

HIGH SCHOOL BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT STUDY

**Community Outreach Meeting November 3, 2025** 

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#### **AGENDA**

Welcome

Why are Boundary Adjustments Needed?

How are School Boundaries Established?

Recommended Community Boundary Adjustment

What are the Next Steps?

 Gathering Community Feedback (Small Group Sessions)

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# WHY ARE BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS NEEDED?

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#### **IUSD BOARD POLICY**



#### **Board Policy 7112**

- Recommends average enrollment of 2,200 students per high school
- Limits peak enrollment to 3,200 students per high school

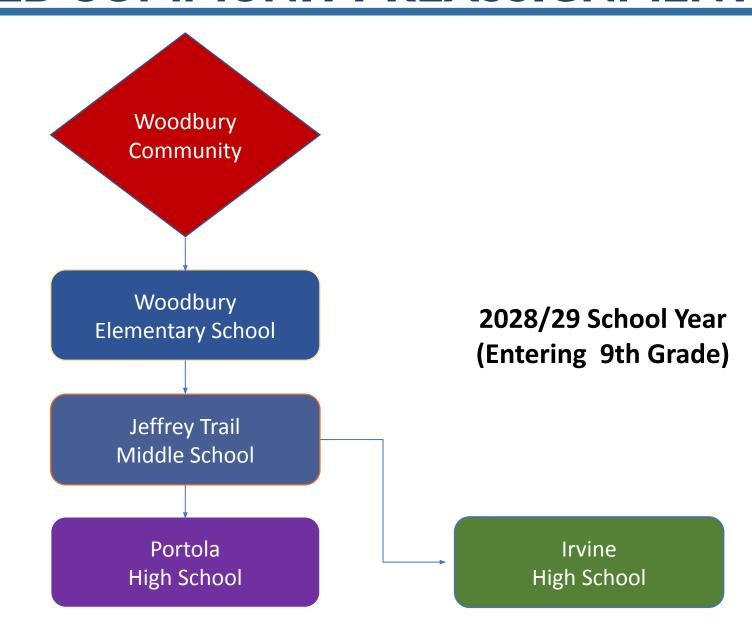
#### **Board Policy Rationale**

- Allows targeted student support and well-being
- Balances student opportunity with appropriate levels of competition
- Promotes campus and community identity and safety
- Ensures that programs are manageable and appropriate for the facilities and neighborhood

#### RECOMMENDED COMMUNITY REASSIGNMENT



2025/26 School Year





# HOW ARE SCHOOL BOUNDARIES ESTABLISHED?

#### **IUSD'S ENROLLMENT PROJECTION PROCESS**

- Gather Current Data
  - Existing Enrollment
  - Historical Trends
  - Proposed Housing and Developments
- Forecast Utilizing the Data
  - Cohort Age Through
  - Residential Impact Models
  - Open Enrollment
  - Geographic Information Software
- Refine the Model
  - Review by Demographers and Administrators
  - Scenario Planning

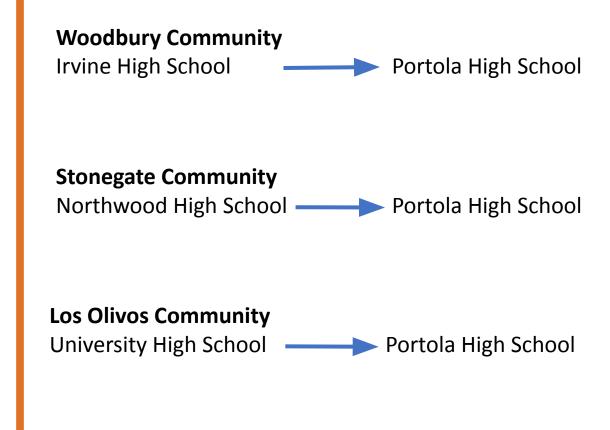
#### **HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE BOUNDARY**



#### HISTORY

- Board of Education approved community reassignments to ensure that Portola High School reached targeted enrollment
- Projections showed that if <u>all</u> future homes were built, Portola High School would meet and <u>exceed</u> 3,600 students by school year 2022
- While future units were planned, there was uncertainty regarding when and if they would ultimately be built

