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# Redistricting Committee

**Thursday, January 13, 2022  
11:30 AM – 1:30 PM  
404 HOB**

**Meeting Packet**

**EXHIBIT**

**J40**

**Chris Sprowls  
Speaker**

**Thomas J. Leek  
Chair**

## Committee Meeting Notice

### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

#### Redistricting Committee

**Start Date and Time:** Thursday, January 13, 2022 11:30 am

**End Date and Time:** Thursday, January 13, 2022 01:30 pm

**Location:** Sumner Hall (404 HOB)

**Duration:** 2.00 hrs

**Workshop on the following:**

Redistricting Plans

For information about attending or testifying at a committee meeting, please see the "Visiting the House" tab at [www.myfloridahouse.gov](http://www.myfloridahouse.gov).

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# Florida House of Representatives Redistricting Committee

Chair Thomas J. Leek  
*January 13, 2022*



# Agenda

1. Constitutional Standards Review
2. Congressional Map Workshop
3. State House Map Workshop
4. Public Input



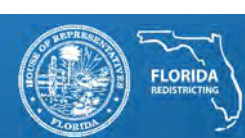
A blue-tinted photograph of the Florida State Capitol building, featuring a prominent dome and classical columns, serving as a background for the title.

# Florida Constitution

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## • **Art. III, Section 16 of Florida Constitution**

- Directs the Legislature at its Regular Session in the second year following each decennial census (2022) to conduct redistricting of state legislative boundaries.
- 30-40 senatorial districts
- 80-120 representative districts
- Districts shall be contiguous and consecutively numbered
- Provides directives and timelines for establishing new districts





# Florida Constitution

## Article III, Sections 20 & 21

### Tier 1 Standards

No apportionment plan or individual district shall be drawn with the intent to favor or disfavor a political party or an incumbent

Districts shall not be drawn with the intent or result of denying or abridging the equal opportunity of racial or language minorities to participate in the political process or to diminish their ability to elect representatives of their choice

Districts shall consist of contiguous territory

### Tier 2 Standards

Districts shall be as nearly equal in population as is practicable

Districts shall be compact

Districts shall, where feasible, utilize existing political and geographical boundaries

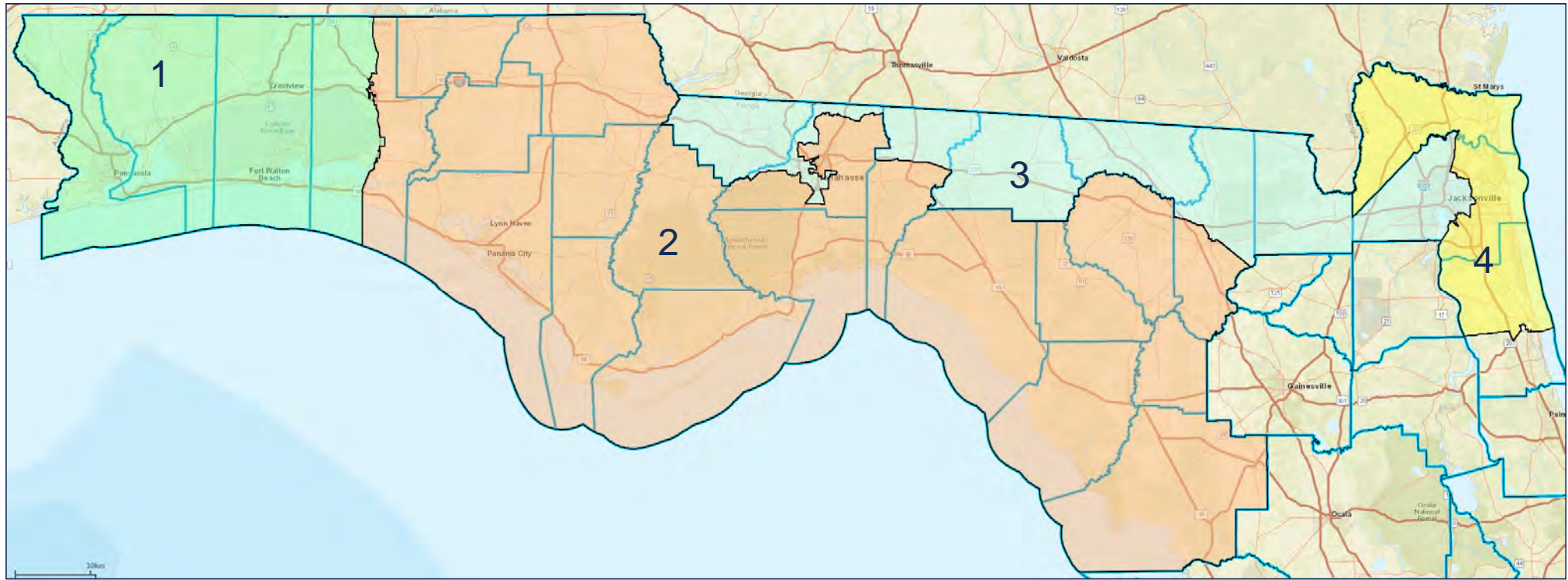
A blue-tinted photograph of the Florida State Capitol building, featuring a prominent central dome and classical columns. The building is surrounded by trees and a paved walkway leads to the entrance.

# Congressional Map Workshop



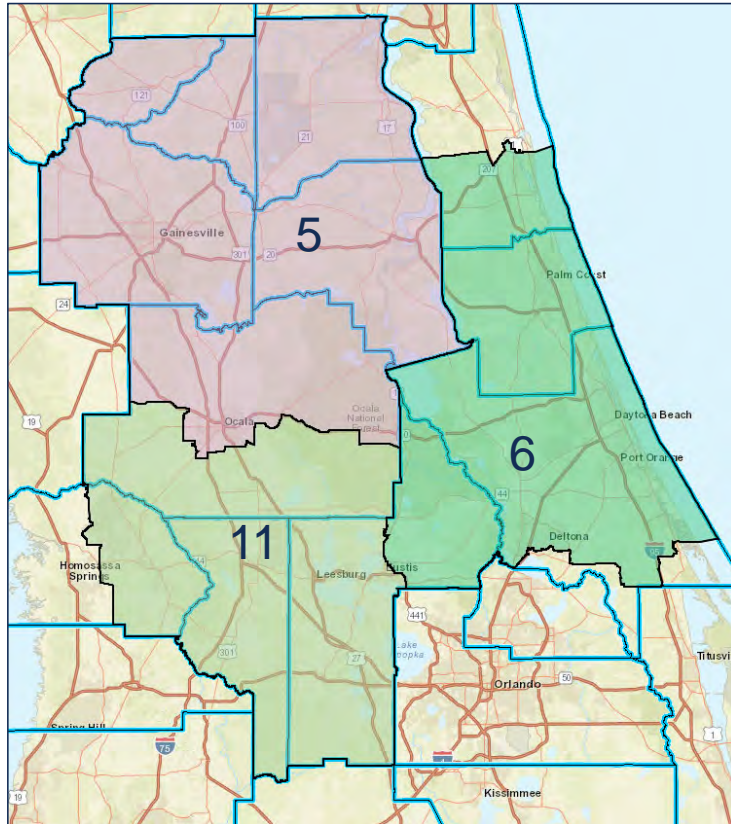
# Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4

