

First Extraordinary Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 37

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

REAPPORTIONMENT/BESE: Provides relative to the districts for elected members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (Item #4)

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 17:2.1 and to repeal R.S. 17:2.2, relative to redistricting; to provide for
3 election districts for the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to
4 provide for election of members; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for
5 related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:2.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §2.1. Districts for election of members of the State Board of Elementary and
9 Secondary Education

10 A. Louisiana shall be divided into eight districts for the election of eight of
11 the members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. One
12 member shall be elected from each of the following districts:

- 13 (1) District 1 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14,
- 14 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37,
- 15 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65,
- 16 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88,
- 17 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 105, 106, 116, 117, 118,
- 18 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 132, 134, 136, 170, 1-H,
- 19 2-H, 3-H, 4-H, 5-H, 6-H, 7-H, 8-H, 9-H, 1-K, 2-K, 3-K, 4-K, 5-K, 6-K, 7-K, 8-K,
- 20 9-K, 10-K, 11-K, 12-K, 13-KA, 14-K, 15-K, 16-K, 17-K, 18-K, 19-K, 20-K, 25-K,

1 27-K, 28-K, 29-K, 30-K, 34-K and 35-K of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 3-20, 4-6, 4-7,
2 4-8, 4-9, 4-11, 4-14, 4-15, 4-17, 4-17A, 4-18, 4-20, 4-21, 4-22, 4-23, 5-12, 5-13,
3 5-15, 5-16, 5-17, 5-18, 7-41, 7-42, 9-45A, 14-1, 14-2, 14-3, 14-4, 14-5, 14-6, 14-7,
4 14-8, 14-9, 14-10, 14-11, 14-12, 14-13A, 14-14, 14-15, 14-16, 14-17, 14-18A, 14-19,
5 14-20, 14-21, 16-1, 16-1A, 17-17, 17-18, 17-18A, 17-19 and 17-20 of Orleans
6 Parish; St. Bernard Parish; St. Tammany Parish; and Washington Parish.

7 (2) District 2 is composed of Precincts 57, 104, 107, 108, 115, 131, 133, 138,
8 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157A, 157B, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177,
9 178, 179A, 179B, 180, 181, 185B, 187, 188, 191, 195, 196, 197A, 197B, 197C, 200,
10 201, 205, 210, 211, 212A, 212B, 213A, 213B, 213C, 214A, 214B, 215, 216A, 225,
11 232A, 232B, 236, 237, 1-G, 2-G, 4-G, 6-G, 7-G, 8-G, 11-G, 13-KB, 21-K, 22-K,
12 23-K, 24-K, 26-K, 31-K, 33-K, 1-W, 2-W, 3-W, 4-W, 5-W, 6-W and 7-W of
13 Jefferson Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-5, 1-6, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-6, 2-6A, 2-7, 3-1,
14 3-3, 3-5, 3-8, 3-9, 3-12, 3-14, 3-15, 3-18, 3-19, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4,
15 5-5, 5-7, 5-8, 5-9, 5-10, 5-11, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4, 6-6, 6-7, 6-8, 6-9, 7-1, 7-2, 7-4, 7-5, 7-6,
16 7-7, 7-8, 7-9A, 7-10, 7-11, 7-12, 7-13, 7-14, 7-15, 7-16, 7-17, 7-18, 7-19, 7-20, 7-21,
17 7-23, 7-24, 7-25, 7-25A, 7-26, 7-27, 7-27B, 7-28, 7-28A, 7-29, 7-30, 7-32, 7-33,
18 7-34, 7-35, 7-37, 7-37A, 7-40, 8-1, 8-2, 8-4, 8-6, 8-7, 8-8, 8-9, 8-12, 8-13, 8-14,
19 8-15, 8-19, 8-20, 8-21, 8-22, 8-23, 8-24, 8-25, 8-26, 8-27, 8-28, 8-30, 9-1, 9-3, 9-3A,
20 9-4, 9-5, 9-5A, 9-6B, 9-6C, 9-6D, 9-6E, 9-6F, 9-7, 9-8, 9-8A, 9-9, 9-10, 9-11, 9-12,
21 9-13, 9-14, 9-15, 9-16, 9-17, 9-19, 9-21, 9-23, 9-25, 9-26, 9-28, 9-28C, 9-28E, 9-29,
22 9-30, 9-30A, 9-31, 9-31A, 9-31B, 9-31D, 9-32, 9-33, 9-34A, 9-35, 9-35A, 9-36,
23 9-36B, 9-37, 9-38, 9-38A, 9-39, 9-39B, 9-40, 9-40A, 9-40C, 9-41, 9-41A, 9-41B,
24 9-41C, 9-41D, 9-42, 9-42C, 9-43A, 9-43B, 9-43C, 9-43E, 9-43F, 9-43G, 9-43H,
25 9-43I, 9-43J, 9-43K, 9-43L, 9-43M, 9-43N, 9-44, 9-44A, 9-44B, 9-44D, 9-44E,
26 9-44F, 9-44G, 9-44I, 9-44J, 9-44L, 9-44M, 9-44N, 9-44O, 9-44P, 9-44Q, 9-45, 10-3,
27 10-6, 10-7, 10-8, 10-9, 10-11, 10-12, 10-13, 10-14, 11-2, 11-3, 11-4, 11-5, 11-8,
28 11-9, 11-10, 11-11, 11-12, 11-13, 11-14, 11-17, 12-1, 12-2, 12-3, 12-4, 12-5, 12-6,
29 12-7, 12-8, 12-9, 12-10, 12-11, 12-12, 12-13, 12-14, 12-16, 12-17, 12-19, 13-1, 13-2,

1 13-3, 13-4, 13-5, 13-6, 13-7, 13-8, 13-9, 13-10, 13-11, 13-12, 13-13, 13-14, 13-15,
 2 13-16, 14-23, 14-24A, 14-25, 14-26, 15-1, 15-2, 15-3, 15-5, 15-6, 15-8, 15-9, 15-10,
 3 15-11, 15-12, 15-12A, 15-13, 15-13A, 15-13B, 15-14, 15-14A, 15-14B, 15-14C,
 4 15-14D, 15-14E, 15-14F, 15-14G, 15-15, 15-15A, 15-15B, 15-16, 15-17, 15-17A,
 5 15-17B, 15-18, 15-18A, 15-18B, 15-18C, 15-18D, 15-18E, 15-18F, 15-19, 15-19A,
 6 15-19B, 15-19C, 16-2, 16-3, 16-4, 16-5, 16-6, 16-7, 16-8, 16-9, 17-1, 17-2, 17-3,
 7 17-4, 17-5, 17-6, 17-7, 17-8, 17-9, 17-10, 17-11, 17-12, 17-13, 17-13A, 17-14, 17-15
 8 and 17-16 of Orleans Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-5, 1-6, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 3-1,
 9 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-5, 3-6, 4-4, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, 5-5, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, 6-5, 6-6, 6-7,
 10 6-8, 7-1, 7-2, 7-3 and 7-4 of St. Charles Parish; St. James Parish; and St. John the
 11 Baptist Parish.

12 (3) District 3 is composed of Precincts 2-3, 3-1, 3-2, 8-1 and 9-1 of
 13 Assumption Parish; Iberia Parish; Precincts 182, 183, 184, 185A, 189, 190, 192, 193,
 14 194A, 194B, 198, 199, 202, 203, 204, 216B, 217, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 234,
 15 235, 238, 246, 247, 248, 3-G, 5-G, 9-G, 10-G, 12-G, 13-G, 1-GI and 1-L of Jefferson
 16 Parish; Lafourche Parish; Plaquemines Parish; Precincts 2-5, 4-1, 4-2 and 4-3 of St.
 17 Charles Parish; St. Martin Parish; St. Mary Parish; Terrebonne Parish; and Vermilion
 18 Parish.

19 (4) District 4 is composed of Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 3-1, 3-2,
 20 3-3, 3-4, 3-5, 7-1, 7-2, 7-3 and 7-4 of Bienville Parish; Precincts 2-1, 2-3, 2-5, 2-6,
 21 2-8, 2-9, 2-11, 2-11A, 2-12A, 2-12B, 2-12C, 2-13, 2-14, 2-16, 2-16A, 2-17A, 2-17B,
 22 2-18A, 2-19, 2-20, 2-21A, 2-23, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 4-1A, 4-8C and 4-8D of Bossier
 23 Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 15, 17, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34,
 24 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 57, 58, 59, 60,
 25 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87,
 26 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 98, 99, 100, 103, 105, 106, 122, 123, 125, 129, 130,
 27 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 149, 150, 151,
 28 154, 155, 156, 157, 158 and 159 of Caddo Parish; Claiborne Parish; De Soto Parish;
 29 Precincts 2-1, 3-1, 3-2 and 3-3 of Grant Parish; Precincts 4, 5, 13, 16, 17A, 20 and

1 20A of Jackson Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 2-1, 2-2, 3-1, 3-3, 3-4, 4-5, 6-2, 6-5,
2 8-1, 8-3, 9-1, 9-2, 9-3, 10-1, 10-2, 10-3, 10-5, 11-1, 11-2, 11-3, 12-1 and 12-2 of
3 Lincoln Parish; Morehouse Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-1A, 1-2, 1-3, 1-3A, 1-4, 1-4A,
4 1-4B, 1-5, 1-5A, 1-6, 1-7, 1-8, 1-9, 1-9A, 1-10, 1-10A, 1-10B, 1-11, 1-12, 1-13, 1-14,
5 2-7, 2-7A, 2-8, 3-2, 3-4, 3-7, 4-1, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5 and 4-9 of Natchitoches Parish;
6 Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 9A, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22,
7 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 59, 60, 62, 63, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 72, 73, 74, 76, 78
8 and 79 of Ouachita Parish; Precincts C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C11,
9 C13, C14, C15, C17, C18, C19, C20, C21, C24, C25, C26, C27, C28, C38, C39,
10 C40, N1, N2, N3, N4, N8, S1, S4, S5 and S6 of Rapides Parish; Precincts 4-1, 4-2,
11 4-3, 4-5, 5-1, 5-2, 6-1, 6-2, 7-1, 7-2 and 7-3 of Red River Parish; Precincts 10, 11,
12 13, 14, 15, 18, 19 and 20 of Richland Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11,
13 12, 13, 14, 24, 25 and 26 of Union Parish; and Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 7B, 8, 9,
14 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 33A, 34
15 and 43 of Webster Parish.

