# THE NUIFC REDISTRICTING UPDATE



## A SNAPSHOT OF NEVADA REDISTRICTING

## WHERE WE ARE

Nevada joins a small list of states that have completed their Redistricting process, with Governor Steve Sisolak, signing new districts into law on November 16th. Nevada saw a 15 percent increase in population over the past decade, with the white population dropping from roughly two-thirds to one-half. Urban populations increased slightly at the expense of rural communities.

These maps have characterized as advantageous for Democrats. The new map increases Democrats' two-way voter registration advantage in the 3rd Congressional District from less than a percentage point to more than eight. And in the 4th District, their voter registration margin increases from 5.8 percentage points to 13.3.

In Las Vegas, new wards are being proposed that adjust state's population change. Under the city's proposed redistricting map, Ward 6 would shed some 25,000 people and concede a significant portion of its southern tip west of U.S. Highway 95 to its Ward 4 neighbor to the south.

Most city wards are proposed to grow under the city's redrawn political map, including Ward 3, which would become the city's second-largest district by increasing to roughly 109,000 residents. Only Ward 6 and Ward 2, the far west district that encompasses Summerlin, would lose residents under the proposed shift, although the change would be much less dramatic in Ward 2, which would decrease by roughly 2,000 residents to 106,000. No ward would have a population more or less than 4.5 percent of another if the proposed map is adopted.

## NEW NEVADA MAPS (PRINCETON GERRYMANDER PROJECT DATA)

#### POLITICAL BREAKDOWN OF **NEW MAPS**

#### Congressional:

4 CDs, expected to be a 3D-1R with no competitive districts

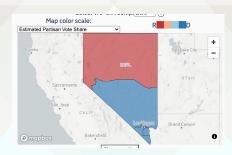
#### State Senate:

21 Districts, projected to be 15D-6R with 3 competitive seats.

#### State House:

42 Districts; projected to be 29D-13R with 5 competive districts

### 2020 NEVADA CONGRESSIONAL MAP



MAP SHOWS PARTISAN **VOTER SPLIT** 

### 2020 LAS VEGAS COUNCIL WARDS MAP

