



# Redistricting 2021 First Public Hearing



# 2021 City of Stanton Redistricting

The 2021 redistricting process:

- Project timelines
- Key deadlines
- Next steps and hearings



# City of Stanton

Council Members hold 4-year terms

- Districts 1 & 3 terms begin following election in November 2022
- Districts 2 & 4 terms begin following election in November 2024



# Redistricting Process

Step	Description
Initial Pre-Draft Hearings (2)	Held prior to release of draft maps. Education and to solicit input from the community Identify “neighborhoods,” “communities of interest,” and “secondary areas.”
Initial deadline for draft maps	Deadline for the public to submit draft maps for inclusion in the next hearing packet and presentation
Release draft maps	Draft maps posted to project website
Public Hearings (post-map) (2)	Public Hearings to discuss and revise or adopt the draft map(s)
Map adoption	Map adopted via ordinance or resolution. Final map must be posted at least 7 days prior to adoption. May happen at Hearing 4.



# Redistricting Rules and Goals

## Federal Law

Equal Population  
Federal Voting Rights Act  
No Racial Gerrymandering



## California Criteria for Cities

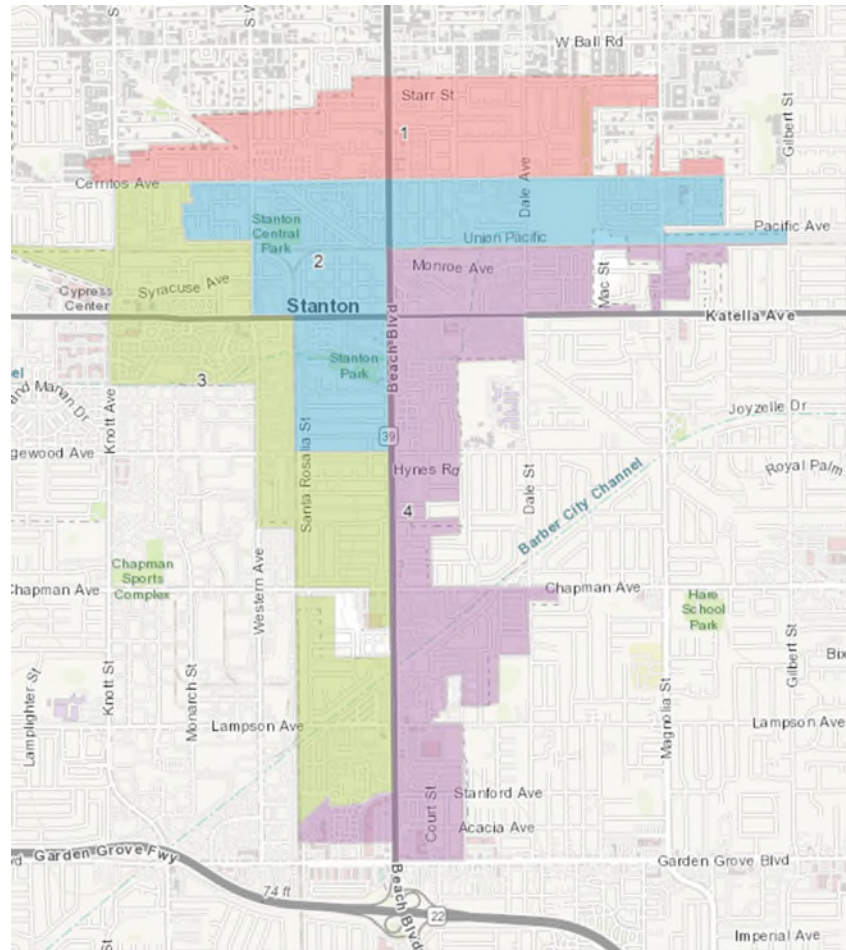
Geographically contiguous  
Geographic integrity of a local neighborhood, communities of interest  
Easily identifiable and understandable – use of local landmarks/boundary lines  
Geographically compact

## Other traditional principles

Minimize voters shifted to different election years  
Respect voters' choices / continuity in office  
Future population growth  
Preserving the core of existing districts



# Existing Districts



Housing Stats



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# Existing Districts with 2020 Census Data Overlay

