## State of California: WHY AN ACCURATE CENSUS COUNT MATTERS!

HARD-TO-COUNT CENSUS TRACTS:
The Census Bureau counts the people every 10 years. The next Census count is 2010. In some counties it is harder to count the people because some people are afraid to provide information to census workers, some census workers are afraid to talk with people in their neighborhoods, and some people in rural communities live in hard to find locations.

The Census Bureau has provided data to show in which areas people have been hard to count. This data is shown by Census Tracts within each county. The Census Bureau ranks each Census Tract on a scale from 0 to 125. The Census Bureau uses 12 factors to set a score for each Tract. The MEAN number is 32.8. The MEAN is the AVERAGE score for all census tracts in the US. The Census Bureau regards all census tracts

The map uses 3 color codes to identify the scoring range for each Census Tract. The CREAM color is the lowest range and below the MEAN.

that score 60 or above as HARD TO COUNT.

The GREEN color is the mid-range and above the MEAN.

PINK represents s the highest range above the MEAN and represents the HARD-TO-COUNT tracts.

ALLOCATION OF FEDERAL GRANTS: Every year the US Government provides to states, counties and municipalities grant funds that are allocated on the basis of and sensitive to the census count. When there is an undercount communities lose funds to which they are entitled. In 2007 the State of California received in federal grants \$57.6 billion.

The number in each county represents the total amount of federal grant funds allocated to that county in 2007.

The amount is in MILLIONS of dollars and is rounded to one decimal place. For complete state data use this link to the Consolidated Federal Funds Report on the US Census Bureau website: harvester.census.gov/cffr/asp/Geography.asp

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**CONGRESSIONAL REPRESENTATION:** After the 2000 Census the US Congress was reapportioned. California now has 53 Congressional Districts, which are outlined in BLUE on the map. Siskiyou 102.7 Calfornia's Representatives are: Modoc 13.9 Dist. 21: Devin Nunes (Dem.) Dist. 1: Mike Thompson (Dem.) 02 Dist. 22: Kevin McCarthy (Rep.) Dist. 2: Wally Herger (Rep.) Dist. 23: Lois Capps (Dem.) Dist. 3: Daniel Lungren (Rep.) Tom McClintock (Rep.) Dist. 24: Elton Gallegly (Rep.) Dist. 4: Trinity Dist. 25: Howard McKeon (Rep.) Shasta Dist. 5: Doris Matsui (Dem.) Lassen Dist. 26: Davis Dreier (Rep.) Lynn Woolsey (Dem.) 317.3 Dist. 6: 72.6 Dist. 27: Brad Sherman (Dem.) Dist. 7: George Miller (Dem.) Dist. 28: Howard Berman (Dem.) Nancy Pelosi (Dem.) Dist. 8: 04 212.8 Dist. 29: Adam Schiff (Dem.) Dist. 9: Barbara Lee (Dem.) Dist. 30: Henry Waxman (Dem.) Dist. 10: Ellen Tauscher (Dem.) **Tehama** Dist. 31: Xavier Becerra (Dem.) Dist. 11: Jerry McNerney (Dem.) 91.2 Plumas Dist. 32: VACANT Dist. 12: Jackie Speier (Dem.) 34.7 Dist. 33: Diane Watson (Dem.) Dist. 13: Fortney Stark (Dem.) 01 Dist. 34: Lucille Roybal-Allard (Dem.) 266.4 Dist. 14: Anna Eschoo (Dem.) Glenn Sierra 6.7 Dist. 35: Maxine Waters (Dem.) Dist. 15: Michael Honda (Dem.) 33.2 Mendocino Dist. 36: Jane Harman (Dem.) Dist. 16: Zoe Lofgren (Dem.) Nevada 169.6 188.9 Dist. 37: Laura Richardson (Dem.) Dist. 17: Sam Farr (Dem.) Yuba CA 111th cong dists Dist. 38: Grace Napolitano (Dem.) Dist. 18: Dennis Cardoza (Dem.) Placer 273.7 Dist. 39: Linda Sanchez (Dem.) Dist. 19: George Radanovich (Rep.) CA cffr county grants 2007 Dist. 40: Edward Royce (Rep.) Dist. 20: Jim Costa (Dem.) CA hard2count tracts El Dorado Dist. 41: Jerry Lewis (Rep.) 0 - 32 168.8 Dist. 42: Gary Miller (Rep.) 32 - 59 (MEAN is 32.8) Dist. 43: Joe Baca (Dem.) Dist. 44: Ken Calvert (Rep.) 60 - 125 (60+ HARD TO COUNT) 48.8 03 Dist. 45: Mary Bono (Rep.) Tuolumne Calaveras Dist. 46: Dana Rohrabacher (Rep.) 56.8 Dist. 47: Loretta Sanchez (Dem.) Dist. 48: John Campbell (Rep.) San Francisco Dist. 49: Darrell Issa (Rep.) INSET: SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA Mariposa Dist. 50: Brian Bilbray (Rep.) 22.5 Dist. 51: Bob Filner (Dem.) Dist. 52: Duncan Hunter (Rep.) Madera Dist. 53: Susan Davis (Dem.) Fresno 1,135.5 Alameda Inyo 52.7 480.9 Santa Clara 25 San Bernardino 2.119.7 INSET: LOS ANGELES AREA 41 Ventura Los Angeles 876.7 **INSETS** show Congressional Districts and hard to count 3,512.4 census tracts. **Imperial Congressional District** 204.2 numbers are in BLUE.