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CITY OF OXNARD CALIFORNIA

AMENDED AGENDA

C.1 Public Hearing - Presentation was added

AGENDA
OXNARD CITY COUNCIL
Council Chambers, 305 West Third Street
January 6, 2022
Special Council Meeting
6:00 PM
Zoom details to call-in for public comment during a meeting:

1. **Dial Phone Number: (888) 475-4499**
2. **Enter Meeting ID: 810 7549 2679**
3. **Passcode: 561518**

If you wish to speak during public comments or a particular item on the agenda, please sign-on by following the zoom calling in steps listed above. Once the Mayor calls for public speakers, press *9 to raise your hand to inform the City Clerk you would like to speak during the public speaking section for that particular item on the agenda, while in the zoom waiting room.

This meeting is being held in accordance with Assembly Bill 361, allowing members of the City Council, members of the public and staff to participate via teleconference.

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*Please see the link for the Measure M pre-recorded presentation video for each item listed on this agenda.

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    a. Submit an email to cityclerk@oxnard.org no later than 3 p.m. on the day of the meeting (Please indicate the agenda item number in the subject line). All email correspondence will be forwarded to the City Council prior to the start of the meeting and made part of the legislative record.
    b. Submit a request to speak by no later than 3 p.m. on the day of the meeting by using the form available at www.oxnard.org/city-meetings, emailing the City Clerk at cityclerk@oxnard.org, or calling the City Clerk at (805) 385-7803.

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    b. Public comments on agenda items shall be taken following the announcement of the item. After the item is announced, members of the public shall have three minutes to register or otherwise be recognized for the purpose of providing public comment. During this three-minute time period, public comments may be taken and the City Council or staff may discuss the item being considered or briefly respond to public comments.

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In the event of a disruption which prevents a legislative body of the City of Oxnard from broadcasting a meeting using a call-in option or internet-based service option, or in the event of a disruption within the City's control which prevents members of the public from offering public comment using the call-in option or internet-based service option, the legislative body shall take no further action on items appearing

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Agenda Item time estimates: (Presentation / Council Discussion / Public Comment)

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* The City has filed pre-election and post-election lawsuits regarding the validity of Measure M.

A. ROLL CALL, POSTING OF AGENDA
THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATIVE BODIES ARE MEETING: City Council

B. OPENING CEREMONIES (6:00 PM)
Pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States.

C. PUBLIC HEARINGS

1. City Attorney Department
SUBJECT: Public Hearing Regarding Redistricting of City Council Districts (15/30/30)
RECOMMENDATION: That the City Council conduct a public hearing regarding the redistricting process for City Council districts and receive a presentation from the City's redistricting consultant regarding the maps that have been submitted.

(This item did not originate in Committee.)

Because the presentation will be made by a consultant, the presentation was not prerecorded pursuant to Measure M.
Legislative Body: City Council
Contact: Stephen Fischer, (805) 385-7483

D. ADJOURNMENT

CITY OF OXNARD CALIFORNIA

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

PUBLIC HEARINGS
AGENDA ITEM NO. C.1

DATE: January 6, 2022

TO: City Council

FROM: Stephen Fischer, City Attorney, (805) 385-7483, stephen.fischer@oxnard.org

SUBJECT: Public Hearing Regarding Redistricting of City Council Districts (15/30/30)

RECOMMENDATION

That the City Council conduct a public hearing regarding the redistricting process for City Council districts and receive a presentation from the City's redistricting consultant regarding the maps that have been submitted.

(This item did not originate in Committee.)

Because the presentation will be made by a consultant, the presentation was not prerecorded pursuant to Measure M.

BACKGROUND

Every ten years, cities with by-district elections are required to use new census data to review and redraw district lines to reflect population changes. This process, called redistricting, ensures that all districts within a city have nearly an equal number of people residing within each district.

Although the City recently went through the districting process in 2018, the Council districts that were created reflected the population totals from the 2010 census. Under state law, public entities with elections in November 2022 have until April 17, 2022 in which to adopt district maps that reflect the changes in population indicated in the 2020 census (as modified by the State of California to reflect the original residency of persons incarcerated in California's prisons).

The City's redistricting process is a standalone process that is not connected to the redistricting that occurred at a state level (including for the Congressional, Assembly, and state Senate districts) or at the County level (for the Supervisorial districts). The City's process will only address any necessary rebalancing of the Council district boundaries that will now occur once a decade after the U.S. Census is released.

Under recently adopted state laws (AB 849 and AB 1276), when the City Council goes through the redistricting process, the Council is required to draw and adopt boundaries using the following criteria in the listed order of priority:

1. Substantially equal in population for each of the districts.

2. Complies with the U.S. Constitution, the California Constitution and the federal Voting Rights Act.

3. Geographically contiguous.

4. Minimize the division of local neighborhoods and local communities of interest. (The law defines a "community of interest" as a population that shares common social or economic interests.)

5. Create district boundaries that residents can easily identify and understand. (These would include natural or artificial

barriers, streets or the boundaries of the city.)

6. Districts that are compact in size.

7. District boundaries that are not adopted to favor or discriminate against a political party. (Elections Code Section 21601.)

Once the prioritized criteria are met, other traditional districting principles can be considered, such as:

1. Minimize the number of voters delayed from voting from 2022 to 2024;

2. Respect voters' choices/continuity in office; and

3. Future population growth.

As part of the redistricting process, the City is required to hold at least four public hearings or workshops, with at least one of these public hearings or workshops held before any of the new district maps are drawn. At least one hearing must occur on a Saturday, Sunday, or after 6 p.m. on a weekday. If a redistricting hearing is held as part of a regular City Council meeting, the redistricting hearing portion must begin at a designated time. In addition, local public redistricting hearings are required to be made accessible to people with disabilities.

The City Council previously held public hearings on redistricting on July 29, 2021, September 30, 2021 and December 6, 2021. After tonight's public hearing, three additional redistricting public hearings have been scheduled. The dates of these public hearings are as follows:

Public Hearing #5: Saturday, January 22, 2022
Public Hearing #6: Tuesday, February 1, 2022
Public Hearing #7: Wednesday, February 16, 2022.

The City has publicized the redistricting process and public hearings in a variety of ways, including ongoing social media outreach starting July 20, 2021 that continues to date; placing online ads that have directly connected with nearly 20,000 Oxnard residents; broadcasting mapping information on local public access channels; publishing the upcoming public hearings in the Tri-County Sentry on December 24, 2021, Vida on December 30, 2021 and the Ventura County Star on January 2, 2022; and continuing advertising and outreach for upcoming public hearings.

ANALYSIS

Tonight's public hearing will address the City's redistricting process and will include a presentation from the City's redistricting consultant regarding the maps that have been submitted to the City.

