THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

No. 2022-_____

The City of Dover,
Debra Hackett

v.

David Scanlan,
In His Capacity as Secretary of State for New Hampshire

APPENDIX TO PETITION FOR ORIGINAL JURISDICTION PURSUANT TO SUPREME COURT RULE 11

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AFFIDAVIT OF DAVID ANDREWS

I, David Andrews, hereby testify and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. I make this affidavit based on my personal knowledge in support of the Petition for Original Jurisdiction being filed by the City of Dover and Debra Hackett in the above-captioned matter, as well as any subsequent briefing or proceedings that may occur in the above-captioned matter.
2. I am a volunteer and a representative of Map-a-Thon, which is a group of individuals who have come together and volunteered their time and expertise to create proposed non-partisan redistricting maps in New Hampshire.
3. While many individuals with individual areas of expertise volunteered with Map-a-Thon, I am the lead mapper for the Map-a-Thon project. A true and accurate copy of my curriculum vitae is attached hereto as Exhibit A. As set forth in Exhibit A, I hold a B.S. in electrical engineering and a business administration minor. My coursework in college including successfully completing courses in statistics and numerous other mathematics classes. I have significant experience with Mapping Software and currently perform data analysis and legislative mapping services for Map-a-Thon. I am also a Data Analyst with the Redistricting Data Hub, a national nonprofit non-partisan

organization working to coordinate and accelerate redistricting data collection efforts as well as ensure the necessary data is widely available.

4. A true and accurate summary of the Map-a-Thon methodology for creating proposed maps for the New Hampshire House of Representatives ("New Hampshire House"), based on 2020 federal census data, is attached hereto as Exhibit B. In terms of substantive criteria, Map-a-Thon used the same substantive methodology as the New Hampshire House and Senate in relation to House Bill 50, though Map-a-Thon used different mapping software. Map-a-Thon used certain software detailed in Exhibit B. A Map-a-Thon technical member named Phil Hatcher, a retired computer science professor whose curriculum vitae is attached hereto as Exhibit C, developed an additional software program Map-a-Thon used to generate New Hampshire House districts by county, taking account of the substantive criteria. Map-a-Thon's software and supporting data was open for public inspection and review, unlike the software used by the New Hampshire legislature, which was not made publicly accessible in the same manner.
5. On November 2, 2021, Map-a-Thon submitted proposed New Hampshire House redistricting maps to the New Hampshire House based on the methodology in Exhibit B. A true and accurate copy of that submission (including explanatory analyses) is attached as Exhibit D.
6. On November 9, 2021, Map-a-Thon submitted revised, proposed New Hampshire House redistricting maps to the New Hampshire House based on the methodology in Exhibit B. A true and accurate copy of that submission (including explanatory analyses) is attached as Exhibit E.
7. On February 1, 2022, Map-a-Thon submitted proposed New Hampshire House redistricting maps to the New Hampshire Senate based on the methodology in Exhibit B. A true and accurate copy of that submission (including explanatory analyses) is attached as Exhibit F.

8. Recently, Map-a-Thon used the same methodology in Exhibit B and updated Map-a-Thon's proposed maps to take account of late local redistricting that occurred later than normal in certain municipalities. I understand certain municipalities needed additional time to review and, to the extent necessary, update their internal wards to ensure proportionality of populations in light of the 2020 census data. A true and accurate copy of Map-a-Thon's updated proposed New Hampshire House maps and accompanying analyses is attached as Exhibit G.
9. As part of updating the Map-a-Thon maps, and as shown in Exhibit G, I also reviewed the population deviation and other data from the map enacted by the State of New Hampshire, originally House Bill 50 but which is now Laws 2022, 9:1. I had to review and determine population deviation myself, because House Bill 50 evolved during the legislative process but neither the House Special Committee on Redistricting (who makes its materials available at this website[1]) nor the Senate Special Committee on Redistricting (who makes its materials available at this website[2]) published final population deviation statistics for Laws 2022, 9:1. My review and analysis of the data as well as the enacted map, taking account of final redistricting in municipalities like Dover who redistricted late, shows the population deviation of Laws 2022, 9:1 is 10.13%, as set forth in Exhibit G along with further county-by-county explanation. A true and accurate summary of the enacted maps (Laws 2022, 9:1) and related data is also attached as Exhibit H.

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[1] http://gencourt.state.nh.us/house/committees/committee_websites/Redistricting_2021/default.aspx

[2] http://gencourt.state.nh.us/Senate/committees/Redistricting/

I swear and declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

David Andrews

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

COUNTY OF Strafford

On May 3, 2022, the above named David Andrews personally appeared before me and declared, and made oath, that the foregoing statements are true and accurate.

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NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JUNE 16, 2026

Patricia A. Moniello

Justice of the Peace/Notary Public

My commission expires: 6/16/2026

EXHIBIT A

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EDUCATION

JUNE 2011
B.S. ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
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JUNE 2011
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION MINOR, UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SKILLS

- Microsoft Office(Excel, Word, PowerPoint)
- Python
- Mapping Software(DRA, QGIS, District Builder)
- Python Libraries(PyQt5, Pandas, Matplotlib, Numpy, Geopandas)
- Labview

EXPERIENCE

05/2021 – CURRENT
DATA ANALYST, REDISTRICTING DATA HUB
- Conducted data validation of election results and shapefiles.
- Conducted data analysis of various data sets related to redistricting.

06/2021 – CURRENT
MAP-A-THON, TECHNICAL TEAM LEAD
- Lead team of technical experts in drawing and analyzing maps for NH
- Lead community educational sessions
- Testified and submitted testimony on NH maps

08/2011 – 09/2019
TEST ENGINEER TEAM LEAD, AIRMAR TECHNOLOGY
- Lead a test engineering team of 4 engineers and 5 technicians.
- Lead team meetings and assigned and assisted with tasks and projects.
- Wrote and developed new testing programs in LabVIEW.
- Developed and performed data analysis for product testing.
- Provided testing support to a manufacturing floor.

EXHIBIT B

Map-a-Thon NH House Redistricting Methodology

The Map-a-Thon project was put together to create and submit fair maps to the NH Legislature as part of the 2020 census redistricting cycle. The Map-a-Thon is supported by a coalition of NH groups who work for fair voting maps, including Granite State Progress, the League of Women Voters of NH, Open Democracy, Open Democracy Teams, and the Kent Street Coalition.

Map-a-Thon's process of creating NH House maps started with collecting and determining criteria that should be used in creating these maps. First, we ensured that our criteria would lead to maps that complied with state and national constitutional law, current statutes, as well as prevailing court precedents. These legal criteria are listed in the following table:

NH House Criteria			
1	Population(<10%)		N.H. Constitution Rule
2	Preservation of towns/wards		By State Statute
3	Contiguity		
4	Preservation of Counties		
5	Each town in one non-floterial district		
6	Dedicated districts for eligible towns		
7	Preservation of COI's		

Due to the use of floterial and multi-member districts in the NH House, population deviation for the NH House cannot be calculated in the same way as it is for single-seat representative districts such as the United States Congress. We explored multiple methodologies for calculating population deviation in our proposed districts but eventually settled on using the relative deviation for single-member districts, the relative deviation using the "aggregate method" for multimember districts, and the "component method" for floterial districts. These methods were outlined in the NH Supreme Court case "Burling v. Chandler, 148 N.H. 143 (2002)" as acceptable ways to calculate deviations including those for floterial districts. These are the same methods used by the NH legislature in the currently enacted maps. Further explanation of the component method can be found in Appendix A.

The 6th criteria was a major focus of our mapping of the NH House. The other criteria are very straightforward once you have a way to calculate deviations of floterial districts. Once you establish that, the first five criteria are either met or they are not. The 6th criteria is where the maps proposed by Map-a-Thon and the enacted maps diverge. In accordance with NH Constitution part 2 article 11 "When the population of any town or ward, according to the last federal census, is within a reasonable deviation from the ideal population for one or more representative seats, the town or ward shall have its own district of one or more representative seats", we also worked to produce maps that yielded dedicated districts where population allowed. When a town/ward qualified for, but did not receive, its own district, we categorized it as a 'violation' in our analysis, and we worked to produce NH House district maps that reduced the number of these violations.

Our NH House maps were originally created manually in the free online mapping tool Dave' s Redistricting App (DRA) using a 'homemade' tool to perform the component method calculations needed to determine the deviations of towns/wards in floterial districts. We created maps for all 10 counties, but we were unhappy with the number of violations of our 6th criterion and set out to optimize the maps accordingly.

One of our Map-a-Thon technical team members developed a program to automatically generate NH House district maps by county. This program took inputs of: number of representatives assigned to the county, town/ward populations, and towns/wards with adjacent towns/wards, along with two parameters used to limit the size of districts, to generate a list of possible maps. These maps considered all 6 of the divided criteria. We then filtered the list of possible maps to find those that had the fewest violations for each county. Further explanation of the program can be found in Appendix B.

Once lists of possible maps for each county with the lowest violations were established, we then took another pass through the maps to find those which preserved the largest number of "Communities of Interest" (COIs) and yielded the largest number of small districts (theoretically better representation) to ultimately choose the best possible map for each county. We then submitted our set of optimal county maps to the NH House Special Committee on Redistricting on 2 November 2021.

We analyzed maps proposed by the minority and majority parties in the NH House Special Committee on Redistricting as they became available to determine if any better satisfied the defined criteria. We found that several of the maps had fewer violations than our own maps, as well as contained some unique district combinations that would contribute to fewer violations if used in our maps. Through this collective, holistic analysis we identified our preferred map for each county. Also, after seeing the majority propose a map for Sullivan County that had deviations outside of the +/-5% allowable range we were using we also submitted maps for Carroll, Strafford, and Sullivan county that all used deviations going from 5% to -10%. After the majority chose to not go forward with their map, we followed suit sticking to maps that stayed within the +/- 5% range. This analysis was submitted to the NH House Special Committee on Redistricting on 9 November 2021.

After maps passed the NH House Special Committee on Redistricting and the full NH House, they went to the NH Senate Election Law Committee. We submitted our preferred maps to that committee on 1 February 2022. Our currently proposed maps differ slightly from this submission as they account for ward changes from cities across NH that were not finalized at the time of our February submission.

Populations used in our calculations are based exclusively on the 2020 decennial census data and updated ward populations were gathered from the necessary cities in NH. In our deviation calculations we used the ideal district size of (Total NH Population/# of Reps) or (1,377,529/400). Sources for populations can be found in Appendix C.

In our final analysis we determined that the enacted maps had 55 violations vs. 41 violations in our proposed maps. The total map deviation for the enacted maps is 10.13% vs 9.94% in our proposed maps. In our proposed maps the towns/wards of Barrington, Bow, Canaan, Chesterfield, Dover Ward 4, Hanover, Hinsdale, Hooksett, Milton, New Ipswich, Newton, Lee, Plaistow, Rochester Ward 5, and Wilton would gain their own districts. The town of Durham would lose its own district in our proposed maps.

APPENDIX

Appendix A.

Component Method

The Component Method calculates a deviation value for each town under consideration separately, and then the aggregate deviation is found by taking the difference of the max and min among the towns. This is the method that was used in the 2010 and 2020 NH House redistricting process. This was also the method that was used in the Map-a-Thon's proposed maps.

Variables

P_A = Population of district A

P_T = Population total $(P_A + P_B + P_C \ldots)$

S_A = Seats assigned to district A

S_F = Seats assigned to float district

IP_S = Ideal population per seat

AS_A = Adjusted seats of district A area

D_A = Deviation of district A area

Equations

$$AS_A = S_A + \left(\frac{P_A}{P_T} \times S_F\right)$$

$$D_A = \frac{\frac{P_A}{IP_S} - AS_A}{AS_A} \times 100$$

Appendix B.

Automatically Generating NH House Maps

Phil Hatcher

October 2021

Lightly edited in April 2022 for release outside of the Map-A-Thon tech team

Background

Drawing electoral maps for the NH House is challenging due to the large number of representatives and the need to construct districts with roughly the same population per representative. To find a district map with acceptable population deviations requires sifting through the very large number of possible ways to combine towns and city wards into districts. This document describes the algorithm I developed and implemented to automatically perform the mapping process.

Input

NH House district maps are developed on a per-county basis, since NH House districts cannot cross county lines. One run of the program implementing the algorithm will construct a map for one particular county. The only input to the program is a tab-separated-value file. The first line in this file contains the number of representatives that are allocated to the county. The rest of the file contains a line for each town and city ward in the county, giving its name, its population and a list of the towns and wards that it is adjacent to. In this document I will refer to towns and city wards as *precincts,* with districts being built from adjacent precincts.

The program also has a few parameters that are embedded in the text of the program:

- Two parameters are used to limit the size of the districts. They are called *N* and *M* and are described in detail below.
- A parameter specifies the ideal population for one representative. This is calculated by dividing the total population of the state by 400, the total number of representatives.
- A parameter specifies the maximum allowable population deviation.

Overview

As well as ensuring that districts are built from adjacent precincts and have acceptable population deviations, the algorithm minimizes the number of precincts that are eligible for dedicated representatives but do not get them. In addition, all precincts are placed into a non-floterial district, which may or may not be incorporated into an encompassing floterial district. And, of course, the algorithm does not subdivide precincts in the mapping process. Districts are always built from precincts, and never from pieces of precincts.

Those requirements (population deviation, dedicated representation, non-floterial district membership) are explicitly dictated by the NH constitution. The algorithm also attempts to build small districts. The size of districts is not discussed in the constitution, but small districts are widely seen as providing better representation to the residents of the districts. Also, focusing

only on small districts makes the exploration of the large space of possible districts more computationally feasible.

The algorithm performs two phases. First, a set of possible districts are constructed. Second, subsets of the possible districts are identified such that the districts of a subset do not have any common precincts (i.e. each district is distinct), the districts in a subset together include all the precincts in the county, and the number of violations, where eligible towns do not receive dedicated representatives, is minimized.

Phase 1: Identifying Possible Districts

Possible districts are constructed by first building sets of precincts. Each set is initialized to contain a *root* precinct. Then precincts are added to the set if they are adjacent to the root or to another precinct already in the set. However, a precinct can only be added if it can be reached from the root precinct by crossing no more than *N* precinct boundaries, where *N* is a parameter to the algorithm.

Once the set of precincts for a given root is complete, then all subsets of that set of size *M* or less and that contain the root precinct are evaluated to see if they might be a potential district. *M* is another parameter to the algorithm. A subset is accepted as a potential district if, first, the precincts in the subset are all connected (meaning any precinct can reach any other precinct by only traversing other precincts in the subset), and if, second, the sum of the populations of the precincts in the subset is within a small deviation of an even multiple of the ideal population for one representative. (The ideal population for one representative is computed by taking the total population of the state and dividing by the total number of representatives.) The first test ensures that the precincts in the subset are contiguous. The second test ensures that the subset could become a multi-precinct district (or a single-precinct district if the subset contains only one precinct), even if it will not work as a floterial district encompassing a set of “inner” districts. If both tests pass then the subset is added to a set of potential districts to be considered in the second phase of the algorithm.

Note that the two parameters *N* and *M* are used to limit the size of the potential districts and to try to make them geographically compact.

The ideal population for one representative is also a parameter to the program.

All precincts in the county are considered in turn as the root of a subset of precincts that is used to generate potential districts. Often a potential district can be generated from more than one root precinct, but these duplicates are weeded out as potential districts are gathered together into one set.

As a potential district is added to the set of potential districts, it is evaluated to see if it could be a floterial district. This requires that all possible groupings of the precincts be considered as inner districts. The component method is used to evaluate the population deviations for a particular grouping of the precincts into inner districts. If no grouping can be found that satisfies the component method, the potential district will simply be a multi-precinct district, as mentioned above.

In addition, when the potential district is added to the set of potential districts, its cost is computed. The cost is the total number of eligible precincts in the district that did not receive dedicated representatives. Remember that the goal of the algorithm is to minimize this cost.

Phase 2: Generating Minimum Cost DIstrict Maps

The set of potential districts is searched to find valid maps, which contain districts that will include all the precincts of the county exactly once. Maps are constructed one district at a time and the algorithm can have a large set of maps under construction at once. Each map under construction has a cost, which is the sum of the costs for the districts in the map.

The algorithm starts with an arbitrary precinct, and initiates a map for each district in the set of potential districts that includes the precinct. These partial maps are processed in turn by arbitrarily choosing a precinct not already in a district in the map and considering all the potential districts that include the chosen precinct and do not conflict with districts already in the map. (Two districts conflict if a precinct is included in both districts.) For each such district, a new map is created by adding the district to the map being worked on. When all such new maps have been constructed, they are added to the queue of partial maps to be processed, and the old map just processed is discarded.

If a complete map is found, one that includes all the precincts in the county, then it is not put into the queue for further processing, but is instead compared to any other complete maps that have been found. If it has a higher cost than the maps found earlier, it is simply discarded. If it has the same cost as the maps found earlier, then it is added to the list of the minimum cost complete maps. If it has a lower cost than the maps found earlier, then the old list of complete maps is discarded, and the new complete map becomes a list of length one of minimum cost complete maps. Of course, to be accepted, a completed map must assign the exact number of representatives allocated to the county.

Once a complete map is found, its cost can be used to bound the search. Any partial map that has a cost greater than the cost of a completed map can be discarded. This is because the cost of a map under construction only stays the same or grows larger as we add a district to a partial map.

Eventually the queue of partial maps to be processed will become empty. At that point the list of minimum cost complete maps is output.

Outputs

The program outputs the minimum cost complete maps in a text file, using a compact format to represent each map. Here is an example of the output of a map:

```
Map 3 (cost 2)

  [1 viol, 13228 pop, F]((Middleton,NewDurham,Strafford*):2,Milton:1):4

  [0 viol, 6722 pop, SP](Farmington):2

  [0 viol, 10830 pop, F](Rochester1:1,Rochester2:1):3

  [0 viol, 10830 pop, F](Rochester3:1,Rochester4:1):3

  [0 viol, 10832 pop, F](Rochester5:1,Rochester6:1):3

  [0 viol, 13846 pop, F](Barrington:2,Lee:1):4

  [0 viol, 14452 pop, MP](Somersworth1,Somersworth2,Somersworth3,Somersworth4,Somersworth5,Rollinsford):4

  [0 viol, 16370 pop, F](Dover1:1,Dover5:1,Dover6:1):5
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  [0 viol, 16371 pop, F](Dover2:1,Dover3:1,Dover4:1):5

  [1 viol, 17408 pop, MP](Madbury,Durham*):5

[overall deviation is 9.9% (-4.9%,4.9%)
```

The first line gives the map a number in the list of maps generated by this run of the program, which was for Strafford County. There were actually 266 maps generated by this run, all with only 2 violations of the requirement for dedicated representatives, and appearing one after the other in the text file. The cost figure given on this line is the total number of violations in the map.

The following lines describe districts:

- Each line begins with the violation count for this district, as well as its total population and a code for the type of the district (F for floterial, SP for single precinct, MP for multi-precinct, but not floterial).
- Then the towns in the district are provided. For a floterial they may be grouped within parentheses, indicating "inner" districts from which the floterial is built. Also towns in a floterial may be followed by a colon and a number indicating the number of dedicated representatives assigned to the town. If the inner district is a multi-precinct district, then its towns will not be assigned representatives, but the whole inner district will be assigned representatives.
- Finally, each line ends with a colon followed by a number, which is the total number of representatives in the district.
- For example, the second line above describes a floterial district with:
    - an inner multi-precinct district with Middleton, New Durham and Strafford, with two at-large representatives for the three towns;
    - Milton receives a dedicated representative;
    - and the whole district is assigned four representatives, meaning there is one rep assigned to all four towns (since two representatives were assigned to the three towns in the inner district and one was assigned to Milton, leaving one to serve all the towns).
    - By the way, the asterisk after Strafford indicates a violation. Strafford is eligible for a dedicated representative but did not receive one in this map. (Durham is the other violation, which you can see on the second to last line. It is joined with Madbury as a multi-precinct district.)

The last line gives the spread of the population deviations for the districts. In this case, the spread is from -4.9% to +4.9%, meaning the total deviation is less than 10%.

The program has two other output files. They are both comma-separated-value files. The first is a list of all the potential districts identified in Phase 1. The second is a list of the minimum cost complete maps found in Phase 2. Each map is described using internal district numbers, as shown in the other CSV file. These two files are primarily used by me for debugging purposes.

Notes

The population deviation for a district must be within ±*D*%, where D is a parameter to the algorithm. My runs have been done with *D = 5*. Would this preclude an acceptable deviation range of (-2%, +8%)?

The maximum number of precincts I support in a district (i.e. *M*) is only 7. The problem is that I do not have a good algorithm for generating all possible groupings of precincts for larger districts. Right now I explicitly delineate in the code the possible groups for each size district, rather than having a general algorithm that would more easily support bigger districts.

I ran all counties but one, Rockingham, using *N = 3* and *M = 7*. For Rockingham I used *N = 2* and *M = 5*, because otherwise the running time became prohibitive. I also removed 5 towns from the Rockingham input, and incorporated David's hand solution for those towns. This again was to try to control the running time of the program.

My approach to limiting the size of districts does not prohibit strangely shaped districts. For instance, with *N = 3* and *M = 7*, a district can be constructed as a long narrow band of precincts, with a root precinct in the middle and three precincts on either side. Also I have seen a district consisting of a loop of precincts that surround and isolate a precinct that is not in the district. More work would be required to force districts to have a reasonable shape.

I do not have a clear understanding of why Rockingham County took so much more computation than the others. It appears to be more than just the number of precincts in the county. This needs further study.

I have not explored, in general, varying *N* and *M*, and am not sure what effect they have, in general, on finding solutions or running time.

I was not sure how best to represent the many towns in Coos county with a population of zero. I ended up just combining them with neighboring towns, but this might have limited my results by distorting adjacency relationships. In fact, David Andrews found maps for Coos county with zero violations so I did not worry too much about Coos.

Appendix C.

New Hampshire Population – 1,377,529

https://www.nh.gov/osi/data-center/2020-census/index.htm#:~:text=The%20U.S.%20Census%20Bureau%20announced,4.6%25%20since%20the%202010%20census

Concord Ward Populations*

https://www.concordnh.gov/ArchiveCenter/ViewFile/Item/5720

*Ward 5 population listed is incorrect. It should be 4,338

Dover Ward Populations

Via email from Chris Parker, Dover deputy city manager 12/16/21

Keene Ward Populations

http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/senate/committees/Redistricting/billsandsubmissions/keene%20wards.pdf

Laconia Ward Populations

https://www.laconianh.gov/DocumentCenter/View/7627/2021-Redistricting-Map-PDF?bidId=

Lebanon Ward Populations

https://civicclerk.blob.core.windows.net/stream/LEBANONNH/ff53ae56-2f84-4098-9301-c58efd682822.pdf?sv=2015-12-11&sr=b&sig=gF4tP0hYSvJ59yVbTbaNZUxpJIz3HdutePk%2F9Nvrfzo%3D&st=2022-04-29T14%3A15%3A42Z&se=2023-04-29T14%3A20%3A42Z&sp=r&rscc=no-cache&rsct=application%2Fpdf

Portsmouth Ward Populations

http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/senate/committees/Redistricting/billsandsubmissions/Portsmouth%20Cover%20Letter.pdf

Rochester Ward Populations

Via email from Kelly Walters, Rochester city clerk 12/17/21

EXHIBIT C

PHILIP J. HATCHER

Education

1985	Ph.D.	Computer Science	Illinois Institute of Technology
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Experience

2019–	Professor Emeritus of Computer Science, University of New Hampshire
2018	Acting Chair of Computer Science, University of New Hampshire
2007–2011	Chair of Computer Science, University of New Hampshire
2003–2006	Chair of Computer Science, University of New Hampshire
1997–1999	Chair of Computer Science, University of New Hampshire
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1992–1997	Associate Professor of Computer Science, University of New Hampshire
1993	Parallel Programming Tools Consultant, Kendall Square Research Corporation
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1986–1992	Assistant Professor of Computer Science, University of New Hampshire
1981–1986	Instructor and Laboratory Manager, Illinois Institute of Technology

Honors

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1996–1998	Waite Professorship, University of New Hampshire
1992	Outstanding Faculty Award, University of New Hampshire
1978	Phi Beta Kappa, Purdue University

Professional Service

2012	Program Committee, 27th IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium
2004	Program Committee, Systems Software, International Conf. on High Performance Computing
2001	Program Committee, workshop on Java in High Performance Computing, HPCN 2001
2000	Guest Editor, *Parallel Computing*, issue on Parallel Computing for Irregular Applications
1998	Vice Chair, Workshop on Parallel Languages, Euro-Par '98
1997	Program Committee, Fifth Annual Workshop on I/O in Parallel and Distributed Systems
1993	Program Committee, Second Annual Symposium on Issues and Obstacles in the Practical Implementation of Parallel Algorithms and the Use of Parallel Machines
1992–1996	Associate Editor, IEEE Parallel and Distributed Technology
1992	Program Committee, First Annual Symposium on Issues and Obstacles in the Practical Implementation of Parallel Algorithms and the Use of Parallel Machines

Grants and Contracts

"XANSation Evaluation," $14,000, Lamprey Networks, Inc., grant funded May 2006 (with S. Valcourt).

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Sanjay Batra, M.S., August 1995
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Anthony J. Lapadula, M.S., December 1991
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Robert R. Jones, M.S., December 1991
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John L. Donovan, M.S., December 1990
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Supercomputing '95, Tutorial on Data-Parallel C Extensions, December 1995

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Introduction to Scientific Programming

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EXHIBIT D

Map-a-Thon

Granite Staters Drawing Fair Voting Maps

Part II

NH House Maps

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Proposed 2020 Voting District Maps for NH House

This NH House maps report is Part II of the Map-a-Thon Project's proposed 2020 voting district maps. This project is supported by Open Democracy Action, the Kent Street Coalition, Granite State Progress and the League of Women Voters New Hampshire. To date, over 250 people have participated in the process, ranging from research and data collection to mapping and analysis.

Our Mapping Process is Fair & Transparent The Map-a-Thon's project is a transparent process, including the software, criteria, data sources, maps, and analysis tools. Interested citizens and legislators can replicate our maps to verify our conclusions. We welcome your efforts to try to make even better maps! Please follow the links in the report to see the maps in our software.

Map-a-Thon maps also use "communities of interest" data when possible to determine what towns should – and should not – be in a district together. These, and other techniques, should be a model for the tools a future independent redistricting commission would use to determine voting districts, replacing the current partisan model. It should be noted that use of communities of interest is limited for House maps because of the hierarchy of constitutional and court rules.

We are disappointed that these constraints make NH representation often less local, personal, and reflective of individual communities. Our 2020 maps do help more Granite Staters get the representation they deserve, but we have a long way to go before our voting districts are truly representational.

Send your comments & corrections to FairVoting@OpenDemocracyNH.org.

Due to many links, this document best viewed as a PDF: OpenDemocracyNH.com/redistricting/mapathonreport2a.pdf

Why NH House Redistricting is Difficult – and Disappointing

Mapping NH House of Representatives districts is constrained by these factors:

- The US and NH Constitutions
- US & NH Supreme Court decisions
- NH statutes
- The high number of state representatives- 400- one of the largest democratic bodies in the world.
- The size and location of our towns
- Traditions which influence deviation from the ideal population, and crossing county boundaries.

These factors often force us to put smaller towns with towns large enough to have their own dedicated voting districts, and sometimes results in larger, multi-town districts.

We hope to make policy recommendations for a better process in 2030.

NH House Map Criteria

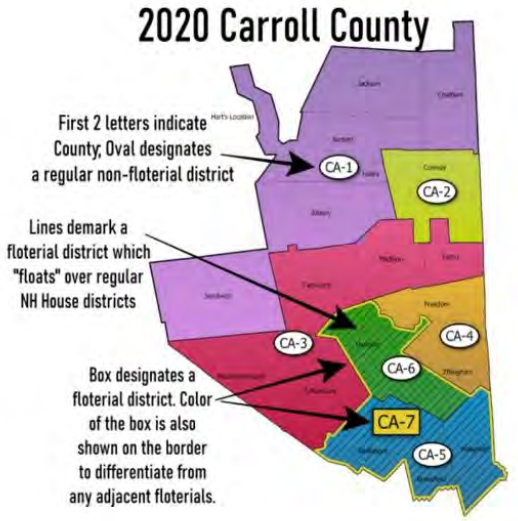
Constraints from the US Constitution, NH Constitution, NH statutes, and court decisions give map makers few options. While it's true that the math drives most of the decisions, we in the Map-a-Thon have worked to find more options within the criteria.

However, where we used Communities of Interest widely in our NH Senate, Executive Council and Congressional districts, we are unable to preserve communities of interest while achieving 1 – 6 on the list. The good news is that we dropped the number of 62 eligible towns which didn't get their own, dedicated NH House districts to 45. But the constraints, in particular the calculation of floterial districts and limits of the 5% deviation above or below the ideal population of 3,444, make dropping that number further much more difficult. The Map-a-Thon team will be studying ways to make improvements and making a recommendation to the legislature for coming redistricting cycles.

	NH House Criteria
1	Population(<9.7%)
2	Preservation of towns/wards
3	Contiguity
4	Preservation of Counties
5	Each town in one non-floterial district
6	Dedicated districts for eligible towns
7	Preservation of COI's
	Possible Criteria
	Preservation of COI's
	Compactness
	Preservation of cores of prior districts
	Avoiding pairing incumbents
	Competitiveness
Key	U.S. Constitution Rule
Key	N.H. Constitution Rule
Key	By State Statute

Important Guidance for Reading Our Maps

There are two types of NH House districts, regular non-floterial districts, and floterial districts which "float" above the regular districts. (Read more at "About NH's Floterial Districts.")



2020 Summary of State House Districts

Map-a-Thon

for Map-a-Thon Project Maps

This summary by county shows the number of state representatives allocated to each county. The "#Violations" refers to a town or city ward which has a population of greater than 3,444, and which is eligible for its own dedicated NH House district as noted in Part II Article 11 in of the NH Constitution, does not receive its exclusive district. In 2011, the number of towns and wards which did not receive a dedicated district was 62 out of 152 eligible. The Map-a-Thon Project has dropped that number from 62 to 45 in its 2020 NH House maps.

County	2020 Pop.	2020 Reps	# Violations
Belknap County	63,705	18	5
Carroll County	50,107	15	3
Cheshire County	76,458	22	4
Coos County	31,268	9	0
Grafton County	91,118	26	3
Hillsborough	422,937	123	6
Merrimack County	153,808	45	6
Rockingham	314,176	91	12
Strafford County	130,889	38	3
Sullivan County	43,063	13	3
Total	1,377,529	400	45

Analysis of Map-a-Thon's House District Competitiveness

Map-a-Thon

The larger Map-a-Thon group decided in May & June of 2021, long before the maps were drawn, that it would not draw maps on the basis of partisan data. We have, however, included an analysis of the Map-a-Thon project's NH House Districts in the interest of transparency, completed after the mapping was complete. Now that it is built, the competitive district analysis can also quickly be applied to non Map-a-Thon maps, such as those being proposed by the NH House Special Committee on Redistricting. To measure competitiveness, we averaged the 2020 NH Executive Council and NH Senate election data to assess our NH House districts.

County NH House Map	Dem	Rep	Competitive	Total	Competitive	Dem	Rep
Belknap non-floterial	0	7	0	7	0.00%	39.60%	60.40%
Belknap floterial	0	1	0	1	0.00%	39.80%	60.20%
Carroll non-floterial	0	4	2	6	33.30%	41.10%	58.90%
Carroll floterial	0	1	0	1	0.00%	35.10%	64.90%
Cheshire non-floterial	7	1	4	12	33.30%	56.20%	43.80%
Cheshire floterial	2	1	2	5	40.00%	56.20%	43.80%
Coos non-floterial	0	4	2	6	33.30%	41.50%	58.50%
Coos floterial	0	0	1	1	100.00%	48.30%	51.70%
Grafton non-floterial	7	3	5	15	33.30%	57.70%	42.30%
Grafton floterial	2	0	2	4	50.00%	61.70%	38.30%
Hillsborough non-floterial	13	6	18	37	48.60%	49.70%	50.30%
Hillsborough floterial	0	3	5	8	62.50%	48.70%	51.30%
Merrimack non-floterial	12	7	3	22	13.60%	50.40%	49.60%
Merrimack floterial	2	2	2	6	33.30%	49.90%	50.10%
Rockingham non-floterial	9	17	4	30	13.30%	46.50%	53.50%
Rockingham floterial	4	7	2	13	15.40%	46.70%	53.30%
Strafford non-floterial	9	4	6	19	31.60%	54.60%	45.40%
Strafford floterial	1	1	4	6	66.70%	52.70%	47.30%
Sullivan non-floterial	1	1	1	3	33.30%	47.20%	52.80%
Total	**69**	**70**	**63**	**202**		**49.30%**	**50.70%**

About New Hampshire's Floterial Districts

New Hampshire's unusual floterial districts – districts which "float" above other districts, are used to apportion remaining population, after the population in multiples of the ideal population (3,444 in 2020 = 1 state rep seat) are assigned. Its use was intended to help for proper representation, but some legal observers suggest that a floterial may be federally unconstitutional. Some floterials may have tens of thousands represented by one or two reps, possibly violating the one person-one vote rule. Bad actors could also employ floterials for gerrymandering. Here's a definition from a 2019 Boston University Law Review article:

Although most district maps are drawn using single-member, multi-member, or at-large districts, a map may also include floterial districts, an infrequently used redistricting device. A floterial is a legislative district "which includes within its boundaries several separate districts or political subdivisions which independently would not be entitled to additional representation but whose conglomerate population entitles the entire area to another seat in the particular legislative body being apportioned. Unlike the more commonly used district types, the Supreme Court has yet to directly rule on the constitutionality of floterials. New Hampshire is the only state that currently uses floterial districts, although several other states have used this redistricting device in the past. "GOBBLEDYGOOK" OR UNCONSTITUTIONAL REDISTRICTING?: FLOTERIAL DISTRICTS AND PARTISAN GERRYMANDERING" by Mikayla Foster, 2019. https://www.bu.edu/bulawreview/files/2019/01/FOSTER-2.pdf

We are now aware that Wyoming, which has a similar rural, low density population, also uses floterials.

Floterials are in our Constitution In 2006, a NH Constitutional Amendment amendment, which NH voters adopted, amended Part 2, Article 11 to say:

[Art.] 11. [Small Towns; Representation by Districts.] When the population of any town or ward, according to the last federal census, is within a reasonable deviation from the ideal population for one or more representative seats, the town or ward shall have its own district of one or more representative seats. The apportionment shall not deny any other town or ward membership in one non-floterial representative district. When any town, ward, or unincorporated place has fewer than the number of inhabitants necessary to entitle it to one representative, the legislature shall form those towns, wards, or unincorporated places into representative districts which contain a sufficient number of inhabitants to entitle each district so formed to one or more representatives for the entire district. In forming the districts, the boundaries of towns, wards, and unincorporated places shall be preserved and contiguous. **The excess number of inhabitants of district may be added to the excess number of inhabitants of other districts to form at-large or floterial districts conforming to acceptable deviations.** The legislature shall form the representative districts at the regular session following every decennial federal census. https://www.nh.gov/glance/house.htm

The Calculation of Floterials Makes Mapping Non-Floterials Districts Complicated A 2002 NH Supreme Court decision, citing the U.S, Constitution's "one person-one vote" provision and threw out the previous "aggregate" method of calculating how the floterial districts are calculated, and recommended a "component" method equation to properly apportion representation. The Map-a-Thon team developed an "Alternative Component Method," but flaws in the math prevented us from moving forward with this approach.

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Map-a-Thon

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Over 200 Granite Staters participated in the full Map-a-Thon project, helping collect data, making phone calls and assisting in the preparation of surveys, ranking criteria and finally deciding which map options should go forward. We are grateful for everyone's contribution to a fair, nonpartisan and transparent project.

Belknap County

Map-a-Thon

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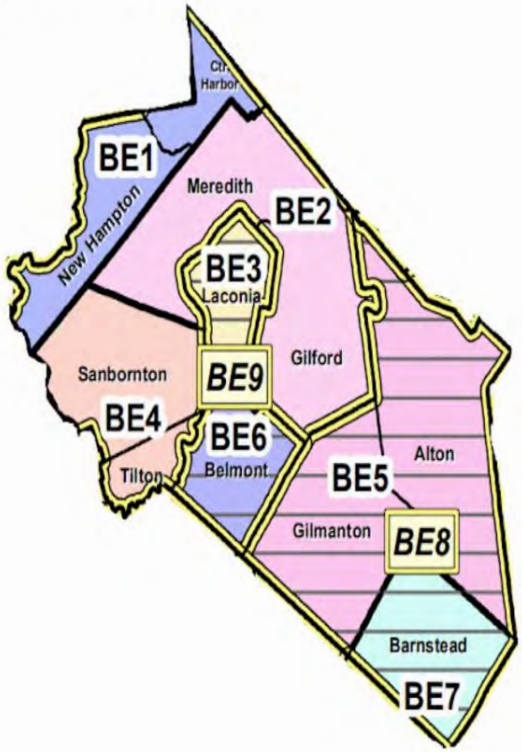	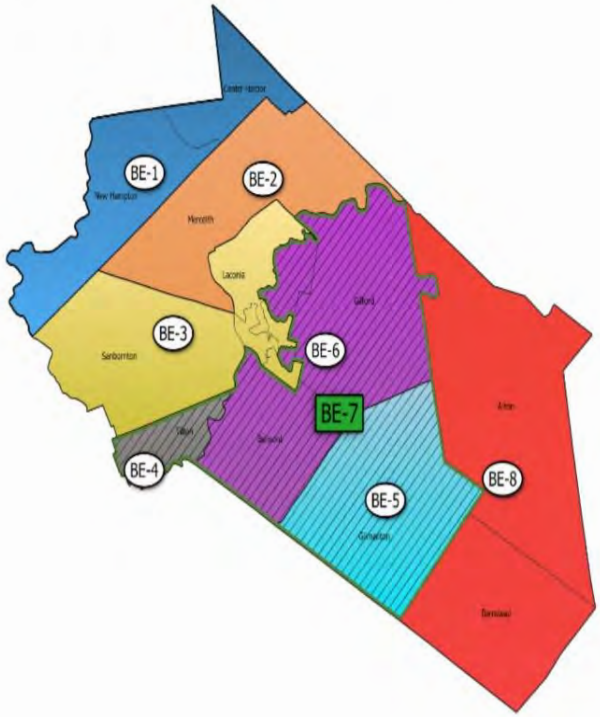
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Belknap County Details & Analysis

Belknap County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
BE-1	3,417	1			Center Harbor, New Hampton	-0.78%	
BE-2	6,662	2			Meredith	-3.28%	
BE-3	14,273	4			Sanbornton, Laconia Ward 1*, Laconia Ward 2*, Laconia Ward 3*, Laconia Ward 4*	3.61%	Laconia
BE-4	3,962	1	BE-7	1	Tilton	1.02%	
BE-5	3,945	1			Gilmanton	0.64%	
BE-6	20,637	5			Laconia Ward 5*, Laconia Ward 6*, Belmont, Gilford	4.71%	Belmont, Gilford
BE-8	10,809	3			Alton, Barnstead	4.62%	Alton, Barnstead
Total	63,705	18					5
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

The small size of Belknap County, the dispersion of towns eligible for their own House districts, and the number of reps to be allocated make the county difficult to map and honor the NH Constitution. The ideal number of reps is 18.498, .002 from having to round to 19, the worst possible scenario. Belknap County also gained population, resulting in a smaller than average window of deviation. Because 8 of 11 towns have a population of greater than 3,444, smaller towns which need to be in districts with other towns often need to be attached to larger towns robbing them of their dedicated House district. Without Constitutional and policy changes, Belknap willl continue to be deprived of proper representation.

- 3 towns received their own districts - same as in 2010
- Smaller, compact non-floterial districts - not more than 2.5 towns (one ward in Laconia)
- Only one floterial for the county
- Meredith, Gilmanton, Tilton would have their own House districts, but disappointingly, five others would not
- Laconia was not kept intact
- The county's deviations were within +/- 5%, from -3.28 to 4.71%. Total 7.99%

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	16	0	16	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	16	0	16	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	3	4	7	42.9%
HS SAUs preserved	3	4	7	42.9%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	0	7	7	0.0%
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NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	6	0	6	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	4	0	4	100.0%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	0	1	1	0.0%
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Carroll County

Map-a-Thon

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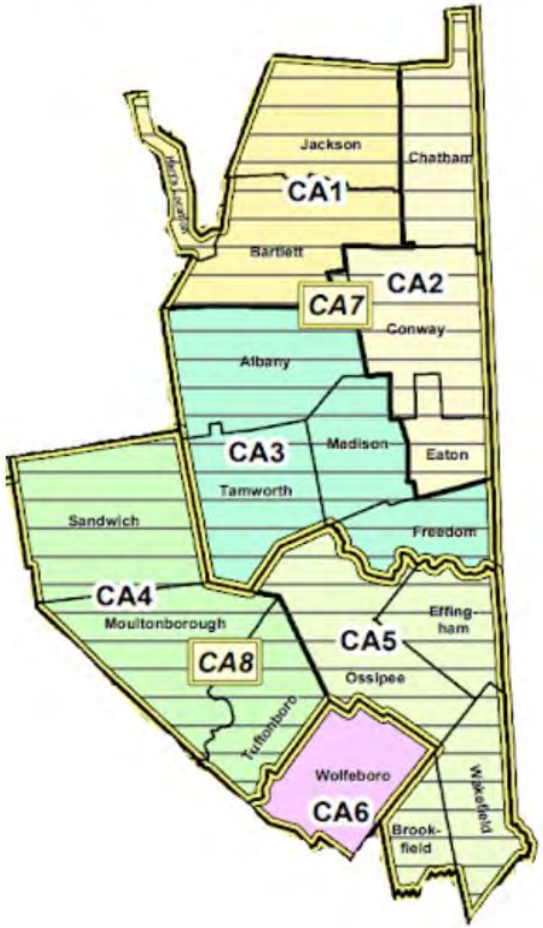	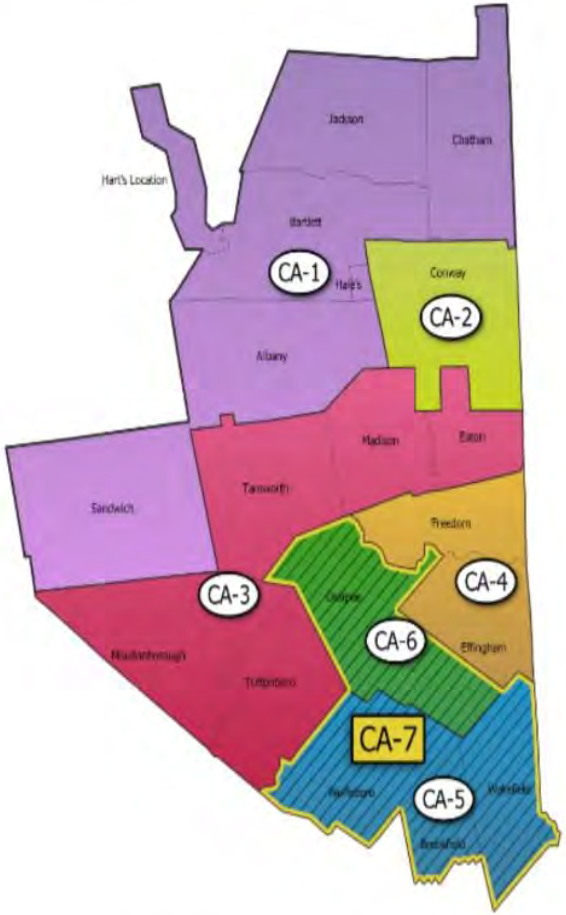
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Carroll County Details & Analysis

Carroll County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CA-1	6,994	2			Chatham, Jackson, Bartlett, Hart's Location, Hales Location, Albany, Sandwich	1.54%	
CA-2	9,822	3			Conway	-4.93%	
CA-3	13,167	4			Tuftonboro, Moultonborough, Tamworth, Madison, Eaton	-4.42%	Moultonborough
CA-4	3,380	1			Freedom, Effingham	-1.85%	
CA-5	4,372	1	CA-7	1	Ossipee	0.67%	
CA-6	12,372	3			Wolfeboro, Brookfield, Wakefield	-3.91%	Wolfeboro, Wakefield
Total	50,107	15					3

Some improvements were made in Carroll County vs. 2010, but it is, and will be in the future, challenging. Carroll qualifies for 15 reps (county population divided by 3,444 = 14.55, rounded up to 15). However, the 14.55 adds complexity to the mapping. The southern part of Carroll County has more towns which qualify for their own House districts. The 2010 map districts both Conway and Ossipee in with smaller towns. The 2020 Map-a-Thon gives those towns their own, thus reduces violations of the NH Constitution vs. the 2010 the map, but Wolfeboro loses its own district.

The geography of two towns "force" errors on the map. Brookfield and Tuftonborough are smaller towns surrounded by larger ones. These communities need to be in a district, thus had to be paired with a larger town which should have had its own House district. Freedom and Effingham are now is a smaller district, but Sandwich and Tamworth couldn't be done in our maps, something for which residents have asked.

Two unfortunate results: Sandwich and Albany are technically contiguous, but does not meet our standards for compactness. We also created two large districts out of necessity, but advocate for smaller districts whenever possible.

