

RESOLUTION 2018 – 46
ADJUSTING PRECINCT BOUNDARIES AND
CREATING NEW PRECINCTS IN LINCOLN COUNTY

Whereas, Section 1-3-12C NMSA 1978 requires the Board of County Commissioners and the County Clerks to adjust all precinct boundaries prior to each federal decennial census pursuant to the Precinct Boundary Adjustment Act, and

Whereas, Section 1-3-12D NMSA 1978 states adjustments to the standard base maps submitted and as revised and approved by the secretary of state pursuant to the provisions of the Precinct Boundary Adjustment Act shall become the official precincts of each county for the 2021 redistricting, and

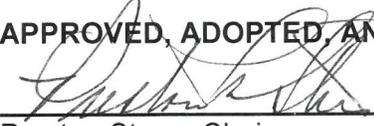
Whereas, Section 1-3-1B NMSA 1978 requires a precinct be divided or its boundaries adjusted if the precinct has had more than 750 votes cast based on the two most recent general elections, and

Whereas, Lincoln County, in conjunction with the State of New Mexico approved vendor for technical support, identified multiple minor precinct boundary adjustments as defined in the attached **Exhibit A** in accordance with the Precinct Boundary Adjustment Act, and

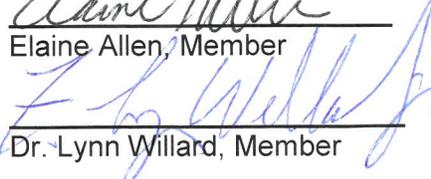
Whereas, Lincoln County also identified five precincts for splits creating an additional six precincts as defined in the attached **Exhibit B** to comply with Section 1-3-1B NMSA 1978; to facilitate the redistricting of County Commission Districts; and to provide the opportunity for the State of New Mexico to redistrict legislative districts, particularly Senate District 39, in a more equitable fashion.

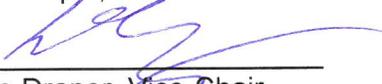
Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln adopts the Precinct Boundary Adjustments as designated in **Exhibit A** and the Precinct Splits as designated in **Exhibit B** creating six new precincts for purposes of the 2020 census and for redistricting in 2021.

APPROVED, ADOPTED, AND PASSED on this 16th day of April, 2019.


Preston Stone, Chairman


Elaine Allen, Member


Dr. Lynn Willard, Member


Dallas Draper, Vice-Chair


Thomas F. Stewart, Member

ATTEST:

Whitney Whittaker
Lincoln County Clerk



EXHIBIT A
PRECINCT BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS

Map 1

Precincts: 1 and 19

Issue: Current precinct line follows an old road that doesn't exist anymore.

Solution: Map correction, move to road's new location

Population affected: 0

Map 2

Precincts: 1 and 19

Issue: Current precinct line follows the old Hwy 55 path that doesn't exist anymore.

Solution: Map correction, move to Hwy 55's new location

Population affected: 0

Map 3

Precincts: 1 and 3

Issue 1 (top of image): Current precinct line follows an old road that doesn't exist anymore.

Solution: Map suggestion, move south to a different road

Population affected: One ranch house

Issue 2 (bottom of image): Current precinct line follows an old road that doesn't exist anymore.

Solution: Map correction, move to road's new location

Population affected: 0

Map 4

Precincts: 1 and 3

Issue: Current precinct line follows an old Co Rd B012 path that doesn't exist anymore.

Solution: Map correction, move to county road's new location

Population affected: 0

Map 5

Precincts: 10 and 11

Issue: Current precinct line along Central and River splits neighborhood

Solution: Suggestion, move precinct line north to Rio Ruidoso and west to Joe Welch drive to move houses from Precinct 10 to 11

Population affected: approximately 175

Notes: Condos near racetrack also move from Precinct 10 to 11

Map 6

Precincts: 10 and 11

Issue: Map correction to incorrect river location

Solution: Map correction, move boundary to correct river location

Population affected: 0

Map 7

Precincts: 10 and 12

Issue: Current precinct line doesn't follow anything

Solution: Map correction, move slightly south to actual road

Population affected: 0

Map 8

Precincts: 15 and 16

Issue: Part of current precinct line doesn't follow anything

Solution: Map correction, move east to actual road

Population affected: 0

Map 9

Precincts: 15 and 16

Issue: Precinct line follows a Census Bureau school district boundary that may or may not be correct between Hondo and Capitan

Solution: Confirm actual school district boundary and potentially use it as precinct boundary. May need to move to physical features instead.

Population affected: A few ranch houses

Map 10

Precincts: 17 and 20

Issue: Map correction to incorrect river location

Solution: Map correction, move to Rio Bonito centerline through Bonito Lake

Population affected: 0

Map 11

Precincts: 3 and 14

Issue: Precinct line error, precinct line moves off Cora Dutton Rd slightly

Solution: Map correction, move precinct line to Cora Dutton Rd

Population affected: 0

Map 12

Precincts: 3 and 14

Issue: Precinct line error, precinct line moves off Cora Dutton Rd slightly

Solution: Map correction, move precinct line to Cora Dutton Rd

Population affected: 0

Map 13

Precincts: 3 and 15

Issue: Precinct line goes from Zeufeldt Arroyo to county road to Archuleta Creek

Solution: Map suggestion, simplify boundary by bypassing road and going straight from arroyo to creek

Population affected: 0

Map 14

Precincts: 3 and 17

Issue: Part of current precinct line doesn't follow anything

Solution: Map correction, move east to actual road

Population affected: 0

Map 15

Precincts: 4 and 14

Issue: Mapping error, precinct follows incorrect river location

Solution: Map correction, move boundary to correct river location

Population affected: 0

Map 16

Precincts: 4 and 14

Issue: Mapping error, precinct follows incorrect road location

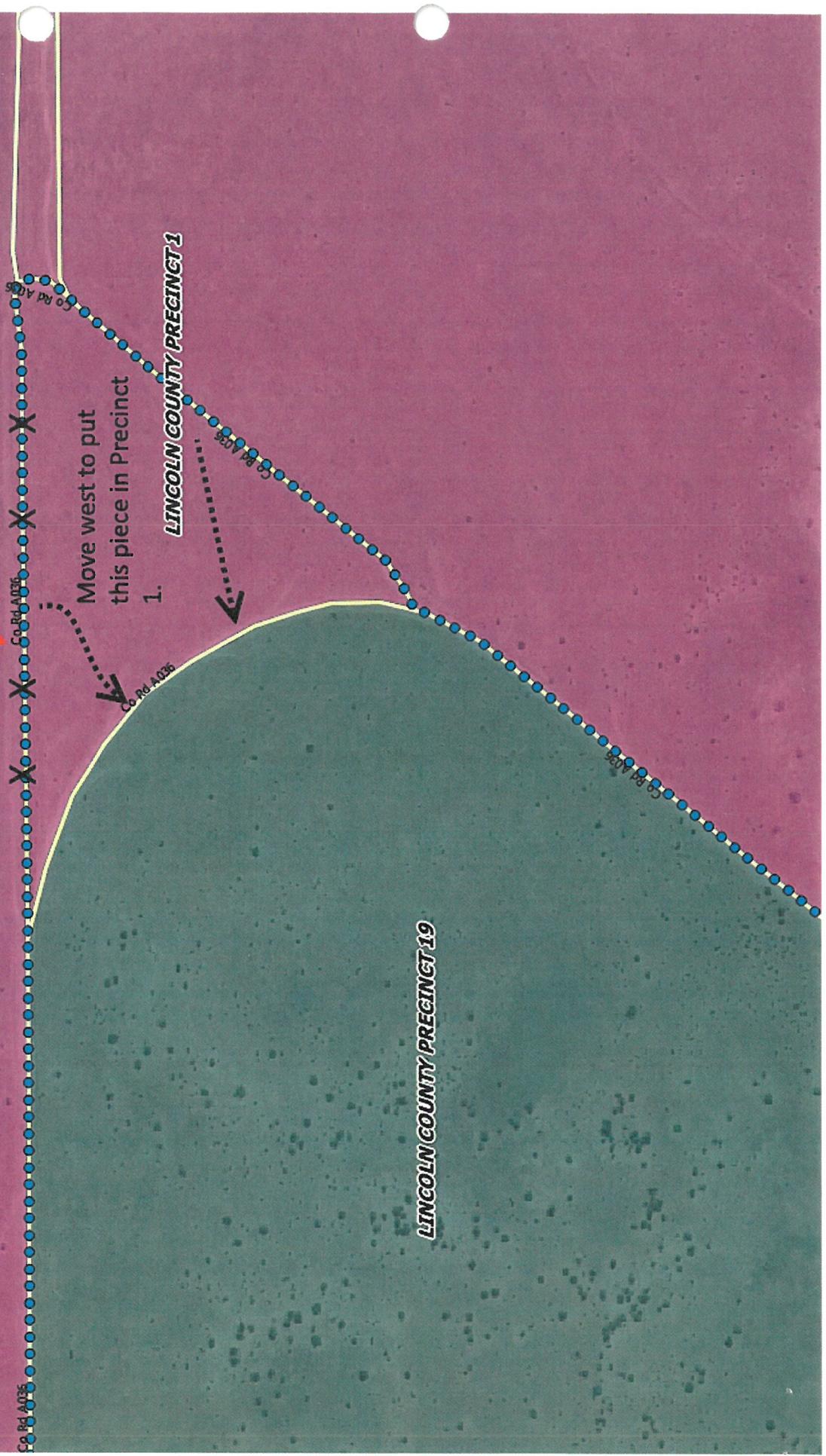
Solution: Map correction, move boundary to correct road location

Population affected: 0

Map 1

Blue dots = current precinct line
Color shading = proposed change

This road doesn't exist anymore.



