Attachment A

Contra Costa County Redistricting Community Input Summary

October 13 – November 3, 2021

Redistricting is the once-a-decade process of redrawing the boundaries for Supervisorial districts after the U.S. Census.

The County is committed to a robust public outreach process. The following public comments have been submitted through November 2, 2021. Maps and comments are attached.

In addition to comments received through the District Comment Portal, online form submissions, emails and letters, six Community Redistricting Workshops were hosted by individual supervisors between October 23 and October 28, 2021.

Key Takeaways October 13, 2021 through November 3, 2021

1. Most of the comment were received during the Community Redistricting Workshops or on the Public Comment Portal after a workshop. Most of the Public input centered on the desire to keep Concord whole. Other comments include:
    - Requests to increase community outreach efforts
    - Consider school districts for communities of interest
    - Request to see more race/ethnicity data
    - Consider adding Hercules to District 1
    - Comments related to specific map concepts presented

Key Takeaways September 28, 2021 through October 12, 2021:

1. Only one new commentator on the Districtr Comment Portal, with two different options. The commenter focused on communities of interest, especially social-economic interests.

Key Takeaways through September 27, 2021

1. Much of the public comment received through the Districtr portal centers on communities of interest in District 2. The following outlines key issues related to District 2:
    - Diablo and Blackhawk should be part of District 2 as they are part of the San Ramon Valley
    - Lamorinda should be kept together and in District 2
    - Portions of unincorporated Contra Costa County in Lafayette Schools should be with Lafayette and in District 2.

2. The remainder of the comments centered on keeping al cities or specific portions of a city together
    a. The Democratic Party of Contra Costa County asked that all cities be kept intact
    b. One COI submission (Kate) indicated Downtown Walnut Creek and adjacent neighborhoods should be in the same district.

Community Workshops

- 78 of people attended
    - In Person Attendees: 7 unique attendees
    - Remote Attendees: 71 unique attendees
    - Phone in Attendees: 0 attendees
- 21 public comments were received at the community workshop. A summary of comments is attached.

Districtr Redistricting Comment Portal: Community of Interest Maps

- C6054: Keep Concord together

Community of Interest Maps Submitted between September 28 and October 12, 2021

- No new Community of Interest Maps

Community of Interest Maps Submitted through September 27, 2021

- C2632: Northern Waterfront
- C2635: Downtown Walnut Creek
- Note: Ag Core was submitted by staff as an example

Districtr Redistricting Comment Portal: District Maps

- P5839: Contra Costa Hearld proposed map
- P6261: Concord Whole Variant Staff 5 with 7.3%
    - Leslie Stewart Comment 1 (11/2/2021)
    - Leslie Stewart Comment 2 (11/2/2021)
- P6263: All Cities whole V2 6.2% variance
    - 1 Comment (11/2/2021)

District Maps Submitted through between September 28 and October 12, 2021

- P5142: Why grouping commonalities is important
- P5147: Encouraging like minded advancement

District Maps Submitted through September 27, 2021

- P4715: Ron's District Map
- P4717: Ron's #2 Map
- P4925: Ron's #3
- P4926: Add Blackhawk and Diablo to District 2

Districtr Redistricting Comment Portal: Written Testimony

- W5996: Keep Concord Whole
- W6053: Mt Diablo Unified School District
- W6055: District Map 5
- W6262: All Cities Kept Whole 9.09 variance V.1

Written Testimony Submitted between September 28 and October 12, 2021

- No new written testimony

Written Testimony Submitted through September 27, 2021

- W4783 - District 2

Online Forms

- Stephen McCaffree (October 31, 2021)

Online Form Submissions Received through October 12, 2021

- No Submissions

Emails and Letters

- Brenna Fleck: County Office of Education (October 18, 2021)
- Email to Board of Supervisors from Adria Orr, Asian Americans Adviance Justice - Asian Law Caucus. Email includes letter and best practices attachments (October 21, 2021)
- Email from Lindy Johnson to the Clerk of the Board (October 25, 2021)
- Email from Jane Courant (November 1, 2021)
- Email from Wendy McAuley with letter from Timothy McGallian, Mayor City of Conrod (November 3, 2021)
- Email from Stephen McCarfee (November 3, 2021)
- Email from Barbara Kuklewicz (November 3, 2021)
- Email from Adria Orr, Asian Americans Advancing Justice, with letter from coailition of community based organizations (November 3, 2021)

Emails and Letters Received between September 28 and October 12, 2021

- No New Emails or Letters received

Emails and Letters Received through September 27, 2021

- Letter from the Democratic Party of Contra Costa County via Supervisor Gioia
- Email to Roger Chelemedos via Supervisor Andersen.

Contra Costa County Redistricting Community Workshop Summary

October 23 – October 28, 2021

The six Community Redistricting Workshops provided background on the Redistricting Process, provided an overview of website and online mapping tool, presented potential Supervisorial district boundary changes (map alternatives), answered questions, and received community input. A total of 78 members of the public attended the workshops, with 71 attending remotely and 7 attending in person.

Saturday, October 23, 2021 @ 9:00 AM

Hosted by: Supervisor Candace Andersen (District 2)
Workshop held in person and remote
Location: San Ramon City Hall, 7000 Bollinger Canyon Rd, San Ramon 94583
Link to Video of District 2 Workshop

Number of attendees: 8

- In person: 3 attendees
- Remote: 5
- Call In: 0

Public Comment:

- **Edi Birsan**
  Wants to keep Concord together in one supervisorial district. Each of the concepts presented divides Concord in a harmful way that cuts out two major areas of development.

- **Anamarie Avila Farias**
  Asked if changing the number of districts had been considered (from 5 to 7). Thanked Supervisor Andersen for pointing out the gerrymandering during the last redistricting process. Agrees that we should not be splitting up cities. Doesn't see much improvement on the maps. Wants to see people of color's voices lifted up through this process.

Sunday, October 24, 2021 @12:00 Noon

Hosted by: Supervisor Diane Burgis (District 3)
Workshop held remotely
Link to Video of District 3 Workshop

Number of attendees: 9

- Remote: 9 attendees
- Call In: 0

Public Comment:

- **Shawn Gilbert**
  Inquired regarding that there are so many citizen commissions, why is the BOS responsible for redistricting. Asked out of the 5 maps, if one district loses population how does its effect voting on issues. And, asked if the variance of maps if race is considered.

- **Champagne Brown**
  Stated that the information presented was easy to follow and she will be learning more over the next week regarding the process. She was disappointed with outreach to the communities' base on there not being a lot of people in the Zoom meeting.

- **Courtney Masalla-Obrien**
  Is disappointed with the outreach.

- **Nadine Peyrucain**
  Interested in growth statistics and climate change predictions.

Monday, October 25, 2021 @ 7:00 PM

Hosted by: Supervisor Karen Mitchoff (District 4)
Workshop held in person and remote
Location: Pleasant Hill Community Center, 320 Civic Drive, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523
Link to Video of District 4 Workshop

Number of attendees: 35

- In person: 4
- Remote: 31 attendees
- Call In: 0

Public Comment:

- **Tim Carr**
  Resident of Concord; would like Concord to be in one supervisorial district; having the new housing development in Bay Point (Seeno) and the Naval Weapons Station project under the jurisdiction of the same Supervisor is concerning and should be separate districts

- **Edi Birsan**
  Wants to keep Concord whole, in one Supervisorial District. He notes that consideration should be of the current population and not a predicted future one

- **Suzanne**
  Please do all that is possible to keep the city of Concord whole

- **Cora Mitchell**
  A Concord resident, requests that many levels of oversight be in place in regard to the Seeno project; and expressed that the large development in Bay Point and the future one at the Naval Weapons Station should be in separate Supervisors' control

- **Kevin Cabral**
  Resident of Concord, would like the airport and the Naval Weapons Station development to remain in the same district with the City of Concord. Prefers Concord remain whole.

- **Cherise Khaund,**
  Keep Concord whole

- **Ady Orr**
  Keep Concord whole, splitting school districts is troublesome; downtown Concord and the Monument corridor, school districts and airport should be in the same district.

- **Carlyn O'Bringer**
  Keep Concord whole. If that is not possible, the Northern Waterfront Initiative should be overseen by 3 supervisors.

- **Stephen McCaffree**
  Concerned about the Hillcrest community being separated from Concord and would like to know what the advantages and disadvantages of that would be.

- **John Haberson**
  Noted that none of the maps adds up to 100%. Would like to see Concord kept whole.

Tuesday, October 26, 2021 @ 7:00 PM

Hosted by: Supervisors Diane Burgis and Federal Glover (Districts 3 and 5)
Workshop held remotely
Link to Video of District 3 and 5 Workshop

Number of attendees: 13

- Remote: 13
- Call In: 0

Public Comment:

- **Shawn Gilbert**
  Had a question about the squiggly-ness of the lines in the Antioch city lines. Inquires as to why some maps divide Concord in unique ways. Wants to know the rationale for map divisions.

- **Cheryl Sudduth**
  Reiterates that when people are playing with the maps that they know that when you move around communities that there is a legal premise behind it.

- **Willie Mims**
  Wants to know which draft map most closely mirrors the current district map

Wednesday, October 27, 2021 @ 6:30 PM

Hosted by: Supervisor John Gioia (District 1)
Workshop held in person and remote
Location: San Pablo City Hall, 1000 Gateway Ave, San Pablo, CA 94806
Link to Video of District 4 Workshop

Number of attendees: 22

- In person: 1
- Remote: 21
- Call In: 0

Public Comment:

- **Vanessa Warheit**
  Interested in whether the drawing of the Supervisorial District Maps impacted in any way the drawing of other maps such as school district boundaries

- **Rita Barouch**
  Inquired whether video of the workshops would be available on the dedicated website

Thursday, October 28, 2021 @ 7:00 PM

Hosted by: Supervisor Federal Glover (District 5)
Workshop held remotely
Link to Video of District 5 Workshop

Number of attendees: 4

- Remote: 4
- Call In: 0

Public Comment:
There was no one wishing to speak

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Community of Interest Submission c6054
Keep Concord Together

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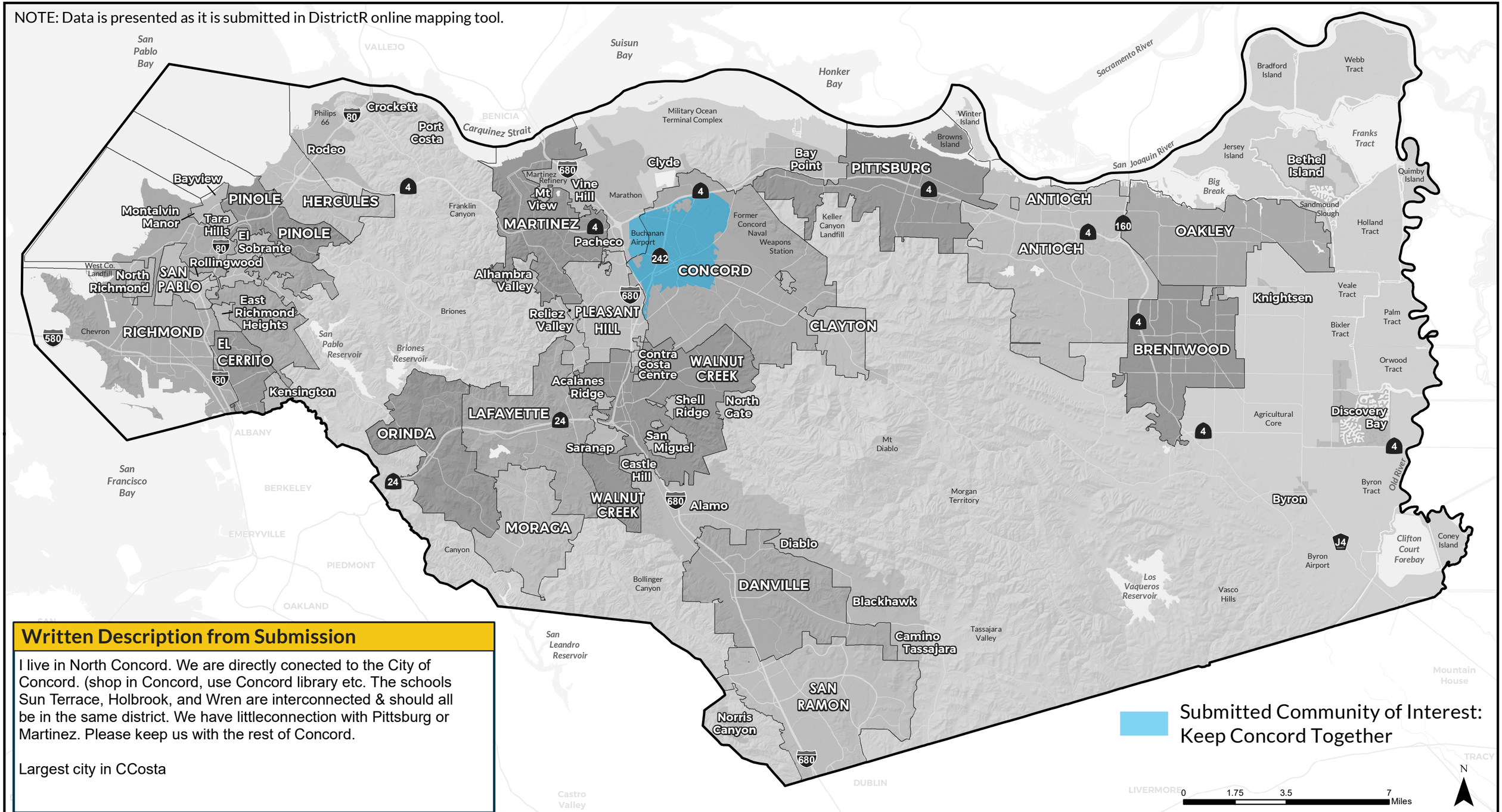

Written Description from Submission

I live in North Concord. We are directly conected to the City of Concord. (shop in Concord, use Concord library etc. The schools Sun Terrace, Holbrook, and Wren are interconnected & should all be in the same district. We have littleconnection with Pittsburg or Martinez. Please keep us with the rest of Concord.