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	19	0	19	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	19	0	19	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	2	3	5	40.0%
HS SAUs preserved	4	2	6	66.7%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	2	4	6	33.3%

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NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	4	0	4	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	2	0	2	100.0%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	0	1	1	0.0%

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Deviations for Carroll County ranges from -4.93 to 1.54 % for an overall deviation of +/- 6.47%

Cheshire County

Map-a-Thon

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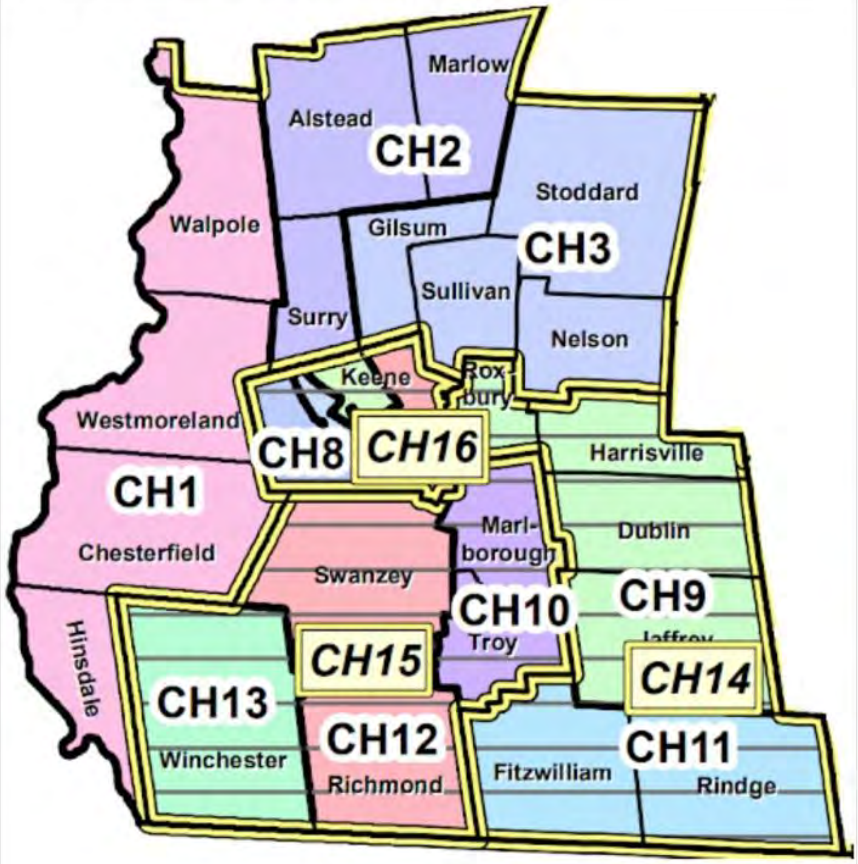	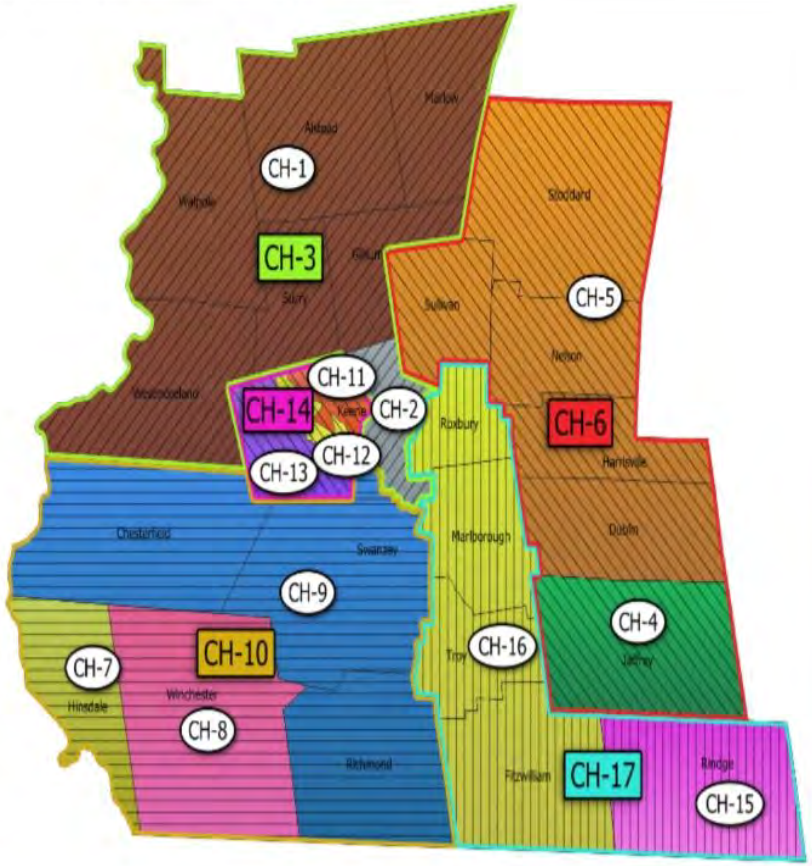
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Cheshire County Details & Analysis

Cheshire County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CH-1	9,524	2	CH-3	1	Walpole, Alstead, Marlow, Westmoreland, Surry, Gilsum	3.43%	Walpole
CH-2	4,609	1			Keene Ward 2*	0.92%	
CH-4	5,320	1	CH-6	1	Jaffrey	2.52%	
CH-5	5,177	1			Sullivan, Stoddard, Nelson, Harrisville, Dublin	0.68%	
CH-7	3,948	1	CH-10	1	Hinsdale	-1.14%	
CH-8	4,150	1			Winchester	3.19%	
CH-9	16,629	4			Chesterfield, Swanzey, Richmond, Keene Ward 1*	3.34%	Chesterfield, Swanzey, Keene
CH-11	4,610	1	CH-14	1	Keene Ward 3*	0.40%	
CH-12	4,610	1			Keene Ward 4*	0.40%	
CH-13	4,609	1			Keene Ward 5*	0.38%	
CH-15	6,476	1	CH-17	2	Rindge	-4.83%	
CH-16	6,797	1			Roxbury,Marlborough,Troy,Fitzwilliam	-2.50%	
Total	32,728	22					4
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

Cheshire County lost a state representative seat due to a loss of population in the last 10 years, one of the reasons the map needs to be adjusted.

One of the advantages of the Map-a-Thon map includes facilitating four eligible towns to receive their own House districts, vs. two in 2010. This includes Hinsdale, Jaffrey, Ridge & Winchester. But these improvements come with baggage. Some districts are larger than 2010, and all towns are in a floterial. Reducing floterials would have resulted in even larger districts.

Three of Keene's wards were added to a floterial (3,4,5), and Ward 1 connected to other towns. Ward 2 is in a floterial with other towns.

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	27	0	27	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	27	0	27	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	8	4	12	66.7%
HS SAUs preserved	6	3	9	66.7%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	1	0	1	100.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	4	8	12	33.3%

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NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	27	0	27	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	6	3	9	66.7%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	1	0	1	100.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	2	3	5	40.0%

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2010's Cheshire District 1 is broken up into now in smaller districts, with a smaller in population per district, with eligible Hinsdale receiving its own dedicated House district.

Coos County

Map-a-Thon

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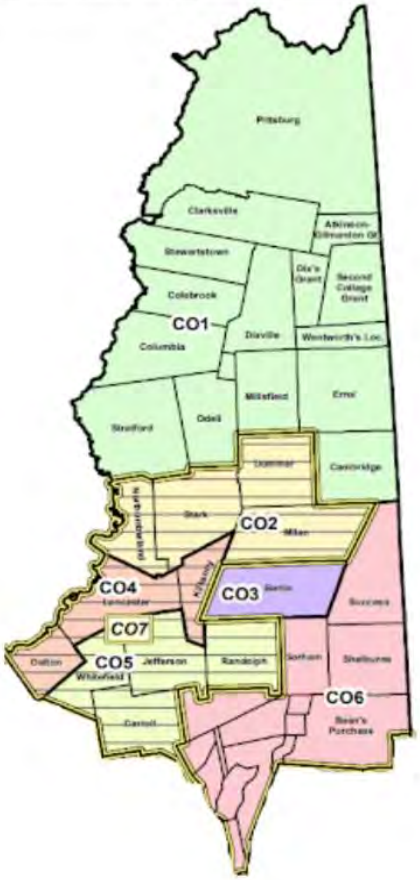	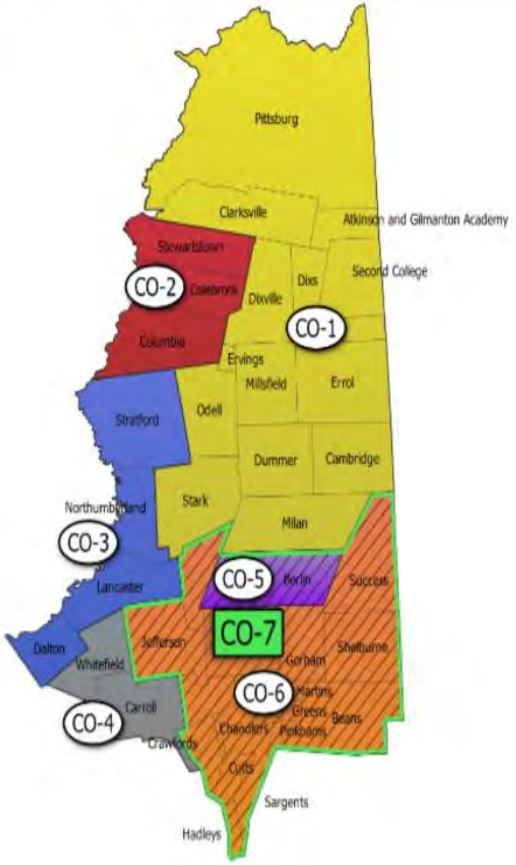
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Coos County Details & Analysis

Coos County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CO-1	3,609	1			Pittsburg, Clarksville, Dixville, Odell, Stark, Milan, Dummer, Cambridge, Millsfield, Errol, Wentworth Location, College Grant, Dixs Grant, Atkinson and Gilmanton Grant, Ervings Location,	4.80%	
CO-2	3,556	1			Stewartstown, Colebrook, Columbia	3.26%	
CO-3	6,939	2			Stratford, Northumberland, Lancaster, Dalton	0.75%	
CO-4	3,310	1			Whitefield, Carroll	-3.89%	
CO-5	9,425	2	CO-7	1	Berlin	2.11%	
CO-6	4,429	1			Jefferson, Randolph, Gorham, Shelburne, Success, Kilkenny, Burbanks Grant, Crawfords Purchase, Beans Grant, Cutts Grant, Hadleys Purchase, Sargents Purchase, Thompson and Merserves Purchase, Martins Location, Greens Grant, Pinkhams Grant, Beans Purchase	-2.55%	
Total	31,268	8					0

Map-a-Thon's 2020 proposal for Coos has zero violations of the NH Constitution for towns eligible for their own House district. There had been two towns eligible, but Lancaster lost population since 2010, and no longer qualifies.

Most of the districts now follow the roads, making it easier for legislators to travel their districts, and we have the same number of districts, but Coos did lose a seat because of population loss.

The sparsely-populated North Country unfortunately means large, sprawling districts, no matter who is doing the mapping.

The deviation ranges from -3.89 to 4.80, a total of 8.69%

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	43	0	43	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	43	0	43	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	1	0	1	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	0	5	5	0.0%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	1	0	1	100.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	2	4	6	33.3%
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NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	19	0	19	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	3	0	3	100.0%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	1	0	1	100.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	1	0	1	100.0%
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Grafton County

Map-a-Thon

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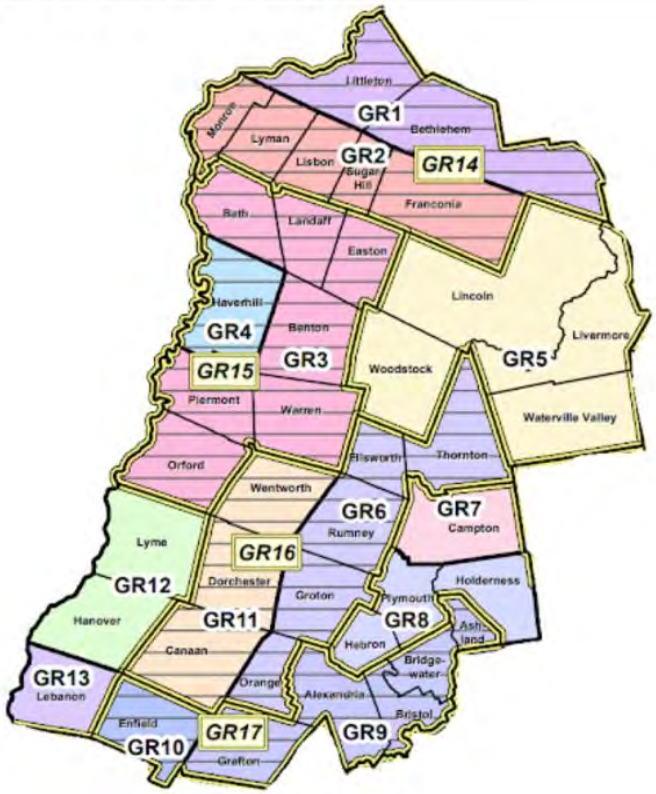	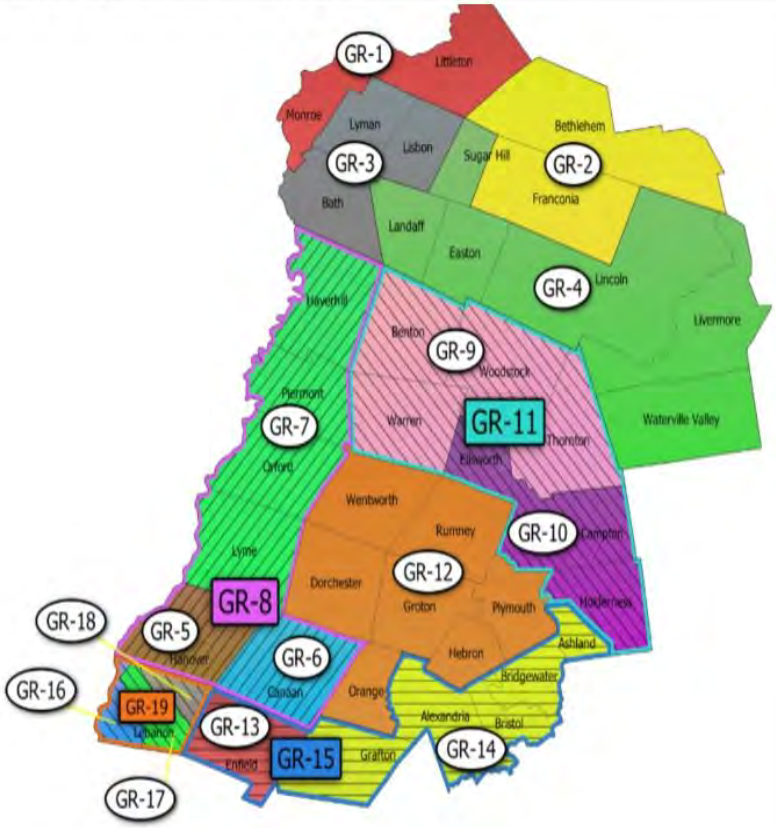
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Grafton County Details & Analysis

Grafton County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
GR-1	6,869	2			Littleton, Monroe	-0.27%	Littleton
GR-2	3,567	1			Bethlehem, Franconia	3.58%	
GR-3	3,283	1			Lyman, Lisbon, Bath	-4.67%	
GR-4	3,526	1			Sugar Hill, Landaff, Easton, Lincoln, Livermore, Waterville Valley	2.39%	
GR-5	11,870	3	GR-8	1	Hanover	-1.37%	
GR-6	3,794	1			Canaan	-4.87%	
GR-7	8,336	2			Haverhill, Piermont, Orford, Lyme	3.12%	Haverhill
GR-9	5,341	1	GR-11	1	Benton, Warren, Woodstock, Thornton	3.71%	
GR-10	5,440	1			Ellsworth, Campton, Holderness	4.99%	
GR-12	10,842	3			Wentworth, Rumney, Dorchester, Groton, Plymouth,Hebron, Orange	4.94%	Plymouth
GR-13	4,465	1	GR-15	1	Enfield	-1.75%	
GR-14	9,503	2			Grafton, Alexandria, Bristol, Bridgewater, Ashland	2.95%	
GR-16	4,761	1	GR-19	1	Lebanon Ward 1*	3.68%	
GR-17	4,761	1			Lebanon Ward 2*	3.68%	
GR-18	4,760	1			Lebanon Ward 3*	3.67%	
Total	91,118	26					3
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

Our maps do not make significant headway on getting towns their own House districts, with the same number in both the 2010 as with our 2020 maps. Our maps have three violations, with the eligible towns of Littleton, Haverhill and Plymouth included in multi-town districts.

The Map-a-Thon maps have dedicated House districts for Canaan, Enfield .Lebanon & Hanover, and for a total of six out of nine eligible towns.

As with some of the other counties, the ideal number of reps was calculated at 26.458, making for somewhat high deviations, from – 4.67% to 4.99%, a total of 9.66% out of a possible range of 10%.

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	42	0	42	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	42	0	42	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	6	3	9	66.7%
HS SAUs preserved	3	8	11	27.3%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	5	10	15	33.3%

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NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	22	0	22	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	5	3	8	62.5%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	2	2	4	50.0%

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Hillsborough County

Map-a-Thon

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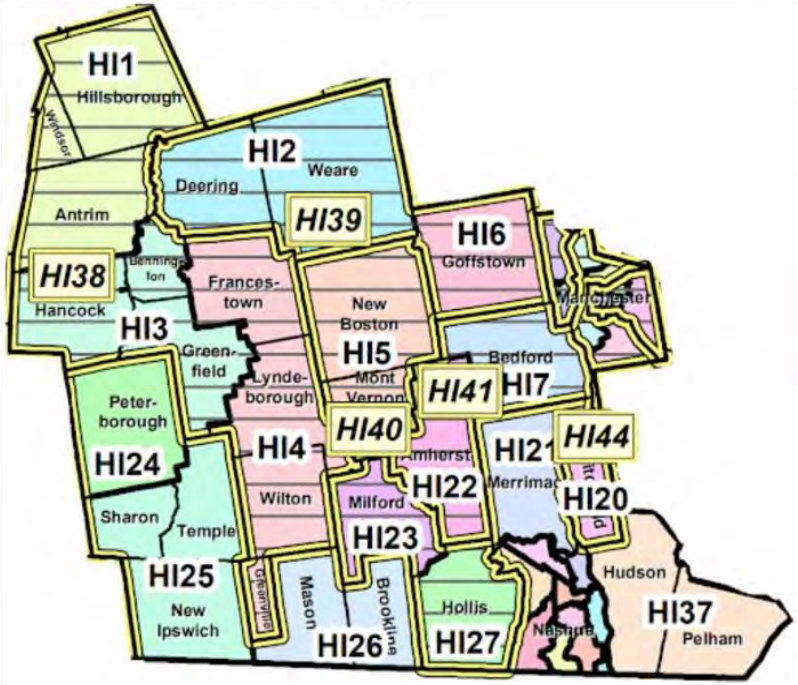	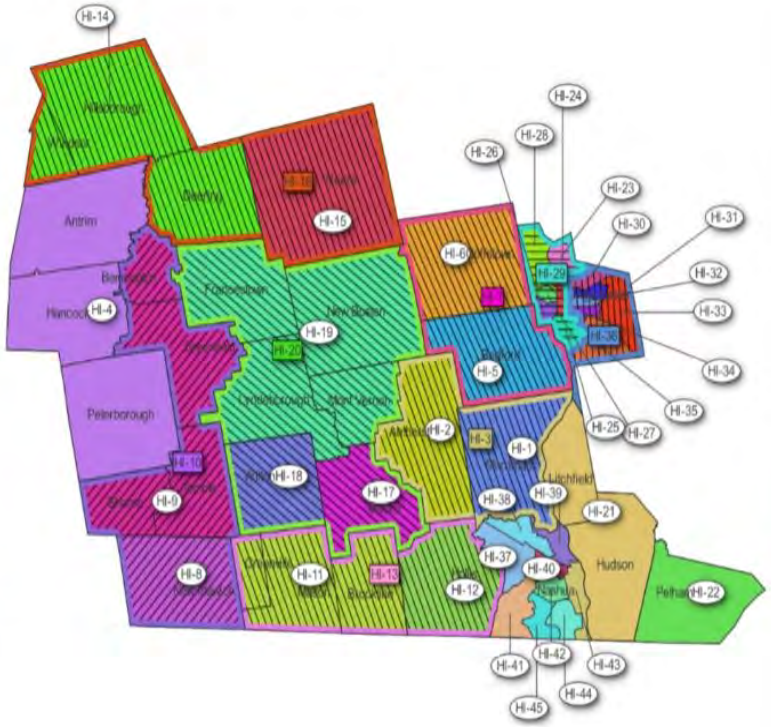
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Hillsborough County Details & Analysis

Hillsborough County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
1	26,632	7	HI-3	1	Merrimack	0.51%	
2	11,753	3			Amherst	3.22%	
4	10,800	3			Antrim, Hancock, Peterborough	4.54%	Peterborough
5	23,322	6	HI-6	1	Bedford	3.29%	
6	18,577	5			Goffstown	-0.90%	
8	5,204	1	HI-10	1	New Ipswich	-0.10%	
9	4,949	1			Bennington, Greenfield, Sharon, Temple	-3.39%	
11	9,061	2	HI-13	1	Brookline, Greenville, Mason	4.38%	Brookline
12	8,342	2			Hollis	-2.30%	
14	8,105	2	HI-16	1	Deering, Hillsborough, Windsor	-4.77%	Hillsborough
15	9,092	2			Weare	4.41%	
17	16,131	4	HI-20	1	Milford	4.01%	
18	3,896	1			Wilton	0.87%	
19	12,013	3			Francestown, Lyndeborough, Mont Vernon, New Boston	3.36%	New Boston
21	33,872	10			Hudson, Litchfield	-1.64%	Hudson, Litchfield
22	14,222	4			Pelham	3.24%	
23	9,637	2	HI-29	5	Manchester Ward 1*	-1.23%	
24	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 3*	-1.23%	
25	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 9*	-1.23%	
26	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 10*	-1.23%	
27	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 11*	-1.23%	
28	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 12*	-1.23%	
30	9,637	2	HI-36	5	Manchester Ward 2*	-1.23%	
31	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 4*	-1.23%	
32	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 5*	-1.23%	
33	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 6*	-1.23%	
34	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 7*	-1.23%	
35	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 8*	-1.23%	
37	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 1*	-1.79%	
38	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 2*	-1.79%	
39	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 3*	-1.79%	
40	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 4*	-1.79%	
41	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 5*	-1.79%	
42	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 6*	-1.79%	
43	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 7*	-1.79%	
44	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 8*	-1.79%	
45	10,146	3			Nashua Ward 9*	-1.80%	
Total	422,937	123					6
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

Our Hillsborough County map made some significant improvements over 2010. There are 37 towns & city wards eligible for their own House districts(s), and the Map-a-Thon maps reduced the violations from eight to six for that Constitutional requirement.

New Hampshire's most populous county receives 122.81 state representatives, rounded up to 123.

Particular challenges for Hillsborough County includes the larger towns in the eastern part of the county sometimes have no choice but to have smaller towns in a district. The western end of the county has many smaller towns less than the 3,444 ideal population which need to be grouped together.

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	50	0	50	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	50	0	50	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	31	6	37	83.8%
HS SAUs preserved	7	9	16	43.8%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	21	0	21	100.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	18	19	37	48.6%
Map Analysis v24 - Hillsborough Opt1 NF.xlsm				

NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	35	0	35	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	6	6	12	50.0%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	0	1	1	0.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	5	3	8	62.5%
Map Analysis v24 - Hillsborough Opt1 F.xlsm				

One particular problem on the 2010 map included the incredibly large district of Hudson & Pelham, Hillsborough District 37. Both towns made substantial population gains in the preceding decade, and stand at 25,826 for Hudson and 14,222. Because of its larger number of voters, Hudson candidates dominate the elections, leaving Pelham underrepresented. On the downside, the smaller but still own-district eligible Litchfield was included in a district with Hudson.

Weare, Wilton & New Ipswich, none of which had their own districts in 2010, got them in Map-a-Thon's maps. While Peterborough lost its own House district, it did get included in a district with Hancock & Antrim, all within the same ConVal School District. Antrim had previously been with Windsor and Hillsborough, despite Windsor and Hillsborough being in the Hillsborough-Deering School District. Hillsborough Deering & Most ConVal towns are districted together Although Brookline did not get it's own district, it was put in a district in which it shares communities of interest.

Deviations for Hillsborough County ranged from -4.77 to 4.54%, with a 9.31% total deviation.`

Merrimack County

Map-a-Thon

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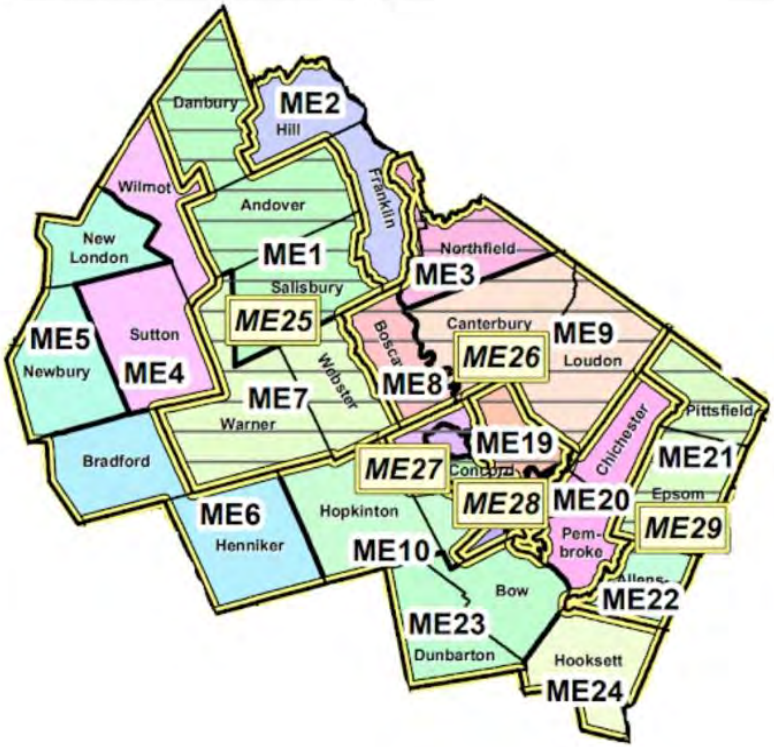	
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Merrimack County Details & Analysis

Merrimack County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
ME-1	4,400	1	ME-3	1	New London	-3.79%	
ME-2	9,017	2			Warner, Andover, Wilmot, Hill, Danbury	-2.01%	
ME-4	8,741	2	ME-6	1	Franklin	-3.93%	
ME-5	4,872	1			Northfield	4.18%	
ME-7	3,335	1			Salisbury, Webster	-3.16%	
ME-8	17,911	5			Sutton, Newbury, Bradford, Hopkinton, Henniker	4.02%	Hopkinton, Henniker
ME-9	3,998	1	ME-12	1	Boscawen	-0.76%	
ME-10	4,075	1			Pittsfield	0.86%	
ME-11	15,464	4			Canterbury, Loudon, Chichester, Epsom	-3.58%	Loudon, Epsom
ME-13	7,207	2	ME-16	1	Pembroke	-4.42%	
ME-14	14,871	4			Hooksett	-1.66%	
ME-15	15,941	4			Allenstown, Bow, Dunbarton	4.74%	Allenstown, Bow
ME-17	4,398	1	ME-25	2	Concord Ward 1*	-0.67%	
ME-18	4,398	1			Concord Ward 2*	-0.67%	
ME-19	4,398	1			Concord Ward 3*	-0.67%	
ME-21	4,398	1			Concord Ward 4*	-0.67%	
ME-22	4,398	1			Concord Ward 5*	-0.67%	
ME-23	4,398	1			Concord Ward 6*	-0.67%	
ME-24	4,397	1			Concord Ward 7*	-0.69%	
ME-26	4,397	1	ME-29	1	Concord Ward 8*	-4.24%	
ME-27	4,397	1			Concord Ward 9*	-4.24%	
ME-28	4,397	1			Concord Ward 10*	-4.24%	
Total	153,808	45					6
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

One of the biggest improvements for NH House district maps was made in Merrimack County. In 2010, there were 11 violations of the NH Constitution, but in our maps, just six. Three towns, Chichester, Canterbury, Dunbarton, are surrounded by larger, own-district eligible towns, forcing violations. There's nothing we can do without a change in Constitutional rules.

Merrimack receives 44.662 reps and like other counties, the distance from a whole number makes it more challenging.

Good news: Franklin is no longer connected with Northfield (floterial added); Concord is no longer districted with Hopkinton; and New London, Pittsfield, Pembroke, all get their own district. Unfortunately, though, Epson & Allenstown lose their own district

Deviations for Merrimack ranged from -4.42 to 4.74% for a total

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	38	0	38	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	38	0	38	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	16	6	22	72.7%
HS SAUs preserved	9	4	13	69.2%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	10	0	10	100.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	3	19	22	13.6%
Map Analysis v24 - Merrimack Opt1 NF.xlsm				

NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	31	0	31	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	8	3	11	72.7%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	0	1	1	0.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	2	4	6	33.3%
Map Analysis v24 - Merrimack Opt1 F.xlsm				

range of 9.16%.

Rockingham County

Map-a-Thon

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	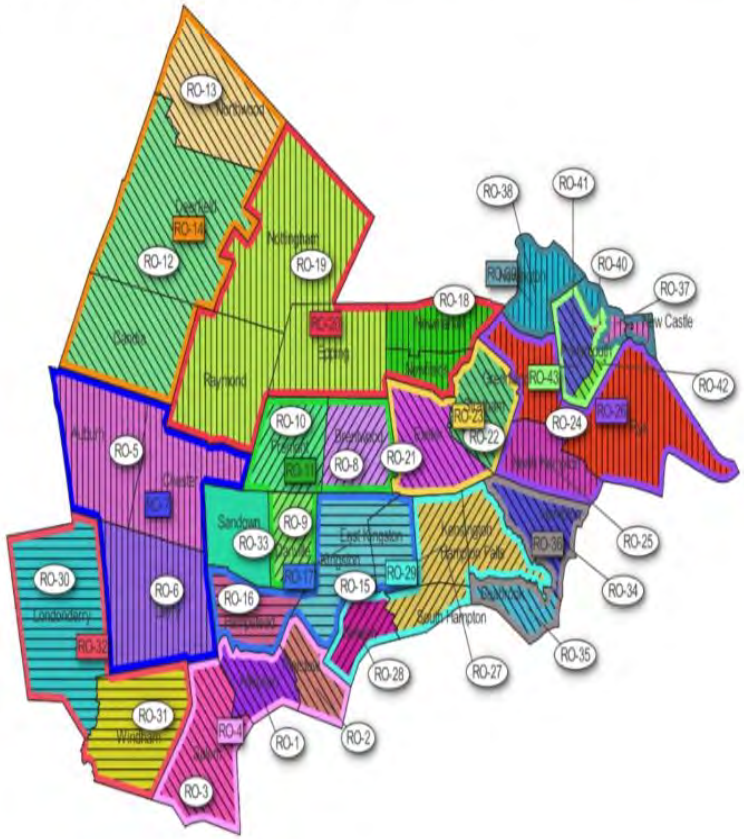
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Rockingham County Details & Analysis

Rockingham County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
RO-1	7,087	2	RO-4	1	Atkinson	-4.62%	
RO-2	7,830	2			Plaistow	4.58%	
RO-3	30,089	8			Salem	0.79%	
RO-5	11,178	3	RO-7	1	Auburn, Chester	0.00%	Auburn, Chester
RO-6	34,317	9			Derry	2.16%	
RO-8	4,490	1	RO-11	1	Brentwood	-1.92%	
RO-9	4,408	1			Danville	-3.27%	
RO-10	4,739	1			Fremont	2.12%	
RO-12	8,868	2	RO-14	1	Candia, Deerfield	-3.06%	Candia, Deerfield
RO-13	4,641	1			Northwood	0.30%	
RO-15	8,643	2	RO-17	1	East Kingston, Kingston	0.79%	Kingston
RO-16	8,998	2			Hampstead	4.09%	
RO-18	11,199	3	RO-20	1	Newfields, Newmarket	-2.26%	Newmarket
RO-19	23,038	6			Epping, Nottingham, Raymond	0.25%	Epping, Nottingham, Raymond
RO-21	16,049	4	RO-23	1	Exeter	-0.35%	
RO-22	7,669	2			Stratham	-4.15%	
RO-24	9,610	2	RO-26	1	Greenland, Rye	4.15%	Greenland, Rye
RO-25	4,538	1			North Hampton	-0.23%	
RO-27	5,392	1	RO-29	1	Hampton Falls, Kensington, South Hampton	2.47%	
RO-28	4,820	1			Newton	-4.92%	
RO-30	25,826	7	RO-32	1	Londonderry	-1.59%	
RO-31	15,817	4			Windham	4.86%	
RO-33	6,548	2			Sandown	-4.93%	
RO-34	16,214	4	RO-36	1	Hampton	1.06%	
RO-35	8,401	2			Seabrook	4.19%	
RO-37	5,391	1	RO-39	1	Portsmouth Ward 5*, New Castle	3.74%	Portsmouth
RO-38	5,202	1			Portsmouth Ward 1*, Newington	1.30%	
RO-40	4,391	1	RO-43	1	Portsmouth Ward 2*	-4.37%	
RO-41	4,391	1			Portsmouth Ward 3*	-4.37%	
RO-42	4,392	1			Portsmouth Ward 4*	-4.35%	
Total	314,176	91					12
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

Rockingham County saw significant growth 2010 to 2020, surging from 295,223 to 314,176, so its maps have shifted significantly in some areas. It now gets 91.228 state reps.

It also has many own-seat eligible towns, plus has the geographic limitations of the seacoast border.

That said, Map-a-Thon maps show a slight improvement of two additional towns getting dedicated House districts. This includes Atkinson, Plaistow, Hampstead, Sandown & Seabrook. In working for the greater good, Epping & Raymond unfortunately lost their own district in our maps.

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	41	0	41	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	41	0	41	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	21	13	34	61.8%
HS SAUs preserved	10	7	17	58.8%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	4	26	30	13.3%

NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	40	0	40	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	10	7	17	58.8%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	2	11	13	15.4%
NHHouse-Rockingham-2020Opt1BFlot-V24-20211026.xlsm				

Three of Rockingham's violations couldn't be helped under our current Constitutional & court constraints. Newington, Newfields and New Castle are small towns surrounded by larger, own-district eligible towns, and need to be in a district with another town. That creates violations for some of the surrounding towns.

Rockingham County has a deviation range of -4.93 to 4.86%, with a total range of 9.79%.

Stafford County

Map-a-Thon

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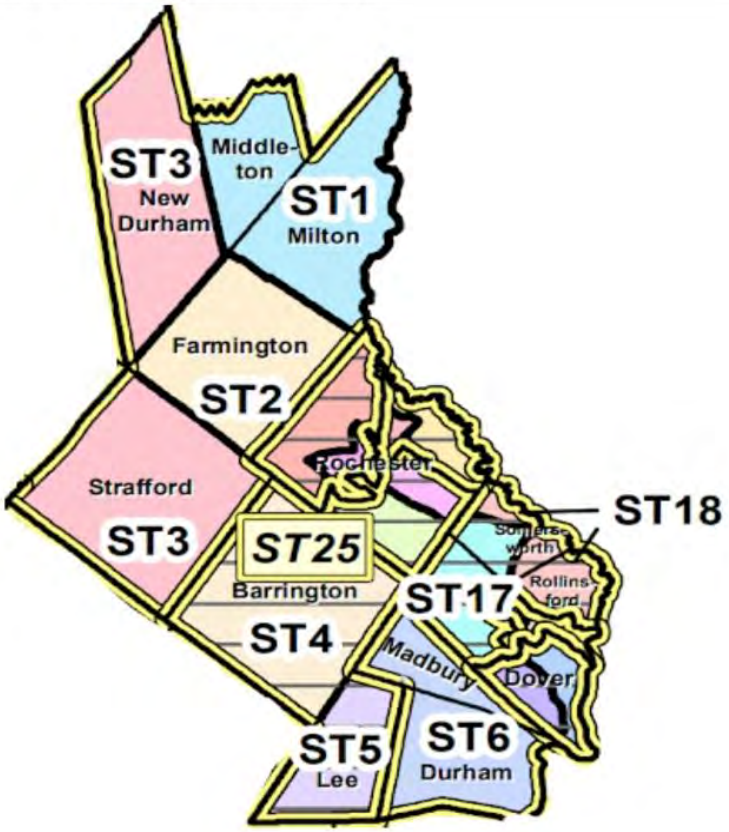	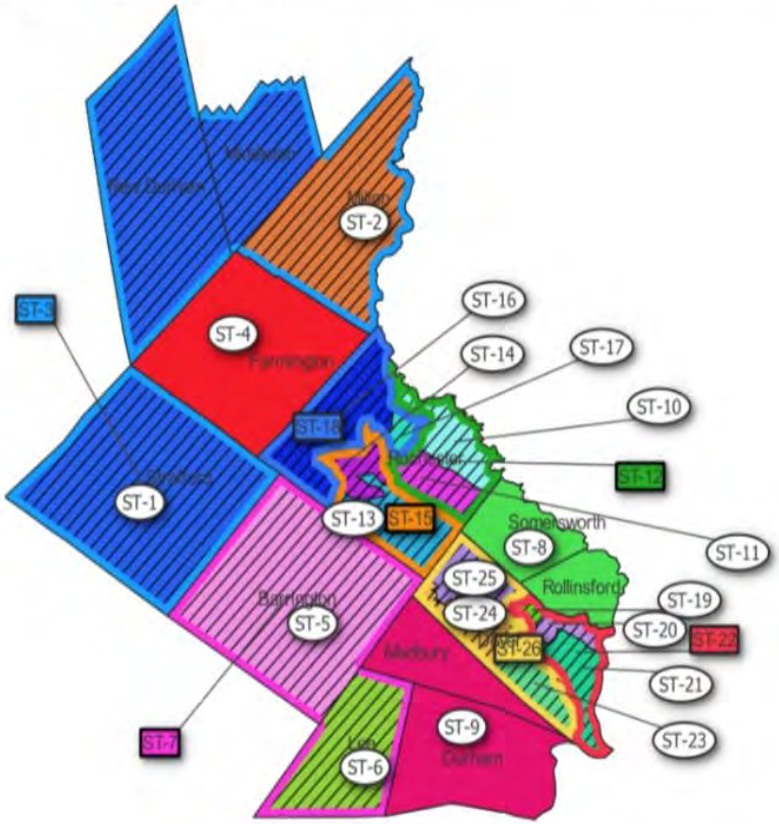
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Strafford County Details & Analysis

Strafford County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
ST-1	8,746	2	ST-3	1	Middleton, New Durham, Strafford	-4.57%	Strafford
ST-2	4,482	1			Milton	-2.79%	
ST-4	6,722	2			Farmington	-2.40%	
ST-5	9,326	2	ST-7	1	Barrington	1.29%	
ST-6	4,520	1			Lee	-1.05%	
ST-8	14,452	4			Somersworth Wards 1-5*, Rollinsford	4.91%	Somersworth
ST-9	17,408	5			Madbury, Durham	1.10%	Durham
ST-10	5,415	1	ST-12	1	Rochester Ward 1*	4.83%	
ST-11	5,415	1			Rochester Ward 2*	4.83%	
ST-13	5,415	1	ST-15	1	Rochester Ward 3*	4.83%	
ST-14	5,415	1			Rochester Ward 4*	4.83%	
ST-16	5,416	1	ST-18	1	Rochester Ward 5*	4.84%	
ST-17	5,416	1			Rochester Ward 6*	4.84%	
ST-19	5,457	1	ST-22	2	Dover Ward 1*	-4.93%	
ST-20	5,457	1			Dover Ward 2*	-4.93%	
ST-21	5,457	1			Dover Ward 3*	-4.93%	
ST-23	5,457	1	ST-26	2	Dover Ward 4*	-4.93%	
ST-24	5,457	1			Dover Ward 5*	-4.93%	
ST-25	5,456	1			Dover Ward 6*	-4.94%	
Total	32,741	38					3
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

Map-a-Thon succeeded only with a slight improvement of two additional towns getting their own districts.
Disappointing was that we had to leave district with Strafford and New Durham, which connects in the middle of the woods.

Two “forced” violations are Rollingsford and Madbury, which need to be districted with surrounding larger towns.

Towns which did get their dedicated districts were Milton & Dover, and Barrington, Lee, Rochester & Farmington kept their districts.
Deviations for Strafford are -4.93 to 4.91%,9.84% Total.

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	27	0	27	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	27	0	27	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	16	2	18	88.9%
HS SAUs preserved	6	3	9	66.7%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	0	1	1	0.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	6	13	19	31.6%
NHHouse-Strafford-2020Opt1NonF-V24-20211026.xlsm				

NH House Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	18	0	18	100.0%
HS SAUs preserved	6	1	7	85.7%
Cities/towns w/ SVI>=5 preserved	0	0	0	#N/A
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	4	2	6	66.7%

Sullivan County

Map-a-Thon

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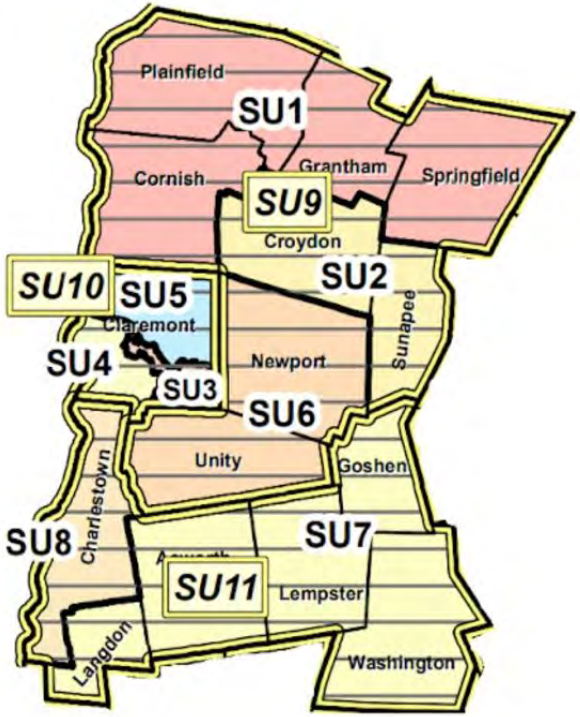	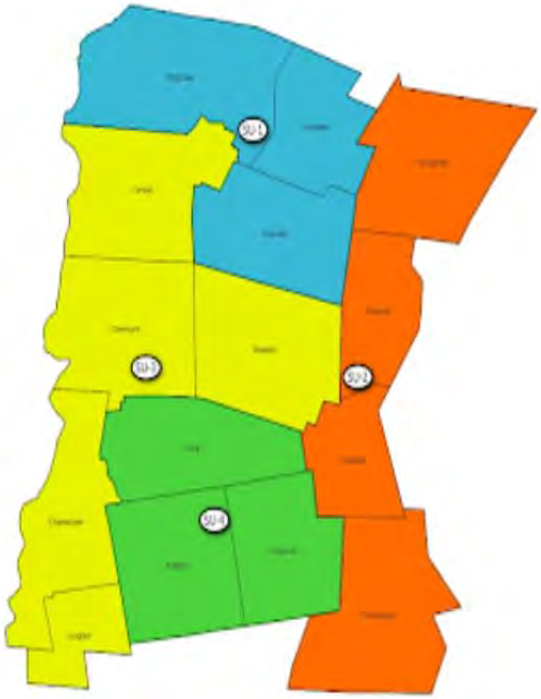
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Sullivan County Details & Analysis

Sullivan County Proposal					
District	Population	# Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
1	6,664	2	Plainfield, Grantham, Croydon	-3.25%	
2	6,589	2	Springfield, Sunapee, Goshen, Washington	-4.34%	
3	26,321	8	Cornish, Claremont, Newport, Charlestown, Langdon	-4.46%	Claremont, Newport, Charlestown
4	3,489	1	Unity, Acworth, Lempster	1.31%	
Total	43,063	13			3

We're sorry to report that Sullivan County is the only county which has more violations for 2020 than in 2010.

Population loss led to a reduction to an apportionment of 12.504 reps, which made it measurable harder to allocate the representation over the towns. Floterials can sometimes help, but did not help in Sullivan.

NH House Non-Floterial Map Metrics	# True	# False	Total	% True
Towns/wards preserved	17	0	17	100.0%
Towns/wards in non-floterial district	17	0	17	100.0%
Eligible towns/wards in dedicated district	0	5	5	0.0%
HS SAUs preserved	6	2	8	75.0%
Eligible towns/wards w/ SVI>=5 in dedicated district	0	3	3	0.0%
Competitive districts (averaged 2020 elections)	1	2	3	33.3%
Map Analysis v24 - Sullivan Opt1 NF.xlsm				

Where there were two violations for eligible towns not getting their own House district in 2010, these challenges caused one more violation, AND forced us to make districts that would be larger than we would like.

The Map-a-Thon team regrets that we were not able to offer a better map. We look forward to changes, such as a larger deviation, which would allow for better districts. One scenario the team ran used an 11.9% deviation (1.9% over the norm) and it dropped Sullivan County from three violations to zero.

An increase in allowable deviation would help in Sullivan County
Deviations -4.46 to 1.31 for total 5.77.

