

ADOPTING A MAP TO ADJUST THE BOUNDARIES OF THE HI-DESERT MEMORIAL HEALTH CARE DISTRICT'S ELECTION ZONES FOLLOWING THE 2020 FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS PURSUANT TO ELECTIONS CODE SECTIONS 22000-22002

On February 2, 2023, the Morongo Basin Healthcare District Board of Directors convened the first of five public hearings to consider the transition from At-Large elections to By-Voting-Zones for the healthcare District. The District engaged National Demographics Corporation to assist them through the process.

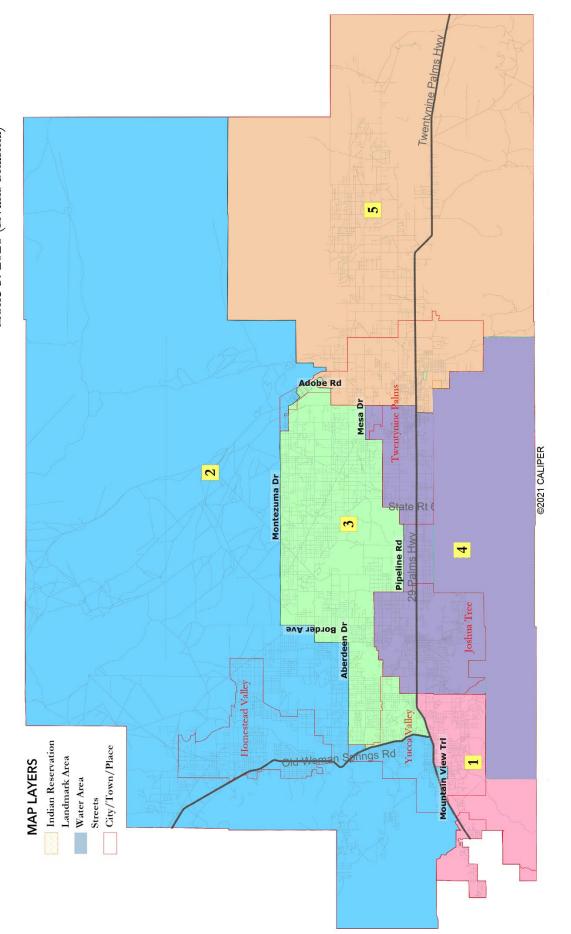
The Federal Voting Rights Act states that districting cannot disadvantage a class of people or dilute their right to vote. The disadvantaged class is typically based on linguistic or ethnic parameters but can also include a grouping of people with unique and common interests. The District defines what those unique parameters are. The Board of Directors defined three unique interest groups as renters (based on the Basin's housing crisis as renters are displaced by the rise of AirB&B interests), the senior population, and a youth population. At the second hearing, it was noted that the available statistics do not support geographic areas by age and thus the consultant was unable to define a voting zone based on youth. Maps were drawn and presented based on the rental and senior populations. The Basin's population is 68,233, therefore, the five voting zones have a population of 13,647, within a ten percent variable of each other.

Directors are required to live in the voting zone they represent. Directors will complete their current term of office with the voting by zone to begin with the 2024 election; the map designates voting zones by Directors.

At the fifth and final public hearing on May 4, 2023, the Board of Directors adopted a resolution to proceed with the transition of election format.



Zone 1: 2024 (Cooper)
Zone 2: 2024 (Markle-Greenhouse)
Zone 3: 2026 (Savitt)
Zone 4: 2024 (Stiemsma)
Zone 5: 2026 (Evans Sharma)