Largest city in CCosta

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Data Source:Districtr Online Mapping tool submissions

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Community Submission p5839
Contra Costa Herald proposed map - Overview Map and Data

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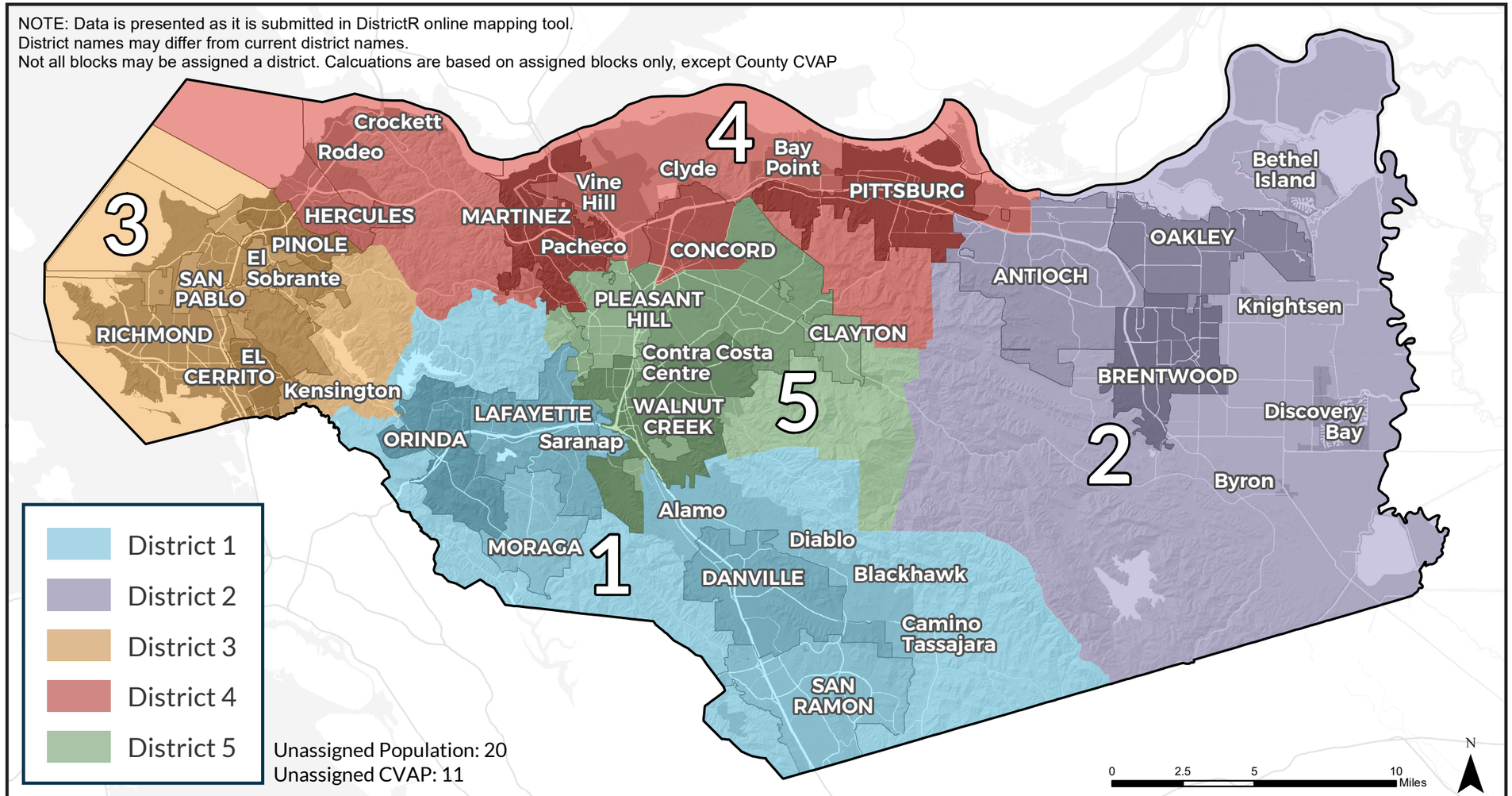

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Demographic Analysis
Race and Ethnicity by District

Total Population - Race and Ethnicity

	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	232,158	19,252	123,716	3,724	69,692	15,774
		8.3%	53.3%	1.6%	30.0%	6.8%
District 2	232,453	73,710	84,836	28,613	27,430	17,864
		31.7%	36.5%	12.3%	11.8%	7.7%
District 3	235,996	95,002	51,361	33,300	40,757	15,576
		40.3%	21.8%	14.1%	17.3%	6.6%
District 4	234,517	82,189	68,117	26,723	40,691	16,797
		35.0%	29.0%	11.4%	17.4%	7.2%
District 5	232,925	45,269	127,847	6,632	35,975	17,202
		19.4%	54.9%	2.8%	15.4%	7.4%
County	1,168,049	315,422	455,877	98,992	214,545	83,213
		27.0%	39.0%	8.5%	18.4%	7.1%

Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) Race and Ethnicty

	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	148,937	9,713	102,427	2,350	29,904	4,543
		6.5%	68.8%	1.6%	20.1%	3.1%
District 2	154,232	35,534	75,590	20,714	14,720	7,674
		23.0%	49.0%	13.4%	9.5%	5.0%
District 3	140,259	35,136	45,392	27,282	26,035	6,414
		25.1%	32.4%	19.5%	18.6%	4.6%
District 4	150,407	36,059	63,763	18,277	24,779	7,529
		24.0%	42.4%	12.2%	16.5%	5.0%
District 5	167,219	21,271	113,922	5,060	20,158	6,808
		12.7%	68.1%	3.0%	12.1%	4.1%
County	761,054	137,713	401,094	73,683	115,596	32,968
		18.1%	52.7%	9.7%	15.2%	4.3%

Concept Total Variation

1.64%

2021 Population
Population: 1,168,069
Equal Distribution: 233,614
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP): 761,065

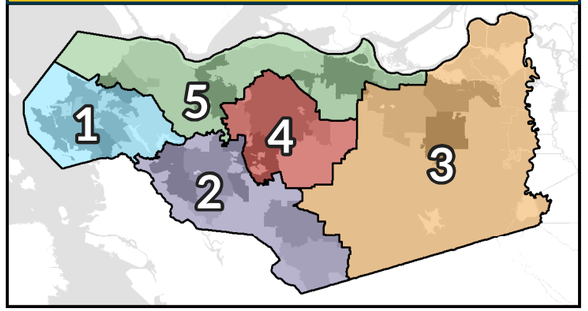
Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	232,158	(1,455)	-0.62%
District 2	232,453	(1,160)	-0.50%
District 3	235,996	2,383	1.02%
District 4	234,517	904	0.39%
District 5	232,925	(688)	-0.29%

Written Description from Submission

This map creates districts with the least population deviation while also respecting both city boundaries, except for two of three largest, Concord and Antioch, as well as unincorporated communities. It keeps all of the San Ramon Valley communities together unlike the current districts, and the districts are as compact as possible. In the cases of the split cities, in general, it uses major streets as the dividing lines.

Current Supervisorial Boundaries



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Concord Whole Variant Staff 5 with 7.3% - Overview Map and Data

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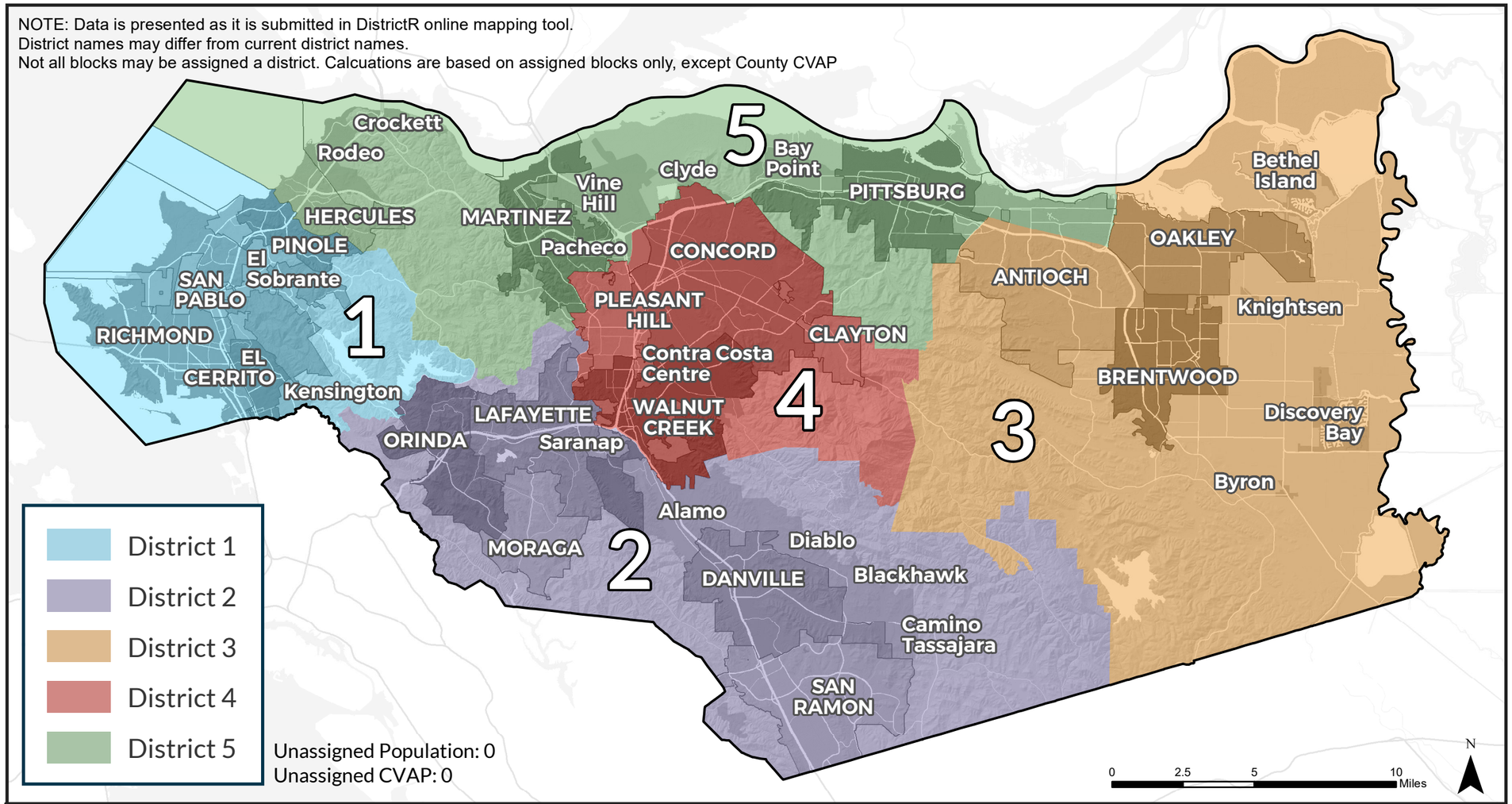

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	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	236,024	95,007	51,371	33,307	40,760	15,579
		40.3%	21.8%	14.1%	17.3%	6.6%
District 2	244,847	19,790	133,513	3,878	71,376	16,290
		8.1%	54.5%	1.6%	29.2%	6.7%
District 3	222,815	69,646	81,584	27,937	26,368	17,280
		31.3%	36.6%	12.5%	11.8%	7.8%
District 4	247,819	53,950	129,832	7,484	37,635	18,918
		21.8%	52.4%	3.0%	15.2%	7.6%
District 5	216,564	77,032	59,581	26,393	38,409	15,149
		35.6%	27.5%	12.2%	17.7%	7.0%
County	1,168,069	315,425	455,881	98,999	214,548	83,216
		27.0%	39.0%	8.5%	18.4%	7.1%

Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) Race and Ethnicty

	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	140,278	35,140	45,403	27,283	26,038	6,414
		25.1%	32.4%	19.4%	18.6%	4.6%
District 2	160,663	9,963	112,506	2,540	31,021	4,633
		6.2%	70.0%	1.6%	19.3%	2.9%
District 3	147,381	33,442	71,901	20,207	14,292	7,539
		22.7%	48.8%	13.7%	9.7%	5.1%
District 4	174,811	25,594	115,296	5,363	21,060	7,498
		14.6%	66.0%	3.1%	12.0%	4.3%
District 5	137,932	33,577	55,992	18,291	23,188	6,884
		24.3%	40.6%	13.3%	16.8%	5.0%
County	761,065	137,716	401,098	73,684	115,599	32,968
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Concept Total Variation

13.38%

2021 Population
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Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	236,024	2,411	1.03%
District 2	244,847	11,234	4.81%
District 3	222,815	(10,798)	-4.62%
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District 5	216,564	(17,049)	-7.30%

Written Description from Submission

This proves that Concord can be kept as a whole city which is by definition a Community of Interest without going over the 10% variation. In fact it is only 7.3%

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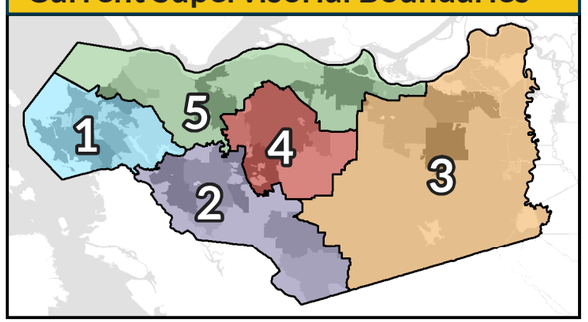

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Basic Info

Submitter: Edi Birsan
Location: Concord
Submitted on: 10/31/2021
Type: plan
Supervisorial Districts
ID: p6261

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Comments & Feedback

11/2/2021 - **Leslie Stewart** (Concord): I like this map because it keeps cities together and groups Pleasant Hill with Concord -- these two communities are very tightly joined in many ways. The lines here are clear and easily understandable -- no block-by-block wiggling around at the edges.
11/2/2021 - **Leslie Stewart** (Concord): I like this plan because it keeps cities in single districts and keeps Concord and Pleasant Hill together -- I have always felt those two communities to be very closely associated. Also, the lines here are clear and easy to understand, without block-by-block squiggles at the edge of districts.