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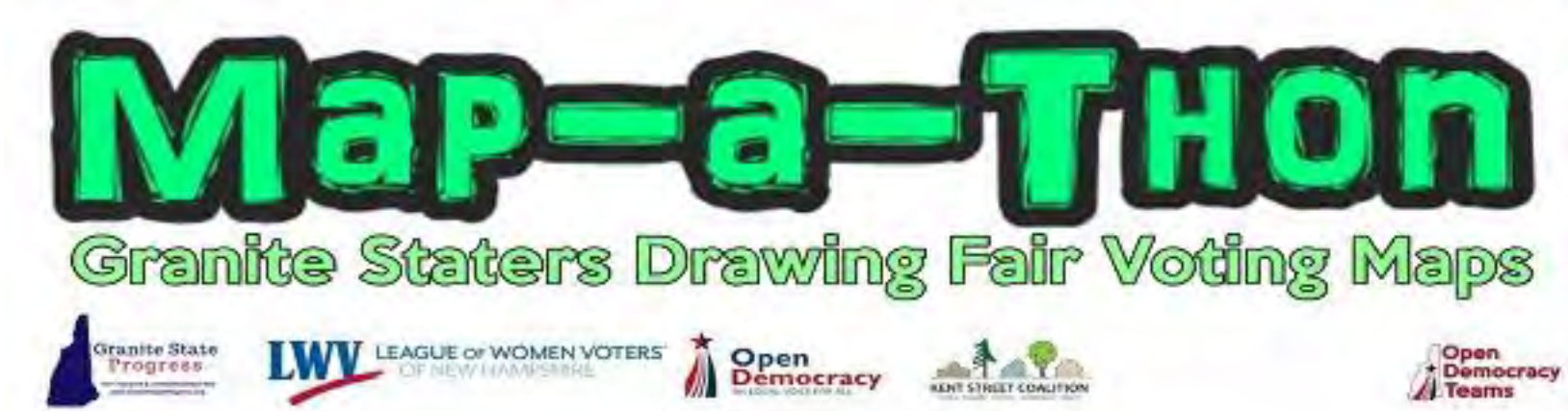

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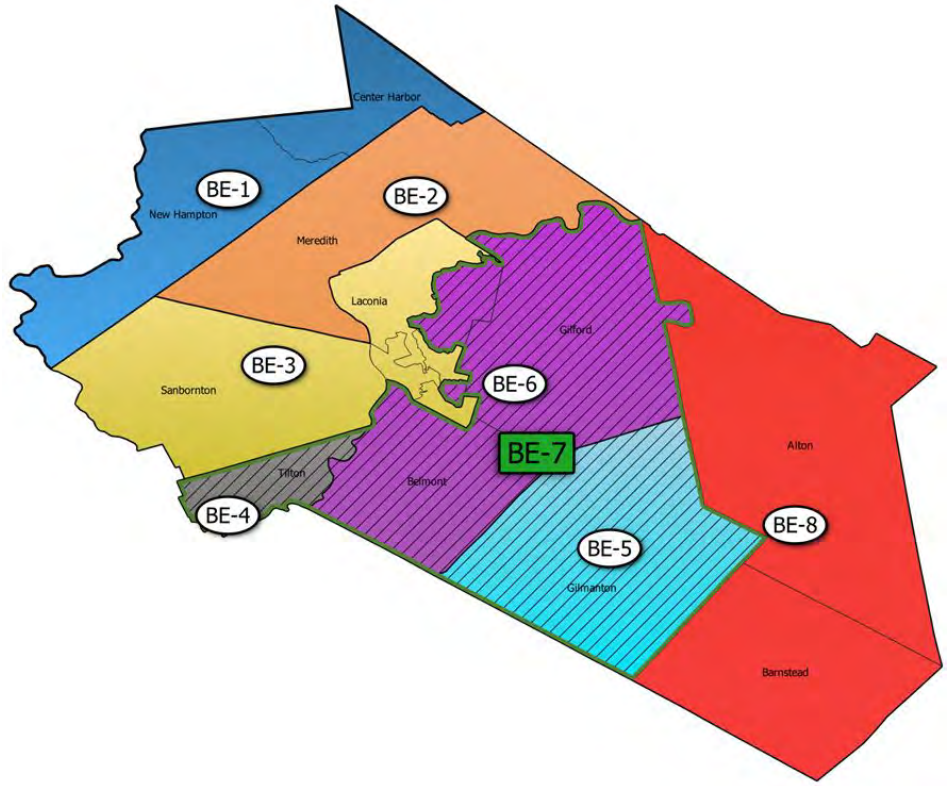
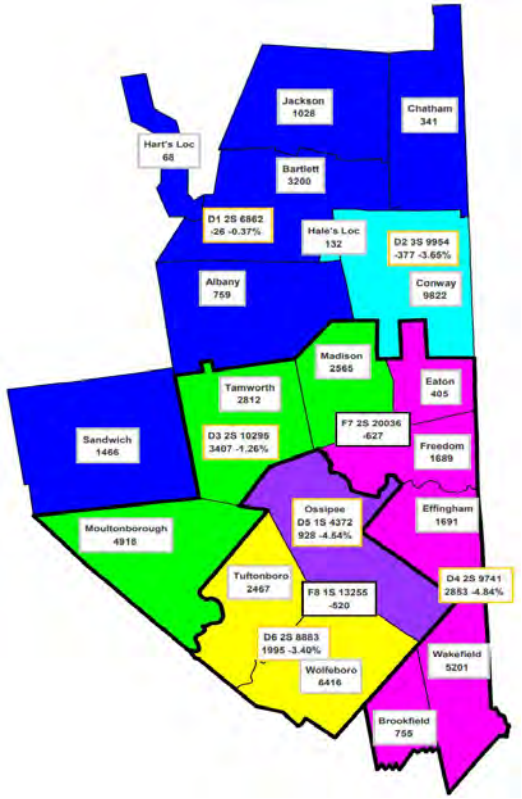
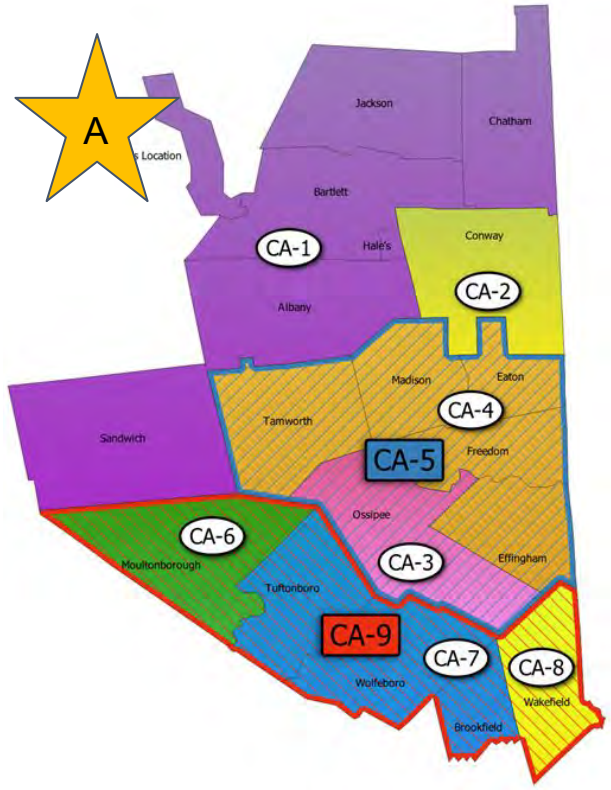
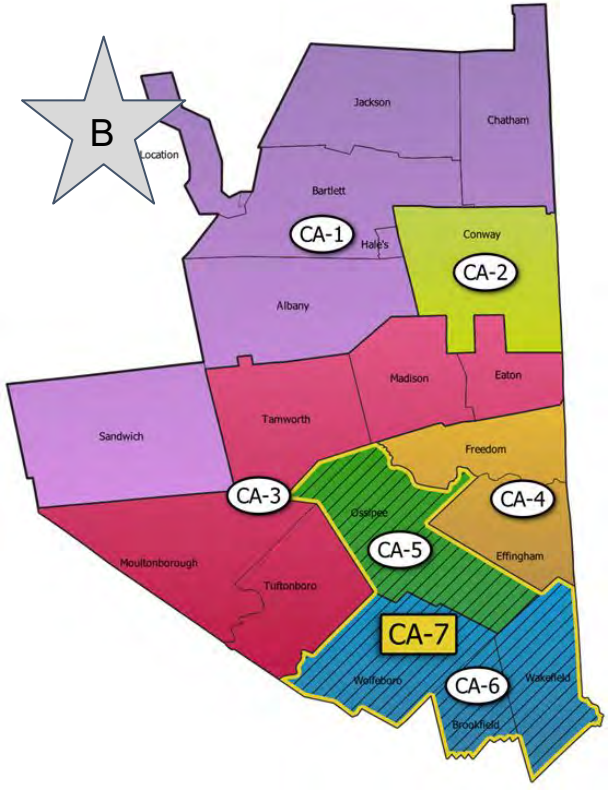


Minority map contains one more violation than M-A-T, but keeps 5 of 6 Laconia wards together. In Majority map, no eligible town gets own district.

Belknap County	Democrats	Republicans	Map-a-Thon
Deviation	-3.28% to 4.99% (8.27%)	-0.78% to 4.62% (5.40%)	-3.28% to 4.71% (7.99%)
# Violations	6	8	5
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	4	4	5
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	4	4	5
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	3	N/A	6
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	N/A	1
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	0/14/4	0/18/0	0/18/0

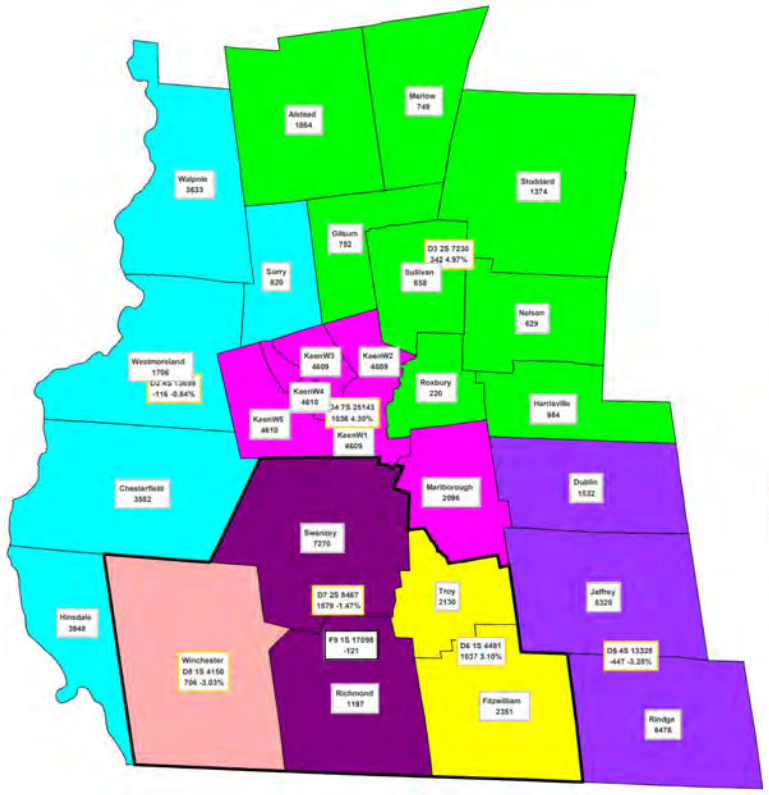


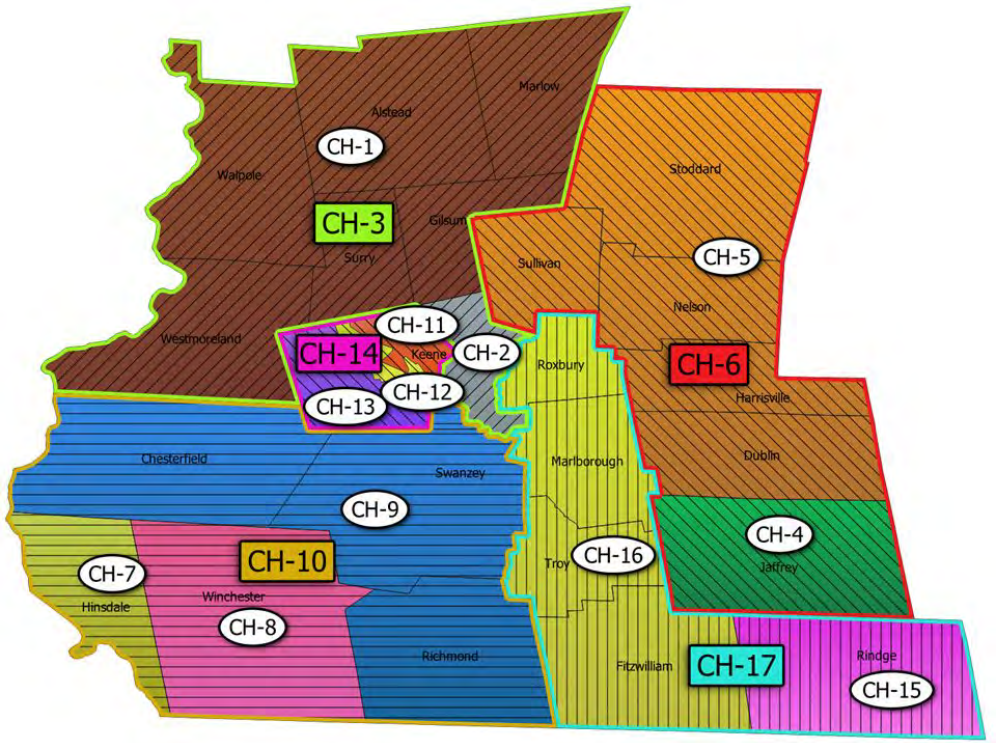




M-A-T 15% map which goes only slightly below -5% enables all eligible towns but Wolfeboro to get own House district. Unavoidably, all maps have large districts.

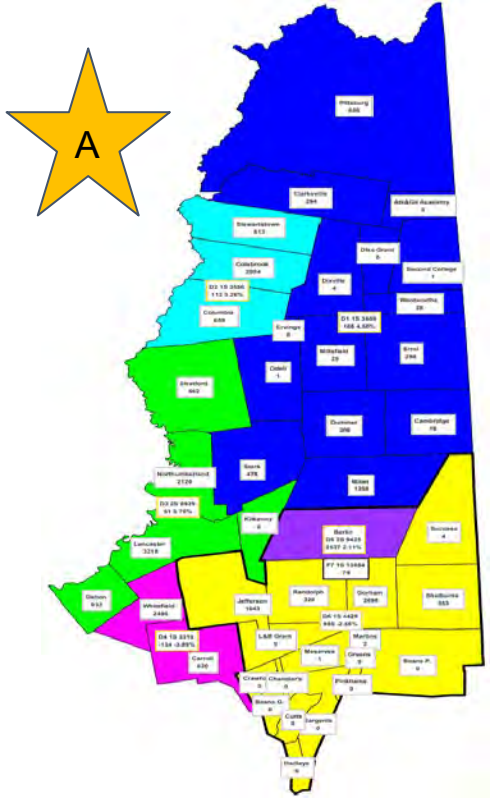
Carroll County	Democrats	Republicans	Map-a-Thon 15% Dev	Map-a-Thon
Deviation	-4.84% to 1.60% (6.44%)	-4.84% to -0.37% (4.47%)	-5.95% to 1.54% (7.49%)	-4.93% to 1.54% (6.47%)
# Violations	3	4	1	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Float District	5	6	7	7
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3	3	3	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	8	8	6	4
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	2	2	1
Lean of Seats(Lean D/Lean R/Comp)	0/10/5	0/10/5	0/10/5	0/10/5

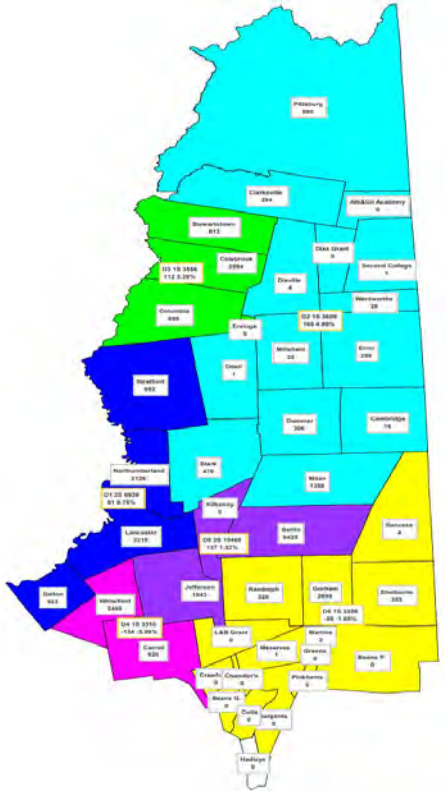


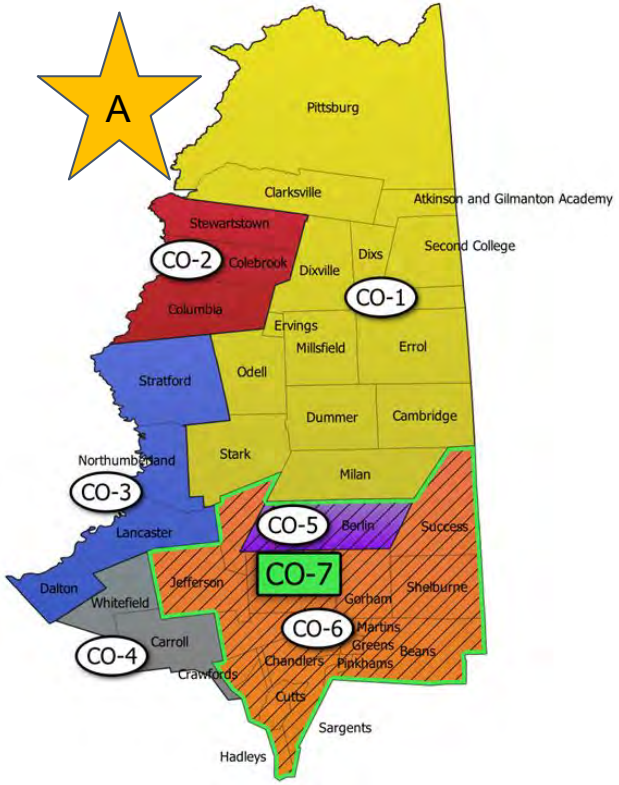


Minority map has all Keene wards in dedicated districts, and cuts overall violations in the county to 3. In Majority map, 7 of 8 eligible don't get dedicated districts.

Cheshire County	Democrats ★	Republicans	Map-a-Thon
Deviation	-3.47% to 4.15% (7.62%)	-3.25% to 4.97% (8.22%)	-4.83% to 3.43% (8.26%)
# Violations	3	7	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	4	5	6
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3	7	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	6	5	7
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	1	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	11/1/10	13/4/5	13/3/6

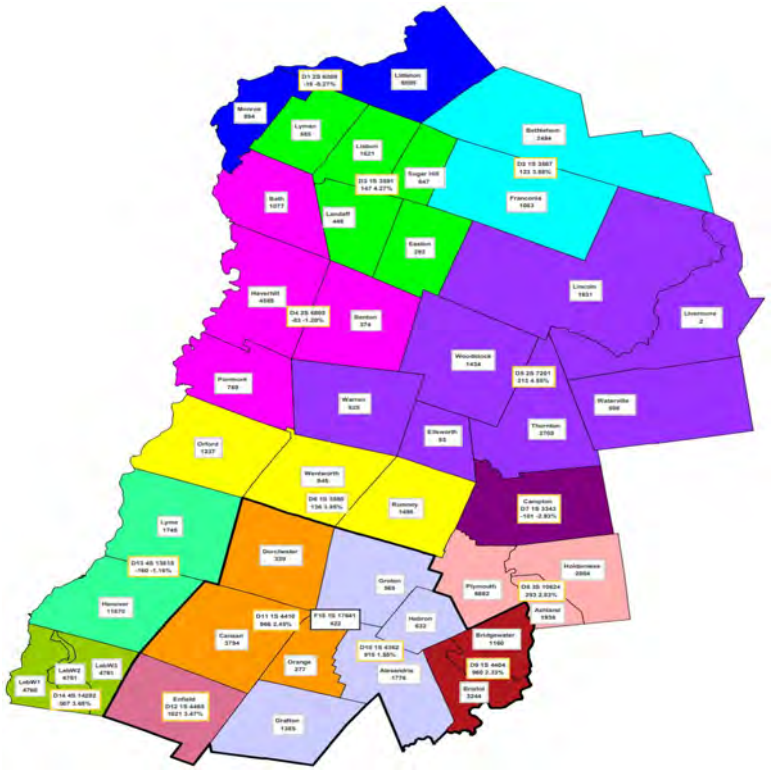


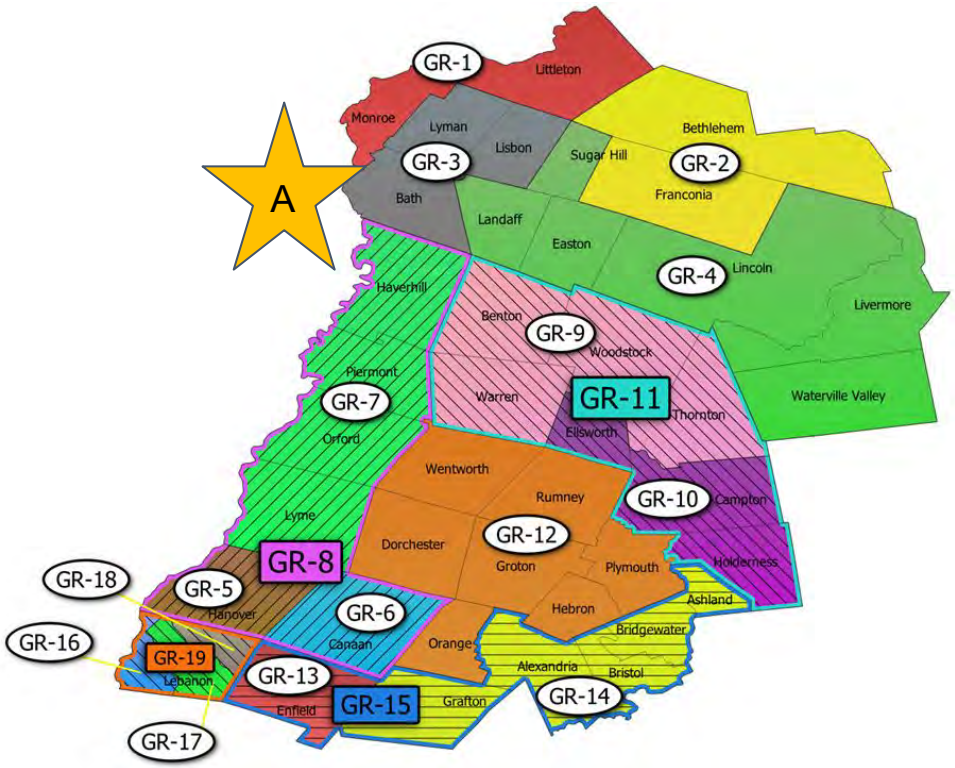




Minority and M-A-T maps are almost identical; both give Berlin its own House District. Majority is somewhat similar, but Berlin misses its own district.

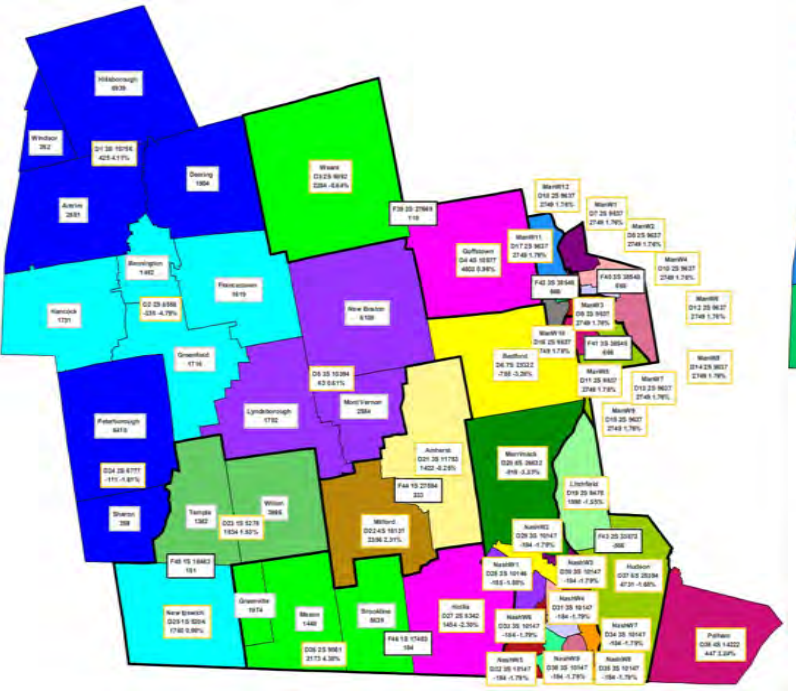
Coos County	Democrats ★	Republicans	Map-a-Thon ★
Deviation	-3.89% to 4.80% (8.68%)	-3.89% to 4.80% (8.68%)	-3.89% to 4.80% (8.68%)
# Violations	0	1	0
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	17	15	17
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	2	3	2
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	18	N/A	18
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	1	N/A	1
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	0/5/4	0/5/4	0/5/4

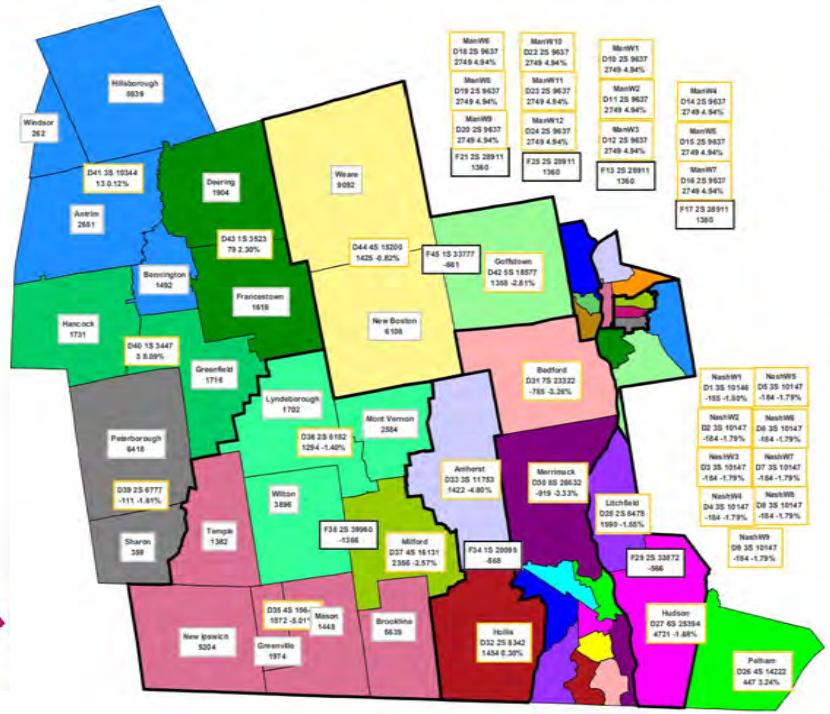


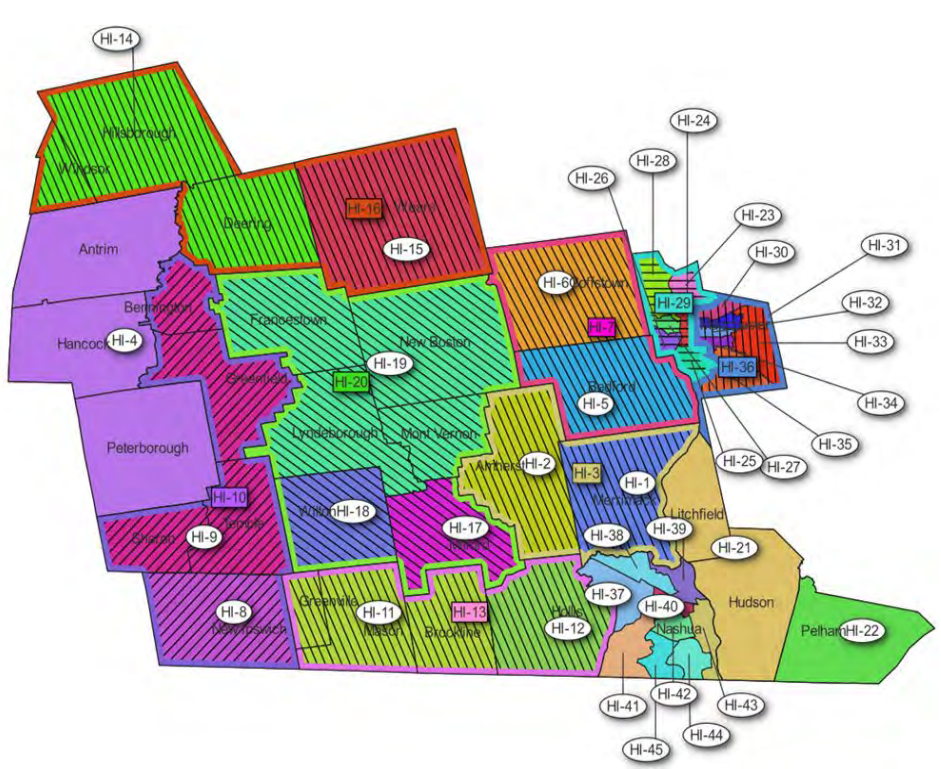


Majority and Minority maps are the same south of Ellsworth. M-A-T gives Hanover & Canaan their own dedicated districts.

Grafton County	Democrats	Republicans	Map-a-Thon ★
Deviation	-2.93% to 4.55% (7.48% overall)	-3.91% to 4.53% (8.44% overall)	-4.87% to 4.99% (9.86% overall)
# Violations	5 (6 with Leb wards)	5	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	7	6	6
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	4	4	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	10	10	7
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	1	1	7
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	13/6/7	13/7/6	12/5/9



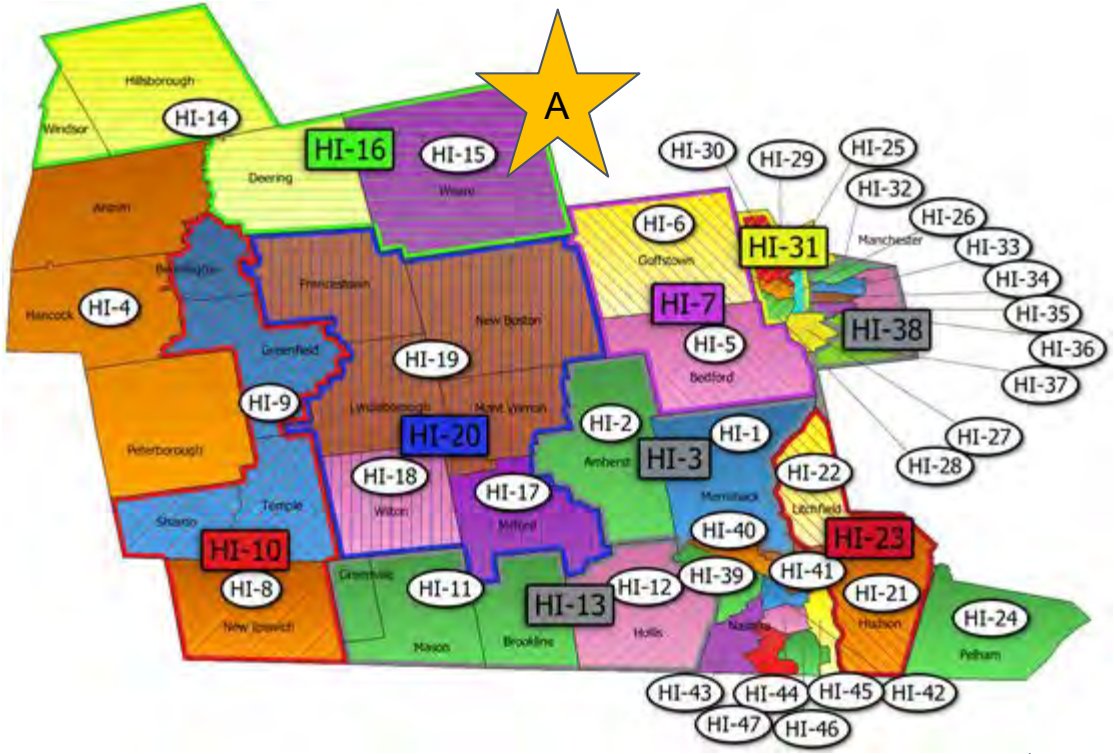




New M-A-T version (2.0 - next page) separates Litchfield & Hudson with a floterial, similar to committee's maps, and cuts violations from 6 to 4 for eligible towns. Majority's Manchester map dependant on exact numbers being drawn by the city. An 18-person difference could invalidate the map, and subject it to litigation.

Hillsborough County	Democrats	Republicans	Map-a-Thon 1.0
Deviation	-4.79% to 4.38% (9.17%)	-5.01% to 4.94% (9.95%)	-4.77% to 4.54% (9.31%)
# Violations	5	7	6
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	4	9	4
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	8	8	10
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	4	9	6
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	3	2	5
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	33/30/60	36/36/51	34/28/61

Combination of Committee Proposals and Map-A-Thon Maps

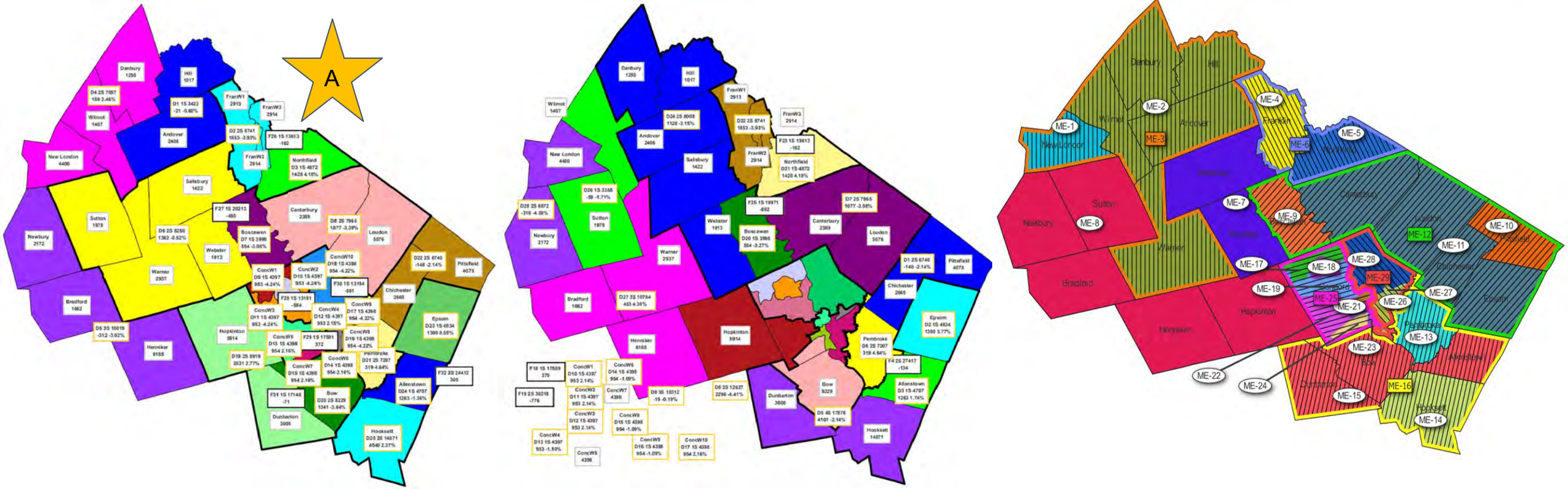


Updated from previous submission	Map-a-Thon 2.0
Deviation	-4.77% to 4.54% (9.31%)
# Violations	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-F District	4
Largest # Reps in a Non-F District	10
# Towns/Wards in Largest F District	6
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	5
Partisan Lean (Lean D/Lean R/Comp)	34/28/61

Hillsborough County Proposal

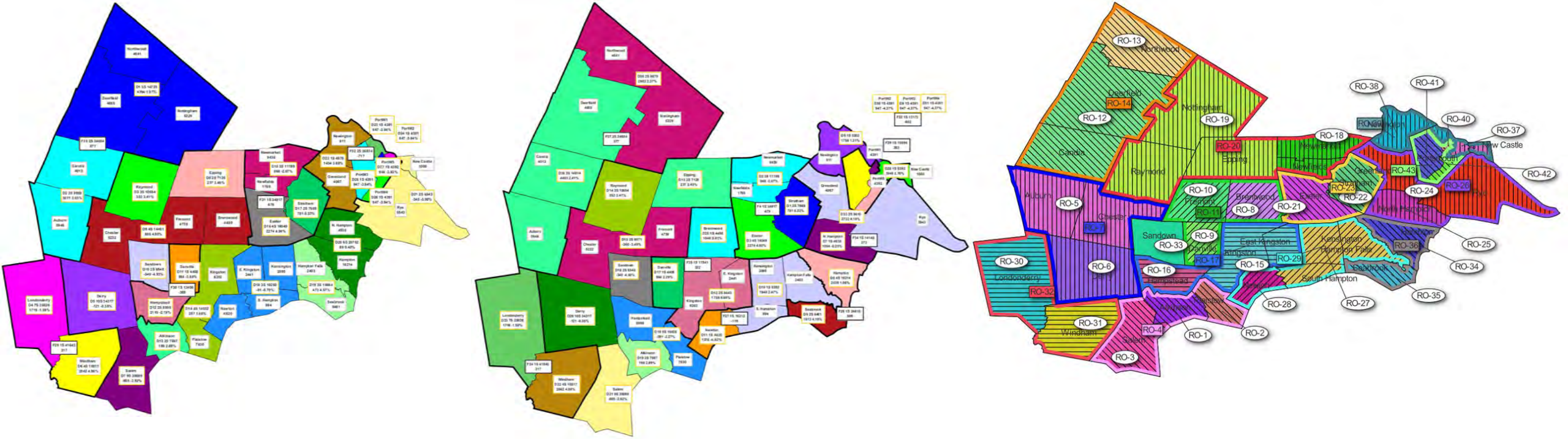
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
HI-1	26,632	7	HI-3	1	Merrimack	0.51%	
HI-2	11,753	3			Amherst	3.22%	
HI-4	10,800	3			Antrim, Hancock, Peterborough	4.54%	Peterborough
HI-5	23,322	6	HI-7	1	Bedford	3.29%	
HI-6	18,577	5			Goffstown	-0.90%	
HI-8	5,204	1	HI-10	1	New Ipswich	-0.10%	
HI-9	4,949	1			Bennington, Greenfield, Sharon, Temple	-3.39%	
HI-11	9,061	2	HI-13	1	Brookline, Greenville, Mason	4.38%	Brookline
HI-12	8,342	2			Hollis	-2.30%	
HI-14	8,105	2	HI-16	1	Deering, Hillsborough, Windsor	-4.77%	Hillsborough
HI-15	9,092	2			Weare	4.41%	
HI-17	16,231	4	HI-20	1	Milford	4.01%	
HI-18	3,896	1			Wilton	0.87%	
HI-19	12,013	3			Francestown, Lyndeborough, Mont Vernon, New Boston	3.36%	New Boston
HI-21	25,394	6	HI-23	2	Hudson	-1.68%	
HI-22	8,478	2			Litchfield	-1.55%	
HI-24	14,222	4			Pelham	3.24%	
HI-25	9,637	2	HI-31	5	Manchester Ward 1*	-1.23%	
HI-26	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 3*	-1.23%	
HI-27	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 9*	-1.23%	
HI-28	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 10*	-1.23%	
HI-29	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 11*	-1.23%	
HI-30	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 12*	-1.23%	
HI-32	9,637	2	HI-38	5	Manchester Ward 2*	-1.23%	
HI-33	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 4*	-1.23%	
HI-34	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 5*	-1.23%	
HI-35	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 6*	-1.23%	
HI-36	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 7*	-1.23%	
HI-37	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 8*	-1.23%	
HI-39	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 1*	-1.79%	
HI-40	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 2*	-1.79%	
HI-41	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 3*	-1.79%	
HI-42	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 4*	-1.79%	
HI-43	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 5*	-1.79%	
HI-44	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 6*	-1.79%	
HI-45	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 7*	-1.79%	
HI-46	10,147	3			Nashua Ward 8*	-1.79%	
HI-47	10,146	3			Nashua Ward 9*	-1.80%	
Total	422,937		123				4

*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards



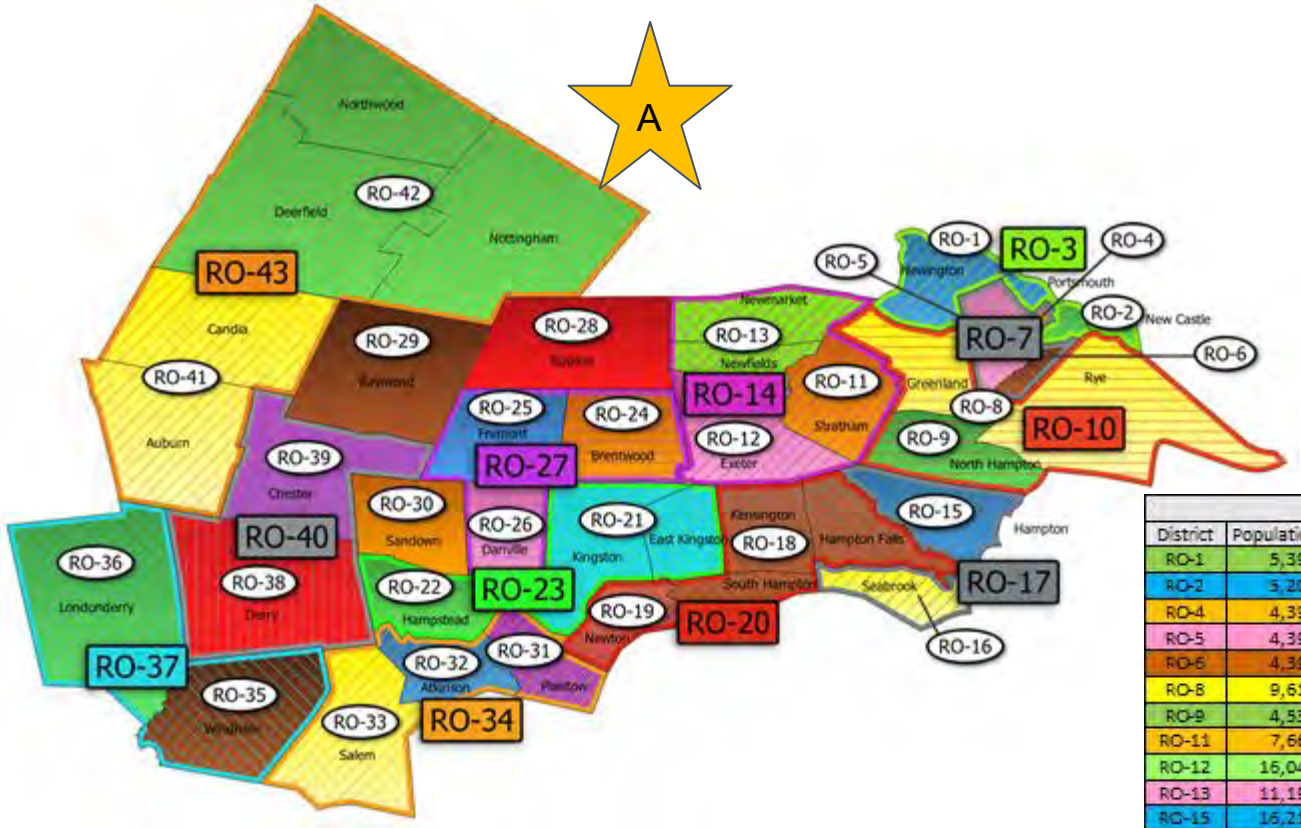
Minority map keeps Concord together, reducing violations to 5. Hopkinton districted with Dunbarton. Majority map splits Concord twice.

Merrimack County	Democrats ★	Republicans	Map-a-Thon
Deviation	-4.24% to 4.64% (8.88%)	-4.58% to 4.64% (9.22%)	-4.42% to 4.74% (9.16%)
# Violations	5	8	6
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	4	5	5
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3	4	5
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	7	8	7
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	2	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	13/17/15	17/20/8	19/16/10



The revised M-A-T (2.0 - next page) is a combination of all three maps. Reduces violations to 10, and reduces size of districts. Deerfield w/Northwood & Nottingham, per multiple resident requests.

