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October 11, 2021

Randal S. Bassett, Superintendent  
Hon. Marcelino Serna, Board President  
FONTANA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
9680 Citrus Avenue  
Fontana, California 92335

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Dear Superintendent Bassett and Hon. Board President Serna:

As you know, the Fontana Unified School District relies on an at-large system for electing candidates to its school board.

“At large” election schemes dilute the ability of minority groups to elect their preferred

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While instances of overt racism, such as the 1945 killing of the Short family, the first  
Black family to move into a White neighborhood, \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please contact me, within 45 days of the date of this letter, to confirm your agreement to eliminate the at-large system. If I do not hear from the District or its counsel by the close of business on November 5, 2021, I will assume that the District and its counsel agree to the issue. If I will not hear from the District or its counsel by the close of business on November 5, 2021, I will assume that the District and its counsel agree to the issue.**

Prior to sending this letter, I worked closely with local stakeholders to review and discuss the local voting system, including the impact of the various commission districts on the local voting system. I am confident that the current system is fair and equitable for all residents within the District.

Given the District's demographic diversity, it is important to create commission districts that protect incumbent Board members from future challenges. In this regard, I urge you to invite members of the local community to join the discussion to ensure that boundaries are drawn with integrity and fairness.

Respectfully,

CARLOS R. PEREZ

CP/cp  
Enclosure

cc Dolores Huerta, Dolores Huerta Foundation  
Connie Rosales, CTA (via e-mail)

District 1



District 5

County

District 3

District 2

District 4