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Community Submission p6263
All Cities whole V2 6.2% variance - Overview Map and Data

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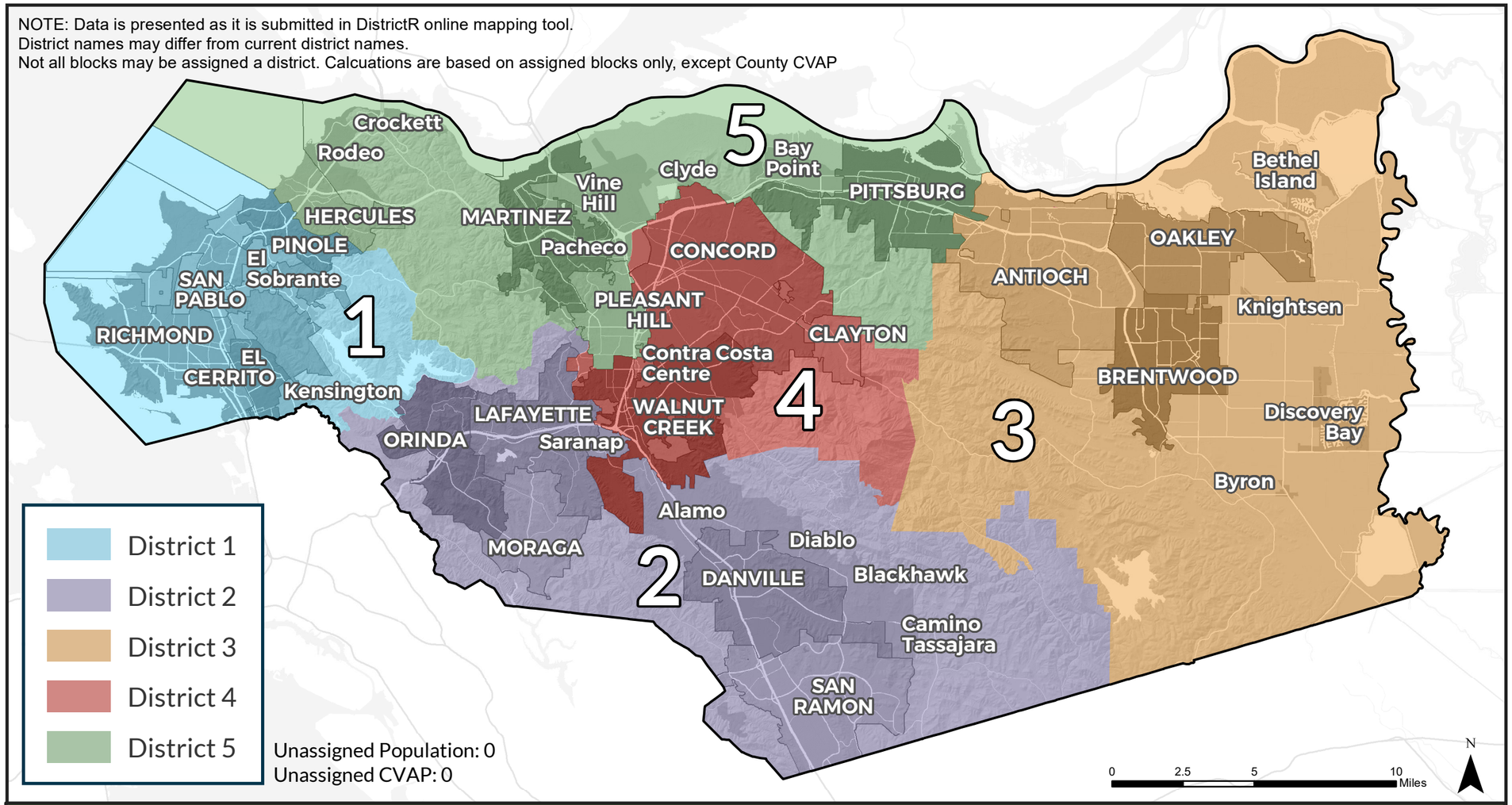

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		8.3%	53.5%	1.6%	29.9%	6.8%
District 3	248,091	81,088	87,789	32,128	28,025	19,061
		32.7%	35.4%	13.0%	11.3%	7.7%
District 4	223,444	49,413	117,053	6,721	33,809	16,448
		22.1%	52.4%	3.0%	15.1%	7.4%
District 5	226,526	70,583	74,592	23,102	42,042	16,207
		31.2%	32.9%	10.2%	18.6%	7.2%
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District 3	161,832	37,501	78,248	22,741	15,133	8,209
		23.2%	48.4%	14.1%	9.4%	5.1%
District 4	159,091	22,361	105,964	4,889	19,456	6,421
		14.1%	66.6%	3.1%	12.2%	4.0%
District 5	149,388	32,966	67,747	16,393	24,923	7,359
		22.1%	45.3%	11.0%	16.7%	4.9%
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District 4	223,444	(10,169)	-4.35%
District 5	226,526	(7,087)	-3.03%

Written Description from Submission

Keeps all cities whole and allows with Clayton being put back with Concord and WC

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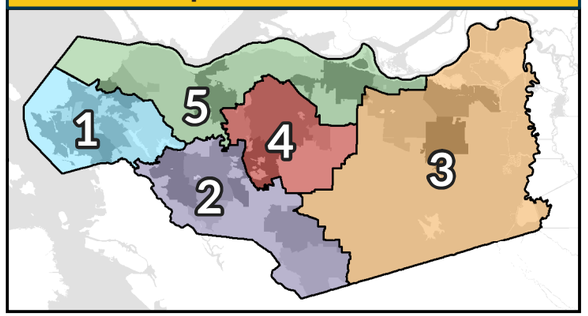

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Comments & Feedback

11/2/2021 - **Suzan Requa** (Concord): As a long time active Concord resident, I support this map which keeps Concord and most cities whole. This is the last time and an important time to keep Concord whole as we work through the CNWS development planning and design. We need to speak with one voice with any decisions impacting CCC property and services for the next 10 years. After that at least planning if not building will be in place to better determine a sensible split of our city for BOS districts. A division now of County services will further complicate an already challenging CNWS design process. We are a diverse city so the districts within Concord City limits can preserve diverse representation within the City limits and effectively speak to racial equity with our elected BOS representative.

Keep Concord Whole

Basic Info

Submitter: Tim Carr
Location: Concord
Submitted on: 10/25/2021
Type: written
ID: w5996

Tags

Written Testimony

All 5 maps cut Concord in half. They remove Northern Concord from the rest of Concord. The City limits should be observed. We need one person to protect Concord Interests as Northern Concord also contains the CNWS which should begin to grow as it is developed as well as BART which is changing to businesses and homes. 1) City Sales Tax rate binds us as one. City Council binds us. Unique issues(2) CNWS and BART N. Concord are both ready to begin HUGE developments bringing in 1000's of new homes. The City Council will need support of its congressperson. With the city districted into 2, who will help support our area?

Proceed to Submit a Comment

Comments & Feedback

No comments have been submitted.

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Mt. Diablo Unified School District

Basic Info

Submitter: Michelle
Location:
Submitted on: 10/25/2021
Type: written
ID: w6053

Tags

#concord #mdusd #school districts

Written Testimony

Hello, I'm interested in keeping Mt. Diablo Unified School District (MDUSD) in District 4 because this is a community of interest. Currently, Bay Point is not in Area 4 and the county suggested maps break up Concord. I have concerns with moving a part of Concord into another area and breaking up the school community further.

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Comments & Feedback

No comments have been submitted.

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District Map 5

Basic Info

Submitter: Evanne Jordan
Location: Concord
Submitted on: 10/25/2021
Type: written
ID: w6055

Tags

Written Testimony

I believe Map 5 is the best option for Concord in regard to redistricting. My second choice would be District Map 4, but I would greatly prefer District Map 5. All of the other maps take the control of the former Concord Naval Weapons Station out of the jurisdiction of Concord and put in the hands of a county supervisor from Pittsburg. This is not a good or sensible option, as Concord residents and government have been fully invested and active in the plans/designs for the Concord Naval Weapons Station property for many years. In addition, all the plans except Maps 4 and 5 take the downtown area out of the Supervisorial District that the rest of Concord would be in. This again, is completely ridiculous, as the Concord Business community, Concord residents and Concord City Council members are actively engaged in promoting and maintaining all of the positive growth that has been developed in our beautiful and thriving downtown area! I highly recommend that Map 5 is used in the redistricting process.

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Comments & Feedback

No comments have been submitted.

All Cities Kept Whole 9.09 variance V.1

Basic Info

Submitter: Edi Birsan
Location: Concord
Submitted on: 10/31/2021
Type: written
ID: w6262

Written Testimony

This proves that if we do accept the concept that all cities are a community of interest and we start with that then we CAN have a map within the 10% variance.

Tags

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Comments & Feedback

No comments have been submitted.

Print

Contra Costa County Redistricting Comments - Submission #50876

Date Submitted: 10/31/2021

Name*

Stephen McCaffree

Nombre
姓名

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[redacted]

Correo electrónico
电子邮箱

Are you a Contra Costa County resident?

Yes

¿Es usted residente del Condado de Contra Costa?
你是否为 Contra Costa 县居民?

What Language do you prefer?

- [x] English
- [ ] Español
- [ ] 中文

¿Qué idioma prefiere?
你偏好使用哪种语言?

Written Comment

Why are they splitting up Concord? On every map proposal my neighborhood (Hillcrest) and others nearby are being transferred from district 4 to District 5.
Why are we being picked on?
What are the other mapping options?
We are not mapmakers so we need to know your reasoning and options. To break up our city of Concord is not preferable.

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- [x] Yes (Sí) (可以)

From: Brenna Fleck (Email Address Deleted)
Sent: Monday, October 18, 2021 11:09 AM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Subject: Proposed Redistricting Maps

Good Morning,

The Contra Costa County Office of Education will also be redistricting our board trustees' areas.
Our Deputy Superintendent would like to know if any of the proposed Board of Supervisors redistricting maps had tract number information listed. If so, where could we find these?
Thank you,
Brenna Fleck

Brenna Fleck
Executive Assistant to the Deputy Superintendent
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925-942-3418

From: Adria Orr (Email Address Deleted)
Sent: Thursday, October 21, 2021 12:39 PM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Subject: Redistricting Outreach Best Practices Recommendation

Dear Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors,

Thank you for all of your ongoing efforts to incorporate public input into the county redistricting process. I'm attaching a letter and supplemental document with some recommended best practices for reaching out to community members, based on our experience working with community organizations. We hope you will find these ideas helpful as you continue to solicit public participation. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions.

Best,
Adria

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October 21, 2021

Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors
1025 Escobar Street
Martinez, CA 94553
Sent via email to clerkoftheboard@cob.cccounty.us

Re: Community outreach efforts in redistricting process

Dear Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors,

Thank you for your ongoing efforts to create a redistricting process that is accessible to Contra Costa County residents. I'm reaching out on behalf of Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Asian Law Caucus to respectfully encourage you to increase your community outreach efforts and to take additional steps to engage local communities, particularly those who have been underrepresented in this process.

While we appreciate that various channels for public input are available, we are concerned with the low level of public input that has been received to date, especially input about the many communities of interest in Contra Costa County. Communities of interest are crucial building blocks that should guide your decision-making as you draw district lines, as evidenced by their high ranking under the new FAIR MAPS Act as a redistricting criteria that must be considered when drawing district lines. Receiving sufficient public input on communities of interest is a key element of a successful and fair redistricting process.

Creating opportunities for input must be accompanied by rigorous outreach efforts in order to be effective. Our organization has compiled a set of best practices based on our work with community based organizations, which can be found in the attached document. While it was created with AAPI and Limited-English-Proficient communities in mind, many of the suggestions are more broadly applicable as well.

In particular, we urge you to consider the following recommendations, which are based on requirements under the FAIR MAPS Act[1]:

- Create outreach materials to distribute through local media, public listservs, and direct outreach to local organizations, community groups, and businesses. While the Contra Costa County redistricting website has extensive information available, it's important to actively share information about redistricting rather than relying on community members to come to the website. In addition to soliciting coverage in local news media, outreach materials like flyers should be shared through local community group meetings, schools, different cultural social media platforms, and more.
- Create social media content for local groups, leaders, and influencers to share information about redistricting. In addition to posting via the County's social media channels, sharing content for community groups and leaders to easily post on their own

[1] Elec. Code §§ 21508(a), 21507.1(c).

accounts is an important way to get the word out. This enables you to extend your reach to a far wider audience than is captured by the County's social media alone.

- Maximize input opportunities outside of regular business hours. To make meetings truly accessible to community members, the times and dates should vary. Regular business hours should be avoided. For example, while the upcoming workshop times are varied, it's concerning to see that both the fourth and fifth public redistricting hearings are scheduled for 9am on Tuesday.

We recognize that the redistricting process is a complex project and applaud the work that has been undertaken thus far to create an accessible and open environment for community members. We hope that these recommendations will help bolster outreach efforts and encourage greater participation and use of the tools and input opportunities that you have created. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions or if we can be a further resource in this matter.

Sincerely,

Adria Orr
Senior Program Coordinator, Voting Rights
Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Asian Law Caucus

Best Practices for Outreach to AAPI and Limited-English-Proficient Communities in Local Redistricting

To ensure that communities are meaningfully represented by their local governments and that elected officials reflect the full diversity of California's population, it is crucial that local governments create a redistricting process that is accessible to historically underrepresented communities. Asian Americans Advancing Justice – Los Angeles and Asian Americans Advancing Justice – Asian Law Caucus have compiled the below best practices based on their work with community organizations to engage AAPI Californians in voting, census, and the transition to districts under the California Voting Rights Act.