16 (5) District 5 is composed of Precincts 4-1, 4-2, 4-4, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, 6-1,
17 6-2, 6-3 and 6-4 of Bienville Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-3A, 1-4, 1-4A, 1-5,
18 2-2, 2-4, 2-7, 2-10, 2-15, 2-18B, 2-18C, 2-21B, 2-21C, 2-21D, 2-22A, 2-22B, 4-2,
19 4-3A, 4-3B, 4-3C, 4-4A, 4-4B, 4-5A, 4-6, 4-7, 4-8A, 4-8B, 4-9, 4-10, 4-11A, 4-11B
20 and 4-11C of Bossier Parish; Precincts 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 20, 21, 22, 48, 49,
21 56, 72, 75, 76, 77, 97, 101, 102, 104, 107, 108, 109, 110, 126, 127 and 128 of Caddo
22 Parish; Caldwell Parish; Catahoula Parish; Concordia Parish; East Carroll Parish;
23 Franklin Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 2-2, 2-3, 4-1, 4-2, 5-1, 5-2, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 7-1,
24 7-2, 7-3, 7-4, 8-1, 8-2 and 8-3 of Grant Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 3, 5A, 6, 7, 8, 8A, 9,
25 10, 11, 14A, 15, 17, 18, 19, 19A, 19B, 22, 24, 25 and 26A of Jackson Parish; La
26 Salle Parish; Precincts 3-2, 3-5, 4-1, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, 6-1, 6-3, 6-4,
27 7-1, 7-2, 8-2 and 10-4 of Lincoln Parish; Madison Parish; Precincts 2-1, 2-2, 2-3,
28 2-4, 2-5, 2-6, 2-9, 3-1, 3-3, 3-5, 3-6, 3-8, 3-9, 3-10, 4-6, 4-7 and 4-8 of Natchitoches
29 Parish; Precincts 25, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 44A, 45, 46,

1 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 61, 64, 71, 75 and 77 of Ouachita
 2 Parish; Precincts C22, C23, C30, C31, C32, C33, C34, C35, C36, C37, C41, C42,
 3 N5, N6, N7, N9, N10, N11, N12, N13, N14, N15, N16, N17, N18, N19, N20, N21,
 4 N22, N23, N24, N25, N26, N27, N28, N29, S2, S7, S8, S9, S10, S11, S13, S14, S15,
 5 S16, S17, S18, S19, S20, S21, S22, S23, S24, S25, S26, S27, S28 and S29 of Rapides
 6 Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 2-1, 2-3, 3-1, 3-2 and 3-3 of Red River Parish; Precincts
 7 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34
 8 and 35 of Richland Parish; Sabine Parish; Tensas Parish; Precincts 6, 15, 16, 17, 18,
 9 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28 and 29 of Union Parish; Vernon Parish; Precincts 32, 35,
 10 36, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42 of Webster Parish; West Carroll Parish; and Winn Parish.

11 (6) District 6 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13,
 12 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 40, 41,
 13 43, 58, 60 and 61 of Ascension Parish; Precincts 1-7, 1-8, 1-9, 1-12, 1-33, 1-34, 1-35,
 14 1-39, 1-40, 1-41, 1-42, 1-43, 1-44, 1-46, 1-47, 1-48, 1-49, 1-52, 1-53, 1-55, 1-56,
 15 1-57, 1-59, 1-60, 1-64, 1-65, 1-66, 1-69, 1-71, 1-72, 1-73, 1-74, 1-75, 1-80, 1-81,
 16 1-87, 1-89, 1-90, 1-98, 1-99, 1-102, 1-103, 1-105, 1-107, 2-6, 2-7, 2-8, 2-18, 2-21,
 17 2-26, 2-29, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-5, 3-6, 3-7, 3-9, 3-10, 3-11, 3-12, 3-13, 3-14, 3-15,
 18 3-16, 3-17, 3-18, 3-19, 3-20, 3-21, 3-22, 3-23, 3-25, 3-26, 3-27, 3-28, 3-29, 3-30,
 19 3-31, 3-32, 3-33, 3-34, 3-35, 3-36, 3-37, 3-38, 3-39, 3-40, 3-41, 3-43, 3-44, 3-45,
 20 3-46, 3-47, 3-48, 3-49, 3-51, 3-52, 3-53 and 3-55 of East Baton Rouge Parish;
 21 Livingston Parish; and Precincts 27, 27A, 28, 28A, 33, 40, 40A, 41, 42, 42A, 44, 45,
 22 45A, 49, 70, 70A, 71, 72, 72A, 73, 74, 102, 104, 104A, 106, 106A, 106B, 108, 110,
 23 112, 114, 116, 117, 118, 120, 120A, 120B, 121, 121A, 121B, 122, 122A, 124, 125,
 24 127, 127A, 133, 133A, 137, 137A, 137B, 137C, 137D, 139, 141, 141A, 143, 145,
 25 149, 149A and 151 of Tangipahoa Parish.

26 (7) District 7 is composed of Acadia Parish; Allen Parish; Beauregard Parish;
 27 Calcasieu Parish; Cameron Parish; Evangeline Parish; Jefferson Davis Parish; and
 28 Precincts 1, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 25, 26, 27, 28A, 28B, 29, 30A, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37,
 29 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 65, 66, 67, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76,

1 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97A, 97B,
2 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110 and 111 of Lafayette
3 Parish.

4 (8) District 8 is composed of Precincts 36, 37, 39, 42, 44, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50,
5 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of Ascension Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 2-1, 2-2, 4-1,
6 4-2, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, 6-1, 6-2, 7-1 and 7-2 of Assumption Parish; Avoyelles Parish;
7 Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4, 1-5, 1-6, 1-10, 1-13, 1-14, 1-15, 1-16, 1-17, 1-18, 1-19,
8 1-21, 1-22, 1-23, 1-24, 1-25, 1-26, 1-27, 1-28, 1-29, 1-30, 1-31, 1-32, 1-36, 1-37,
9 1-38, 1-45, 1-50, 1-51, 1-54, 1-58, 1-61, 1-62, 1-63, 1-67, 1-68, 1-70, 1-77, 1-78,
10 1-82, 1-83, 1-84, 1-85, 1-86, 1-88, 1-91, 1-92, 1-93, 1-94, 1-95, 1-97, 1-100, 1-101,
11 1-104, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-5, 2-9, 2-10, 2-11, 2-12, 2-13, 2-14, 2-15, 2-16, 2-17,
12 2-19, 2-20, 2-22, 2-23, 2-24, 2-25, 2-27, 2-28, 2-30, 2-31, 2-32, 3-8, 3-24, 3-42, 3-50
13 and 3-54 of East Baton Rouge Parish; East Feliciana Parish; Iberville Parish;
14 Precincts 2, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 50, 51, 52,
15 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64 and 68 of Lafayette Parish; Pointe
16 Coupee Parish; St. Helena Parish; St. Landry Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 6, 11, 15, 16, 17,
17 18, 26, 43, 46, 47, 48, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 109A, 111, 111A, 115B, 119, 123,
18 129 and 129A of Tangipahoa Parish; West Baton Rouge Parish; and West Feliciana
19 Parish.

20 Section 2. (A) The precincts referenced in this Act are those precincts identified as
21 Voting Districts (VTDs) in the 2010 Census Redistricting TIGER/Line Shapefiles for the
22 State of Louisiana.

23 (B) When a precinct referenced in this Act has been subdivided by action of the
24 parish governing authority on a nongeographic basis or subdivided by action of the parish
25 governing authority on a geographic basis in accordance with the provisions of R.S.
26 18:532.1, the enumeration in this Act of the general precinct designation shall include all
27 nongeographic and all geographic subdivisions thereof, however such subdivisions may be
28 designated. The territorial limits of the districts as provided in this Act shall continue in

1 effect without change regardless of any changes made to the precincts by the parish
2 governing authority.

