



Mayor's Asian American Pacific Islander Council Initial Meeting
Wednesday, November 2nd, 2022
6pm – 7:30pm
Columbus Municipal Office Building

City of Tampa Staff:

Ocea Wynn, Administrator Neighborhood & Community Affairs Administrator & Chief Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Officer

Mayor's Asian American Pacific Islander Council (MAAPIC) Liaisons:

Miray Holmes, Manager, Customer Experience

Donna McCallister, Senior Special Events Coordinator, Parks and Recreation Department

Raquel Pancho, ADA Coordinator, Office of the Chief of Staff

Summary of Agenda

Welcome and Introduction

- Advisory Councils vs Councils by Ordinance
- MAAIPC is an Advisory Council
- City will create a MAAIPC specific page on City's website.
- Mayoral Appointments vs Nominations
MAAPIC members apply and are appointed by the Mayor
- Ocea Wynn welcome and remarks

Overview of City of Tampa & Affinity Councils

- Mayor's Executive Order – Provided and attached
- Other Affinity Councils: Mayor's African American Advisory Councils and Mayor's Hispanic Advisory Council
- City staff serves as liaisons to Councils.
- Legal/Identification Name vs Preferred Name
Please advise liaison of preferred name for name tags and tent cards.
- Members represent themselves, not the organizations affiliated with

Preliminary Processes

- Social Media Guidelines
Social media platforms used are the City of Tampa's
All postings must be approved by City of Tampa Communications Dept.
Private Facebook pages are not allowed.
- Florida Sunshine Laws/Public Records
- Advisory Councils are Not City Funded
Organization can establish Trust Agency Option with the City
Organizations Treasurer will be liaison with the City for Trust Account
- Organization is responsible for fundraising efforts.
- Electronic surveys should be utilized to insure inclusive input from all members.
- Florida AAPI Organizations (Jacksonville, Miami-Dade, Orlando)

Miami – Dade County, Florida

<https://www.miamidade.gov/global/government/commission/community-advocacy/home.page>

Orange County (Orlando), Florida

<https://www.ocapica.org/>

Jacksonville, Florida

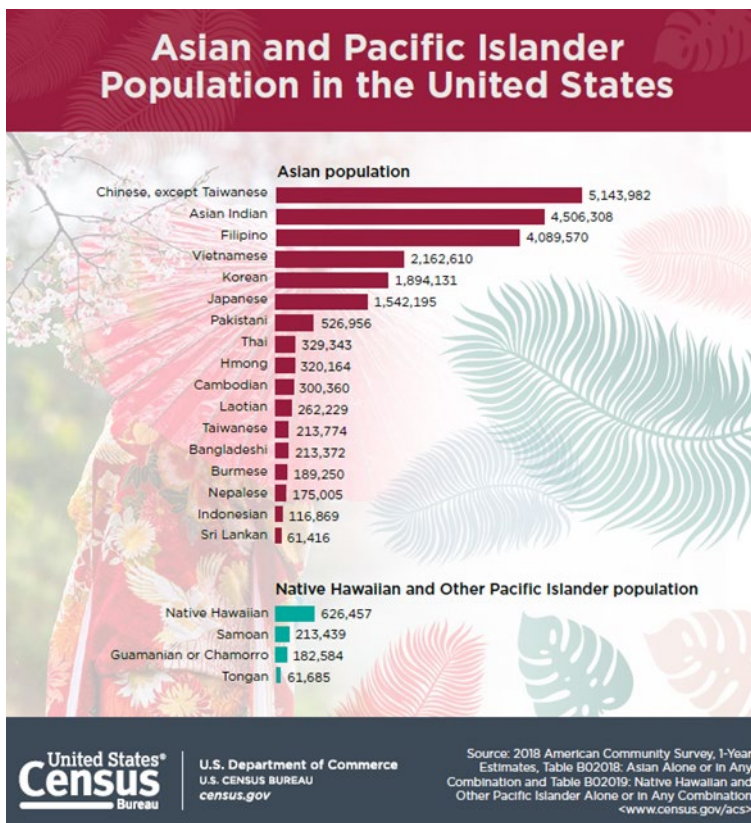
<https://www.coj.net/departments/boards-and-commissions/asian-american-advisory-board-minutes.aspx>