Building Public Awareness through Robust and Translated Outreach

Create outreach & publicity materials and distribute them through a variety of channels.

To maximize the number of residents who are informed about the redistricting process, a jurisdiction should produce outreach and publicity materials and distribute them as widely as possible. A successful district map-drawing body (whether it is a city council, a school board, or some independent body) should hear from all of the communities and neighborhoods within a jurisdiction's limits, regardless of their language abilities, resources, or previous levels of engagement in local politics.

The map-drawing body should spread the word about its work in local newspapers in various languages, at meetings of local community groups, on popular cultural social media platforms, in multilingual robo-calls, on digital marquees at local schools, in flyers sent home with school children, and so on. Simply publicizing the process on the jurisdiction's website and in a small number of newsletters and community newspapers is not enough.

Ensure that outreach & publicity materials are distributed in multiple languages.

A jurisdiction should prepare outreach & publicity materials in a variety of languages so that word about redistricting spreads to all of the jurisdiction's language communities. Outreach materials about the redistricting process, information publicizing upcoming redistricting workshops and hearings, and the designated redistricting web page itself should be translated. The Secretary of State provides translated template materials in ten languages: https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/helpful-resources/redistricting.

Translated materials should be shared with civic, cultural, and community organizations, posted online, and sent to ethnic news media sources, including print, web, and radio outlets. Ideally, translated materials should be shared with leaders from the relevant language communities

before they are released publicly to make sure the materials are accurate, accessible, and culturally competent. Local jurisdictions should consult with leaders from the relevant language communities to determine the best way to distribute the translated information. For example, some language communities are best reached through audio rather than written means, so use of ethnic radio might be the best way to reach them.

Actively promote local redistricting via social media and local influencers.

Create eye-catching and clear draft social media content to promote engagement in local redistricting. Call upon local elected officials, artists, community leaders, etc. to post about local redistricting on their social media channels. Purchase boosted ads on Instagram and Facebook to spread the word. Use a variety of platforms to reach a diversity of communities. For example, some Asian American communities frequently share information via WeChat or WhatsApp. Lastly, consider launching a social media campaign to alert community members to this process.

Ensure that non-citizens know about redistricting and feel welcome participating.

The redistricting process affects all local residents, whether they are U.S. citizens or not. In California, all people, whether they can vote or not, must be included when determining the size of political districts. The lines drawn from the redistricting process affect all local residents. It is critical to the redistricting process that everyone participates to best reflect local communities of interest. Avoid using the word "voter" when doing redistricting outreach. Instead talk about representation for Californians and use other inclusive terms.

Language Access

Offer live interpretation for public hearings and translate key redistricting materials.

It is important to provide interpretation for public hearings so that community members who do not primarily speak English can participate and give input about their communities. We recommend providing interpretation for all key languages spoken in the city or county. If you provide interpretation on request only, be sure to prominently advertise the availability of interpretation and give people an easy, in-language way to request translation.

Under state law, cities and counties *must* offer live translation of public redistricting hearings or workshops in applicable languages (defined below) if a request is made at least 72 hours in advance. Elections Code § 21508(b), 21608(b), 21628(b). If less than five days' notice is given for the hearing, then cities and counties must be prepared to fulfill translation requests

received at least 48 hours in advance. Cities and counties should also advertise the fact that the public may provide written or oral input in all applicable languages.

"Applicable Languages"

- For cities, applicable language refers to "any language that is spoken by a group of city residents with limited English proficiency who constitute 3 percent or more of the city's total population over four years of age for whom language can be determined." Cities can find the list of applicable languages for their city by visiting the Secretary of State's local redistricting website.
- For counties, applicable language refers to any language that the county must provide translated ballots in under Section 203 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965.

Under state law, cities and counties must, at a minimum, provide a general explanation of the redistricting process in applicable languages and post the explanation on a redistricting web page. They must also provide instructions for how to provide testimony in applicable languages. Elec. Code § 21508(g), 21608(g), 21628(g).

Target outreach to language minority communities.

In order to engage underrepresented and non-English speaking communities in the local redistricting process, counties and cities should reach out to various communities in at least all applicable languages for which they are required to offer live translation at public redistricting hearings or workshops. This includes sharing information about the local redistricting process with media organizations that cover news in that jurisdiction. State law requires cities and counties to make a good faith effort to reach media organizations that reach language minority communities. Elec. Code § 21508(a), 21608(a), 21628(a). Good government, civil rights, civic engagement, and community groups/organizations that are active in the jurisdiction, including groups that are actively involved in language minority communities, may also help reach communities that have been traditionally underrepresented and unheard throughout the redistricting process.

Maximizing Public Participation through Frequent and Accessible Hearings and Workshops

Hold more hearings than the legal minimum.

The map-drawing body in a jurisdiction undergoing a redistricting process should hold a large number of hearings both before the drawing of draft maps and after the release of draft maps but before adoption of a final map. Holding more hearings, particularly after a draft map is introduced, provides community members with multiple opportunities to contribute and enables them to participate even if they learn about redistricting late in the process.

Hold hearings in diverse locations.

The map-drawing body should bring redistricting hearings and workshops directly to the community and meet residents where they naturally congregate. This means hearings should be held in a diversity of locations, all of which should be accessible by public transit and be ADA-compliant. The map-drawing body should avoid holding all hearings in a single location, like a city hall building. This does not make hearings accessible to residents in all parts of the jurisdiction, especially those who do not have ready access to a car. Government buildings can also feel formal or intimidating to community members who aren't used to conducting business in those locations. Holding hearings in highly-trafficked community spaces such as libraries, community centers, or places of worship in different neighborhoods and parts of town maximizes accessibility and helps create a comfortable environment.

Offer the public diverse hearing days and times.

To allow residents with a variety of job and family commitments to participate, hearing dates and times should vary. Weekday hearings during business hours should never be used. If possible, hearings scheduled for weekday evenings should be held on different days of the week and should be mixed with weekend hearing dates.

Create stand-alone redistricting hearings.

Redistricting is a transformative experience in a jurisdiction's political life – it merits a different kind of treatment than the jurisdiction's other business. While a routine amount of public input may be acceptable for other items on the jurisdiction's agendas, it is insufficient on a topic that is critical to the jurisdiction's political future. Local governments should avoid embedding redistricting hearings in city council or school board meetings, and create standalone hearings instead. Local governments should also consider embedding these hearings into community meetings and events that engage diverse constituents who might not otherwise attend a city council, board of supervisors, or school board meeting.

Livestream and/or record all hearings and post on the districting webpage.

Although cities and counties may provide a written summary in place of an audio or audiovisual recording of redistricting hearings and workshops, posting a recording of hearings is helpful because it allows residents to follow mapping conversations and decisions more closely. Livestreaming the proceedings also increases the accessibility of redistricting meetings, as people can watch from home in real time and potentially even participate virtually if needed.

Recording hearings may present logistical challenges when hearings are held in community spaces instead of city hall buildings. Those challenges should be planned for and budgeted for in advance.

Host numerous workshops to inform the public and gather community of interest testimony.

In addition to formal public hearings, local governments should endeavor to host a number of educational and information-gathering workshops in the community to help residents identify priority communities of interest and draw them on a map. City or county staff should come prepared with large blank maps of the jurisdiction, laptops to access Google maps for reference (or printed maps that include key roads and thoroughfares), and pens.

Offer technical support to help residents submit district maps.

The redistricting process can be a fairly technical process. Local governments should be prepared to hold workshops that help residents understand redistricting criteria and how to submit a map whether it be via paper, excel, or a digital mapping software. Detailed tutorials and assistance in the form of workshops and office hours should be offered so community members can ask questions when drawing their district maps. If possible, cities and counties should reserve local computer labs at libraries or community centers to give residents greater access to relevant digital mapping software.

From: Lindy Lavender (Email address deleted)
Sent: Monday, October 25, 2021 1:44 PM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Subject: Redistricting

Hello,

I want to ask the Board to consider that Pacheco is primarily in the same school district as Pleasant Hill (MDUSD). I understand the community may share similarities with Martinez too, but I thought it was worth considering an effort to keep school districts (when possible) together.

Best,
Lindy Johnson

From: Jane Courant (Email Address Deleted)
Sent: Monday, November 1, 2021 8:26 PM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Subject: Redistricting public comment

Dear Supervisors,

Thank you for the addition of the entire city of Pinole to District One in all five of the proposed redistricting maps.

I suggest you consider adding Hercules to District One as well. This bring together the cities in the West Contra Costa School District. In addition it will bring together cities along the Pacific coastline where sea level rise promises to be a critical issue in the years ahead. I realize this would enlarge an already populous district, but I believe it will enhance an already vibrant, diverse district.

Yours truly,

Jane Courant
Richmond CA

From: McAuley, Wendy (Email Address Deleted)
Sent: Wednesday, November 3, 2021 9:58 AM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Cc: Barone, Valerie <Valerie.Barone@cityofconcord.org>; McGallian, Tim <Tim.McGallian@cityofconcord.org>; Ezell, Justin <Justin.Ezell@cityofconcord.org>
Subject: Contra Costa Redistricting Process and Draft Concept Maps

Good Morning,

Please see letter from Mayor Tim McGallian regarding Contra Costa Redistricting Process and Draft Concept Maps.

Best regards,
Wendy McAuley
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November 3, 2021

Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors
Sent via email to: clerkoftheboard@cob.cccounty.us

Re: Contra Costa County Redistricting Process and Draft Concept Maps

Dear Supervisors,

As Mayor, I am submitting this letter on behalf of the entire Concord City Council and our community. The Concord City Council Policy Development & Internal Operations Committee reviewed the maps at a public meeting on October 25. The full Council subsequently reviewed the most recently posted maps and endorsed this letter at the Council's public meeting on November 2.

As a community and as the Council that represents the community, we are concerned that the draft maps being considered split our City into more than one Supervisorial District. We are not supportive of this. Additionally, community members in attendance at our November 2 City Council meeting expressed concern regarding the speed in which the County's redistricting process is moving. This Council concurs, and asks that the County provide more time for citizen engagement, so that community members can better understand the tools that are available for submitting their own thoughts and ideas around communities of interest.

While Concord is comprised of numerous "neighborhoods," our residents see the City as one community of interest. Our Reuse Project at the former Concord Naval Weapons Station, which will create housing and jobs for 28,000 over the next 30 years, has a primary goal of integration with the existing City and maintaining the concept of "One Concord." That sentiment is why we feel strongly that Concord should remain within a single supervisorial district. Putting parts of Concord into more than one supervisorial district will dilute the positive influence the County's largest city can have on important regional issues like transportation planning, affordable housing, and mental health supportive services.

If the Board of Supervisors finds it must split Concord among districts, we implore the Board to do so with as few community impacts as possible. We cannot support the split of the Naval Weapons Station property, nor can we support the spinoff of Concord's vibrant downtown and premier John Muir Medical Center from the community at large, as was depicted in previous versions of draft concept maps.

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Please keep Concord together as one community of interest through further refinement of the supervisorial districts. If this is not possible, please adopt district maps, which have the lowest possible impact on Concord, for example, those depicted in draft map "D," which you are scheduled to review during your November 9 public hearing.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Timothy A. McGallian
Mayor
City of Concord

From: Stephen McCaffree (Email Address Deleted)
Sent: Tuesday, November 2, 2021 4:32 PM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Subject: I called but am emailing,too. Where did the 2000 prisoners go, to what communities? I live in the Hillcrest community which is severed from district 4 on all 5 maps, splitting up Concord. We have only 700 residents so all the mapmakers have to do i...

From: BARBARA KUKLEWICZ (Email Address Deleted)
Sent: Wednesday, November 3, 2021 2:17 PM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Subject: District 4 Redistricting Feedback

I reviewed the proposed redistricting maps for District 4 and find that the Concept 2 Map closely matches the 2021 Census. Consequently, I think that this map is the most fair and most representative of our population.
Thank you very much for including the community in this important work.
Sincerely,
Barbara Kuklewicz
House Address Deleted
Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

From: Adria Orr (Email Address Deleted)
Sent: Wednesday, November 3, 2021 5:15 PM
To: Clerk of the Board <ClerkOfTheBoard@cob.cccounty.us>
Subject: Letter requesting an additional redistricting hearing

Dear Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors,

Thank you for your continued efforts to collect public input for the county redistricting process. Please see the attached letter with a request for the redistricting timeline to be extended with the addition of another public hearing to receive feedback from the community. Thank you for your time and consideration on this matter.

Best,
Adria

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November 3, 2021

Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors
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Sent via email to clerkoftheboard@cob.cccounty.us

Re: Adding another public hearing on redistricting

Dear Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors,

Thank you for your ongoing efforts to create an accessible redistristricting process. We appreciate the various tools and channels for feedback that you have provided. As organizations who work with diverse communities in Contra Costa County, we urge you to add an additional hearing to receive public input on communities of interest and draft maps. Although community workshops and three of the five planned hearings are complete, only a very limited amount of input has been submitted to date. We know this is not reflective of the full diversity of our county or of the participatory process you have aimed to create. It's clear that Contra Costa residents need additional time to engage with this vital process.

Public input is critical to identifying communities of interest and giving the Board of Supervisors ("the Board") as much insight as possible into how the proposed district lines will affect county residents. As the Board and line-drawers from the Department of Conservation and Development have emphasized on multiple occasions, communities of interest are one of the highest-ranked criteria that you must consider under the FAIR MAPS Act.[1] Maximizing the opportunity for community of interest input should be a top priority to ensure you are able to create a map that complies with state law.