Rockingham County	Democrats	Republicans	Map-a-Thon 1.0
Deviation	-5.00% to 4.98% (9.98%)	-4.93% to 4.86% (9.80%)	-4.93% to 4.86% (9.79%)
# Violations	17	14	12
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	12	10	3
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	6	10	9
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	7	3	4
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	2	1
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	19/65/7	20/63/8	20/63/8



Updated from Previous Submission	Map-a-Thon 2.0 ★
Deviation	-4.92% to 4.86% (9.78%)
# Violations	10
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-F District	3
Largest # Reps in a Non-F District	8
# Towns/Wards in Largest F District	5
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	4
Partisan Lean (Lean D/Lean R/Comp)	20/63/8

Rockingham County Proposal

District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
RO-1	5,391	1	RO-3	1	Portsmouth Ward 5*, New Castle	3.74%	Portsmouth
RO-2	5,202	1			Portsmouth Ward 1*, Newington	1.30%	
RO-4	4,391	1	RO-7	1	Portsmouth Ward 2*	-4.37%	
RO-5	4,391	1			Portsmouth Ward 3*	-4.37%	
RO-6	4,392	1			Portsmouth Ward 4*	-4.35%	
RO-8	9,610	2	RO-10	1	Greenland, Rye	4.15%	Greenland, Rye
RO-9	4,538	1			North Hampton	-0.23%	
RO-11	7,669	2	RO-14	1	Stratham	0.33%	
RO-12	16,049	4			Newfields, Newmarket	4.50%	Newmarket
RO-13	11,199	3			Exeter	-2.07%	
RO-15	16,214	4	RO-17	1	Hampton	1.06%	
RO-16	8,401	2			Seabrook	4.19%	
RO-18	5,392	1	RO-20	1	Hampton Falls, Kensington, South Hampton	2.47%	
RO-19	4,820	1			Newton	-4.92%	
RO-21	8,643	2	RO-23	1	East Kingston, Kingston	0.79%	Kingston
RO-22	8,998	2			Hampstead	4.09%	
RO-24	4,490	1	RO-27	1	Brentwood	-1.92%	
RO-25	4,739	1			Fremont	2.12%	
RO-26	4,408	1			Danville	-3.27%	
RO-28	7,173	2			Epsom	3.45%	
RO-29	10,684	3			Raymond	3.41%	
RO-30	6,548	2			Sandown	-4.93%	
RO-31	7,830	2	RO-34	1	Plaistow	4.58%	
RO-32	7,087	2			Atkinson	-4.62%	
RO-33	30,089	8			Salem	0.79%	
RO-35	15,817	4	RO-37	1	Windham	4.86%	
RO-36	25,826	7			Londonderry	-1.59%	
RO-38	34,317	7	RO-40	4	Derry	-4.83%	
RO-39	5,232	1			Chester	-0.55%	
RO-41	9,959	2	RO-43	2	Auburn, Candia	3.03%	Auburn, Candia
RO-42	14,725	3			Deerfield, Northwood, Nottingham	1.97%	Deerfield, Northwood, Nottingham
Total	314,176	91					10

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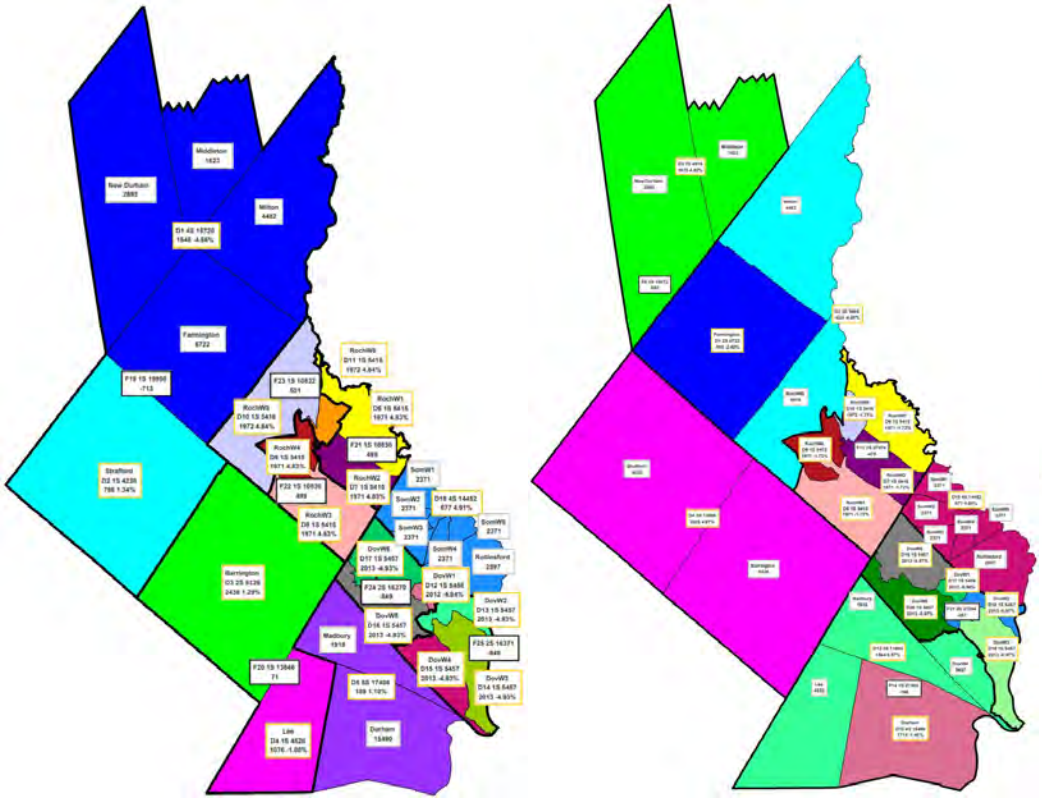
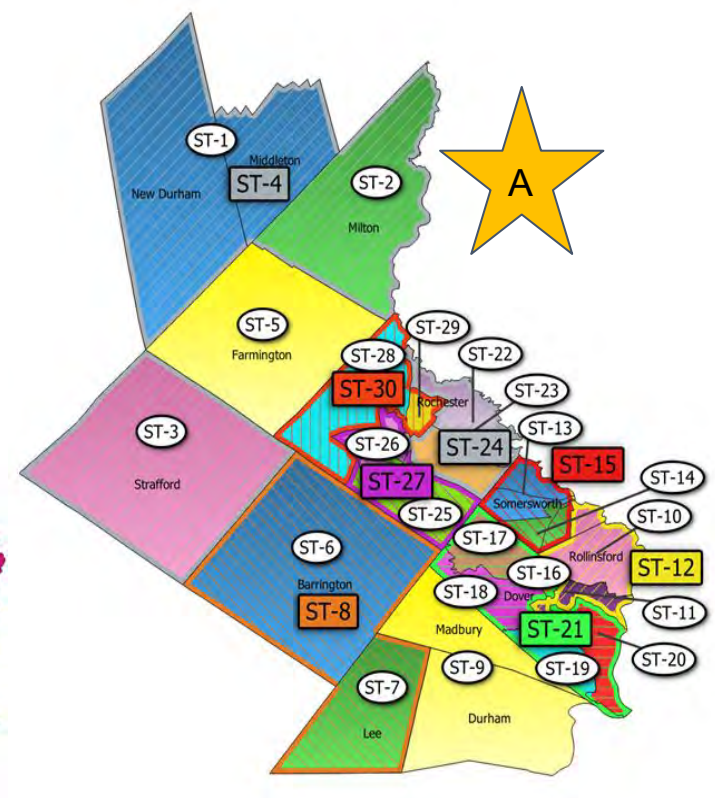
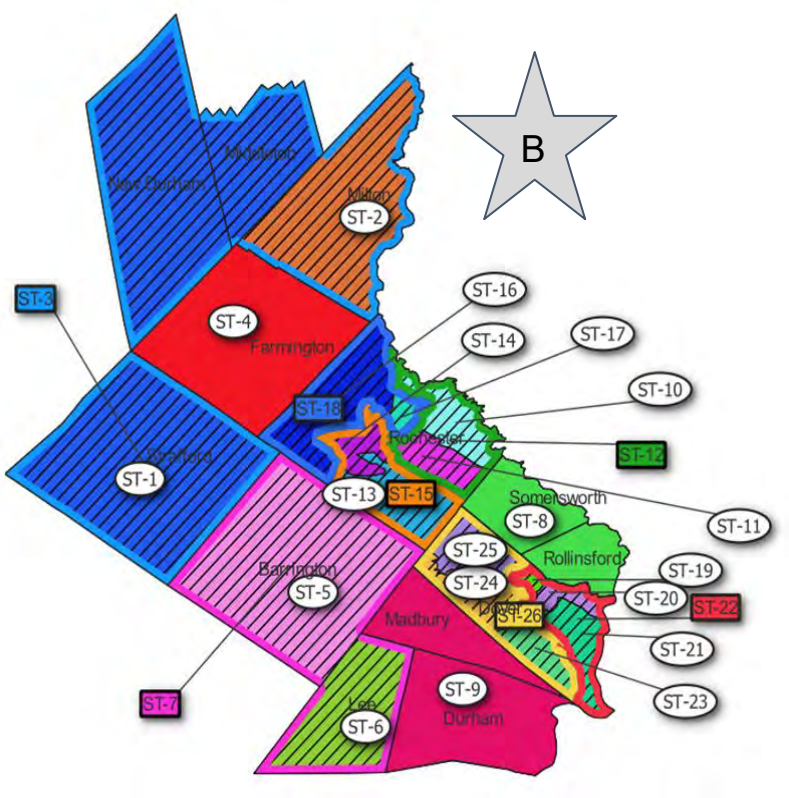
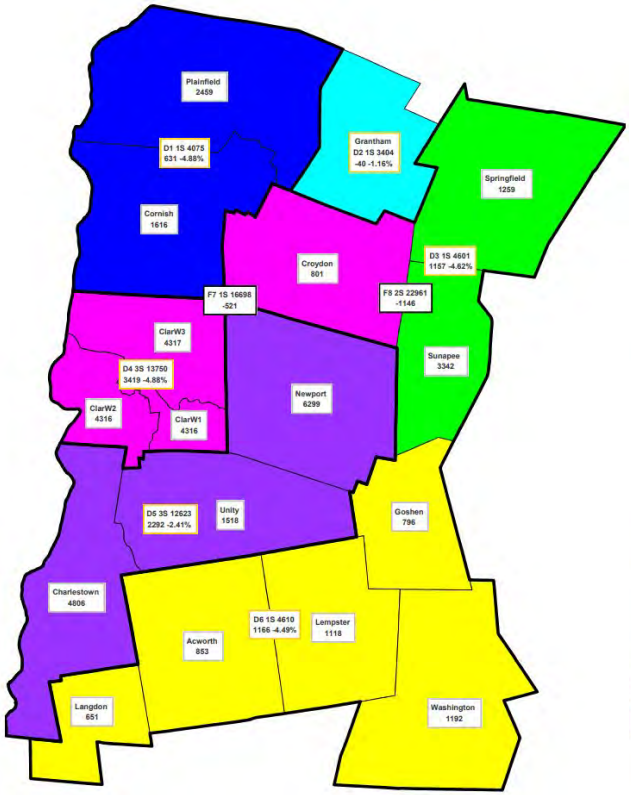


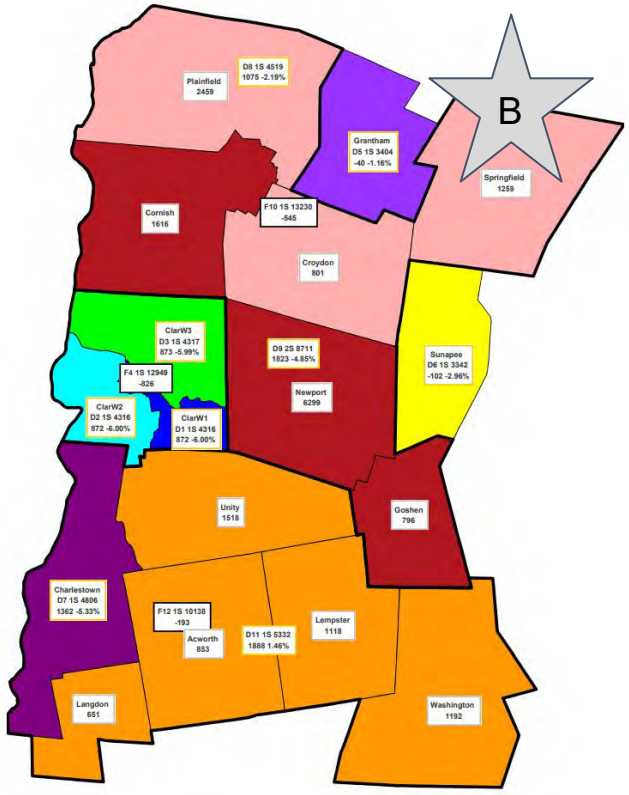


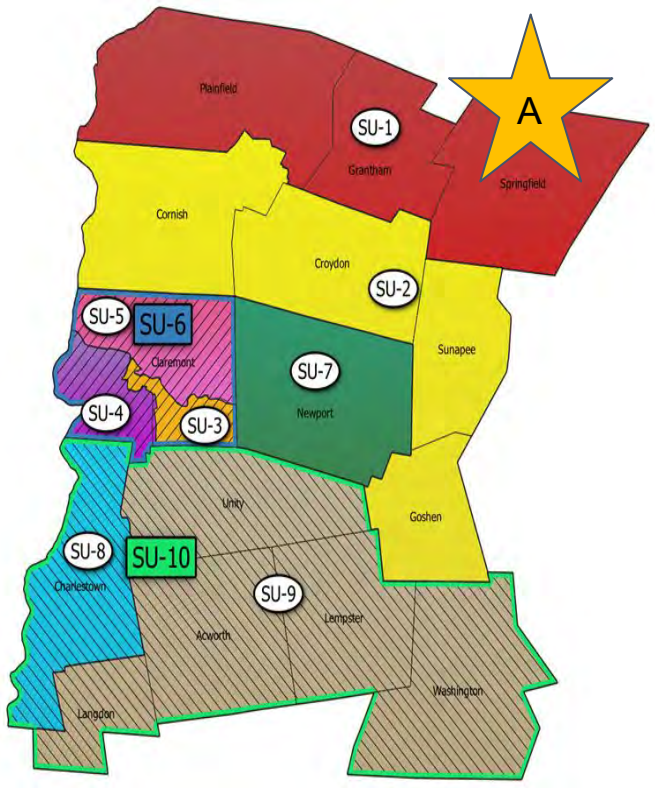


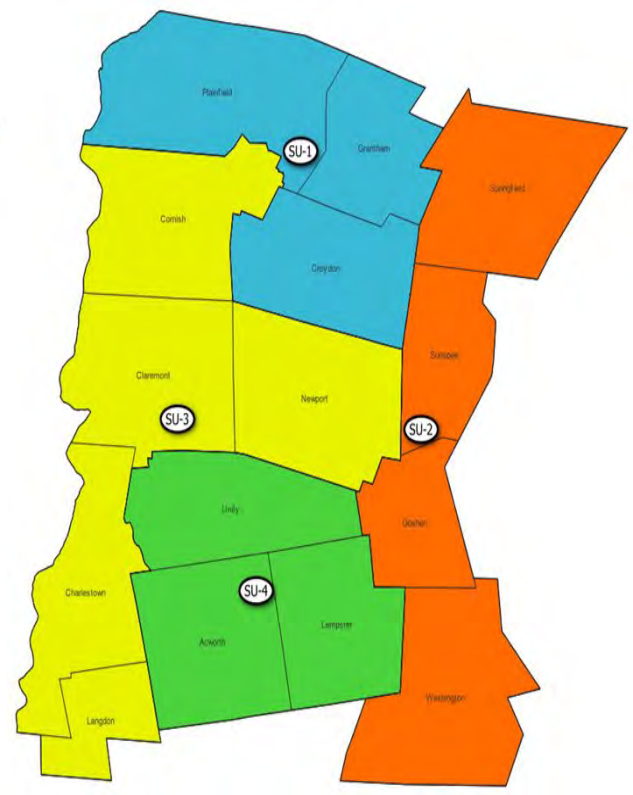
M-A-T 15% Deviation maps goes to -8.2%, but reduces violations while keeping 4 wards in Somersworth together. Strafford, Farmington, & Milton get own district.

Strafford County	Democrats	Republicans	Map-a-Thon 15% Dev. ★	Map-a-Thon ★
Deviation	-4.94% to 4.91% (9.85%)	-4.20% to 4.97% (9.16%)	-8.20% to 4.84% (13.04%)	-4.94% to 4.91% (9.85%)
# Violations	4	6	2	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Float District	6	6	2	6
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	4	4	5	5
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	3	5	5	4
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	3	3	2
Lean of Seats(Lean D/Lean R/Competitive)	20/7/11	20/8/10	20/7/11	20/7/11









M-A-T's -8.55% version reduces violations to 0, has better contiguity, keeps Claremont together, and gives dedicated district to Newport.

Sullivan County	Democrats	Republicans ★	Map-a-Thon 15% Dev ★	Map-a-Thon
Deviation	-4.88% to -1.16% (3.73%)	-6.00% to 1.46% (7.47%)	-8.55% to 3.40% (11.95%)	-4.46% to 1.31% (5.77%)
# Violations	3	1	0	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Float District	5	5	5	5
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3	2	2	8
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	11	6	6	N/A
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	1	1	N/A
Lean of Seats(Lean D/Lean R/Competitive)	2/6/5	1/5/7	2/5/6	2/3/8

Map-a-Thon Proposed Maps

Map-a-thon map summary

County	Total Number of Seats	Averaged 2020 EC & NH Senate Elections		Partisan Lean Proposed NH House Seats					
		Dem (% of votes)	Rep (% of votes)	Lean Dem (# seats)	Lean Dem (% seats)	Lean Rep (# seats)	Lean Rep (% seats)	Competitive (# seats)	Competitive (% seats)
Belknap	18	39.6%	60.4%	0	0.0%	18	100.0%	0	0.0%
Carroll	15	41.1%	58.9%	0	0.0%	10	66.7%	5	33.3%
Cheshire	22	56.2%	43.8%	13	59.1%	3	13.6%	6	27.3%
Coos	9	41.5%	58.5%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	4	44.4%
Grafton	26	57.7%	42.3%	12	46.2%	5	19.2%	9	34.6%
Hillsborough	123	49.7%	50.3%	34	27.6%	28	22.8%	61	49.6%
Merrimack	45	50.4%	49.6%	19	42.2%	16	35.6%	10	22.2%
Rockingham	91	46.5%	53.5%	20	22.0%	63	69.2%	8	8.8%
Strafford	38	54.6%	45.4%	20	52.6%	7	18.4%	11	28.9%
Sullivan	13	47.2%	52.8%	2	15.4%	5	38.5%	6	61.5%
Total	**400**	**49.3%**	**50.7%**	**120**	**30.0%**	**160**	**40.0%**	**120**	**30.0%**

Democrat Proposed Maps

Democrat map summary

County	Total Number of Seats	Averaged 2020 EC & NH Senate Elections		Partisan Lean Proposed NH House Seats					
		Dem (% of votes)	Rep (% of votes)	Lean Dem (# seats)	Lean Dem (% seats)	Lean Rep (# seats)	Lean Rep (% seats)	Competitive (# seats)	Competitive (% seats)
Belknap	18	39.6%	60.4%	0	0.0%	14	77.8%	4	22.2%
Carroll	15	41.1%	58.9%	0	0.0%	10	66.7%	5	33.3%
Cheshire	22	56.2%	43.8%	11	50.0%	1	4.5%	10	45.5%
Coos	9	41.5%	58.5%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	4	44.4%
Grafton	26	57.7%	42.3%	13	50.0%	6	23.1%	7	26.9%
Hillsborough	123	49.7%	50.3%	33	26.8%	30	24.4%	60	48.8%
Merrimack	45	50.4%	49.6%	13	28.9%	17	37.8%	15	33.3%
Rockingham	91	46.5%	53.5%	19	20.9%	65	71.4%	7	7.7%
Strafford	38	54.6%	45.4%	20	52.6%	7	18.4%	11	28.9%
Sullivan	13	47.2%	52.8%	2	15.4%	6	46.2%	5	38.5%
Total	**400**	**49.3%**	**50.7%**	**111**	**27.8%**	**161**	**40.3%**	**128**	**32.0%**

Republican Proposed Maps

Republican map summary

County	Total Number of Seats	Averaged 2020 EC & NH Senate Elections		Partisan Lean Proposed NH House Seats					
		Dem (% of votes)	Rep (% of votes)	Lean Dem (# seats)	Lean Dem (% seats)	Lean Rep (# seats)	Lean Rep (% seats)	Competitive (# seats)	Competitive (% seats)
Belknap	18	39.6%	60.4%	0	0.0%	18	100.0%	0	0.0%
Carroll	15	41.1%	58.9%	0	0.0%	10	66.7%	5	33.3%
Cheshire	22	56.2%	43.8%	13	59.1%	4	18.2%	5	22.7%
Coos	9	41.5%	58.5%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	4	44.4%
Grafton	26	57.7%	42.3%	13	50.0%	7	26.9%	6	23.1%
Hillsborough	123	49.7%	50.3%	36	29.3%	36	29.3%	51	41.5%
Merrimack	45	50.4%	49.6%	17	37.8%	20	44.4%	8	17.8%
Rockingham	91	46.5%	53.5%	20	22.0%	63	69.2%	8	8.8%
Strafford	38	54.6%	45.4%	20	52.6%	8	21.1%	10	26.3%
Sullivan	13	47.2%	52.8%	1	7.7%	5	38.5%	7	53.8%
Total	**400**	**49.3%**	**50.7%**	**120**	**30.0%**	**176**	**44.0%**	**104**	**26.0%**

Map-a-Thon Choice A Summary

Choice A summary

County	Total Number of Seats	Averaged 2020 EC & NH Senate Elections		Partisan Lean Proposed NH House Seats					
		Dem (% of votes)	Rep (% of votes)	Lean Dem (# seats)	Lean Dem (% seats)	Lean Rep (# seats)	Lean Rep (% seats)	Competitive (# seats)	Competitive (% seats)
Belknap	18	39.6%	60.4%	0	0.0%	14	77.8%	4	22.2%
Carroll	15	41.1%	58.9%	0	0.0%	10	66.7%	5	33.3%
Cheshire	22	56.2%	43.8%	11	50.0%	1	4.5%	10	45.5%
Coos	9	41.5%	58.5%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	4	44.4%
Grafton	26	57.7%	42.3%	12	46.2%	5	19.2%	9	34.6%
Hillsborough	123	49.7%	50.3%	34	27.6%	28	22.8%	61	49.6%
Merrimack	45	50.4%	49.6%	13	28.9%	17	37.8%	15	33.3%
Rockingham	91	46.5%	53.5%	20	22.0%	63	69.2%	8	8.8%
Strafford	38	54.6%	45.4%	20	52.6%	7	18.4%	11	28.9%
Sullivan	13	47.2%	52.8%	2	15.4%	5	38.5%	6	46.2%
Total	**400**	**49.3%**	**50.7%**	**112**	**28.0%**	**155**	**38.8%**	**133**	**33.3%**

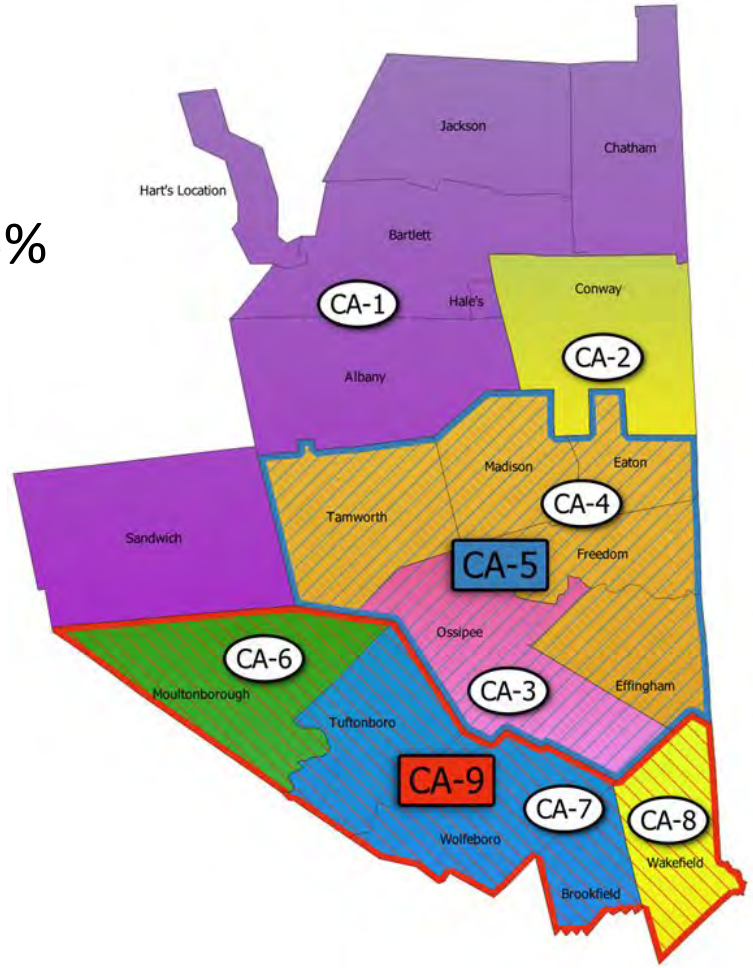
Map-a-Thon Choice B Summary

Choice B summary

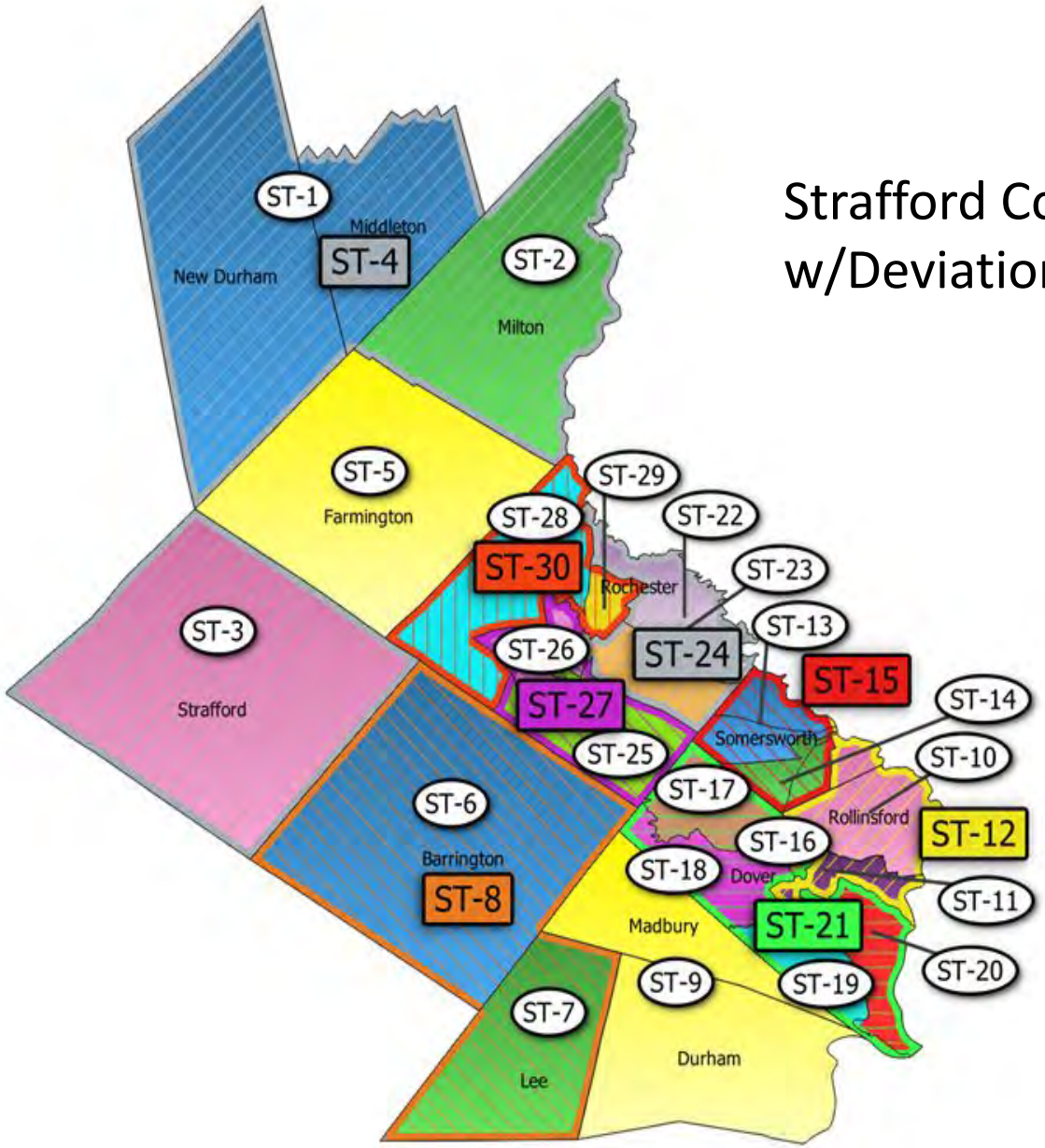
County	Total Number of Seats	Averaged 2020 EC & NH Senate Elections		Partisan Lean Proposed NH House Seats					
		Dem (% of votes)	Rep (% of votes)	Lean Dem (# seats)	Lean Dem (% seats)	Lean Rep (# seats)	Lean Rep (% seats)	Competitive (# seats)	Competitive (% seats)
Belknap	18	39.6%	60.4%	0	0.0%	14	77.8%	4	22.2%
Carroll	15	41.1%	58.9%	0	0.0%	10	66.7%	5	33.3%
Cheshire	22	56.2%	43.8%	11	50.0%	1	4.5%	10	45.5%
Coos	9	41.5%	58.5%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	4	44.4%
Grafton	26	57.7%	42.3%	12	46.2%	5	19.2%	9	34.6%
Hillsborough	123	49.7%	50.3%	34	27.6%	28	22.8%	61	49.6%
Merrimack	45	50.4%	49.6%	13	28.9%	17	37.8%	15	33.3%
Rockingham	91	46.5%	53.5%	20	22.0%	63	69.2%	8	8.8%
Strafford	38	54.6%	45.4%	20	52.6%	7	18.4%	11	28.9%
Sullivan	13	47.2%	52.8%	2	15.4%	3	23.1%	8	61.5%
Total	**400**	**49.3%**	**50.7%**	**112**	**28.0%**	**153**	**38.3%**	**135**	**33.8%**

County	Dem Violations	Rep Violations	Map Violations	Map Dev-15 Violations	Combo Violations	A Violations	B Violations	Choice A	Choice B
Belknap	6	8	5	-	-	6	6	Dem	Dem
Carroll	3	4	3	1	-	1	3	Map Dev-15	Map
Cheshire	3	7	4	-	-	3	3	Dem	Dem
Coos	0	1	0	-	-	0	0	Dem/Map	Dem/Map
Grafton	5	5	3	-	-	3	3	Map	Map
Hillsborough	5	7	6	-	4	4	4	Combo	Combo
Merrimack	5	8	6	-	-	5	5	Dem	Dem
Rockingham	17	14	12	-	10	10	10	Combo	Combo
Strafford	4	6	3	2	-	2	3	Map Dev-15	Map
Sullivan	3	1	3	0	-	0	1	Map Dev-15	Rep
Total	51	61	45			34	38		

Carroll County
w/Deviations Under -5%



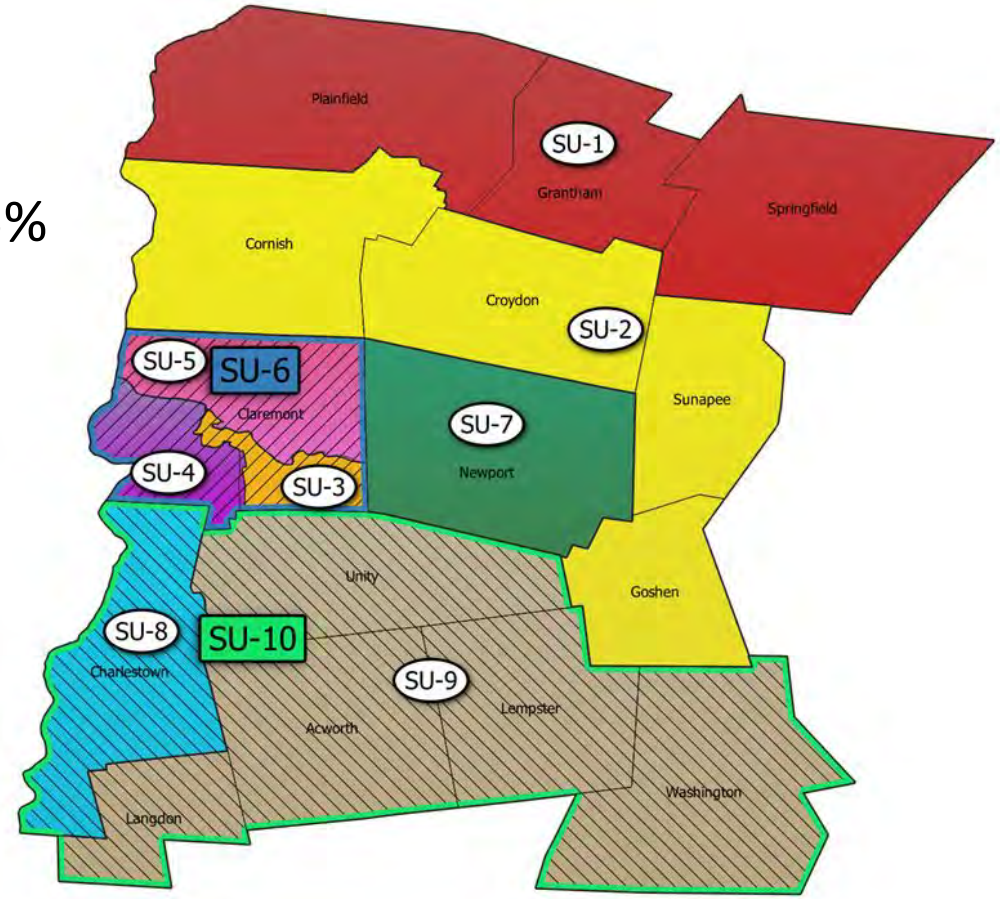
Carroll County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CA-1	6,994	2			Chatham, Jackson, Bartlett, Hart's Location, Hales Location, Albany, Sandwich	1.54%	
CA-2	9,822	3			Conway	-4.93%	
CA-3	4,372	1	CA-5	1	Ossipee	-4.05%	
CA-4	9,162	2			Tamworth, Madison, Eaton, Freedom, Effingham	-0.62%	
CA-6	4,918	1	CA-9	2	Moultonborough	-4.66%	
CA-7	9,638	2			Brookfield, Tuftonboro, Wolfeboro	-5.95%	Wolfeboro
CA-8	5,201	1			Wakefield	-1.06%	
Total	44,906	15				7.49%	1



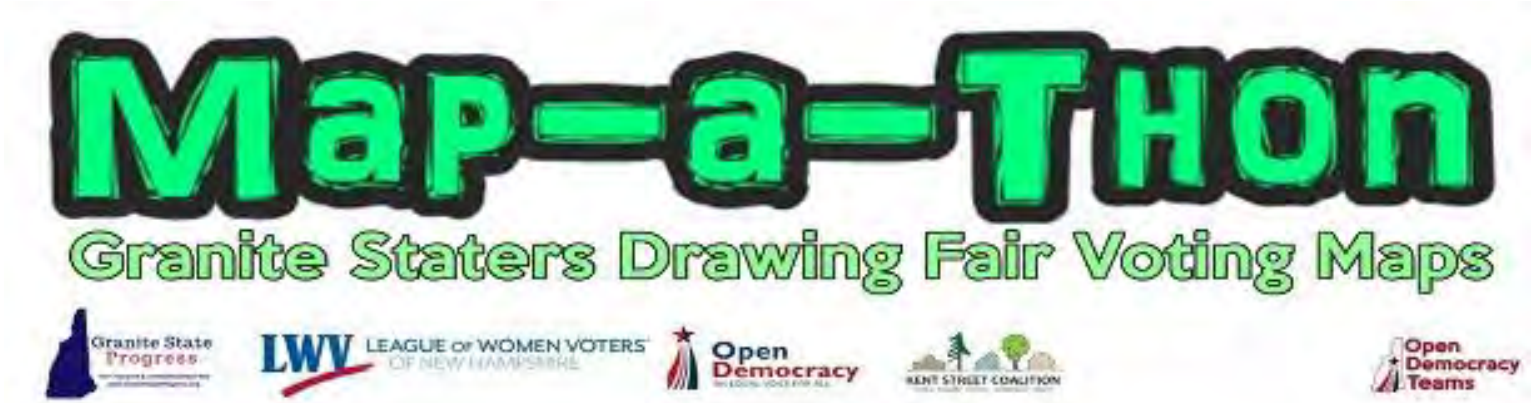
Strafford County w/Deviations Under -5%

Strafford County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
ST-1	4,516	1	ST-4	1	Middleton, New Durham	-2.24%	
ST-2	4,482	1			Milton	-2.79%	
ST-3	4,230	1			Strafford	-6.93%	
ST-5	6,722	2			Farmington	-2.40%	
ST-6	9,326	2	ST-8	1	Barrington	1.29%	
ST-7	4,520	1			Lee	-1.05%	
ST-9	17,408	5			Durham, Madbury	1.10%	Durham
ST-10	4,968	1	ST-12	1	Rollinsford, Somersworth Ward 5*	-2.30%	Somersworth
ST-11	5,457	1			Dover Ward 2*	4.01%	
ST-13	4,742	1	ST-15	1	Somersworth Wards 1-2*	-8.20%	
ST-14	4,742	1			Somersworth Wards 3-4*	-8.20%	
ST-16	5,457	1	ST-21	3	Dover Ward 1*	-0.97%	
ST-17	5,457	1			Dover Ward 3*	-0.97%	
ST-18	5,457	1			Dover Ward 4*	-0.97%	
ST-19	5,457	1			Dover Ward 5*	-0.97%	
ST-20	5,456	1			Dover Ward 6*	-0.98%	
ST-22	5,415	1	ST-24	1	Rochester Ward 1*	4.83%	
ST-23	5,415	1			Rochester Ward 2*	4.83%	
ST-25	5,415	1	ST-27	1	Rochester Ward 3*	4.83%	
ST-26	5,415	1			Rochester Ward 4*	4.83%	
ST-28	5,416	1	ST-30	1	Rochester Ward 5*	4.84%	
ST-29	5,416	1			Rochester Ward 6*	4.84%	
Total	130,889	38				13.05%	2
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							

Sullivan County w/Deviations Under -5%



Sullivan County Proposal							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
SU-1	7,122	2			Plainfield, Grantham, Springfield	3.40%	
SU-2	6,555	2			Cornish, Croydon, Sunapee, Goshen	-4.83%	
SU-3	4,316	1	SU-6	1	Claremont Ward 1*	-6.00%	
SU-4	4,316	1			Claremont Ward 2*	-6.00%	
SU-5	4,317	1			Claremont Ward 3*	-5.99%	
SU-7	6,299	2			Newport	-8.55%	
SU-8	4,806	1	SU-10	1	Charlestown	-5.33%	
SU-9	5,332	1			Acworth, Langdon, Lempster, Unity, Washington	1.46%	
Total	43,063	13				11.95%	0
*Populations used are assumed to be ideal populations for wards							



About the Map-a-Thon

https://www.opendemocracynh.org/nh_map_a_thon

M-A-T Review of NH House Maps:

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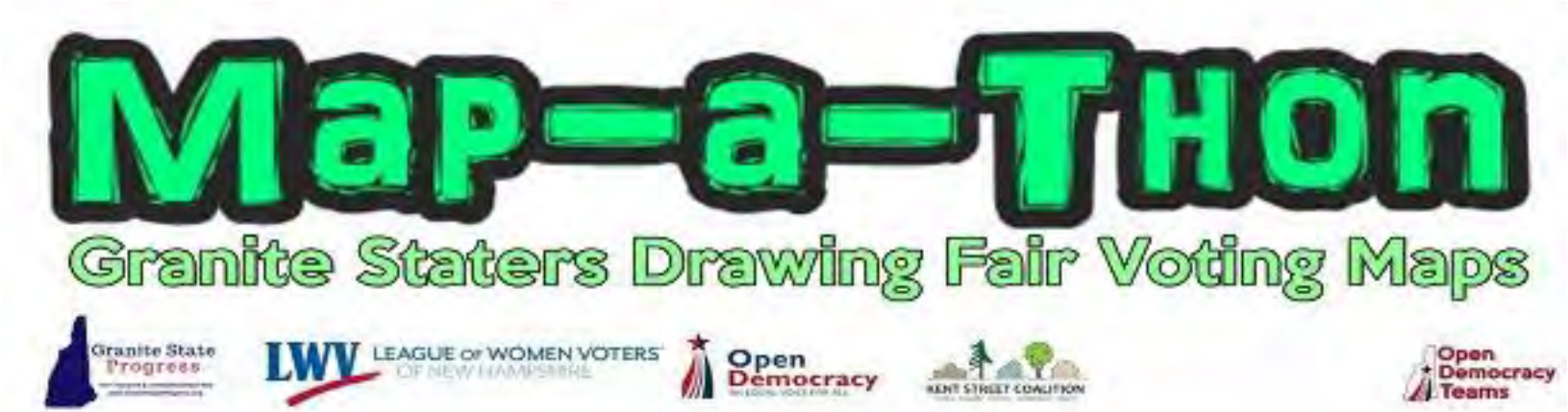

Analysis of Proposed Congressional Map (HB52) w/o Amendment, & NH House Maps (HB50) with Senate's Amendment 2022-0339s

January 28, 2022

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Map-a-Thon Glossary

Community of Interest (COI) Communities of interest can take many forms, but generally refer to groups of people united by shared interests. In the context of redistricting, communities of interest are those communities that share policy concerns, such as similar economic interests, a shared school system, or common resources. Our maps use boundaries of shared high school districts, shared water systems, and shared police and fire protection -- in addition to the boundaries of towns and city wards-- to inform the redistricting process. More information about communities of interest can be found by visiting NYU's Brennan Center

Compactness Compactness helps us measure the cohesiveness of a district. When drawing districts to represent a region, it is best practice to strive for a compact district, since non-compact districts are less likely to share communities of interests (2010's Executive Council & some 2020 NH Senate districts), and the wider area makes it harder for representatives to understand and serve the needs of constituents. Compactness is also used as a check against gerrymandering (see below), since gerrymandered districts tend to not be compact. The compactness scores reported in our analysis come from the DRA compactness calculation described here:

Contiguity Contiguity describes how municipalities in a voting district are geographically connected to each other. Contiguous districts are a requirement for all legislative districts in New Hampshire. This definition is sometimes stretched -- quite literally -- with the towns of Meredith and Gilford only connected in the middle of Lake Winnipesaukee, the towns of Strafford and New Durham connected in an inaccessible point in the woods, and the 2010 floterial district, Grafton 9, for which the elected rep has to travel out of the district to get to constituents on the other side of the district.

Dave's Redistricting Application (DRA) Dave's Redistricting Application, hosted at https://davesredistricting.org is a free online tool for creating, viewing, sharing, and analyzing redistricting maps. The mission of Dave's Redistricting is to, "empower civic organizations and citizen activists to advocate for fair congressional and legislative districts and increased transparency in the redistricting process." Map-a-Thon's maps and most supporting data are located there for public inspection.

Deviation Deviation refers to the degree to which districts have equal population. Ideally, every representative or other elected official in proportional representation will represent the same number of people, but a small amount of flexibility --deviation-- is permissible to account for unequal population distributions and compliance with other laws, such as the 1965 Voting Rights Act or the New Hampshire Constitution's mandate to keep town boundaries intact, and NH Supreme Court Rulings

Floterial District A legislative district that includes several separate Non-Floterial districts. This district "Floats" over the other districts. This method is only used by two states, New Hampshire and Wyoming, and has never been tested in the U.S. Supreme Court.

Gerrymandering Gerrymandering is the practice of drawing district boundaries for partisan advantage. This leads to uncompetitive general elections and districts oriented toward party agendas rather than local interests. Gerrymandered districts often connect regions with little in common, leading to the splitting of cities, counties, and other communities of interest. The leading example of this in New Hampshire is 2010's Executive Council 2 and certain NH Senate districts

Splitting Because our maps are drawn with the goal of avoiding gerrymandering while keeping communities of interest intact, many parts of our analysis examine the number of communities of interest divided, or "splits," contained within a district. The ideal map minimizes the number of districts which cross other administrative boundaries to hold communities of interest intact. Our analyses examine the number of geographical splits necessary. For example, a state senator representing the towns of Dublin and Peterborough would split county lines while keeping a school district intact. Another way of examining splitting is to weight splits by population, the approach taken in the DRA county-splitting metric.

Partisan Lean Number of seats using past election data that are likely to be either Democrat seats, Republican seats, or Competitive seats.

Violation A town that has a population over 3,444 and is eligible for its own district that does not have its own district in the corresponding map. We count one violation per town/city and not by individual wards.

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NH Congressional Map Analysis

- The Map-a-Thon Mapping & Technical team analyzed the Congressional map proposed in HB52 based on numerous factors, and compared the proposal to a new Map-a-Thon submission.
- We conclude that the proposed Republican map has been gerrymandered, with Congressional District 2 "packed" with Democrats, District 1 has been similarly "packed" with Republicans, making both Districts uncompetitive.
- Historically, this is the biggest map shift of the Congressional districts in over 140 years.
- The Map-a-Thon Citizen Mapping Project's Mapping and Technical Team analyzed the Congressional map in detail, and also recommends its own redistricting proposal. This document summarizes our analyses with transparency and fairness.
- The Map-a-Thon team produced similar analyses for NH's Senate, House, and Executive Council redistricting.