1. Move west to put this piece in Precinct

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 1

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 19

Map 2

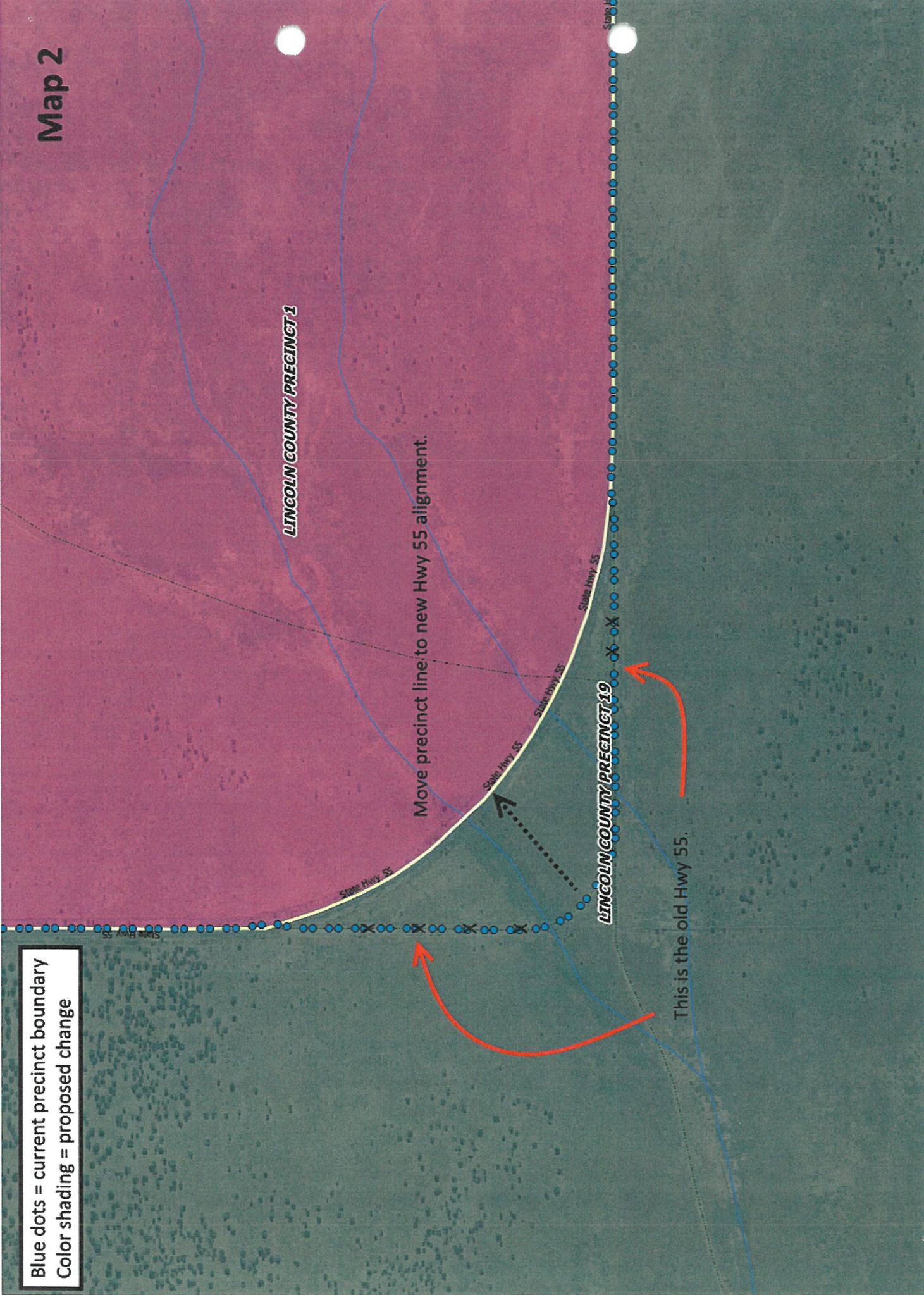
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LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 1

Move precinct line to new Hwy 55 alignment.

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 19

This is the old Hwy 55.



Map 3

This old road isn't used.

Blue dots = current precinct boundaries

Suggestion:
Move to new location of road.

Correction:
Move to new road location

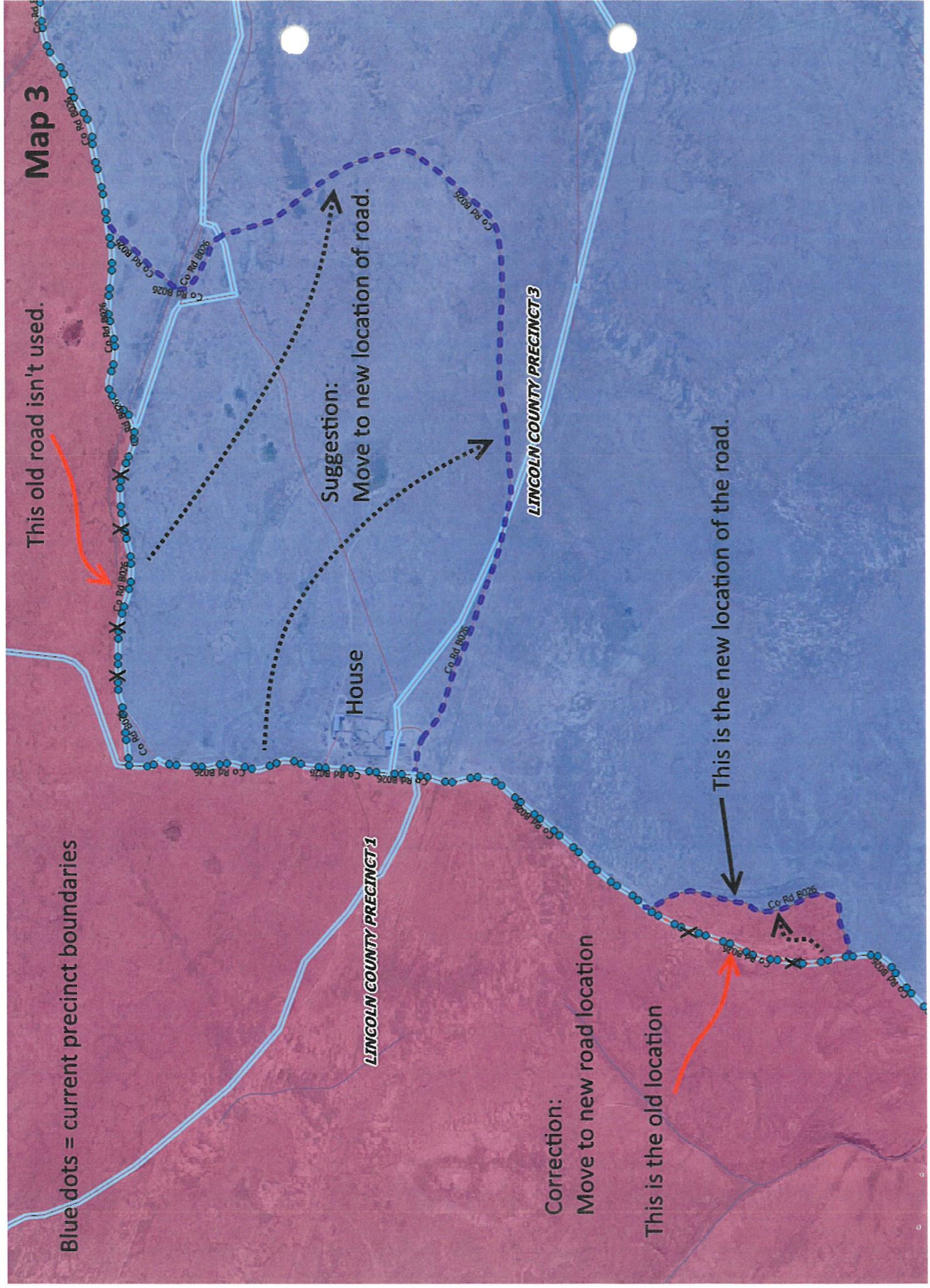
This is the old location

This is the new location of the road.

House

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 1

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 3



Map 4

Blue dots = current precinct boundary
Color shading = new precinct boundary

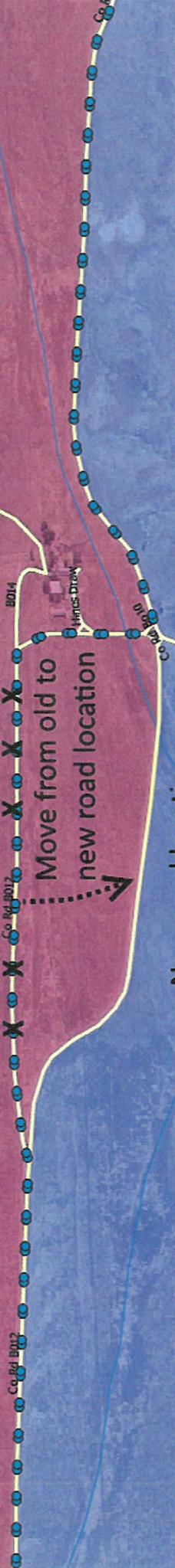
LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 3

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 3

Old road location

New road location

Move from old to
new road location

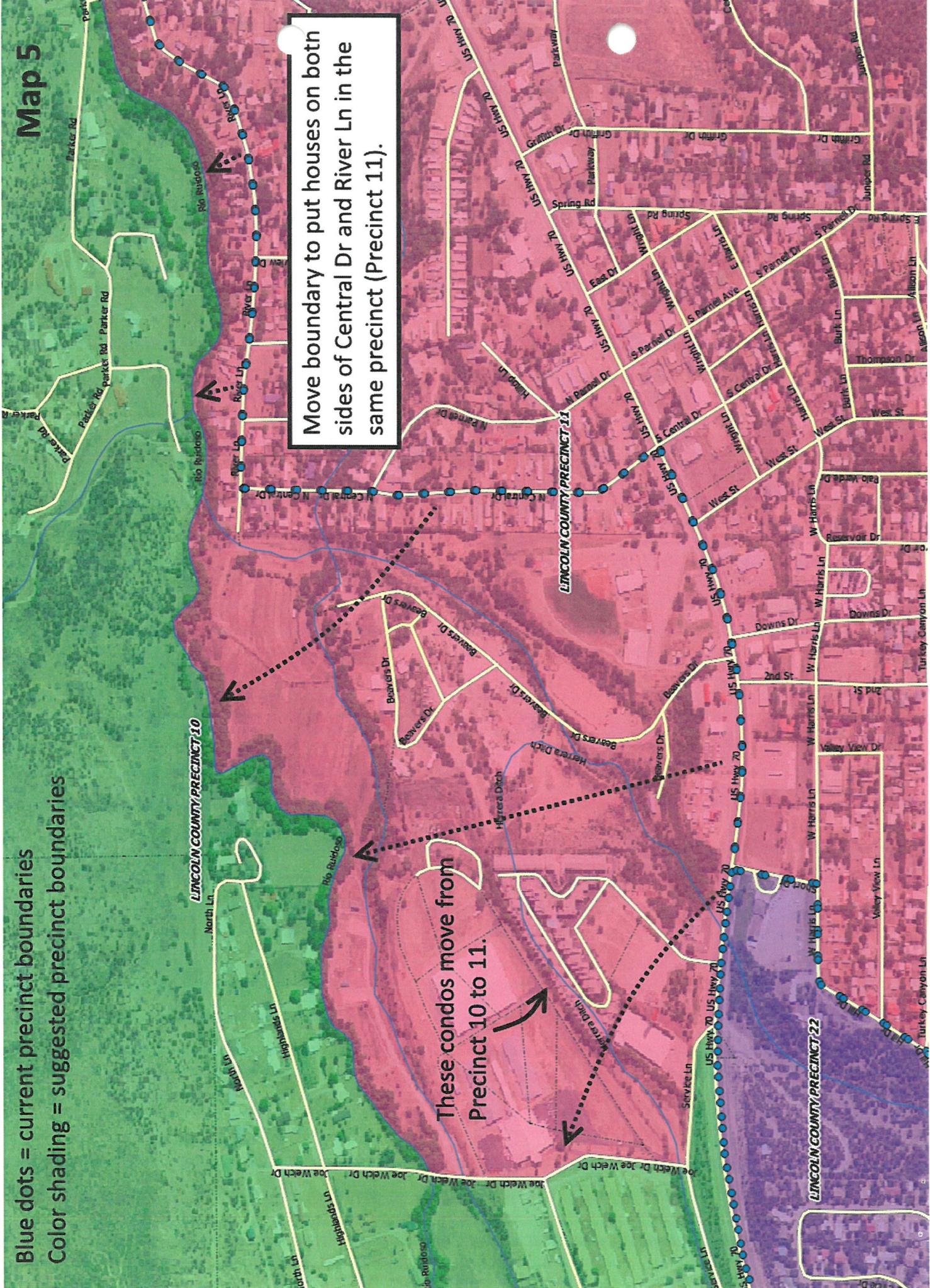


Blue dots = current precinct boundaries
Color shading = suggested precinct boundaries

Map 5

Move boundary to put houses on both sides of Central Dr and River Ln in the same precinct (Precinct 11).