Workshop A and B are the Same

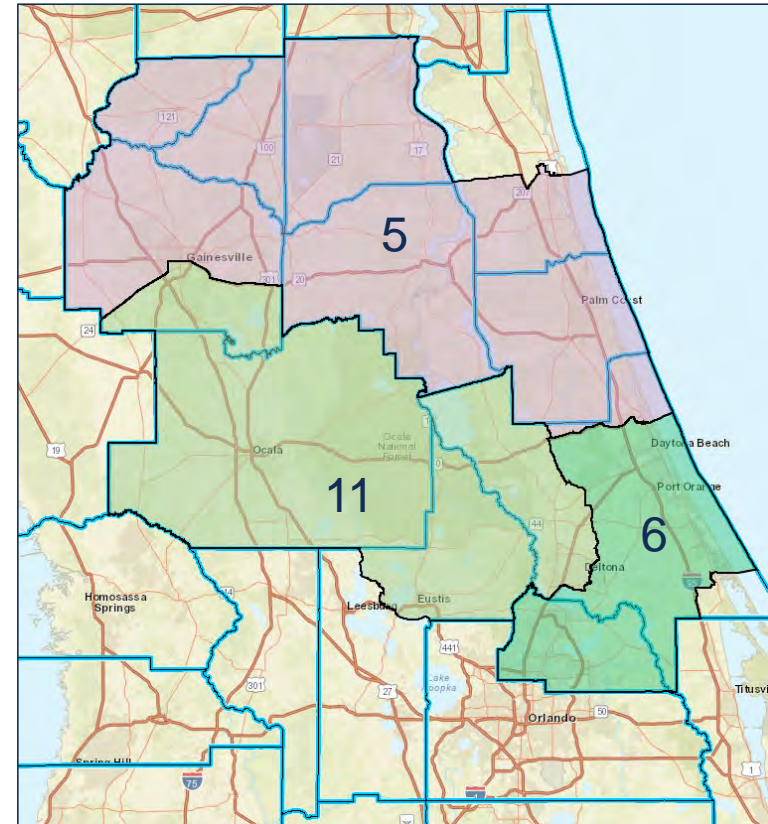


# Districts 5, 6 and 11

Workshop A



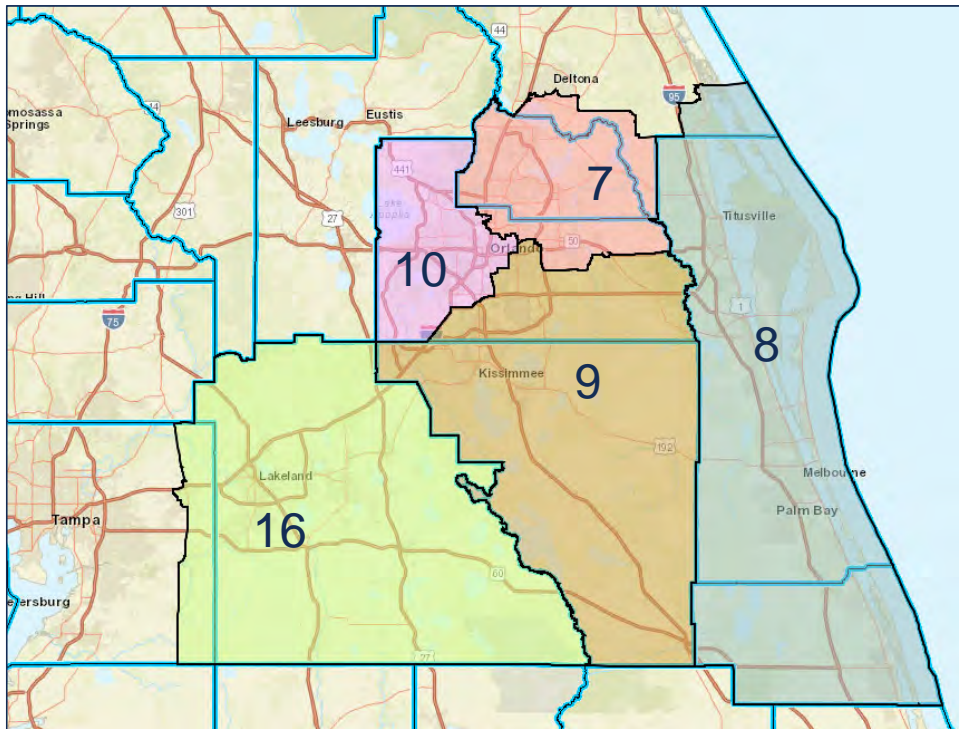
Workshop B



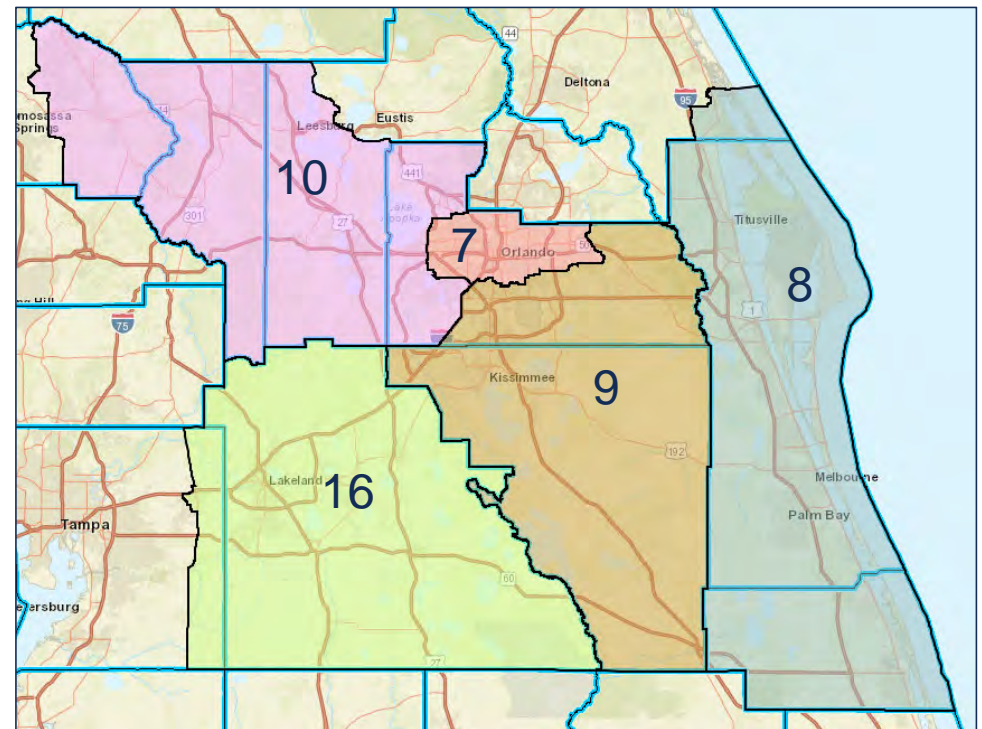


# Districts 7, 8, 9, 10 and 16

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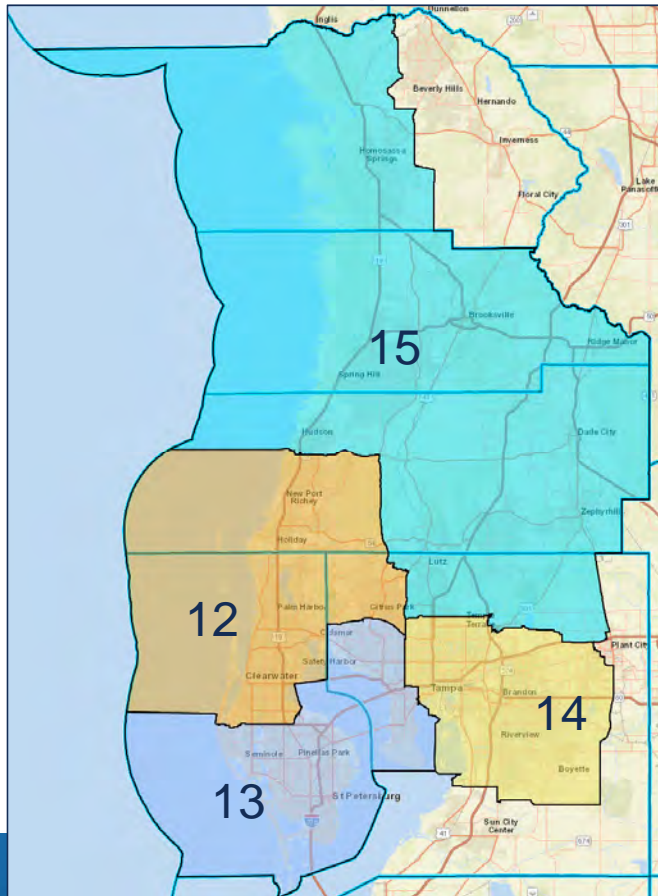


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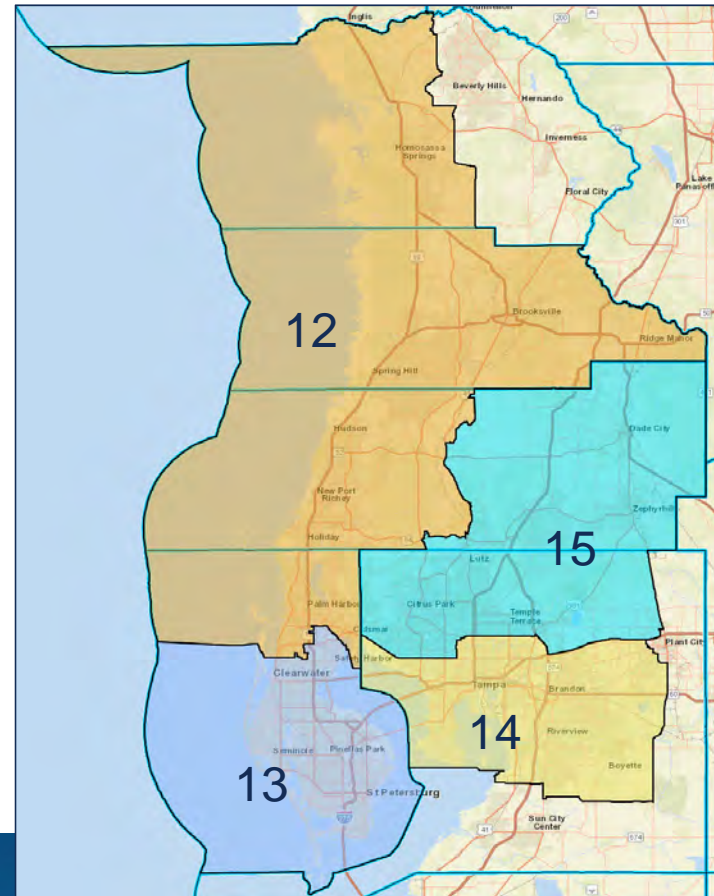


# Districts 12, 13, 14 and 15

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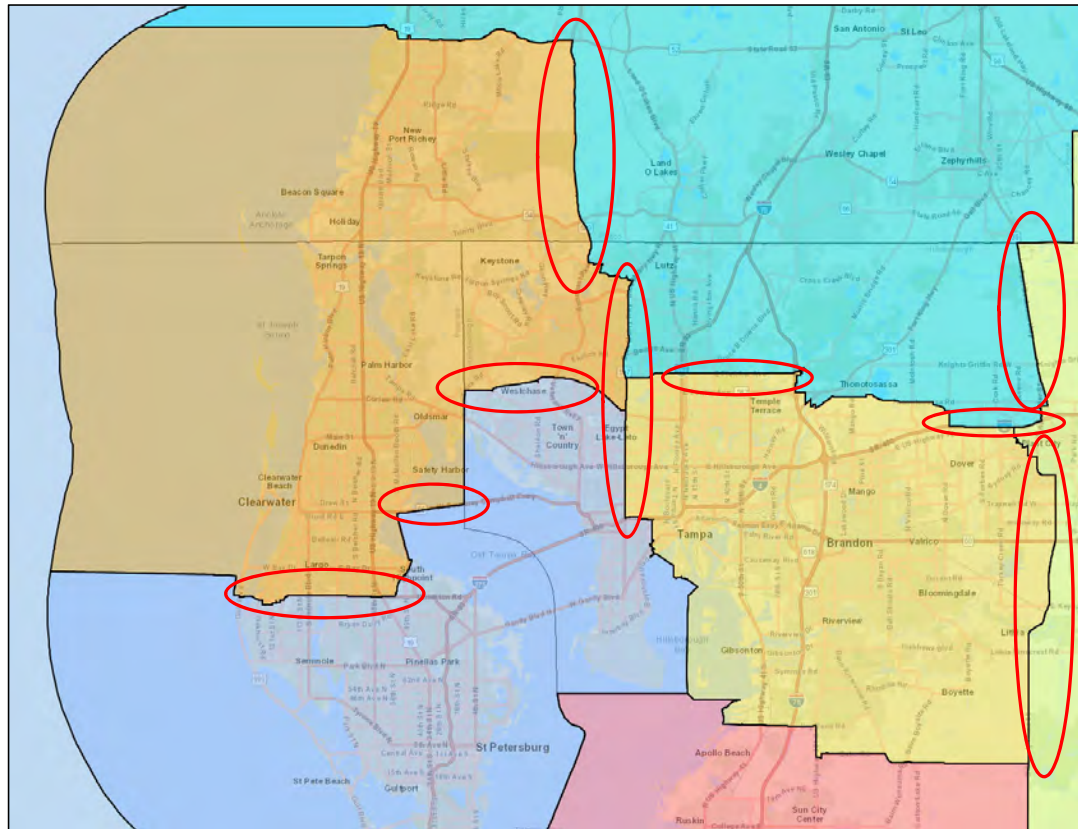


