## City of South San Francisco



### 2021 Redistricting Update

National Demographics Corp.

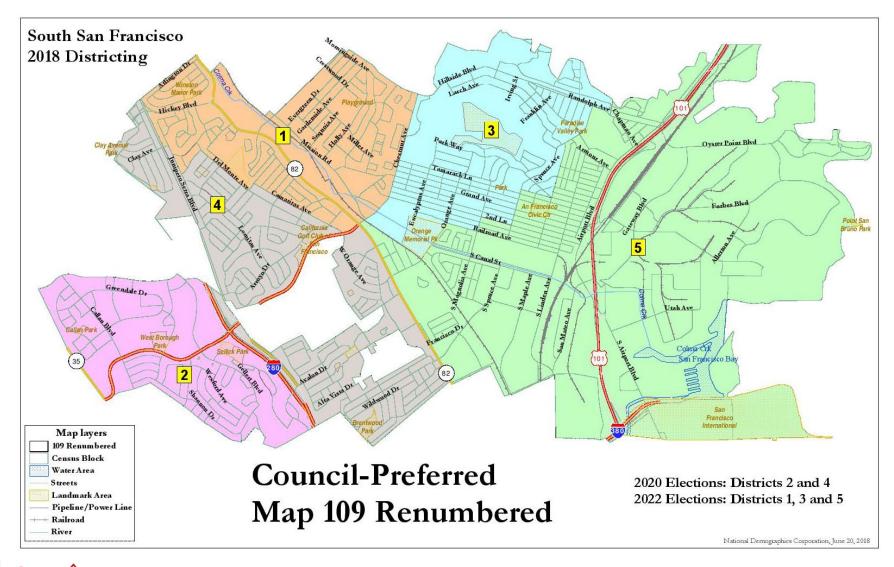


# Districting vs. Redistricting

Date	Event
April 11, 2018	Council passed resolution to change to district elections
July 11, 2018	Council passed ordinance approving new district boundaries
2020	First by-district elections in two districts
2021	Districts will be redrawn to reflect 2020 Census data
2022	First by-district elections in remaining three districts



## Current District Map (2018)





# 2021 Redistricting Timeline

Date	Actions				
July 14, 2021	1st Public Hearing to educate the public on the redistricting process and solicit input on "communities of interest"				
August 12, 2021	Census Bureau released of 2020 population counts				
September 27, 2021	California released official adjusted population data				
December 1, 2021	Community Workshop				
December 22, 2021	2 <sup>nd</sup> Public Hearing to educate the public on the redistricting process and solicit input on "communities of interest"				
January 18, 2022	Final deadline to submit maps for consideration				
January 26, 2022	3 <sup>rd</sup> Public Hearing to discuss and revise draft maps				
February 23, 2022	4th Public Hearing to discuss and revise draft maps				
March 9, 2022	Adopt final map as ordinance				
November 8, 2022	First election with new map				



## Legal Requirements & Other Goals

#### 1. Federal Law

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

#### 2. California Law

- 1. Ensure geographic contiguity
- Minimize division of neighborhoods & "communities of interest"
- 3. Create easily identifiable boundaries
- 4. Maintain compactness
- Do not "favor or discriminate against a political party"

#### 3. Other Goals

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

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



# Beyond Neighborhoods: Defining "Communities of Interest"

Under California Elections Code, "community of interest" has a very specific definition in the context of redistricting:



A "community of interest" is a population that shares common social or economic interests that should be included <u>within a single district</u> for purposes of its effective and fair representation.



Definitions of "communities of interest" do **not** include relationships with political parties, incumbents, or political candidates.



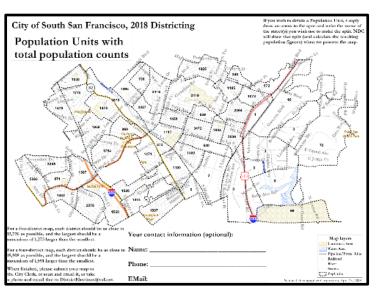
# Official Population Data By District

Each of the 5 districts must contain about 13,236 people.

South San Francisco - Current Districts - 2020 Census Adjusted									
District		1	2	3	4	5	Total		
2020	2020 Census (Adjusted)	13,097	13,486	12,933	13,088	13,580	66,184		
	Deviation from ideal	-140	249	-304	-149	343	647		
	% Deviation	-1.06%	1.88%	-2.30%	-1.12%	2.59%	4.89%		
2020 Total Pop	% Hisp	30%	11%	40%	26%	56%	33%		
	% NH White	20%	12%	19%	29%	11%	18%		
	% NH Black	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%		
	% Asian-American	44%	71%	34%	39%	25%	43%		
	Total	9,540	9,733	9,934	11,050	6,823	47,081		
Citizen Voting	% Hisp	25%	10%	38%	23%	48%	28%		
Age Pop	% NH White	30%	13%	23%	38%	14%	25%		
	% NH Black	1%	5%	1%	2%	5%	3%		
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	42%	70%	35%	37%	32%	44%		
Language	english	53%	37%	39%	56%	30%	43%		
Language spoken at home	spanish	17%	8%	34%	12%	48%	23%		
	asian-lang	25%	48%	21%	23%	17%	27%		
	other lang	4%	7%	5%	9%	6%	6%		
Child in Household	child-under18	26%	31%	34%	28%	41%	32%		
Household Income	income 0-25k	8%	4%	10%	11%	14%	9%		
	income 25-50k	11%	13%	9%	10%	17%	12%		
	income 50-75k	10%	12%	17%	11%	14%	13%		
	income 75-200k	52%	48%	48%	47%	44%	48%		
	income 200k-plus	19%	24%	16%	21%	11%	19%		
Housing Stats	single family	63%	72%	70%	81%	58%	69%		
	multi-family	37%	28%	30%	19%	42%	31%		
	rented	41%	21%	46%	32%	58%	39%		
	owned	59%	79%	54%	68%	42%	61%		



## Public Mapping Tools



Submitter's Comments about the plan:

- Use the paper map, the online tool, or any other map
- Draw your community of interest, draw the district you want for your area, or draw an entire citywide map



These tools are designed as ways to empower residents. There is no requirement to use them.