



District Elections

Tracy
Plan Review and Additional Direction

December 11, 2025



Council Actions Requested

Conduct public hearing to review draft and public plans

Provide additional direction to demographer on composition of revised draft maps, including potential sequencing of district elections



Timeline

Event	Date
Hearing 1- Education and public input	Oct 28
Hearing 2- Public input and initial direction	Nov 18
Hearing 3- Review plans and provide direction	Dec 11
Publish revised maps	Jan 6
Hearing 4- Review. Make final edits. Select plan	Jan 13
Introduce ordinance	Jan 20
Adopt ordinance	Feb 3

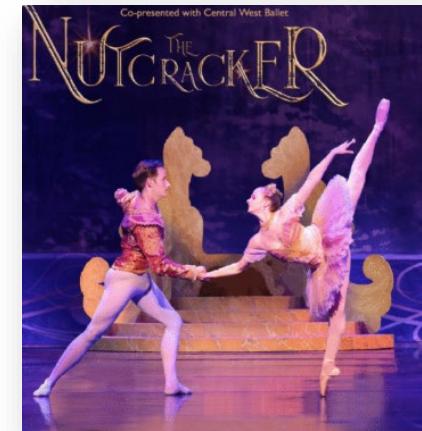
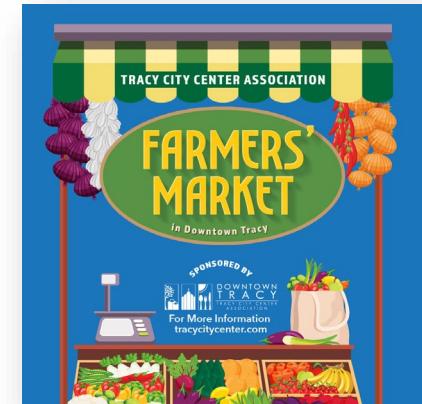
Public Outreach

- Informational flyer was included in utility bills (paper and digital) for the November billing cycle
- Email announcement regarding Public Hearing #3 and draft maps was issued on December 4, 2025
- The City's consultant, Triepi Smith, placed 86 calls to community organizations to inform them about Public Hearing #3 and draft maps



Public Outreach

- Planned Outreach
 - Staff will attend the Farmers Market on December 6, 2025
 - Staff will set up an information table at the Grand Theatre prior to the matinee showing of The Nutcracker on December 6, 2025
 - Districting will be featured in the City Manager's December Newsletter on December 15, 2025





Public Outreach

- Planned Outreach
 - Additional appearance at the Farmers Market on January 10, 2026, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.
 - Consistent social media posts throughout the Districting process
 - **Next Public Hearing: January 13, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.**





Criteria

In order of priority:

- Equal Population
- Federal Law
- Contiguous
- Communities of interest
- Topography/Geography
- Compactness



Things to Remember

Strive for population equality. Be prepared to justify deviations

Ensure compliance with federal Voting Rights Act. Avoid vote dilution where required

Do not use race as the predominant factor. Only as one of many factors and cannot subordinate other redistricting criteria

Focus on traditional criteria. Draw contiguous divisions, respecting communities of interest, making use of existing topography and geography, while being compact as possible.

Don't focus on politics. Avoid considering impacts on parties, incumbents, or candidates.

Draft Plans

- Plan Green
- Plan Blue
- Plan Purple
- Plan Red
- Plan Orange

Public Plans

- 9 full or partial public plans timely submitted by the public
 - Some of the public plans are identical

Resources

In Person/Mail

- City Clerk's Office
333 Civic Center Plaza
Tracy, CA 95376



Webpage

- cityoftracy.org/districting

Email

- districting@cityoftracy.org

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- (209) 831-6105
City Clerks Office- Public Line