

# County of Santa Clara 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission



**DATE:** October 6, 2021, Regular Meeting  
**TIME:** 6:30 PM  
**PLACE:** **\*\*By Virtual Teleconference Only\*\***

## AGENDA

Pursuant to Government Code section 54953(e)(1)(A), this meeting will be held by teleconference only because (1) the Governor issued a Proclamation of State of Emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and in accordance with Government Code section 8625 and (2) the County Health Officer issued a recommendation that public bodies continue to meet remotely (see <https://covid19.sccgov.org/sites/g/files/exjcpb766/files/documents/health-officer-recommendation-re-public-governmental-meetings-09-21-21.pdf>). No physical location will be available for this meeting; however, members of the public will be able to participate in the meeting as noted below.

To address the Commission in public comment, please review the Public Comment Instructions below, then access the teleconference at <https://sccgov-org.zoom.us/j/95122033796> (recommended) or (669) 219-2599, meeting ID 95122033796# (participant ID not required).

Further instructions for accessing the teleconference will be posted online at: [www.sccgov.org/bosmeeting](http://www.sccgov.org/bosmeeting).

## **Notice to the Public - Meeting Procedures**

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and the Brown Act, those requiring accommodations in this meeting should notify the Clerk of the 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission no less than 24 hours prior to the meeting at (408) 299-5001, or TDD (408) 993-8272.

Please note: To contact the Commission and/or to inspect any disclosable public records related to an open session item on a regular meeting agenda and distributed by the County to all or a majority of the Board of Supervisors (or any other commission, board, or committee) less than 72 hours prior to that meeting, visit our website at <http://www.sccgov.org> or contact the Clerk at (408) 299-5001 or 70 West Hedding Street, 10th Floor, San Jose, CA 95110, during normal business hours.

Persons wishing to address the Commission are requested to limit their comments to two minutes. Groups of speakers on a specific item are asked to limit their total presentation to a maximum of twenty minutes for each side of the issue.

### Translation Services

**English:** Language interpretation services are available. Please contact the Office of the Clerk of the Board at (408) 299-5001 no less than three business days prior to the meeting to request an interpreter.

**Español:** Hay servicios disponibles de interpretación de idiomas. Por favor, póngase en contacto con la Oficina del Secretario de la Junta de Supervisores al (408) 299-5001 no menos de tres días antes de la junta para solicitar un intérprete.

**Tiếng Việt:** Có dịch vụ thông dịch cho ngôn ngữ của quý vị. Hãy liên lạc Văn Phòng Thư Ký Ban Quản Trị tại số (408) 299-5001 ít nhất ba ngày làm việc trước cuộc hẹn để yêu cầu cho người thông dịch.

**中文:** 提供語言翻譯服務。請在會議召開前至少三個工作日致電 (408) 299-5001 聯絡書記委員辦公室 (Clerk of the Board) 尋求翻譯服務。

**Tagalog:** Ang mga serbisyo sa interpretasyon ng wika ay available. Mangyaring makipag-ugnayan sa Office of the Clerk of the Board sa (408) 299-5001 ng hindi bababa sa tatlong araw ng negosyo bago ang pulong upang humiling ng interpreter.

## **Public Comment Instructions**

Members of the Public may provide public comments at this meeting as follows:

- Written public comments may be submitted by email to [2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org](mailto:2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org). Written comments will be distributed to the Commission and posted to the agenda outline as quickly as possible.

- Spoken public comments will be accepted through the teleconference meeting. To address the Commission, click on the link above for the appropriate meeting to access the Zoom-based meeting. Please read the following instructions carefully.
  1. You may download the Zoom client or connect to the meeting in-browser. If using your browser, make sure you are using a current, up-to-date browser: Chrome 30+, Firefox 27+, Microsoft Edge 12+, Safari 7+. Certain functionality may be disabled in older browsers including Internet Explorer.
  2. You will be asked to enter an email address and name. The Clerk requests that you identify yourself by name as this will be visible online and will be used to notify you that it is your turn to speak.
  3. When the Chairperson calls for the item on which you wish to speak, click on “raise hand.” The Clerk will activate and unmute speakers in turn. Speakers will be notified shortly before they are called to speak. (Call in attendees press \*9 to request to speak, and \*6 to unmute when prompted.)
  4. When called to speak, please limit your remarks to the time limit allotted.

