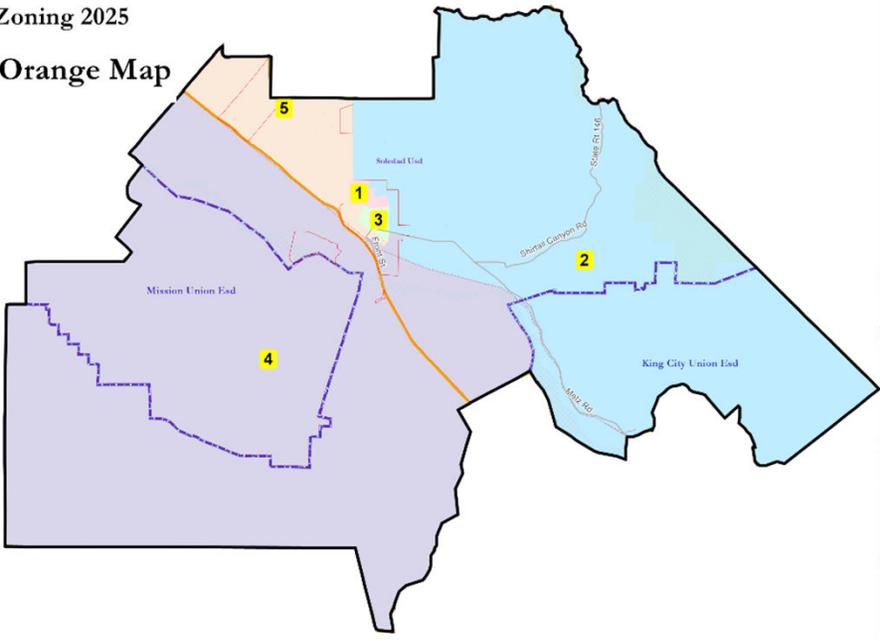
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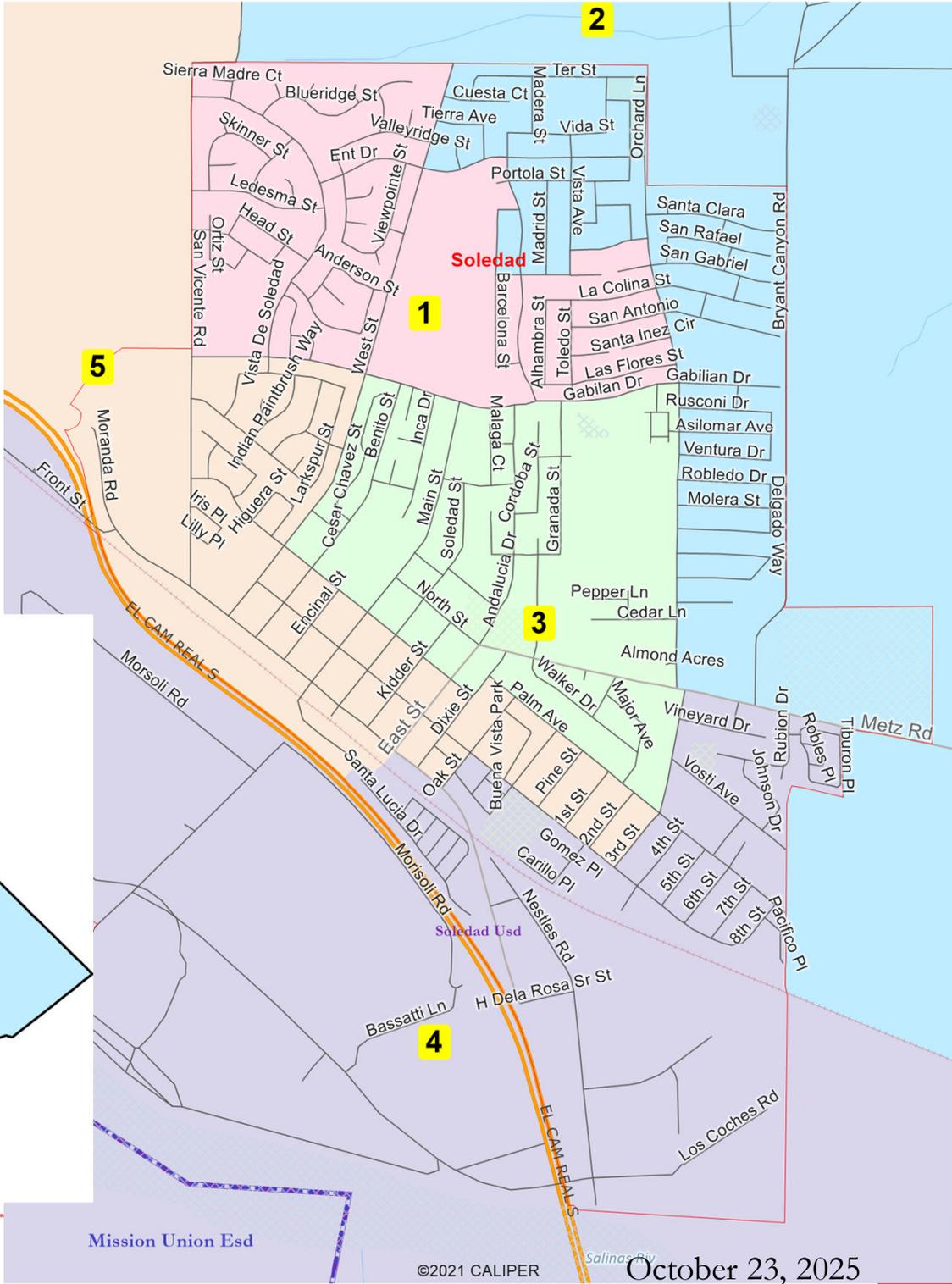
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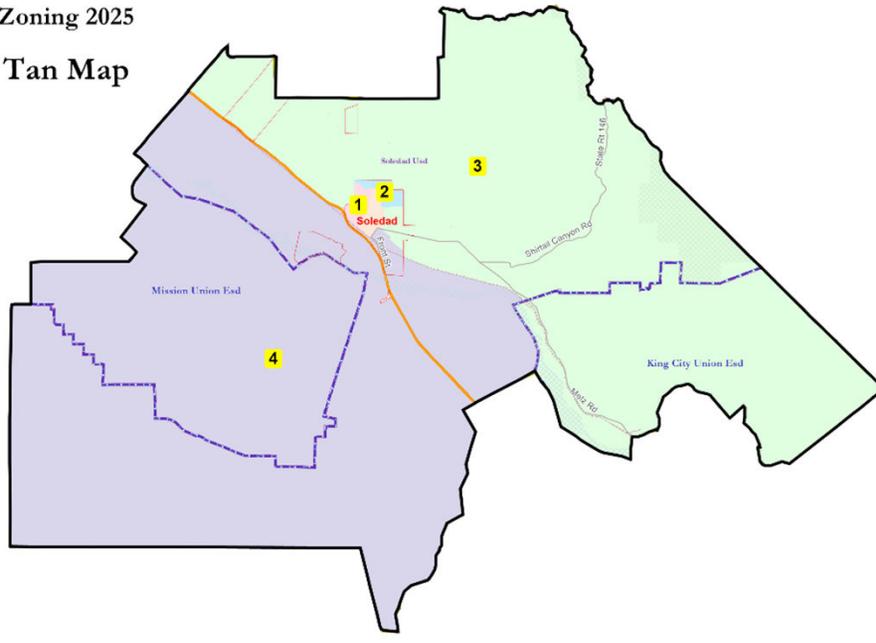