Map-a-Thon Proposed Congressional Map

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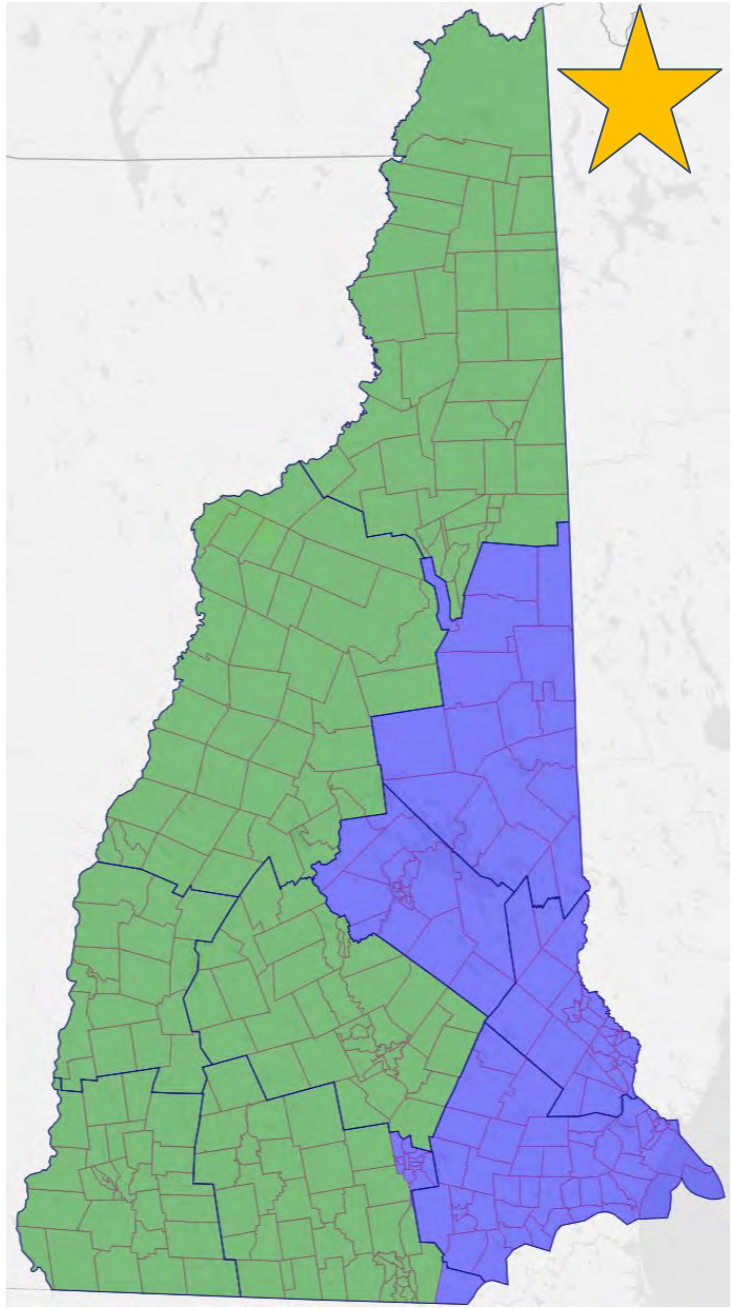

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Map-a-Thon Proposal

- Visually compact
- Deviation of **43**
- Keeps **9 out of 10** county boundaries intact with only Manchester and Pelham as exceptions
- Violates **only 5 SAU boundaries** (94% intact)
- Moves only **12 towns/wards**
- Very **competitive** districts
- No packing of districts
- **Follows** 140 years of precedent

Committee Proposal

- Not visually compact
- Deviation of **177**
- Breaks up **6 of 10** counties
- Violates **10 SAU boundaries**
- Moves **75 towns/wards**
- Moves **365,703** people to a new district
- **Uncompetitive** districts
- District 1 packed with Republicans and District 2 packed with Democrats
- **Breaks** 140 years of precedent

Committee Proposed Congressional Map

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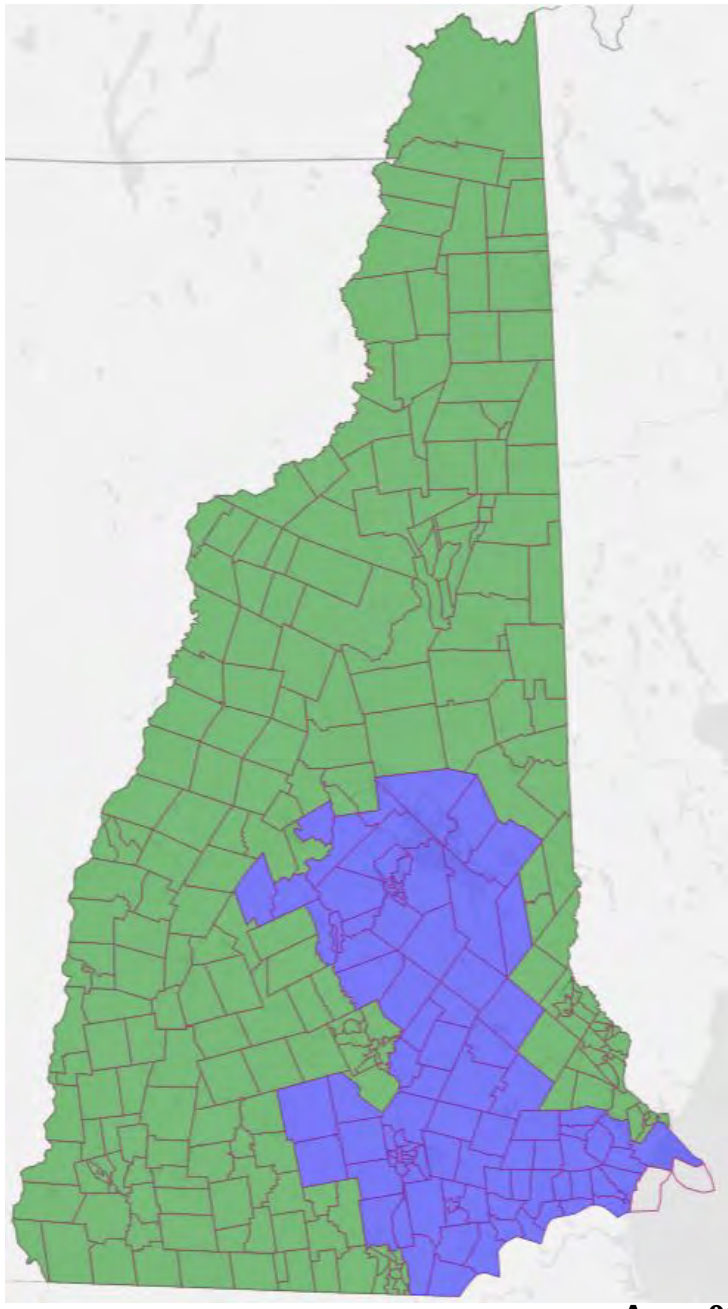

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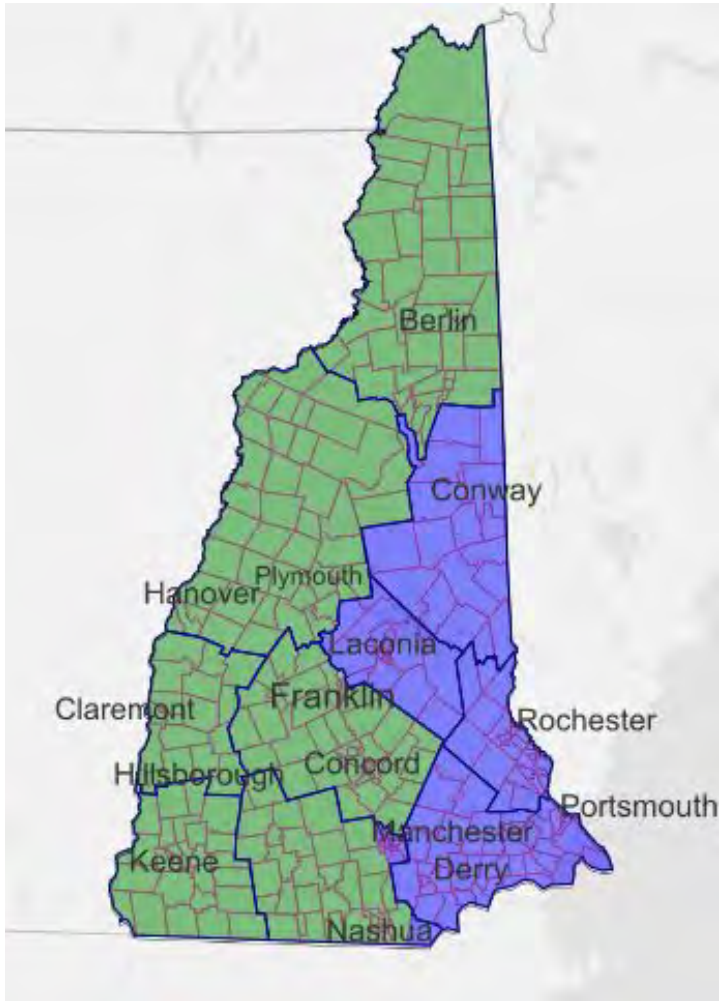
Community of Interest Analysis

Map-a-Thon's Jan. 13, 2022 Congressional District Compromise Map



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Metric Description (percentages)	**Result**	**Metric Description (counts)**	**Result**
Population deviation unused	99.9%		
HS SAUs preserved	94.0%	HS SAUs split	5
Shared water/sewer preserved	90.0%	Shared water/sewer service areas split	2
Shared police and/or fire preserved	100.0%	Shared police and/or fire split	0
Cities SVI>=5 preserved	100.0%	Cities SVI>=5 split	0
Public health regions preserved	69.2%	Public health regions split	4
Regional planning preserved	44.4%	Regional planning split	5
Counties preserved	90.0%	Counties split	1
Towns/wards retained in prior districts	96.3%	Towns/wards NOT retained in prior districts	12
Population retained in prior districts	88.1%	Population NOT retained in prior districts	164496

Additional Information			
Metric Description (percentages)	**Result**	**Metric Description (counts)**	**Result**
		District contiguity (true/false)	TRUE
Towns/wards preserved	100.0%	Towns/wards split	0
Cities preserved	100.0%	Cities split	0
Competitive districts (2020 election)	50.0%	Districts NOT competitive (2020 election)	1

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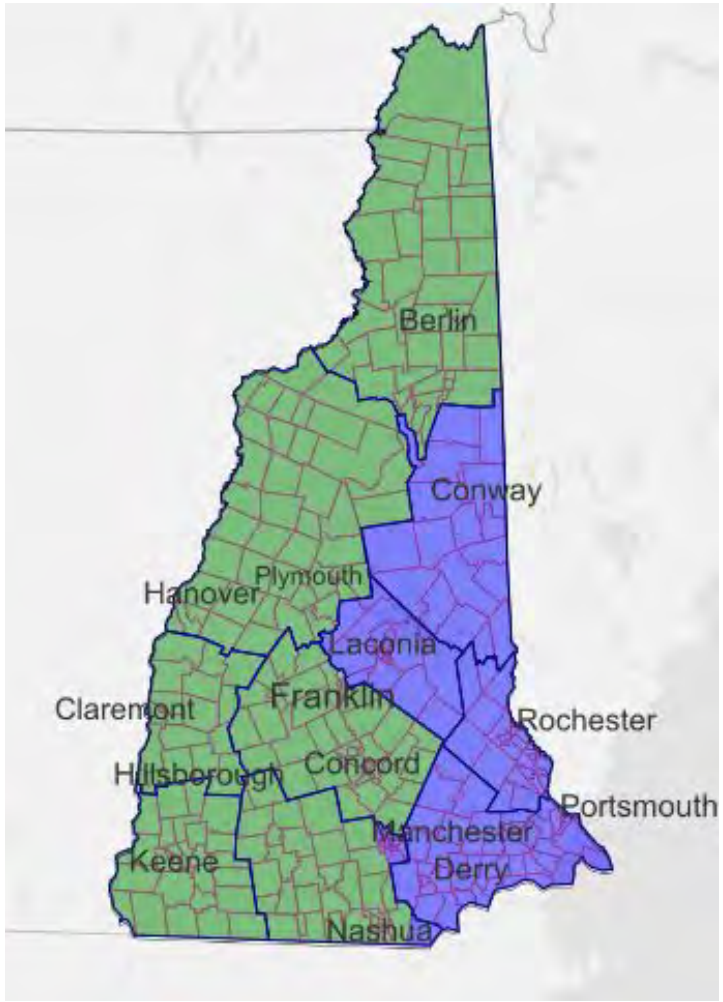
Partisan Analysis

Map-a-Thon's Jan. 13, 2022 Congressional District Compromise Map



	2020 NH Senate Votes		
District	Democrat	Republican	Competitiveness
1	48.2%	51.8%	Competitive
2	51.4%	48.6%	Competitive
Total Vote Share	**49.8%**	**50.2%**	
Seats Won	**1**	**1**	

	2020 NH Executive Council Votes		
District	Democrat	Republican	Competitiveness
1	46.9%	53.1%	Competitive
2	50.5%	49.5%	Competitive
Total Vote Share	**48.7%**	**51.3%**	
Seats Won	**1**	**1**	

	2020 U.S. House Votes			
District	Democrat	Republican	Libertarian	Competitiveness
1	50.7%	46.9%	2.4%	Competitive
2	54.6%	43.1%	2.4%	Leans Democrat
Total Vote Share	**52.6%**	**45.0%**	**2.4%**	
Seats Won	**2**	**0**	**0**	

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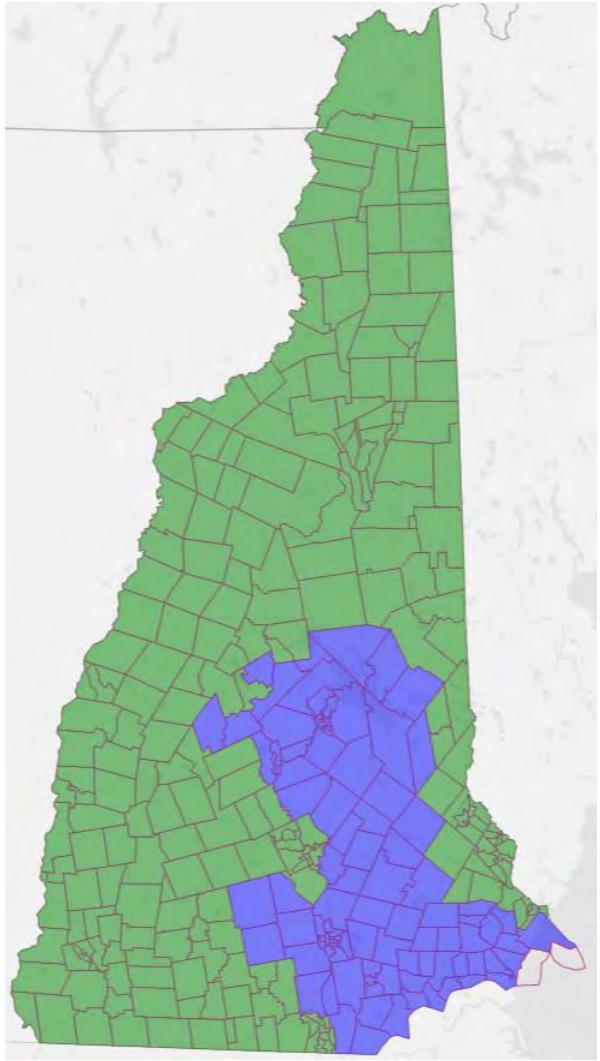
Communities of Interest & Partisan Analysis

NH House-Approved Congressional District Map



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Cities SVI>=5 preserved	100.0%	Cities SVI>=5 split	0
Public health regions preserved	53.8%	Public health regions split	6
Regional planning preserved	33.3%	Regional planning split	6
Counties preserved	40.0%	Counties split	6
Towns/wards retained in prior districts	75.9%	Towns/wards NOT retained in prior districts	75
Population retained in prior districts	73.5%	Population NOT retained in prior districts	365703

Additional Information			
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Cities preserved	100.0%	Cities split	0
Competitive districts (2020 election)	50.0%	Districts NOT competitive (2020 election)	1

	2020 U.S. House Votes			
District	**Democrat**	**Republican**	**Other**	**Competitiveness**
1	47.9%	49.7%	2.3%	Competitive
2	57.4%	40.1%	2.5%	Leans Democrat
Total Vote Share	**52.6%**	**45.0%**	**2.4%**	
Seats Won	1	1	0	

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NH Congressional Map Takeaways

- The Committee proposed map is a drastic shift from the current map offering few benefits outside of low population deviation. The boundaries of the districts are not visually compact, in large part due to the long neck that splits Carroll County and connects Portsmouth and Dover to the rest of District 2 (historically, a district that represents the western part of New Hampshire).
- These and other major changes suggest that the map was **drawn with a goal of securing a partisan advantage**.
- The Map-a-thon proposed map satisfies statutory criteria while prioritizing communities of interest and achieving very low deviation (0.01%), a good balance of rural and urban areas, and districts with levels of competitiveness that are similar to the current map.
- It is the responsibility of the legislature to define districts based on principles of equality rather than partisan advantage.
- Several aspects of the proposed districts appear to be **designed for partisan advantage**.

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NH House Map Analysis, updated with 1/31/22 Amendment 2022-0339s

- The New Hampshire House Redistricting Committee developed redistricting proposals for the 400-member NH House of Representatives.
- On 16 November 2021, the Committee voted “Ought to Pass” on its proposal, known as HB50.
- The full House voted to pass HB50 on January 5th. To become law, the NH Senate will vote on it soon, and the Governor will then either approve or veto.
- The Map-a-Thon Citizen Mapping Project’s Mapping and Technical Team analyzed the HB50 maps in detail, and also recommends its own redistricting proposals. This document summarizes our analyses with transparency and fairness.
- The Map-a-Thon team produced similar analyses for NH’s Congressional, Senate, and Executive Council redistricting. [See all the Map-a-Thon Reports]

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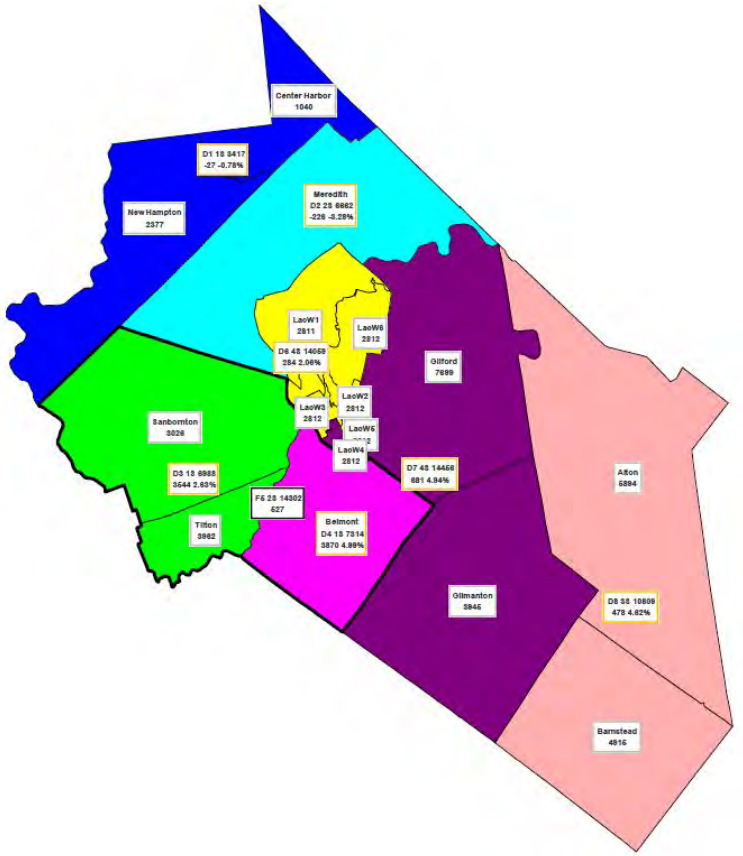
Belknap County

Both maps are the same except for one Laconia ward is combined with Gilford and Gilmanton. In our recommendation this leads to 4 competitive seats in Laconia and with the Committee's proposal there are zero competitive seats. This may change when Laconia redraws it's wards.



Belknap County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map
Deviation	-3.28% to 4.99% (8.27%)	-3.28% to 4.99% (8.27%)
# Violations	6	6
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	5	5
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	4	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	3	3
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	0/14/4	0/18/0

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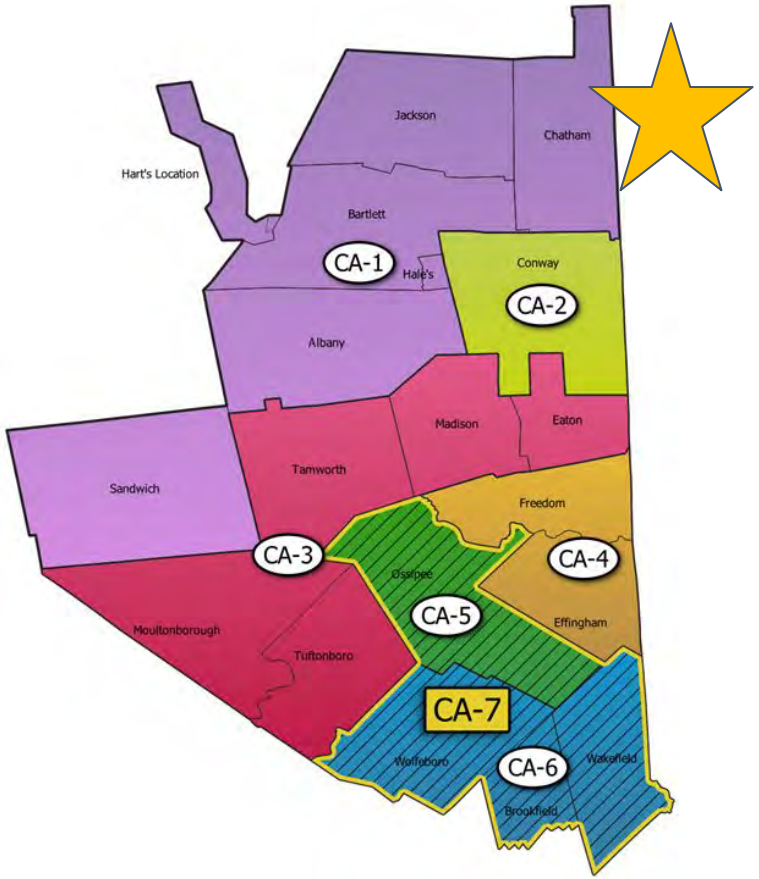
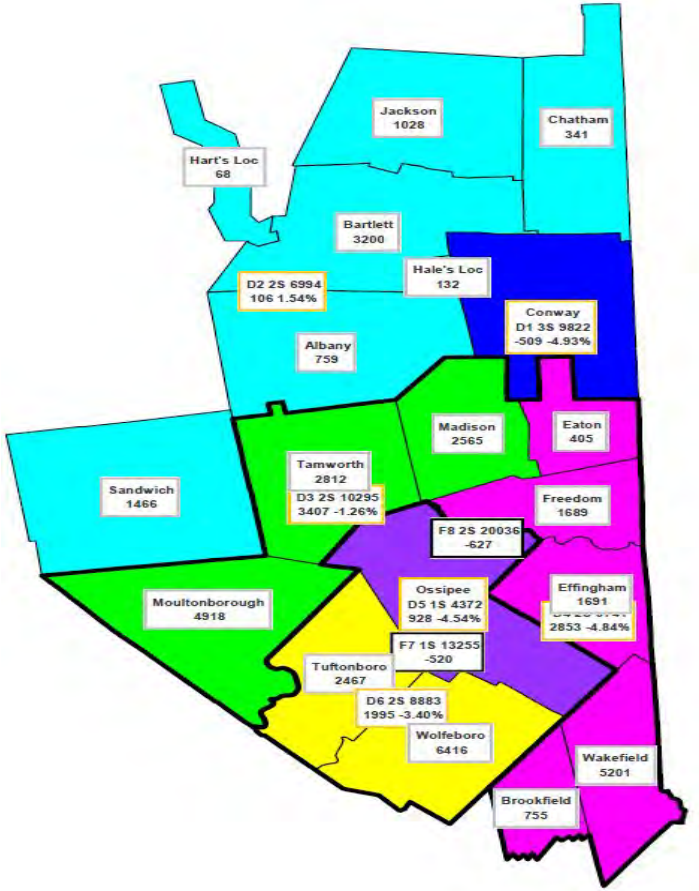
Carroll County

Both maps are similar, with Conway and Ossipee getting their own districts, and the district from Sandwich to Chatham being the same. The main difference is that the Committee's map creates a very large floterial district spanning from Moultonborough to Brookfield totalling 8 towns. Map-a-Thon's proposal has a smaller floterial and gives Freedom and Effingham a small district together.





Carroll County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map
Deviation	-4.93% to 1.54% (6.47%)	-4.93% to 1.54% (6.48%)
# Violations	3	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Float District	7	7
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	4	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	4	8
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	1	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	0/10/5	0/10/5

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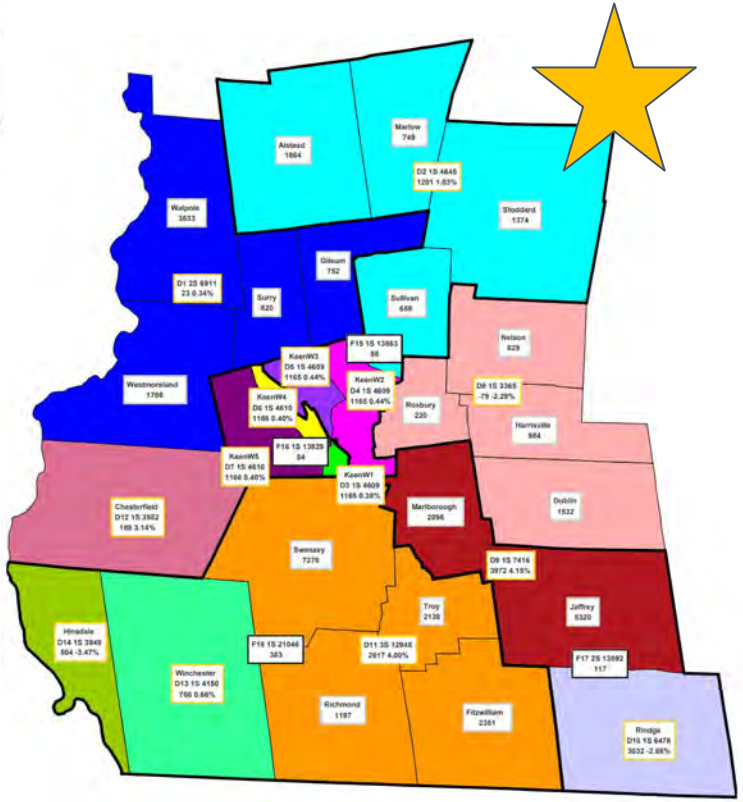
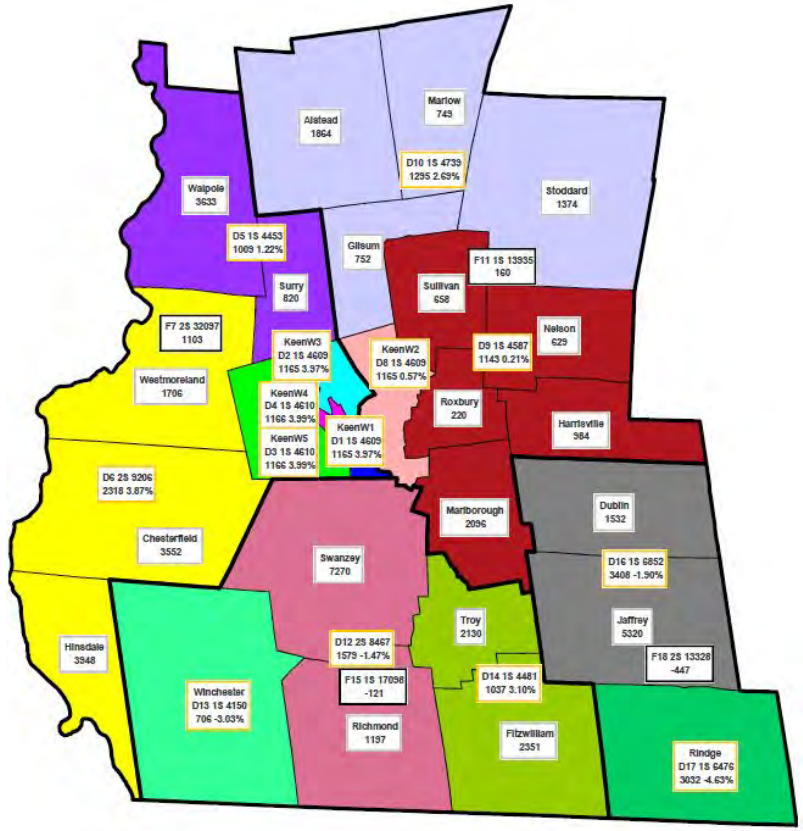
Cheshire County

The Committee's map is an improvement on the majority's initial proposal, but does not go as far as Map-a-Thon's recommended map in terms of towns getting their own district if eligible. The committee's map does give Rindge and Winchester their own district, a positive.





Map-a-Thon also separates Hinsdale and Chesterfield to give them their own district.

Cheshire County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map
Deviation	-3.47% to 4.15% (7.62%)	-4.63% to 3.99% (8.62%)
# Violations	3	5
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	4	5
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3	2
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	6	10
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	11/1/10	12/3/7

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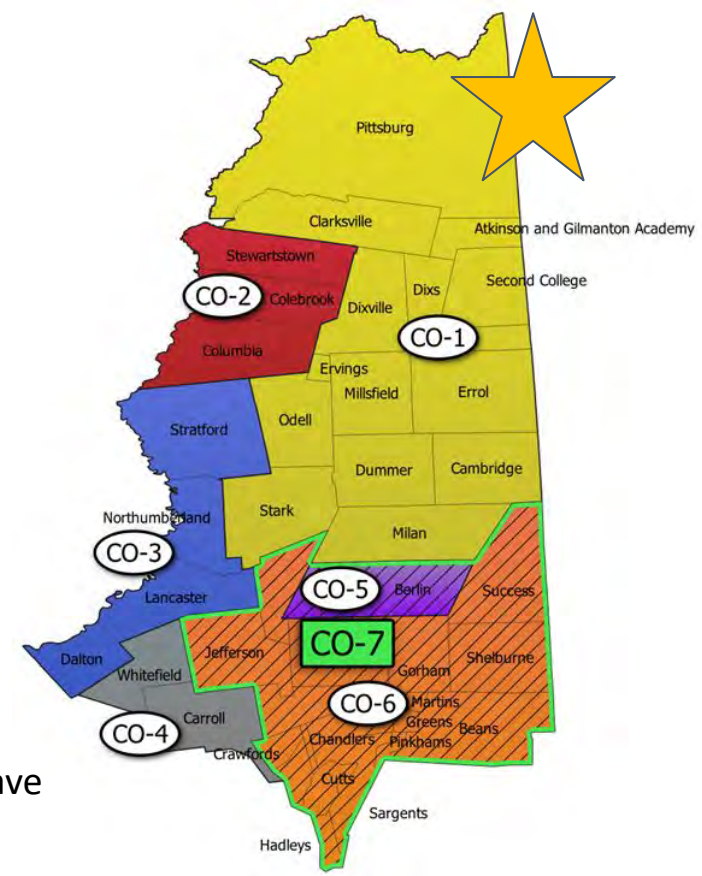
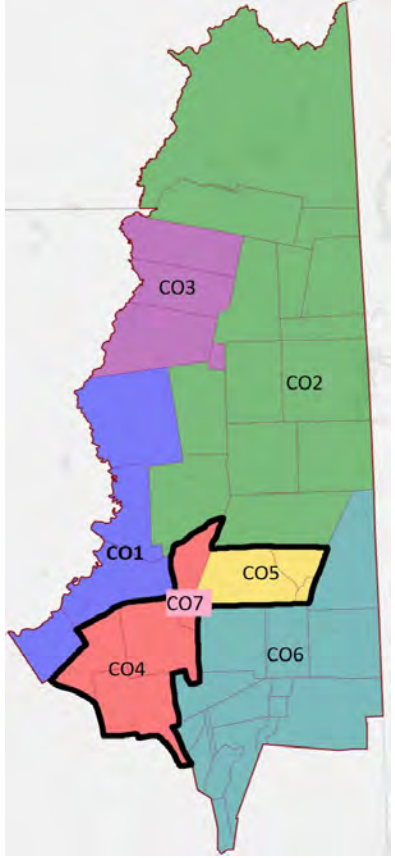
Coos County

The Senate's Amendment to Coos County is an improvement over the House's final map which did not give Berlin it's own district. It does pair Jefferson with Carroll and Whitefield which allows Republicans a better chance to win the floterial seat in Coos.

Map-a-Thon's proposal pairs Jefferson with Randolph, Gorham and Shelburne so that these towns can be paired with Berlin in a floterial which they have more in common with. Whitefield and Carroll are then paired in a small district.

Note: Map-a-Thon's proposal has a floterial with 18 towns but only 5 have populations of over 5 people with most being land grants in the White Mountains.





Coos County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map w/ Senate Amendment
Deviation	-3.89% to 4.80% (8.68%)	-3.95% to 4.80% (8.75%)
# Violations	0	0
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	17	17
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	2	2
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	18 (see note above)	5
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	1	1
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	0/5/4	0/5/4

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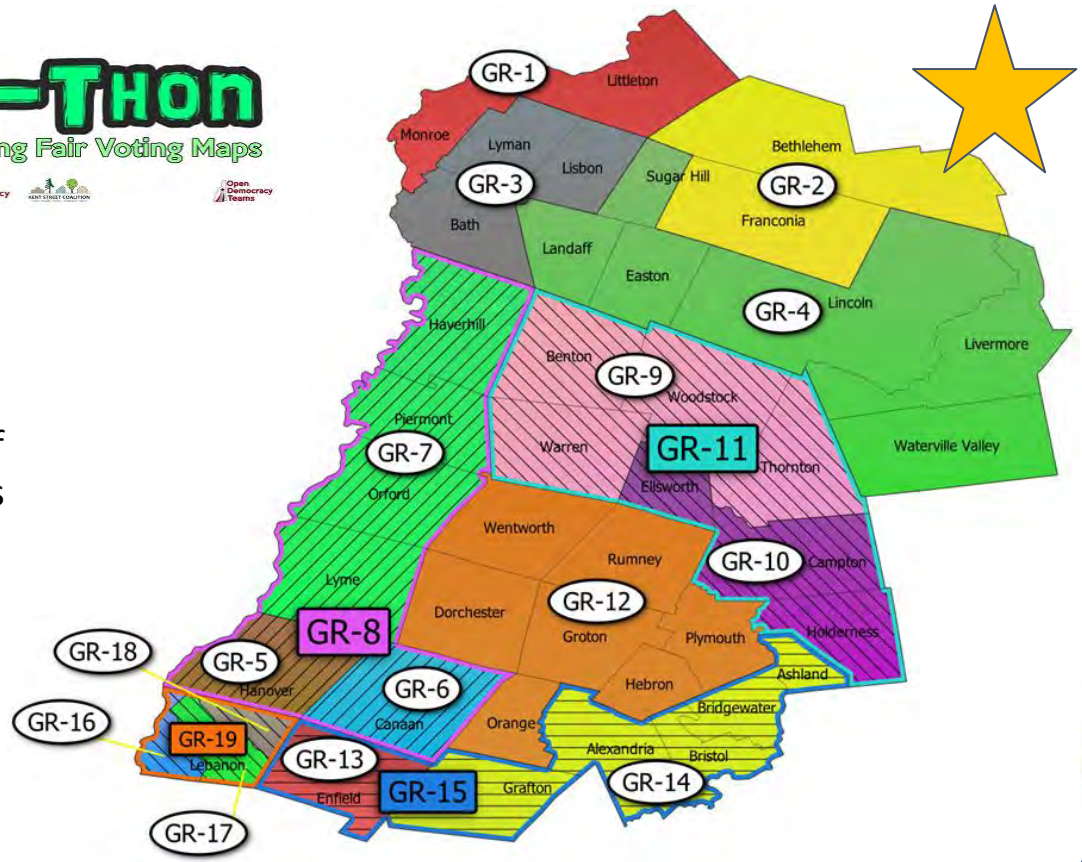
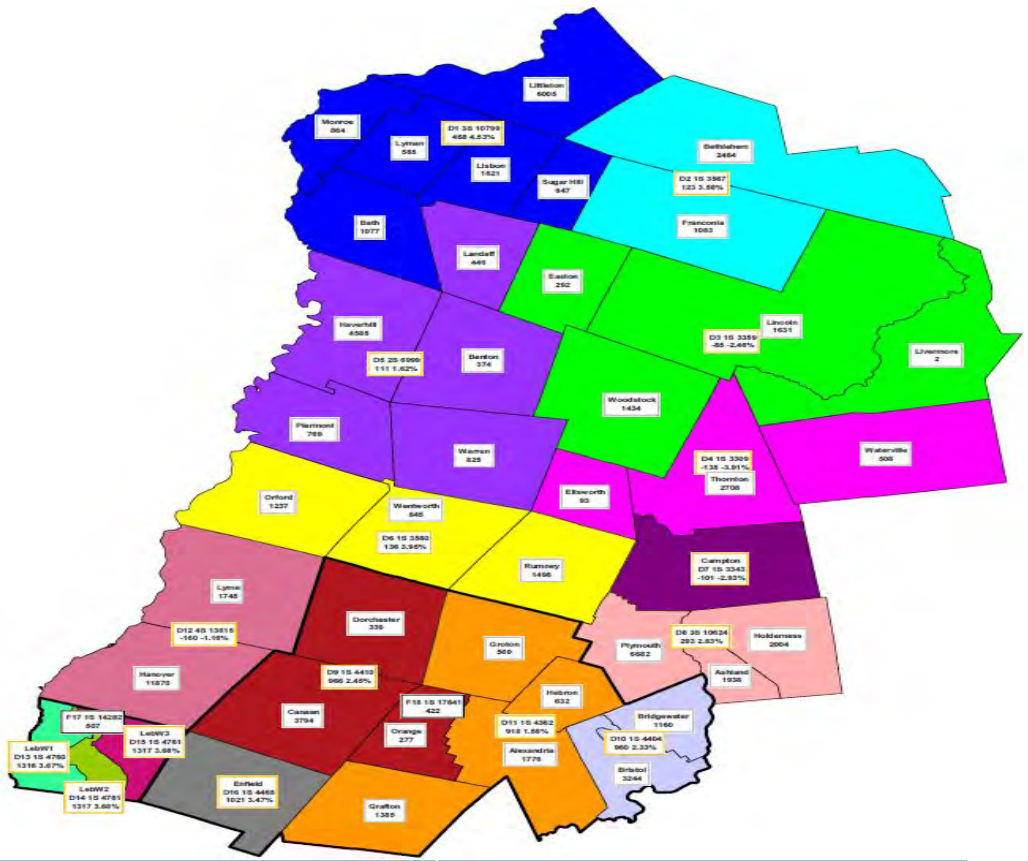
Grafton County

The northern section of the Committee's map is reasonable with small compact districts. The southern section is where the committee's map has issues. It does not give Hanover or Canaan their own districts and creates a very large 10-town floterial district. The committee's map does have a lower deviation, but the Map-a-Thon map is a superior plan.





Grafton County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map
Deviation	-4.87% to 4.99% (9.86% overall)	-3.91% to 4.53% (8.44% overall)
# Violations	3	5
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	6	6
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	7	10
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	7	1
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	12/5/9	13/7/6

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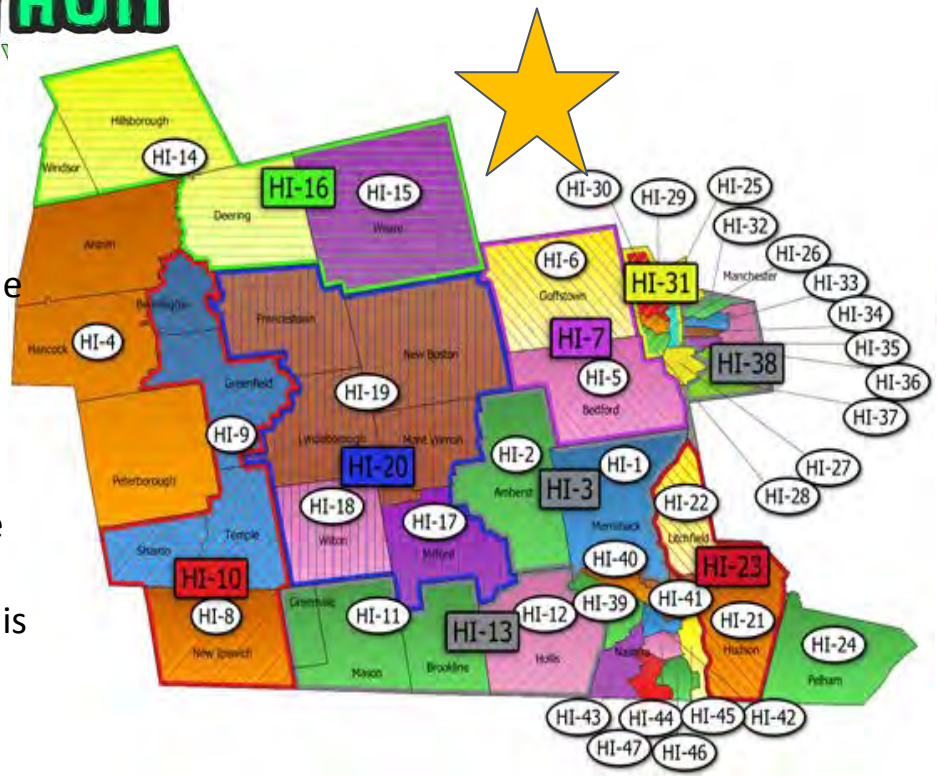
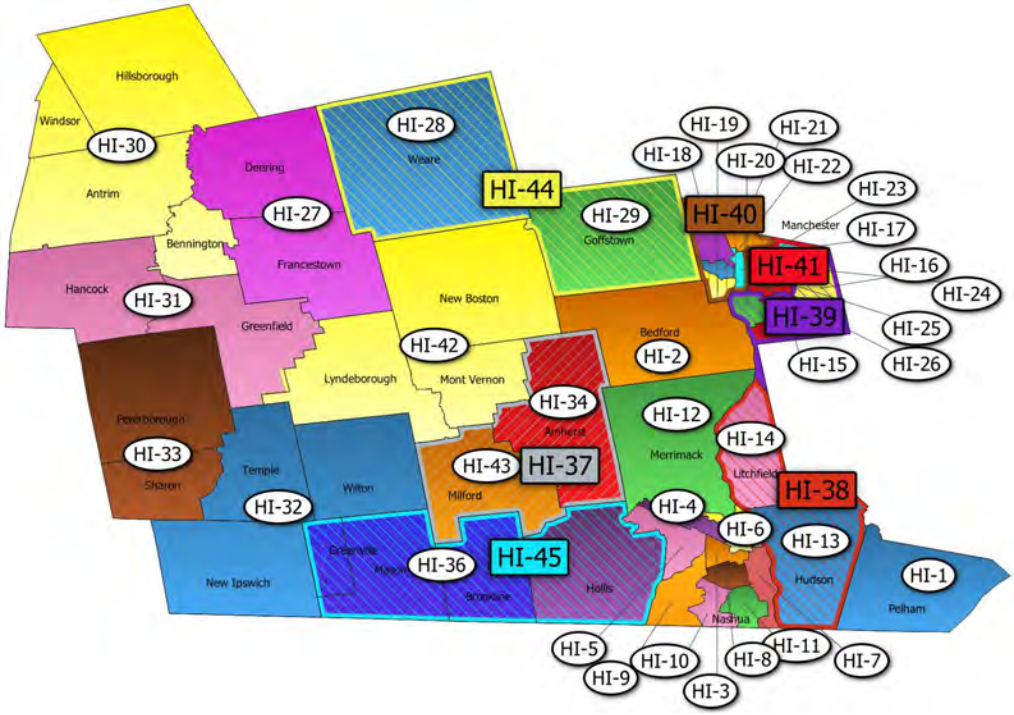
Hillsborough County

After Manchester changed their wards, the Senate had to change the proposed map in order to give Manchester one more seat. This realigned some of the rest of the county. Manchester is now aligned to give Republicans a better chance to win 6 seats rather than 4. Weare is now given its own district, which is an improvement, and the Senate amendment does have a lower deviation and smaller floterials.





The Map-a-Thon proposal however has 2 fewer violations, with New Ipswich and Wilton being given their own districts. It also creates 8 more competitive seats than the Committee's Amendment.

Hillsborough County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map w/ Senate Amendment
Deviation	-4.77% to 4.54% (9.31%)	-3.33% to 4.80% (8.13%)
# Violations	4	6
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	4	4
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	10	8
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	6	5
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	5	4
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	34/28/61	38/32/53

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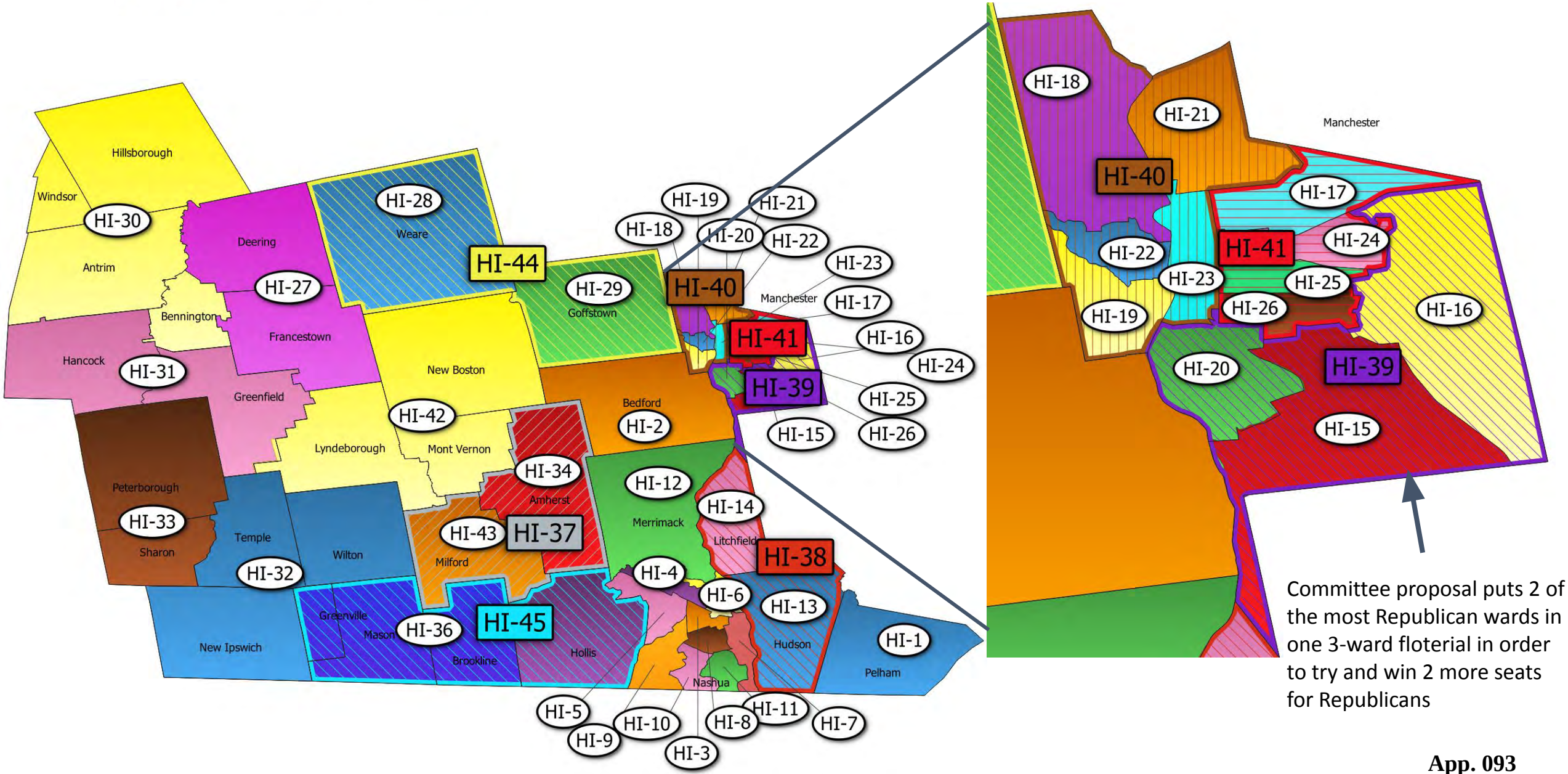
Closer Look at the Senate Amendment for Hillsborough



Committee proposal puts 2 of the most Republican wards in one 3-ward floterial in order to try and win 2 more seats for Republicans

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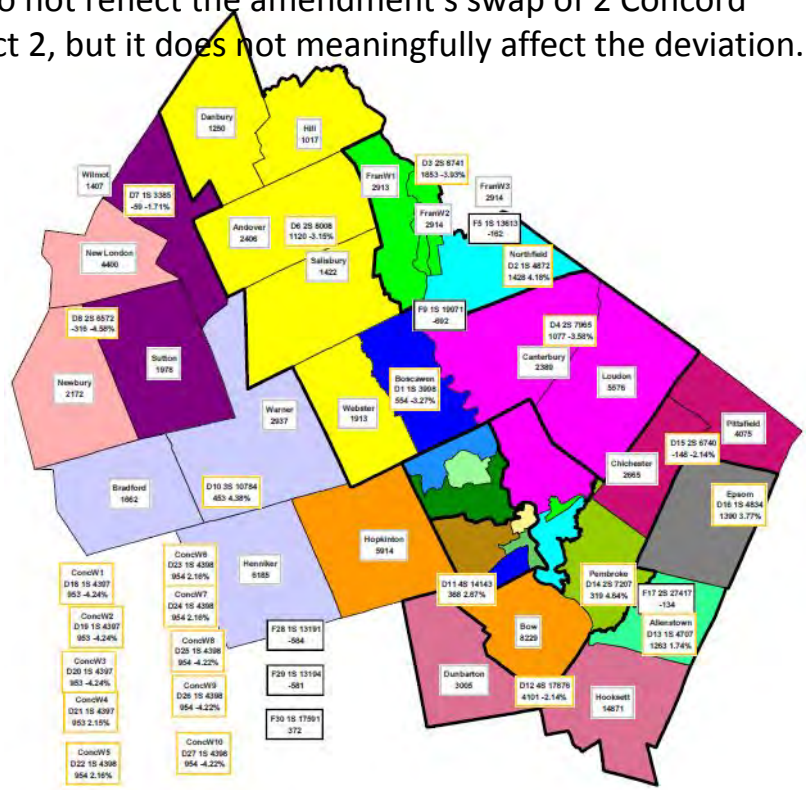
Merrimack County

The committee's map has 2 more violations than the Map-a-Thon recommendation. Hooksett and Bow get their own districts under the Map-a-Thon recommendation. The committee's map does have smaller more compact districts in the northwestern part of the county. But, the committee's map combines the Democrat-leaning town of Dunbarton with the Republican-leaning town of Hooksett, thus diluting the Democrat vote in Dunbarton and giving the Republicans an additional Republican leaning seat.