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	Total Pop	13,566	13,840	13,628	13,510	13,689	68,2
	Deviation from ideal	-81	193	-19	-137	42	330
	% Deviation	-0.59%	1.41%	-0.14%	-1.00%	0.31%	2.42
Total Pop	% Hisp	22.9%	23%	22%	21%	25%	239
	% NH White	65%	62%	58%	60%	52%	599
	% NH Black	4%	5%	9%	8%	10%	7%
	% Asian-American	4%	4%	6%	4%	6%	5%
Citizen Voting Age Pop	Total	10,331	9,982	9,325	10,953	9,290	49,8
	% Hisp	23%	18%	24%	13%	23%	209
	% NH White	65%	71%	64%	71%	58%	669
	% NH Black	5%	5%	5%	4%	12%	6%
	% Asian/Pac.Isl.	4%	3%	5%	7%	6%	5%
	Total	8,242	6,218	5,050	7,297	4,773	31,5
Voter Registration (Nov 2020)	% Latino est.	15%	13%	13%	13%	16%	149
	% Spanish-Surnamed	14%	13%	13%	12%	15%	139
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	% Asian-Surnamed	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	% Filipino-Surnamed	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
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	% NH Black	6%	2%	1%	3%	10%	4%
	Total	6,493	4,712	3,791	5,577	3,378	23,9
Voter Turnout (Nov 2020)	% Latino est.	13%	10%	11%	11%	14%	129
	% Spanish-Surnamed	12%	10%	11%	11%	14%	129
	% Asian-Surnamed	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	19
	% Filipino-Surnamed	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	% NH White est.	78%	78%	77%	79%	65%	769
	% NH Black	6%	2%	1%	3%	10%	4%
	Total	4,457	3,349	2,608	3,887	2,018	16,3
Voter Turnout (Nov 2018)	% Latino est.	9%	7%	8%	9%	11%	9%
	% Spanish-Surnamed	9%	7%	8%	9%	11%	9%
	% Asian-Surnamed	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
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	% Filipino-Surnamed	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	% NH White est.	82%	81%	78%	80%	66%	799
	% NH Black est.	5%	2%	1%	2%	9%	3%
ACS Pop. Est.	Total	13,933	12,991	12,618	14,299	13,926	67,7
Age	age0-19	28%	24%	31%	24%	30%	279
	age20-60	45%	48%	52%	55%	57%	519
	age60plus	27%	28%	17%	22%	12%	219
Immigration	immigrants	7%	7%	6%	7%	8%	7%
Immigration .anguage spoken at home	naturalized	64%	60%	53%	59%	54%	589
	english	85%	87%	84%	91%	83%	869
	spanish	14%	10%	13%	7%	11%	119
	asian-lang	0%	1%	3%	2%	4%	2%
				0,0		2%	2%
			3%	1%	1%		47
Language Elveren	other lang	1%	3%	1%	1%		40
Language Fluency	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well"	1% 3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	_
	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well" hs-grad	1% 3% 69%	4% 74%	5% 69%	3% 67%	4% 66%	699
Language Fluency Education (among those age 25+)	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well" hs-grad bachelor	1% 3% 69% 14%	4% 74% 11%	5% 69% 10%	3% 67% 15%	4% 66% 17%	69°
Education (among those age 25+)	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well" hs-grad bachelor graduatedegree	1% 3% 69% 14% 7%	4% 74%	5% 69%	3% 67%	4% 66%	69°
Education	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well" hs-grad bachelor	1% 3% 69% 14%	4% 74% 11%	5% 69% 10%	3% 67% 15%	4% 66% 17%	699 149 79
Education (among those age 25+)	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well" hs-grad bachelor graduatedegree	1% 3% 69% 14% 7%	4% 74% 11% 5%	5% 69% 10% 6%	3% 67% 15% 8%	4% 66% 17% 6%	699 149 7% 309
Education (among those age 25+) Child in Household Pct of Pop. Age 16+	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well" hs-grad bachelor graduatedegree child-under18	1% 3% 69% 14% 7% 32%	4% 74% 11% 5% 24%	5% 69% 10% 6% 26%	3% 67% 15% 8% 29%	4% 66% 17% 6% 35%	699 149 7% 309 609
Education (among those age 25+) Child in Household	other lang Speaks Eng. "Less than Very Well" hs-grad bachelor graduatedegree child-under18 employed	1% 3% 69% 14% 7% 32% 55%	4% 74% 11% 5% 24% 55%	5% 69% 10% 6% 26% 70%	3% 67% 15% 8% 29% 57%	4% 66% 17% 6% 35% 65%	699 149 7% 309 609 249
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Surname-based Voter Registration and Turnout data from the California Statewide Database.

Latino voter registration and turnout data are Spanish-surname counts adjusted using Census Population Department undercount estimates. NH White and NH Black registration and turnout counts estimated by NDC. Citizen Voting Age Pop., Age, Immigration, and other demographics from the 2015-2019 American Community Survey and Special Tabulation 5-year data.

RESOLUTION NO. 23-03

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

HI-DESERT MEMORIAL HEALTH CARE DISTRICT

dba Morongo Basin Healthcare District

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WHEREAS, Hi-Desert Memorial Health Care District, a public agency duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, Division 23 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California, Health and Safety Code § 32000 et seq; and

WHEREAS, Health & Safety Code section 32100.1 authorizes the District to transition from at-large to by-zone elections for its five directors; and

WHEREAS, on May 4, 2023, the Board of Directors adopted Resolution No. 23-23 transitioning to by-zone elections; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature enacted Elections Code sections 22000-22002, which requires each special district to adjust the boundaries of its election zones after each federal decennial census; and

WHEREAS, the District has published draft redistricting maps on its website since March 27, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors held public hearings on February 2, 2023, March 2, 2023, April 6, 2023, and May 4, 2023, to solicit resident input regarding the published draft maps pursuant to Elections Code section 22100.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Recitals. The Recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated into this Resolution by this reference.

SECTION 2. Zone Boundaries. Commencing with the District's next regular election in 2024, the Board of Directors will be elected by zones from the five zones described on the map attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated by this reference.

SECTION 3. Board Member Residency. Commencing with the District's next regular election in 2024, each member of, and any candidate for, the Board of Directors must reside in, and be a registered voter of the zone in which he or she seeks or holds office. A candidate must be a resident of the zone in which he or she seeks office for at least 30 days before the election date. The office of a Board Member elected byzone who ceases to maintain his or her legal residence in the zone he or she represents shall become vacant unless he or she establishes another residence within the zone within 30 days after the termination of his or her previous residency. The Board shall fill any vacancy pursuant to Health & Safety Code section 32100.1 and the appointed Director shall hold office for the unexpired term.

SECTION 4. Effective Date of Resolution. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption pursuant to Elections Code section 22002.

SECTION 5. Transmittal to County. The Chief Executive Officer is directed to provide a signed copy of this resolution to the Elections Division of the San Bernardino County Clerk of the Board.

SECTION 6: Certification. The Clerk of the Board shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and cause it to be maintained in the records of the District.