order no. 12 132021

THE STATE OF TEXAS

THE COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER

ORDER RECONFIGURING COUNTY ELECTION PRECINCTS; **DESIGNATION OF CHANGED POLLING PLACE;** PROVIDING FOR EFFECTIVE DATES; AND DIRECTING THAT REQUIRED NOTICES BE GIVEN.

WHEREAS, on November 1, 2021, Schleicher County (the "County") adopted reconfigured commissioner precincts in order to comply with the "one-person, one-vote" (equal population) principle established by the U.S. Constitution, after population imbalances were revealed by the 2020 Census; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code provides that county election precincts may not contain territory from more than one of each of the following types of territorial units: commissioner precincts, justice precincts, state representative districts, state senatorial districts, State Board of Education districts, or congressional districts; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code provides that a county with a population of fewer than 100,000, which includes the County, a county election precinct must contain at least 50 but not more than 5000 registered voters; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code provides that the effective date for changes to county election precincts shall be the first day of the first even-numbered voting year following the voting year in which the change is ordered, except under certain circumstances; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code provides that, after adoption of reconfigured election precincts, certain notices be given; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 43 of the Texas Election Code, governing the designation of polling places, requires, among other things, that each election precinct have a single polling place located within the boundary of the election precinct, and that polling places must meet certain criteria; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 43 of the Texas Election Code requires that the County designate the location of the polling place for each election precinct; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Schleicher County has determined that, because of districting changes, the County's election precincts require reconfiguration under Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court has determined that new and/or changed polling places should be designated in response to changes in election precinct boundaries, to comply with legal requirements, or for other reasons of convenience or practicality; and

WHEREAS, the County engaged the law firm of Bickerstaff Heath Delgado Acosta LLP to act as the County's redistricting consultant, including advising and assisting the County in the preparation and preclearance of a revised plan for elections precincts in compliance with applicable state and federal law, and to assist in the designation of new or changed polling locations; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court finds the attached election precincts plan to be in the best interest of the County and its citizens, and believes the proposed election precincts to be in compliance with all state and federal requirements; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court finds that use of the new/changed polling place identified in this order to be in the best interest of the County and its citizens, and believes this changed polling place to be in compliance with all state and federal requirements;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS:

- A. That, under the authority of Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code, the configurations and boundaries for the County's election precincts are hereby amended, and the election precincts plan depicted on the map attached hereto as Exhibit A defining revised election precincts coterminous with the new commissioner precincts, as such new election precincts are further described in the tables attached hereto as Exhibit B reporting population, demographic data and registered voter numbers for such election precincts, is hereby adopted and designated to define the County's election precincts from and after the Effective Date for reconfigured election precincts; that Exhibits A and B are incorporated by reference in and made a part of this Order, and shall be kept on file in the County Election Administrator's Office.
- **B.** That this Order respecting reconfigured election precincts shall take and be given effect on January 1, 2022), and that thereafter the adopted election precincts shall be used in all elections for Schleicher County officers and other elections administered by the County, subject to the provisions of Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code or its successor statute, as applicable, until such time as a subsequent lawfully-enacted election precincts plan shall be adopted to replace this plan in whole or part.
- C. That the County Clerk and/or County Election Administrator are hereby directed to make and provide all notices concerning the adoption of the reconfigured election precincts required under Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code, or other law.
- **D.** That, under the authority of Chapter 43 of the Texas Election Code, the polling place for revised Election Precinct 4 shall be at the Eldorado Service Center, 400 West Murchison, Eldorado, Texas 76936; may be used for early voting; and, as may be permitted by the Texas Election Code, may also be used as the polling place for other election precincts if

another election precinct is combined or consolidated with Election Precinct 4 for an election as may be permitted under Chapter 42. The polling places for the other election precincts are otherwise unchanged.

E. That this Order designating a new/changed polling location shall take and be given effect on January 1, 2022, and that thereafter the designated polling place shall be the polling place used in Election Precinct 4 for elections for County officers and other elections administered by the County, subject to the provisions of Chapters 42 and 43 of the Texas Election Code or its successor statutes, as applicable, until such time as other polling places shall be lawfully designated to replace this or other polling places.

BE IT SO ORDERED.

