

2022 Redistricting Public Hearing #2

A Presentation to the
Moreno Valley City Council

February 15, 2022

Procedural Requirements

Per the California FAIR MAPS Act (2019), the City must:

- Conduct at least **4 public hearings** prior to adoption of new map
- Provide live **Spanish* interpretation** if requested 72 hours in advance of meeting
- Encourage public participation by conducting **outreach to media and community groups**, including those in underrepresented and non-English speaking communities
- Establish and maintain a **redistricting website** for at least 10 years

* Spanish is the only “applicable language” designated for Moreno Valley

Redistricting Process: Key Dates



<p>First Pre-Map Hearing February 1, 2022 Council Meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations at Council meeting re (1) legal and policy criteria governing redistricting, and (2) demographics of existing council districts • Council conducts <u>first</u> required public hearing on communities of interest and composition of the districts.
<p>Second Pre-Map Hearing February 15, 2022 Council Meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations at Council meeting re (1) legal and policy criteria governing redistricting, and (2) demographics of existing council districts • Council conducts <u>second</u> required public hearing on communities of interest and composition of the districts, instructs demographic consultant to prepare draft district plans.
<p>First Draft Map Hearing March 1, 2022 Council Meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss and revise the draft maps • Deadline to submit draft maps: February 18, 2022, 5 p.m. • Post draft maps by February 22, 2022, 5 p.m.
<p>Second Draft Map Hearing March 15, 2022 Council Meeting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss and select final map • Deadline to submit draft maps: March 2, 2022, 5 p.m. • Post draft maps by March 8, 2022, 5 p.m.
<p>Map Adoption By April 17, 2022</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Final map must be posted at least 7 days prior to adoption.

Redistricting Rules

Federal Criteria

- **Equal Population***
 - **Voting Right Act**
 - **Avoid Racial Gerrymandering**
- * Total population deviation <10%**

FAIR MAPS Act

1. Geographically contiguous
2. Minimize division of neighborhoods and “communities of interest” to the extent practicable
 - Excludes political parties/candidates
3. Easily identifiable boundaries
4. Compactness

Traditional Criteria

May include:

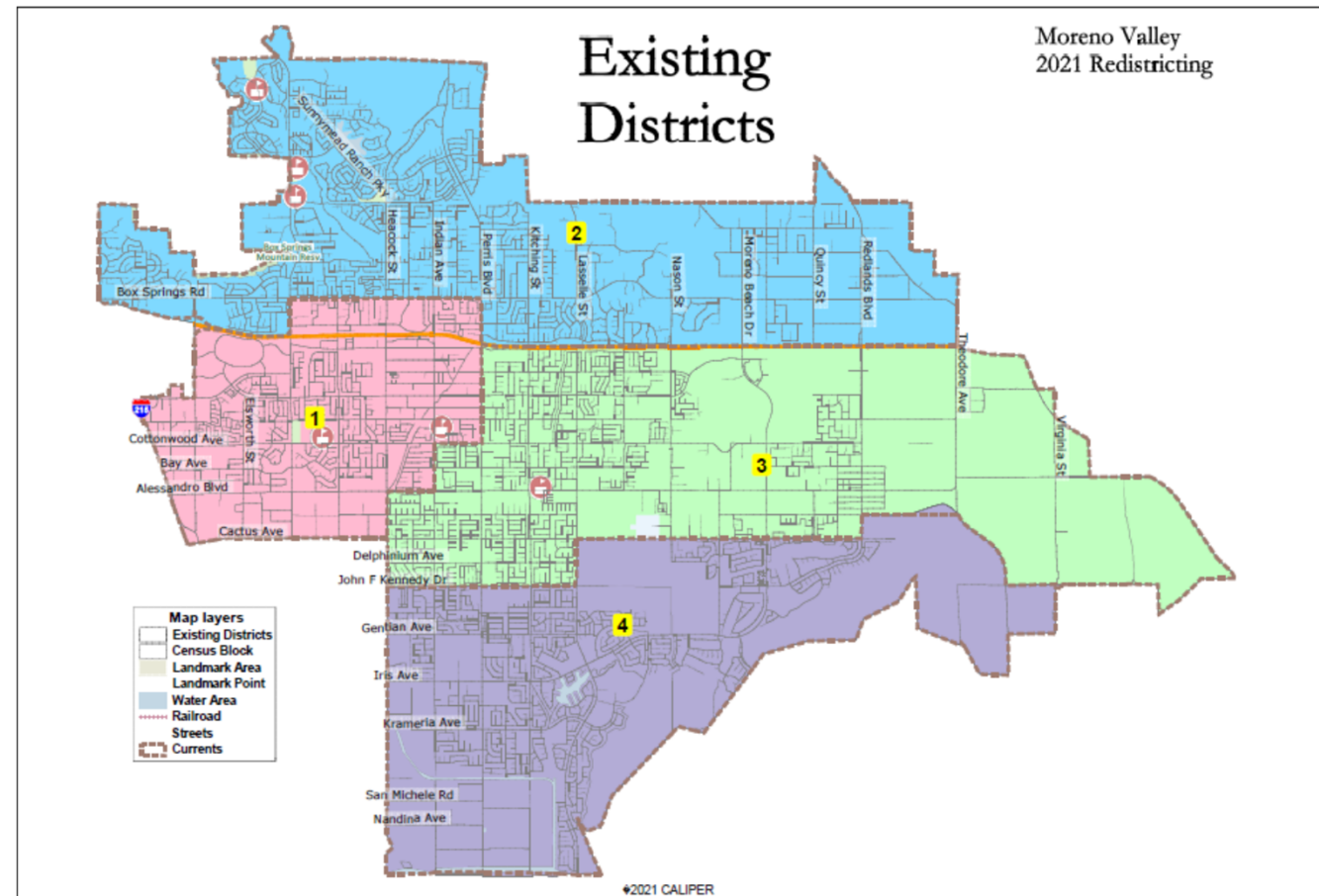
- Minimize election year changes
- Respect voters’ choices
- Preserve cores of existing districts