These condos move from Precinct 10 to 11.



Map 6

Blue dots = current precinct boundary
Color shading = new precinct boundary

Map correction:
Move to correct Rio Ruidoso location

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 10

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 11



Map 7

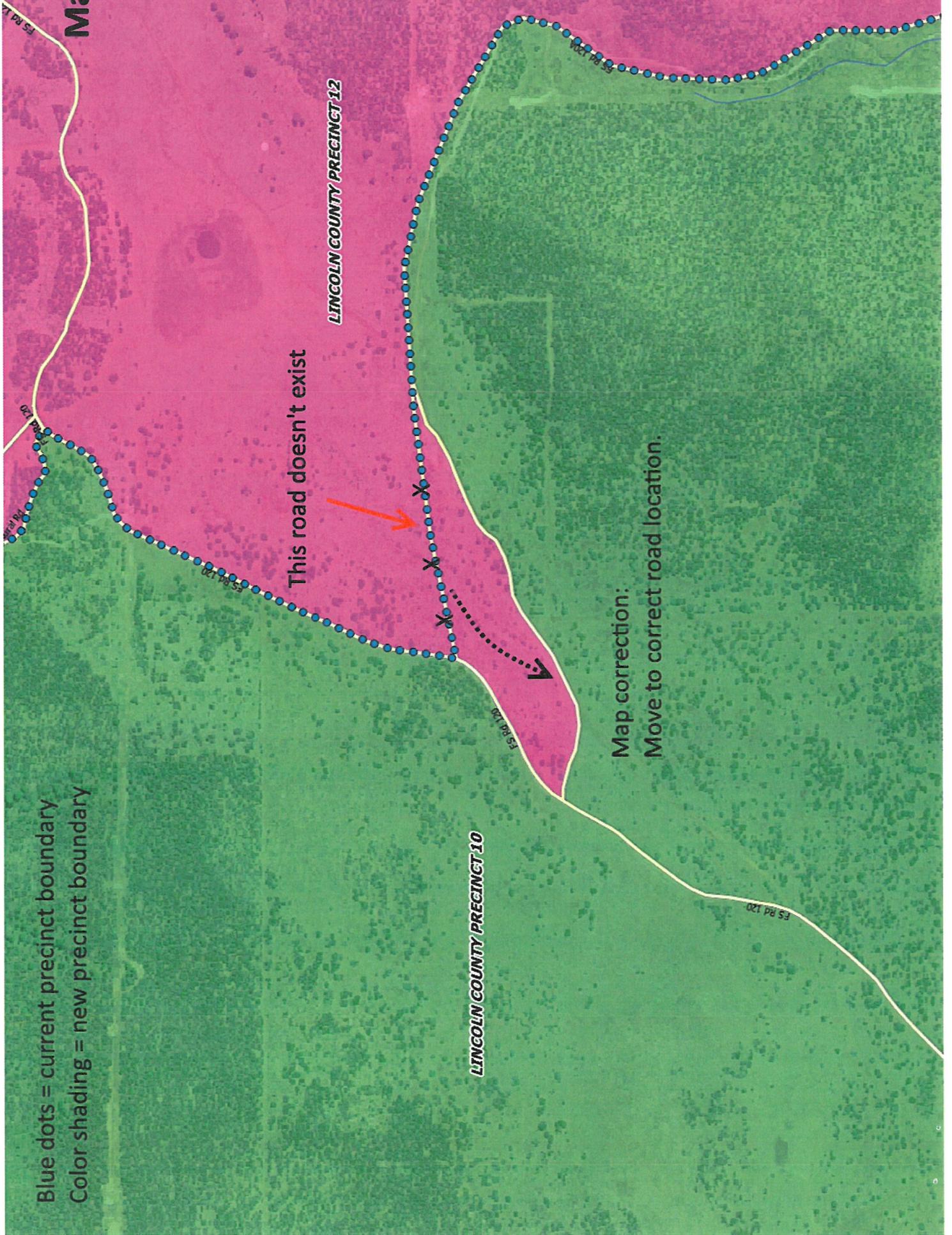
Blue dots = current precinct boundary
Color shading = new precinct boundary

This road doesn't exist

Map correction:
Move to correct road location.