As of the date that this agenda report was prepared (December 29, 2021), a total of three maps have been submitted to the City. These three maps are included as attachments at the end of this agenda report. In addition, you may review these maps at the following online links:

Map 1 -- https://www.oxnard.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Map-1-Daniel-Chavez.pdf and https://davesredistricting.org/maps#viewmap::842ad238-1be2-4586-b400-9ca2f70bf2c8.

Map 2 -- https://www.oxnard.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/Map-2-Ronald-Arruejo-Map-and-Statistics.pdf and https://davesredistricting.org/maps#viewmap::de8027b2-377c-4f6a-804c-d7fa4deeac78.

Map 3 -- https://www.oxnard.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/Teran-map.pdf and https://davesredistricting.org/maps#viewmap::0bf6023a-c828-4bfb-9788-ec756a2c3b3c.

If additional maps are submitted prior to the January 6, 2022 public hearing, then these maps will be uploaded to the City's website at: https://www.oxnard.org/maps-submitted/. If adequate time is available for the redistricting consultant to review the additional maps, the consultant will also provide an analysis of these maps at the January 6, 2022 public

hearing.

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

This agenda item does not relate to the five strategic priorities adopted by City Council on March 16, 2021.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There is no financial impact.

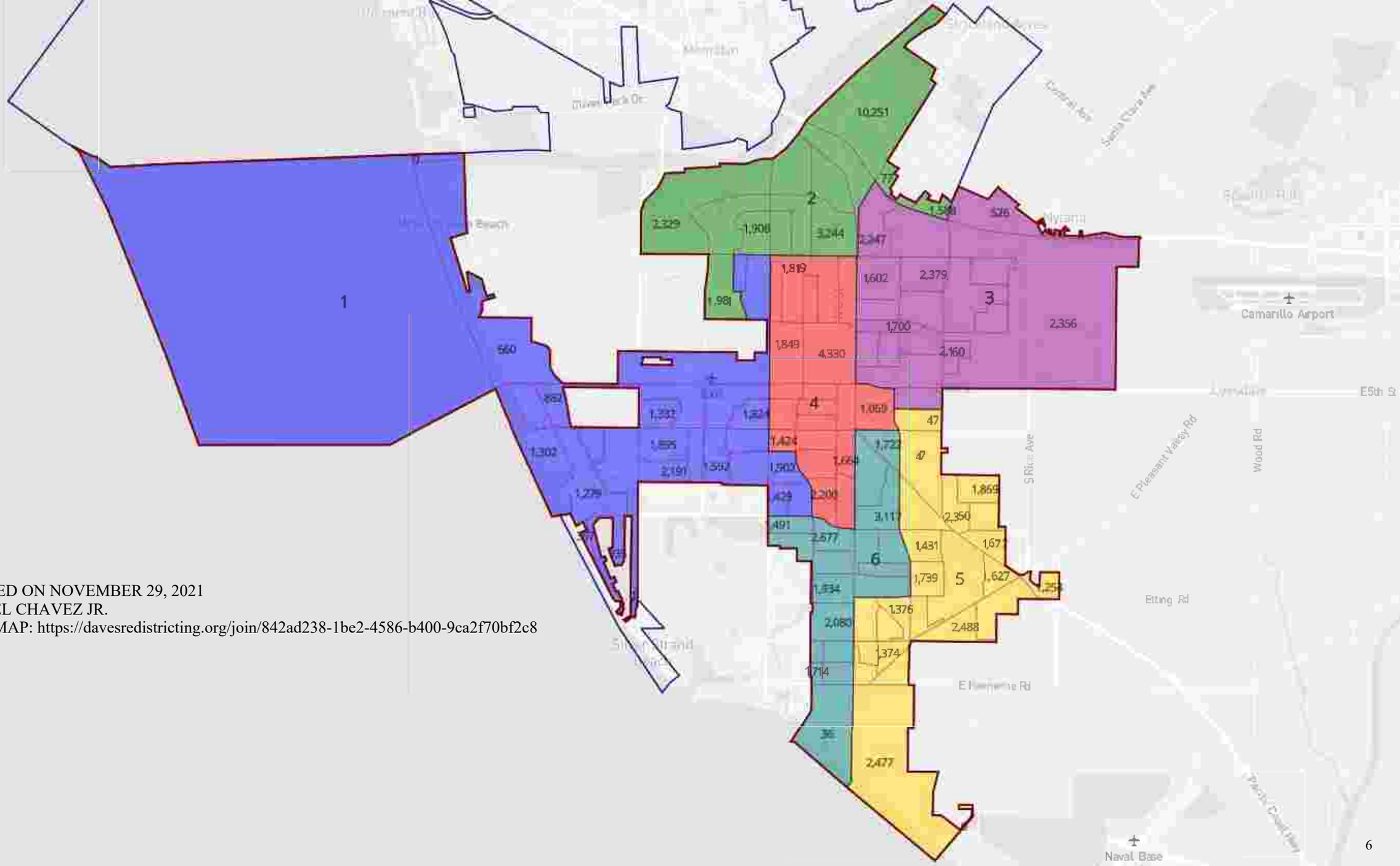
COMMITTEE OUTCOME

This item did not originate in Committee.

Prepared by: Kenneth Rozell, Chief Assistant City Attorney, Jason Zaragoza, Deputy City Attorney