## Opening

1. Roll Call.
2. Public Comment.

This item is reserved for persons desiring to address the Commission on any matter not on this agenda. Members of the public who wish to address the Commission on any item not listed on the agenda should request to speak at this time. Individuals will be called to speak in turn.

Speakers are limited to the following: three minutes if the Chairperson or designee determines that five or fewer persons wish to address the Commission; two minutes if the Chairperson or designee determines that between six and fourteen persons wish to address the Commission; and one minute if the Chairperson or designee determines that fifteen or more person wish to address the Commission.

The law does not permit Commission action or extended discussion of any item not on the agenda except under special circumstances. If Commission action is requested, the Commission may place the matter on a future agenda. Statements that require a response may be referred to staff for reply in writing.

3. Approve Consent Calendar and changes to the Commission's Agenda.

Items removed from the Consent Calendar will be considered at the end of the regular agenda for discussion. The Commission may also add items on the regular agenda to the Consent Calendar.

Notice to the public: There is no separate discussion of Consent Calendar items, and the recommended actions are voted on in one motion. If an item is approved on the consent vote, the specific action recommended by staff is adopted. Members of the public who wish to address the Commission on Consent Calendar items should comment under this item. Each speaker is limited to two minutes total.

## Regular Agenda - Items for Discussion

4. Receive report from the Public Health Department relating to redlining and effects on certain neighborhoods in Santa Clara County. (ID# 107846)
5. Consider recommendations relating to Communities of Interest. (ID# 107840)

Possible action:

- a. Receive report from the Office of the County Executive.

- b. Receive public testimony.
  - c. Receive testimony from Communities of Interest representatives.
  - d. Receive testimony from Supervisorial District Two Commissioner Hong, Commissioner Pham, and Vice Chairperson Staedler.
  - e. Receive verbal report from Redistricting Partners relating to summary of testimony and potential impacts.
6. Receive report from the Office of the County Executive relating to 2021 redistricting process. (ID# 107839)
  7. Propose future agenda items.

### **Announcements**

8. Announcements and correspondence:
  - a. Chairperson's announcements.
  - b. Commissioners' announcements.
  - c. The County of Santa Clara provides reimbursement to appointed Commissioners for family care expenses incurred during the time spent performing their official County duties. For additional information, please contact the Office of the Clerk of the Board at (408) 299-5001.

### **Consent Calendar**

9. Approve minutes of the September 29, 2021 Regular Meeting.

### **Adjourn**

10. Adjourn to the next regular meeting on Wednesday, October 13, 2021 at 6:30 p.m., by virtual teleconference.



107846

**DATE:** October 6, 2021

**TO:** 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission

**FROM:** Miguel Marquez, Chief Operating Officer  
Melanie Jimenez Perez, Program Manager II  
Danielle Christian, Legislative Manager

**SUBJECT:** Report on Redlining and Effects on Neighborhoods in Santa Clara County

**RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Receive report from the Public Health Department relating to redlining and effects on certain neighborhoods in Santa Clara County.

**REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

At the September 1, 2021, Regular Meeting of the 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission, Commissioners requested information on redlining in Santa Clara County. At its September 29, 2021 meeting, staff provided the Commission general information on redlining and shared a series of briefs that the Othering & Belonging Institute at the University of California, Berkeley released about racial segregation in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Dr. Analilia Garcia will provide the Commission with information on redlining and its effects on some neighborhoods in Santa Clara County. Dr. Garcia is the Racial & Health Equity Senior Manager at the County of Santa Clara Public Health Department. She provides leadership and strategic direction for the planning, research, coordination, facilitation, implementing and management of a diverse portfolio of department, and countywide, multisectoral public health initiatives, with a focus on racial and health equity, social determinants of health and community engagement. Dr. Garcia possesses over 23 years of experience in the non-profit sector, academia and government. Dr. Garcia completed her bachelor's degree in Bio-Psychology at the University of California, Santa Barbara, a Master of Public Health degree in Community Health Education at San Jose State University, and her doctoral degree in Public Health (DrPH) from the University of California, Berkeley.

**CHILD IMPACT**

The recommended action will have no/neutral impact on children and youth.

**SENIOR IMPACT**

The recommended action will have no/neutral impact on seniors.

## **SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS**

The recommended action will have no/neutral sustainability implications.