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 12

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 10



Map 8

Blue dots = current precinct boundary
Color shading = proposed precinct boundary

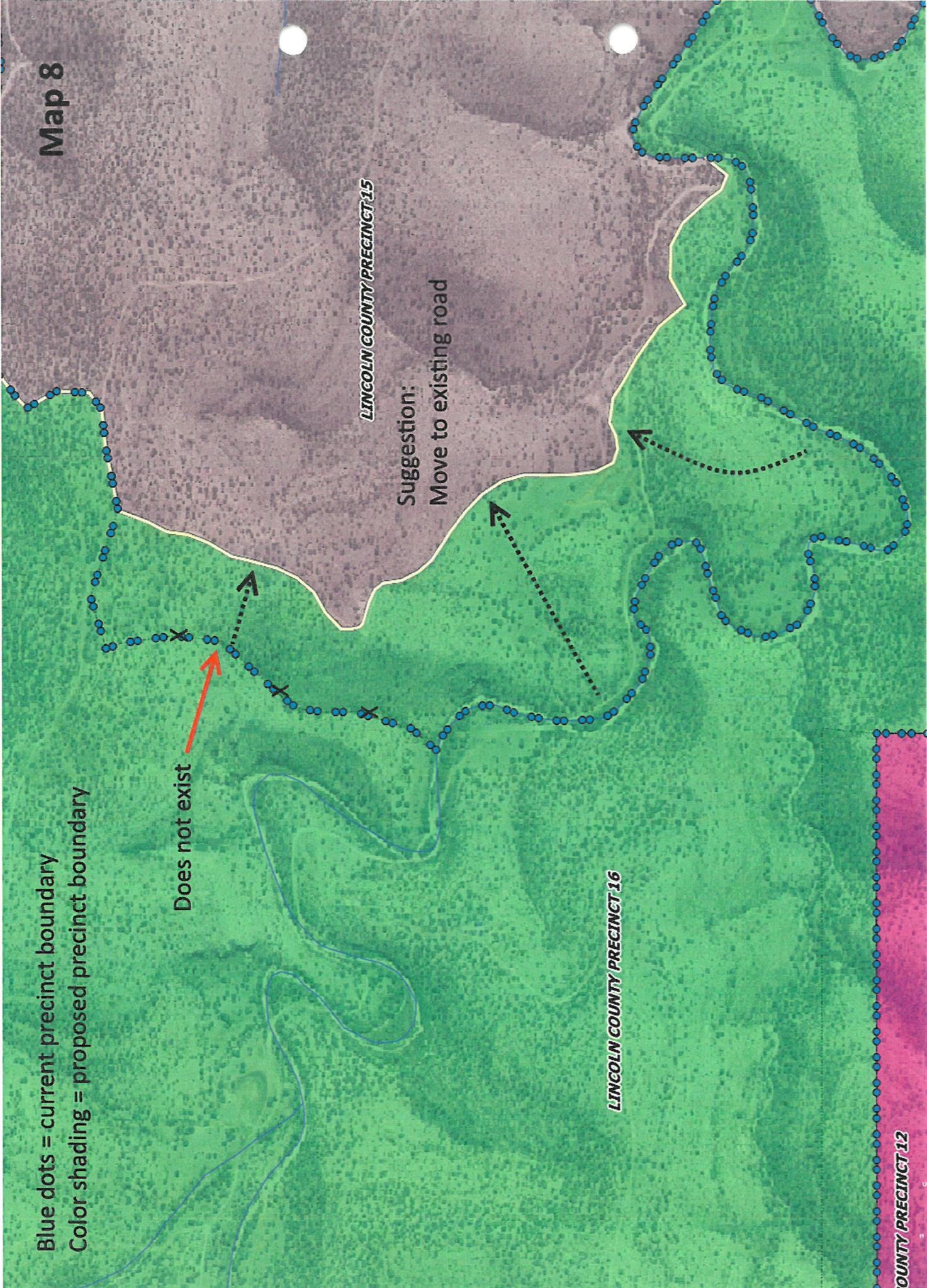
Does not exist

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 15

Suggestion:
Move to existing road

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 16

COUNTY PRECINCT 12



Map 9

Boundary confirmation needed

School district boundary according to NM Tax and Revenue

School district boundary according to Census Bureau

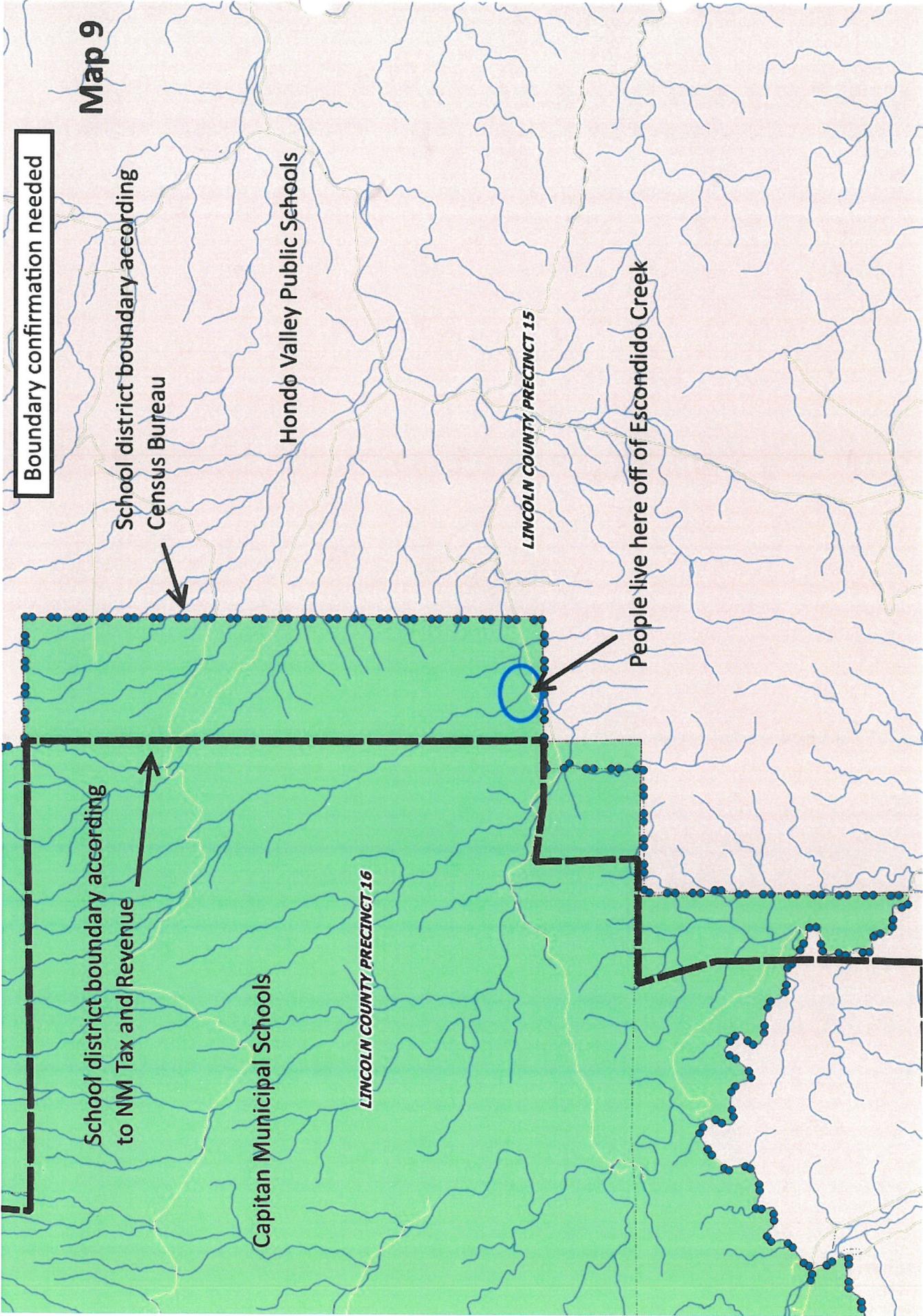
Capitan Municipal Schools

Hondo Valley Public Schools

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 16

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 15

People live here off of Escondido Creek



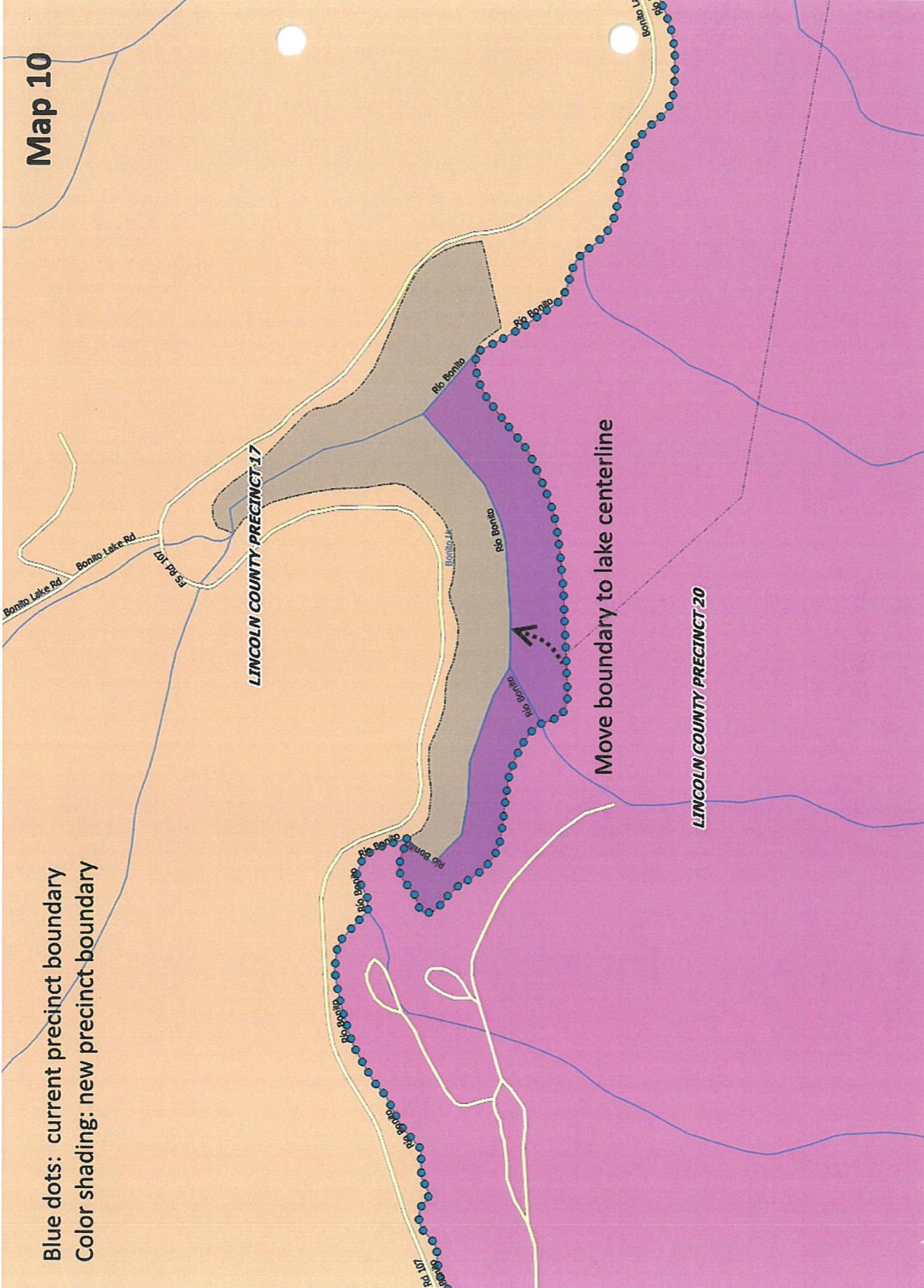
Map 10

Blue dots: current precinct boundary
Color shading: new precinct boundary

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 17

Move boundary to lake centerline

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 20



