

DEPARTMENT: Board of Supervisors BY: Bob Pickard

PHONE: 966-3222

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes x No   )

Adopt resolution designating Supervisor Bob Pickard official representative for Mariposa County and provide him with direction regarding the proposed new area code.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

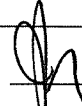
On October 8, 1996, the Board adopted Resolution 96-415 urging retention of the 209 area code throughout the entire County and the Yosemite Region. Since then, the California Code Administration has issued revised proposals which include all of Mariposa County (except unfiled territory south of the Yosemite exchange) and the Yosemite exchange in the northern area and Fresno, Madera, Kings, & Tulare in the southern area (alternative 10A-LJ, attached).

Fresno, Kings, Tulare & Madera Counties have formed a united coalition to keep the 209 area code in the southern area. On March 6, 1997 Bob Pickard attended an Informational Update meeting for Local Jurisdictions in the northern half of the 209 area code. On Wednesday, April 9, 1997 he will be attending the Local Jurisdiction Meeting for the entire 209 Area. At the April 9 meeting voting will take place. Results of this vote will determine the proposed plan for the 209 area to be submitted to the California Public Utilities Commission.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Adopt resolution naming Bob Pickard official representative of Mariposa County to California Code Administration Local Jurisdiction meeting and empower him to vote in favor of the northern area retaining the 209 area code.

Determine not to exercise Mariposa County's vote at the April 9 meeting and risk losing area code 209.

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| <b>COSTS:</b> ( x ) Not Applicable<br>A. Budgeted Current FY \$<br>B. Total Anticipated Costs \$<br>C. Required Additional Funding \$<br>D. Internal Transfers \$<br><b>SOURCE:</b> ( ) 4/5ths Vote Required \$<br>A. Unanticipated Revenues \$<br>B. Reserve for Contingencies \$<br>C. Source Description: _____<br>Balance in Reserve for Contingencies, if approved: _____  |  | <b>SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:</b><br>List the attachments and number the pages consecutively:<br>February 21, 1997 Memo from California Code Administration<br>209 Area Code Split -- Overview<br>209 Area Code Split -- Summary of Alternative Projected Lives (North)<br>209 Area Code Split -- Summary of Alternative Projected Lives (South)<br>Street Detail Along Proposed Split Line - Mariposa Exchange Area<br>Street Detail along Proposed Split Line - Yosemite Exchange Area |
| <b>CLERKS USE ONLY:</b><br>Res. No. <u>97-89</u> Ord. No. _____<br>Vote - Ayes: _____ Noes: _____<br>Absent: _____ Abstained: _____<br>( ) Approved ( ) Denied<br>(✓) Minute Order Attached ( ) No Action Necessary<br>The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office<br>Date: _____<br>ATTEST: _____<br>MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board<br>County of Mariposa, State of California<br>BY: _____<br>Deputy |  | <b>ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:</b><br>This item on agenda as:<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Recommended<br><input type="checkbox"/> Not Recommended<br><input type="checkbox"/> For Policy Determination<br><input type="checkbox"/> Submitted with Comment<br><input type="checkbox"/> Returned for Further Action<br>Comment: _____<br>CAO's Initials:                 |

MARIPOSA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MINUTE ORDER

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TO: SUPERVISOR PICKARD  
FROM: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board *MW*  
SUBJECT: 209 AREA CODE SPLIT

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THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MARIPOSA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,

ADOPTED THIS Order on March 18, 1997

ACTION AND VOTE:

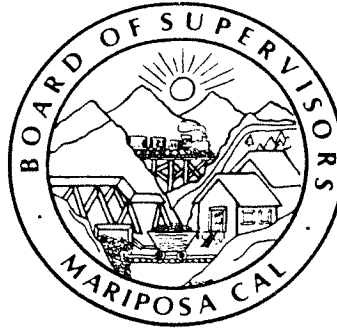
Resolution Designating Supervisor Bob Pickard as the Official Representative to the California Code Administration Meetings and Provide Direction for his Vote Regarding the 209 Area Code Split (Supervisor Pickard)

**BOARD ACTION:** (M)Parker, (S)Reilly, Res. 97-89 adopted designating Supervisor Pickard as the official representative, with the Board taking the position that the 209 area code be retained for the entire County, Merced County, and Yosemite National Park; and if that is not possible, that Mariposa and Yosemite be in the same area code/Ayes:  
Unanimous.