## **BACKGROUND**

Every 10 years, following the release of data from the decennial Census, jurisdictions that elect members of their legislative body by districts must revise district boundary lines to ensure the districts are consistent with federal, state, and local legal requirements. In April 2021, the Board of Supervisors established a framework for the 2021 Redistricting Process, which included the establishment of a fifteen-member 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission.

## **CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION**

The Commission would not receive this informational report.

County of Santa Clara  
Office of the County Executive



107840

**DATE:** October 6, 2021

**TO:** 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission

**FROM:** Miguel Marquez, Chief Operating Officer  
Melanie Jimenez Perez, Program Manager II  
Danielle Christian, Legislative Manager

**SUBJECT:** Communities of Interest Testimony from District 2

**RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Consider recommendations relating to Communities of Interest.

Possible action:

- a. Receive report from the Office of the County Executive.
- b. Receive public testimony.
- c. Receive testimony from Communities of Interest representatives.
- d. Receive testimony from Supervisorial District Two Commissioner Hong, Commissioner Pham, and Vice Chairperson Staedler.
- e. Receive verbal report from Redistricting Partners relating to summary of testimony and potential impacts.

**REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

At the September 1, 2021, meeting of the 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission, (Item No. 6), the Commission approved a targeted outreach schedule as follows:

Date	Supervisorial District
September 22, 2021	District 4
September 29, 2021	District 5
October 6, 2021	District 2
October 13, 2021	District 3
October 20, 2021	District 1

The Commission will receive public testimony, group presentations, and hear from commissioners representing the supervisorial district. Testimony shared with the commission should cover the following questions that are outlined on the Community of Interest form:

- Does your community have a shared culture, interests, activity, business, or bond?
- Does your community live in a concentrated area?
  - Can you draw your community on a map?
  - Is there density within your community (many people in your community living closely together)?
- Describe how your community is affected by policy decisions made by the Board of Supervisors.

The final component of the Communities of Interest item will be a verbal report from Redistricting Partners to summarize testimony received during the meeting and submissions received and published on the County's redistricting website ([www.sccgov.org/2021redistricting/COI](http://www.sccgov.org/2021redistricting/COI)). Members of the public, groups or organizations, and Commissioners are invited to submit their own Community of Interest form or draw their community on the County's redistricting website to be discussed by the Commission.

The summary by Redistricting Partners will identify potential impacts associated with the received testimony and they will facilitate a discussion among the Commissioners of their viewpoints, what testimony might be missing, and what factors could be incorporated into future mapping sessions. The information below provides additional information on each component of the meeting and an update on submitted community input.

### Public Testimony

Members of the public will be provided the opportunity to share information on their community of interest for up to two minutes each. This information will be shared as public comment and the Commission will have an opportunity to discuss at the end of the item. If members of the public wish to also submit their testimony in writing, or provide additional information, they can email the redistricting team ([2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org](mailto:2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org)) to have their testimony added to the County's redistricting website ([www.sccgov.org/2021redistricting/COI](http://www.sccgov.org/2021redistricting/COI)).

### Communities of Interest Representatives

Groups or organizations who sign up in advance by emailing the redistricting team ([2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org](mailto:2021redistricting@ceo.sccgov.org)) will each have up to five minutes to make a presentation. After each presentation, the Commission will have the opportunity to ask questions of the presenters. Staff will work with groups to have presentations added to the agenda as quickly as possible. For the meeting on October 6, 2021, staff has contacted representatives from Asian Law Alliance to present.



### Supervisory District Two Commissioners

Commissioners Hong, Pham, and Staedler will have up to three minutes each to share information on their neighborhood and important information on their current district. Information can be shared verbally or submitted to staff to be added to the agenda.

