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**West County Wastewater Announces New Board Members for the 2022/23 Year**  
*The Board of Directors Represents the 5 Divisions of West County*

(RICHMOND, CA) The results of the November 8, 2022, General Election have been released, and the following West County Wastewater (WCW) results were certified on December 2, 2022, by the Contra Costa County Clerk, Deborah Cooper:

David Alvarado was elected as the first representative of West County's Division 3. Alvarado was first elected in 2016 in an at-large capacity. Since then, WCW has moved to District Elections, making this the first time a Board Member independently represents Division 3. Alvarado's term expires in December 2026.

Annie King-Meredith was appointed to the WCW Board of Directors to represent Division 2 after the passing of former Director Sherry Stanley. King-Meredith stepped into a term that expires in 2024. At that time, West County Division 2 will be up for election. On December 2, 2022, King-Meredith's representation of the Board of Directors was certified by the Contra Costa County Clerk.

Cheryl Sudduth was elected as the first representative of West County's Division 5. Sudduth was elected in 2018 in an at-large capacity. Sudduth is the first Board Member who independently represents Division 5. Her term expires in December 2026.

Arto Rinteela was voted in to represent WCW's Division 1 after former Director Cesar Zepeda's term expired. Rinteela will now serve a four-year term, which will expire in 2026.

At WCW's first regular board meeting with a newly formed board, the Board elected Director Cheryl Sudduth to serve as Board President and Director David Alvarado to serve as Vice President for the upcoming year.

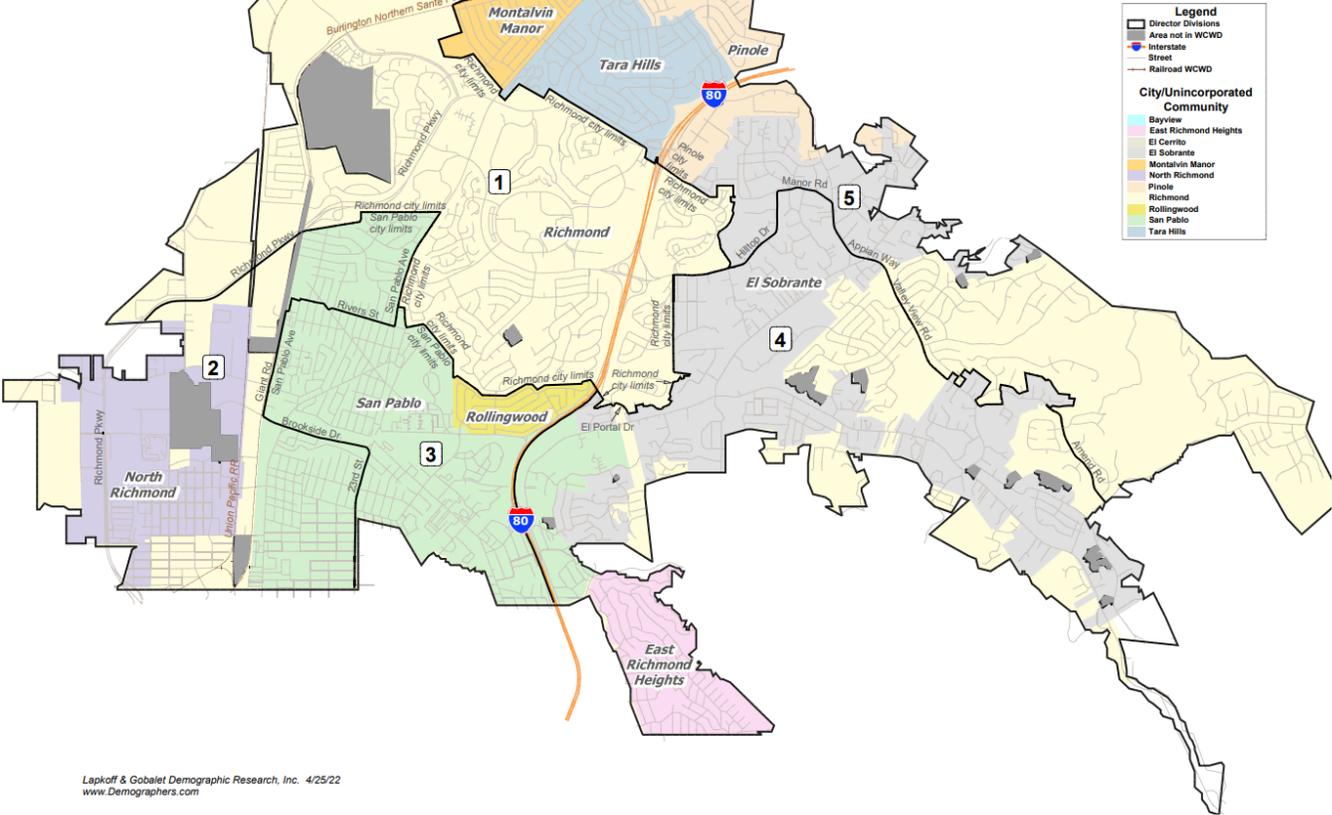
For more information about WCW's division-based elections, go to the WCW website [HERE](#)

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For a map of WCW's five divisions, see the graphic below.

**West County Wastewater District  
 Director Divisions Adopted April 6, 2022  
 Cities/Unincorporated Communities (color-shaded)**



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*West County Wastewater (WCW) was founded in 1921 to protect and serve the public health of the community through the construction and maintenance of a sewer system. Today, WCW provides sewage collection, treatment and disposal services to approximately 34,000 residences and 2,450 commercial and industrial businesses. WCW serves a total population of about 100,000 residents across 16.9 square miles. Governed by a five-member Board of Directors, WCW embraces practices that promote energy efficiency and environmental stewardship.*