cc: Janet Hogan, County Administrative Officer  
Jeff Green, County Counsel  
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# Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

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March 31, 1997

California Code Administration  
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San Ramon, CA 94583

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please be advised that at the March 18, 1997 meeting, the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors took action by adopting Resolution Number 97-89 designating Supervisor Bob Pickard as the official representative to the California Code Administration meetings, with provided direction that the 209 area code be retained for the entire County of Mariposa, Merced County, and Yosemite National Park; and if that is not possible, that Mariposa and Yosemite be in the same area code.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact this office at (209) 966-3222.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

ROBERT C. STEWART, Chairman  
Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

RCS/rs

cc: Bob Pickard



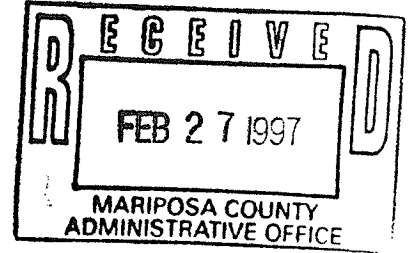
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Date: February 21, 1997

To: Local Jurisdiction Representatives in the 209 Area Code

From: H. Douglas Hescox, California Area Code Relief Coordinator

Subject: MEETINGS TO DISCUSS WHICH AREA WILL KEEP THE 209 AREA CODE

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**OVERVIEW**

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This letter invites representatives of city, county and state government, chambers of commerce and school districts to meetings the 209 area code. The purpose of these meetings is to discuss which geographic area will keep the 209 area code. The intent of this letter is to also advise you of Public meetings scheduled.

The first meeting will be held in March and is for Local Jurisdictions in the northern part of the 209 area code. The second meeting will be held in April for all Local Jurisdictions in the entire 209 area code. Since the Local Jurisdiction meeting in April will be the only meeting at which voting will take place, if you cannot attend, please send a representative (proxy) empowered to participate in decision-making. The meeting schedule is as follows:

**TIMES & LOCATIONS**

**PURPOSE:** Informational Update meeting for Local Jurisdictions in the northern half of the 209 area code

**DATE:** Thursday, March 6, 1997

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM

**PLACE:** Holiday Inn, 1612 Sisk Road, Modesto

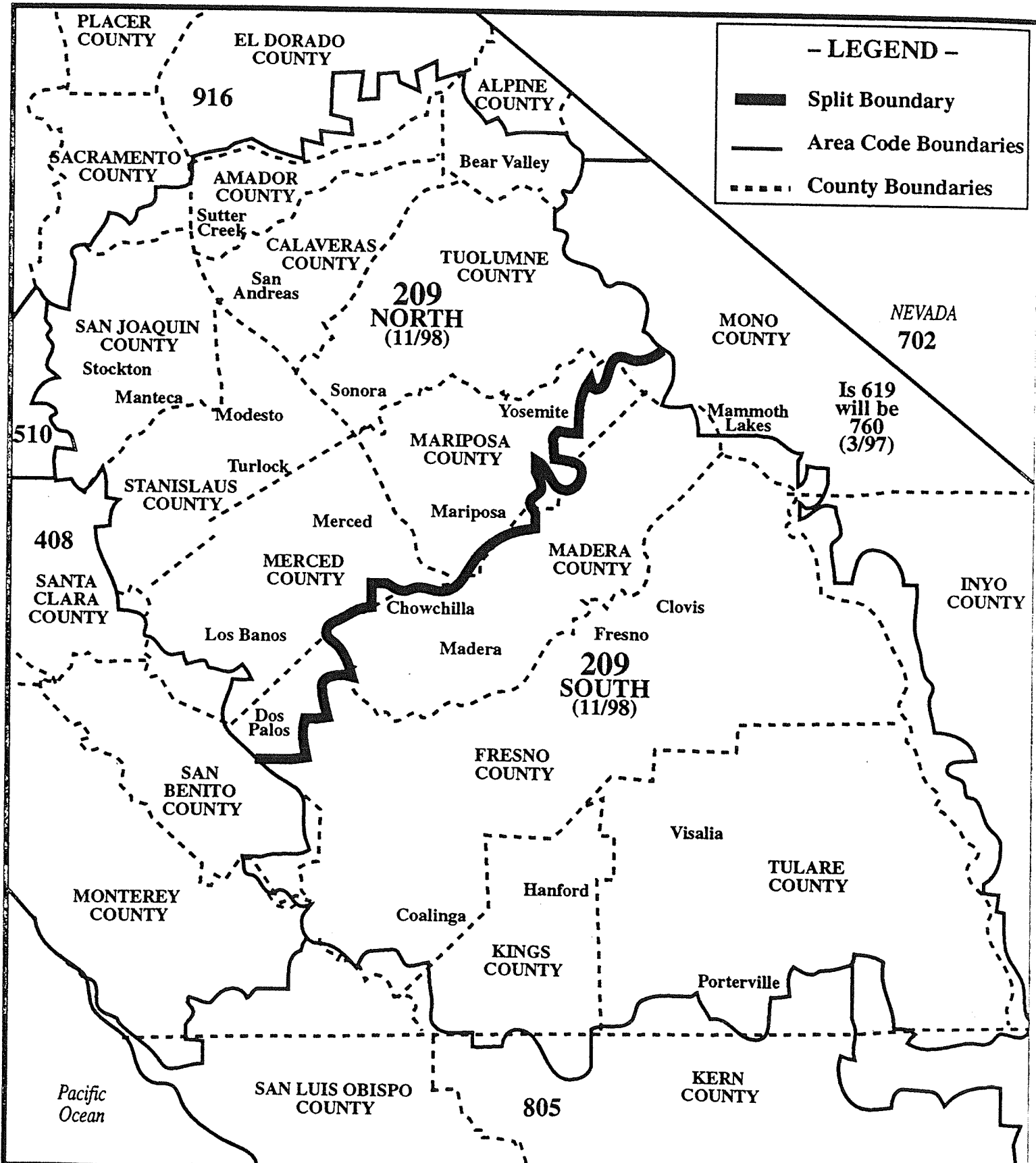
**PURPOSE:** Local Jurisdiction Meeting for entire 209 Area