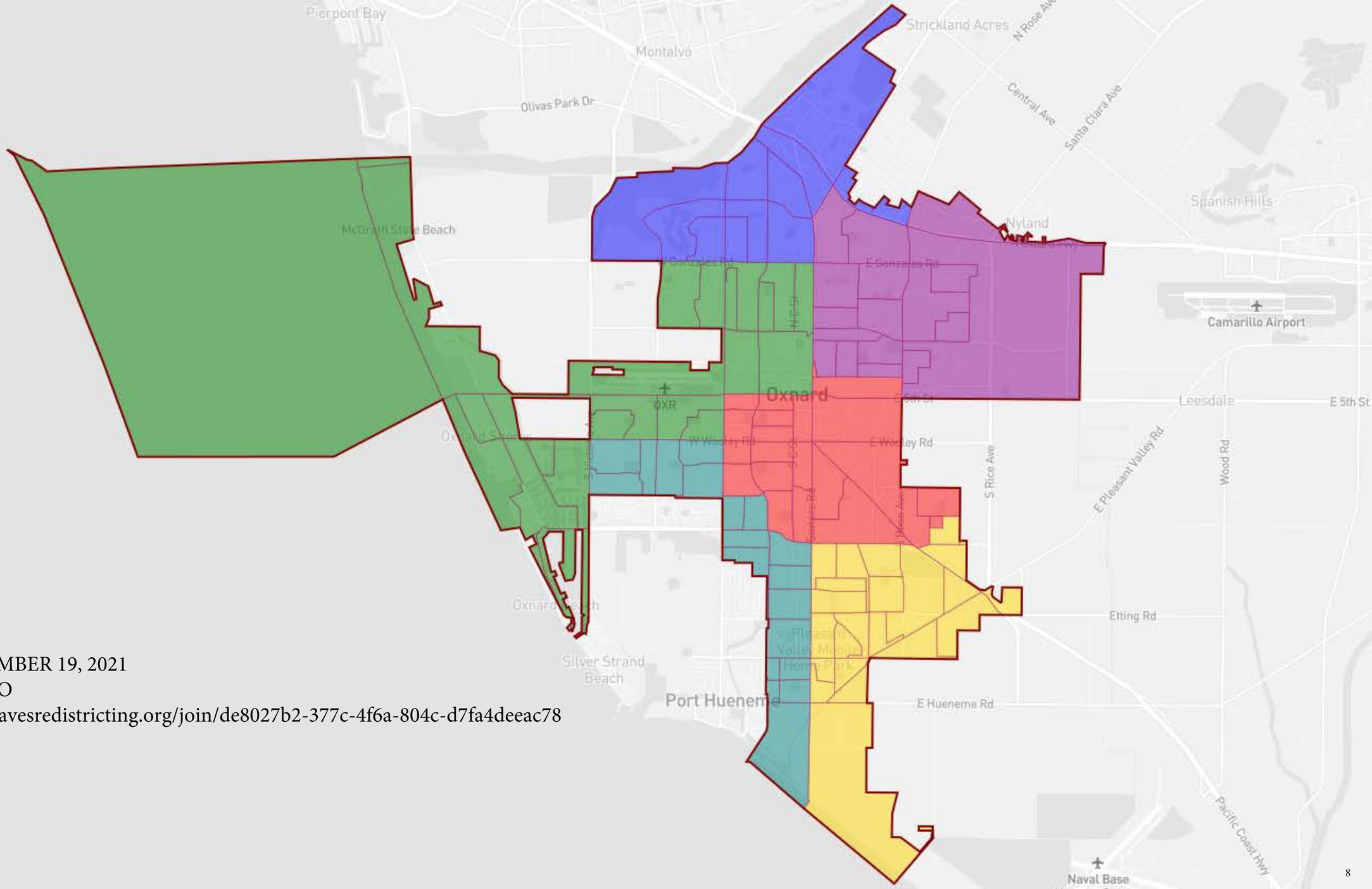
ATTACHMENTS

1. Attachment 1 -- Map 1
2. Attachment 2 -- Map 2
3. Attachment 3 -- Map 3
4. PH4 Redistricting Oxnard 01 06 2022



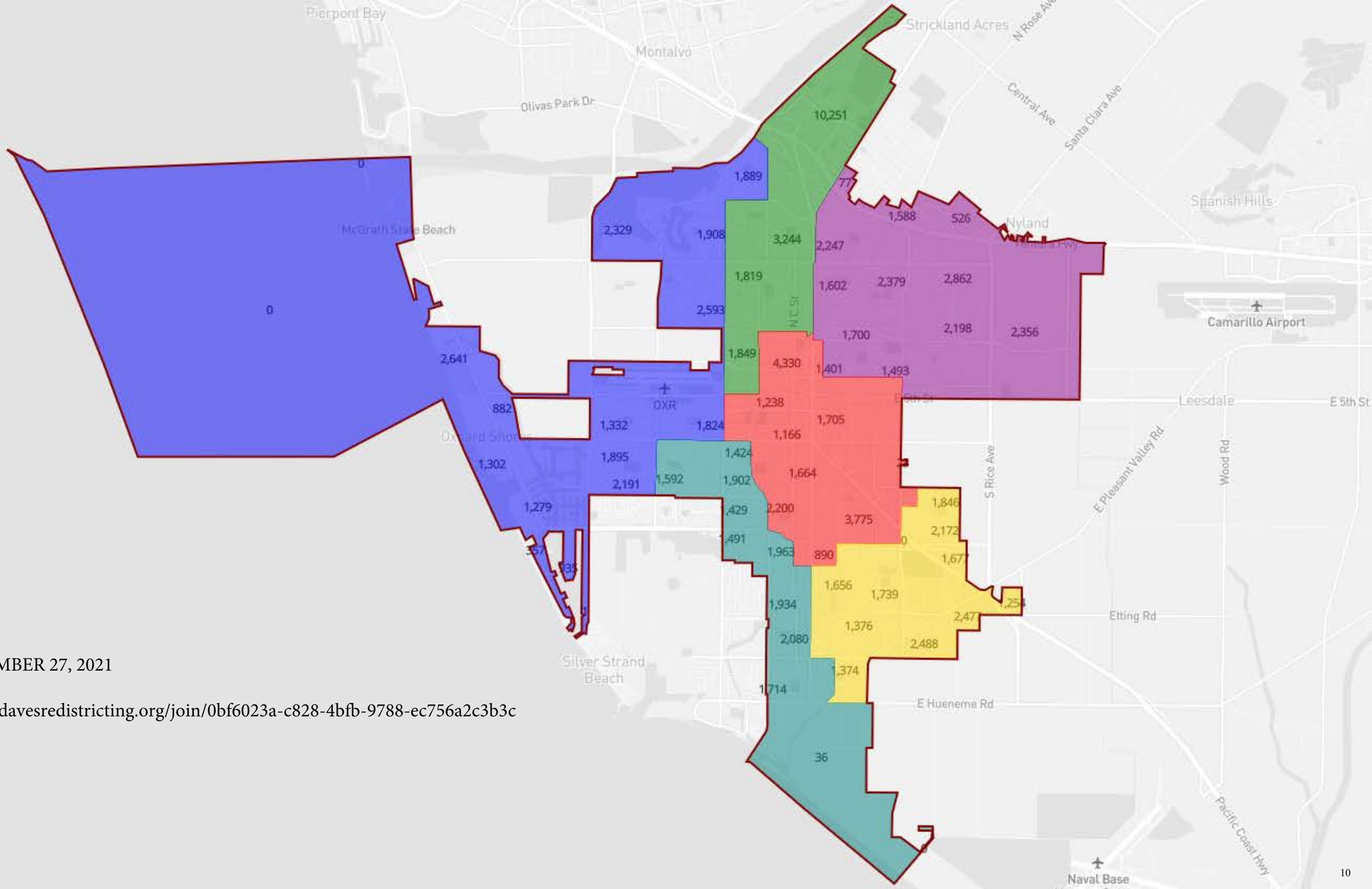
MAP 1
SUBMITTED ON NOVEMBER 29, 2021
BY DANIEL CHAVEZ JR.
LINK TO MAP: https://davesredistricting.org/join/842ad238-1be2-4586-b400-9ca2f70bf2c8