### Community Input Received

One additional “Community Input” item was received by September 27, 2021, and it is Item 13 on the table below. All Community Input received is posted to the redistricting website (<https://countyexec.sccgov.org/2021-redistricting-process/communities-interest>) and are outlined below:

Submission #	Submission Type	Name
1	Map	Mt. View Senior Mobile Home Parks (MHPs): <a href="#">Map of Senior MHPs.pdf</a>
2	Public Comment	West Valley Communities of Interest: <a href="#">Public Comment on West Valley Communities of Interest.pdf</a>
3	Map	Sunnyvale: <a href="#">3 Map of Sunnyvale.pdf</a>
4	COI Form	Sunnyvale: <a href="#">4 COI Sunnyvale.pdf</a>
5	COI Form	Diridon Station <a href="#">5 COI Diridon Station.pdf</a>
6	Map	Diridon Station <a href="#">6 Map of Diridon Station.pdf</a>
7	COI	Midtown San Jose <a href="#">7 COI Midtown San Jose.pdf</a>
8	Map	Midtown San Jose <a href="#">8 Map of Midtown San Jose.pdf</a>
9	Public Comment	City of Sunnyvale <a href="#">9 Public Comment City of Sunnyvale_0.pdf</a>
10	Map	East Milpitas <a href="#">10 Map of East Milpitas.pdf</a>
11	COI	Valley View Reed <a href="#">11 COI Valley View Reed.pdf</a>
12	Map	Valley View Reed <a href="#">12 Map of Valley View Reed.pdf</a>
13	Public	Cities from Leagues of Women Voters of Santa Clara



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	Comment	County <a href="#">13 Public Comment Cities Leagues of Women Voters of Santa Clara County.pdf</a>

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### **CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION**

The Commission would not receive this report on communities of interest.

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

- COI Presentation (PDF)

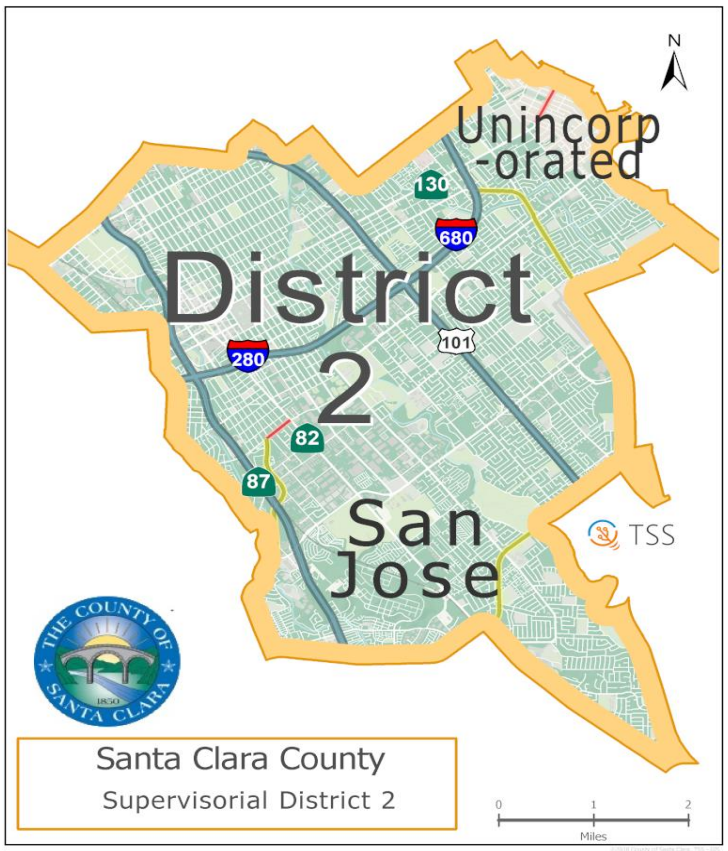
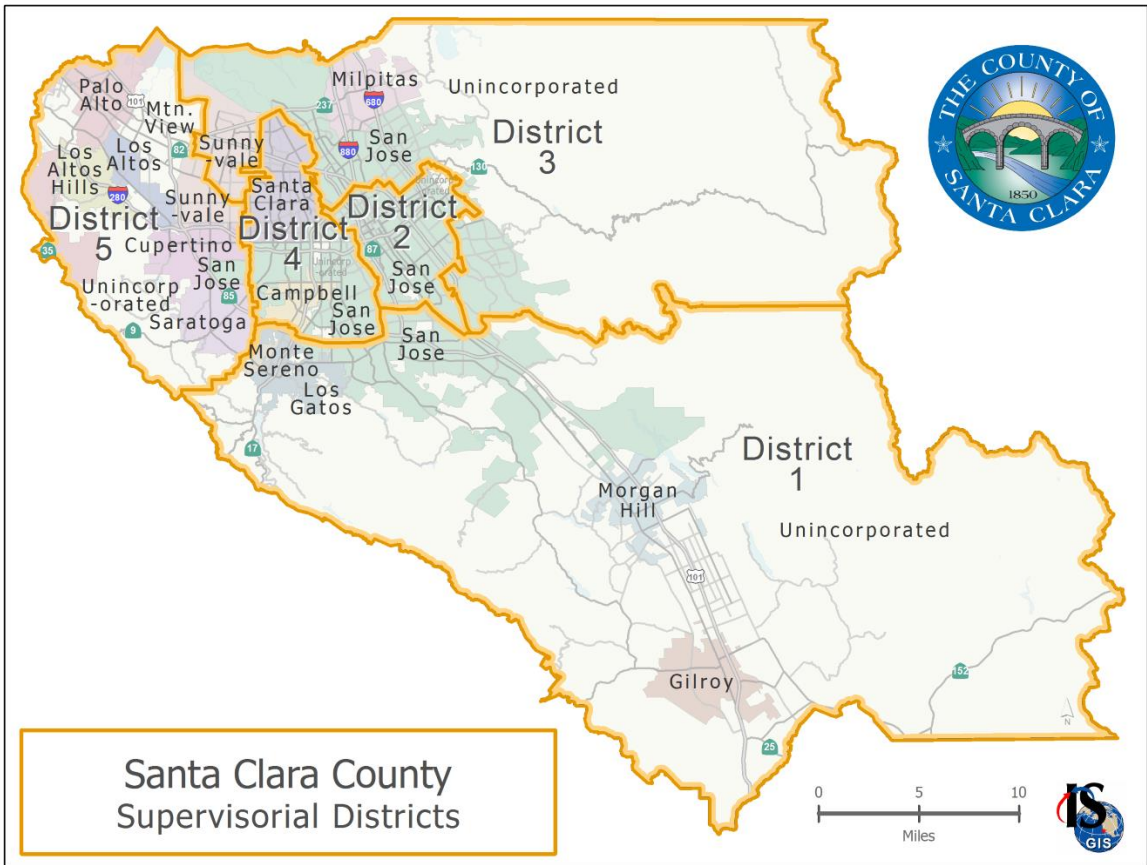
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Communities of Interest