**DATE:** Wednesday, April 9, 1997

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

**PLACE:** Merced City Council Chambers  
678 West 18th Street (Civil Center 2nd floor), Merced

# 209 Area Code Split Overview



## 209 Area Code Split Summary of Alternative Projected Lives

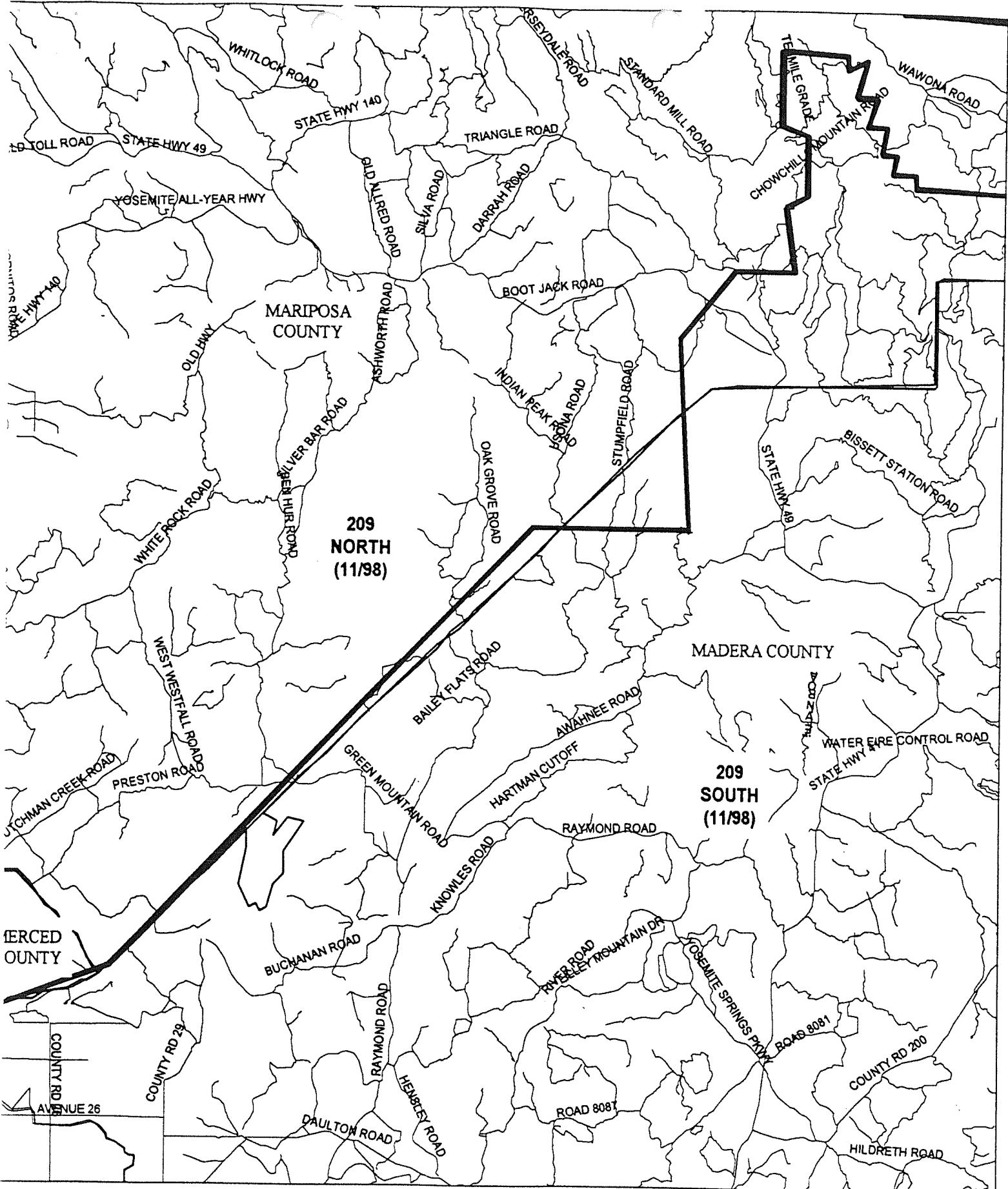
If the 209 Area Code is retained by the NORTH (Alternative 10A-LJ)

| Serving Area Description   | Number of Prefixes   | Projected Life Range                               |
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| <p>209 NPA(North):</p> <p>That portion of LATA 738 presently in the 209 NPA <b>excluding</b> the Chowchilla exchange &amp; unfiled territory in Mariposa County south of the Yosemite exchange. <b>Includes all tandem NXXs</b> plus all the Mariposa and Dos Palos exchanges.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">321<br/>(217 non-tandem +<br/>104 tandem)</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">10 to 11½ years</p> |
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| <p>New NPA (South)</p> <p>That portion of LATA 728 presently in the 209 NPA <b>excluding</b> the Mariposa and Dos Palos exchanges. <b>Includes</b> all of the Chowchilla exchange plus unfiled territory in Mariposa County south of the Yosemite exchange.</p>                    | <p style="text-align: center;">220<br/>(non-tandem)</p>                      | <p style="text-align: center;">13 to 15¼ years</p> |

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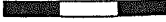
If the 209 Area Code is retained by the SOUTH (Alternative 10B-LJ)

| Serving Area Description  | Number of Prefixes   | Projected Life Range                                |
|---|--|---|
| <p>209 NPA (South):</p> <p>That portion of LATA 728 presently in the 209 NPA excluding the Mariposa and Dos Palos exchanges. <b>Includes all tandem NXXs plus all of the Chowchilla exchange &amp; unfiled territory in Mariposa County south of the Yosemite exchange.</b></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">324<br/>(220 non-tandem +<br/>104 tandem)</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">10¼ to 11¾ years</p> |
|   |  |   |
| <p>New NPA (North):</p> <p>That portion of LATA 738 presently in the 209 NPA <b>excluding</b> the Chowchilla exchange &amp; unfiled territory in Mariposa County south of the Yosemite exchange. <b>Includes</b> all of the Mariposa and Dos Palos exchanges.</p>               | <p style="text-align: center;">217<br/>(non-tandem)</p>                      | <p style="text-align: center;">12½ to 14¾ years</p> |