MAP 1 STATISTICS										
ID	Total Pop	Devation	Total VAP	White	Minority	Hispanic	Black	Asian	Native	Pacific
Un	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	34114	0.0102	24022	0.4239	0.5761	0.4388	0.0375	0.0835	0.0067	0.0025
2	34236	0.0138	21340	0.2827	0.7173	0.5342	0.0567	0.102	0.0107	0.0059
3	33775	0.0002	18477	0.139	0.861	0.6746	0.0331	0.1338	0.0092	0.0055
4	33410	-0.0106	16100	0.1837	0.8163	0.7304	0.0375	0.0411	0.0075	0.0006
5	33240	-0.0157	17251	0.1276	0.8724	0.6444	0.0436	0.1712	0.002	0.0107
6	33839	0.0021	14155	0.1223	0.8777	0.7579	0.0453	0.0702	0.0032	0.0007
Summary	33769	0.0295	18558	0.2306	0.7694	0.6108	0.0424	0.1012	0.0068	0.0044



MAP 2
SUBMITTED ON DECEMBER 19, 2021
BY RONALD J. ARRUEJO
LINK TO MAP: https://davesredistricting.org/join/de8027b2-377c-4f6a-804c-d7fa4deeac78

MAP 2 STATISTICS													
ID	Total Pop	Devation	Dem	Rep	Oth	Total VAP	White	Minority	Hispanic	Black	Asian	Native	Pacific
Un	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	32255	-0.0448	0.6825	0.2949	0.0227	19706	0.2857	0.7143	0.5406	0.0482	0.0995	0.0112	0.0063
2	35330	0.0462	0.645	0.3338	0.0212	23945	0.4377	0.5623	0.4459	0.0312	0.0734	0.0106	0.0013
3	33175	-0.0176	0.763	0.2147	0.0223	18429	0.1392	0.8608	0.6742	0.0332	0.134	0.0092	0.0054
4	34356	0.0174	0.8043	0.1738	0.0219	14587	0.0845	0.9155	0.7864	0.0459	0.0814	0.0007	0.0007
5	34254	0.0144	0.7412	0.2368	0.022	17661	0.1289	0.8711	0.6527	0.0452	0.1601	0.0019	0.0105
6	33244	-0.0155	0.7499	0.2256	0.0245	17017	0.205	0.795	0.6615	0.0555	0.0625	0.0041	0.0024
Summary	33769	0.0911	0.7203	0.2573	0.0223	18558	0.2306	0.7694	0.6108	0.0424	0.1012	0.0068	0.0044

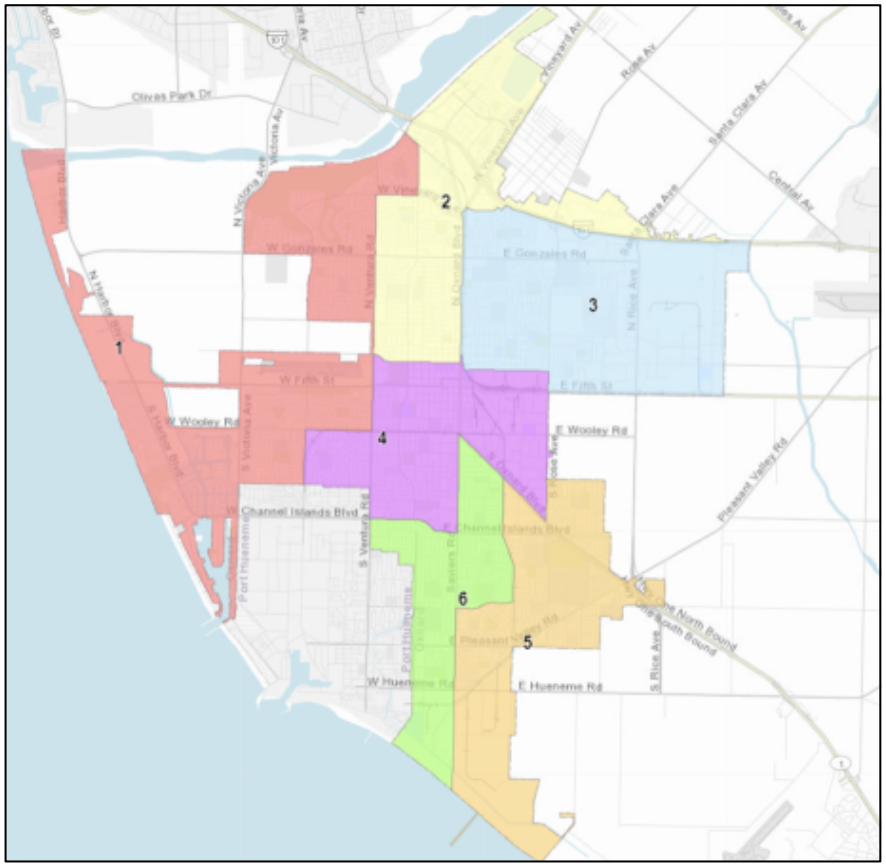


MAP 3
SUBMITED ON DECEMBER 27, 2021
BY GABE TERAN
LINK TO MAP: https://davesredistricting.org/join/0bf6023a-c828-4bfb-9788-ec756a2c3b3c

MAP 3 STATISTICS													
ID	Total Pop	Devation	Dem	Rep	Oth	Total VAP	White	Minority	Hispanic	Black	Asian	Native	Pacific
Un	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	33142	-0.0186	0.6209	0.357	0.0221	25581	0.4462	0.5538	0.384	0.0492	0.0998	0.0105	0.0027
2	33594	-0.0052	0.7159	0.2629	0.0211	19258	0.2677	0.7323	0.6044	0.0348	0.0718	0.0104	0.0056
3	34267	0.0147	0.763	0.2145	0.0225	18939	0.1446	0.8554	0.672	0.0326	0.1314	0.009	0.0056
4	33765	-0.0001	0.7896	0.1872	0.0232	14023	0.1238	0.8762	0.7764	0.0375	0.0592	0.0021	0.0007
5	33891	0.0036	0.7453	0.2337	0.021	17807	0.1169	0.8831	0.669	0.0402	0.1606	0.0019	0.0104
6	33955	0.0055	0.7828	0.1925	0.0247	15737	0.1618	0.8382	0.7004	0.0592	0.0733	0.0035	0.0006
Summary	33769	0.0333	0.7203	0.2573	0.0223	18558	0.2306	0.7694	0.6108	0.0424	0.1012	0.0068	0.0044