District	Total Pop	Raw Dev.	% Dev.	Latino	NL Asian Alone	CVAP19 Total	CVAP19 NL White	CVAP19 NL Black	CVAP19 Hispanic	CVAP19 Not Hispanic	CVAP19 NL AIAN	CVAP19 NL ASIAN	CVAP19 NL Hawaiian	CVAP19 NL Other
1	9271	-276.75	-2.90%	4791	2811	4964	1248	106	1709	3329	0	1934	0	17
2	8904	-643.75	-6.74%	5043	2236	4967	951	69	1626	3310	0	2099	63	4
3	10326	778.25	8.15%	4596	2995	6207	1916	174	2076	4122	21	1783	26	42
4	9690	142.25	1.49%	4507	3236	5757	1405	51	1959	3778	21	2162	0	16

Total Population: 38,191  
 Ideal District Population: 9547.75  
 Total Deviation: 14.89%



# Findings

- Total Deviation is higher than the “acceptable” range at 14.89%
- All four districts are already majority/minority population.
  - Districts 1, 2, & 4 are majority/minority Asian
  - District 3 is majority/minority Hispanic
- Current district boundaries **must** be adjusted for population balance





# Preeminent Considerations

- Equal population (one person/one vote)
- Racial minority voice
- Geographically contiguous districts
- Measured objectively



# Important Considerations "Communities of Interest"

- Physical boundaries
  - Natural or artificial barriers
  - Roadways, rivers, railways
  - Parks, schools, and other landmarks
- Geographic integrity, compactness



# Important Considerations

## "Communities of Interest"

- Political boundaries
  - School attendance areas
  - Special district service areas
  - Federal, state, and county divisions



# Important Considerations "Communities of Interest"

- Not:
  - Incumbents' residences
  - Political affiliations



# Public Hearing & Discussion

- What is your neighborhood and what are its boundaries?
- What other notable areas are in the city, and what are their boundaries?
- Inform the public on how they can participate



# Public Hearing & Discussion

➤ Any questions about what's next?

Following tonight's hearing, BB&K will continue analysis of census data for presentation at 2<sup>nd</sup> Public Hearing.



# Sources of Information

- Demographic data
- Staff expertise
- Public input
  - The City may wish to conduct a workshop to further engage the public
- Council input



# MapStanton.org

- Dedicated Repository for all redistricting information
- Must be maintained online for 10 years
- Updated regularly as the process unfolds





# MapStanton.org

## City of Stanton 2021 Redistricting

Help Create New City Council Districts



**Redistricting Stanton**

Get involved and be a part of the redistricting process.

Welcome Public Meetings and Agendas Draw a Map Draft Maps Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) Resources Contact Us

### Welcome

Every 10 years, local governments use new data from the Census to redraw their district lines to reflect how local populations have changed. The City of Stanton is asking for your help to plan, draw, and reapportion new City districts.

The finalized maps that you will help us create will change how you elect your City Council Members for the next 10 years.

Our primary goal when drawing election districts is to draw lines that respect neighborhoods, history and geographical elements. So we want to know: What do *you* consider the boundaries of your neighborhood?

Share your specific thoughts, draw a map or attend an upcoming public hearing to get involved!

Check out these links to our redistricting process flyers:

[English](#)

[Vietnamese](#)

[Spanish](#)

[Korean](#)

This page will serve as your go-to homepage for all things Redistricting. You will find agendas for Council workshops and hearings, proposed maps for consideration,

### November 2021

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# Timeline & Next Steps

- The prisoner-adjusted census data was released by the state on September 20, 2021.
- Data is being analyzed against the City's existing district boundaries
- Three additional public hearings must be held before the Council may vote on a proposed final boundary map.
- The approved map must be submitted to the County Registrar of Voters no later than April 17, 2022.



# Timeline & Next Steps

November 23, 2021	1 <sup>st</sup> public hearing Held prior to the release of draft maps
December 16, 2021	2 <sup>nd</sup> public hearing Held prior to the release of draft maps
December 17, 2021	Mapping tool released to the public
Winter 2021/22	BB&K to prepare draft maps using 2020 census data
January 10, 2022	Deadline for the public to submit draft maps for consideration at 3 <sup>rd</sup> public hearing
January 18, 2022	Publish draft map(s)
January 25, 2022	3 <sup>rd</sup> public hearing Consideration and input on proposed draft maps
February 22, 2022	4 <sup>th</sup> public hearing Council to introduce ordinance approving final maps.
April 17, 2022	City deadline to adopt ordinance after 2 <sup>nd</sup> reading (effective immediately) and to <b>submit map to Registrar.</b>
November 2022	2022 election