#### **Community Reassignments**



#### **HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE BOUNDARY**



#### <u> ĿĮĮĮŦ</u>ORY

- To reduce projected enrollment at Portola High School, the Board of Education approved the reassignment of two communities to their prior high school assignment
- Projections showed that if future homes were built, Portola High School would meet and exceed 3,100 students by 2027

#### **Community Reassignments**

**Woodbury Community** 

No change

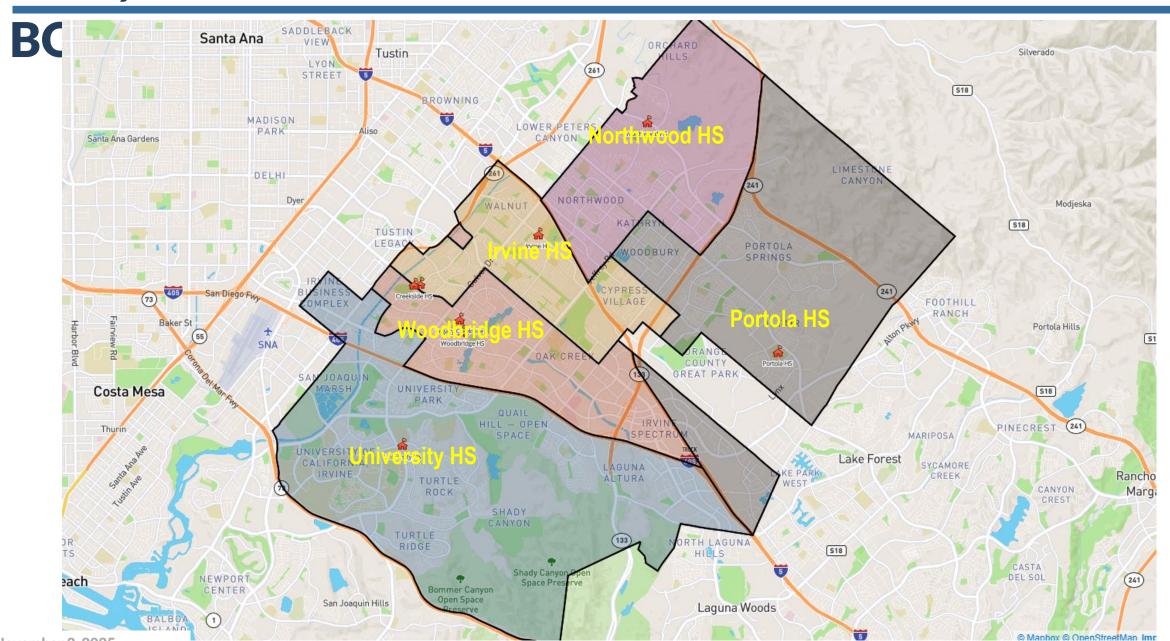
#### **Stonegate Community**

Portola High School — Northwood High School

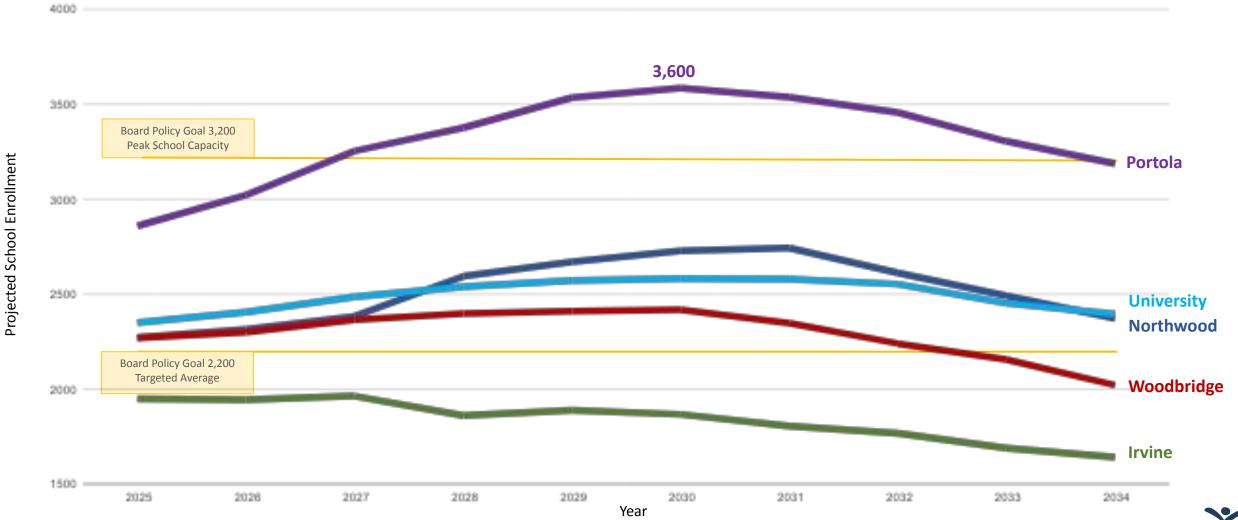
#### **Los Olivos Community**

Portola High School University High School

#### 2025/26 HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

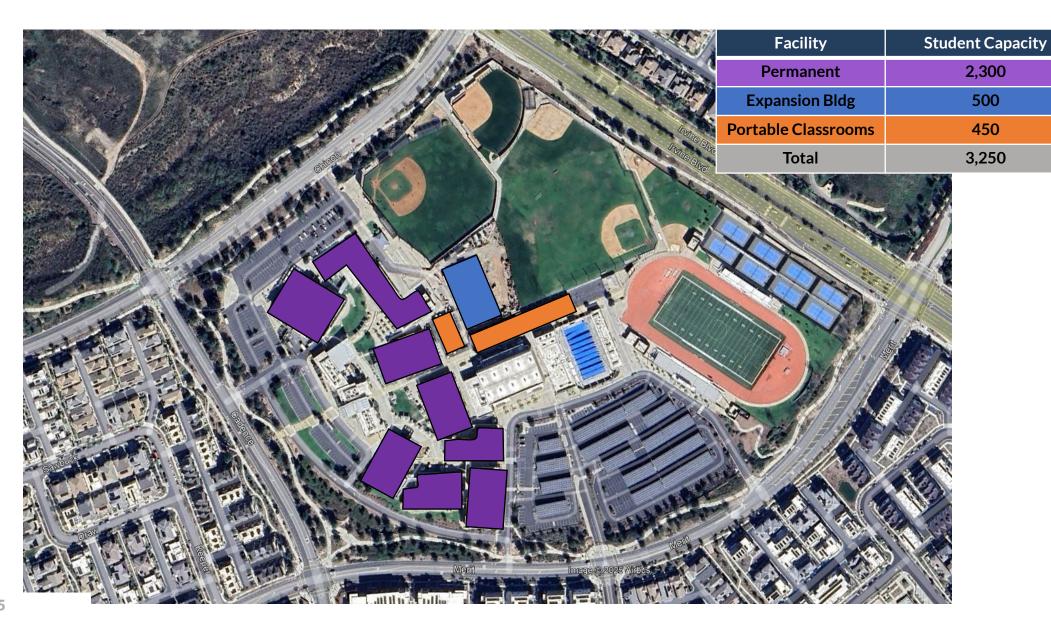


## CURRENT HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE BOUNDARIES ENROLLMENT PROJECTIONS





#### PORTOLA HIGH SCHOOL CAPACITY



#### **IMPACT TO EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM**



- Decreased Safety and Student Wellness
  - Increased Traffic and Parking Limitations
  - Emergency Planning and Response Challenges
  - Targeted Student Supports
- Opportunity Loss for Students
  - Athletics, Performing Arts, CTE, Leadership and Specialized Facilities
- Negative Community Impact
  - Increased Traffic
  - Overcrowding Local Businesses



### RECOMMENDED COMMUNITY BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT

#### RECOMMENDED COMMUNITY REASSIGNMENT



#### <u> 2025</u>

- To reduce projected enrollment at Portola High School, it is recommended to reassign the Woodbury community to its prior high school assignment
- Applies to all students (6th grade and younger) who live in the Woodbury attendance area
- Implementation begins with the 2028/29 school year