National Demographics Corporation

City of Oxnard

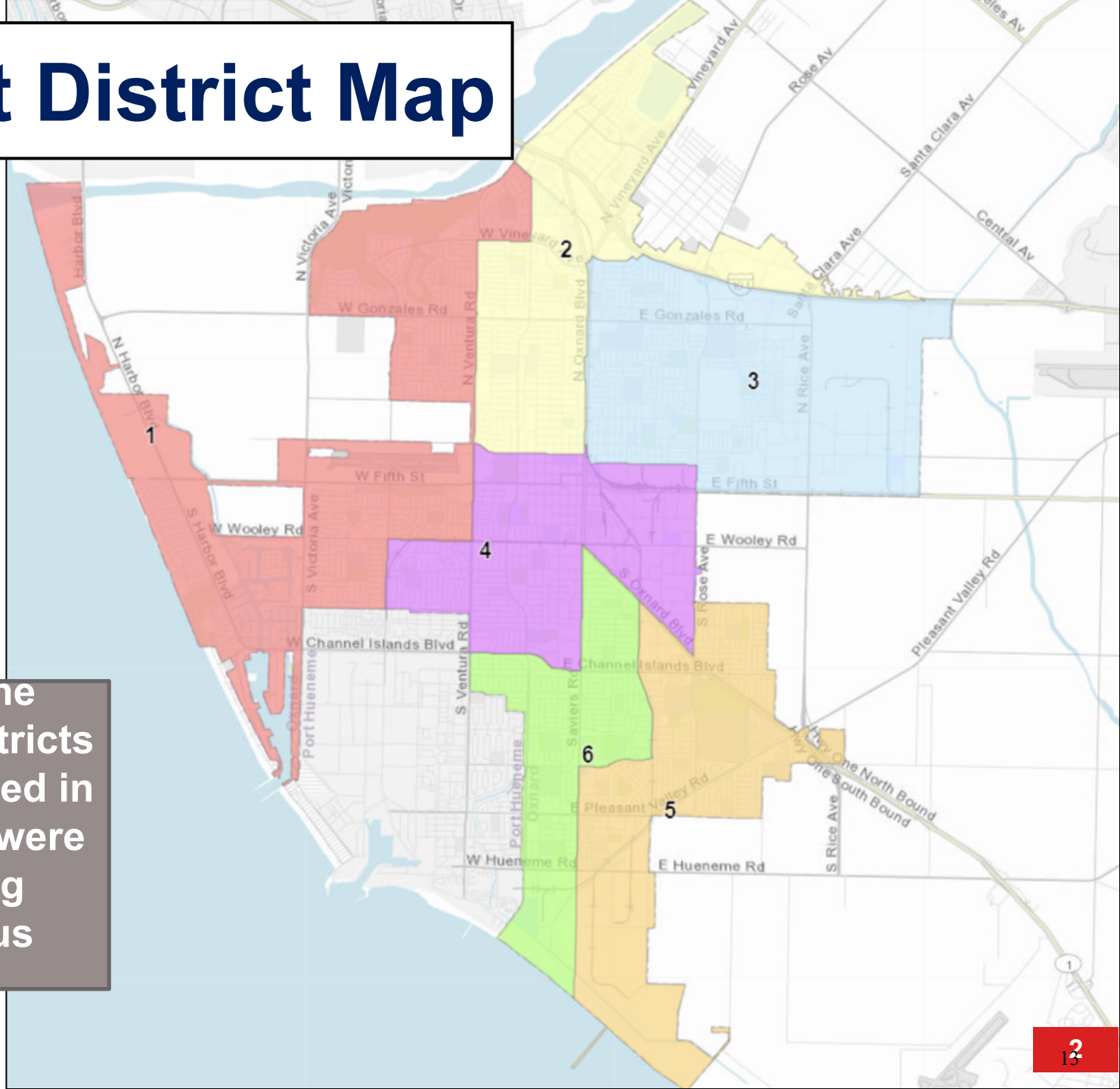


Redistricting Public Hearing

January 6, 2022

Kristen Parks, Consultant
National Demographics Corporation

Current District Map



Although the current districts were adopted in 2018, they were drawn using 2010 Census data

Redistricting Timeline

Date	Event
July 29, 2021	Public Hearing #1 to introduce redistricting process
September 27, 2021	Release of California official redistricting data
September 30, 2021	Public Hearing #2 on “communities of interest”
December 6, 2021	Public Hearing #3 to demo mapping tools
Time for the public to draw & submit maps	
January 6, 2022	**Public Hearing #4 to discuss draft maps**
January 22, 2022	Public Hearing #5 to discuss draft maps
February 1, 2022	Public Hearing #6 to discuss draft maps
February 16, 2022	Public Hearing #7 to consider the selection of a map and potentially the introduction of an ordinance to adopt
April 17, 2022	Legal deadline to adopt new map
November 8, 2022	First election with new map

Legal Criteria for Redistricting

Federal Law

- ✓ Ensure equal population*
- ✓ Comply with federal Voting Rights Act
- ✓ Avoid racial gerrymandering

*** Total population deviation < 10%**

California Law

1. Ensure geographic **contiguity**
2. Minimize division of neighborhoods & **"communities of interest"**
3. Create easily identifiable boundaries
4. Maintain **compactness**

✓ Do not "favor or discriminate against a political

Traditional Criteria

May include:

- Minimize changes to election cycles
- Respect voters' choices
- Preserve core of existing districts