Adopted on this _______ day of December 2021.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS

Approved 12-13-2021

Hon. Charlie Bradley

County Judge

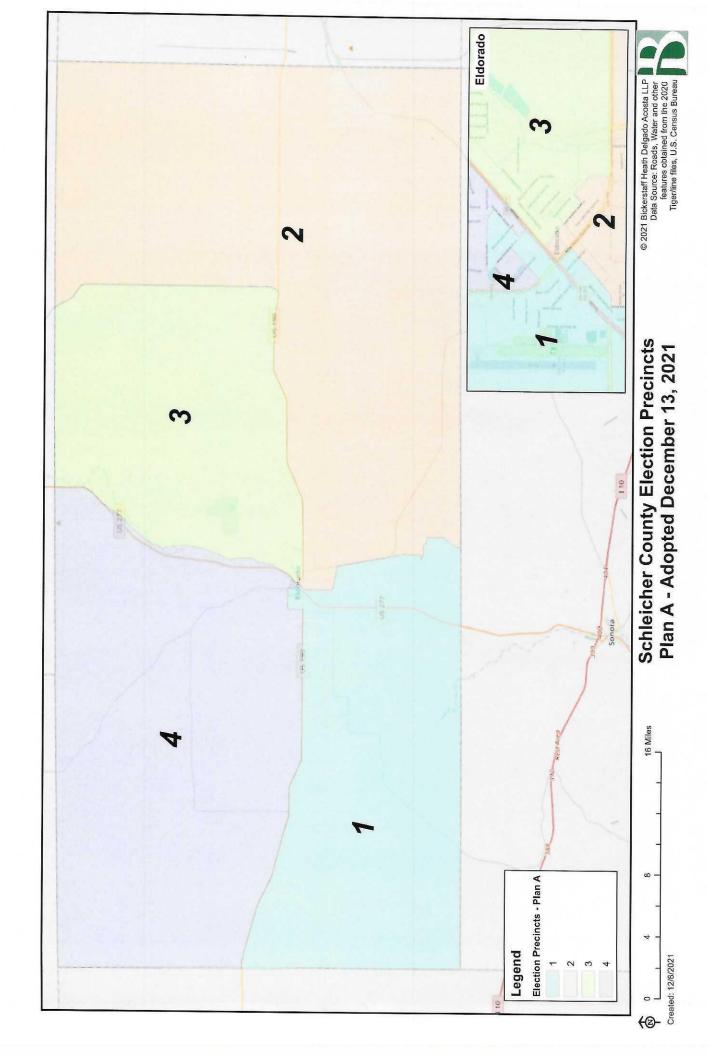
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