*These maps do not reflect the amendment's swap of 2 Concord Wards in District 2, but it does not meaningfully affect the deviation.



Merrimack County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map w/ Senate Amendment
Deviation	-4.24% to 4.64% (8.88%)	-4.58% to 4.64% (9.22%)
# Violations	5	7
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	4	5
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	7	8
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	13/17/15	17/20/8

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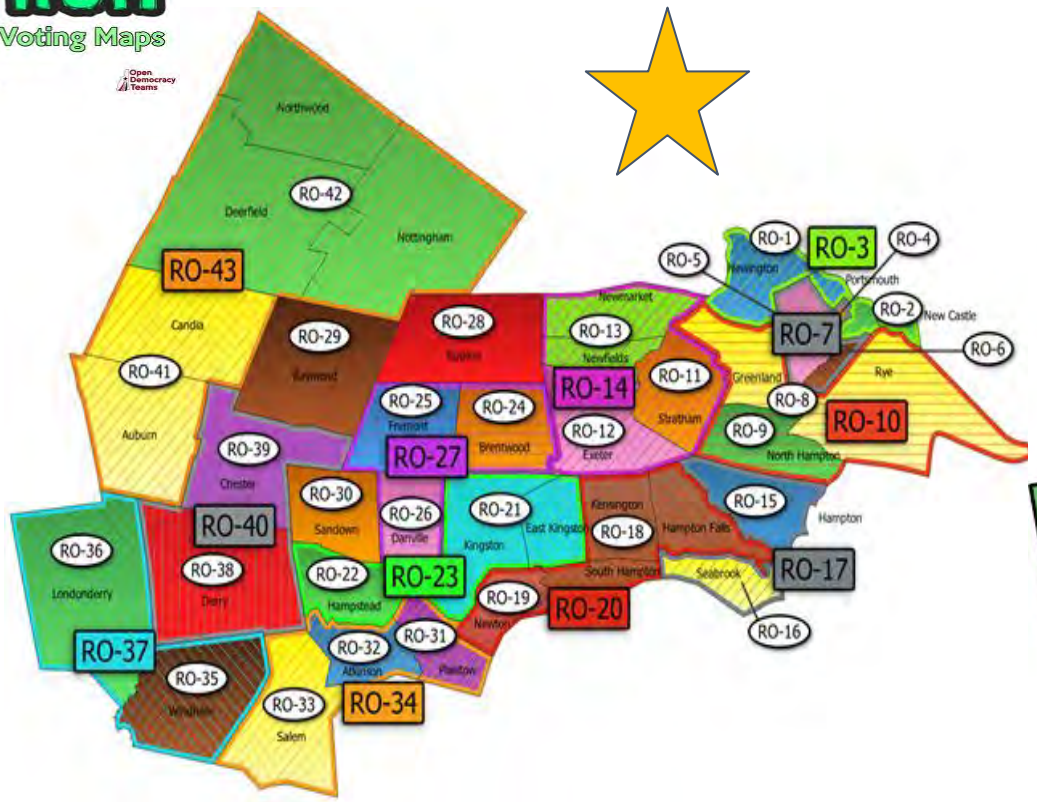
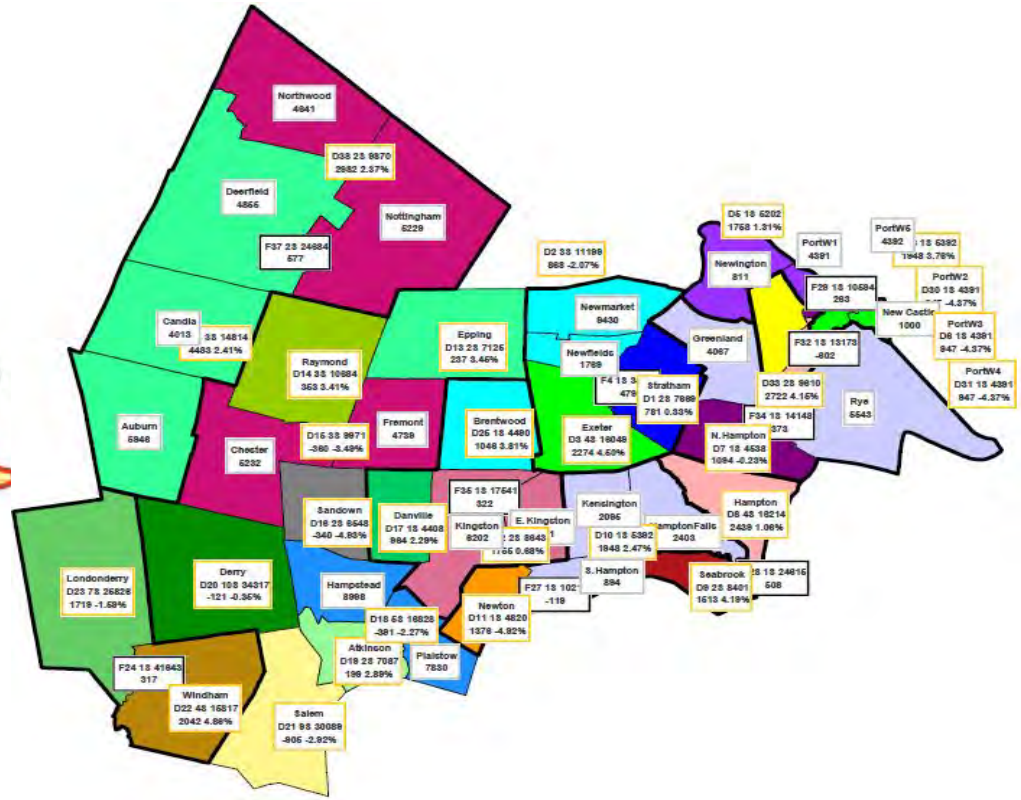
Rockingham County

The committee's map has 4 more violations than the Map-a-Thon's recommendation. The eastern part of the map is the same in both but the western section is very different. Chester, Fremont, Hampstead, and Plaistow all get their own districts under the Map-a-Thon recommendation. Deerfield also is put with Northwood and Nottingham, which aligns with testimony from residents of Deerfield at the public hearing.





Rockingham County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map
Deviation	-4.92% to 4.86% (9.78%)	-4.93% to 4.86% (9.80%)
# Violations	10	14
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Floterial District	3	3
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	8	10
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	5	5
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	4	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	20/63/8	20/63/8

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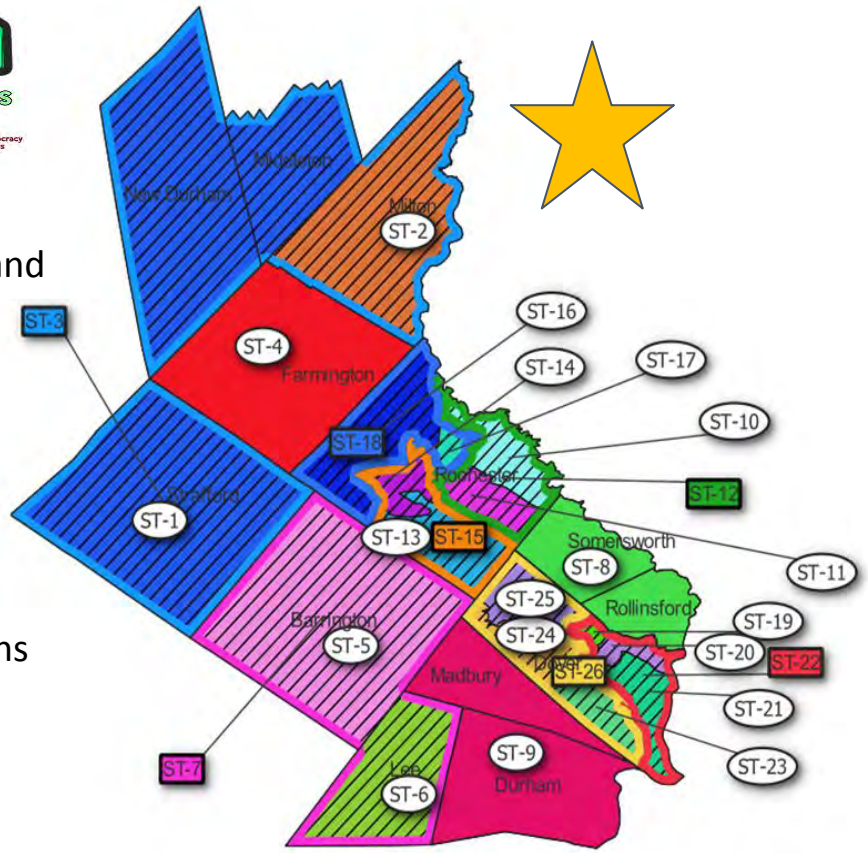
Strafford County

The committee's map breaks up both Dover and Rochester while also not giving Milton, Barrington, and Lee their own districts; although it does give Durham its own district. It's likely the district was constructed to help the incumbent win reelection in Barrington. Barrington is a swing town, and thus by combining it with the more Republican Strafford, it trades a fairer map for other towns with giving the Republican rep there a better chance of winning. the committee map has a slightly lower deviation.



Map-a-Thon's recommendation has 4 fewer violations! There is also a way to combine a ward in Rochester with a ward in Dover to decrease the deviations and allow for more wiggle room with new ward lines.

Strafford County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation	HB50 Map
Deviation	-4.94% to 4.91% (9.85%)	-4.20% to 4.97% (9.16%)
# Violations	3	7
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Float District	6	6
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	5	4
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	4	5
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2	3
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	20/7/11	20/8/10

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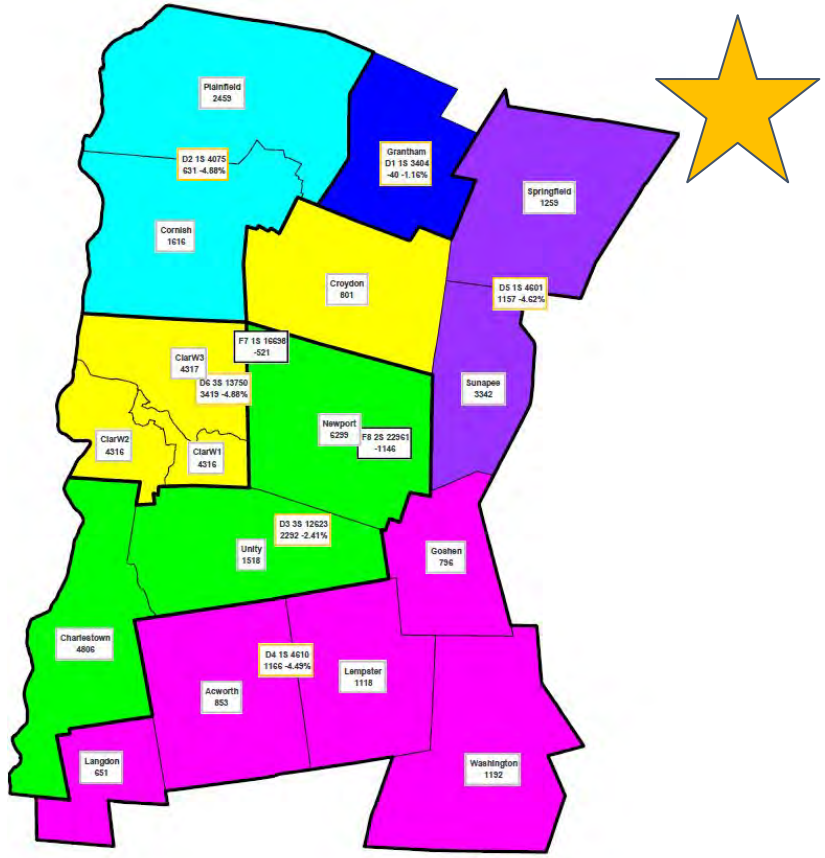
Sullivan County

Map-a-Thon is recommending the same map as the Committee. Sullivan County is very difficult to map with the current population numbers and although this map has issues, it is the best map available with +/- 5% deviation.

While we concur with the committee on this map, its construction raises best practice concerns. The Claremont & Croydon district (yellow) is *technically*, although not *practically*, contiguous.

Even more questionable is the floterial district encompassing Grantham & Plainfield (light blue) and the towns of Charlestown, Unity and Newport (green), crisscrossing between Claremont and Croydon.

Widening of the allowed deviation would likely prevent the need for these radical solutions.



Sullivan County	Map-a-Thon Recommendation / HB50 Map
Deviation	-4.88% to -1.16% (3.73%)
# Violations	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Non-Float District	5
Largest # Reps in a Non-Floterial District	3
# Towns/Wards in Largest Floterial District	11
Largest # Reps in a Floterial District	2
Partisan Lean of Seats (Lean Dem/Lean Rep/Competitive)	2/6/5

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Predicted Partisan Lean for Proposed NH House Maps

Comparison of **predicted** two-party vote share by county and seats, *using the average of the 2020 NH Executive Council and NH Senate elections' two-party vote share*, which totaled 49.3% Democrat and 50.7% Republican for the state.

The averaged two-party vote share is calculated for each district based on its constituent town(s)/ward(s). All seats in the district are assigned 'Lean Dem', 'Lean Rep', or 'Competitive' depending on whether the predicted Democrat vote share is >55%, the predicted Republican vote share is >55%, or neither party is predicted >55% vote share.

Map-a-Thon Proposed Maps

County	Total Number of Seats	Averaged 2020 EC & NH Senate Elections		Partisan Lean Proposed NH House Seats					
		Dem (% of votes)	Rep (% of votes)	Lean Dem (# seats)	Lean Dem (% seats)	Lean Rep (# seats)	Lean Rep (% seats)	Competitive (# seats)	Competitive (% seats)
Belknap	18	39.6%	60.4%	0	0.0%	14	77.8%	4	22.2%
Carroll	15	39.6%	60.4%	0	0.0%	10	66.7%	5	33.3%
Cheshire	22	56.2%	43.8%	11	50.0%	1	4.5%	10	45.5%
Coos	9	41.5%	58.5%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	4	44.4%
Grafton	26	57.7%	42.3%	12	46.2%	5	19.2%	9	34.6%
Hillsborough	123	49.7%	50.3%	34	27.6%	28	22.8%	61	49.6%
Merrimack	45	50.4%	49.6%	13	28.9%	17	37.8%	15	33.3%
Rockingham	91	46.5%	53.5%	20	22.0%	63	69.2%	8	8.8%
Strafford	38	53.8%	46.2%	20	52.6%	7	18.4%	11	28.9%
Sullivan	13	47.2%	52.8%	2	15.4%	6	46.2%	5	38.5%
Total	**400**			**112**	**28.0%**	**156**	**39.0%**	**132**	**33.0%**

That's 25% more competitive seats than the Committee's maps!

House Committee Maps (HB50) with Senate Amendment

County	Total Number of Seats	Averaged 2020 EC & NH Senate Elections		Partisan Lean Proposed NH House Seats					
		Dem (% of votes)	Rep (% of votes)	Lean Dem (# seats)	Lean Dem (% seats)	Lean Rep (# seats)	Lean Rep (% seats)	Competitive (# seats)	Competitive (% seats)
Belknap	18	39.3%	60.7%	0	0.0%	18	100.0%	0	0.0%
Carroll	15	39.5%	60.5%	0	0.0%	10	66.7%	5	33.3%
Cheshire	22	56.2%	43.8%	12	54.5%	3	13.6%	7	31.8%
Coos	9	43.0%	57.0%	0	0.0%	5	55.6%	4	44.4%
Grafton	26	57.9%	42.1%	13	50.0%	7	26.9%	6	23.1%
Hillsborough	123	49.6%	50.4%	38	30.9%	32	26.0%	53	43.1%
Merrimack	45	50.2%	49.8%	17	37.8%	20	44.4%	8	17.8%
Rockingham	91	47.9%	52.1%	20	22.0%	63	69.2%	8	8.8%
Strafford	38	55.5%	44.5%	20	52.6%	8	21.1%	10	26.3%
Sullivan	13	46.3%	53.7%	2	15.4%	6	46.2%	5	38.5%
Total	**400**			**122**	**30.5%**	**172**	**43.0%**	**106**	**26.5%**

Committee's maps yield a ***lower number of predicted competitive seats*** than the Map-a-Thon proposed maps

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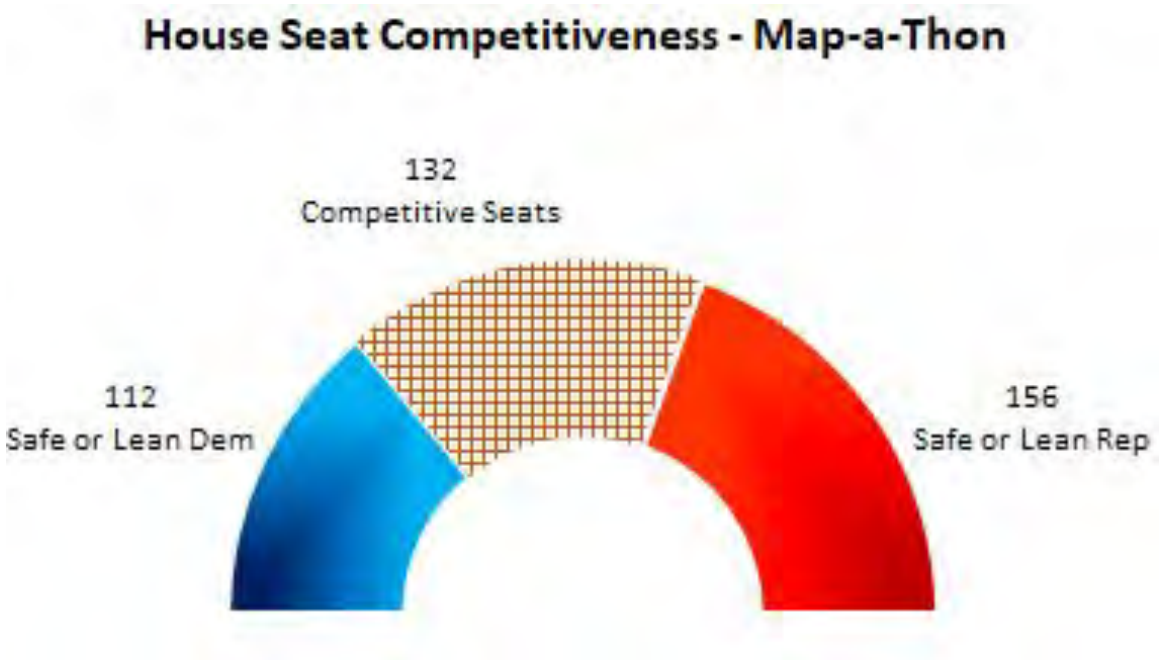
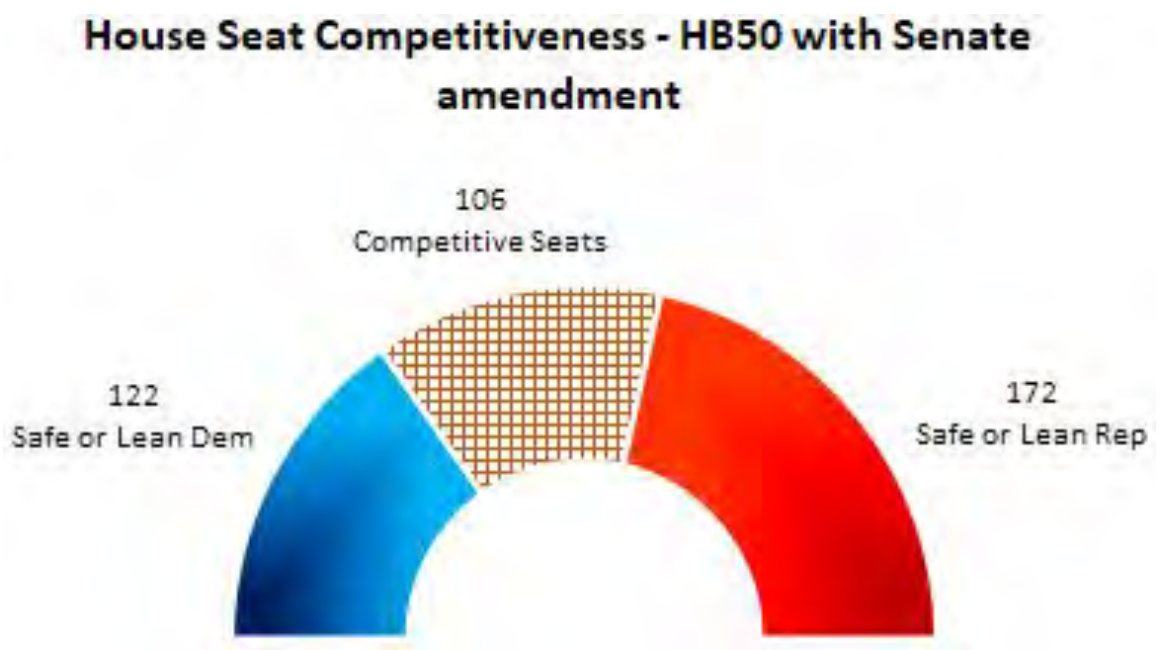
We estimate that **106** of the 400 NH House seats are competitive in the committee proposal, while **132** are competitive in Map-a-Thon's recommendation.

Generally, more competitiveness is better, as it leads to more accountability between representatives and their constituents via competitive general elections. While the nature of local population patterns can lead to districts with an innate partisan lean, the Committee proposal renders *more seats **uncompetitive*** compared to the Map-a-Thon proposal, while also having more cases where constitutionally-eligible towns and wards have been ***denied** dedicated representation*.





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Number of Violations Summary, HB 50, with Amendment 2022-0339s

	# of Violations	
County	Map-a-Thon Recommended Maps	HB50 Maps
Belknap	6	6
Carroll	3	3
Cheshire	3	5
Coos	0	0
Grafton	3	5
Hillsborough	4	6
Merrimack	5	7
Rockingham	10	14
Strafford	3	7
Sullivan	3	3
Total	40	56
	16 more violations in HB50 Maps	

That's 40% more violations than necessary!

Violation A town that has a population over 3,444 and is eligible for its own district that does not have its own district in the corresponding map. We count one violation per town/city and not by individual wards.

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General NH House Map Takeaways

- Defining NH House district boundaries is a complex process due to Constitutional and court rules, as well as the legislature's self-imposed constraints.
- The NH State Constitution requires that "When the population of any town or ward, according to the last federal census, is within a reasonable deviation from the ideal population for one or more representative seats, the town or ward shall have its own district of one or more representative seats." However, this requirement can conflict with another constitutional requirement to distribute representation equally across the population.
- Constraints aside, the House & Senate committees chose not to maximize the number of eligible towns receiving dedicated House seats. Often choosing partisan advantage over the NH Constitution's guarantee, 56 towns were denied dedicated seats, vs. M-A-T demonstrated 40.
- The *accepted* deviation of -5% to +5% of the 3,444 "ideal population" per NH House seat could be widened with permission, allowing more eligible towns to receive dedicated districts as intended by the NH Constitution.
- It is the responsibility of the legislature to define districts based on principles of equality rather than partisan advantage. **Several aspects of the current proposed districts appear to be designed for partisan advantage**.

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Summary of NH House District Findings by County

Belknap: Did not change with the amendment. Several towns are large enough for dedicated House districts, but didn't get them. The committee maps one ward with Laconia which is *barely* contiguous with Guilford - certainly not best practice. The Map-a-Thon's map offer four more competitive districts than the proposed maps.

Carroll: Did not change with the amendment; Both maps are similar, with Conway and Ossipee getting their own districts, and the district from Sandwich to Chatham being the same. The main difference is that the Committee's map creates a very large floterial district spanning from Moultonborough to Brookfield totalling 8 towns. Map-a-Thon's proposal has a smaller floterial and gives Freedom and Effingham a small district together.

Cheshire: Did not change with the amendment. The Committee's map is an improvement on the majority's initial proposal, but does not go as far as Map-a-Thon's recommended map in terms of towns getting their own district if eligible. The committee's map does give Rindge and Winchester their own district, a positive.

Coos: The amendment restored Berlin's dedicated House seat, and attached Kilkenny to another distinct. Both maps are similar, except the Map-a-Thon's recommended map give Carroll and Whitefield a single district while putting towns with more in common with Berlin in a floterial with Berlin.

Grafton: Did not change with the amendment The northern section of the Committee's map is reasonable with small compact districts. The southern section is where the committee's map has issues. It does not give Hanover or Canaan their own districts and creates a very large 10-town floterial district. The committee's map does have a lower deviation, but the Map-a-Thon map is a superior plan

Hillsborough- The amendment gives Manchester one additional representative to increase it from 32 to 33. However, Manchester's deviation would allow for as many as 36. Because Manchester updated is wards, the Senate had to realigned some of the rest of the county. Manchester is now aligned to give Republicans a better chance to win 6 seats rather than 4. Weare is now given its own district, which is an improvement, and the Senate amendment does have a lower deviation and smaller floterials.

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Merrimack - One minor change in amendment, swapping Ward 4 to ME-29, Ward 8 to ME-30 in Concord. The committee's map has 2 more violations than the Map-a-Thon recommendation. Hooksett and Bow get their own districts under the Map-a-Thon recommendation. The committee's map does have smaller more compact districts in the northwestern part of the county. But, the committee's map combines the Democrat-leaning town of Dunbarton with the Republican-leaning town of Hooksett, thus diluting the Democrat vote in Dunbarton and giving the Republicans an additional Republican leaning seat

Rockingham - Did not change with the amendment. The committee's map has 4 more violations than the Map-a-Thon's recommendation. The eastern part of the map is the same in both but the western section is very different. Chester, Fremont, Hampstead, and Plaistow all get their own districts under the Map-a-Thon recommendation. Deerfield also is put with Northwood and Nottingham, which aligns with testimony from residents of Deerfield at the public hearing.

Strafford - Did not change with the amendment. The committee's map breaks up both Dover and Rochester while also not giving Milton, Barrington, and Lee their own districts; although it does give Durham its own district. It's likely the district was constructed to help the incumbent win reelection in Barrington. Barrington is a swing town, and thus by combining it with the more Republican Strafford, it trades a fairer map for other towns with giving the Republican rep there a better chance of winning. The committee map has a slightly lower deviation.

Sullivan - Did not change with the amendment. Map-a-Thon is recommending the same map as the Committee. Sullivan County is very difficult to map with the current population numbers and although this map has issues, it is the best map available with +/- 5% deviation. While we reluctantly concur with the committee on this map, its construction raises best practice concerns. The Claremont & Croydon district is *technically*, although not *practically*, contiguous. Even more questionable is the floterial district encompassing Grantham & Plainfield (light blue) and the towns of Charlestown, Unity and Newport (green), crisscrossing between Claremont and Croydon.

Map-a-Thon Proposed Maps

Links to all maps in Dave's Redistricting (DRA) nationally-recognized, freely accessible mapping platform

County	Non-floterial Map	Floterial Map
Belknap	https://davesredistricting.org/join/c55b8d28-9002-435f-8ea9-40ceaf18c04b	https://davesredistricting.org/join/c87b727e-dbdb-44e7-8f58-c08822c1d1b2
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Coos	https://davesredistricting.org/join/9bdc010c-9211-4da8-8c31-a4f47695f528	https://davesredistricting.org/join/9667b894-021a-46bd-bebf-2e34ffd0404a
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NH House HB50 Maps with Senate Amendments (Coos and Hillsborough)

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Cheshire	https://davesredistricting.org/join/f5880396-309a-4f1b-85eb-420e88c0c0af	https://davesredistricting.org/join/18e07c1e-8b71-4557-bb1e-2f6ee2a6d39a
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Grafton	https://davesredistricting.org/join/a5da803e-0b0b-449f-89b1-53637b19ed24	https://davesredistricting.org/join/321e94bc-445d-4b5b-a8ed-d836b6c15ea8
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Sullivan	https://davesredistricting.org/join/4c64cad4-2fdc-4a2f-8bad-ac54176d9edf	https://davesredistricting.org/join/05320cad-66ed-4ff8-a4e5-9aea6a750782

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Frequently Asked Questions

- **Why can't a redistricting satisfy all of the legal and other requirements?** It's a balancing act, since the objectives are not fully compatible with each other; for example, creating districts that both respect town and ward lines, and contain an equal number of residents.
- **Why are competitive districts better than ones with a predicted partisan lean?** In a competitive district, candidates must appeal to voters of both (or all) political parties, including independents. In districts with a clear partisan lean, candidates need only appeal to voters of their own party, as determined in the party primary elections.

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Actions You Can Take

- The NH House Election Law & Municipal Affairs Committee has a hearing on Monday, January 31, 1-4 pm at the NH State House. There may be additional amendments to the NH House maps. We are expecting an amendment to the Congressional map shortly, and there may be an additional hearing on the amendment.
- You may write or submit testimony to the committee using this email link.
- We also suggest contacting and/or sending your testimony to your own NH Senator: http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/senate/members/senate_roster.aspx
- Contact your House representatives http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/house/members/ who may see these bills a second time if amended by the Senate.

About the Map-a-Thon:
https://www.opendemocracynh.org/nh_map_a_thon

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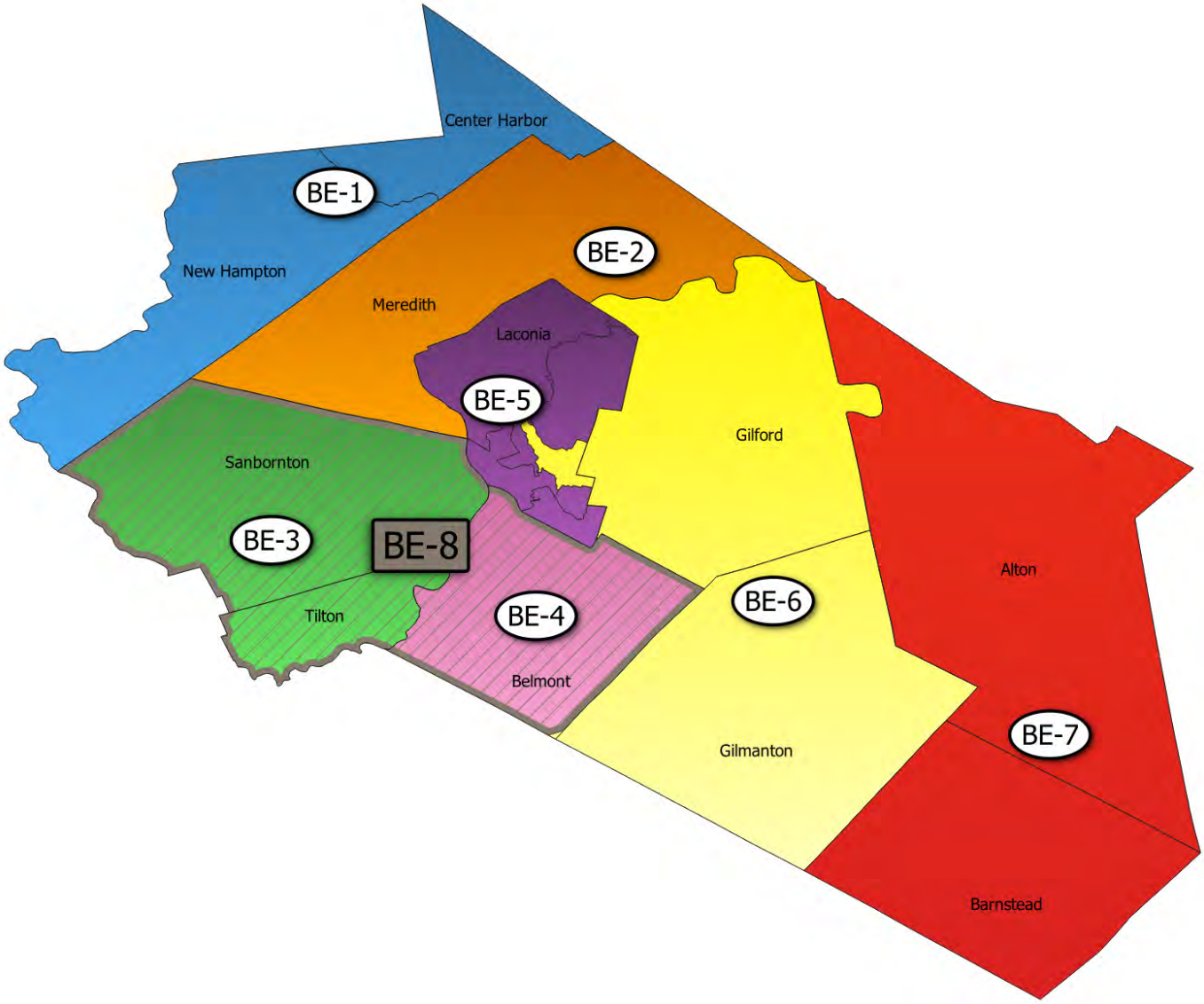
1. Summary of Proposed Maps

Map-a-Thon Proposed Maps Summary						
County	Population	# Reps	Min Dev	Max Dev	Deviation	Violations
Belknap	63,705	18	-3.28%	4.99%	8.27%	5
Carroll	50,107	15	-4.93%	1.54%	6.48%	3
Cheshire	76,458	22	-3.47%	4.15%	7.62%	3
Coos	31,268	9	-3.89%	4.80%	8.68%	0
Grafton	91,118	26	-4.87%	4.99%	9.86%	3
Hillsborough	422,937	123	-4.95%	4.54%	9.49%	4
Merrimack	153,808	45	-3.93%	4.64%	8.57%	5
Rockingham	314,176	91	-4.93%	4.86%	9.80%	11
Strafford	130,889	38	-4.57%	4.91%	9.48%	2
Sullivan	43,063	13	-4.88%	-1.16%	3.73%	5
Total	1,377,529	400	-4.95%	4.99%	9.94%	41

2. Map Comparison Summary

Enacted Maps vs. Map-a-Thon Proposed Maps Summary					
County	# Reps	Enacted Map Deviation	Proposed Map Deviation	Enacted Map Violations	Proposed Map Violations
Belknap	18	8.27%	8.27%	5	5
Carroll	15	6.48%	6.48%	3	3
Cheshire	22	9.81%	7.62%	5	3
Coos	9	8.74%	8.68%	0	0
Grafton	26	8.44%	9.86%	5	3
Hillsborough	123	9.75%	9.49%	6	4
Merrimack	45	9.22%	8.57%	7	5
Rockingham	91	9.80%	9.80%	13	11
Strafford	38	9.13%	9.48%	6	2
Sullivan	13	3.73%	3.73%	5	5
Total	400	10.13%	9.94%	55	41

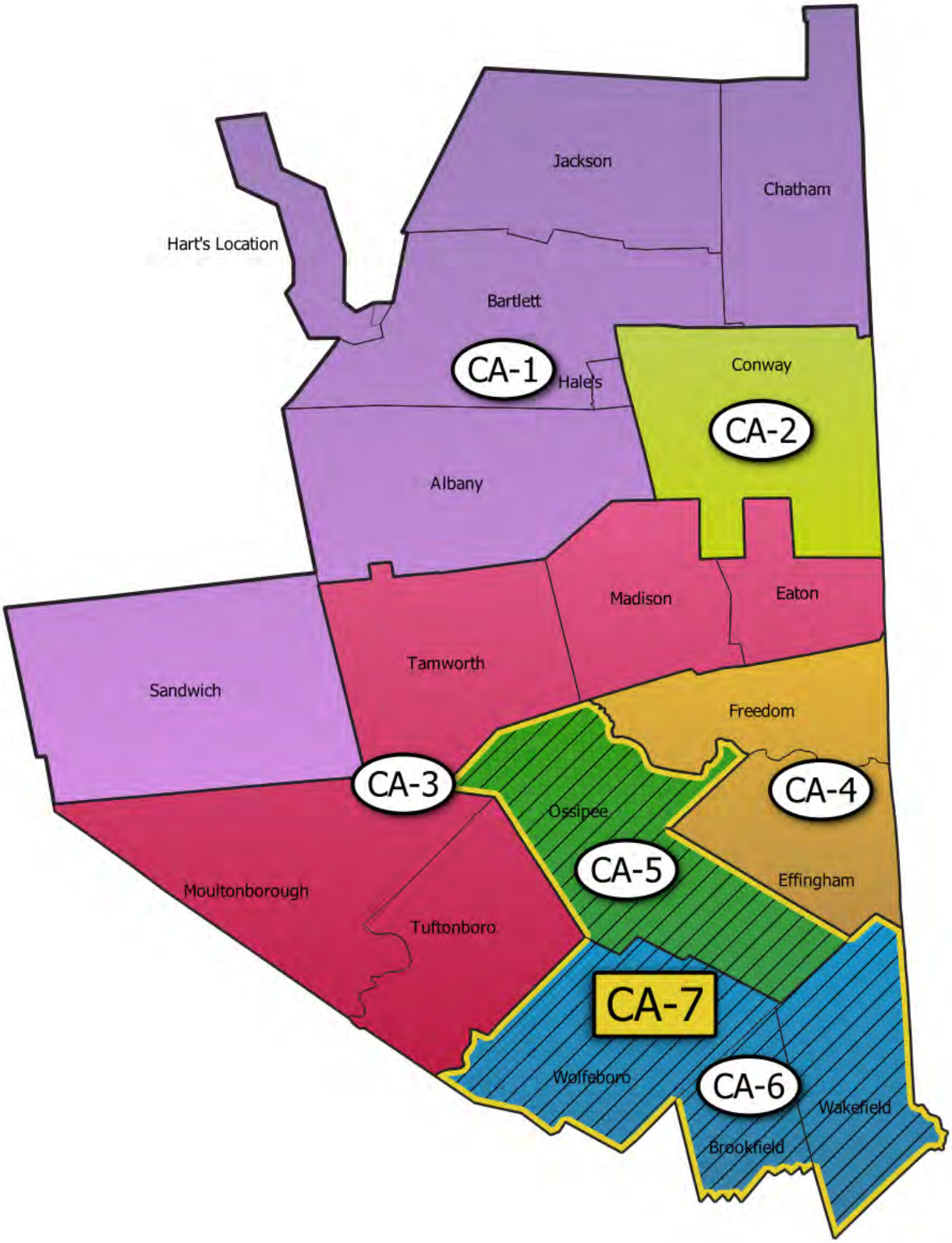
3. Belknap County Map



3.1. Belknap County Map Districts

Belknap County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
BE-1	3,417	1			Center Harbor, New Hampton	-0.78%	
BE-2	6,662	2			Meredith	-3.28%	
BE-3	6,988	1	BE-8	2	Sanborton, Tilton	2.63%	Tilton
BE-4	7,314	1			Belmont	4.99%	
BE-5	14,117	4			Laconia Wards 1,3-6	2.48%	
BE-6	14,398	4			Gilford, Gilmanton, Laconia Ward 2	4.52%	Gilford, Gilmanton
BE-7	10,809	3			Alton, Barnstead	4.62%	Alton, Barnstead
Total	63,705	18				8.27%	5

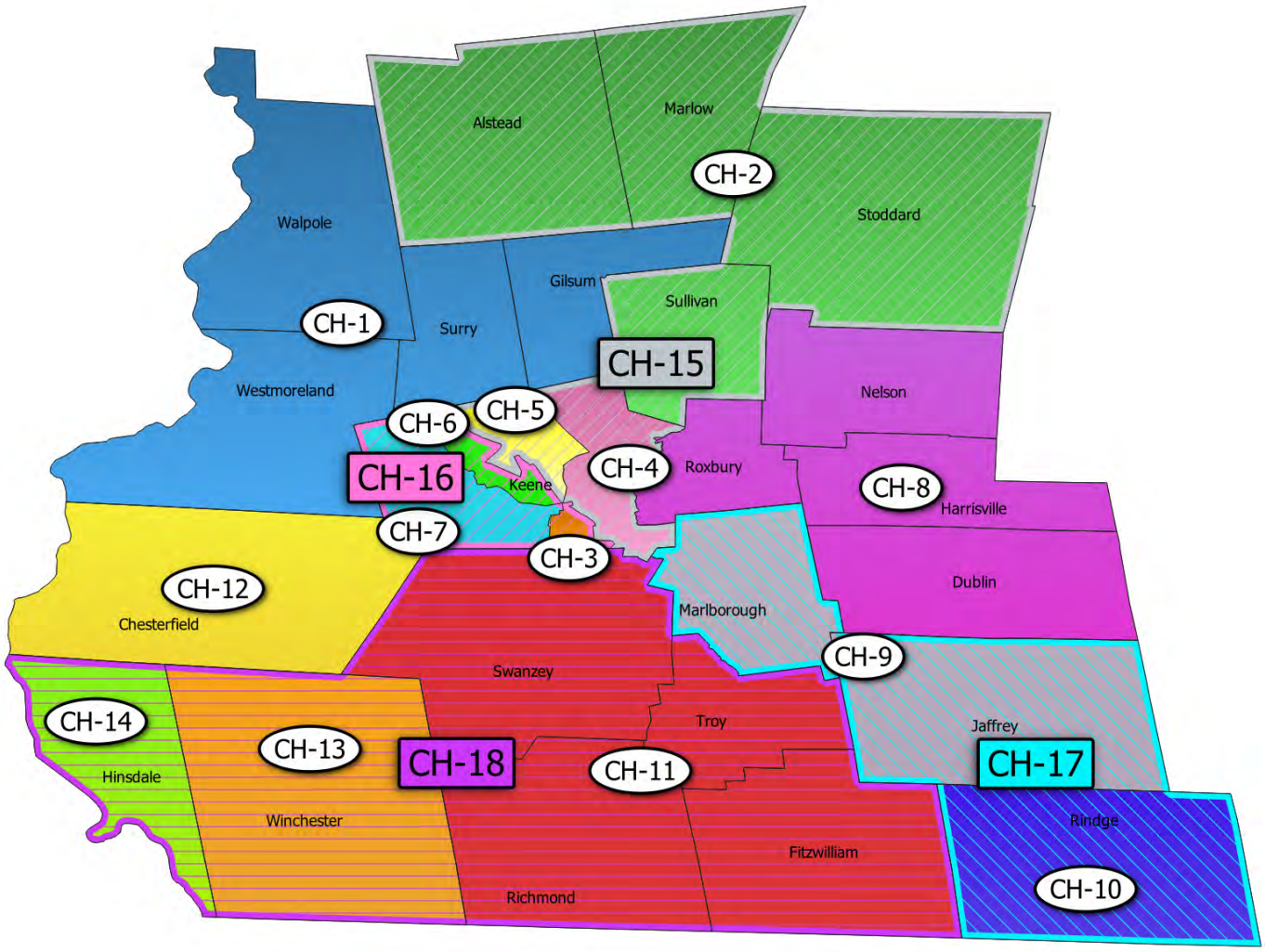
4. Carroll County Map



4.1. Carroll County Map Districts

Carroll County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CA-1	6,994	2			Chatham, Jackson, Bartlett, Hart's Location, Hales Location, Albany, Sandwich	1.54%	
CA-2	9,822	3			Conway	-4.93%	
CA-3	13,167	4			Tuftonboro, Moultonborough, Tamworth, Madison, Eaton	-4.42%	Moultonborough
CA-4	3,380	1			Freedom, Effingham	-1.85%	
CA-5	4,372	1	CA-7	1	Ossipee	0.67%	
CA-6	12,372	3			Wolfeboro, Brookfield, Wakefield	-3.91%	Wolfeboro, Wakefield
Total	50,107	15				6.48%	3

