

Disadvantaged Communities (DACs) in the Central Coast Region¹
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COUNTY	GEOGRAPHIC AREAS
Monterey County	<p><i>Cities:</i> Boronda Pajaro San Ardo</p> <p><i>Specific Census Tract or Block Group areas:</i> Castroville Chualar Del Rey Oaks Gonzales Greenfield King City Marina McClosky Slough Monterey City Monterey County Salinas San Lucas Sand City Seaside Soledad</p>
San Benito County	<p><i>Specific Census Tract or Block Group areas:</i> San Juan Bautista</p>
San Luis Obispo County	<p><i>Cities:</i> Grover Beach Oceano San Luis Obispo San Miguel San Simeon</p> <p><i>Specific Census Tract or Block Group areas:</i> Arroyo Grande Atascadero Morro Bay</p>

¹ Disadvantaged Community (DAC) is defined as “a community with a median household income (MHI) less than 80% of the State-wide average. Census defined areas which have MHIs that are less than 60% of the State-wide MHI average are considered “severely DACs”; This list was developed using US Census American Community Survey (ACS) Data: 2013 – 2017; Entities applying for funding are encouraged to verify that their proposed project will benefit the specific census defined area (Census Place, Tract, or Block Group) per the latest US Census ACS data, Integrated Regional Water Management funding area information, and per the specific guidelines for the funding source in which they are applying.

COUNTY	GEOGRAPHIC AREAS
	Paso Robles Pismo Beach
Santa Barbara County	<i>Cities:</i> Casmalia Cuyama Guadalupe Lompoc <i>Specific Census Tract or Block Group Areas:</i> Buellton Goleta Isla Vista Lompoc New Cuyama Santa Barbara Santa Maria
Santa Clara County	<i>Specific Census Tract or Block Group Areas:</i> Gilroy/Hollister
Santa Cruz County	<i>Specific Census Tract or Block Group Areas:</i> Amesti Capitola Davenport Santa Cruz Soquel Twin Lakes Watsonville