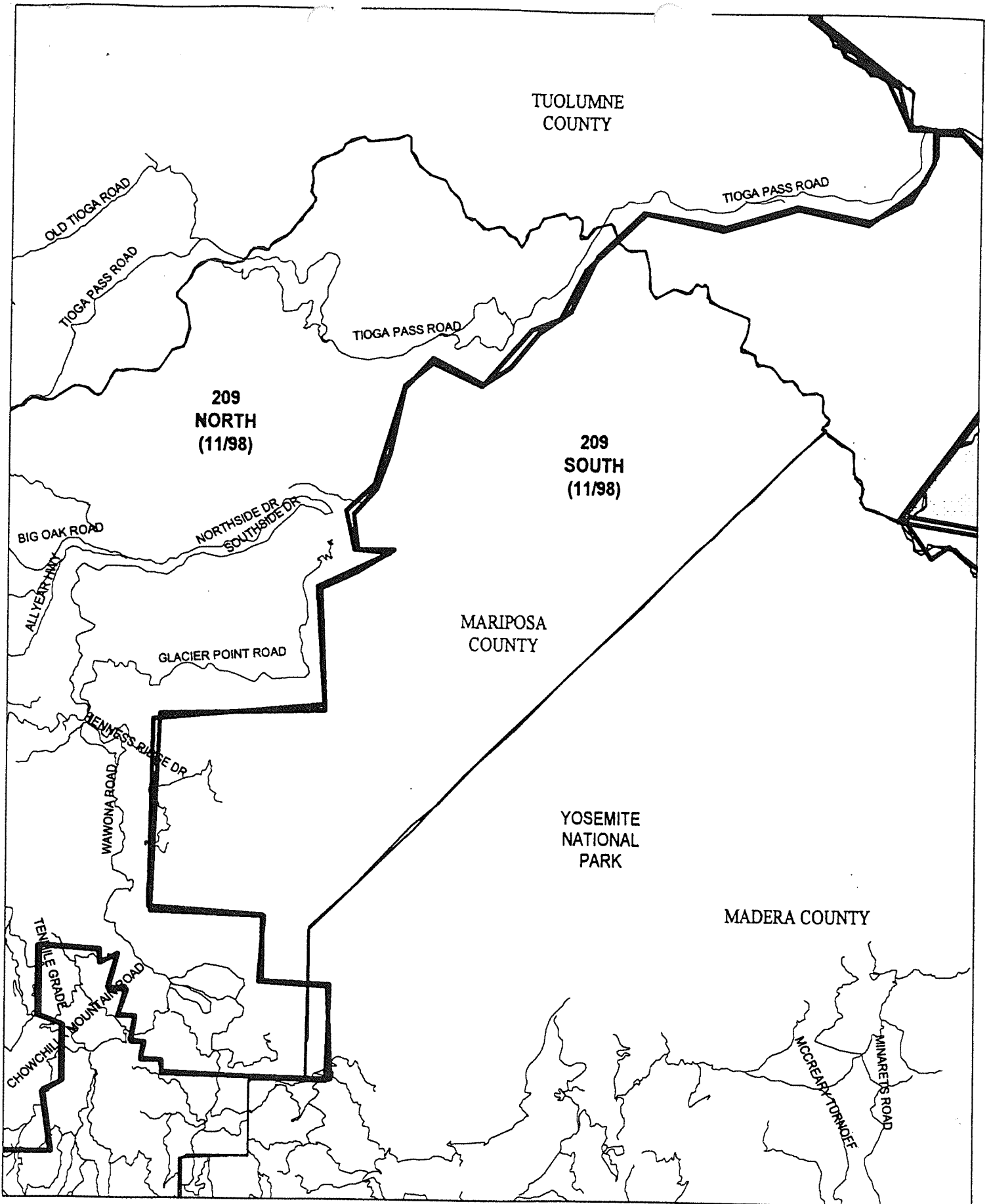




 COUNTY BOUNDARIES  
 209 AREA CODE SPLIT

**209 Area Code Split**  
**Street Detail Along Proposed Split Line**  
**"Mariposa Exchange Area"**

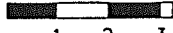
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 COUNTY BOUNDARIES  
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**209 Area Code Split**  
**Street Detail Along Propose Split Line**  
**"Yosemite Exchange Area"**

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