nearby population to take in a more distant

Oxnard 2020 Demographic Summary

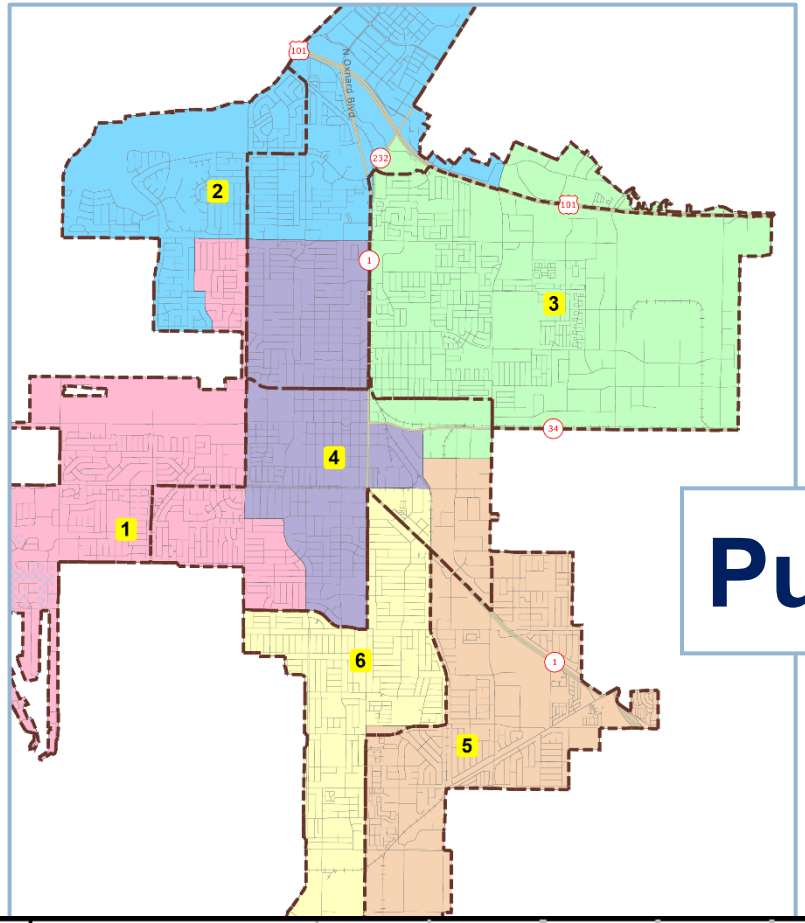
District		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
2020 Census Total Population		33,143	39,136	32,470	32,626	32,846	32,393	202,614
	Deviation from ideal	-626	5,367	-1,299	-1,143	-923	-1,376	6,743
	% Deviation	-1.85%	15.89%	-3.85%	-3.38%	-2.73%	-4.07%	**19.97%**
2020 Total Population	% Hisp	49%	72%	77%	86%	77%	89%	75%
	% NH White	35%	16%	8%	7%	6%	5%	13%
	% NH Black	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	10%	7%	12%	3%	13%	4%	8%
Citizen Voting Age Population	Total	25,549	22,212	17,645	14,569	17,531	14,036	111,541
	% Hisp	39%	61%	68%	75%	63%	77%	61%
	% NH White	44%	27%	14%	13%	13%	12%	23%
	% NH Black	5%	3%	3%	5%	5%	4%	4%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	10%	7%	14%	6%	19%	6%	11%
Language spoken at home	english	61%	43%	31%	22%	22%	22%	34%
	spanish	31%	52%	58%	73%	65%	72%	58%
	asian-lang	6%	4%	6%	4%	10%	3%	5%
	other lang	2%	1%	4%	1%	3%	4%	3%
Housing	single family	78%	57%	78%	70%	79%	72%	72%
	multi-family	22%	43%	22%	30%	21%	28%	28%
	rented	37%	59%	42%	54%	40%	48%	47%
	owned	63%	41%	58%	46%	60%	52%	53%

Total population data from the California adjustment to the 2020 Decennial Census. Citizen Voting Age Pop., Age, Immigration, and other demographics from the 2015-2019 American Community Survey and Special Tabulation 5-year data.

Draft Maps

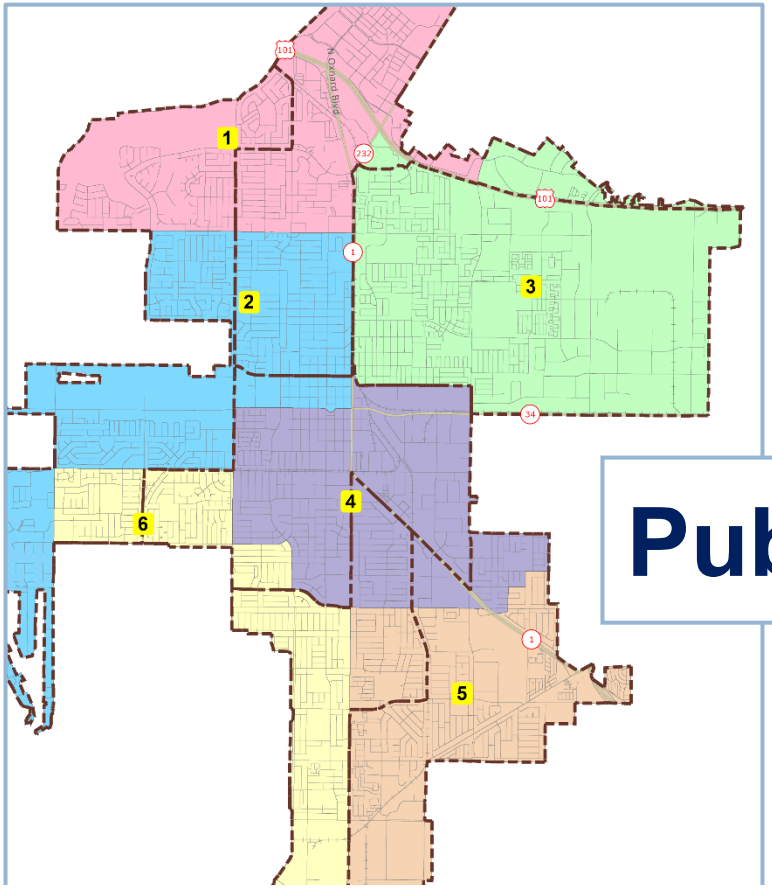
PUBLIC MAPS (3)	CONSULTANT MAPS (3)
Public Map 1	NDC Map 201
Public Map 2	NDC Map 202
Public Map 3	NDC Map 203