# What to Share with the Commission

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# Santa Clara County Supervisorial District Two



# District Two

Represented by  
Supervisor Cindy Chavez

District Two includes the areas of Central, East and South San Jose as well as some unincorporated areas in the northeastern part of the district.

Geographically, it is the smallest of the five districts.





# District Two Neighborhoods

- ▶ Alum Rock
- ▶ Cassell
- ▶ Hyde Park
- ▶ Japantown
- ▶ Julian/St. James
- ▶ Mayfair
- ▶ Naglee Park
- ▶ Northside
- ▶ Ocala
- ▶ Overfelt
- ▶ Seven Trees
- ▶ Vendome
- ▶ Washington-Guadalupe



# Community Resources in District Two

- ▶ Asian Americans for Community Involvement (AACI)
- ▶ African American Community Services
- ▶ Amigos de Guadalupe
- ▶ Children's Discovery Museum
- ▶ Gardner Downtown Health Center
- ▶ Indian Health Center
- ▶ Mexican Heritage Plaza
- ▶ Roots Community Health Center
- ▶ Sacred Heart Community Services
- ▶ Valley Health Center Downtown
- ▶ Yu-Ai Kai Japanese American Community Senior Service
- ▶ YWCA



## District Two Mobile Home Parks

- ▶ District Two has 36 mobile home parks within its boundaries, which represents one-third of the mobile home parks in Santa Clara County



# Questions?

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107839

**DATE:** October 6, 2021

**TO:** 2021 Advisory Redistricting Commission

**FROM:** Miguel Marquez, Chief Operating Officer  
Melanie Jimenez Perez, Program Manager II  
Danielle Christian, Legislative Manager

**SUBJECT:** Update on the 2021 Redistricting Process

**RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Receive report from the Office of the County Executive relating to 2021 redistricting process.

**REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

The Redistricting Team will provide the Advisory Redistricting Commission an update on the October 2, 2021, Community Forum on redistricting, the Commission's workplan, and organizations that are new outreach partners for the redistricting process.

**CHILD IMPACT**

The recommended action will have no/neutral impact on children and youth.

**SENIOR IMPACT**

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**CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION**

The Commission would not receive this update regarding the 2021 redistricting process.