Organizational Structure & By-Laws Process

- Sample By-Laws – Will be provided to the By-Laws Committee
- Members that volunteered to participate on the By-Laws Committee:
Kevin Lee
Mariben Andersen
Zara Elias – Recommended by Mariben, need to confirm participation
- All aspects of Organization are Governed by By-Laws
A nominating committee will need to be established, please contact City liaison regarding interest.
Roberts Rules of Order is the standard used for this process.
Members of the nominating committee must not be running for a leadership position.
- Proposed leadership positions include:
Chair
Vice Chair
Secretary
Treasurer
Parliamentary

- The Secretary should establish a communications committee that will be responsible for:
 - Meeting Minutes
 - Organization documentation
 - Social Media – work with City Communications Dept.
 - Technology for Calendar and other communication tools (WhatsApp, TimeTree)
- Membership Makeup & Census Data

MAAPIC	
3	Vietnamese
3	Indian
5	Korean
4	Philippines
2	China
1	Indonesia
1	Thailand
1	Lao and Tai-Dam



Florida

POPULATION FACTS

- Largest AAPI ethnic groups in Florida include: Indian (192,767), Filipino (158,254), Chinese (140,835), Vietnamese (85,024), Korean (46,099), Other/not specified (42,816).
- From 2012 to 2018, the number of eligible AAPI voters in Florida grew 40%
 - This compares to a 12% growth rate for the statewide eligible voting population between 2012 to 2018
- AAPI youth (ages 18-29) comprise 23% of the AAPI CVAP population in Florida
- AAPIs age 50 and up comprise 40% of the AAPI CVAP

COUNTIES WITH HIGHEST AAPI POPULATIONS

	% of AAPIs in County	Size of AAPI Population	% of AAPI CVAP in County	Size of AAPI CVAP
Orange County	5%	70,685	5%	41,390
Broward County	4%	70,305	3%	39,665
Hillsborough County	4%	56,570	3%	28,525

427,646
ELIGIBLE AAPI VOTERS3.6%
AAPI SHARE OF ELECTORATE
IN THE STATE764,646
AAPI POPULATION SIZE119%
AAPI POPULATION
GROWTH RATE SINCE 2000

Nearly a quarter of all eligible AAPI voters in Florida live in Broward, Orange, and Hillsborough Counties.



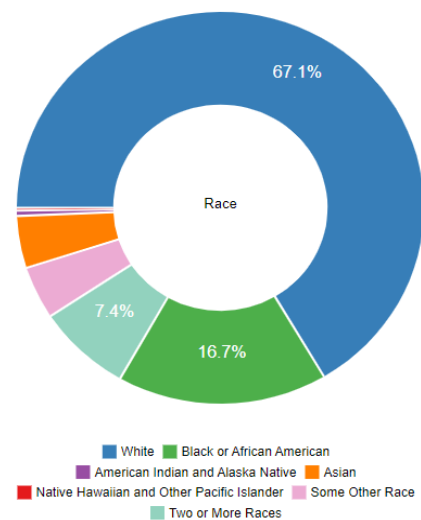
Hillsborough County, Florida Population by Race