3 Section 3. R.S. 17:2.2 is hereby repealed in its entirety.

4 Section 4.(A) Section 1 of this Act shall become effective solely for the purposes of
5 qualifying and election of members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary
6 Education at the regularly scheduled elections in 2011, upon signature of this Act by the
7 governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become
8 law without signature by the governor, as provided in Article III, Section 18 of the
9 Constitution of Louisiana. If this Act is vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved
10 by the legislature, Section 1 of this Act shall become effective for such purposes on the day
11 following such approval. The provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall be effective for all
12 other purposes at noon on January 9, 2012.

13 (B) Section 3 of this Act shall become effective at noon on January 9, 2012.

14 (C) The provisions of this Section and Section 2 of this Act shall become effective
15 upon signature of this Act by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration
16 of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided in Article
17 III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If this Act is vetoed by the governor and
18 subsequently approved by the legislature, the provisions of this Section and Section 2 of this
19 Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

DIGEST

The digest printed below was prepared by House Legislative Services. It constitutes no part of the legislative instrument. The keyword, one-liner, abstract, and digest do not constitute part of the law or proof or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

Dixon

HB No. 37

Abstract: Provides for the redistricting of the districts for election of eight members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) and provides for the composition of each of the eight districts. Effective for election purposes only for the regular elections in 2011 and for all purposes at noon on Jan. 9, 2012.

Statistical summaries of proposed law, including district variances from the ideal population of 566,671 and the range of those variances, as well as maps illustrating proposed district boundaries accompany this digest. *(Attached to hard copies of the bill distributed during session and available as a separate document on the Internet.)*

Present constitution provides that BESE is composed of 11 members, eight elected from single-member districts and three appointed by the governor from the state at large.

Present law divides the state into eight districts for election of BESE members.

Proposed law redraws district boundaries for the eight BESE districts. For purposes of qualifying and election in 2011, proposed districts become effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action. For all other purposes, present districts remain in effect until noon, Jan. 9, 2012, when proposed districts become effective for all other purposes.

Proposed law specifies that precincts referenced in district descriptions are those precincts identified as Voting Districts (VTDs) in the 2010 Census Redistricting TIGER/Line Shapefiles for the state of La. Also specifies that if any such precinct has been subdivided by action of the parish governing authority on a nongeographic basis or subdivided by action of the parish governing authority on a geographic basis in accordance with present law, the enumeration of the general precinct designation shall include all nongeographic and all geographic subdivisions thereof. Further provides that the territorial limits of the districts as enacted shall continue in effect without change regardless of any changes made to the precincts by the parish governing authority.

Population data in the summaries accompanying this digest are derived from 2010 Census Redistricting Data (Public Law 94-171), Summary File for Louisiana. Population data, statistical information, and maps are supplied for purposes of information and analysis and comprise no part of proposed law.

Effective in part upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action; effective in part at noon, Jan. 9, 2012. See Act.

(Adds R.S. 17:2.1; Repeals R.S. 17:2.2)

Plan Statistics

<u>Districts:</u>	<u># of Members</u>	<u>Actual Population</u>	<u>Ideal Population</u>	<u>Absolute Deviation</u>	<u>Relative Deviation</u>
District 1	1	589,022	566,671	22,351	3.944%
District 2	1	544,009	566,671	-22,662	-3.999%
District 3	1	560,097	566,671	-6,574	-1.160%
District 4	1	587,472	566,671	20,801	3.671%
District 5	1	580,226	566,671	13,555	2.392%
District 6	1	575,448	566,671	8,777	1.549%
District 7	1	558,002	566,671	-8,669	-1.530%
District 8	1	539,096	566,671	-27,575	-4.866%

Grand Total: 8 4,533,372 4,533,368

Ideal Population Per Member: 566671
 Number of Districts for Plan Type: 8

Range of District Populations: 539,096 to 589,022

Absolute Mean Deviation: 6,241
 Absolute Range: -27,575 to 22,351
 Absolute Overall Range: 49,926

Relative Mean Deviation: 2.89%
 Relative Range: -4.87% to 3.94%
 Relative Overall Range: 8.81%

<i>Ideal - Actual:</i>	<i>-4</i>
<i>Remainder:</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>Unassigned Population:</i>	<i>0</i>

Total Population

	Total Population	Total White	Total Black	Total Asian	Total American Indian	Total Other	Total Hispanic	Reg Total Jan 2011
District 1	589,022	472,738	78,884	14,973	4,655	17,772	49,866	357,058
	100.000%	80.258%	13.392%	2.542%	0.790%	3.017%	8.466%	78.331%
District 2	544,009	177,420	332,278	16,268	3,054	14,989	33,905	325,391
	100.000%	32.613%	61.080%	2.990%	0.561%	2.755%	6.232%	78.839%
District 3	560,097	395,027	125,243	12,024	14,995	12,808	25,267	327,279
	100.000%	70.528%	22.361%	2.147%	2.677%	2.287%	4.511%	78.666%
District 4	587,472	251,930	318,751	5,464	4,163	7,164	14,573	334,297
	100.000%	42.884%	54.258%	0.930%	0.709%	1.219%	2.481%	75.971%
District 5	580,226	455,704	101,419	7,683	8,554	6,866	17,726	346,030
	100.000%	78.539%	17.479%	1.324%	1.474%	1.183%	3.055%	79.033%
District 6	575,448	446,552	101,248	14,062	3,606	9,980	23,580	331,310
	100.000%	77.601%	17.595%	2.444%	0.627%	1.734%	4.098%	76.092%
District 7	558,002	423,511	115,319	7,218	4,875	7,079	15,970	332,978
	100.000%	75.898%	20.666%	1.294%	0.874%	1.269%	2.862%	79.890%
District 8	539,096	213,310	313,743	3,859	2,651	5,533	11,673	326,032
	100.000%	39.568%	58.198%	0.716%	0.492%	1.026%	2.165%	81.367%
Grand Total	4,533,372	2,836,192	1,486,885	81,551	46,553	82,191	192,560	2,680,375
	100.000%	62.563%	32.799%	1.799%	1.027%	1.813%	4.248%	78.480%

Voter Registration

	Reg Total Jan 2011	Reg White Jan 2011	Reg Black Jan 2011	Reg Other Jan 2011	Reg Dem Total Jan 2011	Reg Rep Total Jan 2011	Reg Other Total Jan 2011
District 1	357,058	298,123	34,316	24,619	126,694	140,911	89,453
	78.331%	83.494%	9.611%	6.895%	35.483%	39.464%	25.053%
District 2	325,391	108,290	195,382	21,719	215,665	38,000	71,726
	78.839%	33.280%	60.045%	6.675%	66.279%	11.678%	22.043%
District 3	327,279	244,649	67,441	15,189	167,580	82,168	77,531
	78.666%	74.752%	20.607%	4.641%	51.204%	25.106%	23.690%
District 4	334,297	151,538	171,951	10,808	194,278	69,363	70,656
	75.971%	45.330%	51.437%	3.233%	58.115%	20.749%	21.136%
District 5	346,030	283,510	51,859	10,661	145,162	125,549	75,319
	79.033%	81.932%	14.987%	3.081%	41.951%	36.283%	21.767%
District 6	331,310	273,953	43,923	13,434	125,689	123,197	82,424
	76.092%	82.688%	13.257%	4.055%	37.937%	37.185%	24.878%
District 7	332,978	262,992	59,368	10,618	159,735	93,112	80,131
	79.890%	78.982%	17.829%	3.189%	47.972%	27.963%	24.065%
District 8	326,032	138,062	179,837	8,133	220,183	45,890	59,959
	81.367%	42.346%	55.159%	2.495%	67.534%	14.075%	18.391%
Grand Total	2,680,375	1,761,117	804,077	115,181	1,354,986	718,190	607,199

