Agenda Item

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**Title:**
Precinct Line Adjustments

**Introduction/Background:**
Per A.R.S. §16-411(A), The board of supervisors of each county, on or before October 1 of each year preceding the year of a general election, by an order, shall establish a convenient number of election precincts in the county and define the boundaries of the precincts. The election precinct boundaries shall be established so as to be included within election districts prescribed by law for elected officers of the state and its political subdivisions including community college district precincts, except those elected officers provided for in titles 30 and 48. Although the Board has already decided not to change the number of election precincts prior to the 2022 Election Cycle, the Elections Department is requesting that the Board approve several precinct line adjustments and new precincts as a result of recent actions by the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission.

**Discussion:**
The Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission finalized the new Congressional and Legislative maps on January 21. The new lines caused the need for precinct line adjustments to 70 precincts and the creation of 29 new precincts. The additional precincts were caused by the new Congressional and Legislative Lines and the current Supervisor/Pima Community College and Justice of the Peace Lines creating "islands" of land that cannot be combined with other precincts.

**Conclusion:**
If the proposed precinct line adjustments and the creation of new precincts are approved, all precincts in Pima County will conform with A.R.S. §16-411 (A).

**Recommendation:**
The Elections Department recommends approval of the precinct line adjustments and the creation of the new precincts.

**Fiscal Impact:**
None.

**Board of Supervisor District:**

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