Our groups are eager to provide our input on the draft maps and mobilize our community members to share their insights into how the district lines can respect their communities of interest. Just as COVID-related challenges created a delay for the County's redistricting timeline, the same challenges, along with additional competing priorities like the recall election, constrained our capacity to participate in this process earlier. Gathering robust public input is so important to local redistricting processes that state lawmakers passed AB 1276 to ensure local jurisdictions would have enough time to redistrict after the census delay. We request that the Board take full advantage of the extended timeline you were granted under AB 1276, which sets a December 15 adoption deadline, for the very purpose of mitigating the impact of these COVID-related delays.[2]

Wrapping the process up early by voting on final maps at the scheduled hearing on November 23rd is unnecessary and runs counter to the Board's previously stated goal of encouraging public participation. We respectfully ask the Board to demonstrate commitment to a fair and

[1] Cal. Elec. Code § 21500(c)(2).
[2] Cal. Elec. Code § 21501(a)(2).

open redistricting process by adding a public hearing in early December. We also ask that the additional hearing be held outside of regular business hours in order to be more accessible to members of the public. This is especially important given that the remaining hearings on November 9th and November 23rd are both scheduled at 9am.

We look forward to the opportunity to engage more deeply with this process. Please feel free to contact Adria Orr at adriao@advancingjustice-alc.org with any questions.

Sincerely,

Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Asian Law Caucus
Asian Pacific Environmental Network
Concord Communities Alliance
Conscious Contra Costa
Contra Costa Immigrant Rights Alliance
East Bay Alliance for a Sustainable Economy
Ensuring Opportunity Campaign to End Poverty in Costa Costa
Lift Up Contra Costa (LUCC)
Monument Impact
SURJ Contra Costa County (Showing Up for Racial Justice)

Attachment A

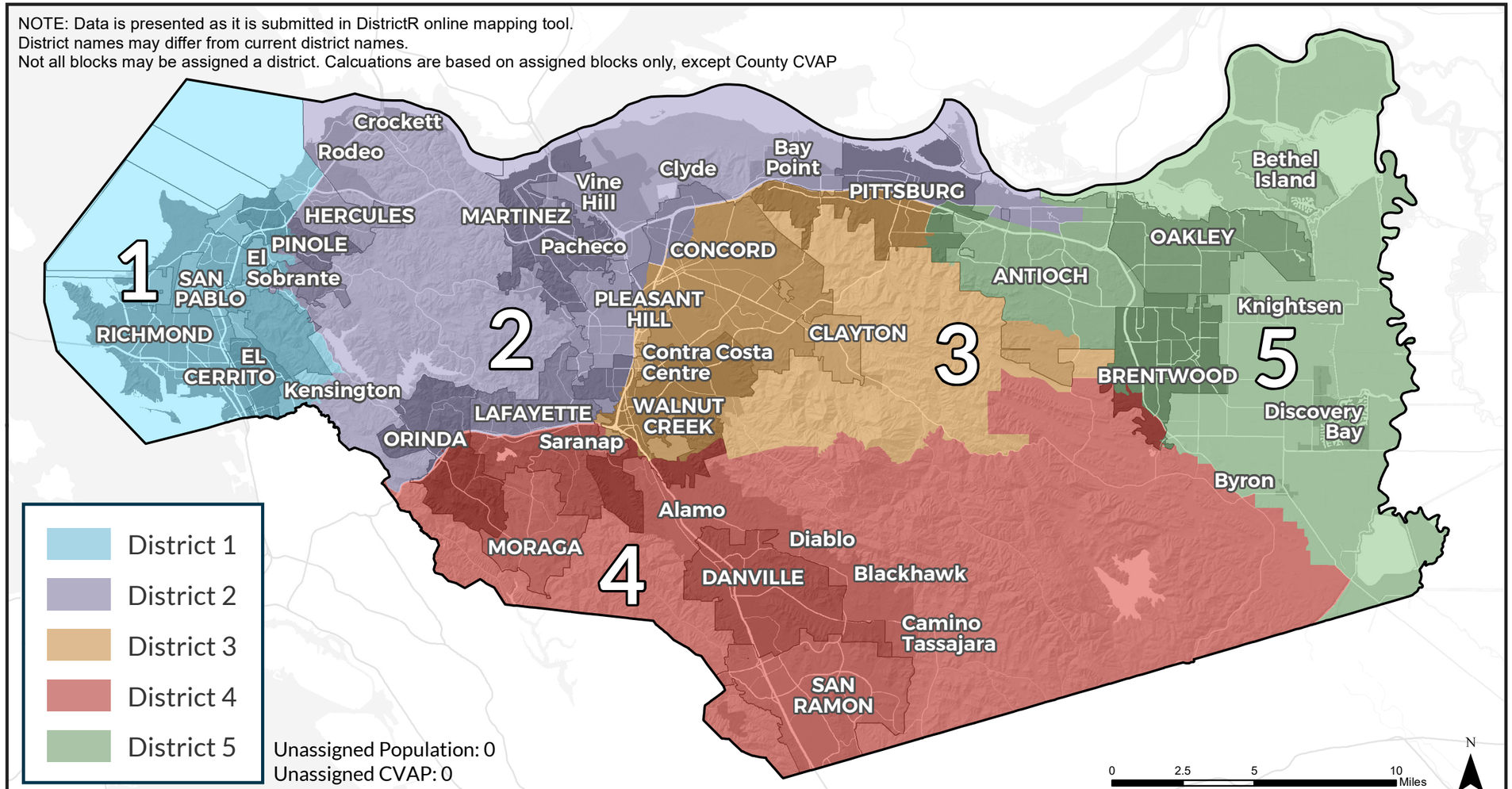
Contra Costa County Redistricting Community Input Received

September 28 – October 12, 2021

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Community Submission p5142

Why grouping commonalities is important - Overview Map and Data



Prepared by the Department of Conservation and Development - GIS Group for the October 19th, 2021 Board of Supervisors Public Hearing.
Data Source: 2021 California State Redistricting Data, Adjusted P.L 94-171 Redistricting Data and block level Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP), Districtr online mapping submissions

Demographic Analysis
Race and Ethnicity by District

Total Population - Race and Ethnicty

	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	233,799	93,714	48,231	33,784	42,826	15,244
		40.1%	20.6%	14.5%	18.3%	6.5%
District 2	233,881	67,538	96,990	18,174	34,019	17,160
		28.9%	41.5%	7.8%	14.5%	7.3%
District 3	233,851	59,854	104,249	12,436	39,866	17,446
		25.6%	44.6%	5.3%	17.0%	7.5%
District 4	233,379	19,491	124,835	4,000	69,740	15,313
		8.4%	53.5%	1.7%	29.9%	6.6%
District 5	233,154	74,826	81,574	30,606	28,097	18,051
		32.1%	35.0%	13.1%	12.1%	7.7%
County	1,168,064	315,423	455,879	99,000	214,548	83,214
		27.0%	39.0%	8.5%	18.4%	7.1%

Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) Race and Ethnicty

	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	138,049	34,168	42,401	27,882	27,249	6,349
		24.8%	30.7%	20.2%	19.7%	4.6%
District 2	160,322	30,588	87,643	13,148	21,352	7,591
		19.1%	54.7%	8.2%	13.3%	4.7%
District 3	160,771	27,238	93,639	8,110	21,607	7,262
		16.9%	58.2%	5.0%	13.4%	4.5%
District 4	152,577	9,872	105,007	2,813	30,185	4,700
		6.5%	68.8%	1.8%	19.8%	3.1%
District 5	153,770	35,938	72,393	21,764	15,204	8,471
		23.4%	47.1%	14.2%	9.9%	5.5%
County	762,574	137,804	401,083	73,717	115,597	34,373
		18.1%	52.6%	9.7%	15.2%	4.5%

Concept Total Variation

0.31%

2021 Population

Population: 1,168,064
Equal Distribution: 233,613
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP): 762,574

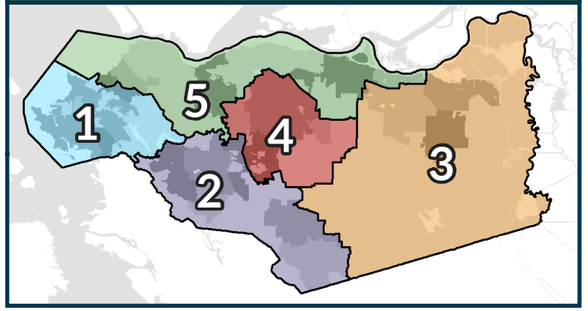
Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	233,799	186	0.08%
District 2	233,881	268	0.11%
District 3	233,851	238	0.10%
District 4	233,379	(234)	-0.10%
District 5	233,154	(459)	-0.20%

Written Description from Submission

When drawing out this new map I took into consideration the ideal population, but ultimately it came down to centralizing concerns and issues between locations. As a long time resident of West Contra Costa, I found it very uniquely odd that I lived in Richmond and we were represented by John Gioia and my cousins who lived in Hercules who (in the same school district) were represented by another representative. I think by grouping commonalities like school districts, income level based off city population, wetland and shoreline, etc. is the best plan for redistricting. It levels the playing field and creates more equality of responsibility by stretching the districts out across other areas versus making them so compact.

Current Supervisorial Boundaries



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Community Submission p5147
Encouraging like minded advancement - Overview Map and Data

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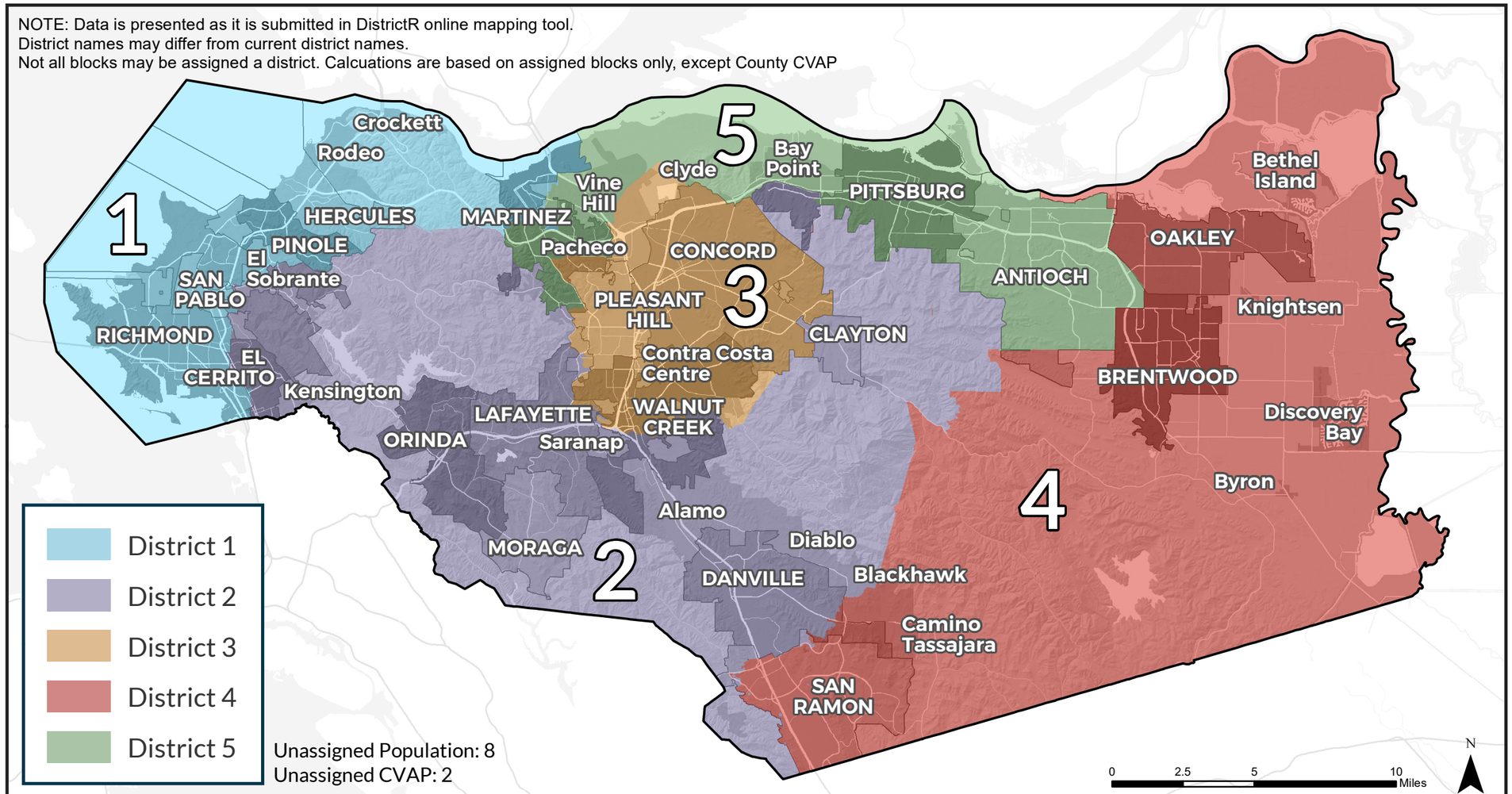

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Demographic Analysis
Race and Ethnicity by District

Total Population - Race and Ethnicity

	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	233,633	97,153	43,399	35,692	42,887	14,502
		41.6%	18.6%	15.3%	18.4%	6.2%
District 2	233,582	24,790	140,315	7,352	43,321	17,804
		10.6%	60.1%	3.1%	18.5%	7.6%
District 3	233,683	53,507	118,894	7,195	36,178	17,909
		22.9%	50.9%	3.1%	15.5%	7.7%
District 4	233,306	47,348	95,833	11,113	62,797	16,215
		20.3%	41.1%	4.8%	26.9%	7.0%
District 5	233,852	92,624	57,438	37,648	29,362	16,780
		39.6%	24.6%	16.1%	12.6%	7.2%
County	1,168,064	315,423	455,879	99,000	214,548	83,214
		27.0%	39.0%	8.5%	18.4%	7.1%

Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) Race and Ethnicty

	Total	Latino	White	Black	Asian	Other
District 1	140,320	36,579	40,153	28,994	27,886	6,708
		26.1%	28.6%	20.7%	19.9%	4.8%
District 2	169,380	13,553	120,283	5,440	24,705	5,399
		8.0%	71.0%	3.2%	14.6%	3.2%
District 3	160,771	25,078	105,705	5,219	20,523	7,300
		15.6%	65.7%	3.2%	12.8%	4.5%
District 4	143,448	22,640	80,355	7,947	25,895	6,611
		15.8%	56.0%	5.5%	18.1%	4.6%
District 5	145,599	39,954	54,587	26,117	16,588	8,353
		27.4%	37.5%	17.9%	11.4%	5.7%
County	762,574	137,804	401,083	73,717	115,597	34,373
		18.1%	52.6%	9.7%	15.2%	4.5%

Concept Total Variation

0.23%

2021 Population
Population: 1,168,064
Equal Distribution: 233,613
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP): 762,574

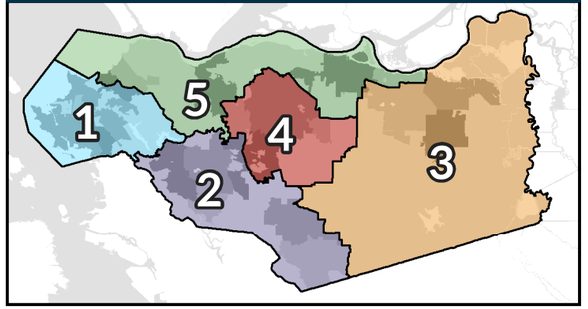
Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	233,633	20	0.01%
District 2	233,582	(31)	-0.01%
District 3	233,683	70	0.03%
District 4	233,306	(307)	-0.13%
District 5	233,852	239	0.10%

Written Description from Submission

I previously wrote another plan that was slightly similar to this one. I rewrote a plan because I wanted this new plan to be more geographically friendly to the communities they serve. I have been a longtime lover of politics and involved in community engagement for a while, it is iimportant for me to have leaders who represent communities based off of income/wealth level, employment and type of work, crime statistics, etc.
This new map more closely relates the communities together that have all of the same or similar socio-economic statistics. My new district map is very much of an "out of the box" approach.