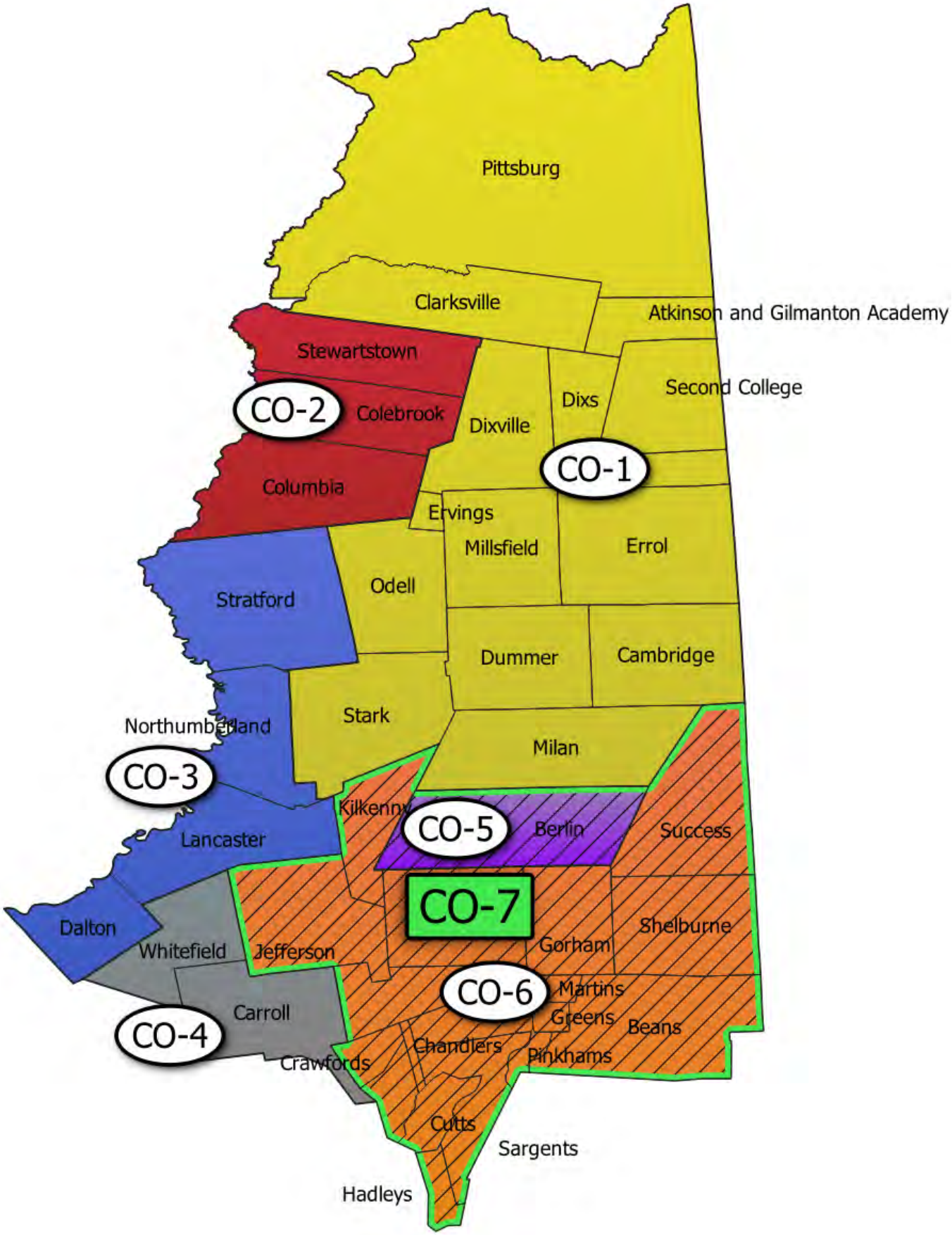
5. Cheshire County Map



5.1. Cheshire County Map Districts

Cheshire County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CH-1	6,911	2			Gilsum, Surry, Walpole, Westmoreland	0.34%	Walpole
CH-2	4,645	1	CH-15	1	Alstead, Marlow, Stoddard, Sullivan	0.83%	
CH-4	4,558	1			Keene Ward 2	-0.59%	
CH-5	4,550	1			Keene Ward 3	-0.72%	
CH-3	4,643	1	CH-16	1	Keene Ward 1	1.13%	
CH-6	4,620	1			Keene Ward 4	0.76%	
CH-7	4,676	1			Keene Ward 5	1.67%	
CH-8	3,365	1			Dublin, Harrisville, Nelson, Roxbury	-2.29%	
CH-9	7,416	1	CH-17	2	Jaffrey, Marlborough	4.15%	Jaffrey
CH-10	6,476	1			Rindge	-2.68%	
CH-11	12,948	3	CH-18	1	Fitzwilliam, Richmond, Swanzey, Troy	4.00%	Swanzey
CH-13	4,150	1			Winchester	0.66%	
CH-14	3,948	1			Hinsdale	-3.47%	
CH-12	3,552	1			Chesterfield	3.14%	
Total	76,458	22				7.62%	3

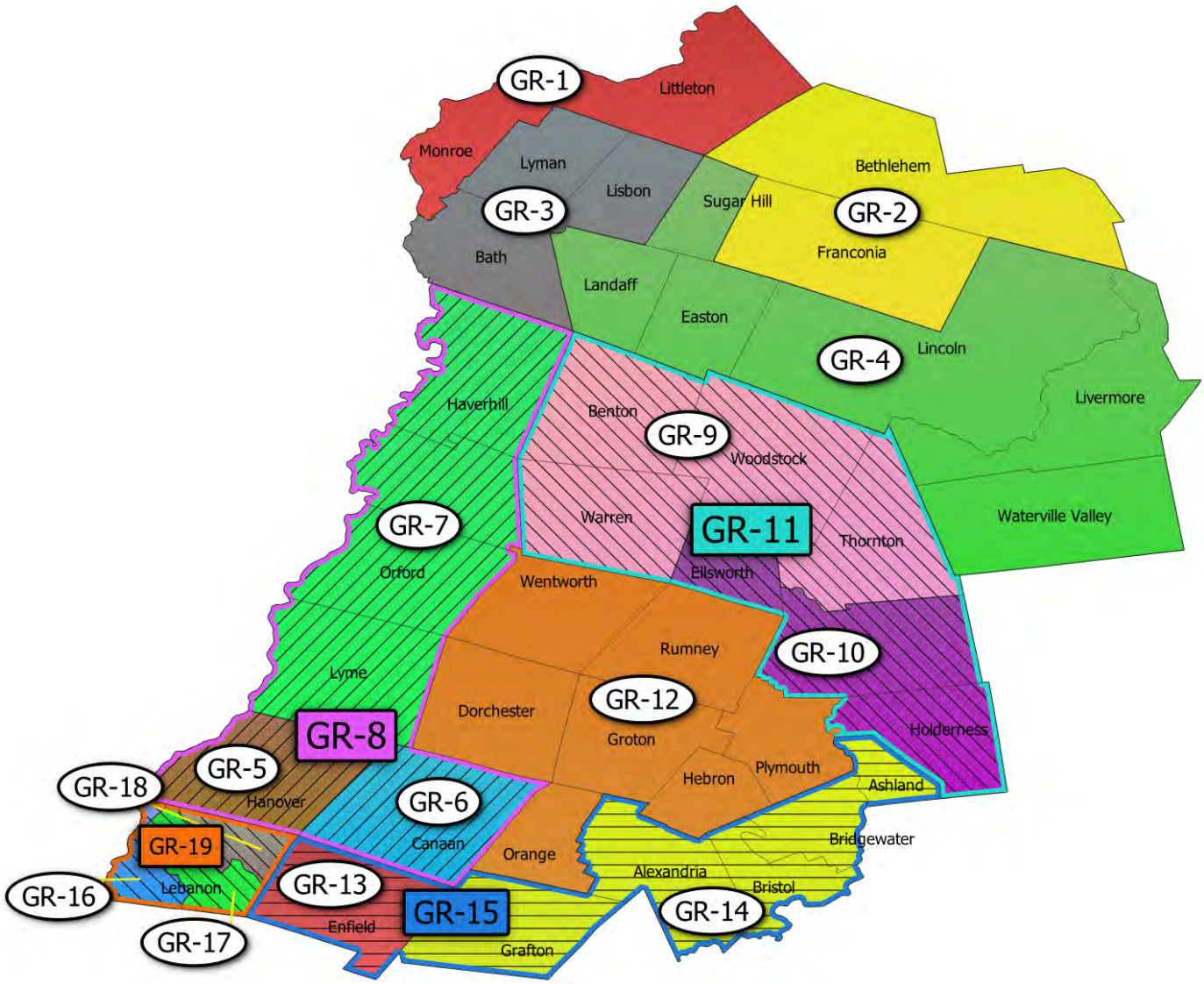
6. Coos County Map



6.1. Coos County Map Districts

Coos County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CO-1	3,609	1			Pittsburg, Clarksville, Dixville, Odell, Stark, Milan, Dummer, Cambridge, Millsfield, Errol, Wentworth Location, College Grant, Dixs Grant, Atkinson and Gilmanton Grant, Ervings Location	4.80%	
CO-2	3,556	1			Stewartstown, Colebrook, Columbia	3.26%	
CO-3	6,939	2			Stratford, Northumberland, Lancaster, Dalton	0.75%	
CO-4	3,310	1			Whitefield, Carroll	-3.89%	
CO-5	9,425	2			Berlin	2.11%	
CO-6	4,429	1	CO-7	1	Jefferson, Randolph, Gorham, Shelburne, Success, Kilkenny, Burbanks Grant, Crawfords Purchase, Beans Grant, Cutts Grant, Hadleys Purchase, Sargents Purchase, Thompson and Merserves Purchase, Martins Location, Greens Grant, Pinkhams Grant, Beans Purchase	-2.55%	
Total	31,268	9				8.68%	0

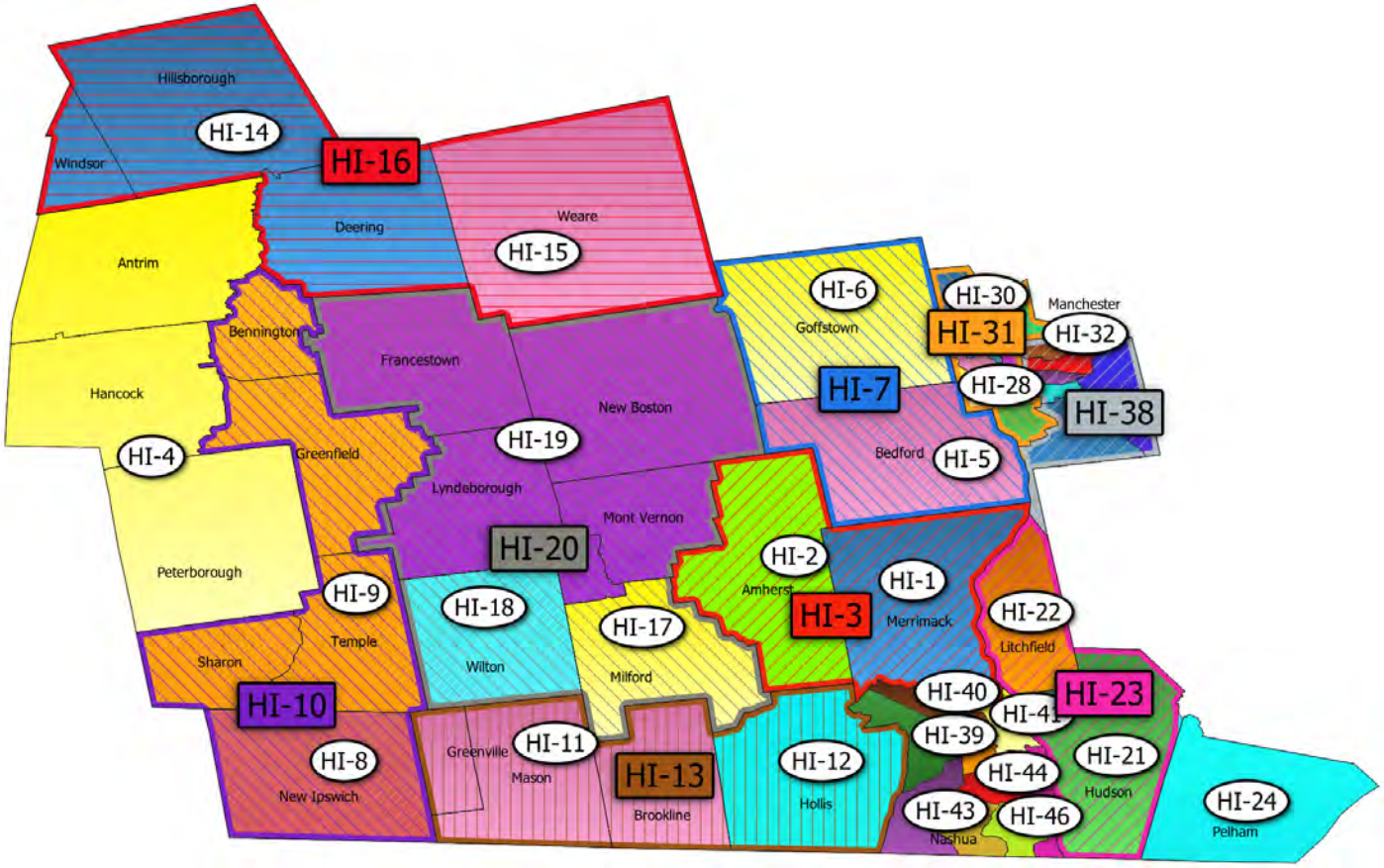
7. Grafton County Map



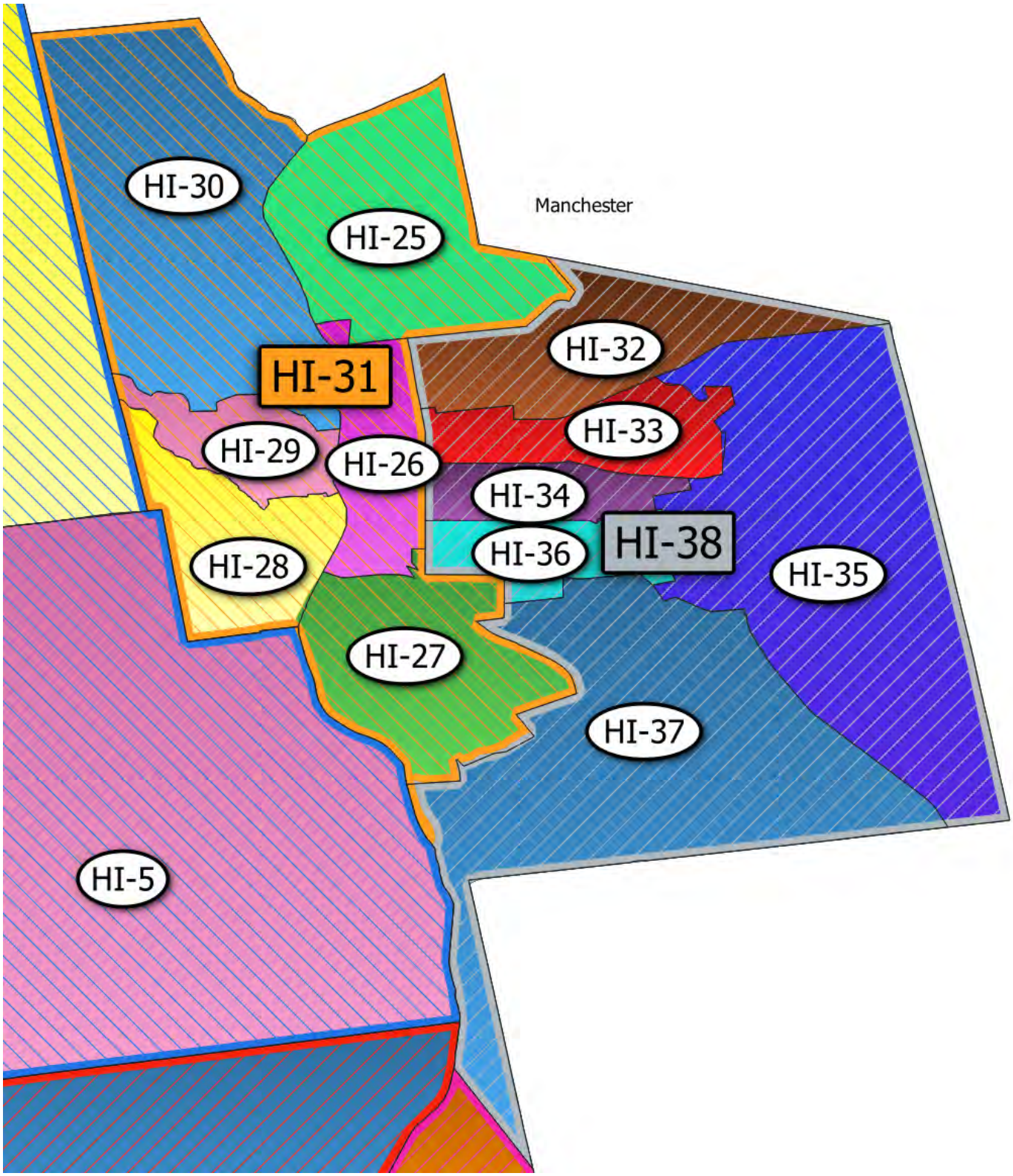
7.1. Grafton County Map Districts

Grafton County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
GR-1	6,869	2			Littleton, Monroe	-0.27%	Littleton
GR-2	3,567	1			Bethlehem, Franconia	3.58%	
GR-3	3,283	1			Lyman, Lisbon, Bath	-4.67%	
GR-4	3,526	1			Sugar Hill, Landaff, Easton, Lincoln, Livermore, Waterville Valley	2.39%	
GR-5	11,870	3	GR-8	1	Hanover	-1.37%	
GR-6	3,794	1			Canaan	-4.87%	
GR-7	8,336	2			Haverhill, Piermont, Orford, Lyme	3.12%	Haverhill
GR-9	5,341	1	GR-11	1	Benton, Warren, Woodstock, Thornton	3.71%	
GR-10	5,440	1			Ellsworth, Campton, Holderness	4.99%	
GR-12	10,842	3			Wentworth, Rumney, Dorchester, Groton, Plymouth,Hebron, Orange	4.94%	Plymouth
GR-13	4,465	1	GR-15	1	Enfield	-1.75%	
GR-14	9,503	2			Grafton, Alexandria, Bristol, Bridgewater, Ashland	2.95%	
GR-16	4,762	1	GR-19	1	Lebanon Ward 1	3.70%	
GR-17	4,734	1			Lebanon Ward 2	3.24%	
GR-18	4,786	1			Lebanon Ward 3	4.09%	
Total	91,118	26				9.86%	3

8. Hillsborough County Map



8.1. Manchester Zoomed in Map



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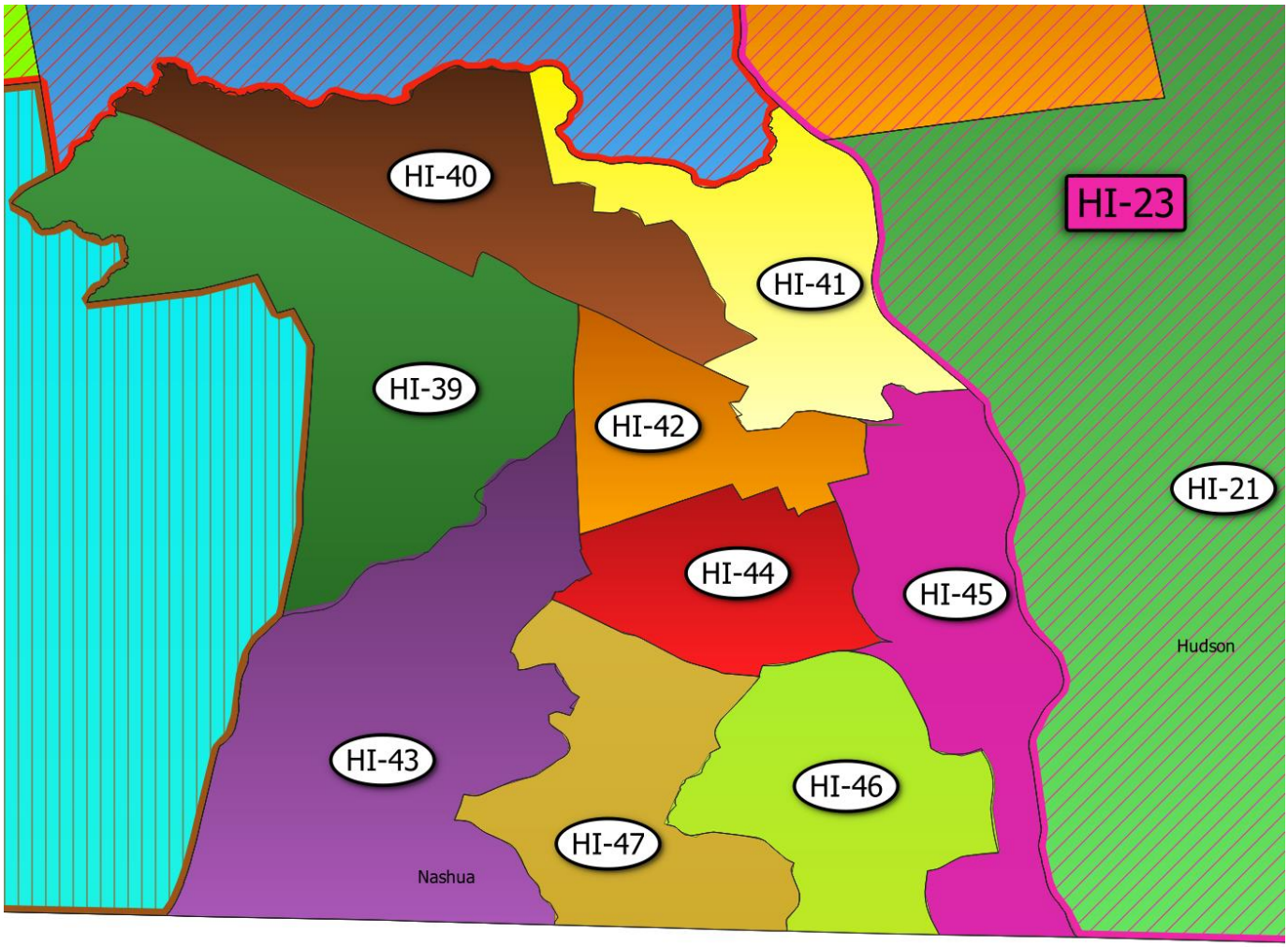

8.3. Hillsborough County Map Districts

Hillsborough County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
HI-1	26,632	7	HI-3	1	Merrimack	0.51%	
HI-2	11,753	3			Amherst	3.22%	
HI-4	10,800	3			Antrim, Hancock, Peterborough	4.54%	Peterborough
HI-5	23,322	6	HI-7	1	Bedford	3.29%	
HI-6	18,577	5			Goffstown	-0.90%	
HI-8	5,204	1	HI-10	1	New Ipswich	-0.10%	
HI-9	4,949	1			Bennington, Greenfield, Sharon, Temple	-3.39%	
HI-11	9,061	2	HI-13	1	Brookline, Greenville, Mason	4.38%	Brookline
HI-12	8,342	2			Hollis	-2.30%	
HI-14	8,105	2	HI-16	1	Deering, Hillsborough, Windsor	-4.77%	Hillsborough
HI-15	9,092	2			Weare	4.41%	
HI-17	16,131	4	HI-20	1	Milford	4.01%	
HI-18	3,896	1			Wilton	0.87%	
HI-19	12,013	3			Francestown, Lyndeborough, Mont Vernon, New Boston	3.36%	New Boston
HI-21	25,394	6	HI-23	2	Hudson	-1.68%	
HI-22	8,478	2			Litchfield	-1.55%	
HI-24	14,222	4			Pelham	3.24%	
HI-25	9,696	2	HI-31	5	Manchester Ward 1	-0.80%	
HI-26	9,611	2			Manchester Ward 3	-1.41%	
HI-27	9,627	2			Manchester Ward 9	-1.30%	
HI-28	9,608	2			Manchester Ward 10	-1.43%	
HI-29	9,665	2			Manchester Ward 11	-1.02%	
HI-30	9,637	2			Manchester Ward 12	-1.22%	
HI-32	9,657	2	HI-38	5	Manchester Ward 2	-1.10%	
HI-33	9,643	2			Manchester Ward 4	-1.20%	
HI-34	9,631	2			Manchester Ward 5	-1.29%	
HI-35	9,603	2			Manchester Ward 6	-1.49%	
HI-36	9,644	2			Manchester Ward 7	-1.20%	
HI-37	9,622	2			Manchester Ward 8	-1.35%	
HI-39	10,119	3			Nashua Ward 1	-2.06%	
HI-40	10,348	3			Nashua Ward 2	0.16%	
HI-41	9,869	3			Nashua Ward 3	-4.48%	
HI-42	10,074	3			Nashua Ward 4	-2.49%	
HI-43	10,603	3			Nashua Ward 5	2.63%	
HI-44	9,853	3			Nashua Ward 6	-4.63%	
HI-45	9,820	3			Nashua Ward 7	-4.95%	
HI-46	10,267	3			Nashua Ward 8	-0.62%	
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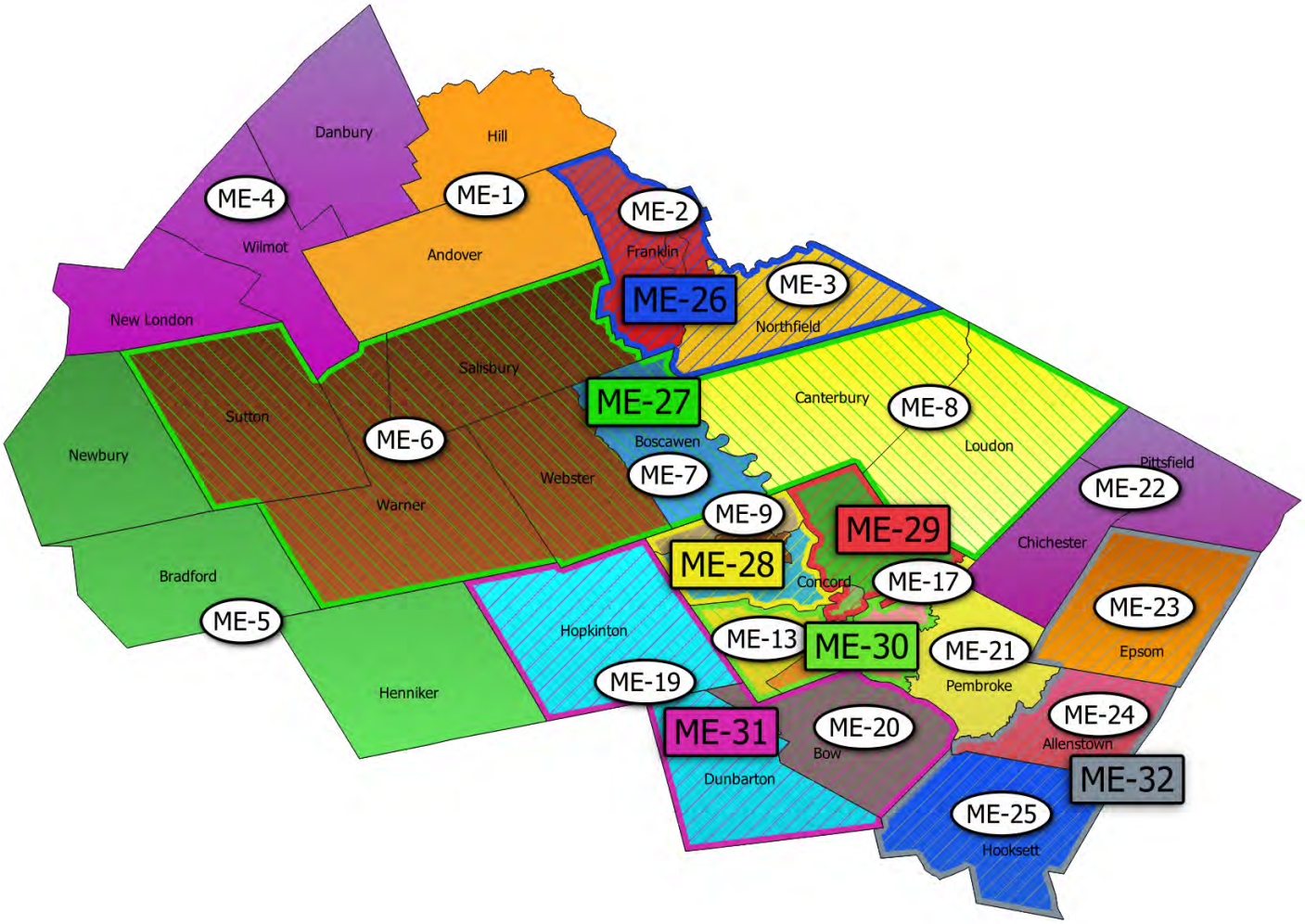
Total	422,937		123			9.49%	4

9. Merrimack County Map



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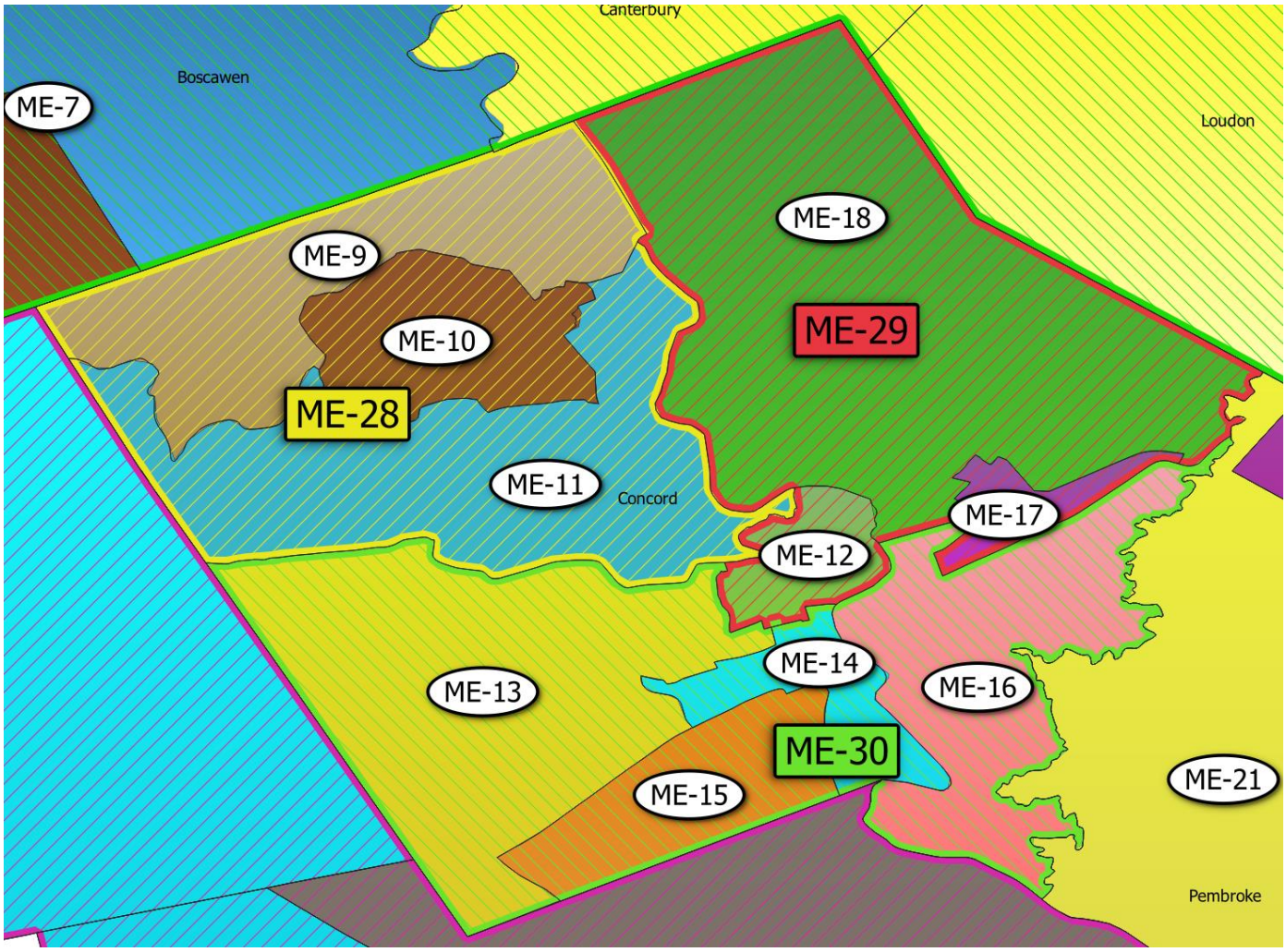
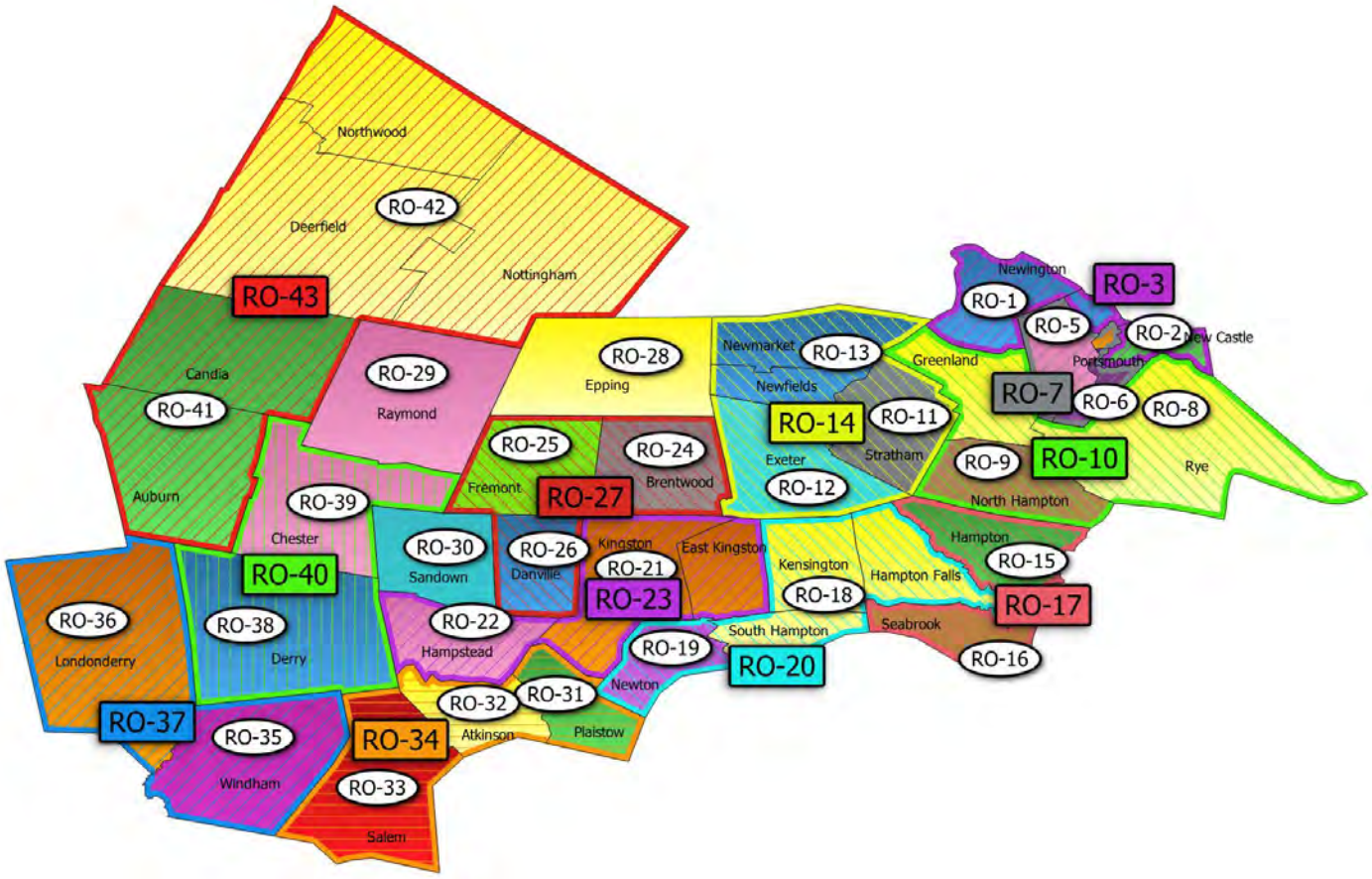


9.2. Merrimack County Map Districts

Merrimack County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
ME-1	3,423	1			Andover, Hill	-0.60%	
ME-2	8,741	2	ME-26	1	Franklin Wards 1-3	-3.93%	
ME-3	4,872	1			Northfield	4.18%	
ME-4	7,057	2			Danbury, New London, Wilmot	2.46%	New London
ME-5	10,019	3			Bradford, Henniker, Newbury	-3.02%	Henniker
ME-6	8,250	2	ME-27	1	Salisbury, Sutton, Warner, Webster	-0.52%	
ME-7	3,998	1			Boscawen	-3.08%	
ME-8	7,965	2			Canterbury, Loudon	-3.39%	Loudon
ME-9	4,452	1	ME-28	1	Concord Ward 1	-2.73%	
ME-10	4,567	1			Concord Ward 2	-0.85%	
ME-11	4,512	1			Concord Ward 3	-1.75%	
ME-12	4,398	1	ME-29	1	Concord Ward 4	-3.92%	
ME-17	4,543	1			Concord Ward 9	-1.55%	
ME-18	4,421	1			Concord Ward 10	-3.54%	
ME-13	4,338	1	ME-30	1	Concord Ward 5	0.46%	
ME-14	4,231	1			Concord Ward 6	-1.53%	
ME-15	4,310	1			Concord Ward 7	-0.06%	
ME-16	4,204	1			Concord Ward 8	-2.03%	
ME-19	8,919	2	ME-31	1	Dunbarton, Hopkinton	2.77%	Hopkinton
ME-20	8,229	2			Bow	-3.64%	
ME-21	7,207	2			Pembroke	4.64%	
ME-22	6,740	2			Chichester, Pittsfield	-2.14%	Pittsfield
ME-23	4,834	1	ME-32	2	Epsom	0.55%	
ME-24	4,707	1			Allenstown	-1.36%	
ME-25	14,871	3			Hooksett	2.37%	
Total	153,808	45				8.57%	5

10. Rockingham County Map



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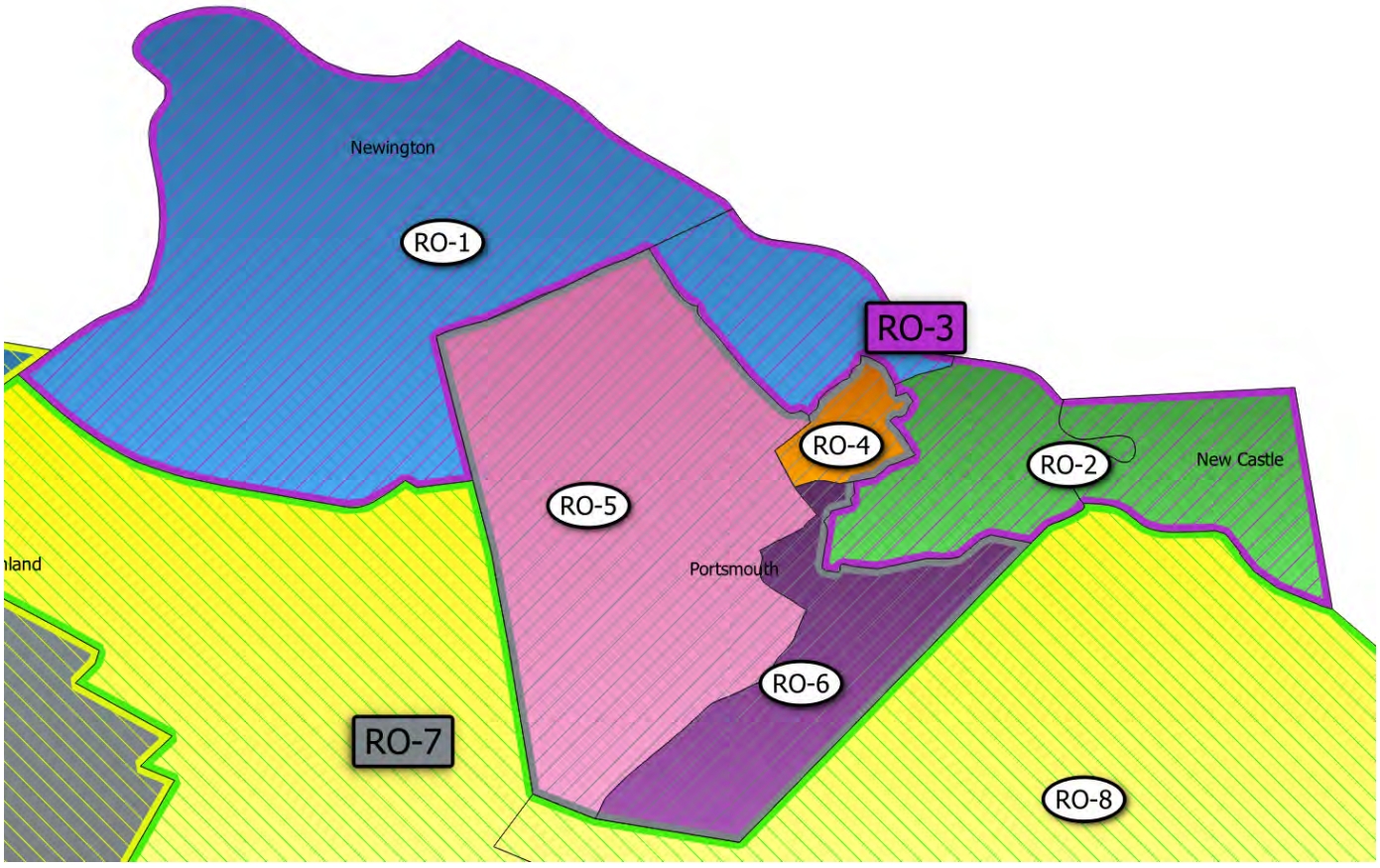
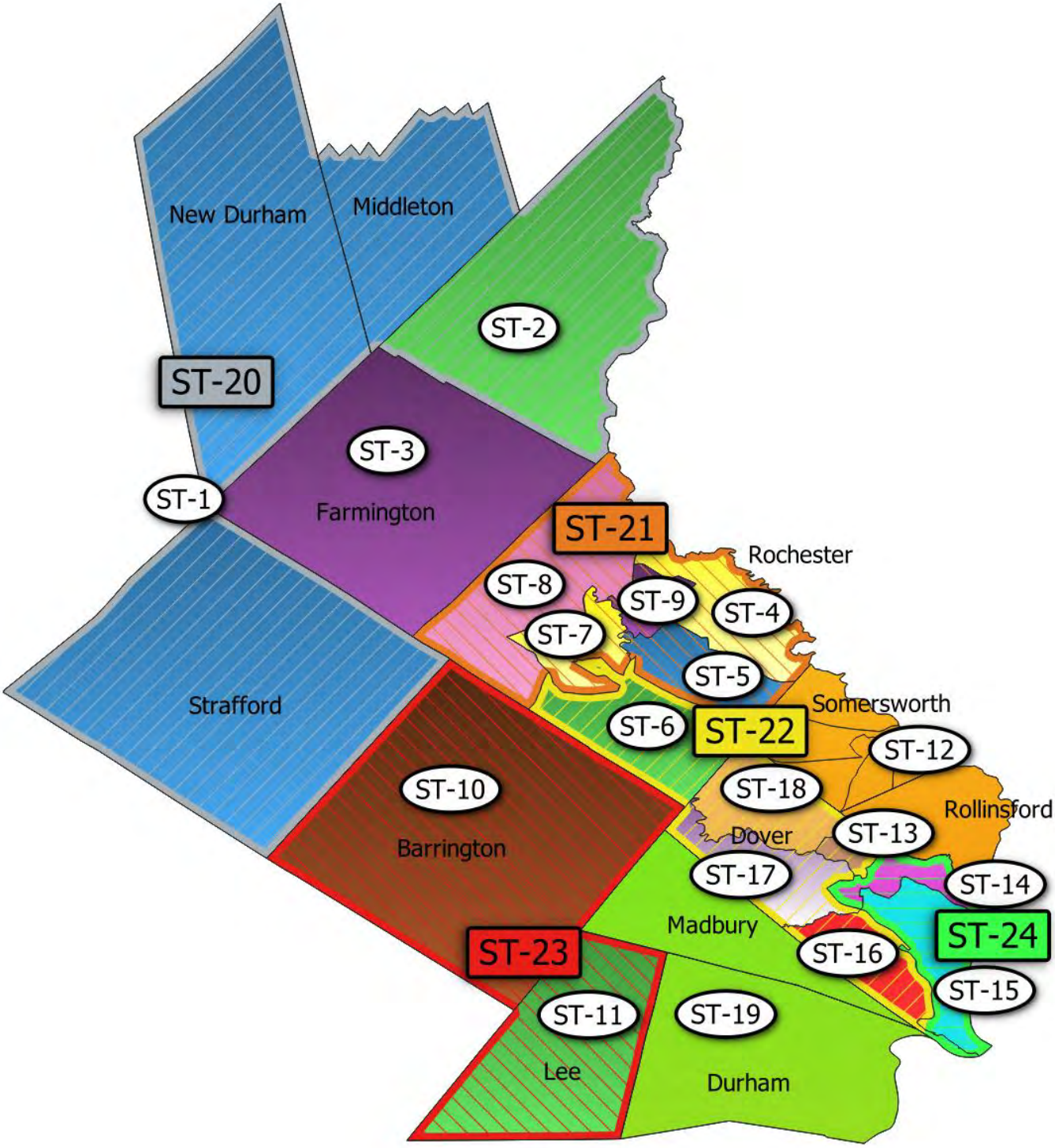