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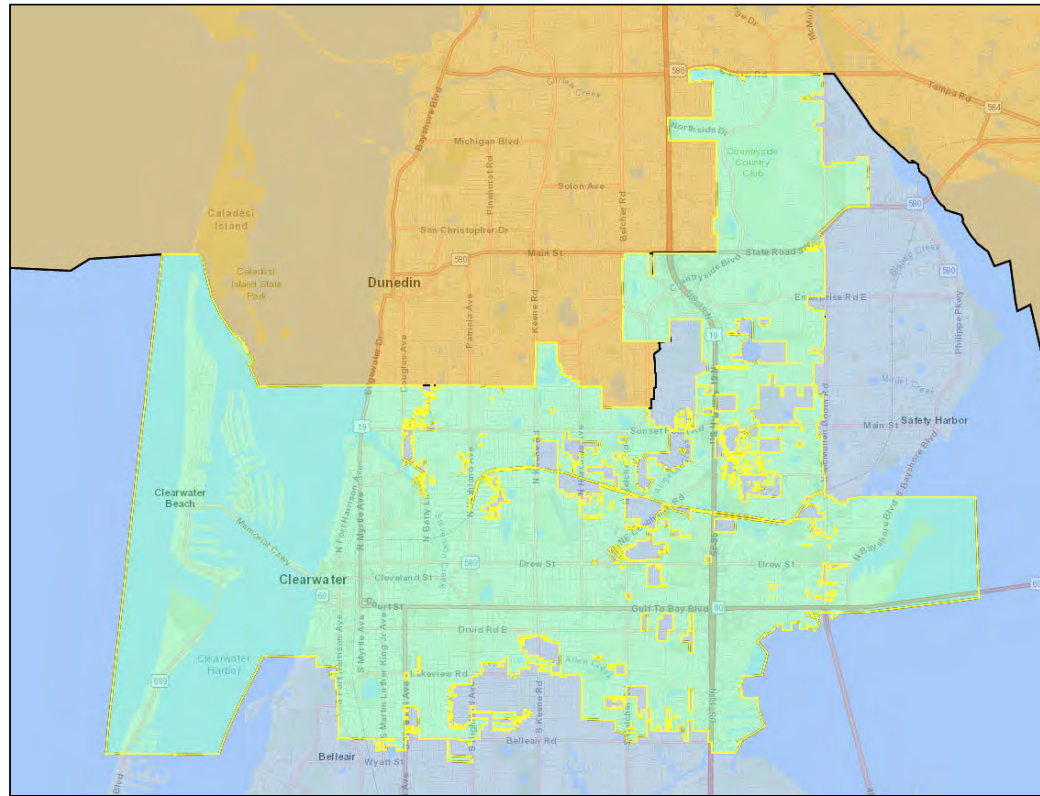




# Using Roadways



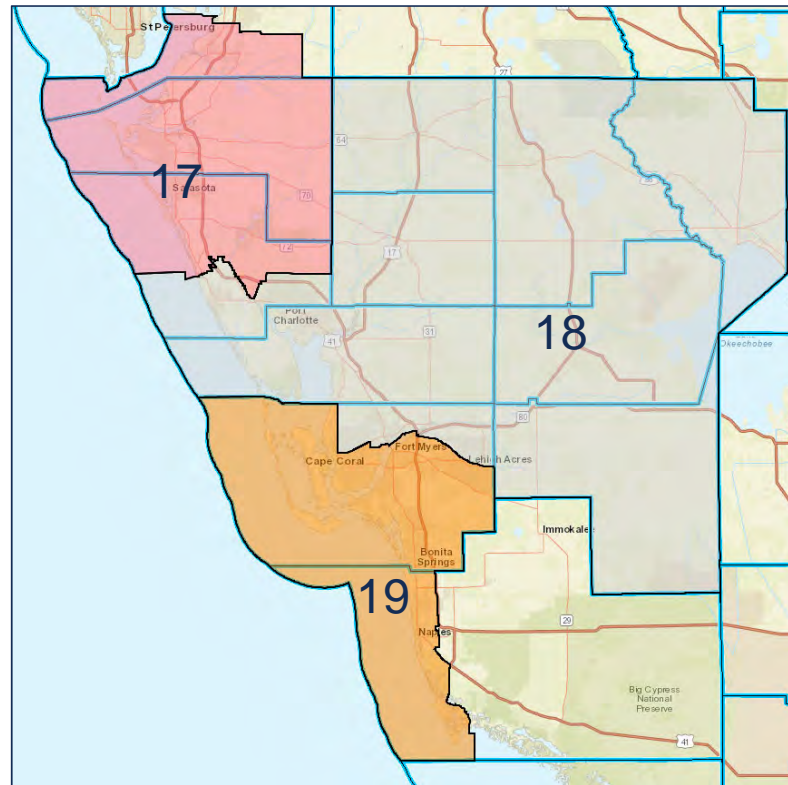
# Keeping a City Whole





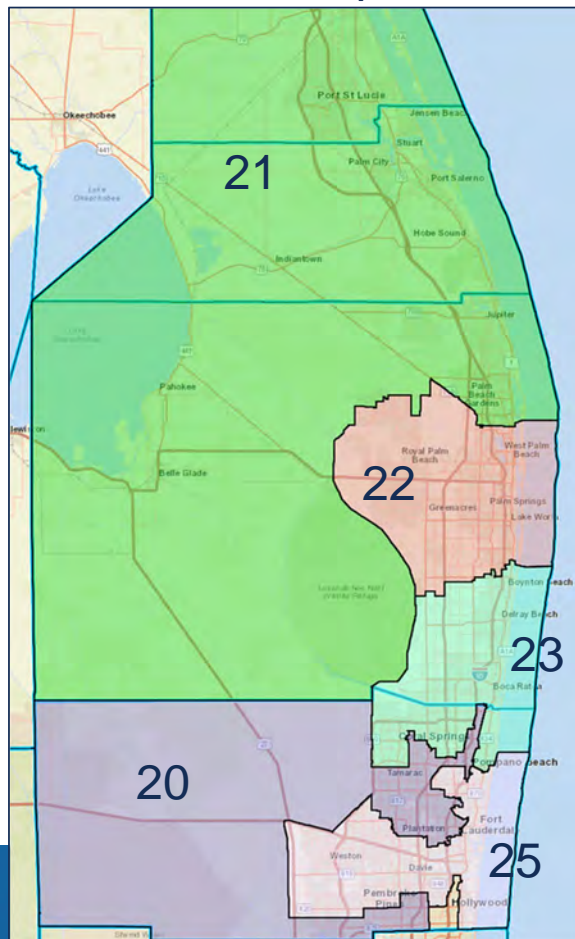
# Districts 17, 18 and 19

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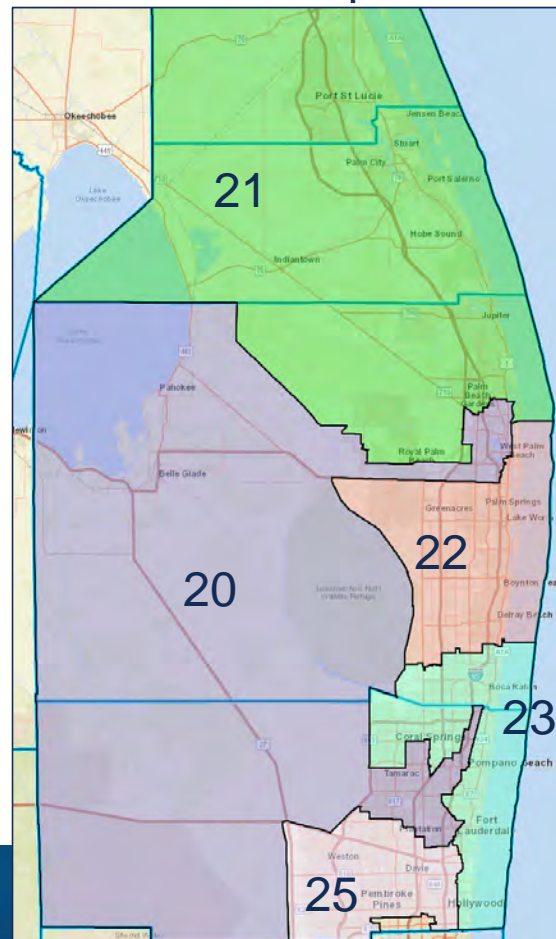


# Districts 20, 21, 22, 23 and 25

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Workshop B

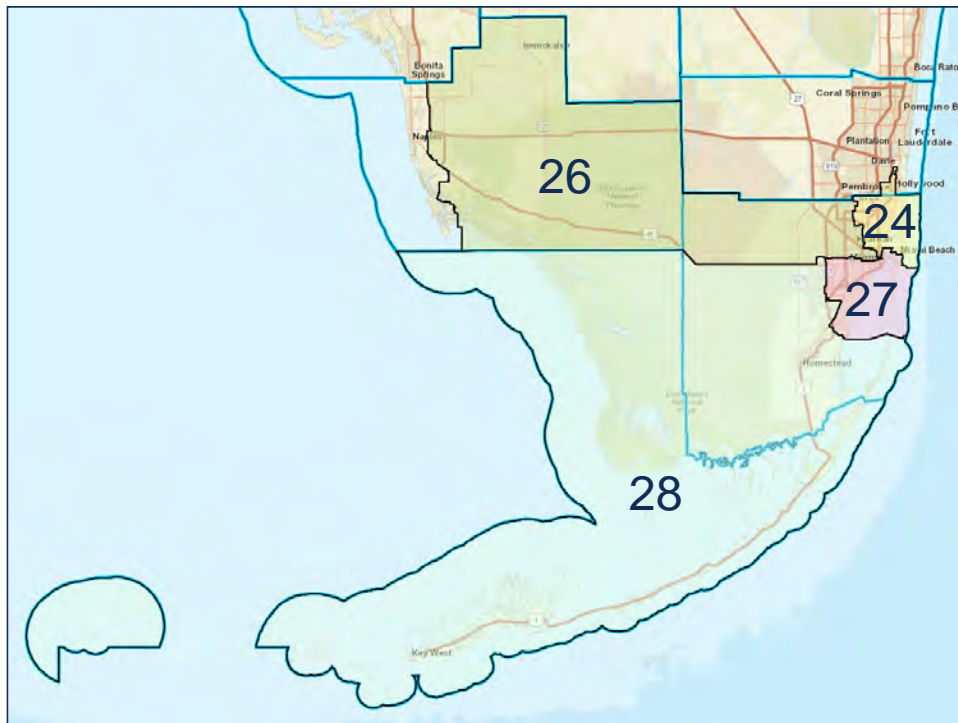


# Compactness

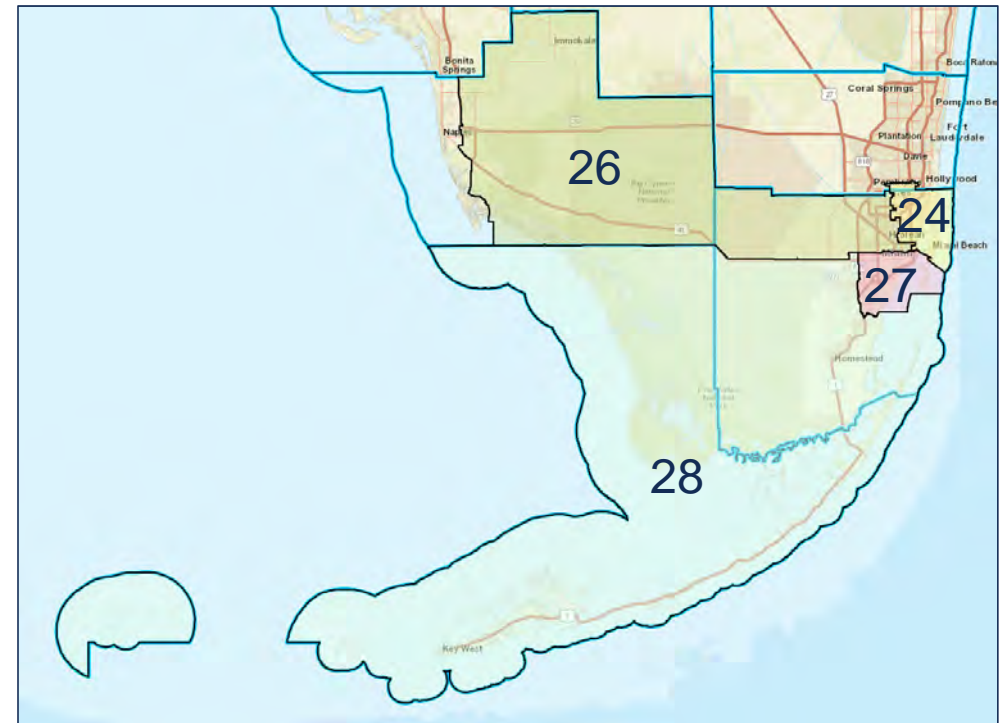
Option A			
District	Reock	Convex-Hull	Polsby-Popper
20	0.41	0.79	0.22
Option B			
District	Reock	Convex-Hull	Polsby-Popper
20	0.50	0.77	0.28

