

California Benchmark Cities Comparative Elected Officials

City	2024 Population	Mayor	City Council	No. Council Members	Notes
Fresno	557,032	136,252	97,184	7	Council President 124,652
Anaheim	341,773	27,000	26,400	6	
Bakersfield	419,238	29,079	18,697	7	
Long Beach	462,561	188,309	51,086	9	
Oakland	426,457	222,312	111,418	8	1 Councilmember considered Councilmember At-Large.
Riverside	320,337	95,004	41,734	7	
Sacramento	527,979	159,080	100,518	8	
San Diego	1,408,937	244,147	177,935	9	
San Jose	979,415	226,479	135,522	10	
					6 Councilmembers and 1 Mayor Pro Tem. Consistent with GC 36516, Councilmembers and the Mayor receive a monthly stipend of \$1,000 for attending City Council meetings; \$50 per session as a member of the Housing Authority, provided that members of the City Council may not exceed four sessions per calendar month; and a monthly automobile allowance of \$500.
Santa Ana	315,325				
Stockton	320,877	99,248	29,365	6	