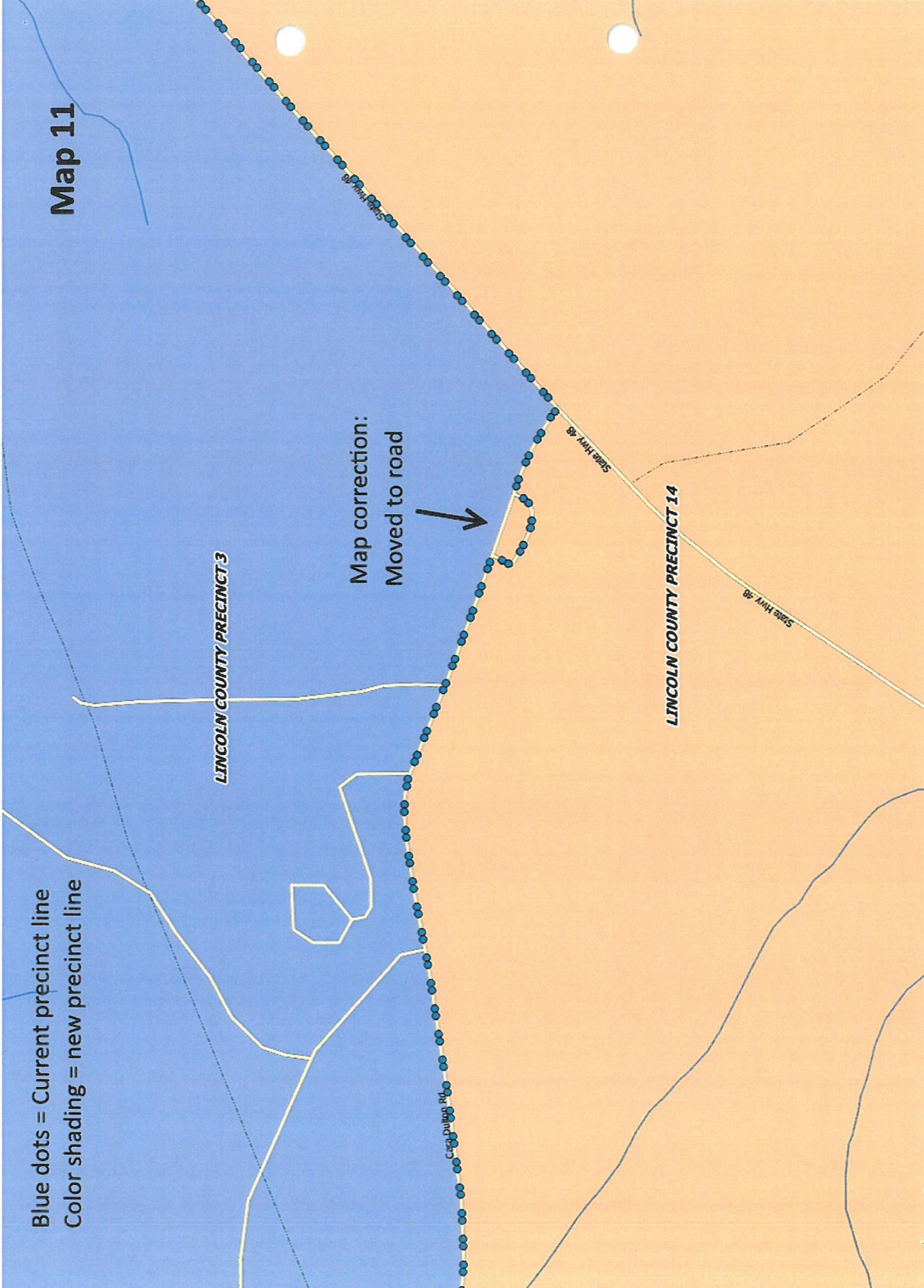
Map 11

Blue dots = Current precinct line
Color shading = new precinct line

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 3

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 14

Map correction:
Moved to road



Map 12

Blue dots = current precinct line
Color shading = corrected precinct line

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 3

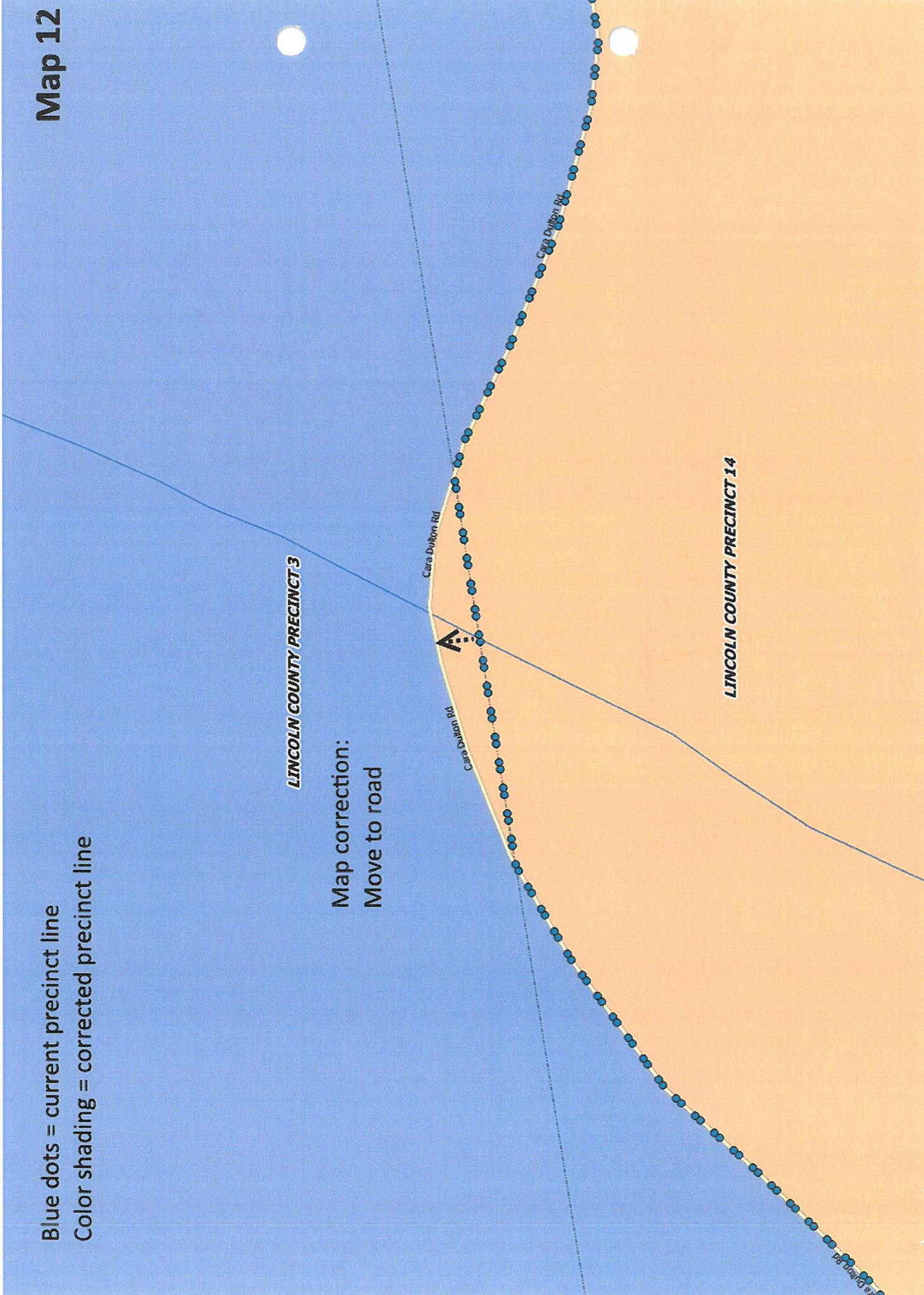
Map correction:
Move to road

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 14

Cara Dutton Rd

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Map 13

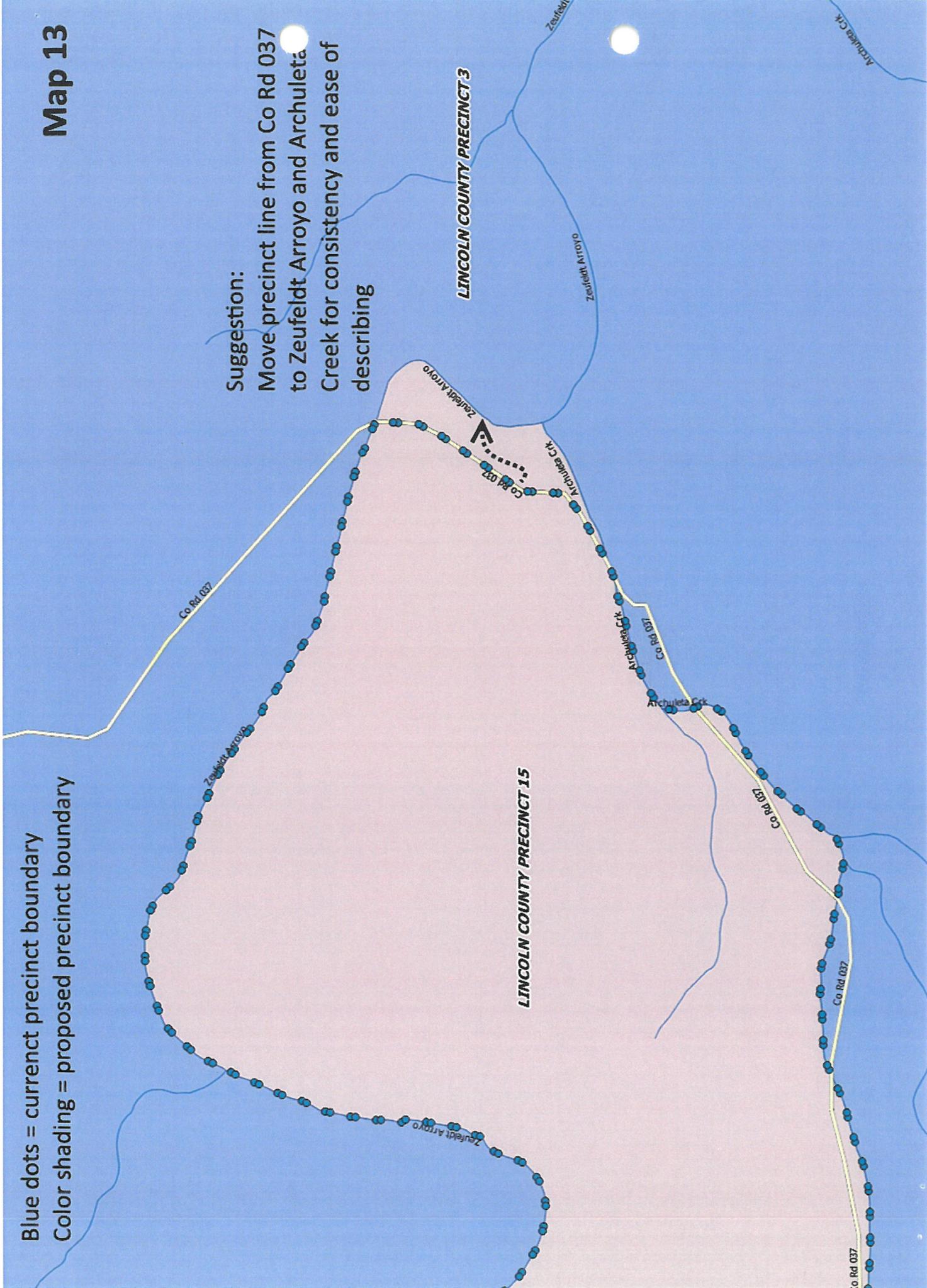
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Suggestion:

Move precinct line from Co Rd 037 to Zeufeldt Arroyo and Archuleta Creek for consistency and ease of describing

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 3

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 15



Map 14

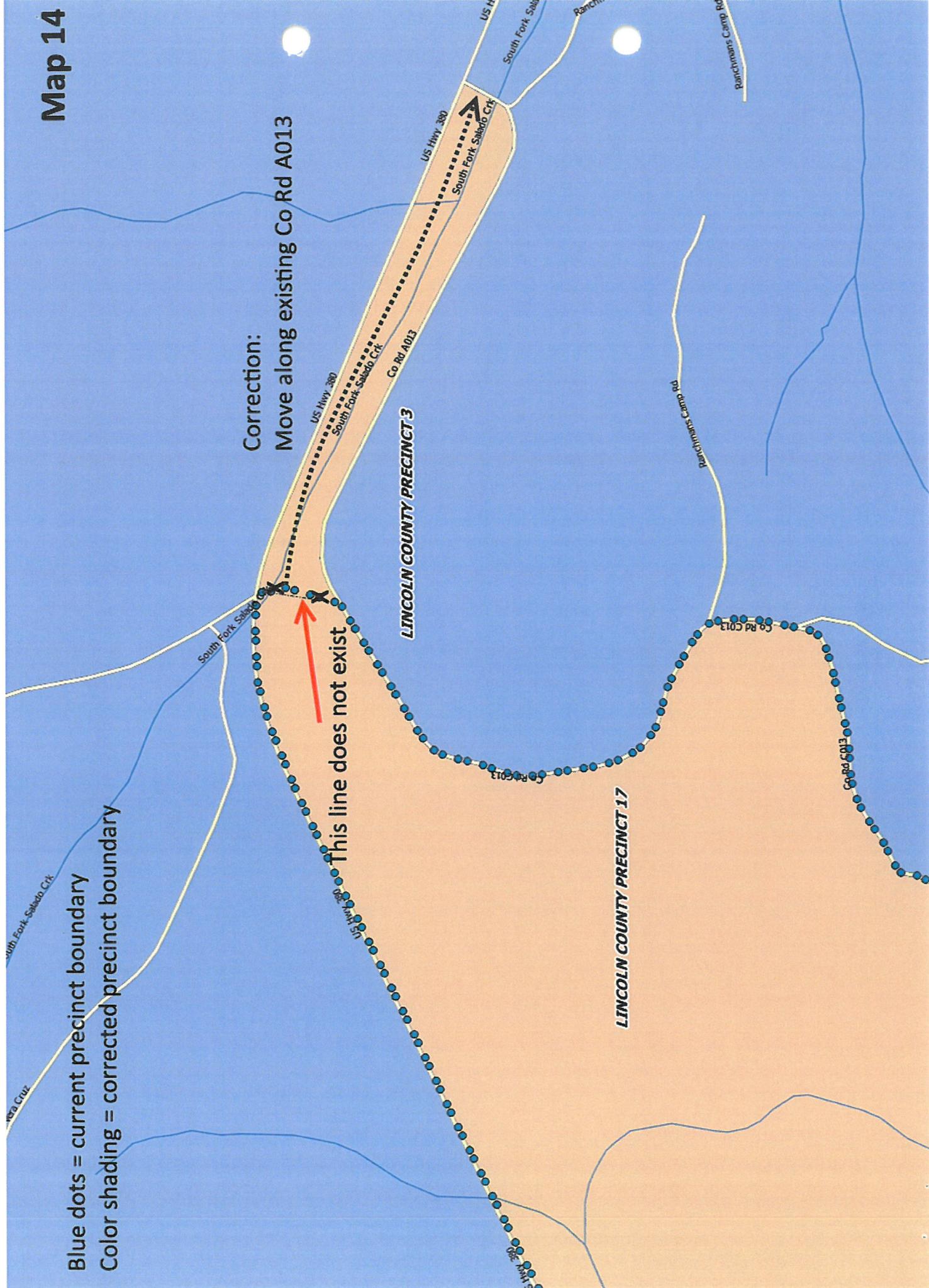
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Correction:
Move along existing Co Rd A013