Current Supervisorial Boundaries



Attachment A

Contra Costa County Redistricting Community Input Received

Through September 27, 2021

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Community of Interest Submission c2632
Northern Waterfront

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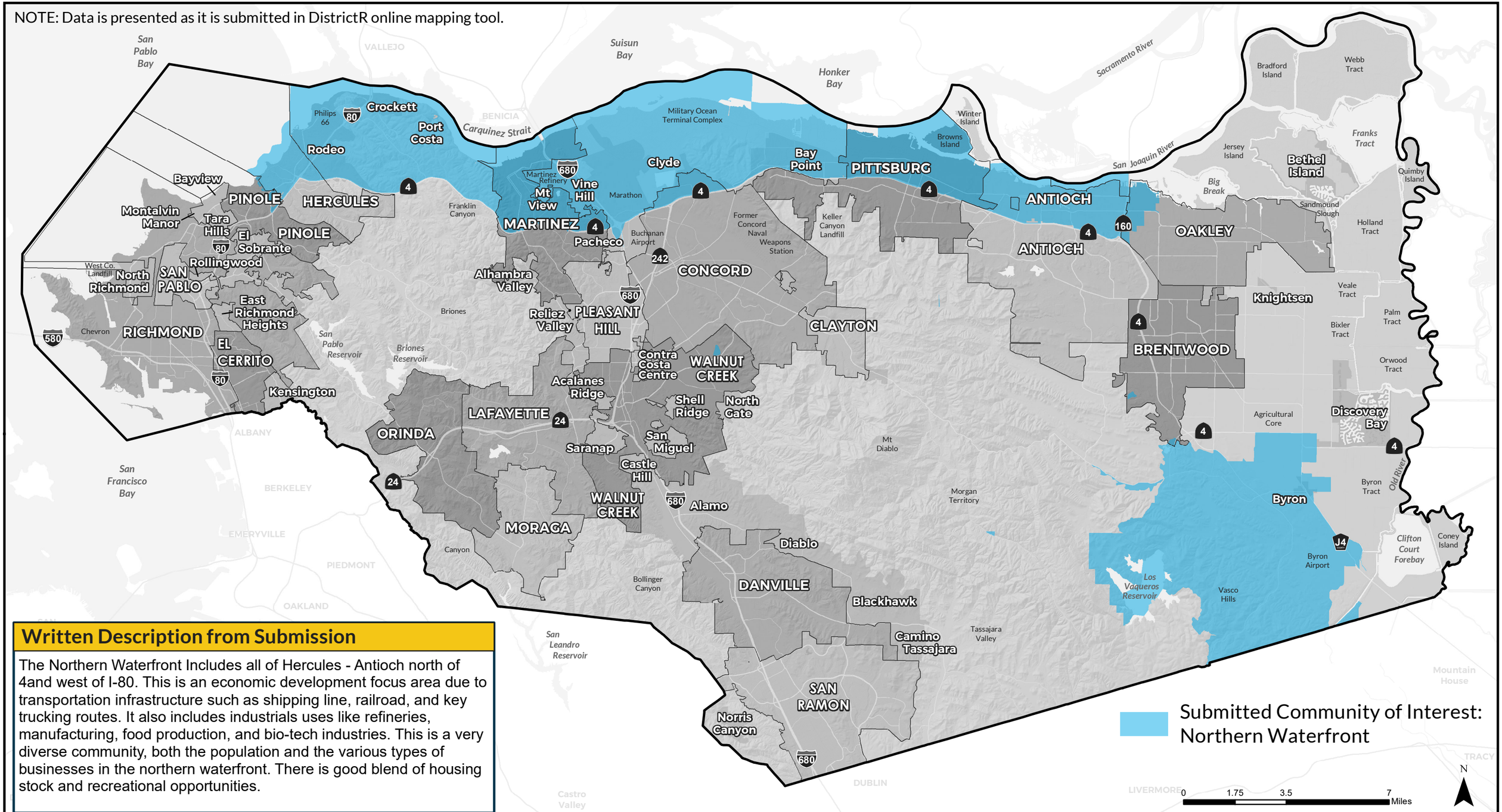

Written Description from Submission

The Northern Waterfront Includes all of Hercules - Antioch north of 4and west of I-80. This is an economic development focus area due to transportation infrastructure such as shipping line, railroad, and key trucking routes. It also includes industrials uses like refineries, manufacturing, food production, and bio-tech industries. This is a very diverse community, both the population and the various types of businesses in the northern waterfront. There is good blend of housing stock and recreational opportunities.

Prepared by the Department of Conservation and Development - GIS Group for the October, 5, 2021 Board of Supervisors Public Hearing.
Data Source:Districtr Online Mapping tool submissions

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Community of Interest Submission c2635
Downtown Walnut Creek Core

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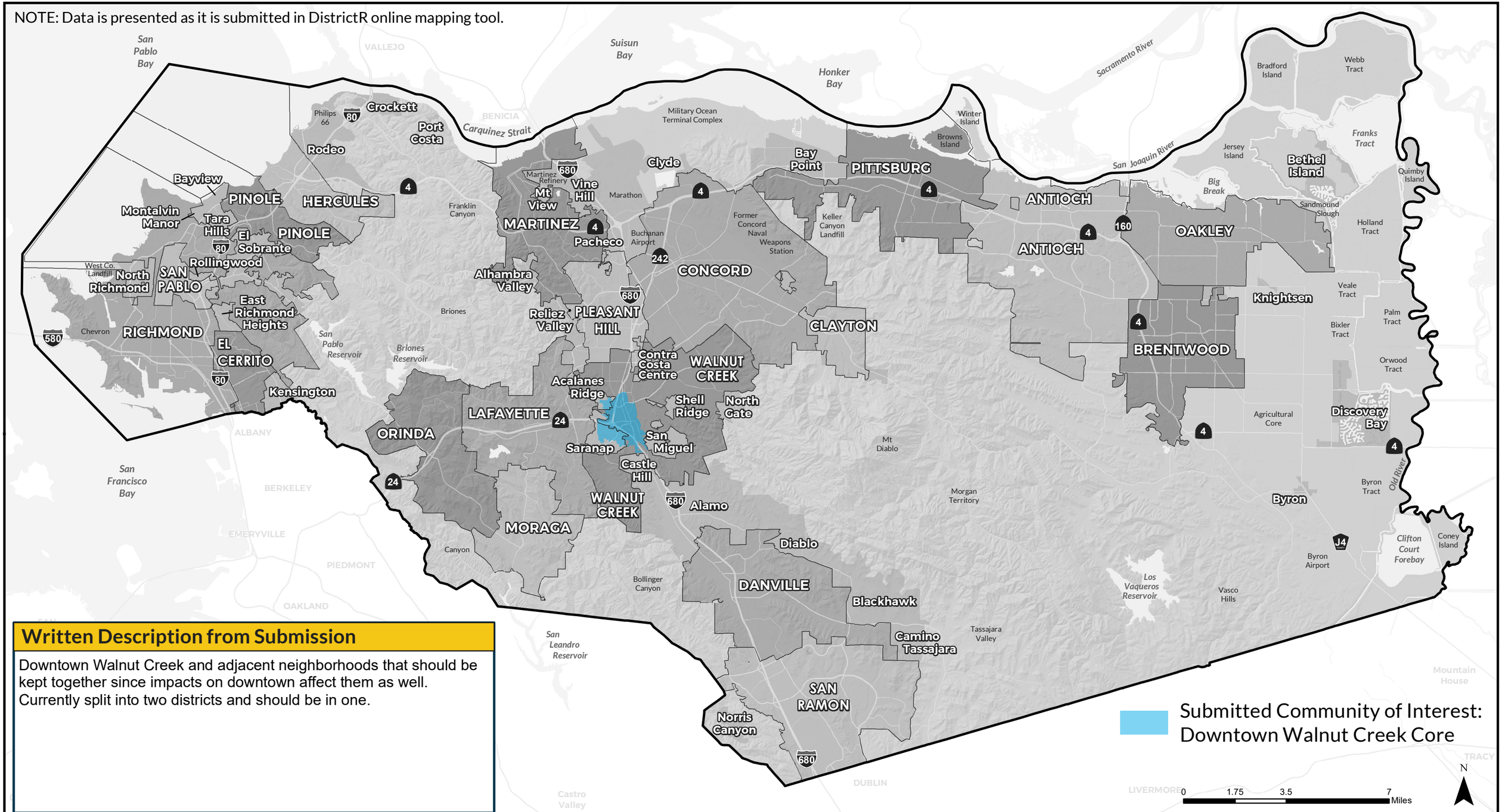

Written Description from Submission

Downtown Walnut Creek and adjacent neighborhoods that should be kept together since impacts on downtown affect them as well. Currently split into two districts and should be in one.

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Community Submission p4715
Ron's District Map Overview Map and Data

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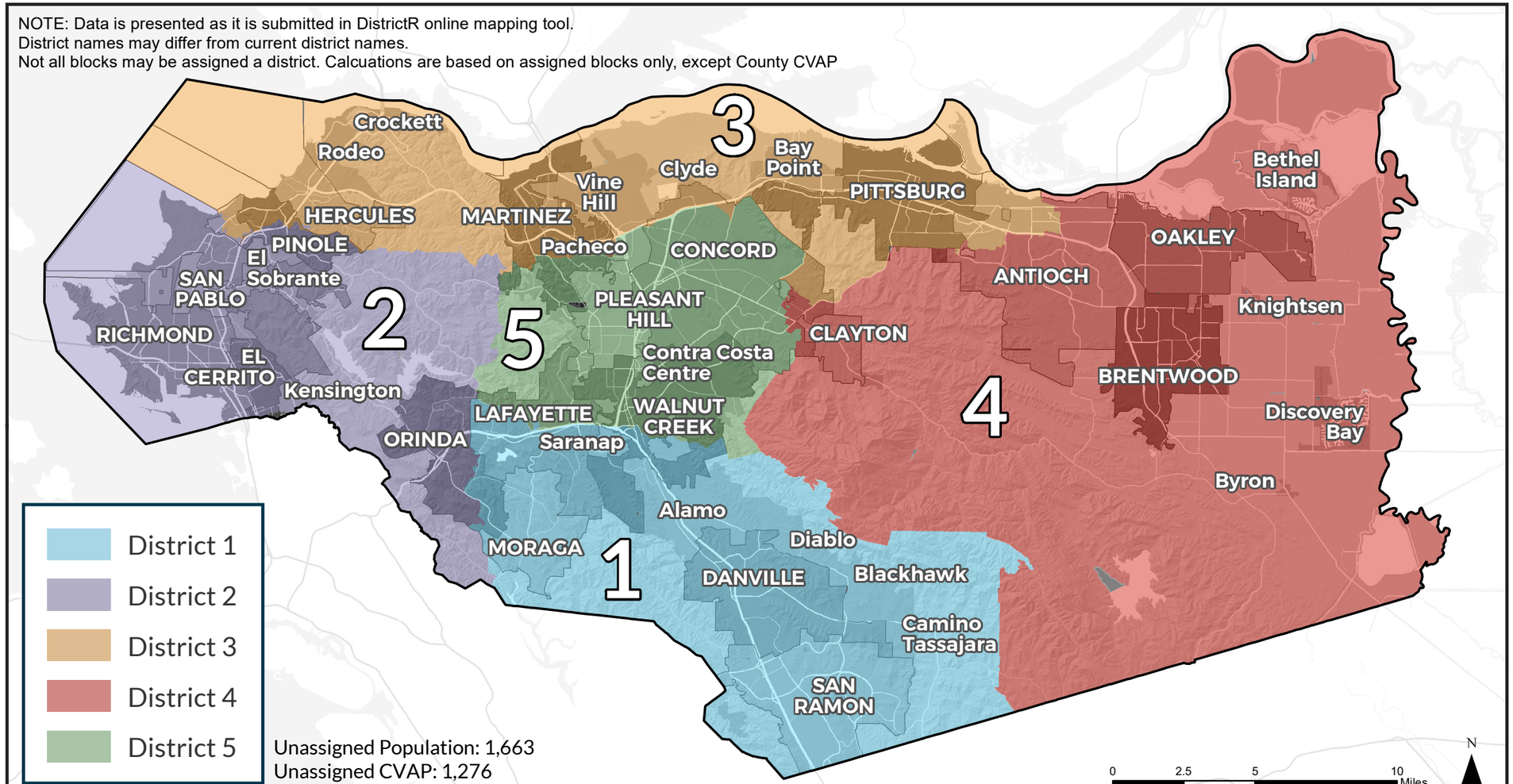