Splits

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District 1																
*Jefferson	226,598	179,932	25,025	8,732	1,408	11,501	182,008	147,568	17,886	6,710	1,079	8,765	134,486	113,529	8,921	12,036
*Orleans	45,619	39,381	3,821	1,416	238	763	38,196	33,208	3,011	1,183	181	613	29,992	25,438	1,832	2,722
St. Bernard	35,897	26,579	6,705	873	522	1,218	26,720	20,490	4,338	640	370	882	23,358	19,332	2,829	1,197
St. Tammany	233,740	195,364	28,449	3,807	2,182	3,938	173,604	147,964	18,752	2,570	1,579	2,739	143,614	121,851	13,495	8,268
Washington	47,168	31,482	14,884	145	305	352	35,305	24,363	10,374	101	238	229	25,608	17,973	7,239	396
District 1	589,022	472,738	78,884	14,973	4,655	17,772	455,833	373,593	54,361	11,204	3,447	13,228	357,058	298,123	34,316	24,619
	100.000%	80.258%	13.392%	2.542%	0.790%	3.017%	100.000%	81.958%	11.926%	2.458%	0.756%	2.902%	78.331%	83.494%	9.611%	6.895%
District 2																
*Jefferson	133,030	43,905	75,621	5,776	1,046	6,682	97,616	35,427	52,179	4,317	746	4,947	74,316	25,111	42,881	6,324
*Orleans	298,210	74,047	206,626	9,535	1,458	6,544	232,418	66,472	151,683	7,657	1,218	5,388	181,780	44,998	123,816	12,966
*St. Charles	44,743	29,352	13,797	500	261	833	32,727	22,153	9,476	311	191	596	26,807	18,466	7,160	1,181
St. James	22,102	10,615	11,290	43	52	102	16,401	8,231	8,039	26	41	64	14,703	7,249	7,260	194
St. John the Baptist	45,924	19,501	24,944	414	237	828	33,568	15,408	17,127	290	164	579	27,785	12,466	14,265	1,054
District 2	544,009	177,420	332,278	16,268	3,054	14,989	412,730	147,691	238,504	12,601	2,360	11,574	325,391	108,290	195,382	21,719
	100.000%	32.613%	61.080%	2.990%	0.561%	2.755%	100.000%	35.784%	57.787%	3.053%	0.572%	2.804%	78.839%	33.280%	60.045%	6.675%
District 3																
*Assumption	9,867	9,087	474	46	126	134	7,501	6,999	295	35	86	86	5,976	5,705	199	72
Iberia	73,240	45,551	24,091	1,926	428	1,244	53,398	35,137	15,754	1,308	307	892	45,139	30,016	13,917	1,206
*Jefferson	72,924	48,278	16,353	4,135	948	3,210	55,531	38,278	11,237	3,083	664	2,269	43,275	30,487	8,331	4,457
Lafourche	96,318	76,445	13,363	855	3,457	2,198	72,652	59,362	8,945	612	2,187	1,546	53,711	45,827	6,316	1,568
Plaquemines	23,042	16,246	4,951	844	556	445	16,713	12,086	3,367	583	396	281	14,534	10,541	3,075	918
*St. Charles	8,037	7,188	598	75	110	66	5,845	5,292	392	46	72	43	4,898	4,447	294	157
St. Martin	52,160	34,313	16,397	478	350	622	38,389	26,320	11,090	316	227	436	33,849	22,866	9,886	1,097
St. Mary	54,650	32,406	18,290	1,058	1,269	1,627	40,746	25,191	12,797	773	837	1,148	31,845	20,072	10,527	1,246
Terrebonne	111,860	78,591	22,072	1,333	7,375	2,489	82,737	60,621	14,647	986	4,725	1,758	59,299	45,337	10,268	3,694
Vermilion	57,999	46,922	8,654	1,274	376	773	42,522	35,424	5,457	902	259	480	34,753	29,351	4,628	774
District 3	560,097	395,027	125,243	12,024	14,995	12,808	416,034	304,710	83,981	8,644	9,760	8,939	327,279	244,649	67,441	15,189
	100.000%	70.528%	22.361%	2.147%	2.677%	2.287%	100.000%	73.242%	20.186%	2.078%	2.346%	2.149%	78.666%	74.752%	20.607%	4.641%
District 4																
*Bienville	7,801	3,175	4,477	24	53	72	6,033	2,625	3,305	15	44	44	5,155	2,102	3,024	29
*Bossier	42,015	22,665	15,793	1,013	395	2,149	31,476	18,420	10,519	787	296	1,454	18,362	11,044	6,433	885
*Caddo	205,002	82,603	117,251	1,562	1,502	2,084	153,098	67,020	82,290	1,189	1,152	1,447	118,203	49,808	64,312	4,083
Claiborne	17,195	8,167	8,820	62	99	47	13,815	6,781	6,889	37	80	28	8,877	4,908	3,872	97
De Soto	26,656	15,456	10,600	54	331	215	20,006	12,055	7,495	42	273	141	16,396	9,663	6,191	542
*Grant	2,482	891	1,569	2	10	10	1,837	725	1,101	2	4	5	1,619	581	1,014	24

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District 4																
*Jackson	3,562	1,097	2,424	25	9	7	2,672	852	1,794	14	7	5	2,631	766	1,820	45
*Lincoln	28,729	10,533	17,033	574	125	464	23,253	9,021	13,226	532	110	364	12,759	4,658	7,567	534
Morehouse	27,979	14,345	13,281	142	102	109	21,061	11,583	9,230	102	79	67	18,681	10,048	8,329	304
*Natchitoches	31,161	14,113	15,982	175	485	406	23,592	11,591	11,180	136	372	313	17,962	8,736	8,429	797
*Ouachita	87,488	32,885	52,709	992	299	603	63,610	26,840	35,365	760	229	416	51,318	20,378	28,884	2,056
*Rapides	51,629	16,064	34,111	666	417	371	37,476	13,359	23,035	493	322	267	29,191	10,115	18,205	871
*Red River	4,932	1,699	3,178	9	19	27	3,560	1,375	2,141	7	18	19	3,277	1,131	2,122	24
*Richland	5,776	2,172	3,536	11	36	21	4,351	1,775	2,526	9	27	14	3,198	1,210	1,962	26
*Union	12,038	5,852	5,668	16	69	433	8,964	4,674	3,975	12	56	247	7,494	3,986	3,322	186
*Webster	33,027	20,213	12,319	137	212	146	25,227	16,008	8,869	89	168	93	19,174	12,404	6,465	305
District 4	587,472	251,930	318,751	5,464	4,163	7,164	440,031	204,704	222,940	4,226	3,237	4,924	334,297	151,538	171,951	10,808
	100.000%	42.884%	54.258%	0.930%	0.709%	1.219%	100.000%	46.520%	50.665%	0.960%	0.736%	1.119%	75.971%	45.330%	51.437%	3.233%
District 5																
*Bienville	6,552	4,760	1,676	20	79	17	4,979	3,654	1,239	16	61	9	4,101	3,010	1,061	30
*Bossier	74,964	61,765	9,813	1,503	744	1,139	55,469	46,272	6,894	1,049	541	713	42,472	35,619	5,058	1,795
*Caddo	49,967	42,339	4,978	1,668	404	578	39,217	33,728	3,612	1,174	303	400	33,171	29,355	2,396	1,420
Caldwell	10,132	8,213	1,778	30	64	47	7,758	6,314	1,336	23	51	34	6,324	5,351	911	62
Catahoula	10,407	6,985	3,318	9	53	42	8,057	5,543	2,438	8	43	25	6,380	4,749	1,596	35
Concordia	20,822	11,959	8,604	59	123	77	15,589	9,298	6,117	41	88	45	12,696	7,997	4,529	170
East Carroll	7,759	2,245	5,398	47	31	38	5,766	1,845	3,830	37	25	29	5,330	1,617	3,664	49
Franklin	20,767	13,930	6,620	65	82	70	15,450	10,838	4,471	42	63	36	13,466	9,408	3,978	80
*Grant	19,827	17,258	2,033	95	375	66	15,321	13,063	1,877	65	270	46	10,281	9,780	270	231
*Jackson	12,712	9,987	2,523	42	74	86	9,898	7,829	1,930	25	58	56	7,215	6,113	985	117
La Salle	14,890	12,689	1,808	40	215	138	11,366	9,677	1,402	35	143	109	8,427	7,648	621	158
*Lincoln	18,006	15,242	2,151	300	105	208	13,877	11,854	1,595	217	73	138	11,257	9,946	952	359
Madison	12,093	4,498	7,452	33	55	55	9,071	3,644	5,312	20	45	50	7,634	2,780	4,764	90
*Natchitoches	8,405	7,381	796	22	164	42	6,374	5,635	591	15	105	28	5,020	4,445	449	126
*Ouachita	66,232	59,999	4,485	730	406	612	49,737	45,476	3,040	488	320	413	43,090	39,567	2,113	1,410
*Rapides	79,984	67,309	9,039	1,246	1,265	1,125	60,123	51,220	6,333	884	948	738	48,865	43,213	3,902	1,750
*Red River	4,159	3,661	455	7	24	12	3,218	2,881	309	5	16	7	2,704	2,435	255	14
*Richland	14,949	10,707	4,008	81	60	93	11,089	8,224	2,711	56	43	55	9,741	6,963	2,684	94
Sabine	24,233	17,155	4,234	84	2,636	124	18,311	13,544	2,835	63	1,796	73	13,837	10,811	2,032	994
Tensas	5,252	2,202	2,991	13	15	31	3,923	1,796	2,085	11	9	22	4,131	1,807	2,304	20
*Union	10,683	9,830	574	33	46	200	8,529	7,894	464	19	35	117	7,470	6,877	387	206
Vernon	52,334	39,614	8,313	1,426	1,177	1,804	37,822	29,416	5,349	1,026	848	1,183	21,620	17,881	2,495	1,244