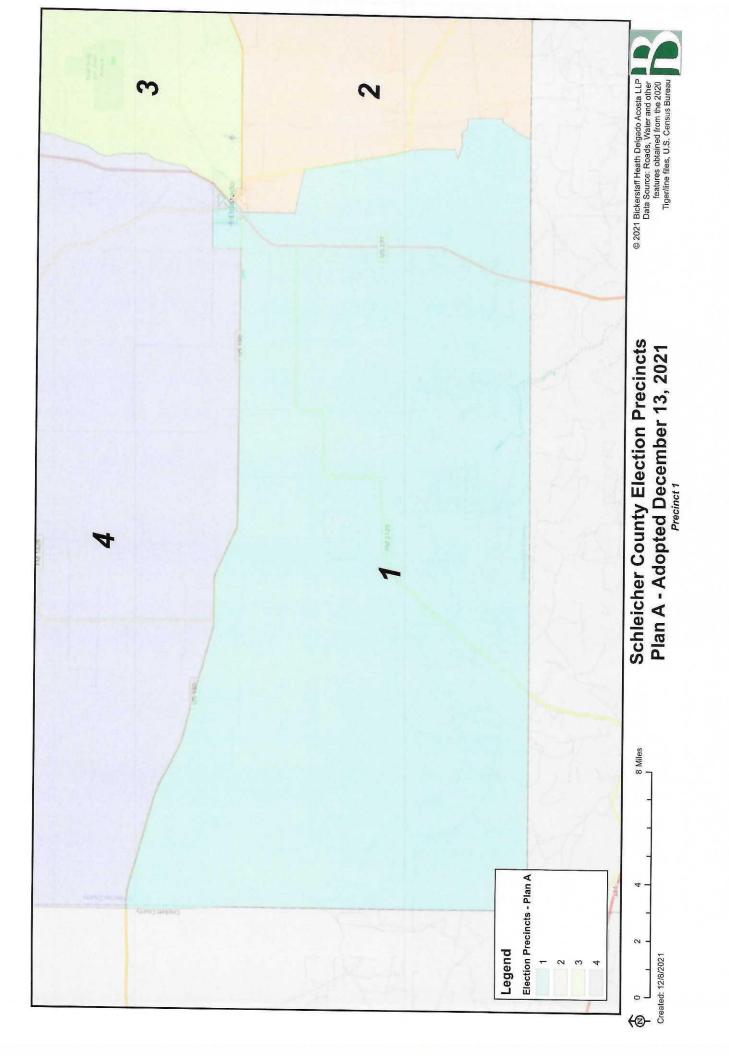
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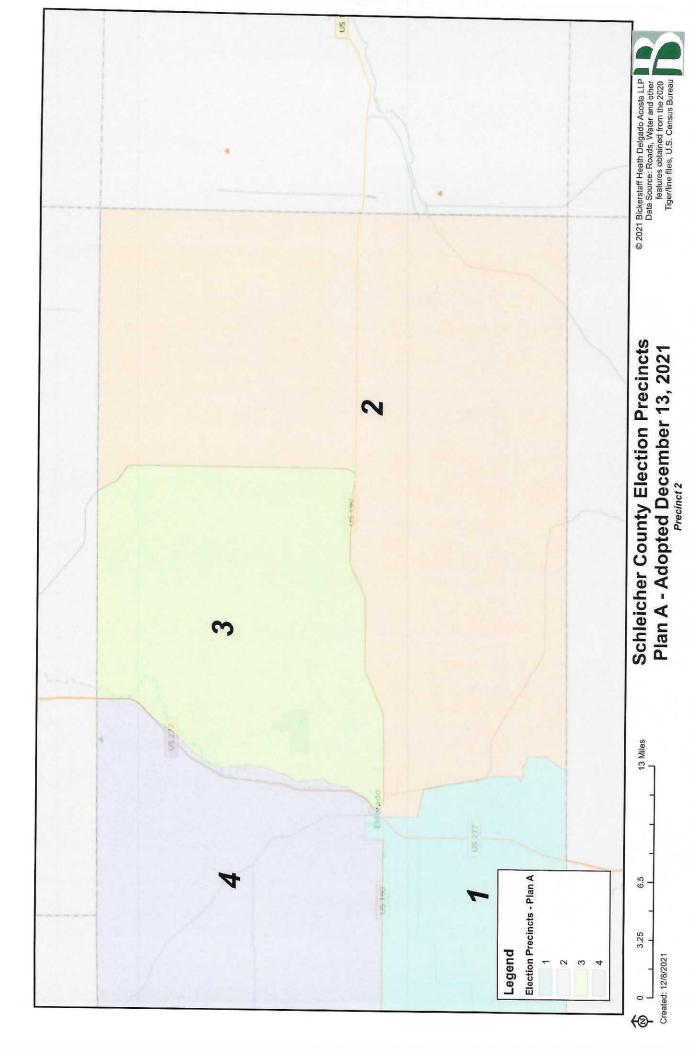
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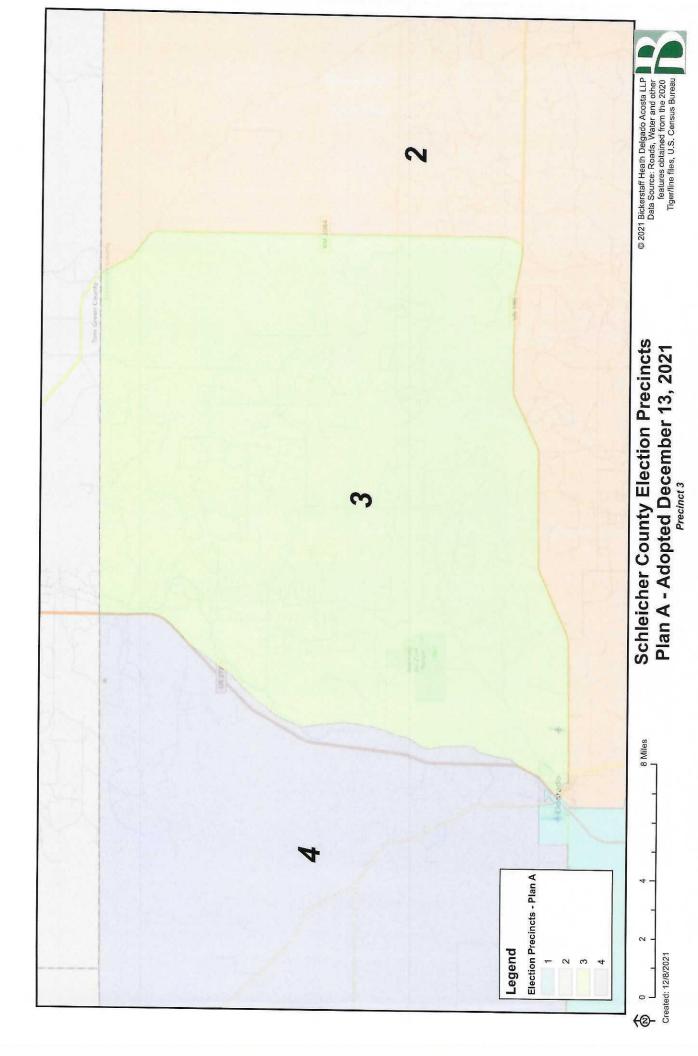
EXHIBIT A