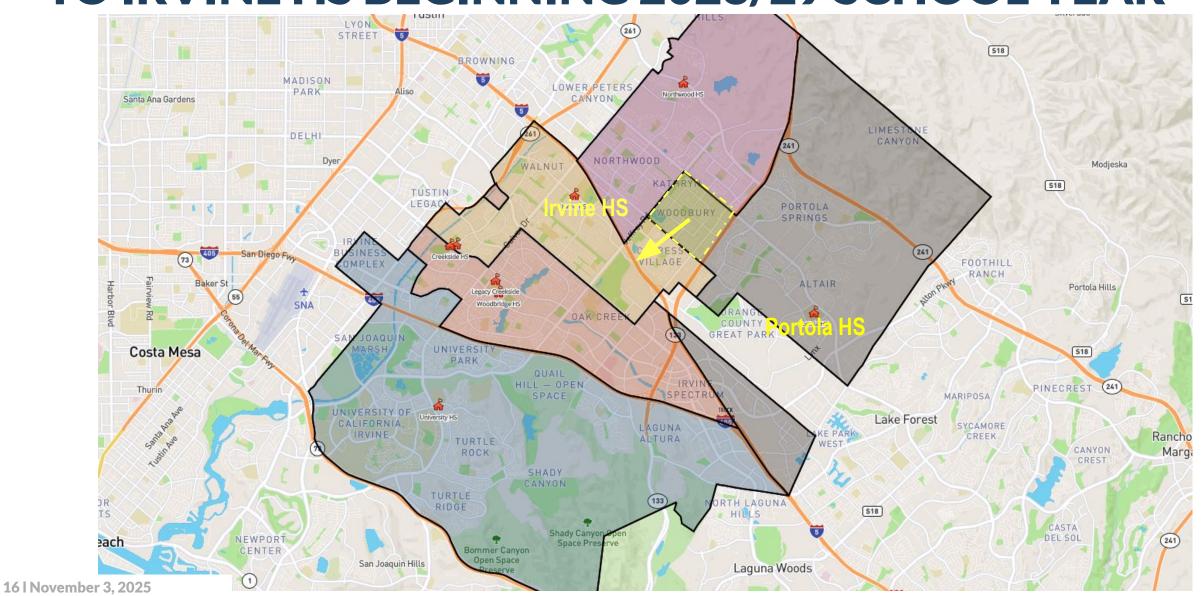
#### **Community Reassignments**

Woodbury Community
Portola High School ———— Irvine High School

**Stonegate Community**No Change

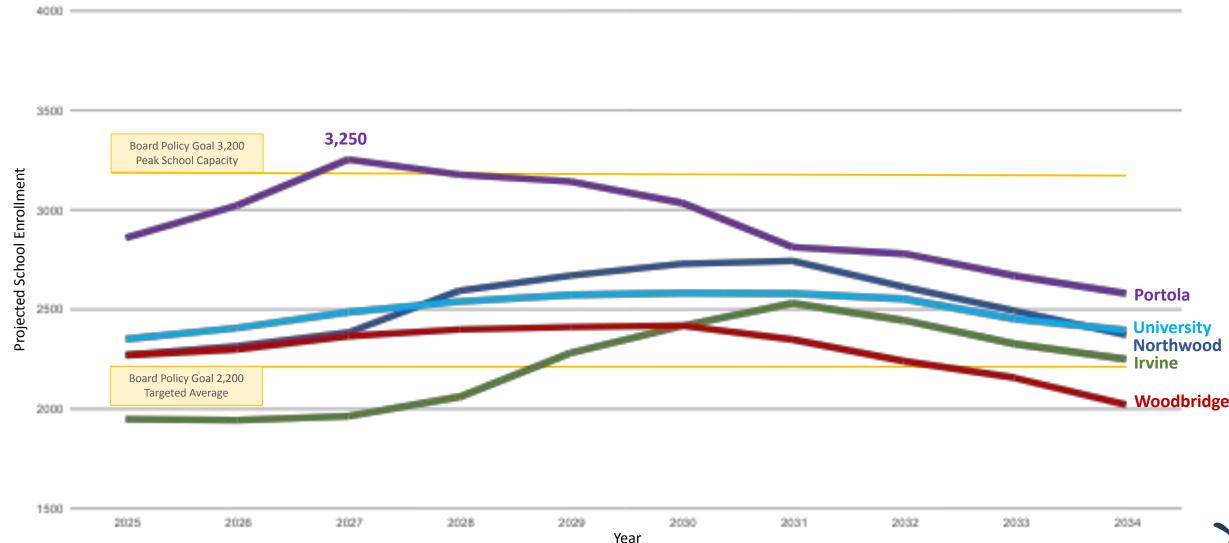
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## RECOMMENDATION: WOODBURY COMMUNITY TO IRVINE HS BEGINNING 2028/29 SCHOOL YEAR