Draft maps available online at
oxnard.org/redistricting



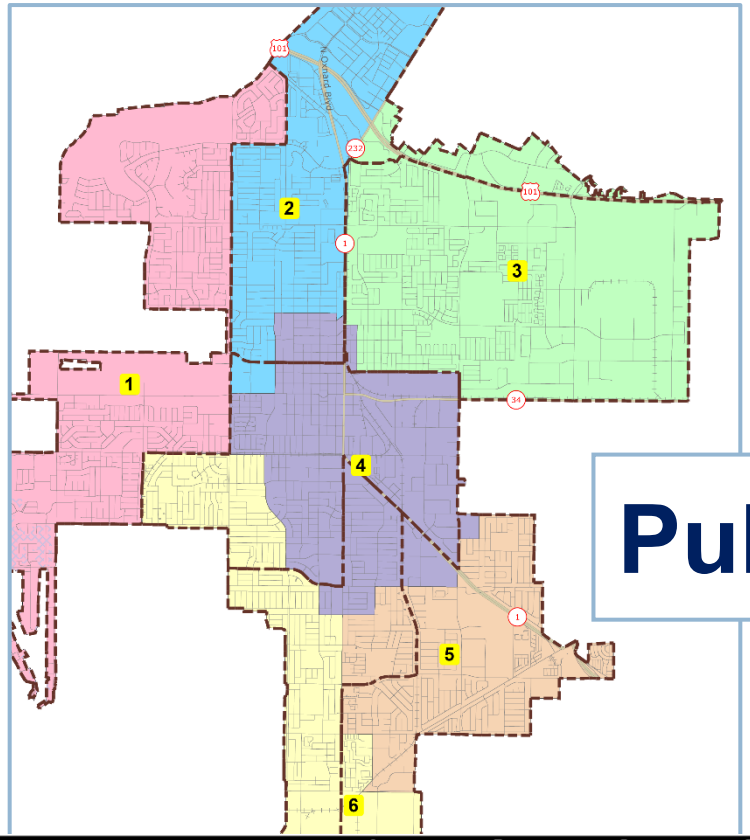
Public Map 1

District		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	Total Pop	34,116	34,235	33,775	33,410	33,240	33,838	202,614
	Deviation from ideal	347	466	6	-359	-529	69	995
	% Deviation	1.03%	1.38%	0.02%	-1.06%	-1.57%	0.20%	2.95%
Total Pop	% Hisp	57.9%	64%	76%	84%	77%	89%	75%
	% NH White	29%	21%	8%	9%	6%	5%	13%
	% NH Black	3%	4%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	7%	10%	12%	3%	13%	4%	8%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	24,075	21,688	18,107	15,967	17,706	13,998	111,541
	% Hisp	44%	54%	68%	73%	63%	77%	61%
	% NH White	42%	28%	14%	18%	13%	12%	23%
	% NH Black	4%	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	4%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	8%	11%	14%	4%	19%	6%	11%



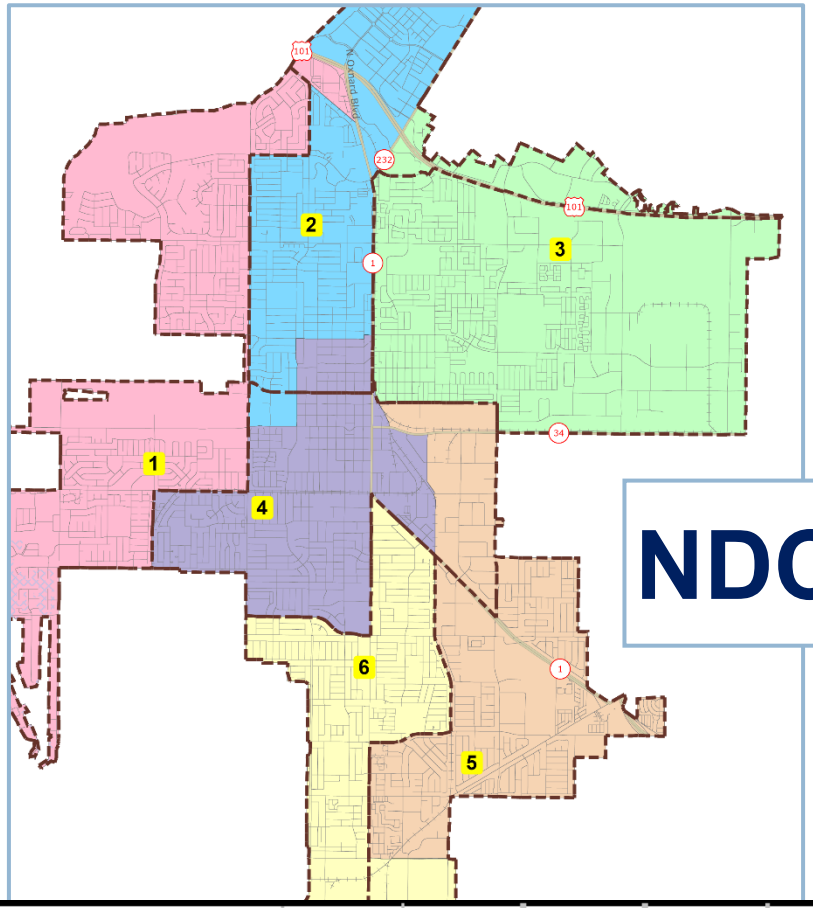
Public Map 2

District		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	Total Pop	32,254	35,331	33,175	34,356	34,254	33,244	202,614
	Deviation from ideal	-1,515	1,562	-594	587	485	-525	3,077
	% Deviation	-4.49%	4.63%	-1.76%	1.74%	1.44%	-1.55%	9.11%
Total Pop	% Hisp	64.1%	60%	77%	87%	79%	81%	75%
	% NH White	20%	28%	8%	5%	6%	10%	13%
	% NH Black	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	9%	7%	11%	4%	12%	5%	8%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	20,106	23,929	17,955	14,650	17,902	17,000	111,541
	% Hisp	54%	45%	68%	78%	65%	66%	61%
	% NH White	28%	44%	14%	8%	13%	21%	23%
	% NH Black	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	5%	4%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	11%	7%	14%	9%	17%	6%	11%



