

1 [Convening the Redistricting Task Force]

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3 **Ordinance convening the Redistricting Task Force, pursuant to Charter Section**  
4 **13.110(d).**

5 NOTE: Additions are *single-underline italics Times New Roman*;  
6 deletions are *strike-through italics Times New Roman*.  
7 Board amendment additions are double-underlined;  
8 Board amendment deletions are ~~strikethrough-normal~~.

8 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

9 Section 1. Creation.

10 Pursuant to Charter Section 13.110(d), the Board of Supervisors hereby convenes the  
11 Redistricting Task Force (Task Force).

12 Section 2. Membership.

13 The Task Force shall consist of nine members. The Board of Supervisors, the Mayor,  
14 and the Elections Commission shall each appoint three members. The Director of Elections  
15 shall serve ex officio as a non-voting member. The Board of Supervisors, the Mayor, and the  
16 Elections Commission shall make their appointments by July 8, 2011.

17 The membership of the Task Force shall be broadly representative of the communities  
18 of interest, neighborhoods, and diversity in ethnicity, race, age, gender, and sexual orientation  
19 of the City and County of San Francisco.

20 Members of the Task Force shall serve until the Task Force completes its duties in  
21 connection with the 2010 decennial census, as set forth in Charter section 13.110(d). Any  
22 vacancies occurring in the voting membership of the Task Force shall be filled by the  
23 appointing authority for the seat which becomes vacant.

24 Section 3. Responsibilities.

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1 The Task Force shall be responsible for redrawing supervisorial district lines in  
2 accordance with the law and shall make appropriate adjustments based on public input  
3 provided at community meetings.

4 As set forth in Charter section 13.110(d), district boundaries must conform to all  
5 applicable legal requirements, including the requirement that they be equal in population.  
6 Population variations between districts shall be limited to 1% from the statistical mean unless  
7 additional variations, limited to 5% of the statistical mean, are necessary to prevent dividing or  
8 diluting the voting power of minorities and/or to keep recognized neighborhoods intact;  
9 provided, however, that the redistricting shall conform to the rule of one person, one vote, and  
10 shall reflect communities of interest within the City and County of San Francisco.

11 Section 4. Staffing.

12 The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors shall serve as Secretary to the Task Force. The  
13 Clerk's duties shall include, but are not limited to, maintaining a Task Force webpage, posting  
14 Task Force meeting agendas and minutes, coordinating meeting space, and providing  
15 workspace for the Task Force's members, as needed.

16 On behalf of the Task Force, the Director of Elections shall, subject to the Charter's  
17 budgetary and fiscal provisions, retain any necessary technical consultants to assist the Task  
18 Force in its duties.

19 Section 5. Sunset Provision.

20 The Task Force shall terminate by operation of law after it has completed its duties in  
21 connection with the 2010 decennial census, as set forth in Charter section 13.110(d).

22 APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
23 DENNIS J. HERRERA, City Attorney

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May 19, 2011 Rules Committee - RECOMMENDED AS COMMITTEE REPORT

May 24, 2011 Board of Supervisors - DIVIDED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Mirkarimi and Wiener

May 24, 2011 Board of Supervisors - PASSED ON FIRST READING AS DIVIDED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Mirkarimi and Wiener

June 07, 2011 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Mirkarimi and Wiener

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I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Ordinance was FINALLY PASSED on  
6/7/2011 by the Board of Supervisors of the  
City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
Mayor Edwin Lee

6/13/11

Date Approved