

City of San Leandro Redistricting 2022

Presentation Overview

- Why do we need to redistrict?
- Changes to population between 2010 and 2020
- Council District boundaries and population
- Rules Committee recommendations from 2011
- Current criteria consideration
- Proposed process and timeline
- Questions

What is redistricting?

- ❑ Redistricting is the process by which political district lines, be they congressional districts at the federal level or council districts at the local level, are redrawn to accommodate disproportionate population growth within each district.

Why redistrict?

- ❑ The City of San Leandro's Charter (section 230) mandates new districts if Census population counts change by five percent or more.
- ❑ The City's population increased from 84,950 to 91,008 between 2010 and 2020, an increase of 7.13%.
- ❑ The population growth was unevenly distributed between the current Council Districts.

Council District Population Comparison

Council District	2010 Population	2020 Population	Growth	% Growth
City	84,950	91,008	6,058	7.13%
1	13,638	15,167	1,529	11.21%
2	14,258	15,122	864	6.06%
3	14,351	15,663	1,312	9.14%
4	14,429	15,206	777	5.38%
5	13,594	14,270	676	4.97%
6	14,680	15,580	900	6.13%

Council District Population Variances

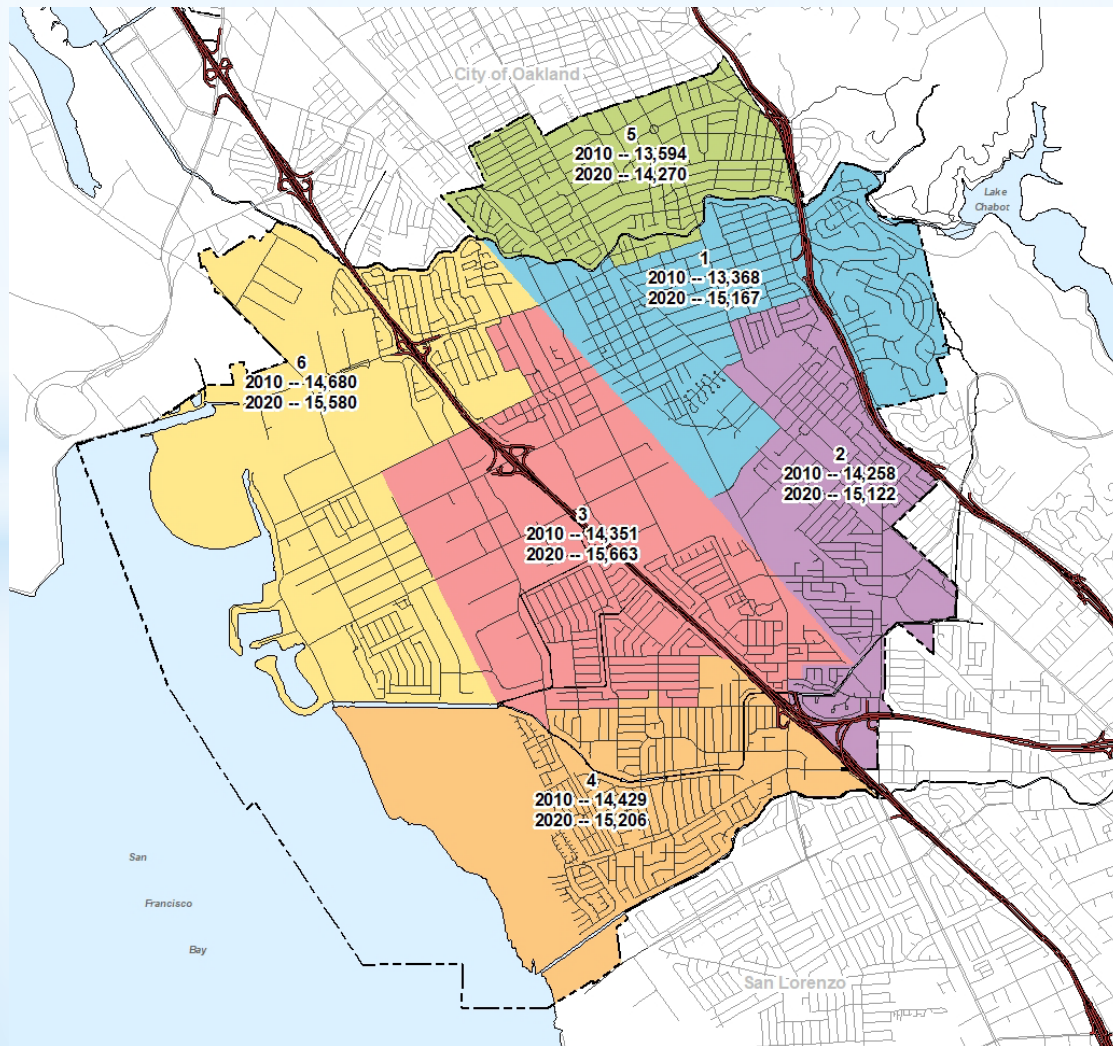
2020 population targets by district.

District target = 15,168

Council District	2020 Population	Variance from Target	% Variance
City	91,008		
1	15,167	1	0.01%
2	15,122	46	0.30%
3	15,663	-495	-3.26%
4	15,206	-38	-0.25%
5	14,270	898	5.92%
6	15,580	-412	-2.72%

- positive values indicate districts need to gain population
- negative values indicate districts need to lose population

Existing Council Districts



Previous Criteria Consideration (7/18/2011)

- Population of districts as equal as possible, within a 5% variance between districts
- Respect neighborhood boundaries
- Respect school district boundaries
- Use natural and man-made boundaries as borders
- Keep new districts as similar to old districts as possible
- Consider the historic configuration of the neighborhoods
- Consider the topography, geography, cohesiveness, contiguity, integrity and compactness of territory
- Consider communities of interest of the districts

Current Criteria Consideration

- Population of districts as equal as possible
- Districts must consist of geographically compact contiguous territory
- District boundaries shall approximate election precinct boundaries established by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda

Proposed Process and Timeline

STATUS	DATE	ACTION
√	August 2021	City received Census 2020 redistricting data
√	January 26, 2022	City Council Rules Committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • review redistricting information • make recommendations re: redistricting criteria, process and timeline • discuss community outreach/noticing plan
→	February 7, 2022	Adoption of Timeline, Criteria and Outreach Plan for City Council Redistricting (reviews, discusses and adopts the criteria, timeline and community outreach plan for the 2022 Council redistricting)
	February 12, 2022 February 15, 2022 February 17, 2022	Workshop Meetings to receive input on Draft District Maps
	February 23, 2022	City Council Rules Committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • review Draft District Maps
	March 7, 2022	City Council Public Hearing on final redistricting plan (ordinance passed to print)
	March 14, 2022	City Council adopts final redistricting plan
	April 15, 2022	City submits final redistricting plan to Alameda County ROV
	November 8, 2022	City Council election with new map

Questions?