This line does not exist

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 3

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 17



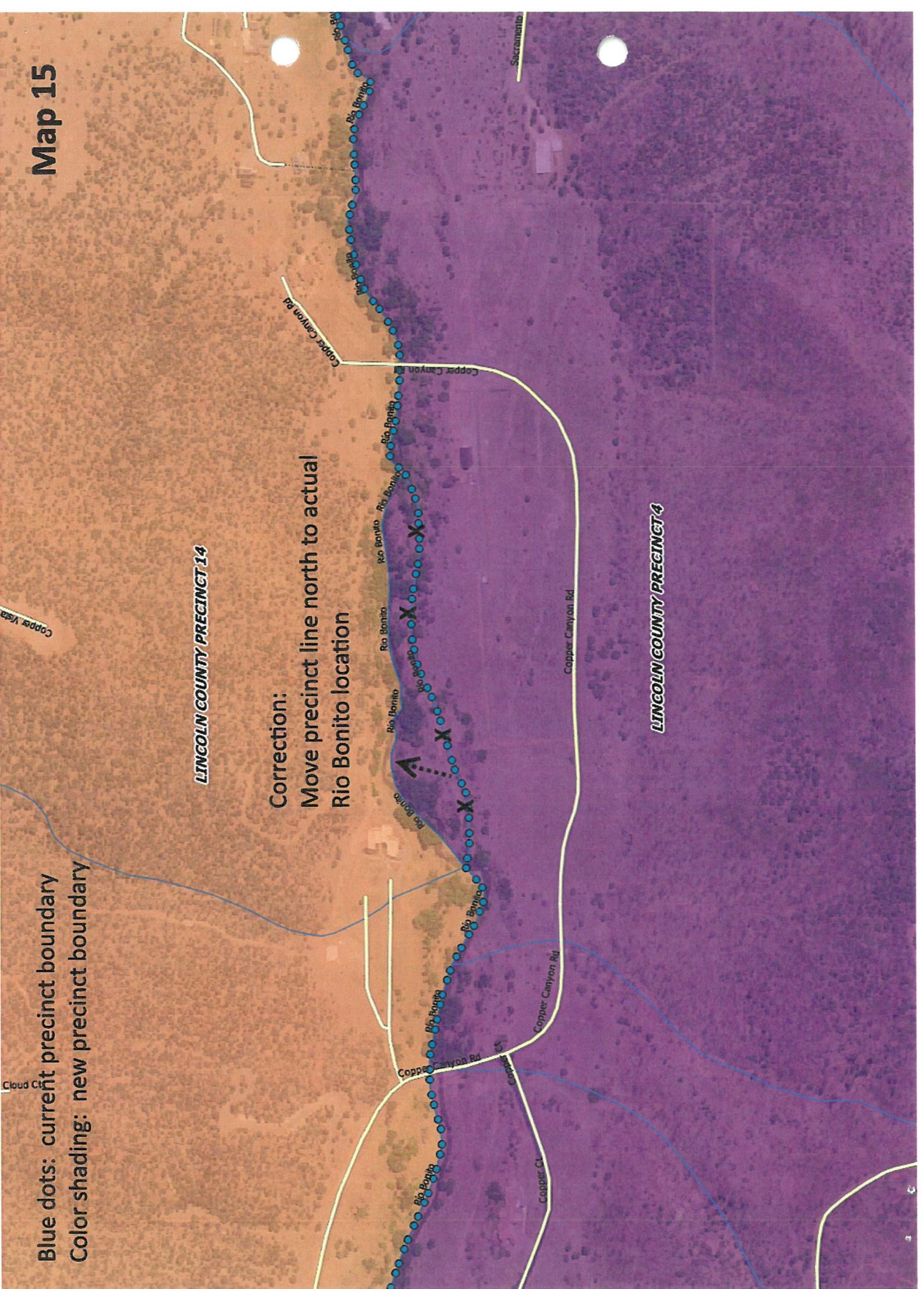
Map 15

Blue dots: current precinct boundary
Color shading: new precinct boundary

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 14

Correction:
Move precinct line north to actual
Rio Bonito location

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 4



Map 16

Blue dots = current precinct boundary
Color shading = new precinct boundary

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 14

LINCOLN COUNTY PRECINCT 4

Correction:
Move precinct line to actual
road location

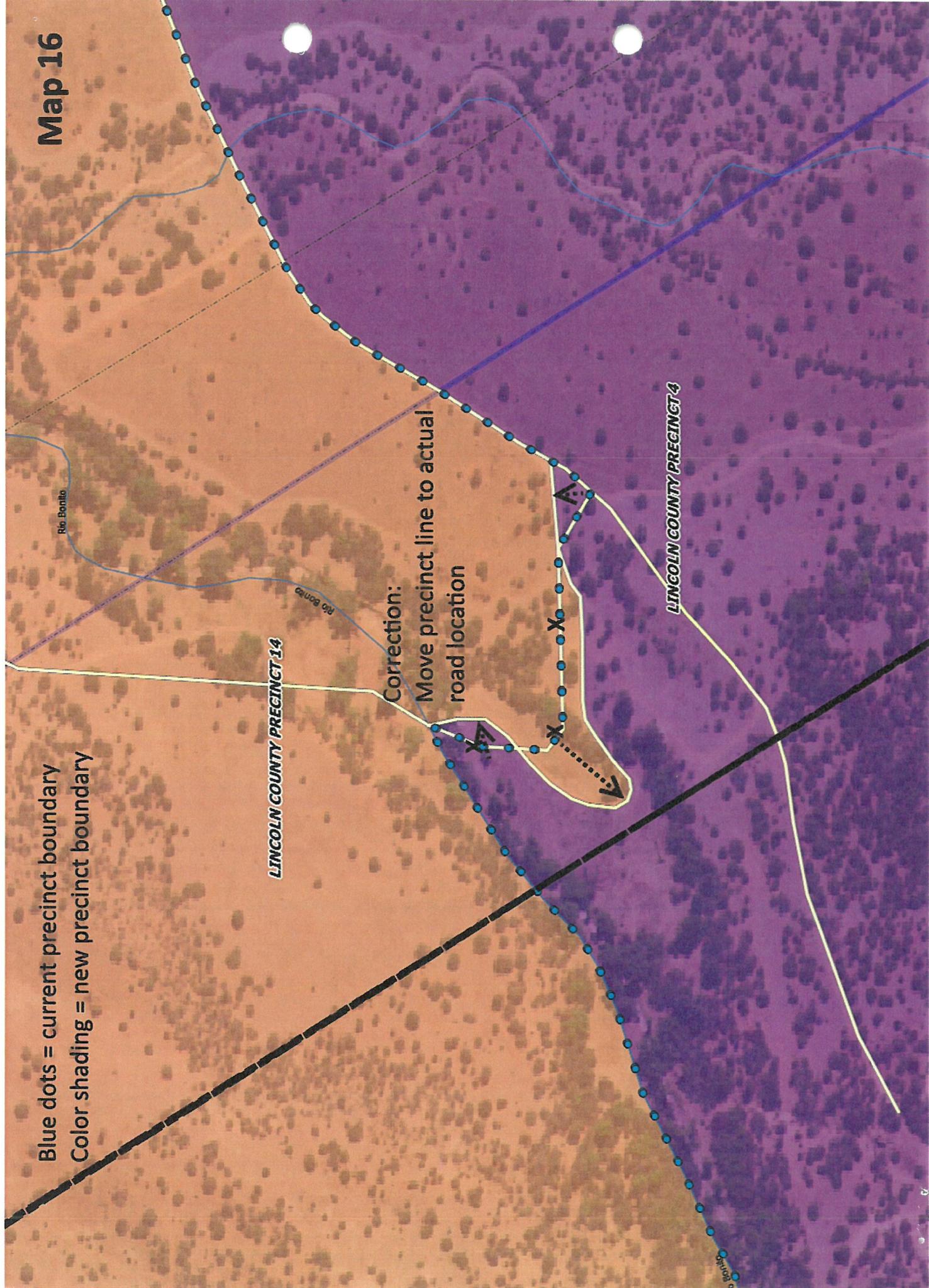
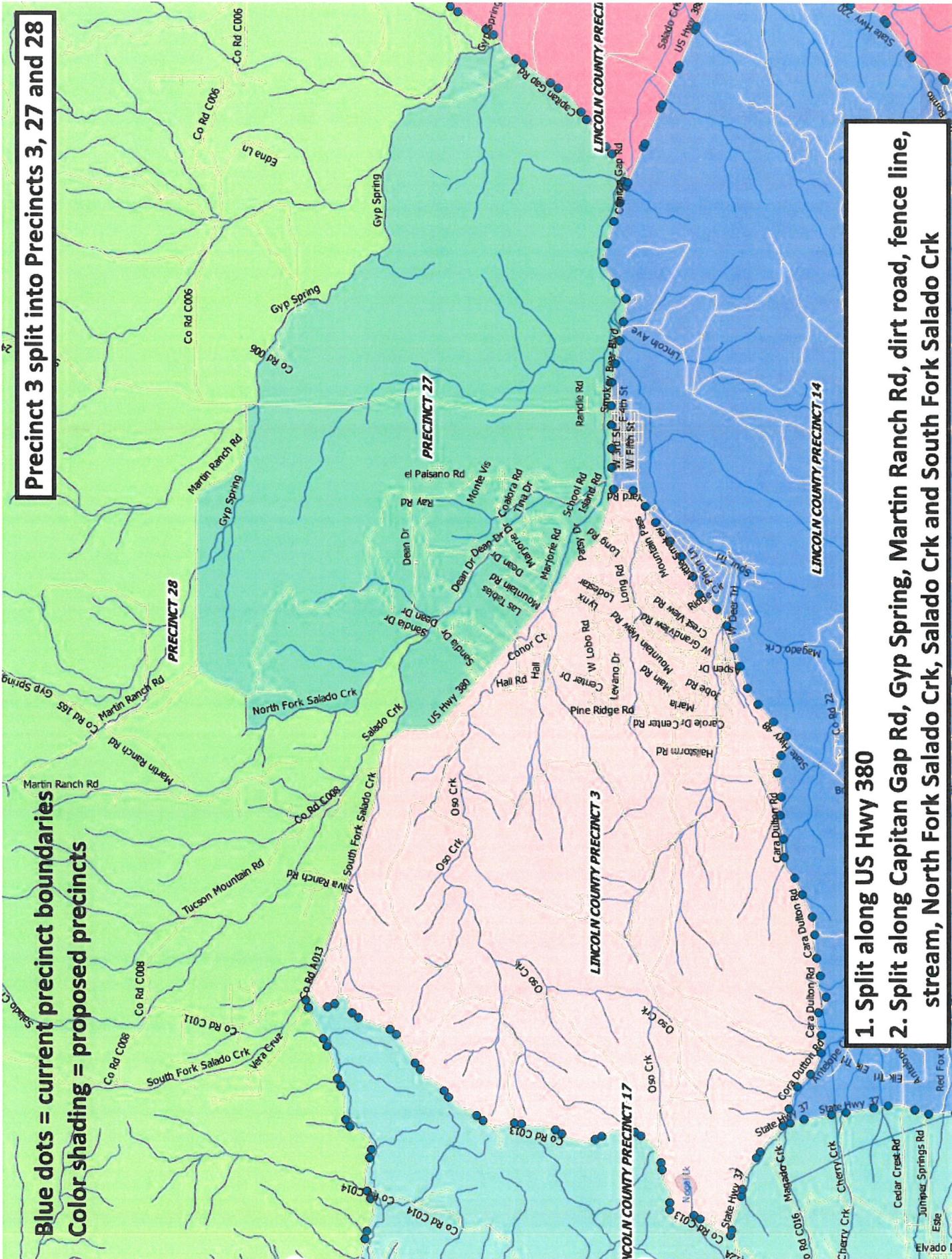