# Districts 24, 26, 27 and 28

Workshop A



Workshop B

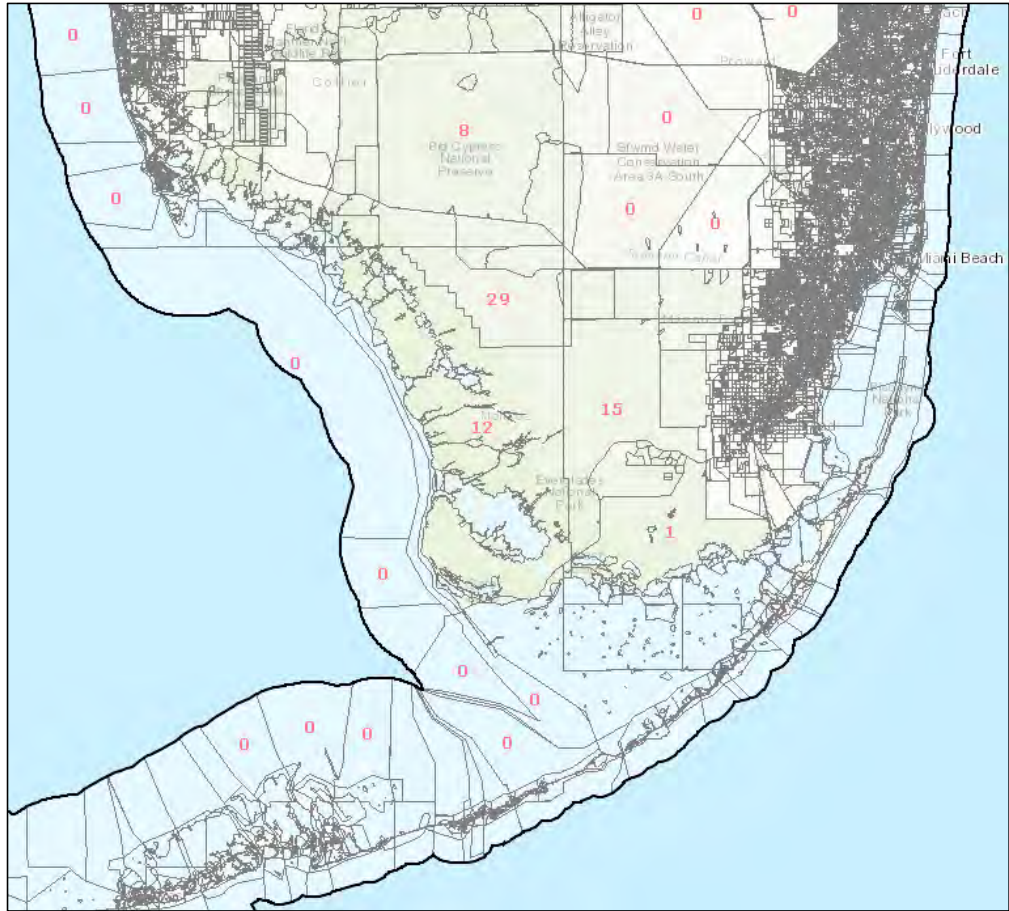




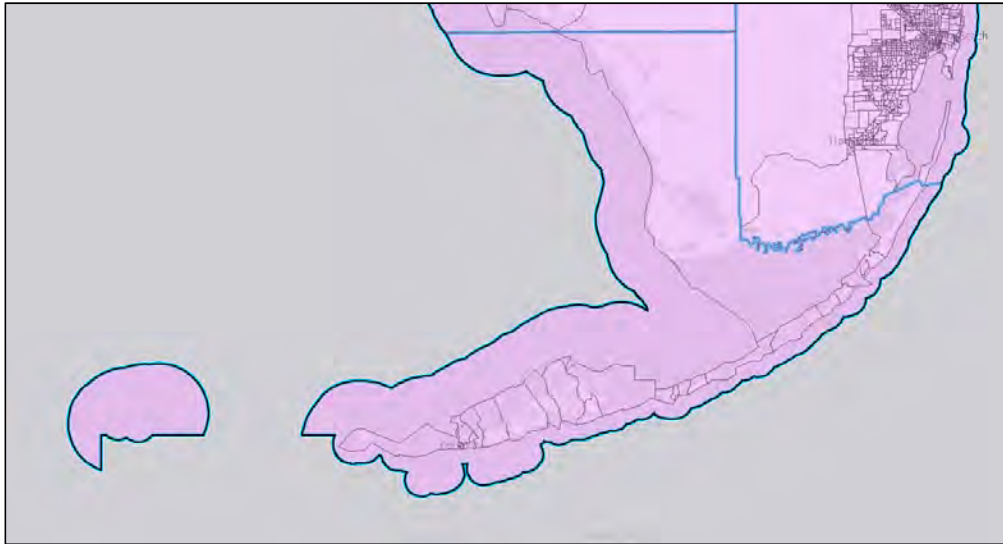
# Florida Everglades

The Everglades is a large area of geography we must consider when drawing district boundaries.

Additionally, the Everglades has minimal population throughout its respective blocks.



# Non-Contiguous Territory



Florida is one of six states that has valid non-contiguous territory – The Dry Tortugas.