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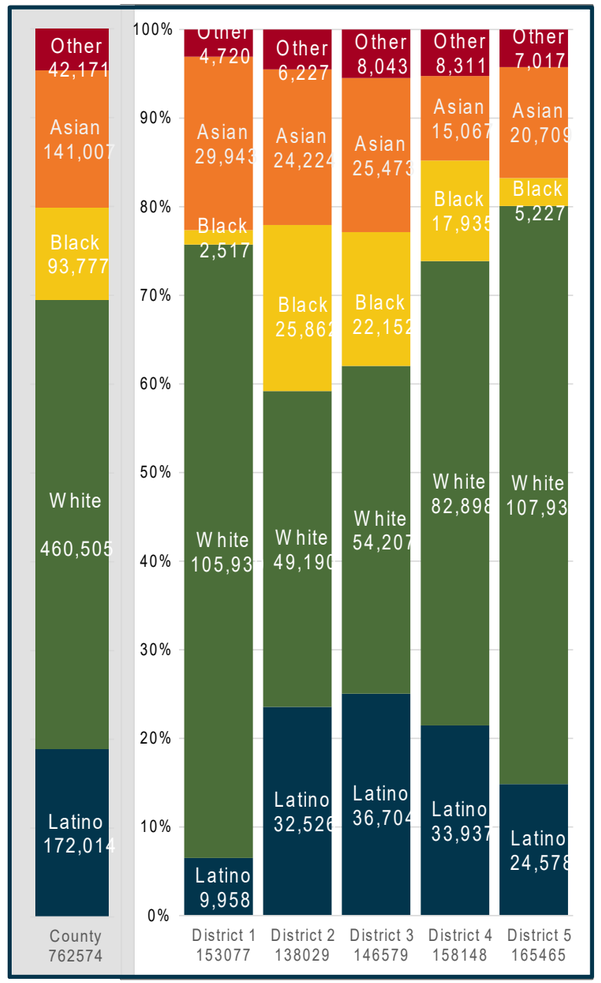
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race and Ethnicity



Concept Total Variation

2.09%

2021 Population
Population: 1,168,064
Equal Distribution: 233,613
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP): 762,574

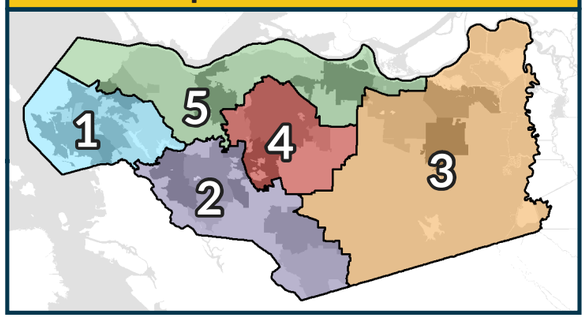
Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	234,713	1,100	0.47%
District 2	232,974	(639)	-0.27%
District 3	231,071	(2,542)	-1.09%
District 4	231,689	(1,924)	-0.82%
District 5	235,954	2,341	1.00%

Written Description from Submission

This plan keeps communities of interest within a single supervisorial district. Very importantly, the plan places the Blackhawk/Alamo/Diablo area in the same district with the cities of Danville and San Ramon. Blackhawk/Alamo/Diablo are continguous with Danville and/or San Ramon and residents of those three areas shop and dine in Danville and San Ramon. This entire district is upper-middle class from an economic standpoint and is populated by a large percentage of college-educated residents who have professional occupations.

Current Supervisorial Boundaries



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Community Submission p4717
Ron's #2 Map - Overview Map and Data

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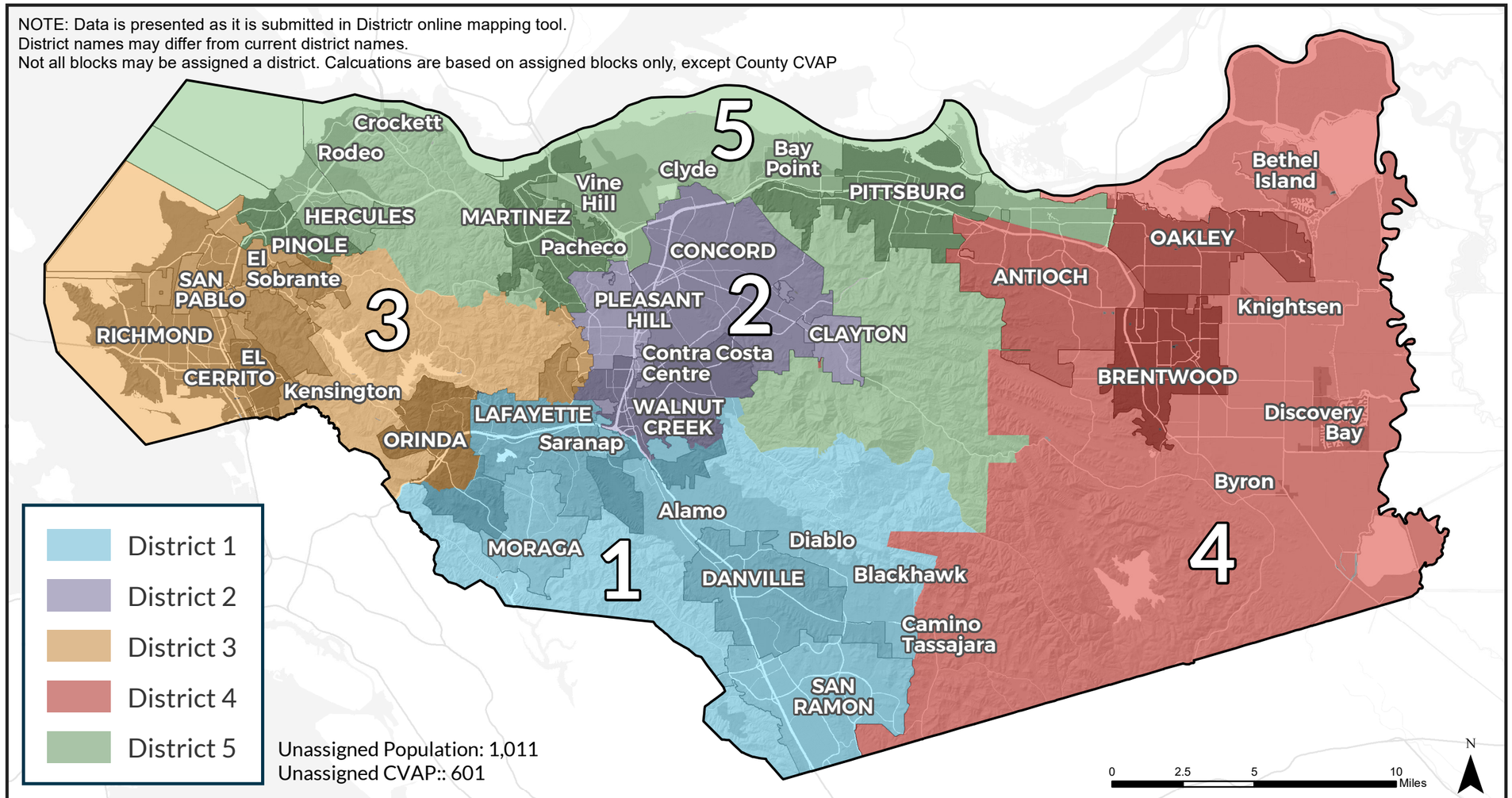

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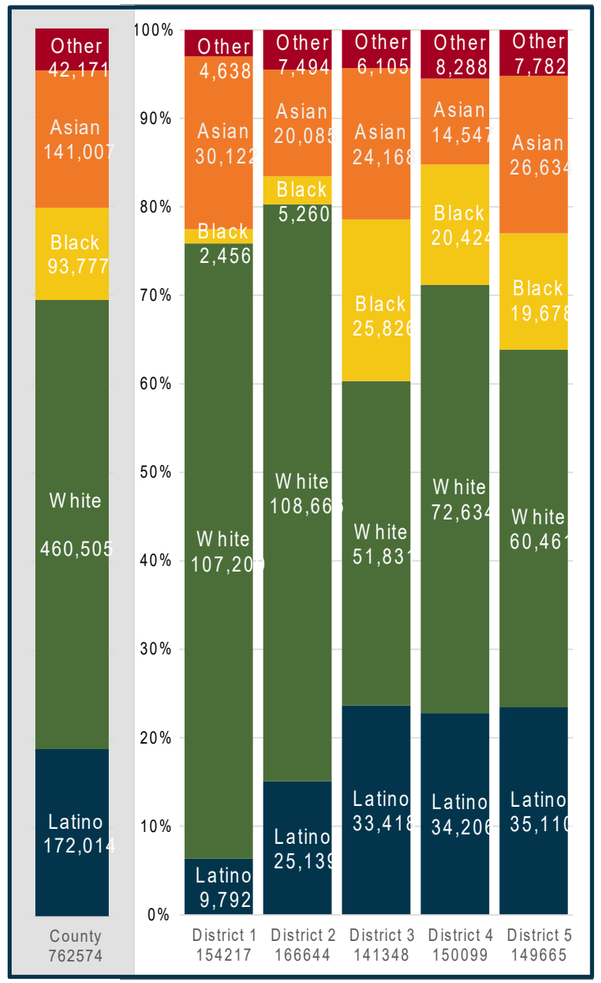
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race and Ethnicity



Concept Total Variation

4.27%

2021 Population
Population: 1,168,064
Equal Distribution: 233,613
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP): 762,574

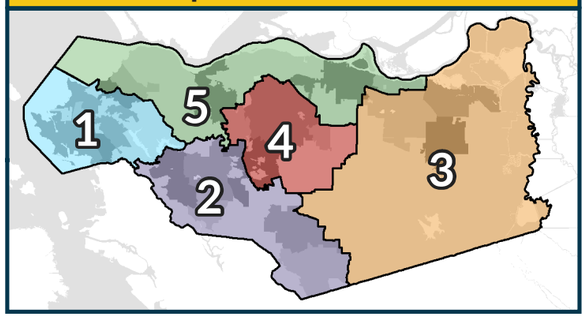
Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	235,865	2,252	0.96%
District 2	236,831	3,218	1.38%
District 3	236,870	3,257	1.39%
District 4	226,887	(6,726)	-2.88%
District 5	230,600	(3,013)	-1.29%

Written Description from Submission

This plan largely maintains each city jurisdiction completely within one supervisorial district. It also brings Blackhawk/Alamo/Diablo into the same district as Danville and San Ramon, which is an imperative. These three areas are contiguous with the cities of Danville and/or San Ramon and completely identify with the two cities. Shopping, dining, and leisure time is primarily spent in Danville and San Ramon.

Current Supervisorial Boundaries



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Community Submission p4925
Ron's #3 - Overview Map and Data

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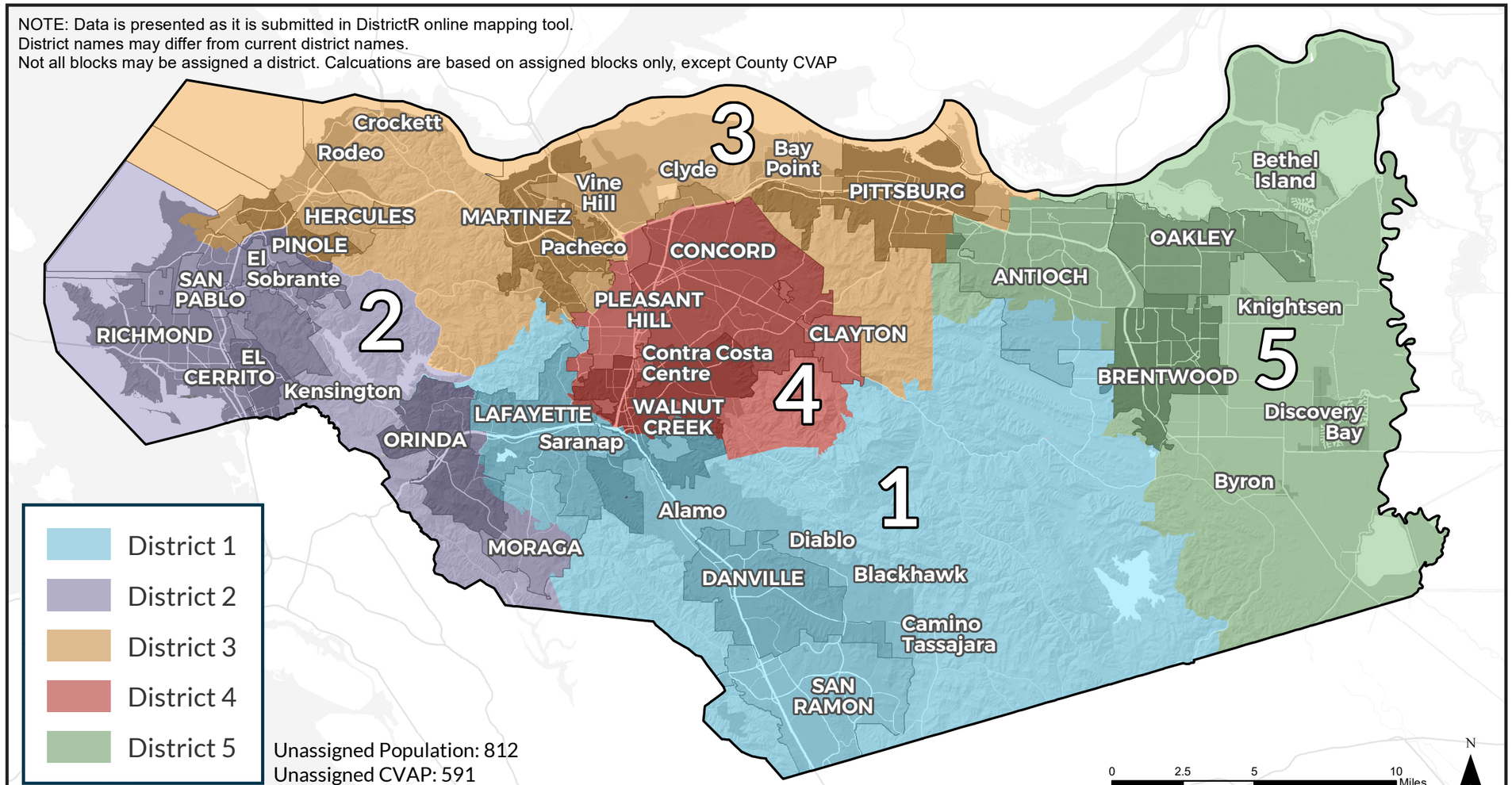