Do not bypass a nearby population to take in a more distant population

Demographics of Current Districts

Dist.	Est. Pop.	Dev.*	% Dev.
1	50,844	-1,573	-3.00%
2	51,719	-698	-1.33%
3	53,474	1,057	2.02%
4	53,630	1,213	2.31%
Total	209,667	2,786	5.32%

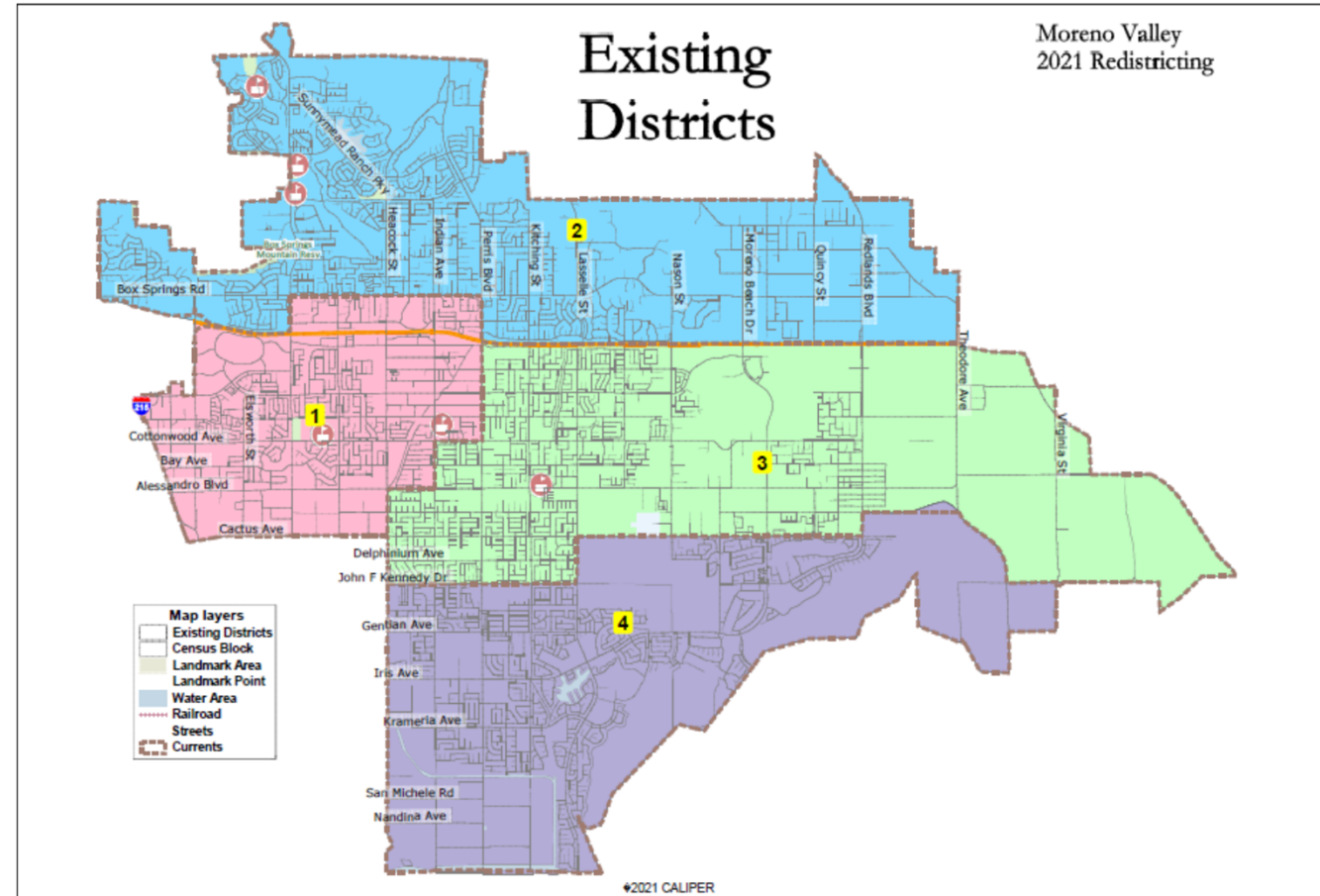
* Ideal District Population:
52,417 total persons



Demographics of Current Districts

Dist.	% Latino CVAP	% NH Black CVAP	% NH Asian CVAP	% NH White CVAP
1	56%	22%	5%	16%
2	45%	16%	8%	31%
3	54%	20%	7%	18%
4	48%	26%	8%	17%
Total	50%	21%	7%	21%