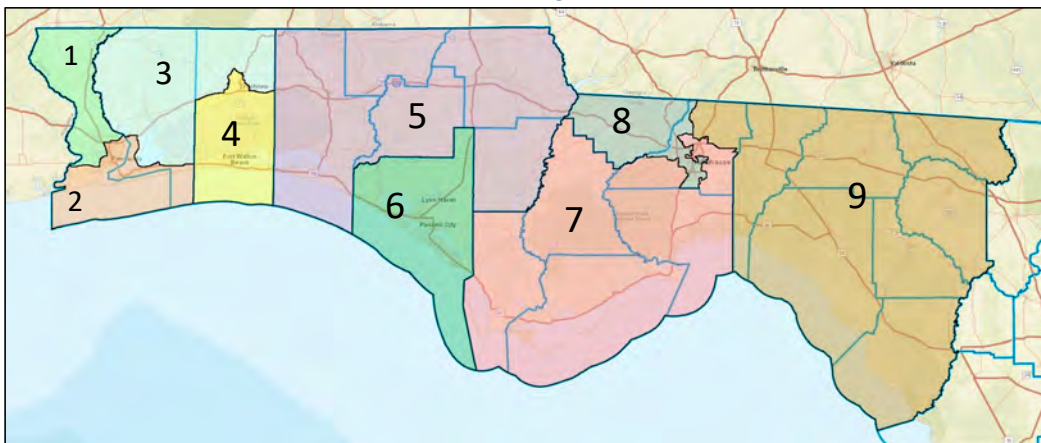




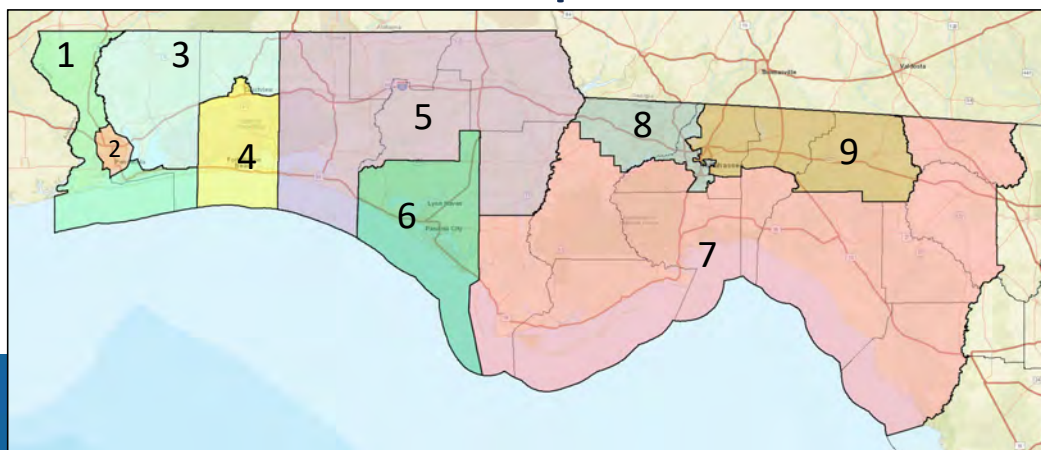
# State House Map Workshop

# Districts 1-9

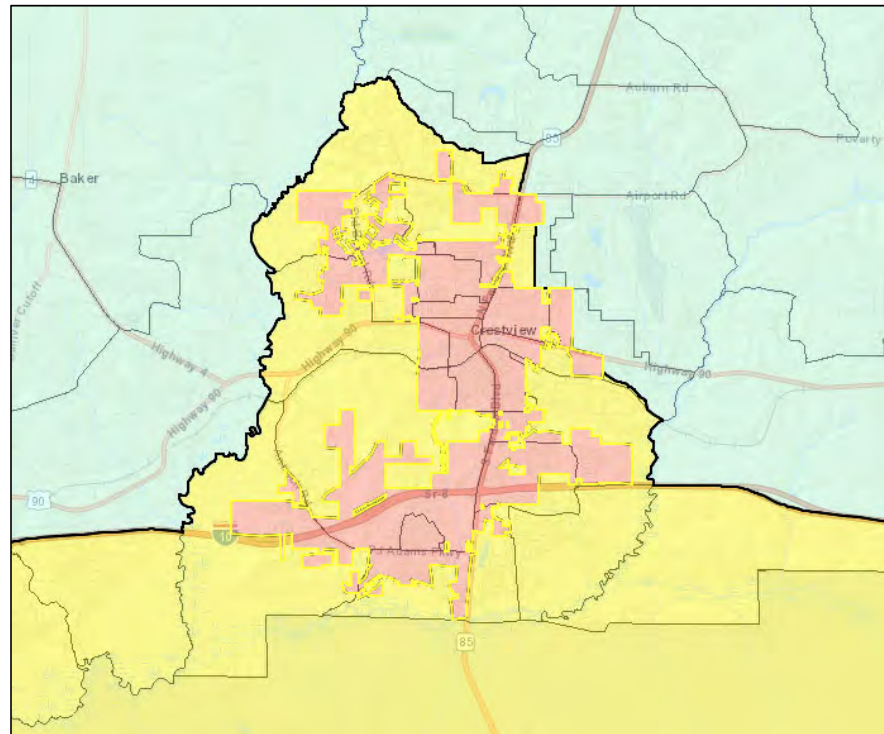
## Workshop A



## Workshop B



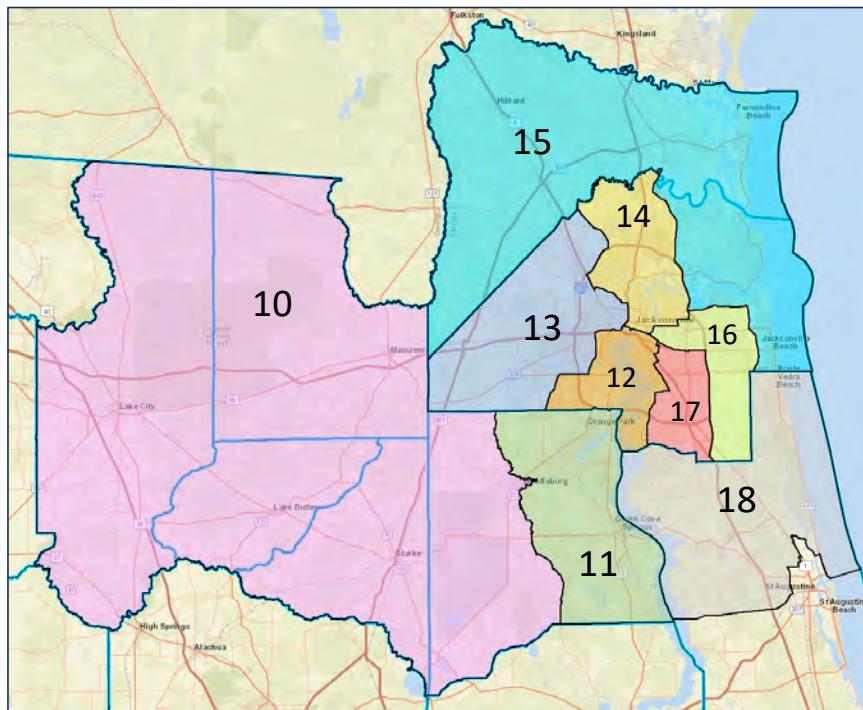
# Keeping a City Whole



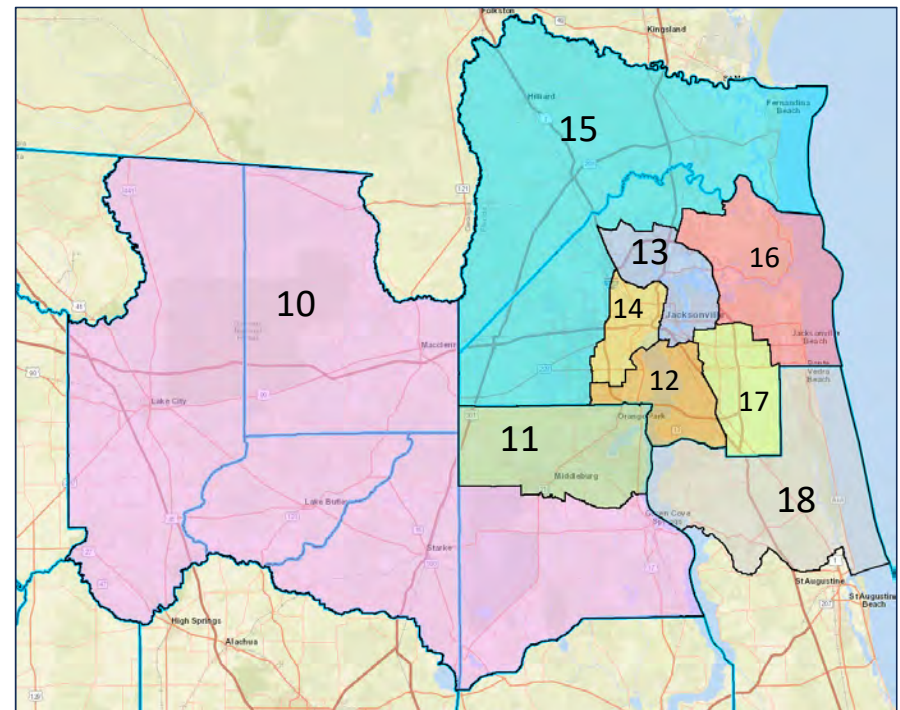


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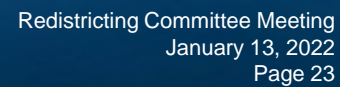
Workshop A



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## Workshop A





# Water Blocks

Florida's coastline is made up of vast numbers of census "water blocks" that range in various sizes and shapes.

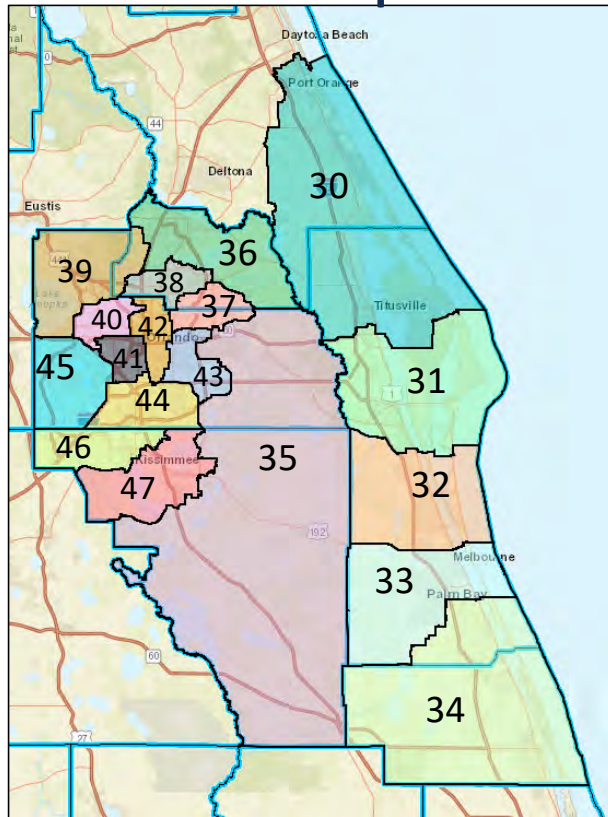
They can create large "flags" or indentations on districts that can affect a district's compactness.



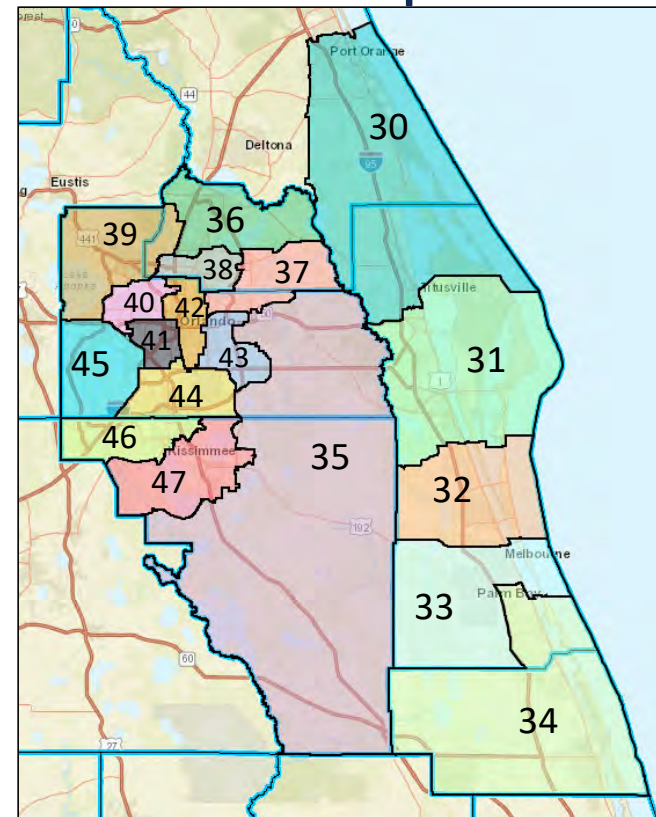


# Districts 30-47

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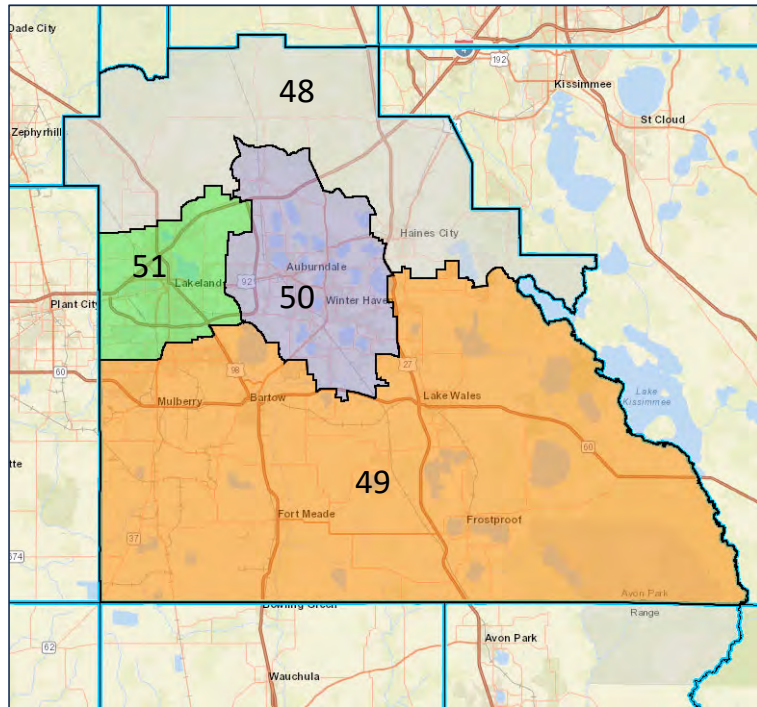