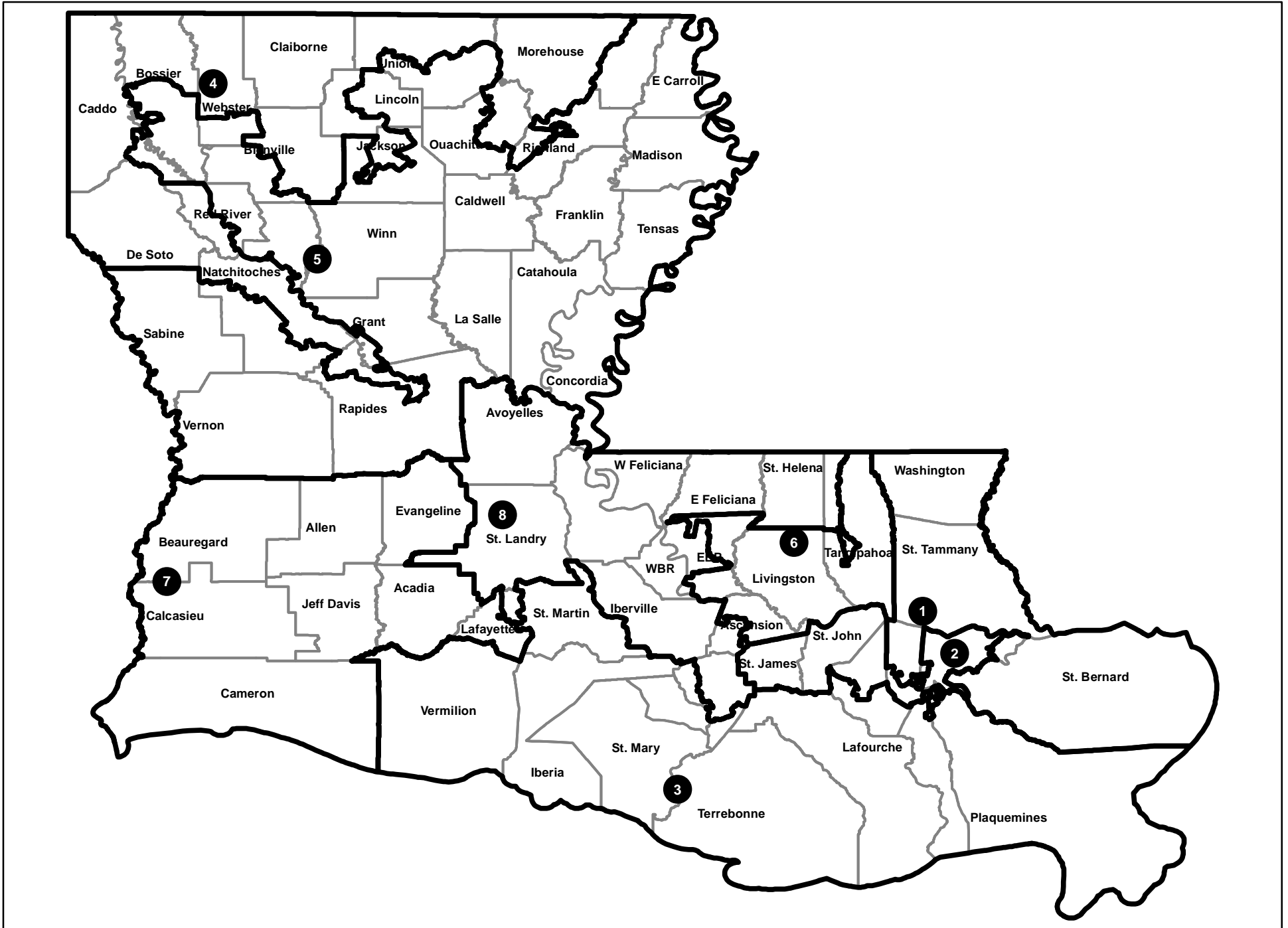
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District 5																
*Webster	8,180	6,256	1,725	43	104	52	6,270	4,899	1,241	31	73	26	4,739	3,711	951	77
West Carroll	11,604	9,497	1,870	34	86	117	8,746	7,254	1,330	24	62	76	7,167	6,017	1,096	54
Winn	15,313	10,223	4,777	53	167	93	11,871	8,018	3,619	44	129	61	8,892	6,410	2,406	76
District 5	580,226	455,704	101,419	7,683	8,554	6,866	437,831	349,816	71,960	5,418	6,148	4,489	346,030	283,510	51,859	10,661
	100.000%	78.539%	17.479%	1.324%	1.474%	1.183%	100.000%	79.897%	16.436%	1.237%	1.404%	1.025%	79.033%	81.932%	14.987%	3.081%
District 6																
*Ascension	88,331	72,814	11,835	1,130	523	2,029	62,821	52,692	7,758	733	365	1,273	52,535	44,462	5,732	2,341
*East Baton Rouge	265,445	185,829	62,032	11,243	1,345	4,996	209,207	152,644	43,022	8,730	1,039	3,772	154,667	120,594	26,744	7,329
Livingston	128,026	117,601	6,941	906	1,055	1,523	92,696	85,855	4,535	565	782	959	71,580	66,508	2,985	2,087
*Tangipahoa	93,646	70,308	20,440	783	683	1,432	70,685	55,103	13,542	577	515	948	52,528	42,389	8,462	1,677
District 6	575,448	446,552	101,248	14,062	3,606	9,980	435,409	346,294	68,857	10,605	2,701	6,952	331,310	273,953	43,923	13,434
	100.000%	77.601%	17.595%	2.444%	0.627%	1.734%	100.000%	79.533%	15.814%	2.436%	0.620%	1.597%	76.092%	82.688%	13.257%	4.055%
District 7																
Acadia	61,773	49,127	11,645	196	313	492	44,910	36,554	7,668	131	213	344	37,256	30,346	6,441	469
Allen	25,764	18,435	6,192	220	749	168	19,870	14,288	4,828	154	495	105	13,110	10,190	2,397	523
Beauregard	35,654	29,321	5,016	353	652	312	26,359	21,902	3,569	239	460	189	19,924	16,703	2,304	917
Calcasieu	192,768	136,514	49,825	2,550	1,626	2,253	143,756	105,077	34,139	1,846	1,187	1,507	117,844	86,021	27,975	3,848
Cameron	6,839	6,546	135	10	60	88	5,183	5,011	74	9	38	51	5,536	5,272	188	76
Evangeline	33,984	23,439	9,862	139	161	383	24,817	17,619	6,661	97	117	323	21,407	15,267	5,973	167
Jefferson Davis	31,594	25,125	5,836	98	275	260	23,196	18,871	3,891	66	180	188	19,337	15,808	3,132	397
*Lafayette	169,626	135,004	26,808	3,652	1,039	3,123	128,704	105,091	17,930	2,704	761	2,218	98,564	83,385	10,958	4,221
District 7	558,002	423,511	115,319	7,218	4,875	7,079	416,795	324,413	78,760	5,246	3,451	4,925	332,978	262,992	59,368	10,618
	100.000%	75.898%	20.666%	1.294%	0.874%	1.269%	100.000%	77.835%	18.897%	1.259%	0.828%	1.182%	79.890%	78.982%	17.829%	3.189%
District 8																
*Ascension	18,884	5,758	12,631	104	63	328	13,639	4,645	8,653	83	47	211	11,569	3,770	7,524	275
*Assumption	13,554	6,548	6,776	22	64	144	10,164	5,197	4,804	16	39	108	8,812	4,388	4,387	37
Avoyelles	42,073	28,188	12,876	174	641	194	31,790	21,850	9,247	126	431	136	23,105	16,874	5,790	441
*East Baton Rouge	174,726	29,098	140,502	2,321	568	2,237	127,299	25,231	98,274	1,741	447	1,606	97,950	17,557	77,066	3,327
East Feliciana	20,267	10,783	9,250	67	127	40	16,075	8,775	7,123	58	94	25	13,411	7,629	5,126	656
Iberville	33,387	16,280	16,620	124	117	246	25,885	13,254	12,258	85	98	190	20,452	10,414	9,754	284
*Lafayette	51,952	18,702	32,104	239	251	656	38,611	15,475	22,273	180	190	493	32,560	12,247	19,197	1,116
Pointe Coupee	22,802	14,010	8,427	69	71	225	17,327	11,073	6,020	44	57	133	15,464	9,584	5,696	184
St. Helena	11,203	5,034	6,014	16	72	67	8,440	4,036	4,291	11	60	42	8,432	3,816	4,517	99
St. Landry	83,384	46,615	35,153	395	406	815	60,704	35,593	23,997	266	278	570	56,549	31,901	23,591	1,057
*Tangipahoa	27,451	9,898	16,941	172	151	289	19,992	8,028	11,517	133	116	198	16,136	6,190	9,527	419