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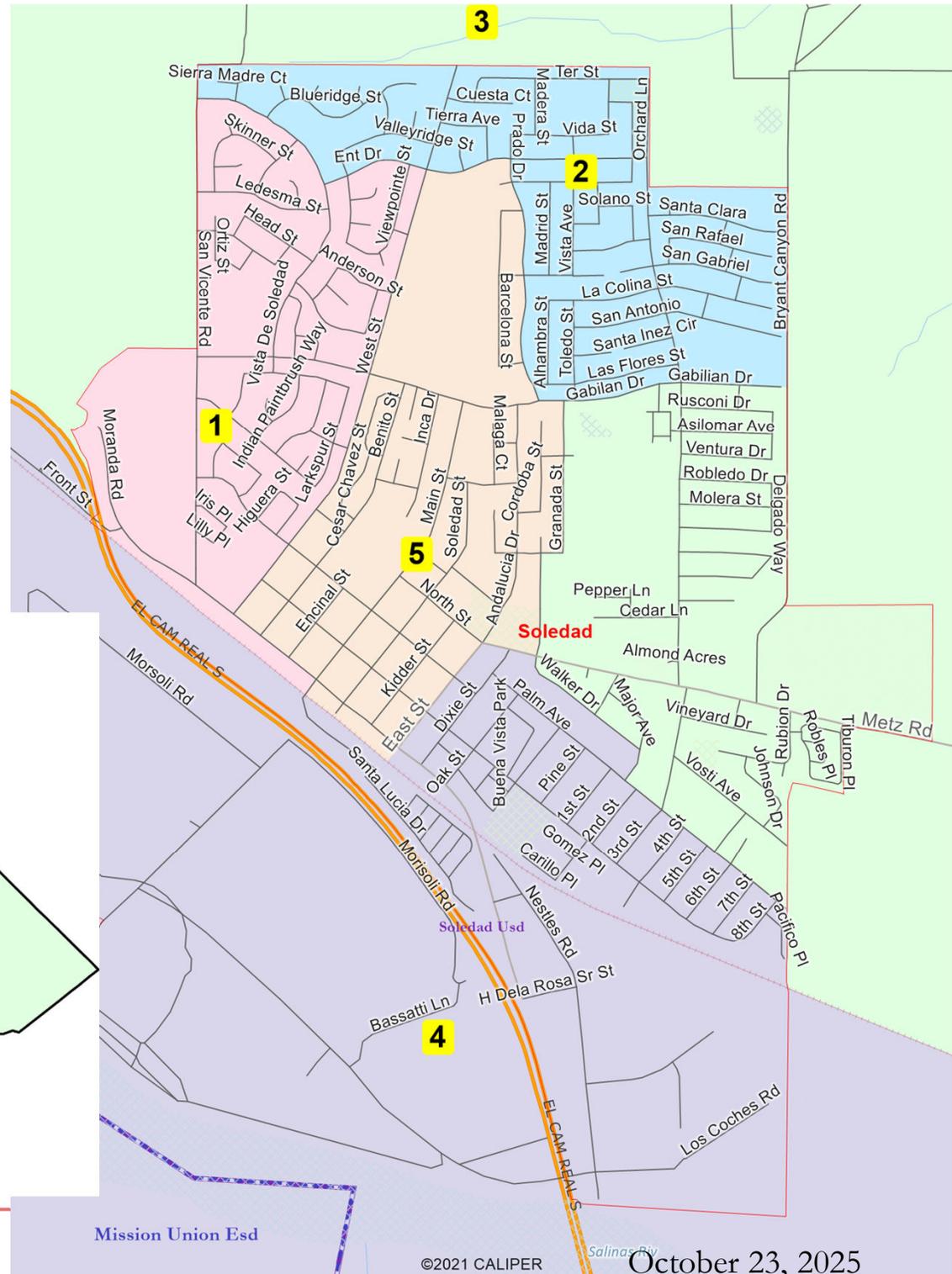
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Sequence of Elections

- Elections Code §10010 requires inclusion of a proposed sequence of elections alongside published draft maps. However, §21130 requires that the districting body not consider the location of current Directors.
- To that extent, we include a provisional sequence of elections for all maps that can be modified by the Board before final adoption:
 - ▣ 2026 – Zones 2 and 4
 - ▣ 2028 – Zones 1, 3, and 5