City of Monterey Electoral Changes From At-Large to By-District

On February 15, 2022, the City of Monterey approved an ordinance changing how voters elect their City Council Members: from an at-large method to a by-district method. The Mayor will continue to be elected on at-large basis and represent the entire City.

One Member of the City Council shall be elected from each district, by the voters of that district alone. Each Member of the City Council shall serve a four-year term until his or her successor is qualified. The Council Member elected to represent a district must reside in that district and be a registered voter in that district.

When you vote this contest on the ballot, you will see the words "vote for one"; this means you may now only mark one selection to vote for the Council Member from your District.

Council District Elections alternate every four years. On November 8, 2022, Council Districts 1 and 2 go to election. For the November 2024 election, Council Districts 3 and 4 will go to election. Until the 2024 election, Districts 3 and 4 will continue to be represented by at-large Councilmembers. To learn more about the City's transition to district-based elections, visit the City of Monterey's website at: https://monterey.org/districting.

The map below shows the City of Monterey divided into four City Council Districts.

Your polling place location may have changed as a result of the move to a by-district method of voting. If you have questions or require additional assistance, contact the Elections Department at 831-796-1499 or toll free (866) 887-9274.