“CVAP” = citizen voting age population

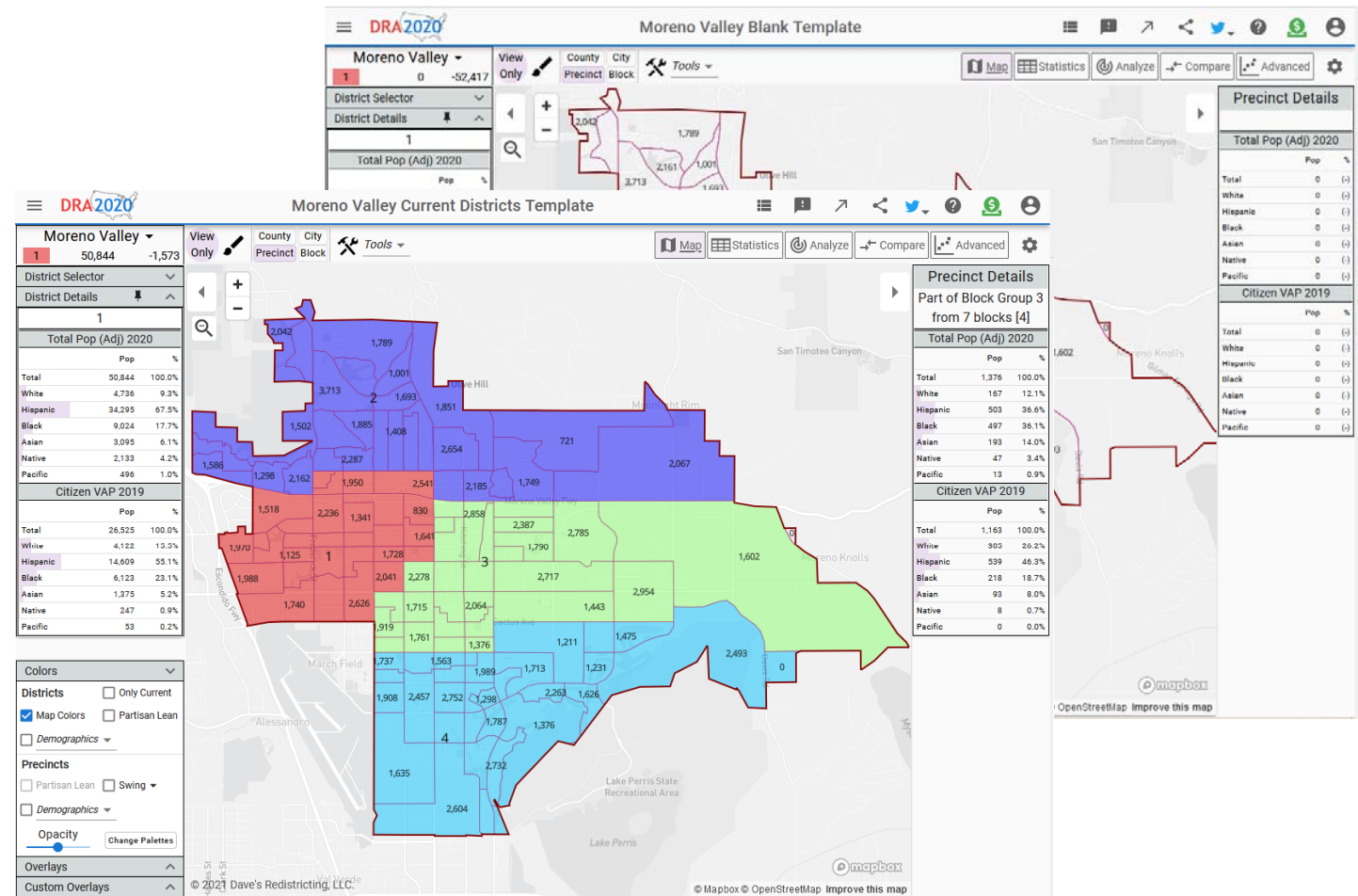


Identifying Communities of Interest

- State Law Definition: “a population that shares common social or economic interests that should be included **within a single district** for purposes of its effective and fair representation”
 - NOT a community of interest: “Communities of interest do not include relationships with political parties, incumbents, or political candidates.”
- Public testimony:
 - What is the common social or economic interest related to City policy that your community of interest shares?
 - What are its geographic boundaries?
 - Should your neighborhood or “community of interest” be kept together in one district? Why or why not?

Public Participation: Online Mapping Tools

- Dave's Redistricting App
- Link from City's website
- Draw lines starting with current lines or blank slate
- Upload for processing by demographers



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Welcome

The Redistricting Process

Every 10 years, local governments use new data from the U.S. Census to review their voting district boundaries to determine whether they need to be adjusted to reflect any changes in the local population and its distribution amongst the current districts. State law requires cities and counties to engage communities in the redistricting process by holding public hearings and doing public outreach, including to underrepresented and non-English-speaking communities. The City of Moreno Valley is asking for your help to plan, draw, and identify new City voting districts.

The finalized maps that you will help create will define the boundaries for the four Moreno Valley City Council voting district, and these new district boundaries will impact how you elect your Council Members for the next 10 years.

The primary goal when developing voting districts is to draw lines that respect neighborhoods, communities of interest, shared history and geographical elements. As such, the City wants your important and valuable input!

How to participate?

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

- Submit written testimony about the process or a specific map to redistrict@moval.org.
- [Click here](#) to see the calendar of public hearings at which you can speak about the process or a specific map.
- [Click here](#) for information on drawing and submitting maps.

At the public hearings, the City wants you to:

Website: <https://redistrictmoval.org/>

Final Points

- No councilmember's term cut short (*see* Elec. Code § 21606(a)), but
- When his or her term ends, an incumbent can only run from the new district in which he or she resides (*see* Elec. Code § 21606(b),(c)).
- Because the current district-based system was adopted by the voters, the number of districts can only be changed by a further vote of the people (*see* Elec. Code § 9217; *see also* Govt. Code §§ 34870-34884).

Questions?