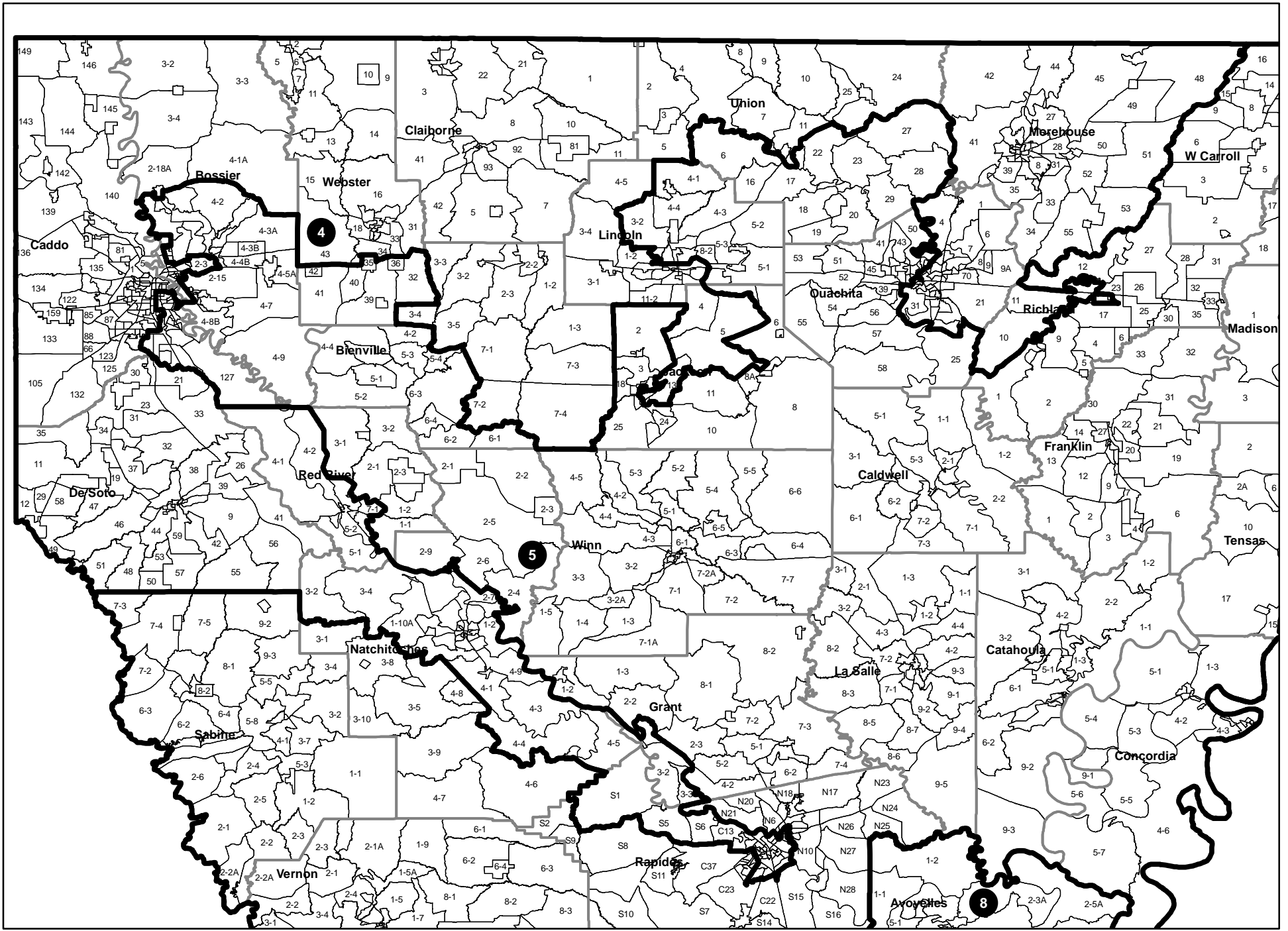
Splits

	Total Population	Total White	Total Black	Total Asian	Total American Indian	Total Other	VAP Total	VAP White	VAP Black	VAP Asian	VAP American Indian	VAP Other	Reg Total Jan 2011	Reg White Jan 2011	Reg Black Jan 2011	Reg Other Jan 2011
District 8																
West Baton Rouge	23,788	14,271	9,132	114	85	186	17,861	11,067	6,517	92	67	118	14,796	9,244	5,408	144
West Feliciana	15,625	8,125	7,317	42	35	106	12,907	6,412	6,364	24	33	74	6,796	4,448	2,254	94
District 8	539,096	213,310	313,743	3,859	2,651	5,533	400,694	170,636	221,338	2,859	1,957	3,904	326,032	138,062	179,837	8,133
	100.000%	39.568%	58.198%	0.716%	0.492%	1.026%	100.000%	42.585%	55.239%	0.714%	0.488%	0.974%	81.367%	42.346%	55.159%	2.495%

