

Criteria / Guiding Principles

1. Disruption/displacement of existing districts shall be minimized to the extent possible.

2. Disruption/displacement of existing communities shall be minimized to the extent possible.

3. The use of census geography shall be limited to the block group if possible.

4. District boundaries shall be as simple and compact as possible.

5. District boundaries should follow recognizable major physical features where possible.

6. No district shall be altered so as to displace a sitting Board member.

7. Population of all supervisorial districts should not vary by more than 1% overall (biggest vs. smallest).

8. "Groups of interest" shall be kept together to the extent possible.

9. The Primary Zone of the Delta shall be included in three districts if possible.