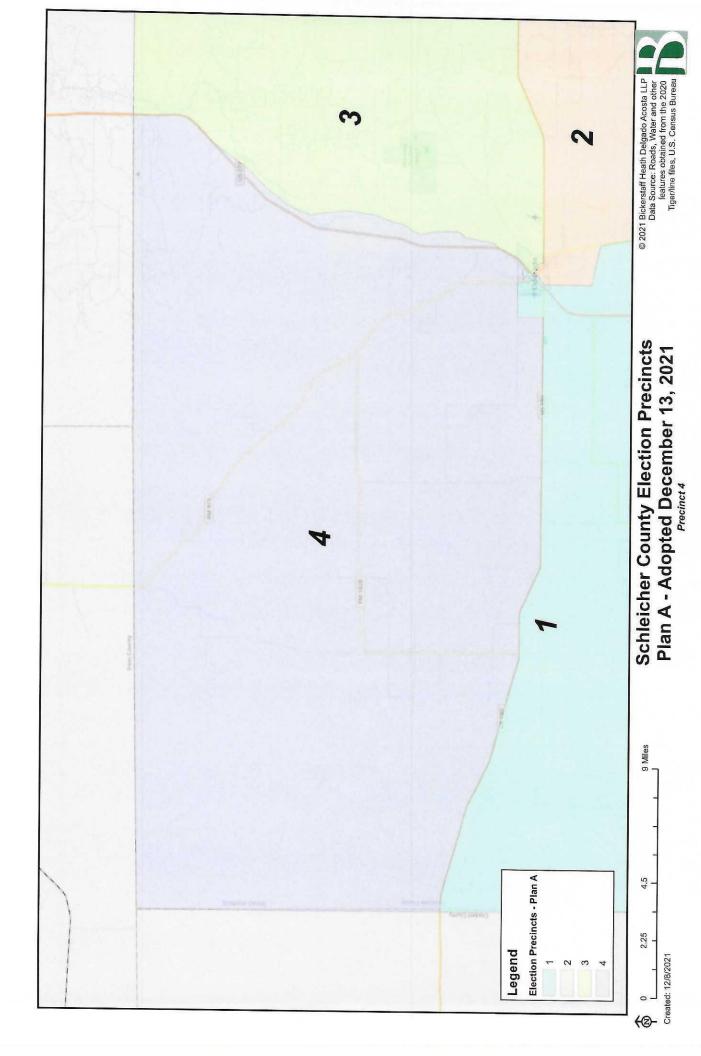
Election Precincts Plan Map











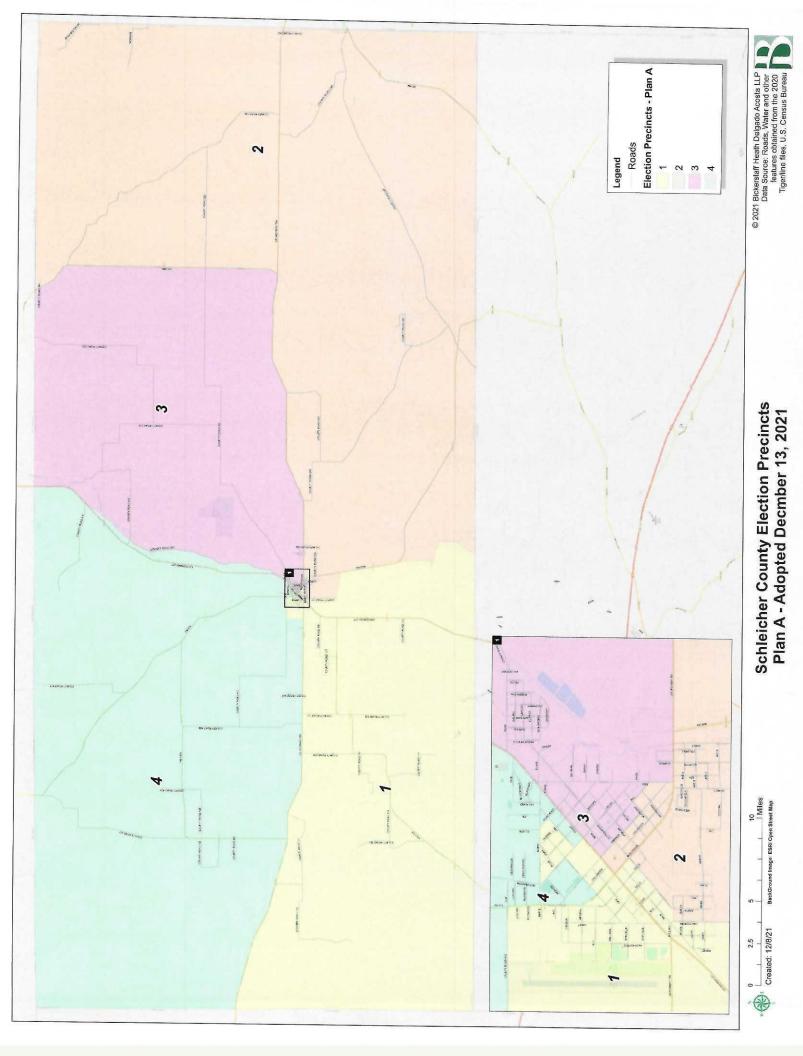


EXHIBIT B

Election Precincts Data Tables

Schleicher County Election Precincts - Plan A Adopted December 13, 2021



Demographics Report - Summary 2020 Census Total Population

| District | Persons | Ideal Size | Deviation | Hispanic % of Total Population | White % of | Non-Hispanic Black % of Total Population | Non-Hispanic Asian % of Total Population | Non-Hispanic Other % of Total Population |
|----------|---------|------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|------------|---|---|---|
| 1 | 592 | 613 | -3.39% | 49.66% | 48.82% | 0.51% | 0.00% | 1.01% |
| 2 | 611 | 613 | -0.29% | 59.08% | 37.64% | 0.33% | 0.16% | 2.78% |
| 3 | 604 | 613 | -1.43% | 69.87% | 26.66% | 1.49% | 0.00% | 1.99% |
| 4 | 644 | 613 | 5.10% | 30.75% | 65.53% | 0.16% | 0.93% | 2.64% |
| OTAL: | 2,451 | | | 52.02% | 44.96% | 0.61% | 0.29% | 2.12% |

Ideal Size: 2451 / 4 = 613

Total Population: 2,451 Overall Deviation: 8.49%

Some percentages may be subject to rounding errors.

