



## Sunnyvale Redistricting Commission Recruitment Announcement and Application

The Sunnyvale City Council is soliciting applications for appointment to the Sunnyvale Redistricting Commission.

***Application deadline is DATE at 5:00pm***

*(Interviews tentatively scheduled for DATE)*

Email application to [cityclerk@sunnyvale.ca.gov](mailto:cityclerk@sunnyvale.ca.gov) or

drop off/mail to Office of the City Clerk: 456 W. Olive Ave, Sunnyvale, CA 94086

### **Background**

Sunnyvale must re-draw its six Council district boundaries using new 2020 Census data. This process is called redistricting. All cities with district-based election systems, like Sunnyvale, must redistrict after each Census. This keeps population counts within each district relatively equal to ensure equal representation. Sunnyvale adopted district boundaries in 2019 using 2010 Census total population counts. We must now reevaluate districts using the new census data.

### **Role of the Redistricting Commission**

The Redistricting Commission will facilitate the process of adjusting Council district boundaries for elections between 2022 and 2030. It will hold public hearings to gather public input. It will review and narrow map options. And it will make 3-5 draft map recommendations to Council based on community input. Commissioners should be open-minded, impartial, and community-minded. The Council's goal is that the Redistricting Commission will represent the geographic, ethnic, and social diversity of the City. Learn more at [Sunnyvale.ca.gov/redistricting](http://Sunnyvale.ca.gov/redistricting).

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**Please note that all information provided on this form becomes a public record after it is officially filed.**

### **Applicant Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a registered Sunnyvale voter or will you be eligible to vote by December 30, 2021?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What district do you live in?    1       2       3       4       5       6

List any position or office held in any governmental agency, civic, or charitable organization including the dates

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Have you or your immediate family member (spouse, domestic partner, child, parent, sibling, or in-law) been:

	Yes	No
An officer of, employee of, or paid consultant to, a campaign committee for a candidate for City elective office in the past five years?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
An employee or an elected official of a political party in the past five years?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The principal officer of a campaign committee domiciled in the City that made expenditures on a City candidate election in the past five years?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A paid employee of the City in the past two years?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A paid employee of any redistricting contractor or consultant in the past four years?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Registered as a federal, state, or local paid lobbyist for a for-profit entity now or at any time in the last two years?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Demographic Information (optional)**

Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Nonbinary

Household Income: ☐ <\$140,631 (median household income) ☐ \$140,631+

Are you a: ☐ Renter ☐ Homeowner ☐ Other

Do you live in a: ☐ Apartment/Condo ☐ Single Family Home ☐ Mobile Home ☐ Other

**Application Questions (required)**

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Why are you interested in serving on the Redistricting Commission and what are your objectives?

Describe the experience, training, knowledge and/or skills which qualify you for appointment to this commission.

Describe your involvement in Sunnyvale (i.e. participation in civic organizations, volunteer efforts, community activities and events, and faith, cultural, sports, or affinity groups/clubs) and connection to diverse communities.

Thank you for applying! Those not selected to serve on the commission are encouraged to participate in the Redistricting process. Stay informed by visiting [Sunnyvale.ca.gov/redistricting](https://www.sunnyvale.ca.gov/redistricting).

**City of Sunnyvale**  
**SUPPLEMENTAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

**COMPLETION OF THIS PAGE IS OPTIONAL. This page will be removed from your application prior to review.**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Section 1233 of the California Government Code gives each applicant the opportunity to voluntarily indicate his/her identification on an application. The following information will be used by the City of Sunnyvale in conducting research and compiling statistical reports regarding the composition of applicants. It is illegal to use this information to discriminate against, or give preference to, a person for appointment. This page will be removed from your application and will not be a part of the application review process.

**What is your racial/ethnic background? (Place an "X" next to your answer)**

- ☐ **Asian or Pacific Islander:** All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands.  
**Country of origin:** \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ **Black (not of Hispanic Origins):** All persons having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.
- ☐ **Hispanic:** All persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central/South American, or other Spanish cultures, regardless of race.
- ☐ **Native American Or Alaskan Native:** All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North American, or who maintain cultural identification through tribal affiliation.
- ☐ **White (not of Hispanic Origin):** All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East.

Thank you for completing this page.

Please return it with your application to the Office of the City Clerk, 456 West Olive Ave, Sunnyvale, CA 94088-3707. (408) 730-7480, TDD (408) 730-7501, Fax (408) 730-0707.