

Santa Cruz Port District
Resolution 23-05
May 23, 2023

On the motion of Commissioner Reed

Duly seconded by Commissioner Geisreiter

A resolution of the Santa Cruz Port Commission establishing and adopting a district-based election map for the Santa Cruz Port District pursuant to Elections Code Section 21601 et seq.

WHEREAS, Public Hearings were held on March 6, 2023, and March 28, 2023, to receive public input regarding the composition of the Port District's voting districts before any draft maps were drawn; and,

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing was held on April 25, 2023, where the public and the Commission were invited to provide input regarding the content of the draft maps; and,

WHEREAS, on May 23, 2023, the Port Commission held a final public hearing on the proposal to establish district boundaries, reviewed additional public input, formally selected the district map and the election sequence attached to, incorporated in, and set forth in this Resolution; and,

WHEREAS, this Resolution is adopted to provide for election of members of the Port Commission of the Santa Cruz Port District by-district in five single member districts as reflected in Exhibit A to this Resolution to implement the purposes of the California Voting Rights Act of 2001 (Elections Code § 14025, et seq.); and,

WHEREAS, a map showing the five Port Commission districts is attached as Exhibit "A" and incorporated by reference.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Santa Cruz Port Commission hereby RESOLVES, and ORDERS as follows:

Section 1. The Port Commission finds that the Recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated into this resolution by reference.

Section 2. Based upon substantial evidence presented to the Port Commission during public hearings held on March 6, 2023, March 28, 2023, April 25, 2023, and May 23, 2023, which included public testimony and written and oral staff reports, the Port Commission finds as follows:

a. All necessary public hearings and opportunities for public testimony and comment have been conducted in compliance with State law.

Section 3. The map attached hereto as Exhibit A to this Resolution, and incorporated herein by this reference, is hereby approved and adopted as the Official Port Commission District Map for the Santa Cruz Port District and shall be used in the 2024 general election and all such elections for the Port District, until further amended.

Section 4. The Port Director is authorized and directed to file the District Map with the Santa Cruz County Elections Department and/or Registrar.

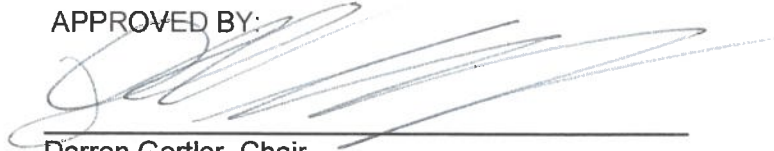
PASSED AND ADOPTED, by the Santa Cruz Port District Commission this 23rd day of May 2023, by the following vote:

AYES: Reed, Goddard, Geisreiter

NOES: Gertler, Smith

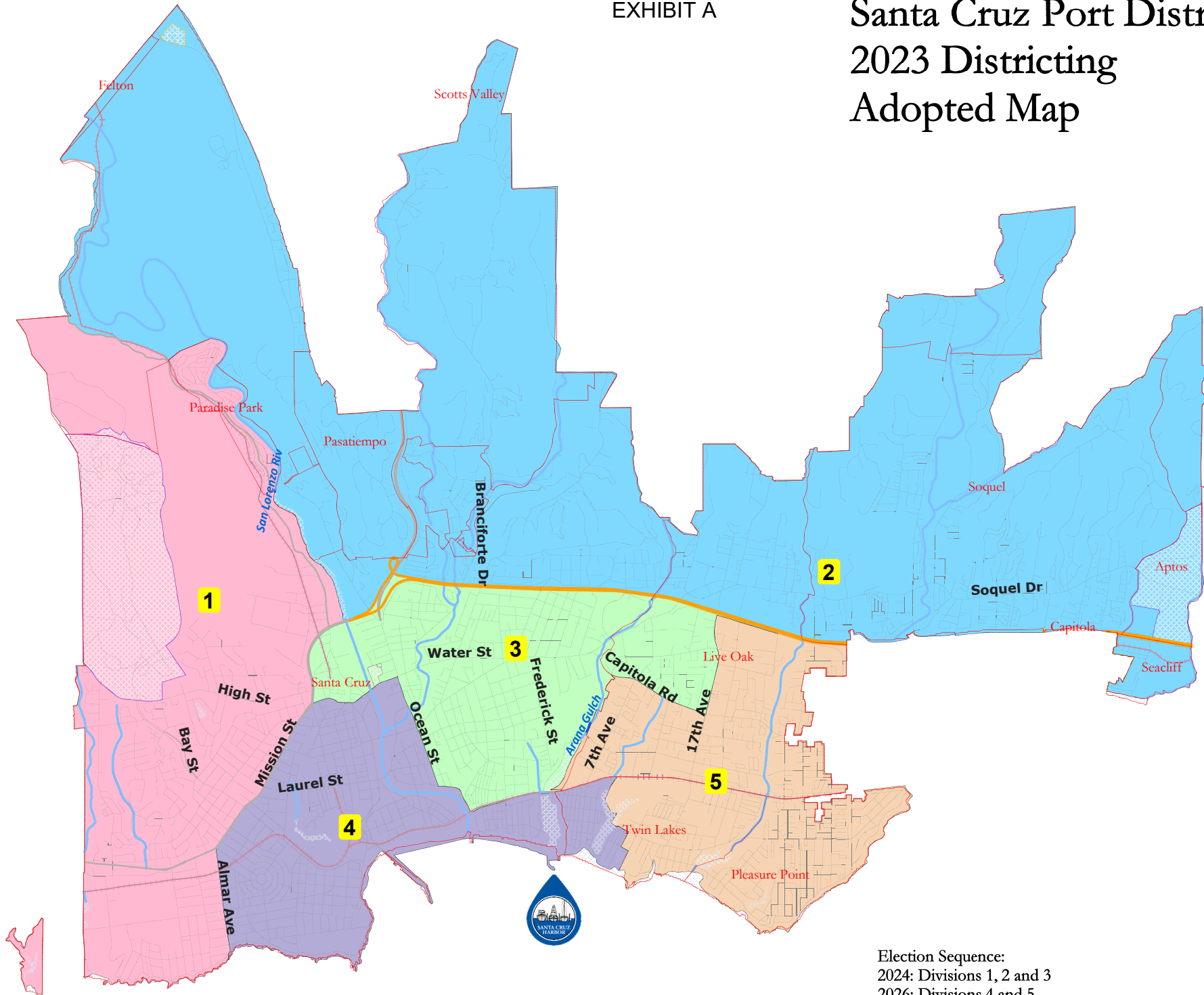
ABSENT: N/A

APPROVED BY:



Darren Gertler, Chair
Santa Cruz Port District Commission

Santa Cruz Port District 2023 Districting Adopted Map



Map layers

- Adopted
- Landmark Area
- Landmark Point
- Water Area
- Railroad
- River
- Streets
- City / Town

Election Sequence:
2024: Divisions 1, 2 and 3
2026: Divisions 4 and 5