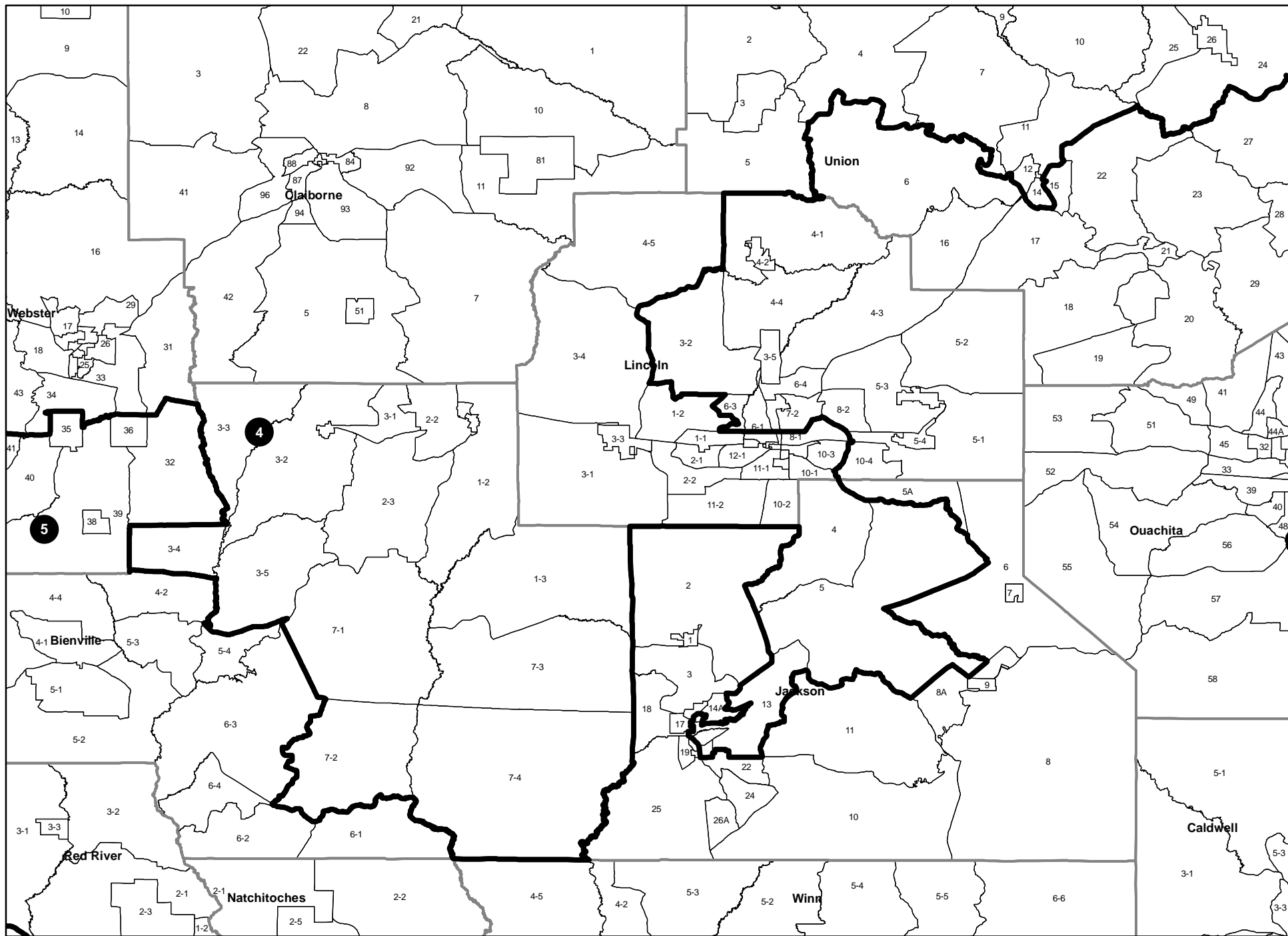
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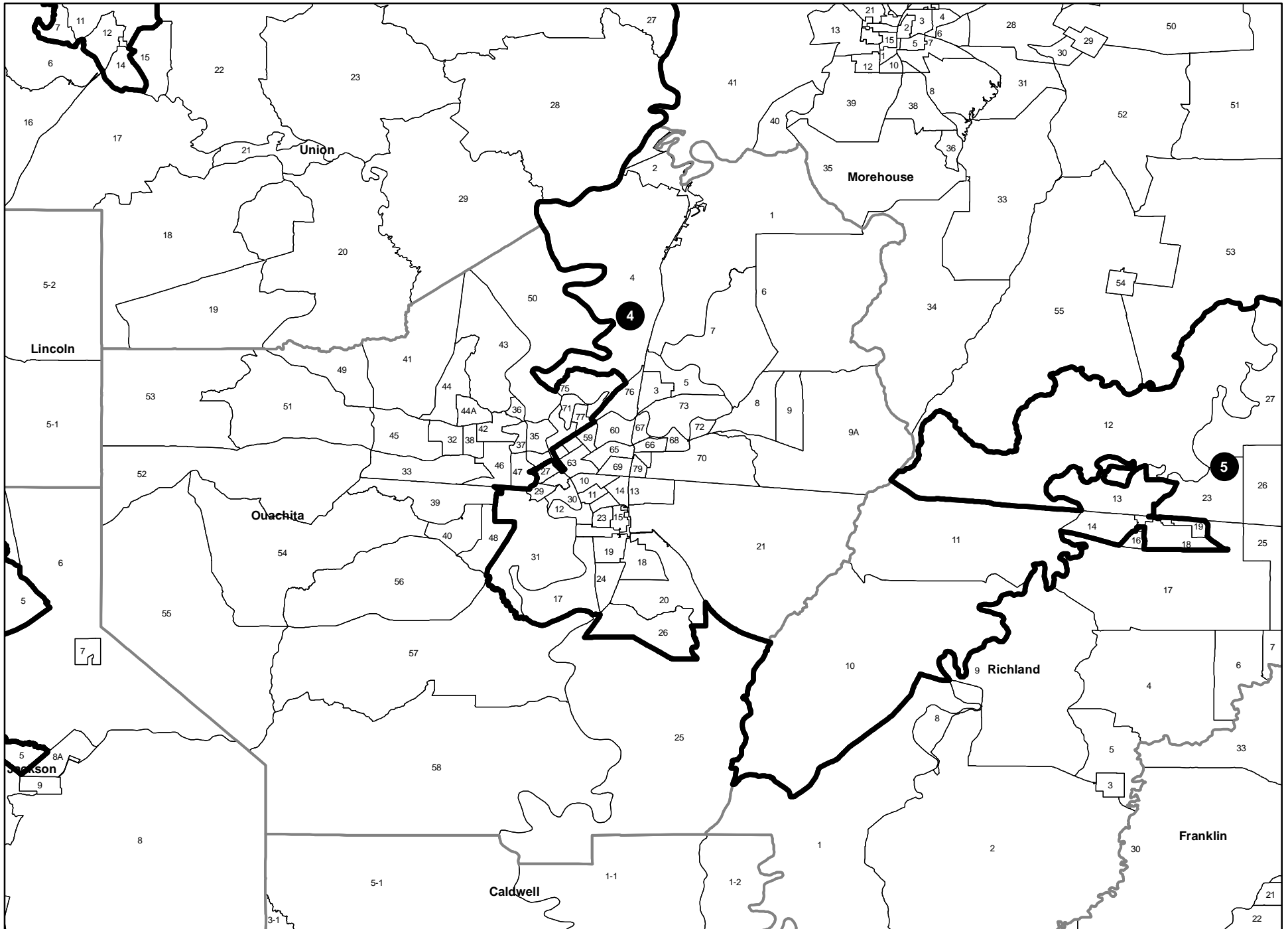
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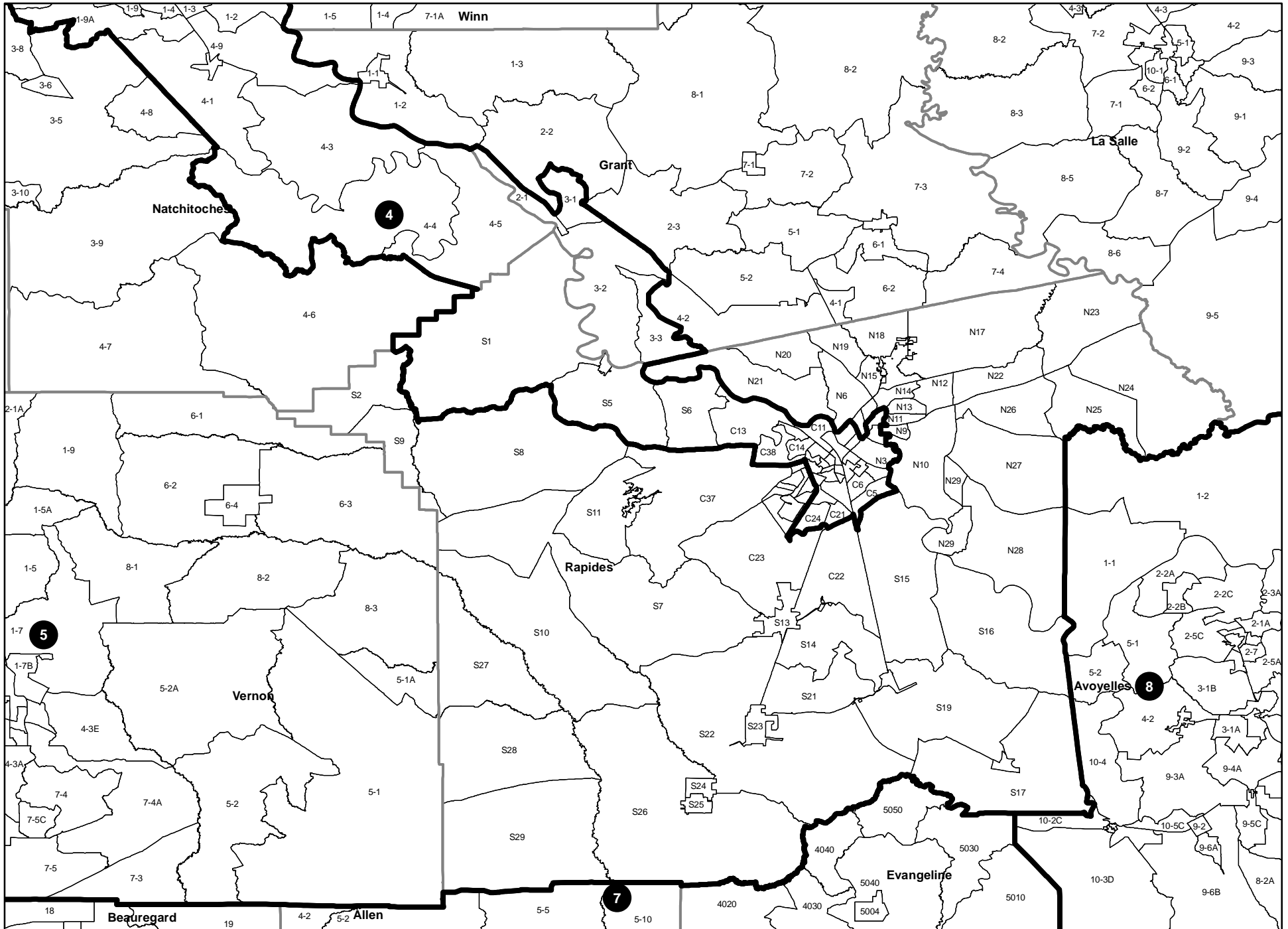
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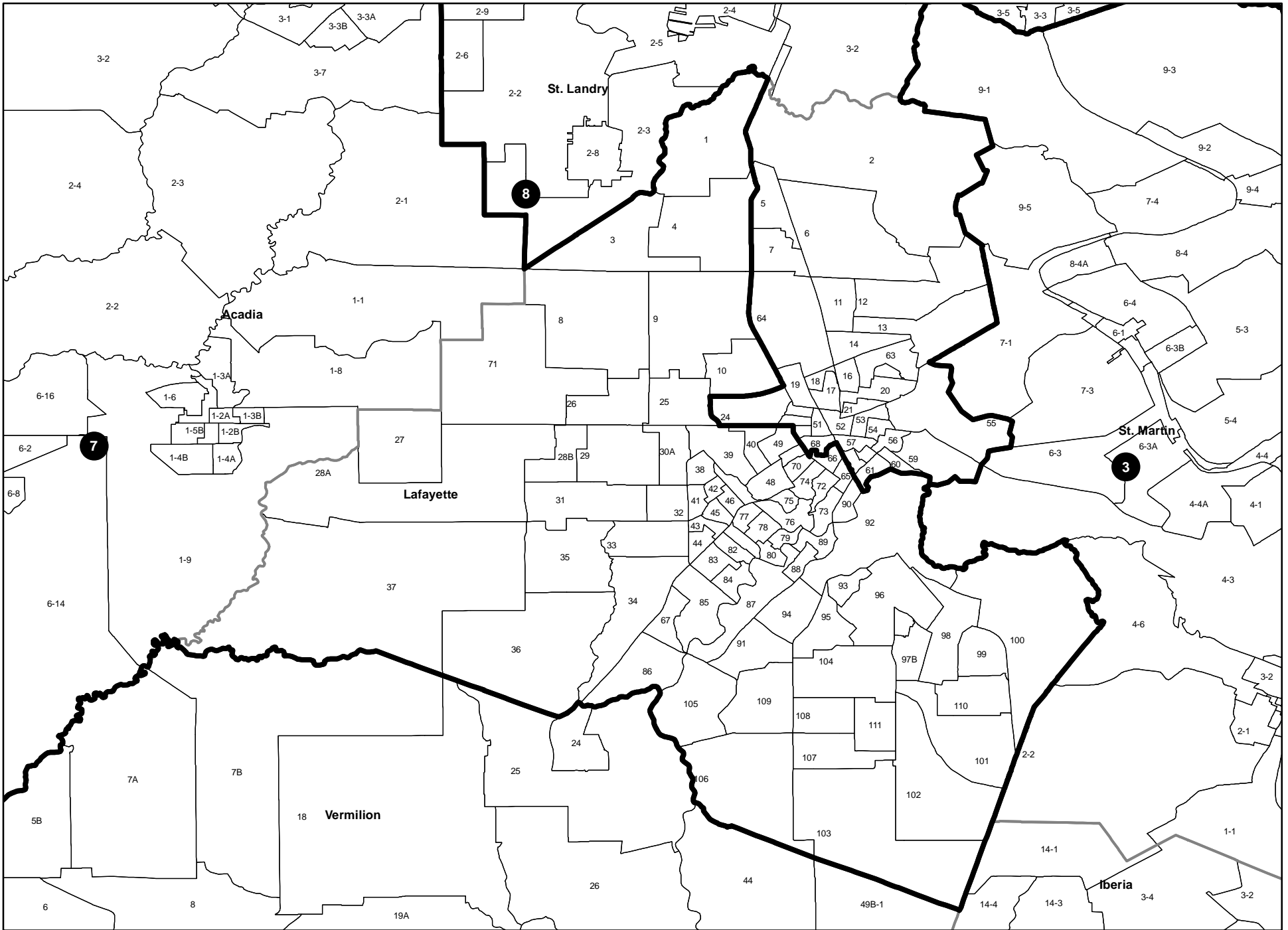