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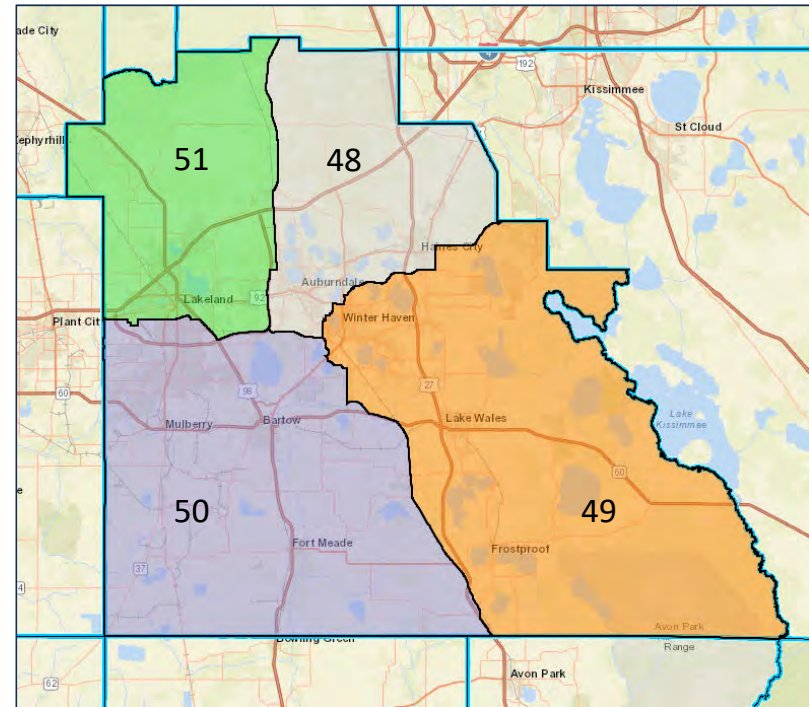


# Districts 48-51

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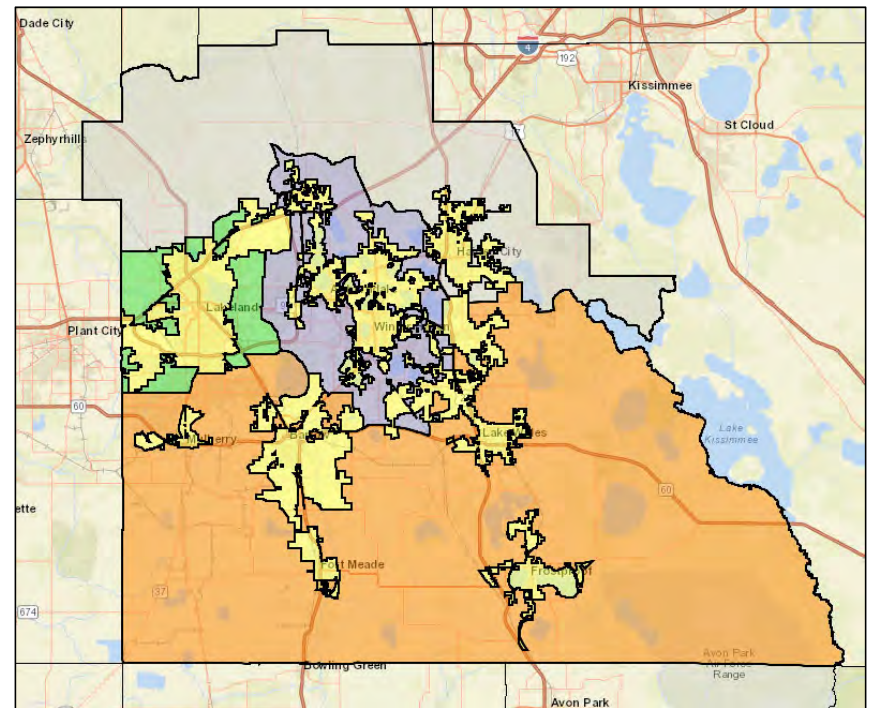
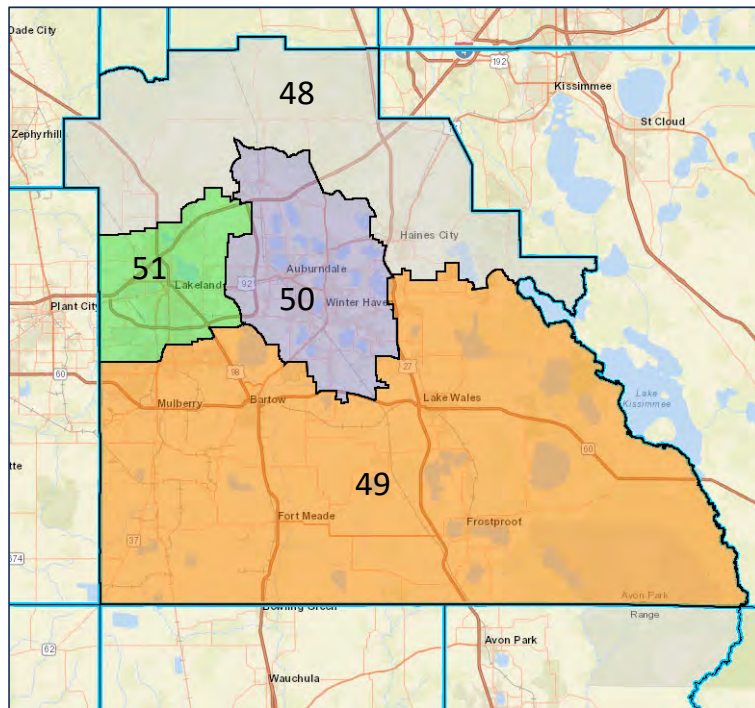


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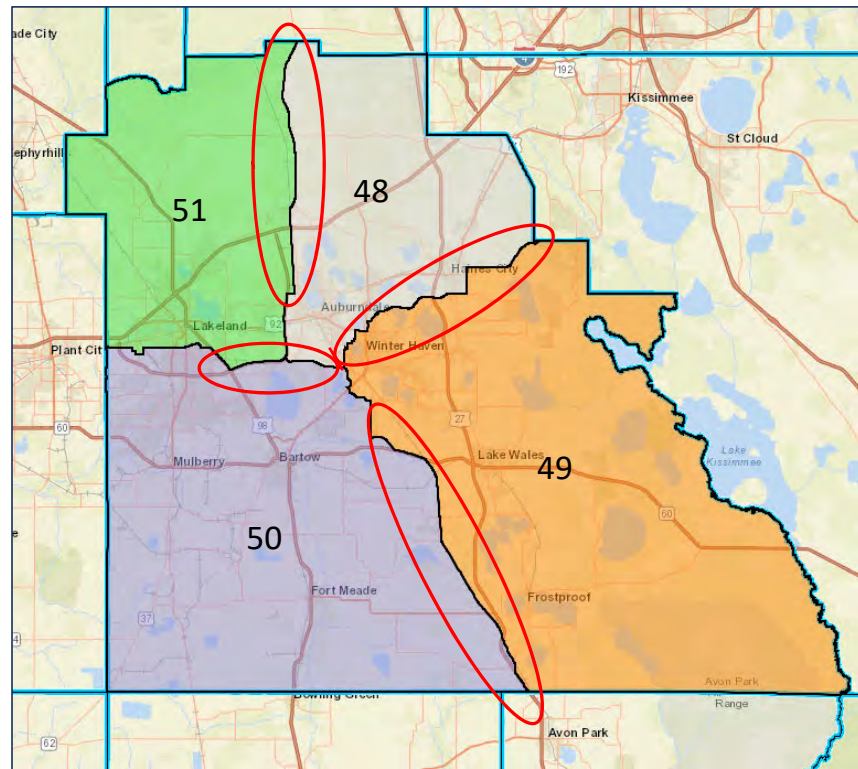




# Keeping Cities Whole



# Using Roadways and Railways



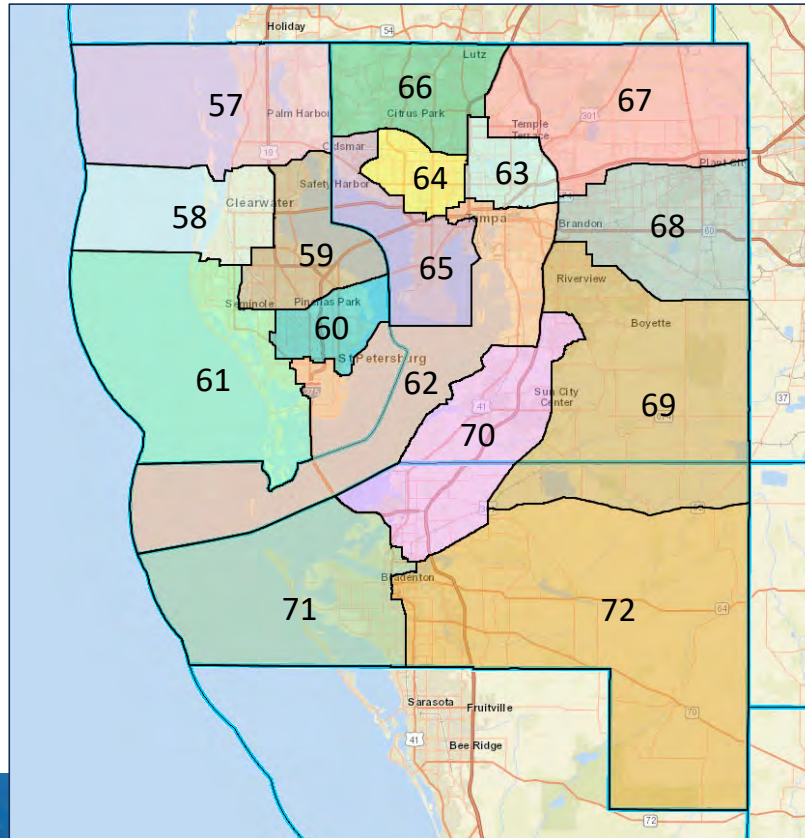
# Compactness Scores

Option A				Option B			
District	Reock	Convex-Hull	Polsby-Popper	District	Reock	Convex-Hull	Polsby-Popper
48	0.26	0.65	0.20	48	0.54	0.85	0.54
49	0.42	0.90	0.36	49	0.44	0.86	0.35
50	0.43	0.86	0.38	50	0.48	0.96	0.66
51	0.48	0.84	0.48	51	0.55	0.87	0.54
AVG	0.40	0.81	0.36	AVG	0.50	0.89	0.52