EXHIBIT B
PRECINCT SPLITS
CREATING SIX NEW PRECINCTS
EFFECTIVE FOR
REDISTRICTING 2021



Precinct 3 split into Precincts 3, 27 and 28

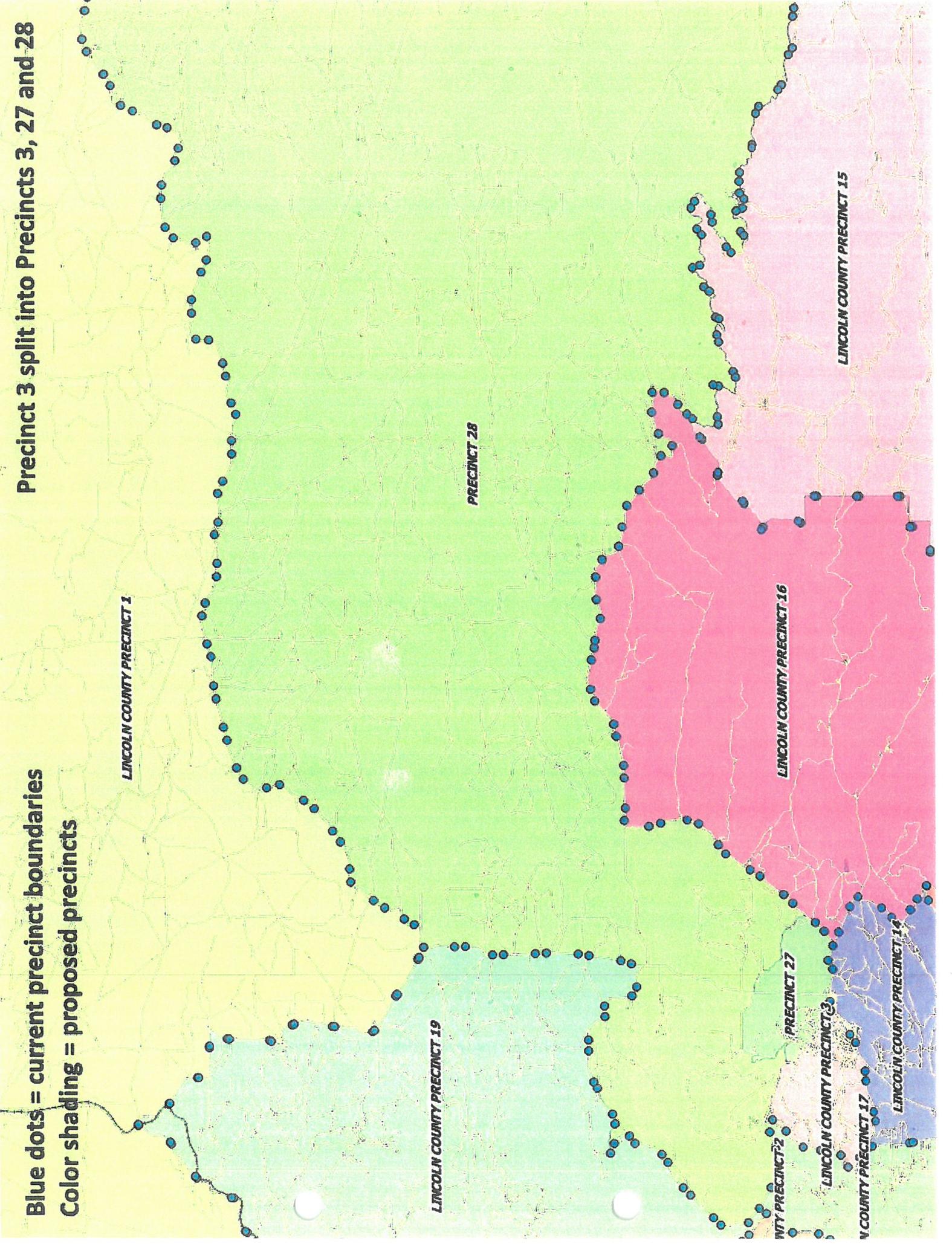
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1. Split along US Hwy 380
2. Split along Capitan Gap Rd, Gyp Spring, Martin Ranch Rd, dirt road, fence line, stream, North Fork Salado Crk, Salado Crk and South Fork Salado Crk

Precinct 3 split into Precincts 3, 27 and 28

Blue dots = current precinct boundaries

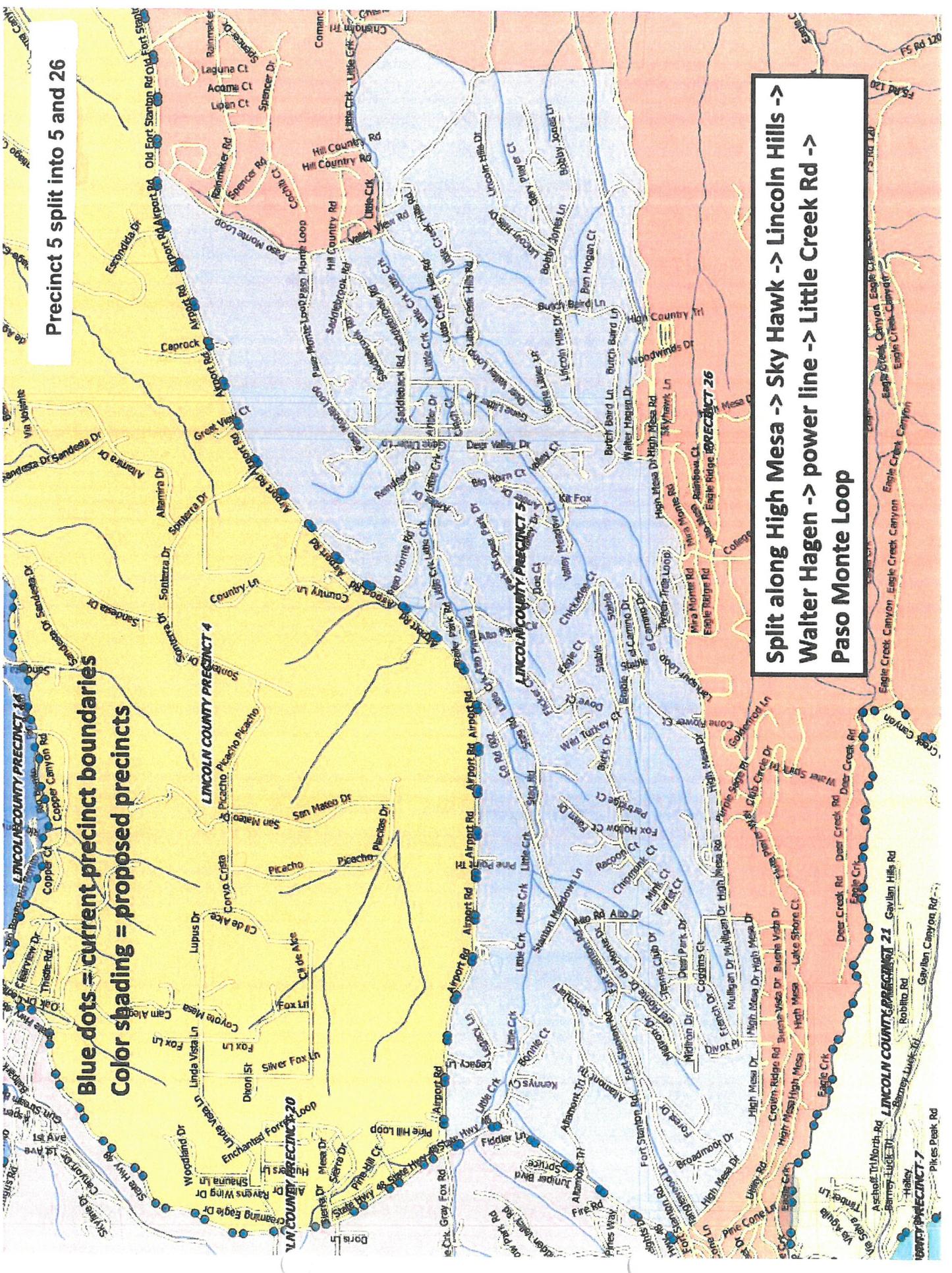
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Precinct 5 split into 5 and 26

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Color shading = proposed precincts

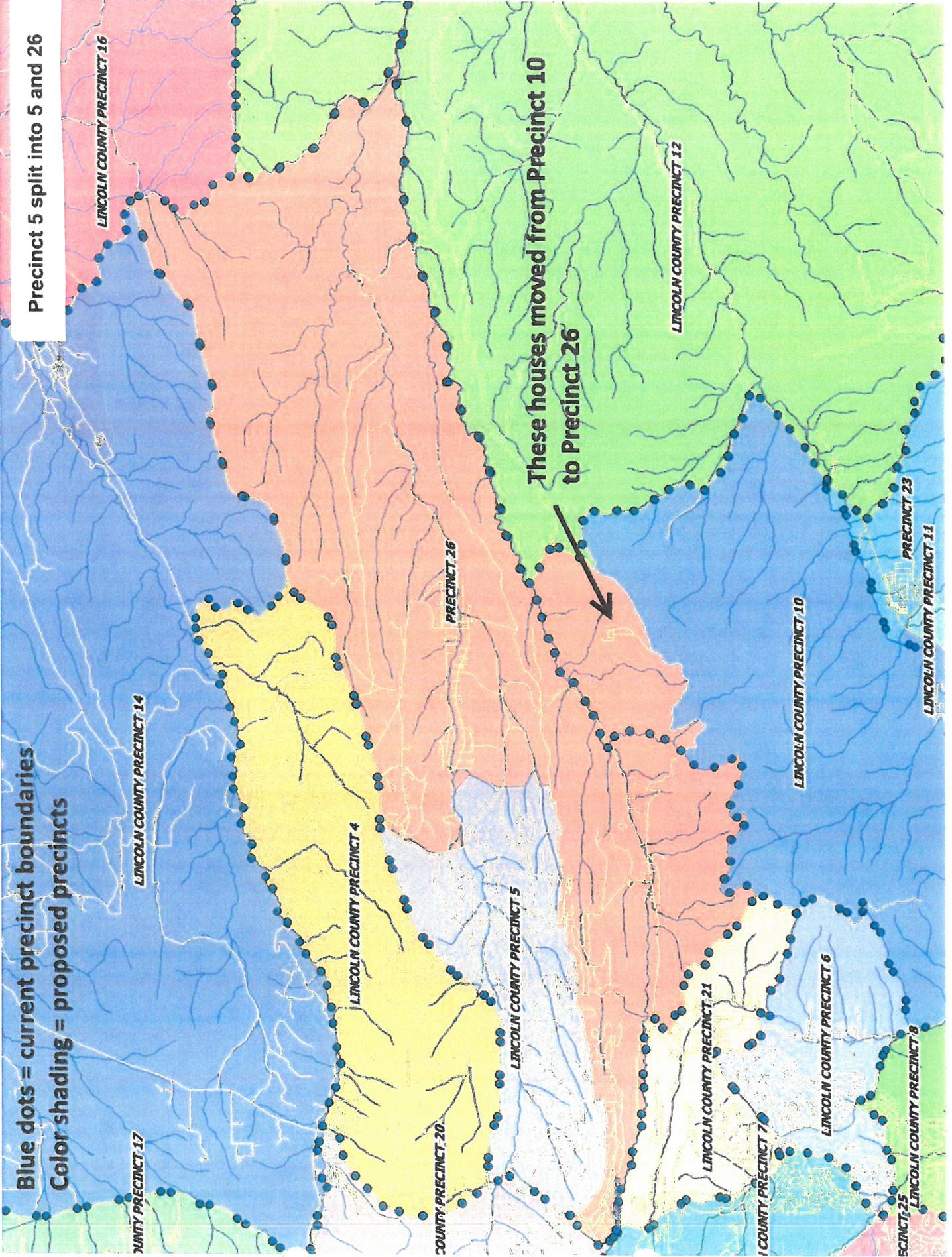
Split along High Mesa -> Sky Hawk -> Lincoln Hills ->
Walter Hagen -> power line -> Little Creek Rd ->
Paso Monte Loop



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Color shading = proposed precincts