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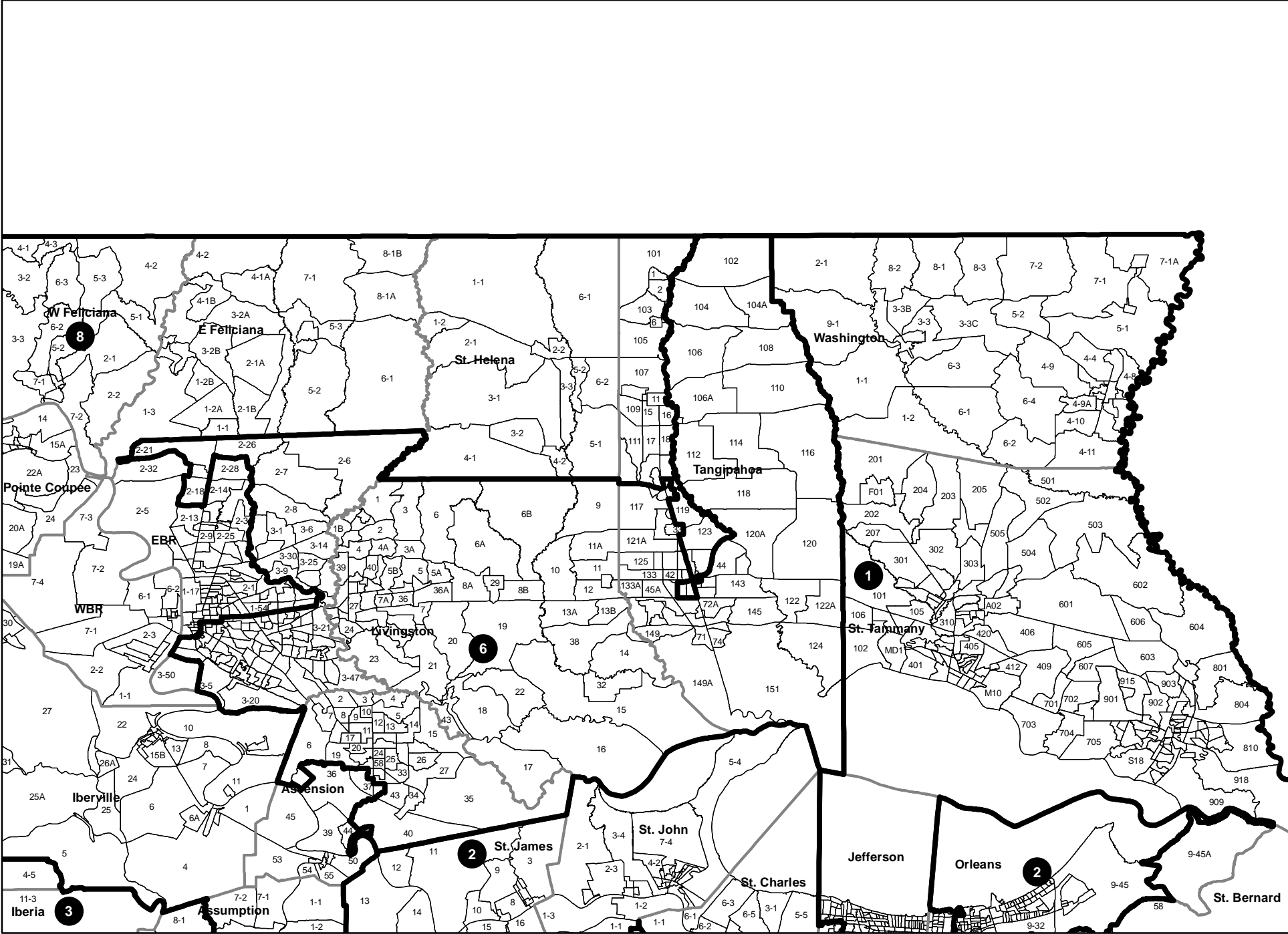
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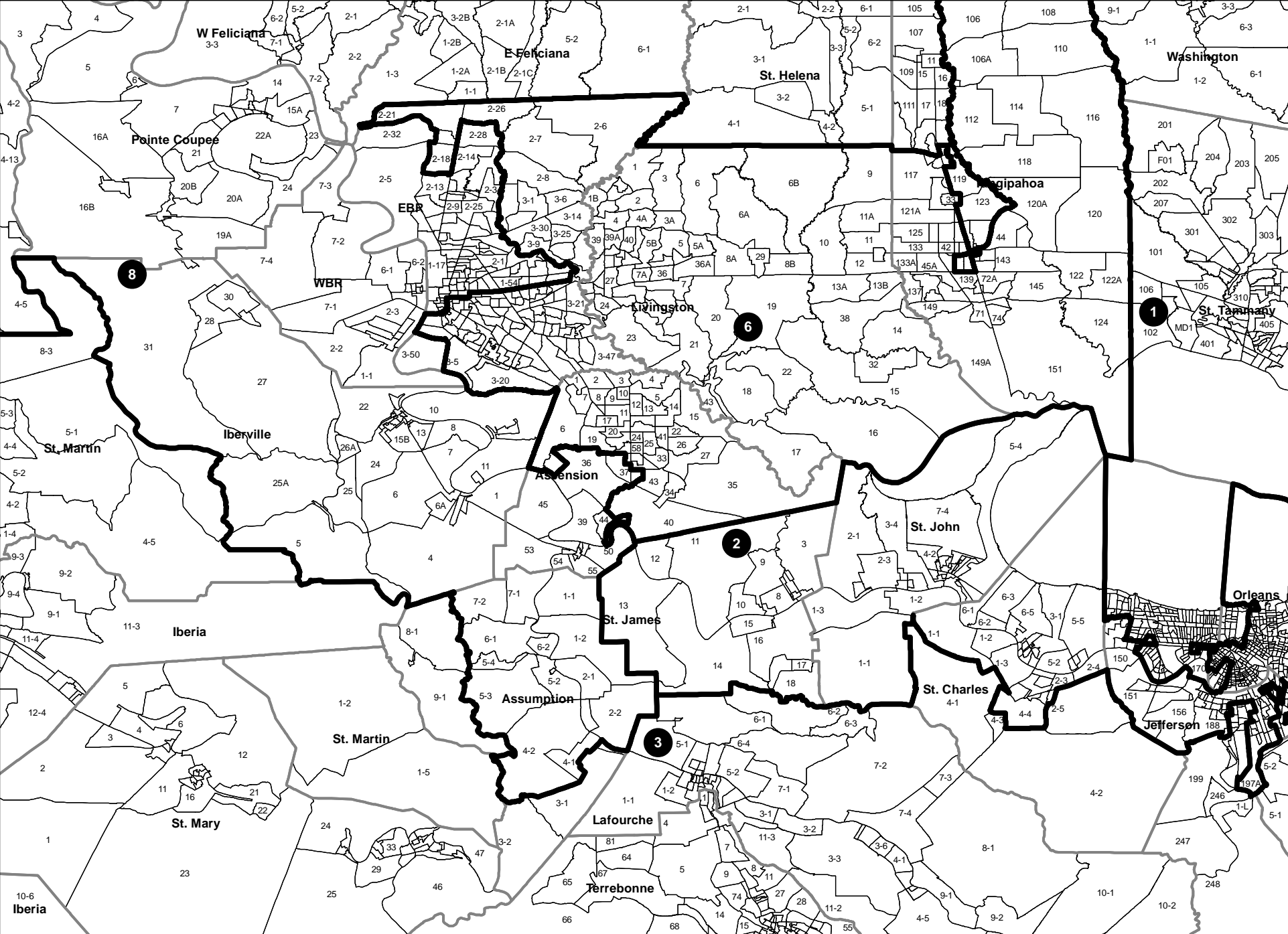
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