

Dear Commissioners,

I would like to request that Zilker Park be included with Barton Hills and Zilker neighborhoods, in the zoning map, because they are very much part of the same community of interest. Zilker Park has its own set of unique challenges and creates its own set of issues that impact the people living in Barton Hills and Zilker neighborhoods extensively. It's tough to argue that Oak Hill has much to do with Zilker Park, and my guess is they wouldn't understand how to handle the traffic issues, noise complaints, helicopter permits, and so on like the folks living in Barton Hills (myself included). We have to deal with the impact of ACL and Trail of Lights more than any other neighborhood and we definitely are in the same community of interest. Therefore, I would like to make the following request to zoning maps:

Please move the park and greenbelt from District 8 to District 5 by moving precincts 307, 356, and part of 364 into District 5. To offset the population reduction to District 8, you can move Precinct 309, or another suitable precinct in District 5, into District 8.

Thanks so much for your time,
Adam Nokes
Resident of Barton Hills