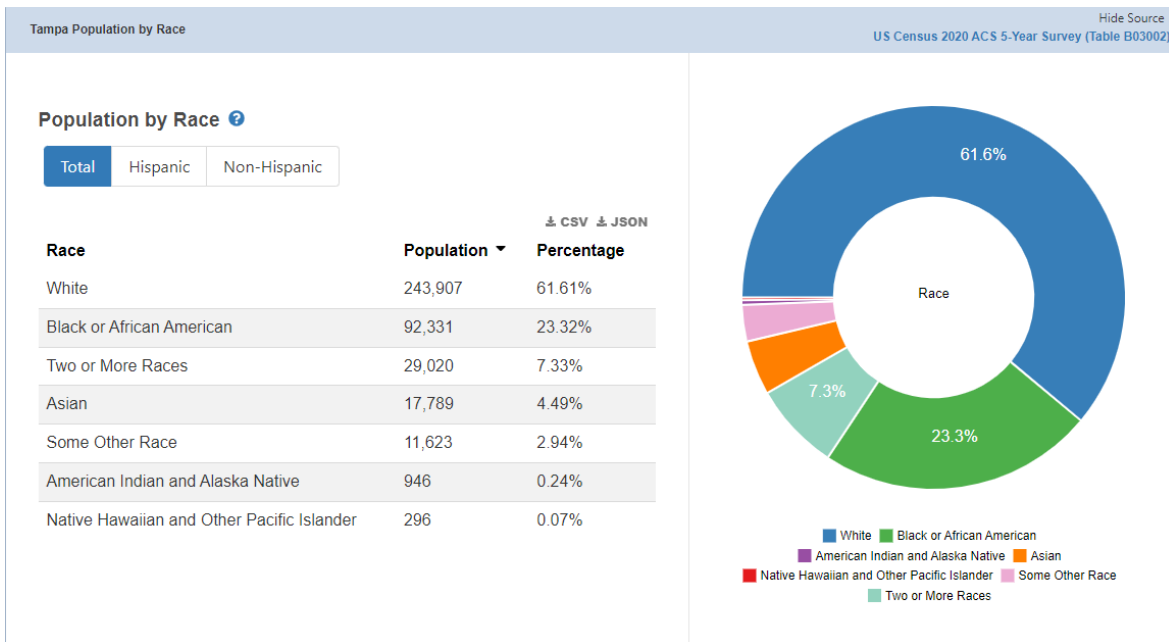
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Population by Race ?

Total Hispanic Non-Hispanic

Race	Population	Percentage
White	973,686	67.09%
Black or African American	242,544	16.71%
Two or More Races	107,875	7.43%
Some Other Race	61,496	4.24%
Asian	60,671	4.18%
American Indian and Alaska Native	4,000	0.28%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1,086	0.07%





Formal Meeting Schedule & Attendance Requirements

- Agreed upon meeting date/time was established and required to be included in By-Laws.
Second Wednesday of the month
From 6:00pm-7:30pm
City's Columbus Municipal Office Building location has been reserved for 2023.
3402 W Columbus Drive, Tampa, FL 33607
- Organization may elect to have formal meetings at other venues in Hillsborough County.
- Roberts Rule of Order will govern all formal meetings.
See attached resources.
- Attendance requirements will be reflected in and dictated by By-Laws.
- Organization is responsible for facilitating committee and planning meetings.
- An important objective of the MAAPIC is to support AAPI businesses.

Events

- Cultural, education, entertainment and government events are event options.
- Annual AAPI Festival
Proposed date is Saturday, May 13th, 2023
City of Tampa Curtis Hixon Waterfront Park has been reserved
600 Ashley Drive, Tampa, FL 33602
- Other potential venues were discussed:
Philippines Cultural Center – Jose Omila
- Alternative dates for AAPI Festival were discussed.
- City Sponsorship is contingent on being hosted at an approved City venue.
- City contribution is In-Kind and is determined on a case-by-case basis.

- Outreach will be required from group to ensure significant attendance, all origins/countries/nationalities are represented, entertainment, refreshments etc.
- Media resources/assistance was offered by

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- Hard Rock Casino indicated interest as a potential AAPI Festival sponsor – Mariben Anderson
- It is the responsibility of the organization to vet sponsorships.
- City liaisons serve in an advisory role for event planning.
- Members expressed the importance of sharing event information in an effort of promotion inclusivity of all cultures.

India Festival Tampa Bay – Shephali Rele

Saturday, November 5th, 2022

11am-10pm

Florida State Fairgrounds – Expo Hall

4800 US 301

Tampa, FL

World of Women Global Expo – Mariben Andersen

May 19th – 20th, 2023

Sheraton Tampa East/Brandon Hotel

10221 Princess Palm Avenue, Tampa, FL

<https://10times.com/e1z4-71r0-zfzz>

Chinese New Year Event – Lisha Dong

January 21st, 2023

TBD