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Schleicher County Election Precincts - Plan A Adopted December 13, 2021



Demographics Report - Summary 2020 Census Voting Age Population

| District | Total VAP* | Hispanic % of Total VAP | Non-Hispanic Anglo % of Total VAP | Non-Hispanic Black % of Total VAP | Non-Hispanic Asian % of Total VAP | Non-Hispanic Other % of Total VAP | |
|----------|------------|-------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|
| 1 | 451 | 42.57% | 55.88% | 0.67% | 0.00% | 0.89% | |
| 2 | 474 | 54.64% | 41.77% | 0.42% | 0.21% | 2.95% | |
| 3 | 459 | 65.80% | 30.07% | 1.96% | 0.00% | 2.18% | |
| 4 | 483 | 24.84% | 71.22% | 0.21% | 1.24% | 2.48% | |
| | 1,867 | 46.76% | 49.92% | 0.80% | 0.37% | 2.14% | |

^{*} VAP - Voting Age Population

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Schleicher County Election Precincts Plan A - Adopted December 13, 2021



Demographics Report - Detailed 2020 Census Total Population

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| Two or More Races % Tot Pop | 4% | 2% | %5 | 2% | 1.47% |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Two or More Races % Tot Pop | 0.84% | 1.96% | 1.16% | 1.86% | 1.4 |
| Two or More Races | 2 | 12 | 7 | 12 | 36 |
| Other % of Total Pop. | 0.17% | 0.82% | 0.33% | 0.31% | 0.41% |
| Other | Н | 5 | 2 | 2 | 10 |
| HAW/ PAC % of Tota Pop. | %00'0 | 0.00% | 0.33% | 0.00% | 0.08% |
| Haw Pac. Isl. | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| IND / NAT % TOT Pop. | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.17% | 0.47% | 0.16% |
| AM Indian Native | 0 | 0 | 1 | m | 4 |
| Asian % of Total Population | %00.0 | 0.16% | %00.0 | 0.93% | 0.29% |
| Asian | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 7 |
| Black % of Total Population | 0.51% | 0.33% | 1.49% | 0.16% | 0.61% |
| Black | m | 2 | 6 | 1 | 15 |
| Non-Hispanic Anglo % of Total Population | 48.82% | 37.64% | 76.66% | 65.53% | 44.96% |
| ANGLO | 289 | 230 | 161 | 422 | 1,102 |
| Deviation Hispanic Mispanic Mole Mole Mole Mole Mole Mole Mole Mole | 49.66% | 29.08% | %28.69 | 30.75% | 52.02% |
| Hispanic | 294 | 361 | 422 | 198 | 1,275 |
| Deviation | -3.39% | -0.29% | -1.43% | 5.10% | |
| Ideal Size | 613 | 613 | 613 | 613 | |
| Persons | 592 | 611 | 604 | 644 | 2,451 |
| District | 1 | 2 | æ | 4 | TOTAL: |

Ideal Size: 2451 / 4 = 613

Total Population: 2,451

Overall Deviation: 8.49%

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Schleicher County Election Precincts Plan A - Adopted December 13, 2021 Demographics Report - Detailed 2020 Census Voting Age Population

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|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| % Two or more VAP | %290 | 2.11% | 1.53% | 1.45% | 1.45% |
| Two or More Races VAP | æ | 10 | 7 | 7 | 27 |
| ther | 0.22% | 0.84% | 0.44% | 0.41% | 0.48% |
| Other | н | 4 | 2 | 2 | 6 |
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| HAW/PAC VAP | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| % AM IND NATIVE VAP | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.22% | 0.62% | 0.21% |
| AM IND NATIVE VAP | 0 | 0 | Н | 3 | 4 |
| % Asian VAP | 0.00% | 0.21% | %00.0 | 1.24% | 0.37% |
| Asian VAP | 0 | Ţ | 0 | 9 | 7 |
| % Black VAP | 0.67% | 0.42% | 1.96% | 0.21% | 0.80% |
| Black VAP | 3 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 15 |
| % Anglo VAP | 25.88% | 41.77% | 30.07% | 71.22% | 49.92% |
| Anglo VAP | 252 | 198 | 138 | 344 | 932 |
| % Hispanic VAP | 42.57% | 54.64% | %08.59 | 24.84% | 46.76% |
| Hispanic VAP | 192 | 529 | 302 | 120 | 873 |
| Total | 451 | 474 | 459 | 483 | 1,867 |
| District | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | TOTALS: |

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Designated Polling Places By Election Precinct