

**RESOLUTION NO. 2022-02
OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
THE COASTSIDE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT**

**APPROVING THE ADJUSTED ZONE-BASED BOUNDARY MAP FOR
ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS BASED ON 2020
CENSUS DATA FOR REDISTRICTING**

This Resolution is adopted in light of the following facts and circumstances, which are found and declared by the Board of Directors (Board) of the Coastsides County Water District (District).

WHEREAS, the District is a special district duly organized and operating pursuant to the County Water District Law, California Water Code sections 30000 *et seq.*

WHEREAS, the California Legislature in the County Water District Law provided for the formation, governance, and operation of County Water Districts, and the District was established in 1947 with boundaries including the City of Half Moon Bay and the unincorporated communities of Princeton, Miramar and El Granada.

WHEREAS, the Board currently is comprised of 5 directors who serve 4-year staggered terms and are elected in even-numbered years pursuant to Water Code sections 30500 and 30501, and Elections Code section 10505.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 2020-01, adopted on February 11, 2020, the District approved the change from at-large to zone-based elections for the election of members of the Board of Directors commencing in November 2020 in furtherance of the California Voting Rights Act, created five (5) zones based on the Blue 2 map, and established the sequence of elections for each of the five zones.

WHEREAS, in November 2020, Board member elections for zones 1, 3, and 4 were held.

WHEREAS, in September 2021, the federal decennial census data was released.

WHEREAS, the District engaged a demographer, Redistricting Partners, to evaluate the federal decennial census data and the District's adopted Blue 2 map, and to draw maps with adjusted boundaries in accordance with California Election Code sections 22000 *et seq.*

WHEREAS, the District held a public hearing on January 25, 2022, on the proposal to adjust the boundaries of the five zones previously created, and Redistricting Partners presented three draft maps with adjusted boundaries that satisfy the legal requirements of equal population among the zones and other accepted demographic principles to comply with both California and Federal law.

WHEREAS, based on input provided at the first public hearing, the District posted the Plan A map on the District's website, and held a second public hearing on February 8, 2022, at which time the Board considered the proposal to adjust the boundaries of the five zones based on the Plan A map, which complies with all Federal, State and local laws and regulations, and will ensure that all in the District may effectively exercise their electoral franchise to elect candidates of their choice in conjunction with the considerations of topography, geography, cohesiveness, contiguity, integrity and compactness of territory, as well as maintaining vital communities of interest.

WHEREAS, the San Mateo County Elections Department will be provided with the information necessary by the District staff, Redistricting Partners, and legal counsel, to ensure that this zone-based election system based on Plan A is implemented for the November 2022 election, and every two years thereafter.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Coastside County Water District Board of Directors as follows:

1. Pursuant to California Elections Code sections 22000 *et seq.* the District adjusts the boundaries of the five zones for the election of its Board members commencing in November 2022 as shown on the Plan A map, which is attached as Exhibit A and incorporated by this reference.
2. The General Manager is authorized to take all actions necessary to give effect to this Resolution, including, for example, providing information to the County of San Mateo Registration and Elections Division.

This Resolution is adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Coastside County Water District held this 8th day of February 2022, by the following vote:

AYES: President Feldman, Vice-President Muller, Director Coverdell, Mickelsen, and Reynolds

NOES:

ABSENT:



Robert Feldman, President
Board of Directors

ATTEST:



Mary Rogren, General Manager
Secretary of the District

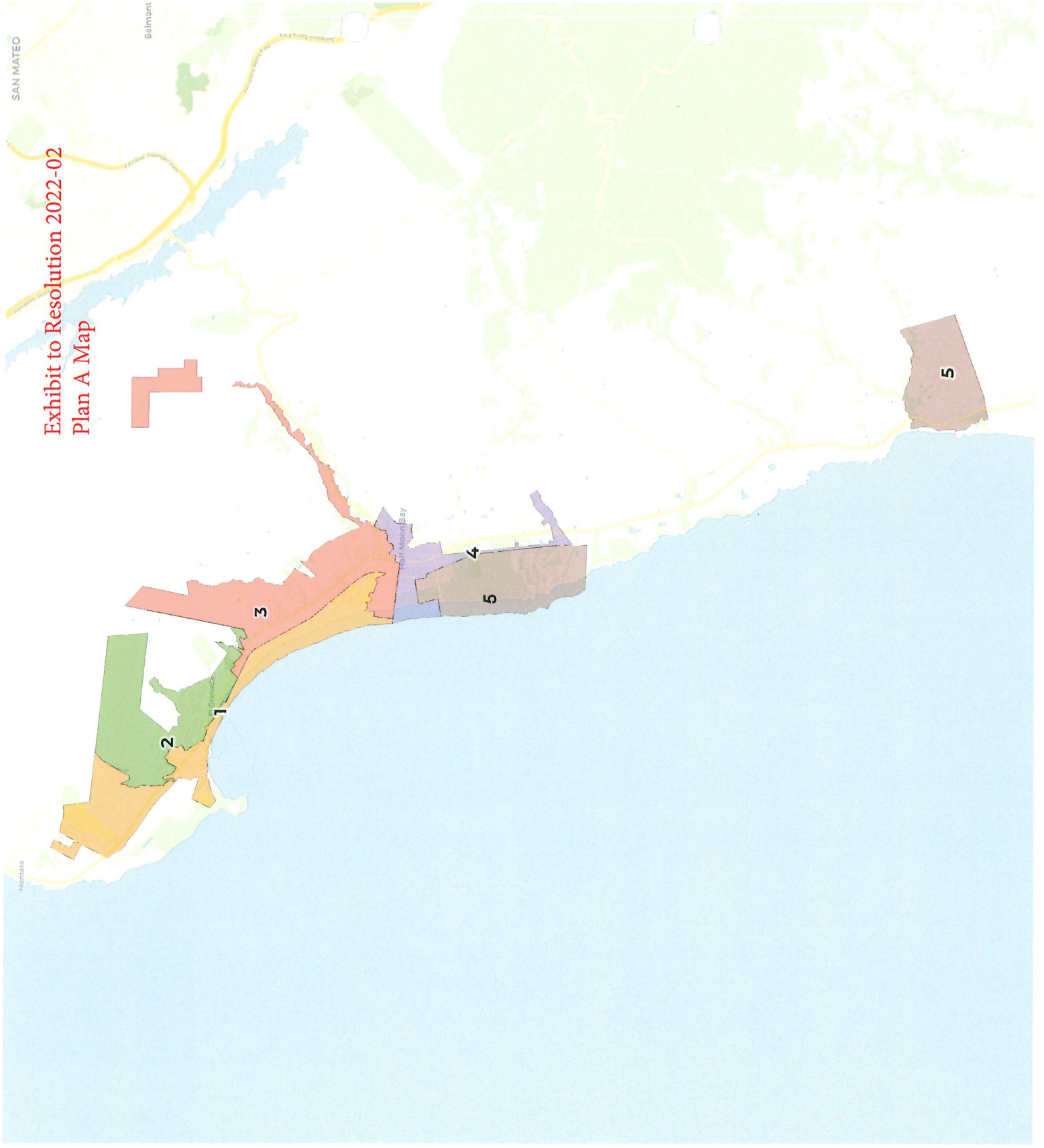


Exhibit to Resolution 2022-02
Plan A Map