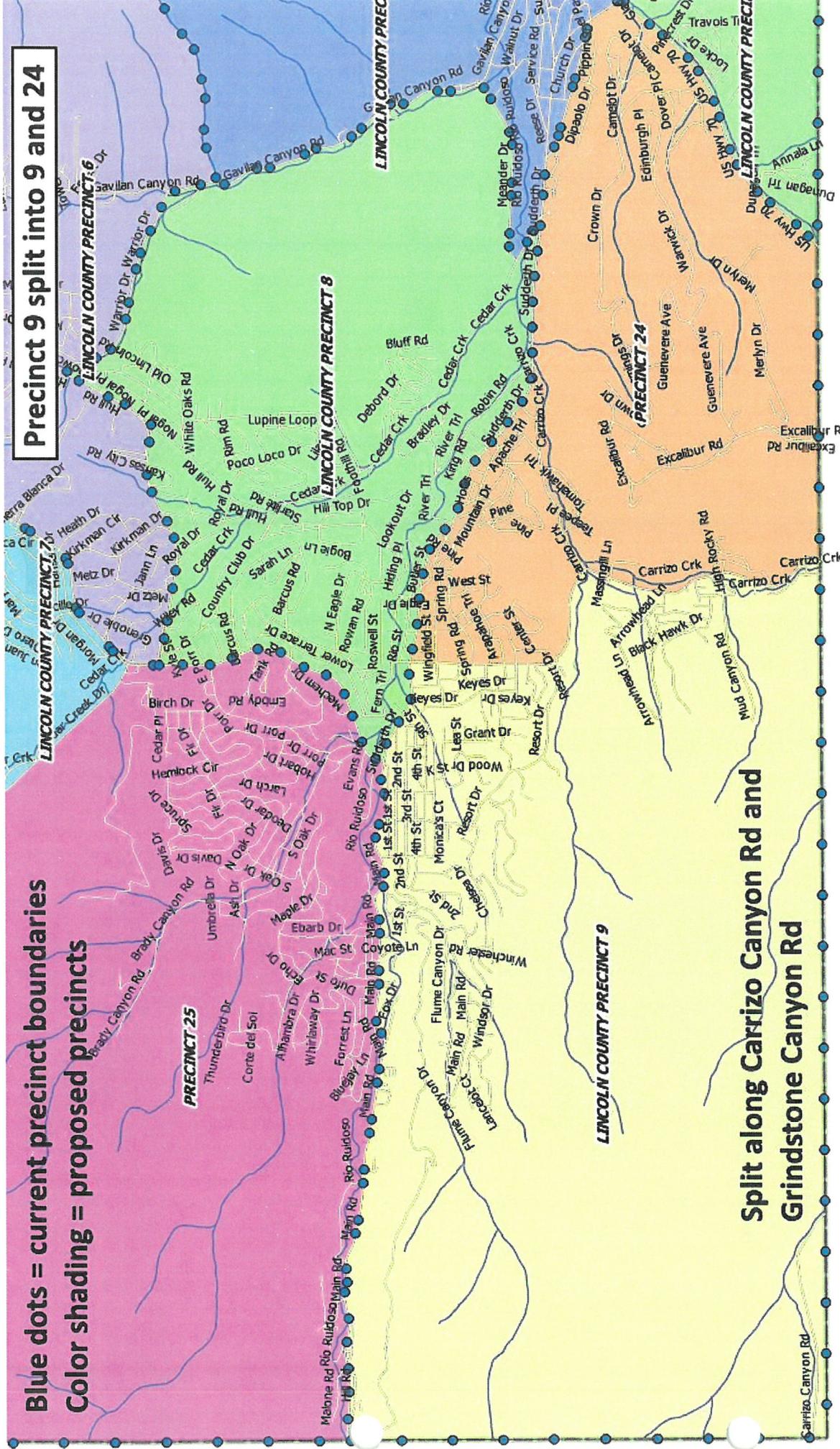
Precinct 5 split into 5 and 26

These houses moved from Precinct 10 to Precinct 26



Precinct 9 split into 9 and 24

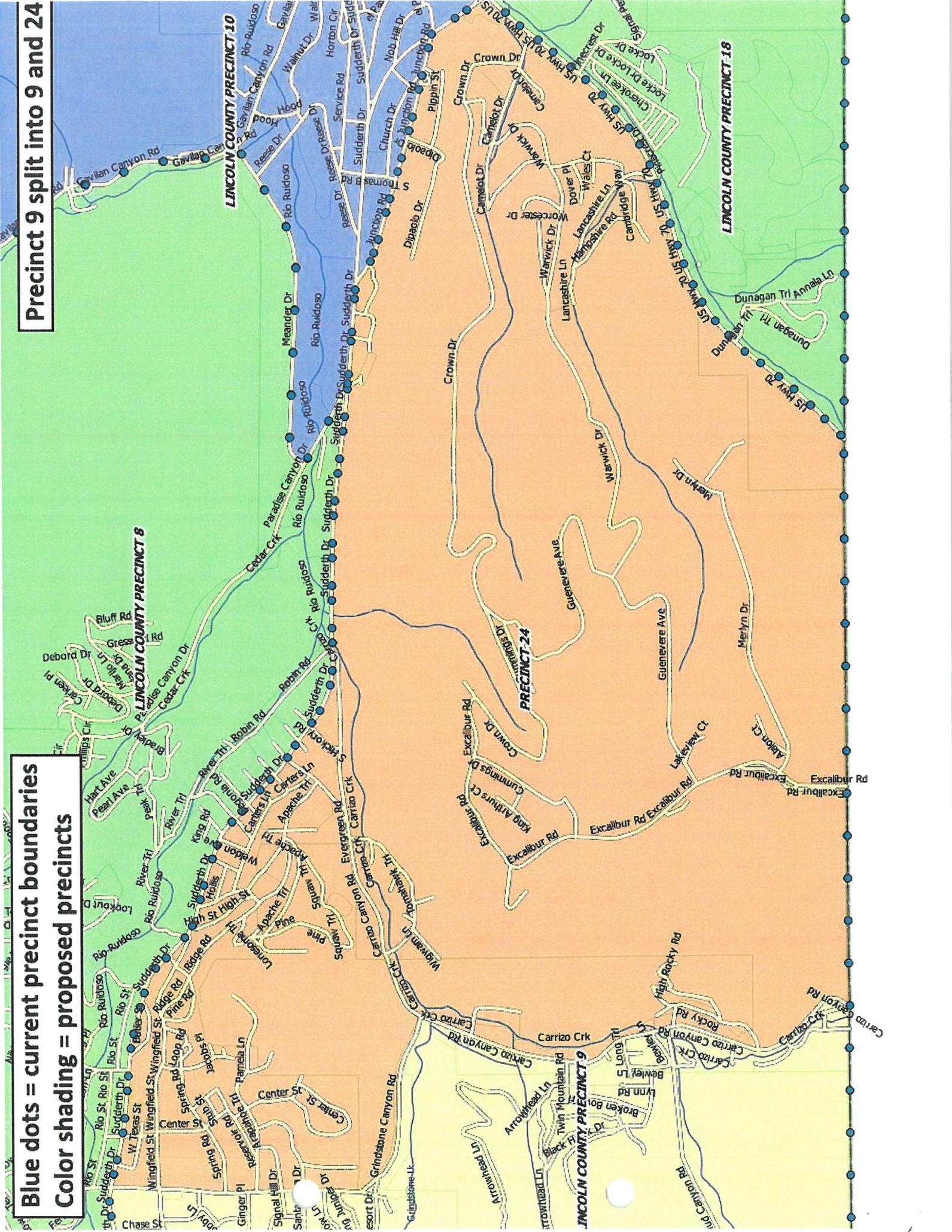
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**Split along Carrizo Canyon Rd and
Grindstone Canyon Rd**

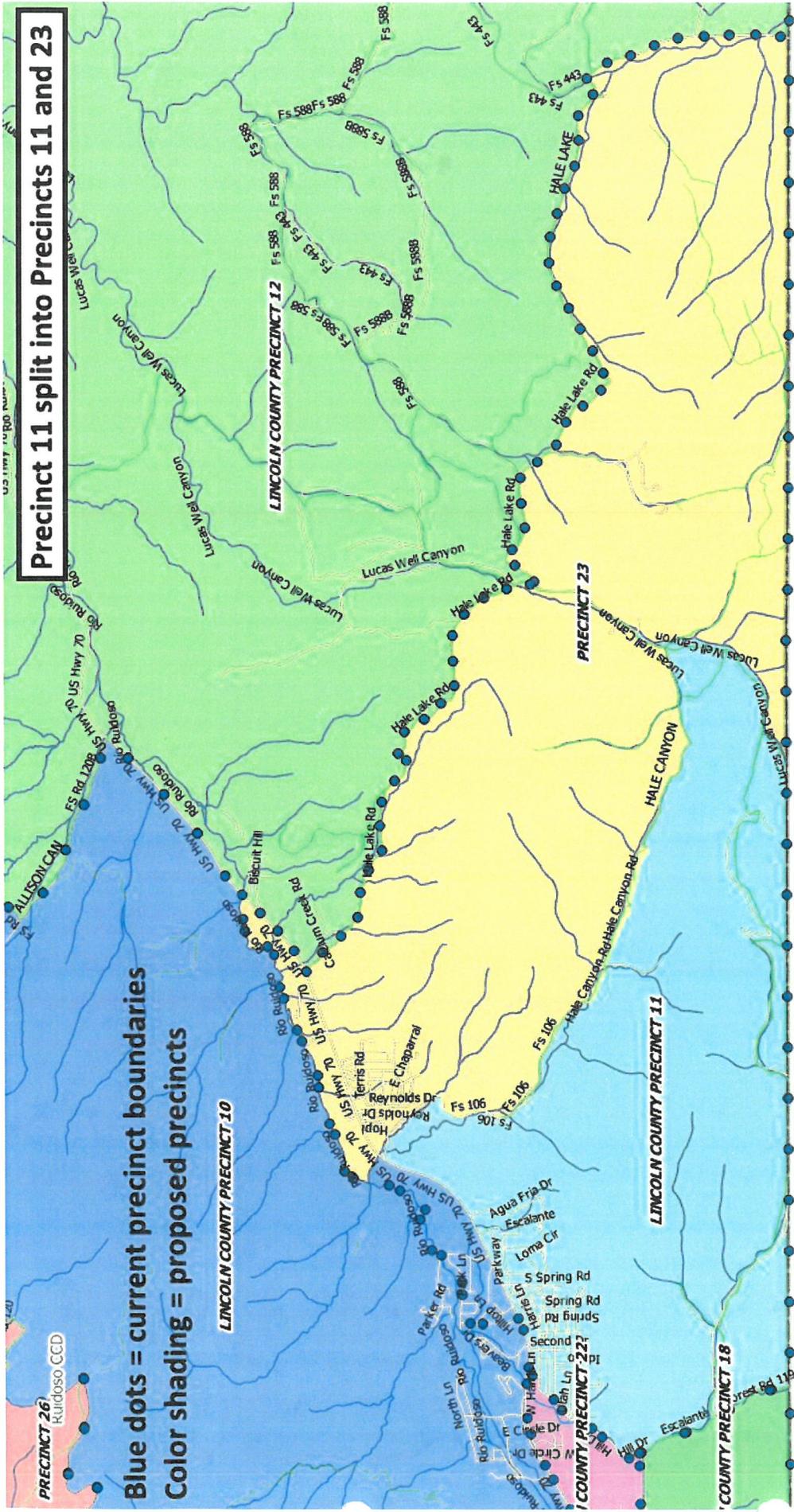
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Precinct 9 split into 9 and 24



Precinct 11 split into Precincts 11 and 23

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Split along Lucas Well Canyon, Hale Canyon Rd/Forest Service Rd 106, stream