## RECOMMENDATION: WOODBURY COMMUNITY TO IRVINE HS BEGINNING 9 th GRADE FALL 2028







# CONSIDERATION S FOR SCHOOL SELECTION

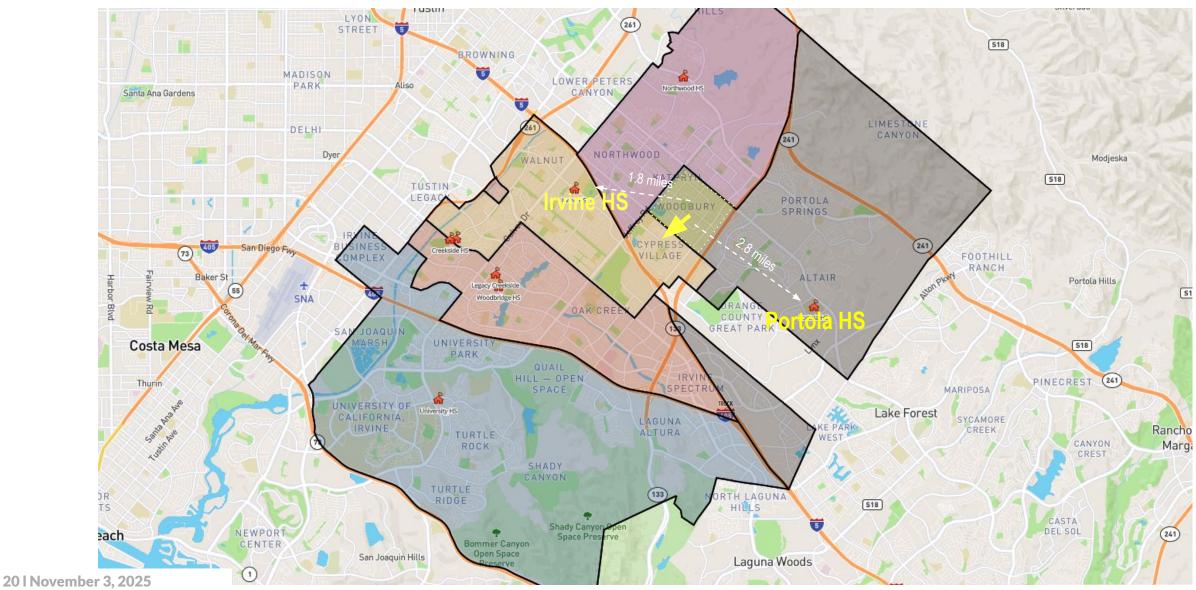
#### WOODBURY COMMUNITY CONSIDERATIONS



- Woodbury was previously assigned to Irvine High School.
- Woodbury is geographically closer to Irvine High School than any other community currently assigned to Portola High School.
- Woodbury students matriculate to Jeffrey Trail Middle School similar to their neighboring community Cypress Village who then matriculates to Irvine High School.

#### DISTANCE FROM WOODBURY COMMUNITY TO

#### **HIGH SCHOOLS**





#### HIGH SCHOOL CONSIDERATIONS



#### **Irvine High School**

- Has available capacity.
- Reassignment of Woodbury is within Board Policy for school size
- Located closer to Woodbury community (1.8 miles)
- Matriculates Jeffrey Trail Middle School students

#### Northwood High School

- No available capacity.
- Reassignment of Woodbury is in excess of Board Policy for school size
- Located farther from Woodbury community (2.2 miles)
- Matriculates Sierra Vista Middle School students



#### **NEXT STEPS**

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November 3, 2025	<b>Gather Comn</b>	nunity Feedba	ick (Small G	Froup Sessions)

November 3, 2025 Gather Community Feedback (Email Survey)

November 2025 District to Review Community Feedback

November 18, 2025 Fall Facilities Study Session - Open to Public

December 9, 2025 Board Meeting to Decide Boundary Adjustment

December 10, 2025 Notification to Families of Board Decision



#### SMALL GROUP FEEDBACK

Upon arrival, you were provided with a number that corresponds to your small group breakout session. Please use the map provided to identify your breakout room location.

We have Irvine High students and PTA members outside to help you find your way - please ask anyone for directions!