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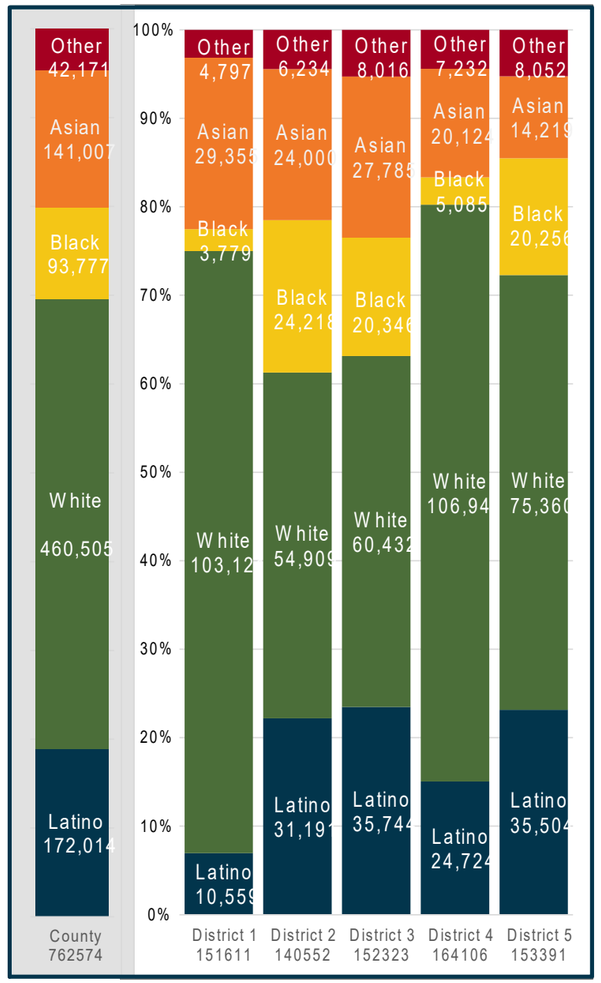
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race and Ethnicity



Concept Total Variation

0.38%

2021 Population
Population: 1,168,064
Equal Distribution: 233,613
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP): 762,574

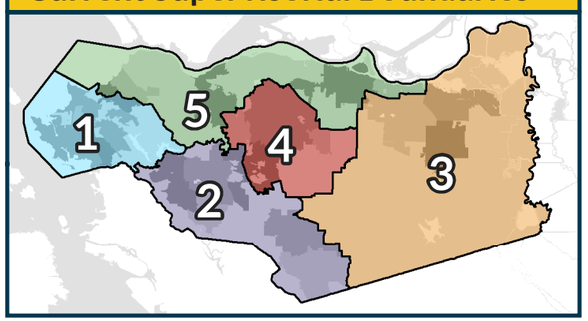
Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	233,070	(543)	-0.23%
District 2	233,494	(119)	-0.05%
District 3	233,349	(264)	-0.11%
District 4	233,374	(239)	-0.10%
District 5	233,965	352	0.15%

Written Description from Submission

This plan places Blackhawk, Diablo, Alamo, Round Hill into the same district as Danville and San Ramon, which are communities of common interests. Any redistricting plan MUST place these communities in the same district.

Current Supervisorial Boundaries



CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Community Submission p4926
Add Blackhawk & Diabo to District 2 - Overview Map and Data

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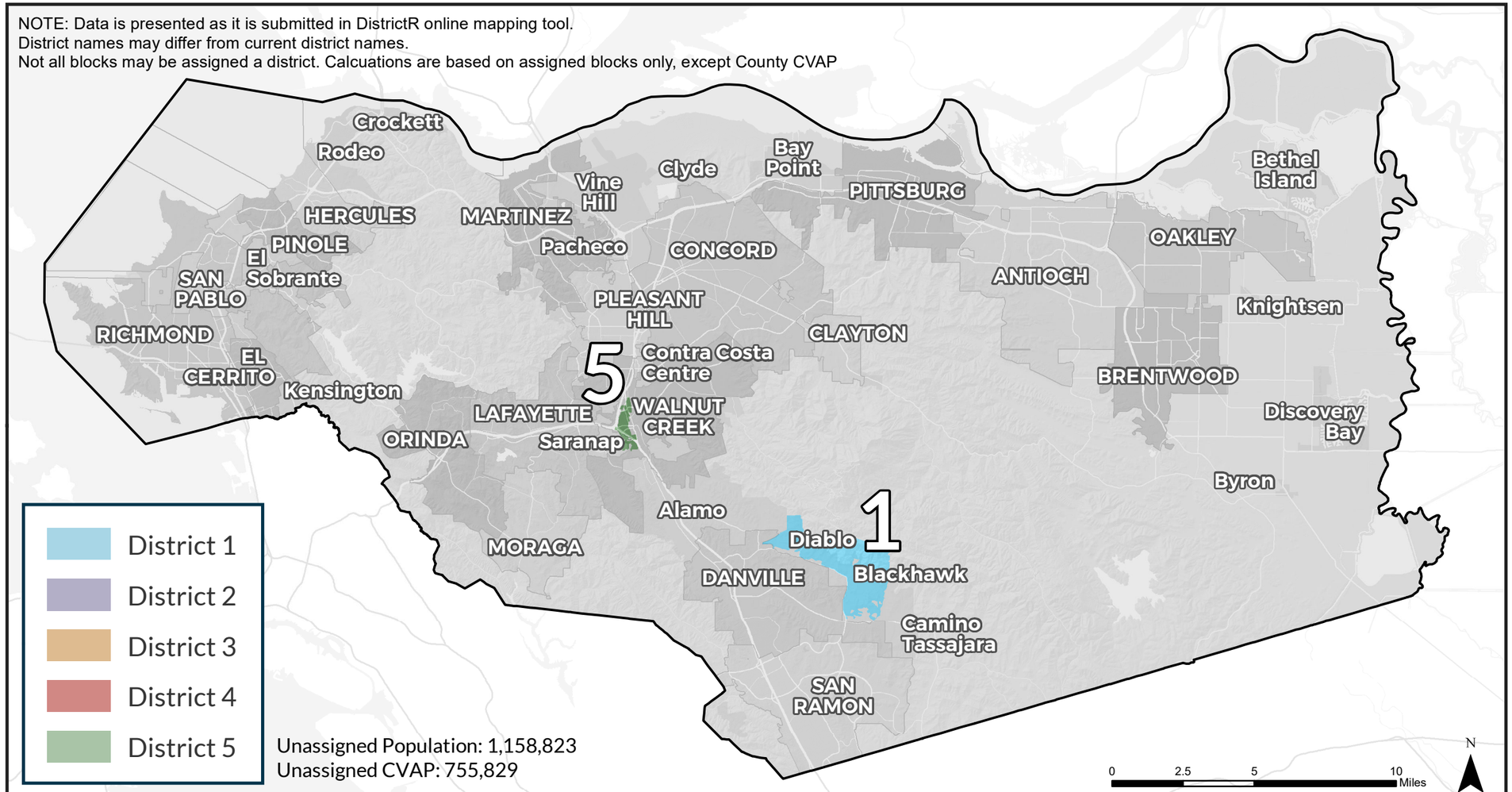

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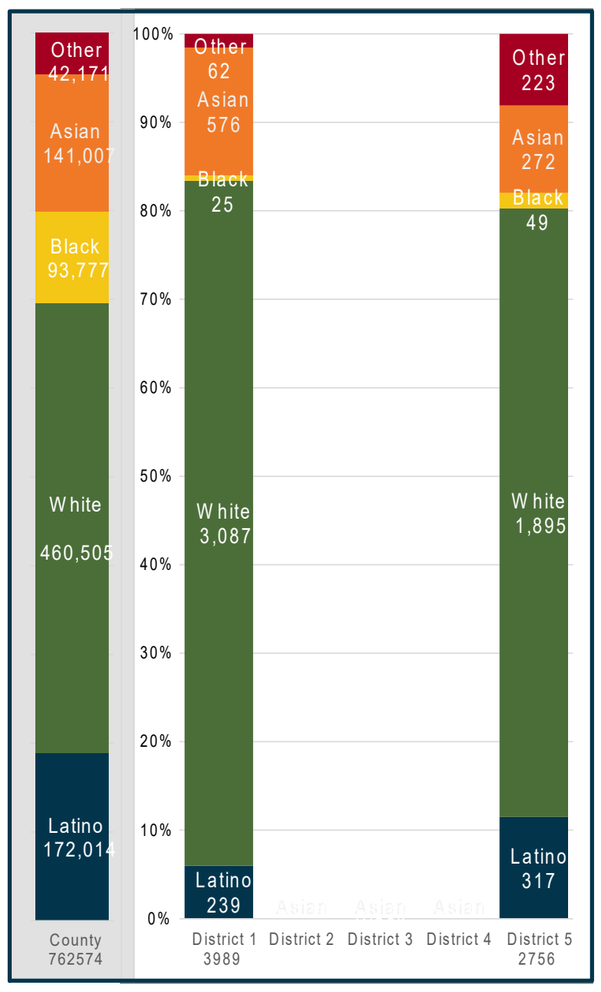
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP) by Race and Ethnicity



Concept Total Variation

NA

2021 Population
Population: 1,168,064
Equal Distribution: 233,613
Citizen Voting Age Population (CVAP): 762,574

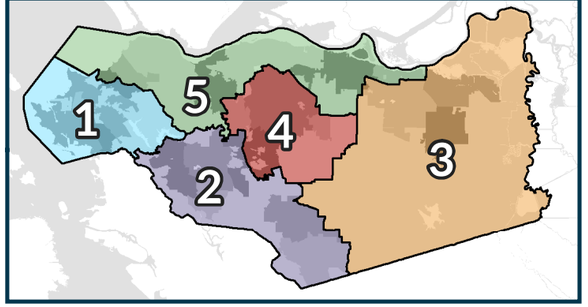
Population by District

District	Population	Variance	Percent
District 1	5,019	(228,594)	-97.85%
District 2	0	(233,613)	-100.00%
District 3	0	(233,613)	-100.00%
District 4	0	(233,613)	-100.00%
District 5	4,222	(229,391)	-98.19%

Written Description from Submission

Add Blackhawk & Diablo to District 2 and shift a piece of Walnut Creek to District 4

Current Supervisorial Boundaries



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District 2

Basic Info

Submitter: DON TATZIN
Location: Lafayette
Submitted on: 9/17/2021
Type: written
ID: w4783

Written Testimony

Having lived here for more than forty years, I think the current District 2 boundaries make the most sense of any I have seen. I would like to ensure that Lamorinda remains together.

Tags

Proceed to Submit a Comment

Comments & Feedback

No comments have been submitted.

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We are the Party for and by the People

August 4, 2021

Honorable John M. Gioia
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors
1025 Escobar St.
Martinez, CA 94553

Dear Supervisor Gioia,

You will shortly be reviewing the required redistricting of the Supervisorial Electoral Districts. The overwhelming principle we hope you will consider is to take into consideration the Communities of Interest to provide a proper reflection of the people. In this regard, the Democratic Party of Contra Costa County has discussed this matter and, by a unanimous vote, advises you that the fundamental basis of a Community of Interest starts with the maintenance of boundaries of the incorporated cities of the county, all of which have come together historically to present to the state a genuine community of interest by its very formation. We have attached the resolution for your information.

Therefore, we request, in consideration of the district lines to be established, that no incorporated city be divided such as is currently done with Pinole, Antioch and Walnut Creek.

As no city is larger than the average projected size of 230,000 residents and whereas you have the flexibility to arrange districts with up to net 10 per cent variation in total, the goal of not dividing any city is within reasonable achievement. We look forward to your accomplishment of this consideration in reflecting the above Communities of Interest.

Thank you,

Katie Ricklefs
Chair, Democratic Party of Contra Costa County

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Redistricting: Cities in Contra Costa County are to be undivided

Whereas the unity of cities is a major contributor to the development of political and social communities of interest in accordance with Democratic values;

Therefore, be it resolved that the Democratic Party of Contra Costa County requests and encourages the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County to direct staff and abide by a policy that, in the redistricting of Supervisorial Districts, no city shall be divided, unless there is a prior vote of the City's Council to accept a division; and

Be it further resolved that the Democratic Party of Contra Costa County will communicate this resolution to elected officials on the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County.

Submitted by Honorable Edi Birsan, District 4
Approved by DPCCC Membership, July 15, 2021

From: Roger Chelemedos (Email address deleted)
Date: Saturday, September 4, 2021 at 5:46 AM
To: Supervisor Candace Andersen <SupervisorAndersen@bos.cccounty.us>
Subject: Redistricting

Dear Supervisor Andersen,

I live in Lafayette on Reliez Valley Road and our area is in Federal Glover's district #5. As a part of the redistricting discussions, I think it is widely accepted that this area (extending your supervisorial territory through Grayson Rd) should be in your district. No offense to district 5, but this area has much more in common with your constituents than we do in more eastern Contra Costa County. Seems to be a holdover from 20+ years ago when this area was aligned more closely with Pleasant Hill.

While this county area may never annex into the City of Lafayette, we are in Lafayette school districts and participate in Lafayette Parks and Recreation

Thank you,
Roger Chelemedos