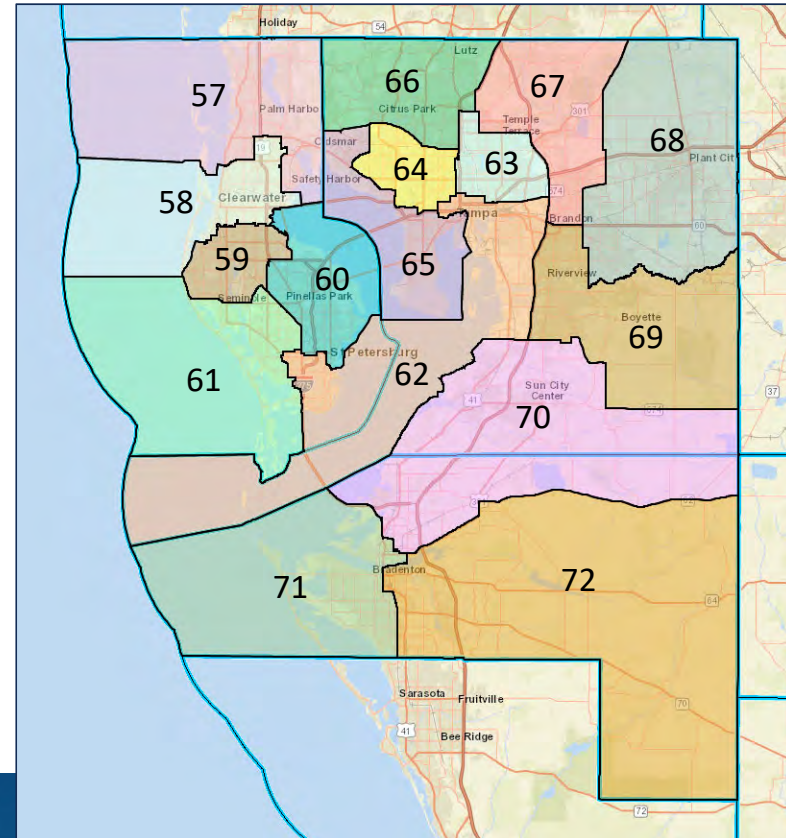


# Districts 57-72

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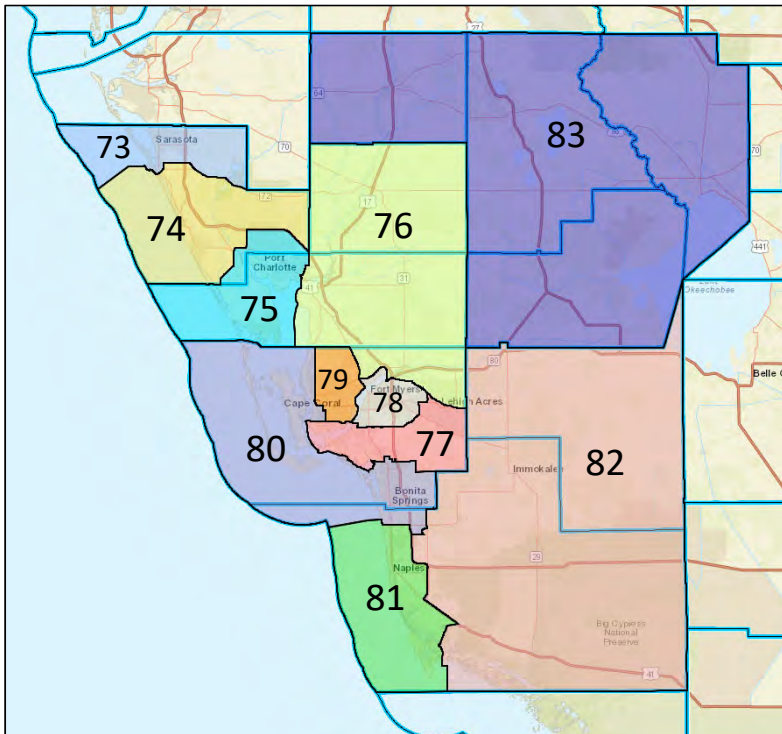
Workshop B



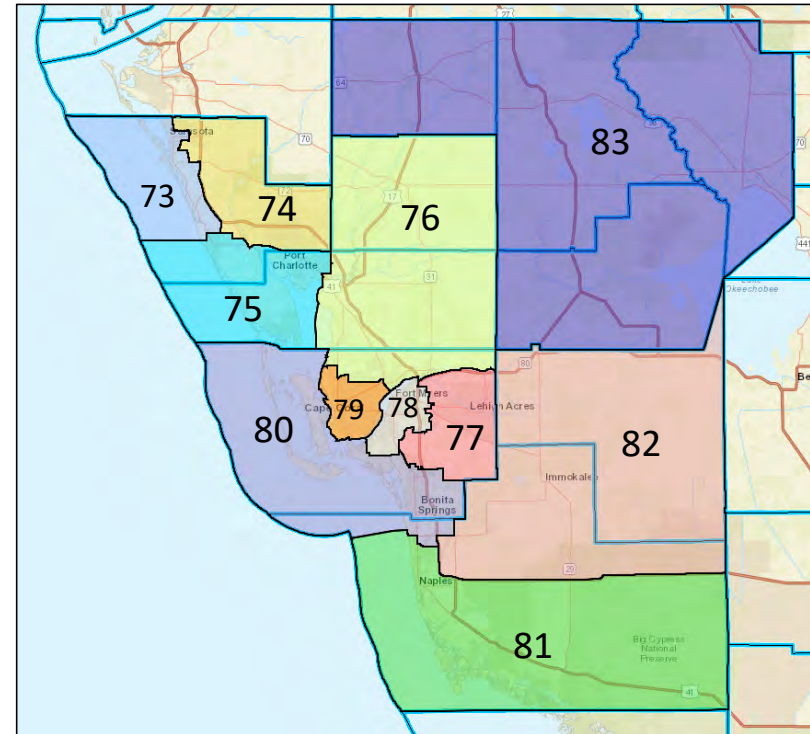


# Districts 73-83

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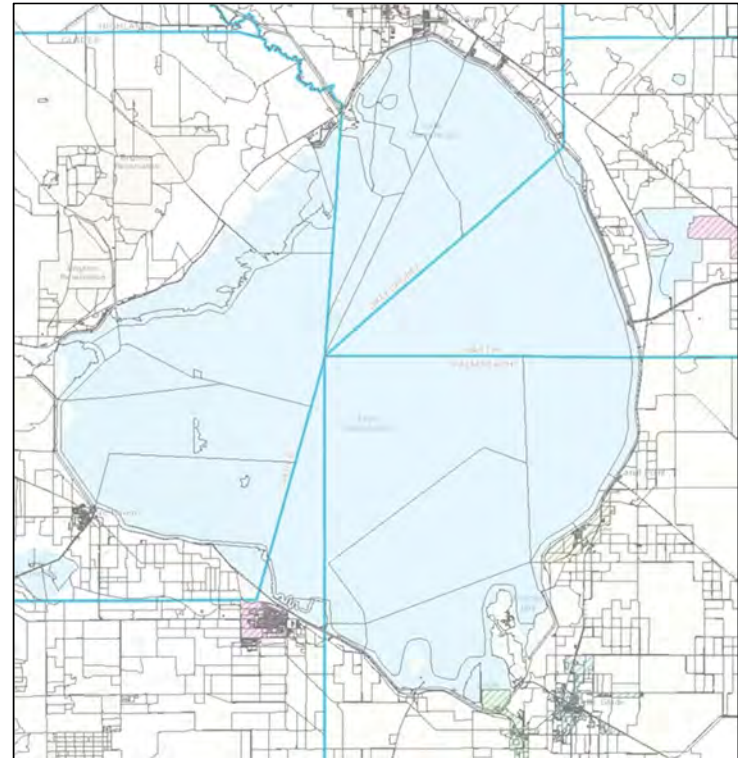
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# Lake Okeechobee

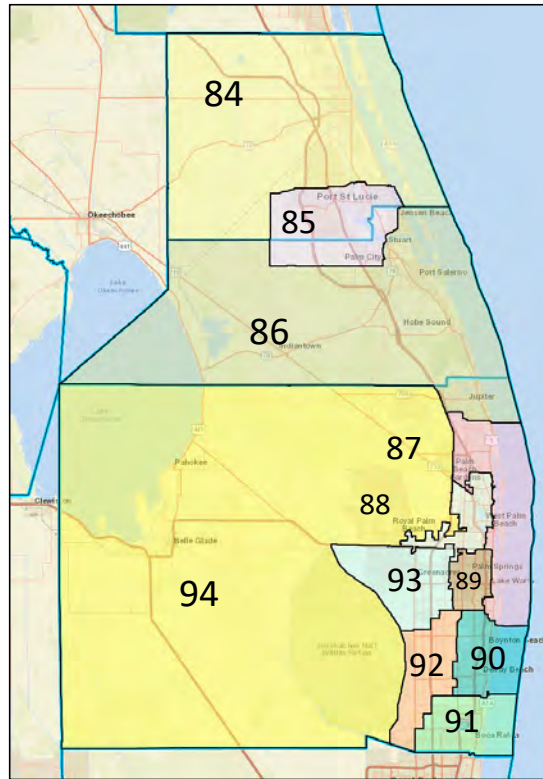
Lake Okeechobee is another significant geographical feature of our state that must be addressed when drawing.

Geographically, the lake is made of a multitude of oddly shaped water blocks.

