Transition to District-Based Elections for Councilmembers
May 5, 2020

Transition Timeline

• **January 2** – Received petition letter.
• **February 11** – Adopted Resolution of Intent (R2020-017) declaring City’s intent to transition from at-large elections to district-based elections for Councilmembers.
• **February 25** - First public hearing to consider input from the public before maps were drawn.
• **March 4** – Second public hearing to consider input from the public before maps were drawn.
• **March 8** – Held two community workshops to provide an opportunity for members of the public to draw proposed district boundary maps.
Community Workshops

Transition Timeline Continued

- **March 10** – Four draft maps were posted on City’s webpage.

- **April 21** – First public hearing to consider draft district boundary maps and the proposed sequence of elections, received input from the public and the Council, and introduced an ordinance establishing a district-based election system.

- **April 28** - Second public hearing to consider draft district boundary maps and the proposed sequence of elections, received input from the public and the Council, and introduced an ordinance establishing a district-based election system.
Council Action on April 28, 2020

- Adopted District Boundary Map (Plan A1)
- Selected Sequence of Elections for Councilmembers:
  - Election in 2020: Districts 2 and 4.
  - Election in 2022: District 1 (Alessio) and District 3 (Luros)
- Introduced an ordinance to establish District-Based Elections for Councilmembers
Questions from Council to Staff?

Invite Public Input Regarding:
- District boundary map (Plan A1)
- Sequence of elections of Councilmembers
- An ordinance to establish district-based elections for Councilmembers

Recommended Action
- Approve the second reading and final passage, and adopt an ordinance establishing district-based elections for Councilmembers by amending Napa Municipal Code Title 1 to add a new Chapter 1.10 ("District-Based Elections"), and approving the district boundary map and sequence of elections for Councilmembers.