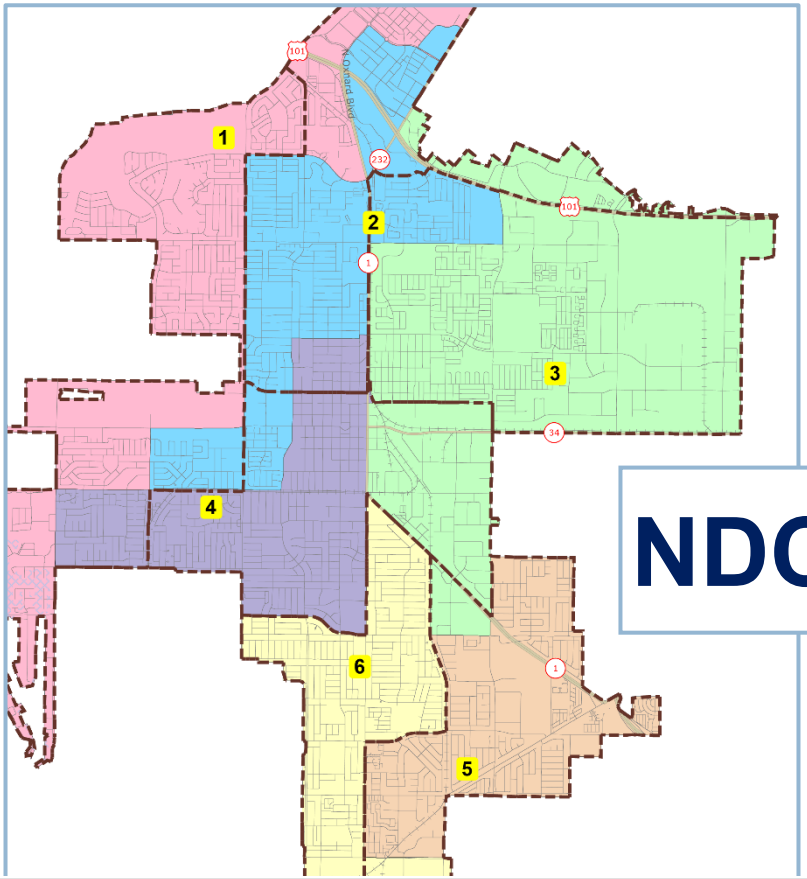
Public Map 3

District		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	Total Pop	33,143	33,594	34,267	33,765	33,891	33,954	202,614
	Deviation from ideal	-626	-175	498	-4	122	185	1,124
	% Deviation	-1.85%	-0.52%	1.47%	-0.01%	0.36%	0.55%	3.33%
Total Pop	% Hisp	48.6%	70%	78%	87%	80%	85%	75%
	% NH White	35%	17%	8%	7%	6%	6%	13%
	% NH Black	3%	4%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	% Asian-American	10%	7%	11%	3%	11%	5%	8%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	25,549	19,728	18,386	14,088	18,096	15,694	111,541
	% Hisp	39%	60%	68%	78%	66%	70%	61%
	% NH White	44%	27%	14%	12%	12%	16%	23%
	% NH Black	5%	4%	3%	4%	4%	6%	4%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	10%	8%	14%	6%	17%	7%	11%



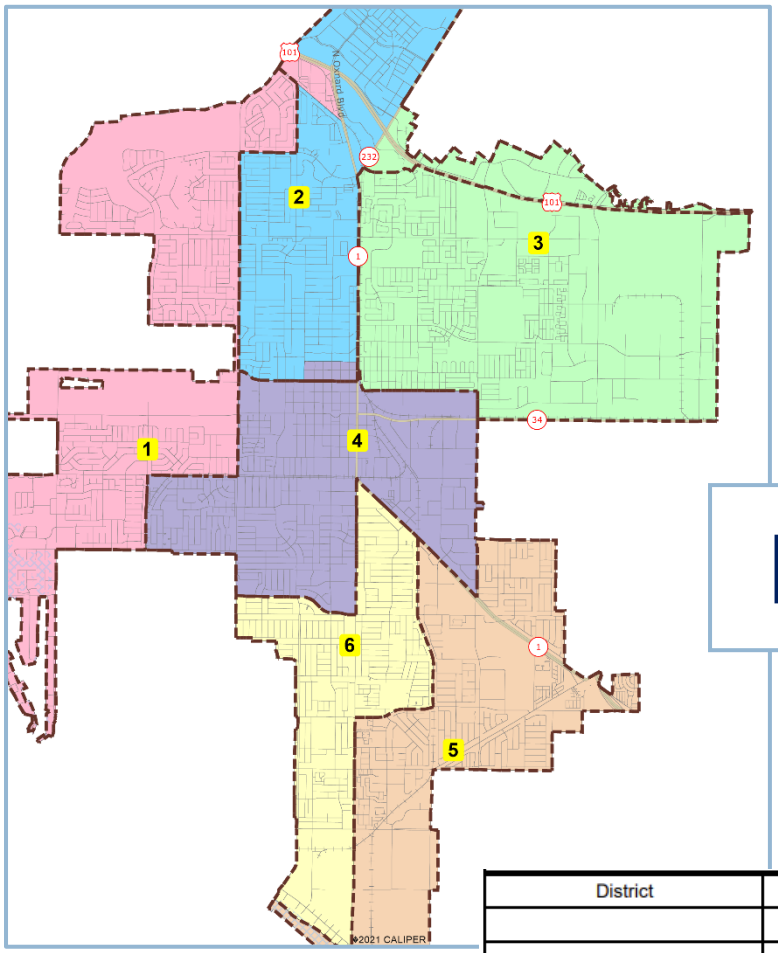
NDC Map 201

District		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	Total Pop	34,313	32,396	34,840	35,120	33,552	32,393	202,614
	Deviation from ideal	544	-1,373	1,071	1,351	-217	-1,376	2,727
	% Deviation	1.61%	-4.07%	3.17%	4.00%	-0.64%	-4.07%	8.08%
Total Pop	% Hisp	49.4%	70%	78%	86%	77%	89%	75%
	% NH White	35%	17%	8%	7%	7%	5%	13%
	% NH Black	4%	4%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	10%	7%	11%	2%	14%	4%	8%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	26,120	19,143	18,527	16,008	17,707	14,036	111,541
	% Hisp	39%	60%	68%	74%	63%	77%	61%
	% NH White	44%	27%	14%	15%	13%	12%	23%
	% NH Black	5%	4%	3%	5%	5%	4%	4%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	10%	8%	13%	5%	19%	6%	11%



NDC Map 202

District		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	Total Pop	34,532	35,182	34,016	34,303	32,188	32,393	202,614
	Deviation from ideal	763	1,413	247	534	-1,581	-1,376	2,994
	% Deviation	2.26%	4.18%	0.73%	1.58%	-4.68%	-4.07%	8.87%
Total Pop	% Hisp	47.1%	76%	78%	81%	78%	89%	75%
	% NH White	36%	12%	7%	11%	6%	5%	13%
	% NH Black	4%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	11%	7%	11%	3%	13%	4%	8%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	25,616	20,976	15,934	17,885	17,094	14,036	111,541
	% Hisp	37%	67%	66%	69%	64%	77%	61%
	% NH White	46%	20%	15%	19%	13%	12%	23%
	% NH Black	4%	3%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	11%	10%	14%	4%	18%	6%	11%



NDC Map 203

District		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	Total Pop	34,313	34,463	34,840	33,759	32,846	32,393	202,614
	Deviation from ideal	544	694	1,071	-10	-923	-1,376	2,447
	% Deviation	1.61%	2.06%	3.17%	-0.03%	-2.73%	-4.07%	7.25%
Total Pop	% Hisp	49.4%	70%	78%	86%	77%	89%	75%
	% NH White	35%	17%	8%	7%	6%	5%	13%
	% NH Black	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	% Asian-American	10%	7%	11%	3%	13%	4%	8%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	26,120	20,264	18,527	15,063	17,531	14,036	111,541
	% Hisp	39%	60%	68%	75%	63%	77%	61%
	% NH White	44%	27%	14%	13%	13%	12%	23%
	% NH Black	5%	3%	3%	5%	5%	4%	4%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	10%	7%	13%	6%	19%	6%	11%

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