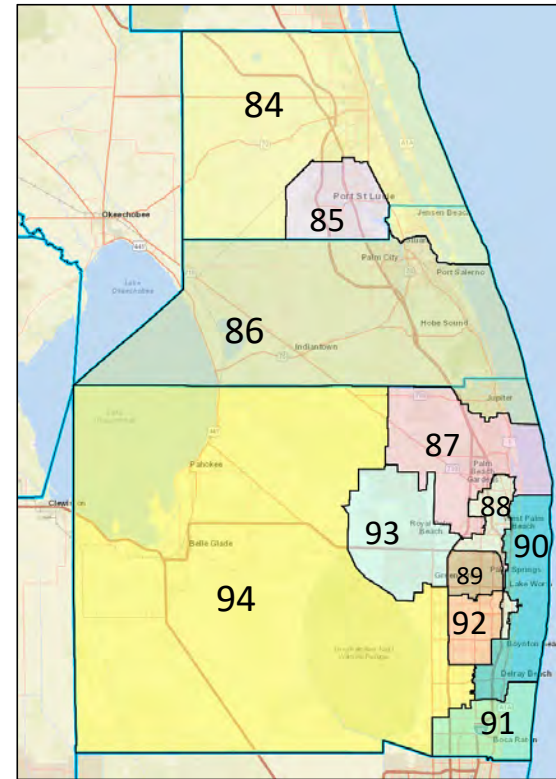


# Districts 84-94

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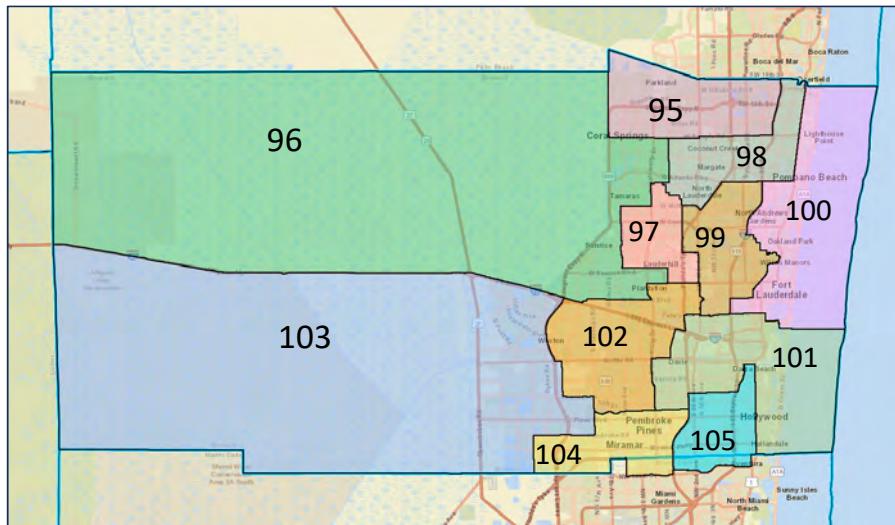
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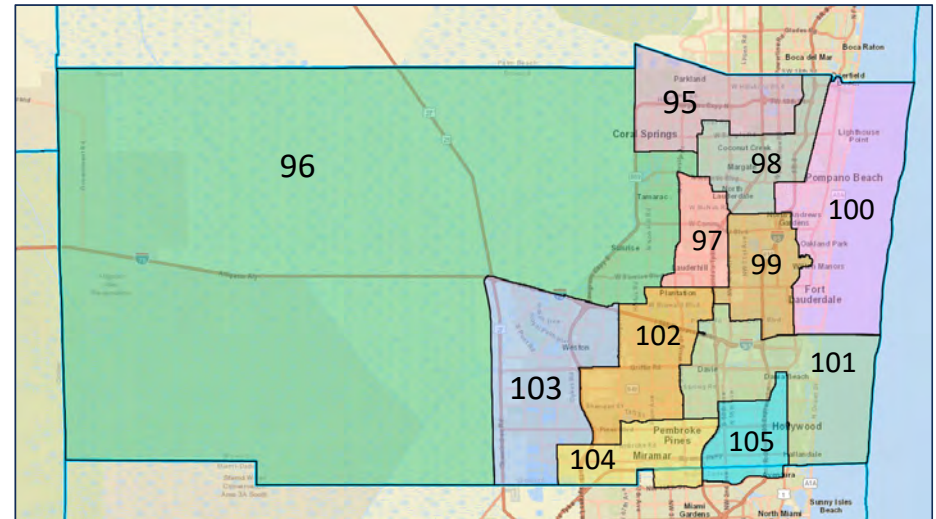


# Districts 95-105

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Workshop B

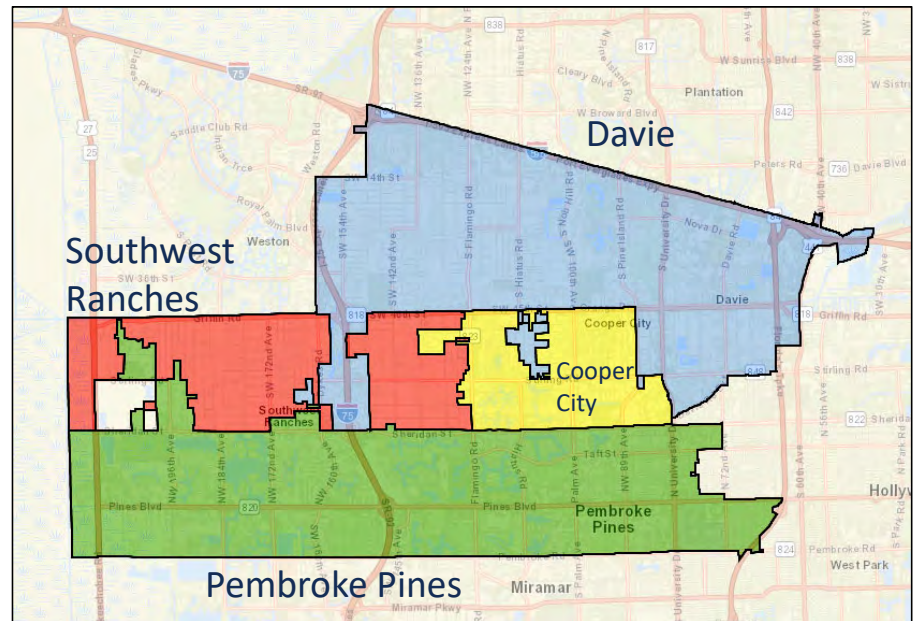




# Incorporated Municipalities

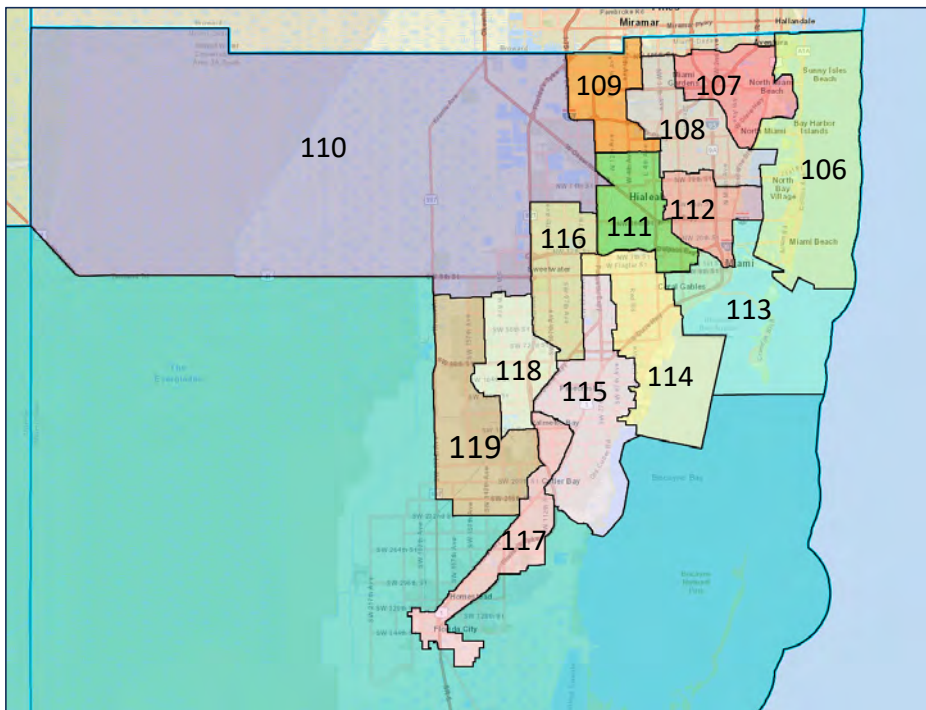
Incorporated municipalities are a good option when considering using political boundaries.

However, not all city lines are contiguous, some have “holes” and others are even interlocked with each other.

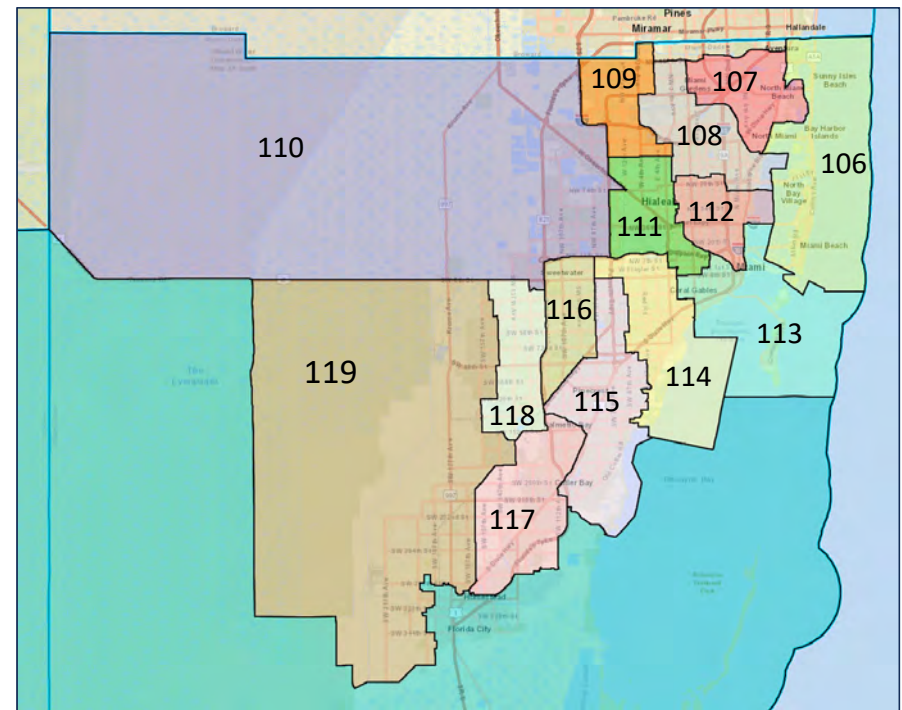


# Districts 106-119

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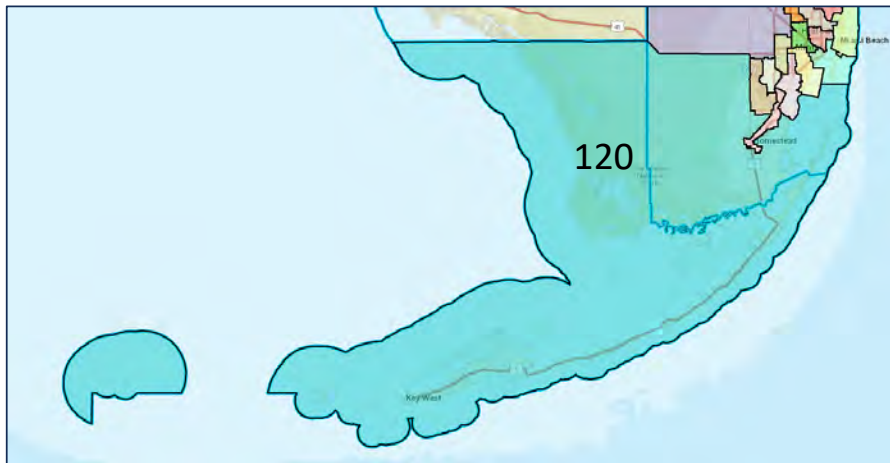


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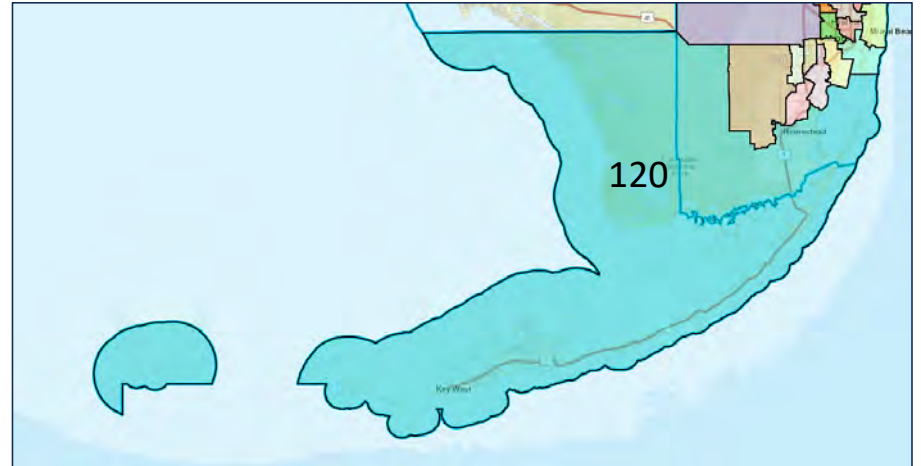


# District 120

Workshop A



Workshop B





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