10.2. Rockingham County Map Districts

Rockingham County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
RO-1	5,087	1	RO-3	1	Portsmouth Ward 1, Newington	-1.08%	Portsmouth Ward 1
RO-2	5,227	1			Portsmouth Ward 5, New Castle	0.73%	Portsmouth Ward 5
RO-4	4,549	1	RO-7	1	Portsmouth Ward 2	-1.29%	
RO-5	4,528	1			Portsmouth Ward 3	-1.63%	
RO-6	4,376	1			Portsmouth Ward 4	-4.12%	
RO-8	9,610	2	RO-10	1	Greenland, Rye	4.15%	Greenland, Rye
RO-9	4,538	1			North Hampton	-0.23%	
RO-11	7,669	2	RO-14	1	Stratham	0.33%	
RO-12	16,049	4			Newfields, Newmarket	4.50%	Newmarket
RO-13	11,199	3			Exeter	-2.07%	
RO-15	16,214	4	RO-17	1	Hampton	1.06%	
RO-16	8,401	2			Seabrook	4.19%	
RO-18	5,392	1	RO-20	1	Hampton Falls, Kensington, South Hampton	2.47%	
RO-19	4,820	1			Newton	-4.92%	
RO-21	8,643	2	RO-23	1	East Kingston, Kingston	0.79%	Kingston
RO-22	8,998	2			Hampstead	4.09%	
RO-24	4,490	1	RO-27	1	Brentwood	-1.92%	
RO-25	4,739	1			Fremont	2.12%	
RO-26	4,408	1			Danville	-3.27%	
RO-28	7,125	2			Epping	3.45%	
RO-29	10,684	3			Raymond	3.41%	
RO-30	6,548	2			Sandown	-4.93%	
RO-31	7,830	2	RO-34	1	Plaistow	4.58%	
RO-32	7,087	2			Atkinson	-4.62%	
RO-33	30,089	8			Salem	0.79%	
RO-35	15,817	4	RO-37	1	Windham	4.86%	
RO-36	25,826	7			Londonderry	-1.59%	
RO-38	34,317	7	RO-40	4	Derry	-4.83%	
RO-39	5,232	1			Chester	-0.65%	
RO-41	9,959	2	RO-43	2	Auburn, Candia	3.03%	Auburn, Candia
RO-42	14,725	3			Deerfield, Northwood, Nottingham	1.97%	Deerfield, Northwood, Nottingham
Total	309,089	90				9.80%	11

11. Strafford County Map



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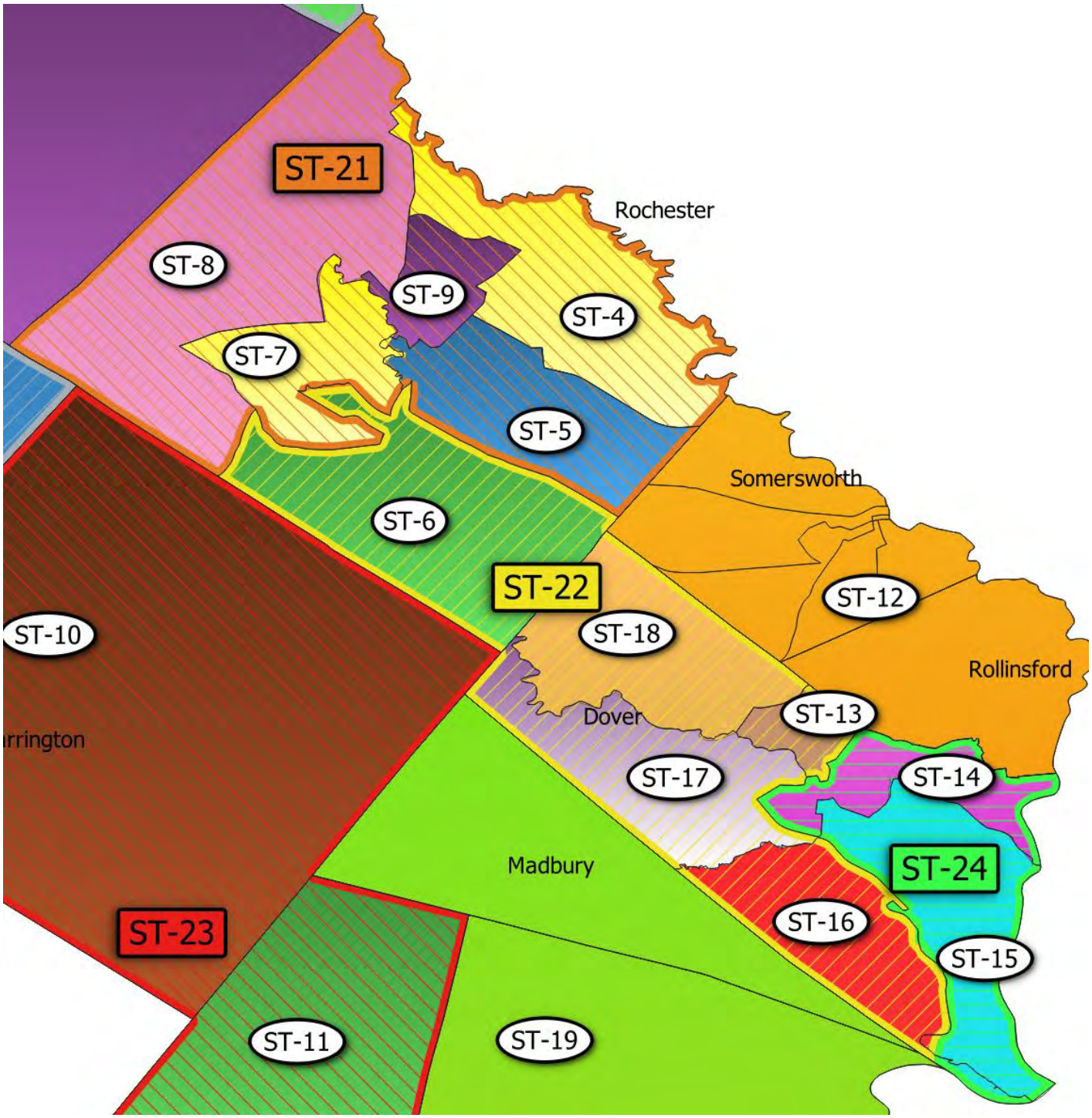
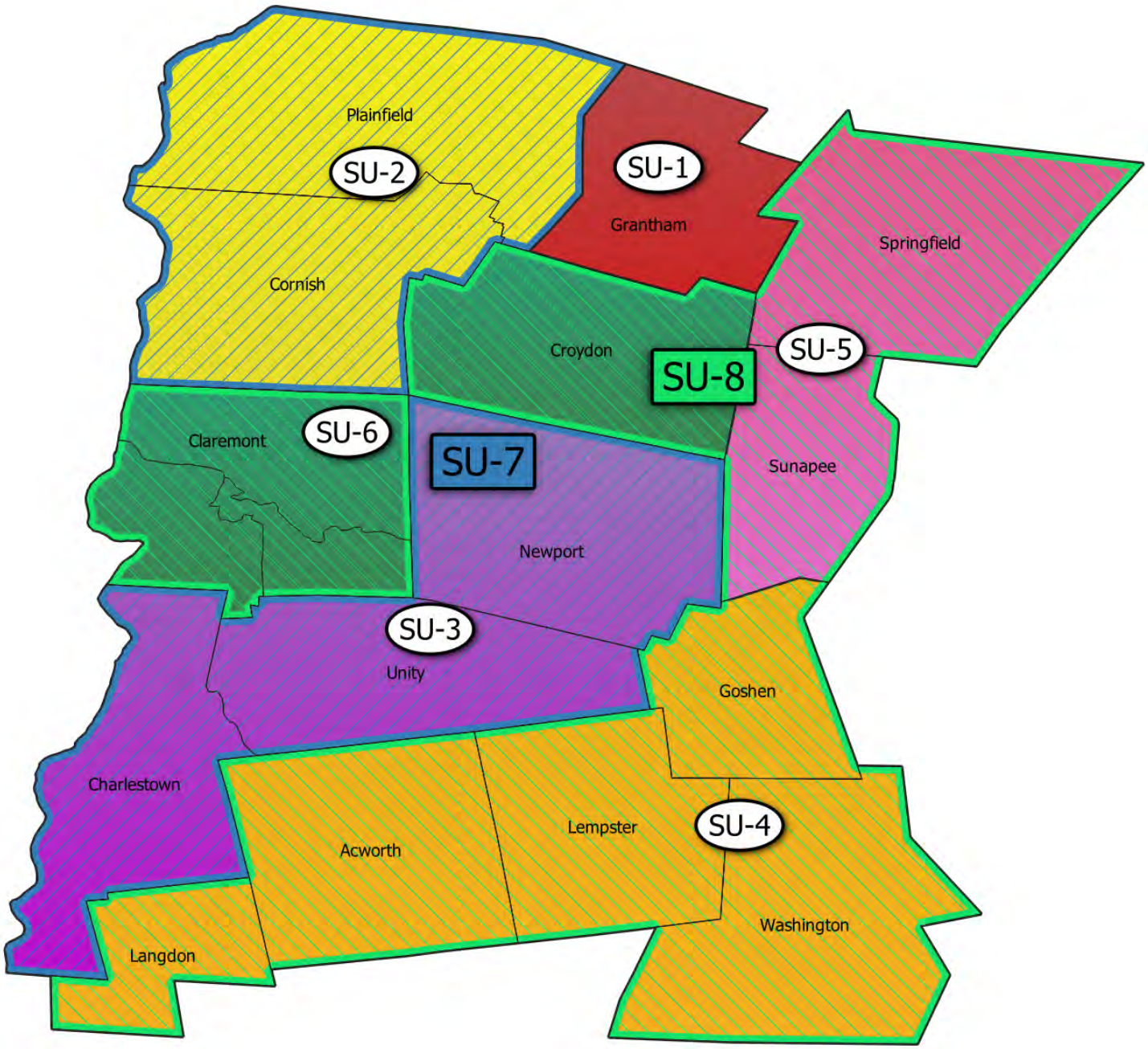


11.2. Strafford County Map Districts

Strafford County Proposed Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
ST-1	8,746	2	ST-20	1	Middleton, New Durham, Strafford	-4.57%	Strafford
ST-2	4,482	1			Milton	-2.79%	
ST-3	6,722	2			Farmington	-2.40%	
ST-4	5,387	1	ST-21	3	Rochester Ward 1	-2.01%	
ST-5	5,388	1			Rochester Ward 2	-2.00%	
ST-7	5,498	1			Rochester Ward 4	-0.75%	
ST-8	5,419	1			Rochester Ward 5	-1.64%	
ST-9	5,410	1			Rochester Ward 6	-1.75%	
ST-6	5,390	1	ST-22	3	Rochester Ward 3	-1.70%	
ST-13	5,482	1			Dover Ward 1	-0.65%	
ST-16	5,439	1			Dover Ward 4	-1.14%	
ST-17	5,496	1			Dover Ward 5	-0.49%	
ST-18	5,501	1			Dover Ward 6	-0.43%	
ST-10	9,326	2	ST-23	1	Barrington	1.29%	
ST-11	4,520	1			Lee	-1.05%	
ST-12	14,452	4			Somersworth Wards 1-5, Rollinsford	4.91%	
ST-14	5,414	1	ST-24	1	Dover Ward 2	4.79%	
ST-15	5,409	1			Dover Ward 3	4.73%	
ST-19	17,408	5			Madbury, Durham	1.10%	Durham
Total	130,889	38				9.48%	2

12. Sullivan County Map



12.1. Sullivan County Map Districts

Sullivan County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
SU-1	3,404	1			Grantham	-1.16%	
SU-2	4,075	1	SU-7	1	Cornish, Plainfield	-4.88%	
SU-3	12,623	3			Charlestown, Newport, Unity	-2.41%	Charlestown, Newport
SU-4	4,610	1	SU-8	2	Acworth, Goshen, Langdon, Lempster, Washington	-4.49%	
SU-5	4,601	1			Springfield, Sunapee	-4.62%	
SU-6	13,750	3			Claremont Wards 1-3, Croydon	-4.88%	Claremont Ward 1, Claremont Ward 2, Claremont Ward 3
Total	43,063	13				3.73%	5

EXHIBIT H

Enacted NH House Maps

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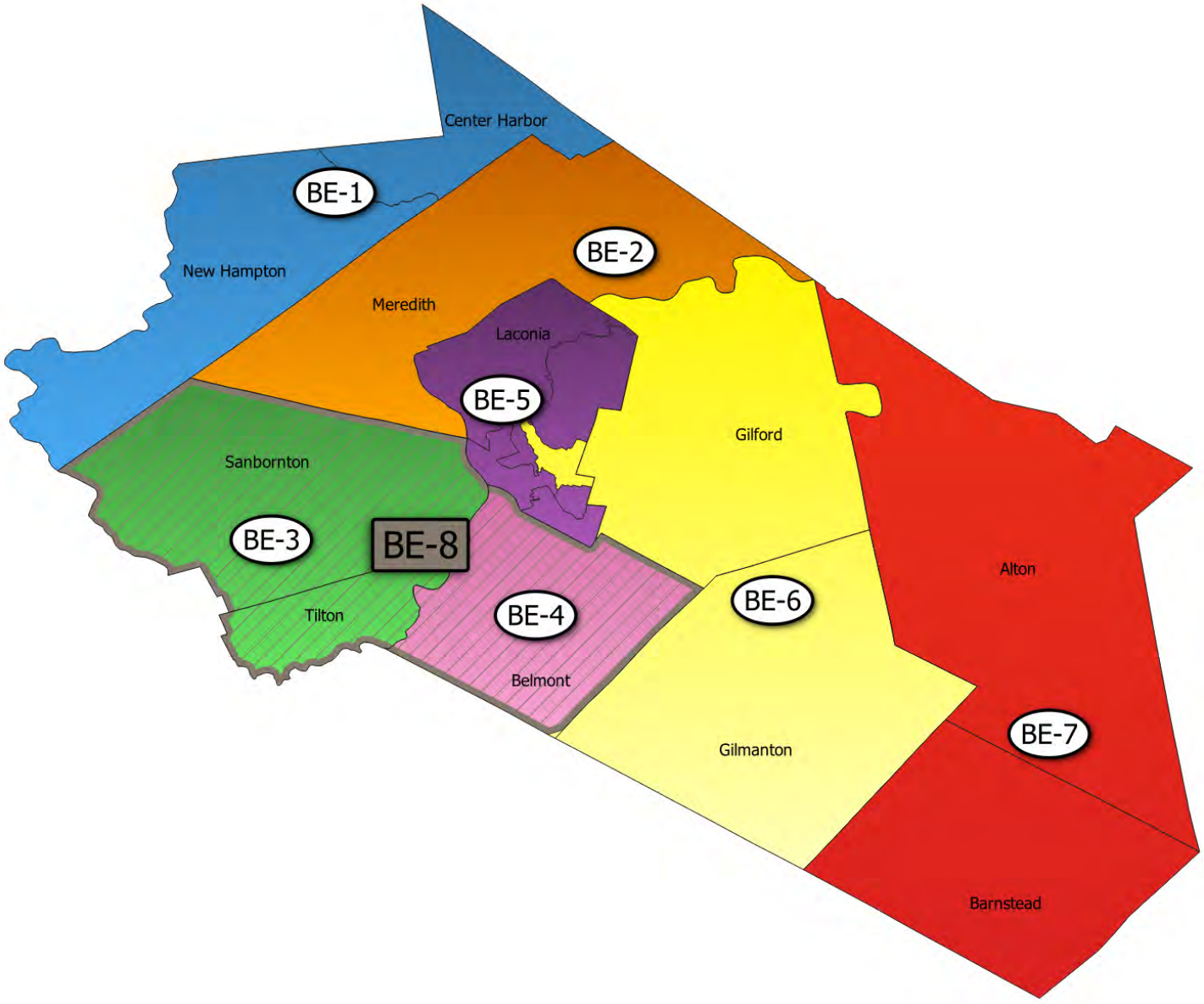
1. Summary of Enacted Maps

Enacted Maps Summary						
County	Population	# Reps	Min Dev	Max Dev	Deviation	Violations
Belknap	63,705	18	-3.28%	4.99%	8.27%	5
Carroll	50,107	15	-4.93%	1.54%	6.48%	3
Cheshire	76,458	22	-4.63%	5.18%	9.81%	5
Coos	31,268	9	-3.95%	4.80%	8.74%	0
Grafton	91,118	26	-3.91%	4.53%	8.44%	5
Hillsborough	422,937	123	-4.95%	4.80%	9.75%	6
Merrimack	153,808	45	-4.58%	4.64%	9.22%	7
Rockingham	314,176	91	-4.93%	4.86%	9.80%	13
Strafford	130,889	38	-4.17%	4.97%	9.13%	6
Sullivan	43,063	13	-4.88%	-1.16%	3.73%	5
Total	1,377,529	400	-4.95%	5.18%	10.13%	55

2. Map Comparison Summary

Enacted Maps vs. Map-a-Thon Proposed Maps Summary					
County	# Reps	Enacted Map Deviation	Proposed Map Deviation	Enacted Map Violations	Proposed Map Violations
Belknap	18	8.27%	8.27%	5	5
Carroll	15	6.48%	6.48%	3	3
Cheshire	22	9.81%	7.62%	5	3
Coos	9	8.74%	8.68%	0	0
Grafton	26	8.44%	9.86%	5	3
Hillsborough	123	9.75%	9.49%	6	4
Merrimack	45	9.22%	8.57%	7	5
Rockingham	91	9.80%	9.80%	13	11
Strafford	38	9.13%	9.48%	6	2
Sullivan	13	3.73%	3.73%	5	5
Total	400	10.13%	9.94%	55	41

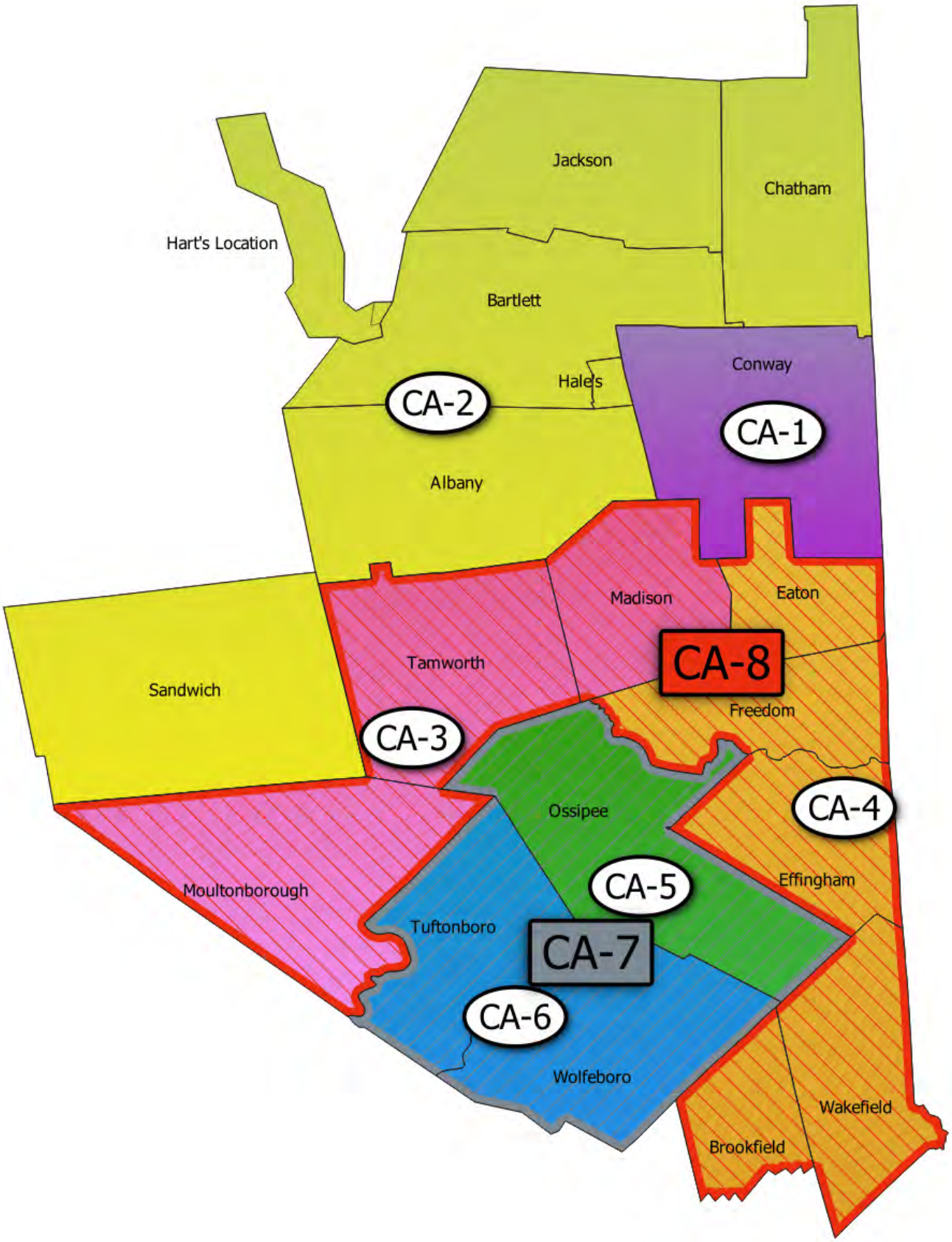
3. Belknap County Map



3.1. Belknap County Map Districts

Belknap County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
BE-1	3,417	1			Center Harbor, New Hampton	-0.78%	
BE-2	6,662	2			Meredith	-3.28%	
BE-3	6,988	1	BE-8	2	Sanborton, Tilton	2.63%	Tilton
BE-4	7,314	1			Belmont	4.99%	
BE-5	14,117	4			Laconia Wards 1,3-6	2.48%	
BE-6	14,398	4			Gilford, Gilmanton, Laconia Ward 2	4.52%	Gilford, Gilmanton
BE-7	10,809	3			Alton, Barnstead	4.62%	Alton, Barnstead
Total	63,705	18				8.27%	5

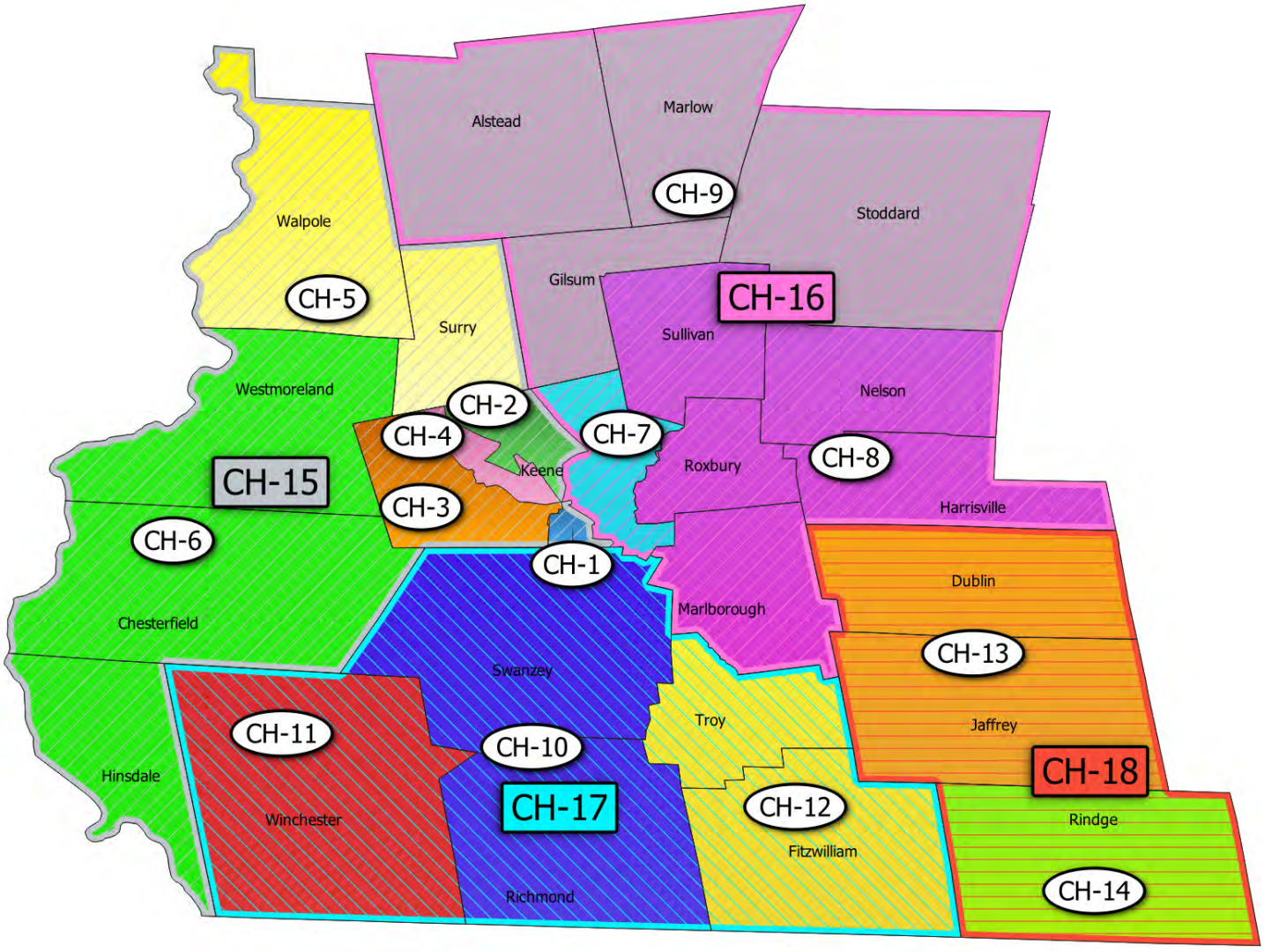
4. Carroll County Map



4.1. Carroll County Map Districts

Carroll County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CA-1	9,822	3			Conway	-4.93%	
CA-2	6,994	2			Albany, Bartlett, Chatham, Hale's Location, Hart's Location, Jackson, Sandwich	1.54%	
CA-3	10,295	2	CA-8	2	Madison, Moultonborough, Tamworth	-1.26%	Moultonborough
CA-4	9,741	2			Brookfield, Eaton, Effingham, Freedom, Wakefield	-4.84%	Wakefield
CA-5	4,372	1	CA-7	1	Ossipee	-4.54%	
CA-6	8,883	2			Tuftonboro, Wolfeboro	-3.40%	Wolfeboro
Total	50,107	15				6.48%	3

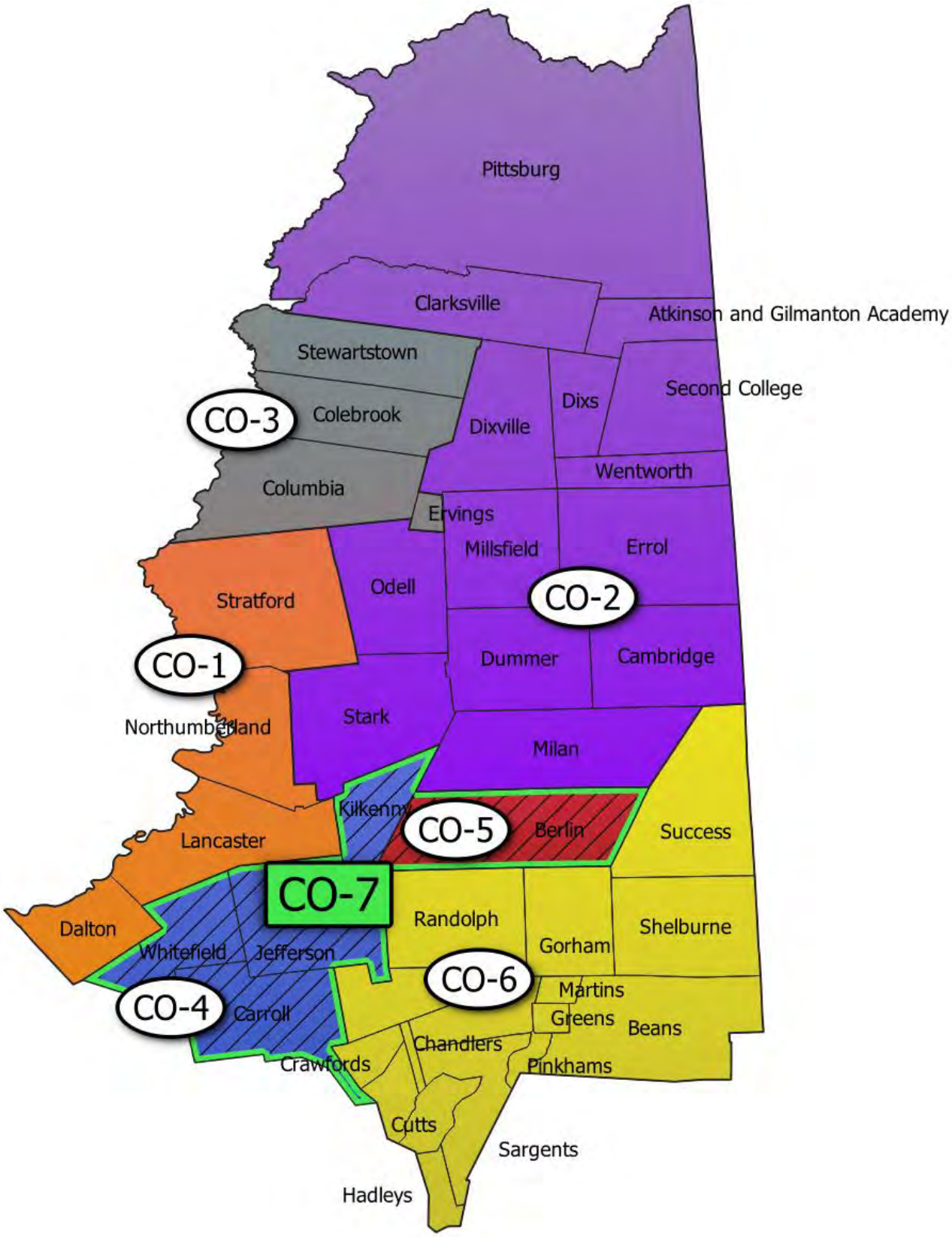
5. Cheshire County Map



5.1. Cheshire County Map Districts

Cheshire County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CH-1	4,643	1	CH-15	2	Keene Ward 1	4.61%	
CH-2	4,550	1			Keene Ward 3	2.97%	
CH-3	4,676	1			Keene Ward 5	5.18%	
CH-4	4,620	1			Keene Ward 4	4.20%	
CH-5	4,453	1			Surry, Walpole	1.25%	Walpole
CH-6	9,206	2			Chesterfield, Hinsdale, Westmoreland	3.91%	Chesterfield, Hinsdale
CH-7	4,558	1	CH-16	1	Keene Ward 2	-0.36%	
CH-8	4,587	1			Harrisville, Marlborough, Nelson, Roxbury, Sullivan	0.12%	
CH-9	4,739	1			Alstead, Gilsum, Marlow, Stoddard	2.59%	
CH-10	8,467	2	CH-17	1	Richmond, Swanzey	-1.47%	Swanzey
CH-11	4,150	1			Winchester	-3.03%	
CH-12	4,481	1			Fitzwilliam, Troy	3.10%	
CH-13	6,852	1	CH-18	2	Dublin, Jaffrey	-1.90%	Jaffrey
CH-14	6,476	1			Rindge	-4.63%	
Total	76,458	22				9.81%	5

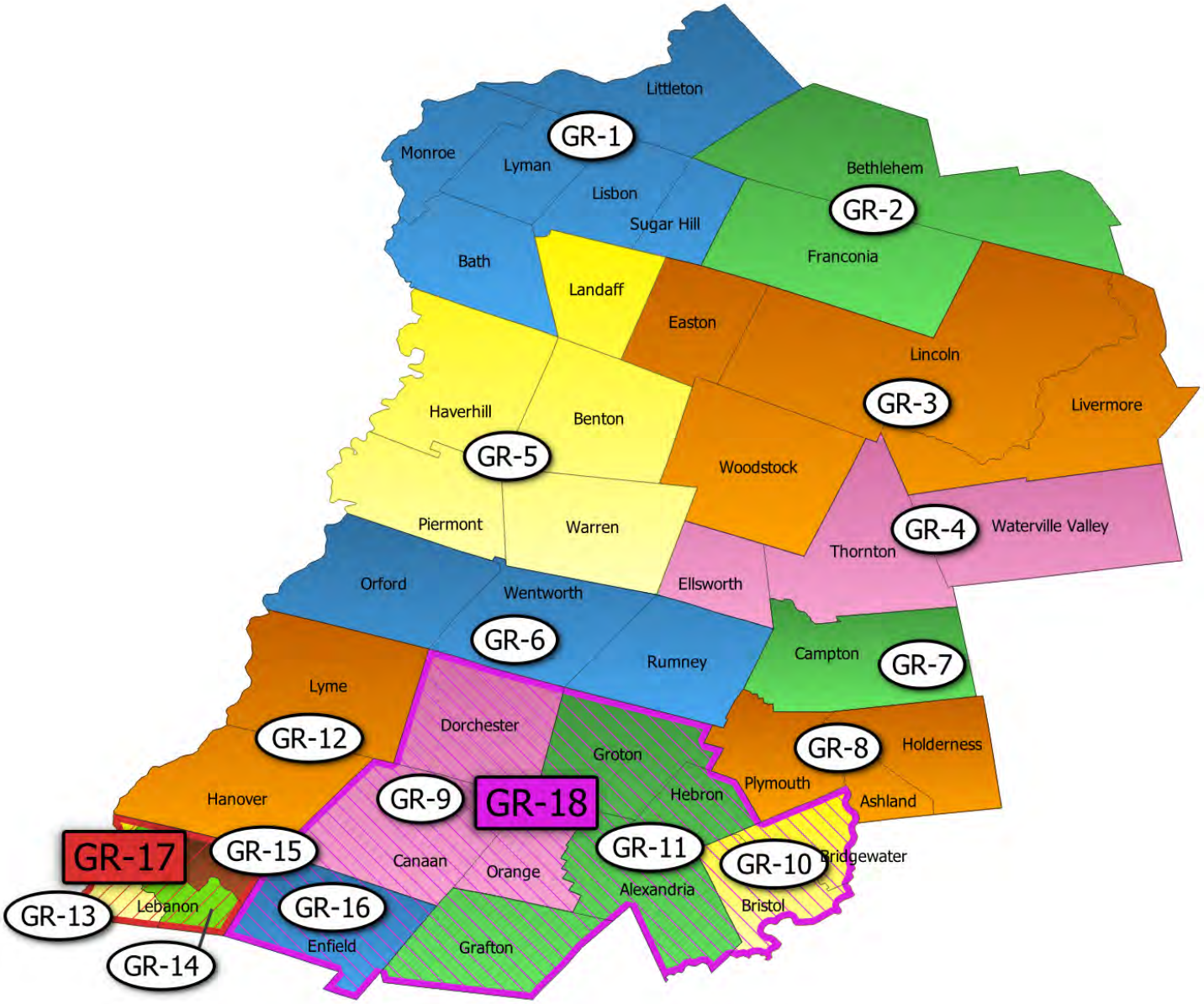
6. Coos County Map



6.1. Coos County Map Districts

Coos County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
CO-1	6,939	2			Dalton, Lancaster, Northumberland, Stratford	0.75%	
CO-2	3,609	1			Atkinson & Gilmanton Academy Grant, Cambridge, Clarksville, Dix's Grant, Dixville, Dummer, Errol, Milan, Millsfield, Odell, Pittsburg, Second College Grant, Stark, Wentworth's Location	4.80%	
CO-3	3,556	1			Colebrook, Columbia, Erving's Location, Stewartstown	3.26%	
CO-4	4,353	1	CO-7	1	Carroll, Jefferson, Kilkenny, Whitefield	-3.95%	
CO-5	9,425	2			Berlin	1.96%	
CO-6	3,386	1			Bean's Grant, Bean's Purchase, Chandler's Purchase, Crawford's Purchase, Cutt's Grant, Gorham, Green's Grant, Hadley's Purchase, Low and Burbank's Grant, Martin's Location, Pinkham's Grant, Randolph, Sargent's Purchase, Shelburne, Success, Thompson and Meserve's Purchase	-1.68%	
Total	31,268	9				8.74%	0

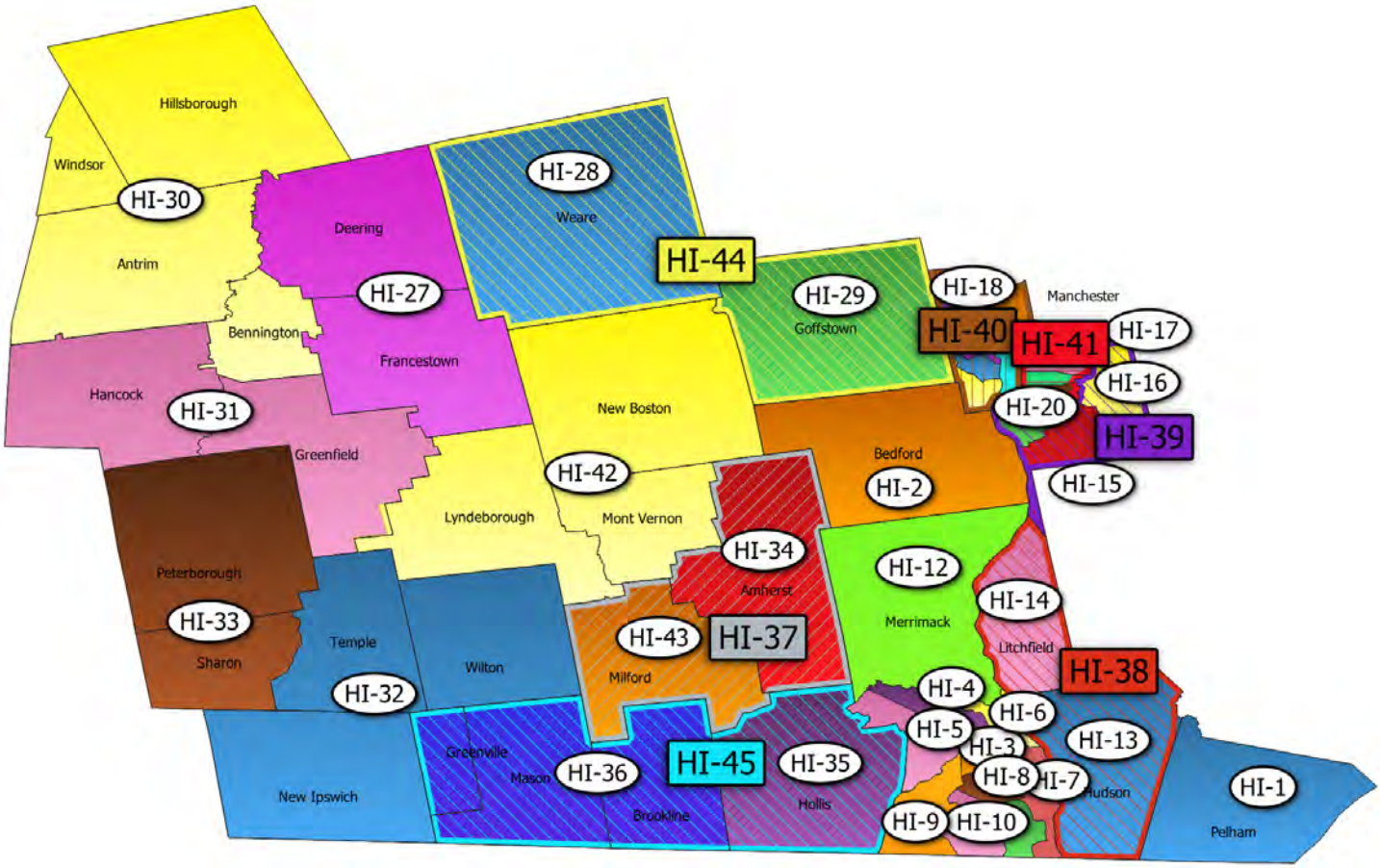
7. Grafton County Map



7.1. Grafton County Map Districts

Grafton County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
GR-1	10,799	3			Bath, Lisbon, Littleton, Lyman, Monroe, Sugar Hill	4.53%	Littleton
GR-2	3,567	1			Bethlehem, Franconia	3.58%	
GR-3	3,359	1			Easton, Lincoln, Livermore, Woodstock	-2.46%	
GR-4	3,309	1			Ellsworth, Thorton, Waterville Valley	-3.91%	
GR-5	6,999	2			Benton, Haverhill, Landaff, Piermont, Warren	1.62%	Haverhill
GR-6	3,580	1			Orford, Rumney, Wentworth	3.95%	
GR-7	3,343	1			Campton	-2.93%	
GR-8	10,624	3			Ashland, Holderness, Plymouth	2.83%	Plymouth
GR-9	4,410	1	GR-18	1	Canaan, Dorchester, Orange	2.45%	Canaan
GR-10	4,404	1			Bridgewater, Bristol	2.33%	
GR-11	4,362	1			Alexandria, Grafton, Groton, Hebron	1.55%	
GR-16	4,465	1			Enfield	3.47%	
GR-12	13,615	4			Hanover, Lyme	-1.16%	Hanover
GR-13	4,762	1	GR-17	1	Lebanon Ward 1	3.70%	
GR-14	4,734	1			Lebanon Ward 2	3.24%	
GR-15	4,786	1			Lebanon Ward 3	4.09%	
Total	91,118	26				8.44%	5

8. Hillsborough County Map



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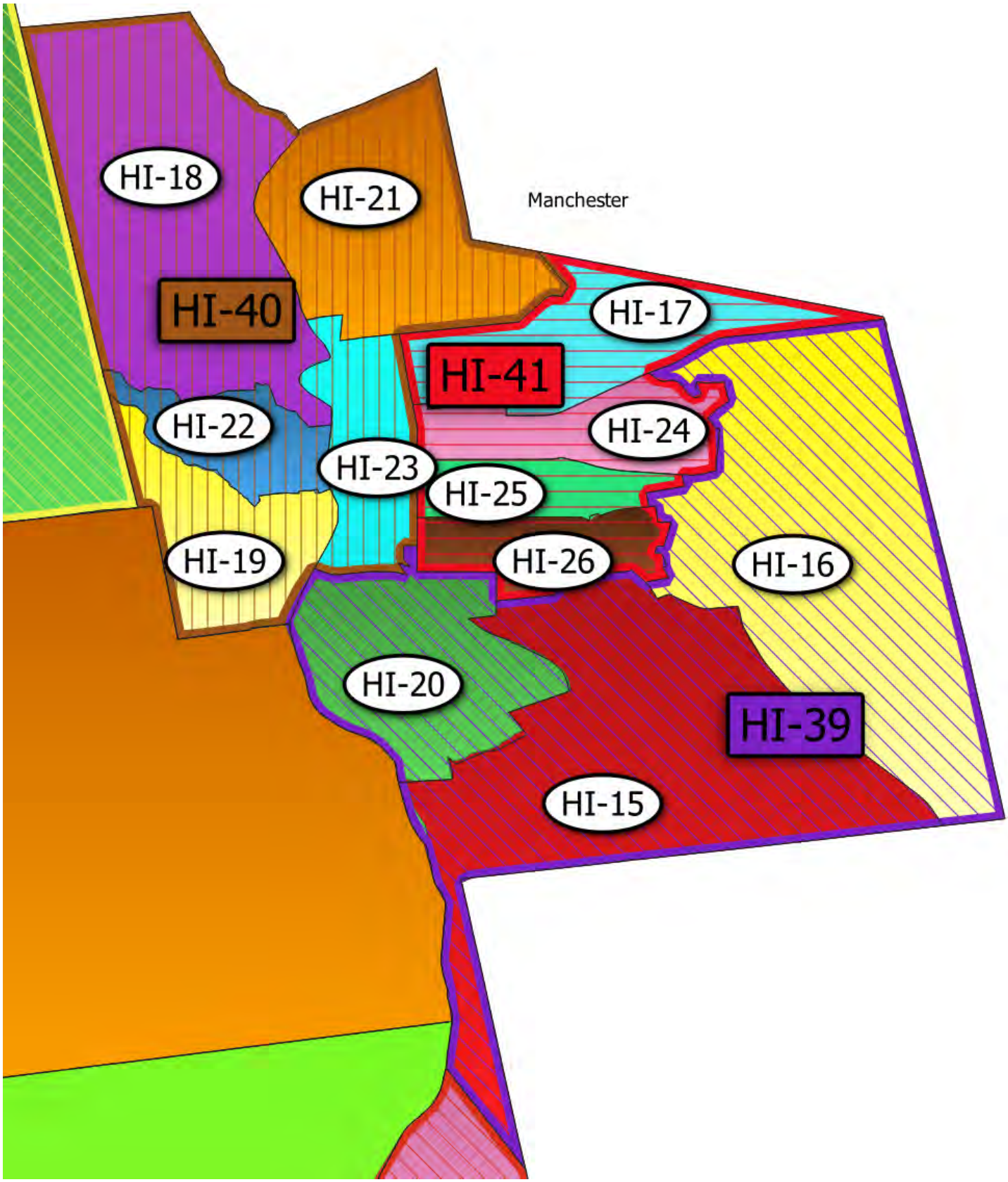

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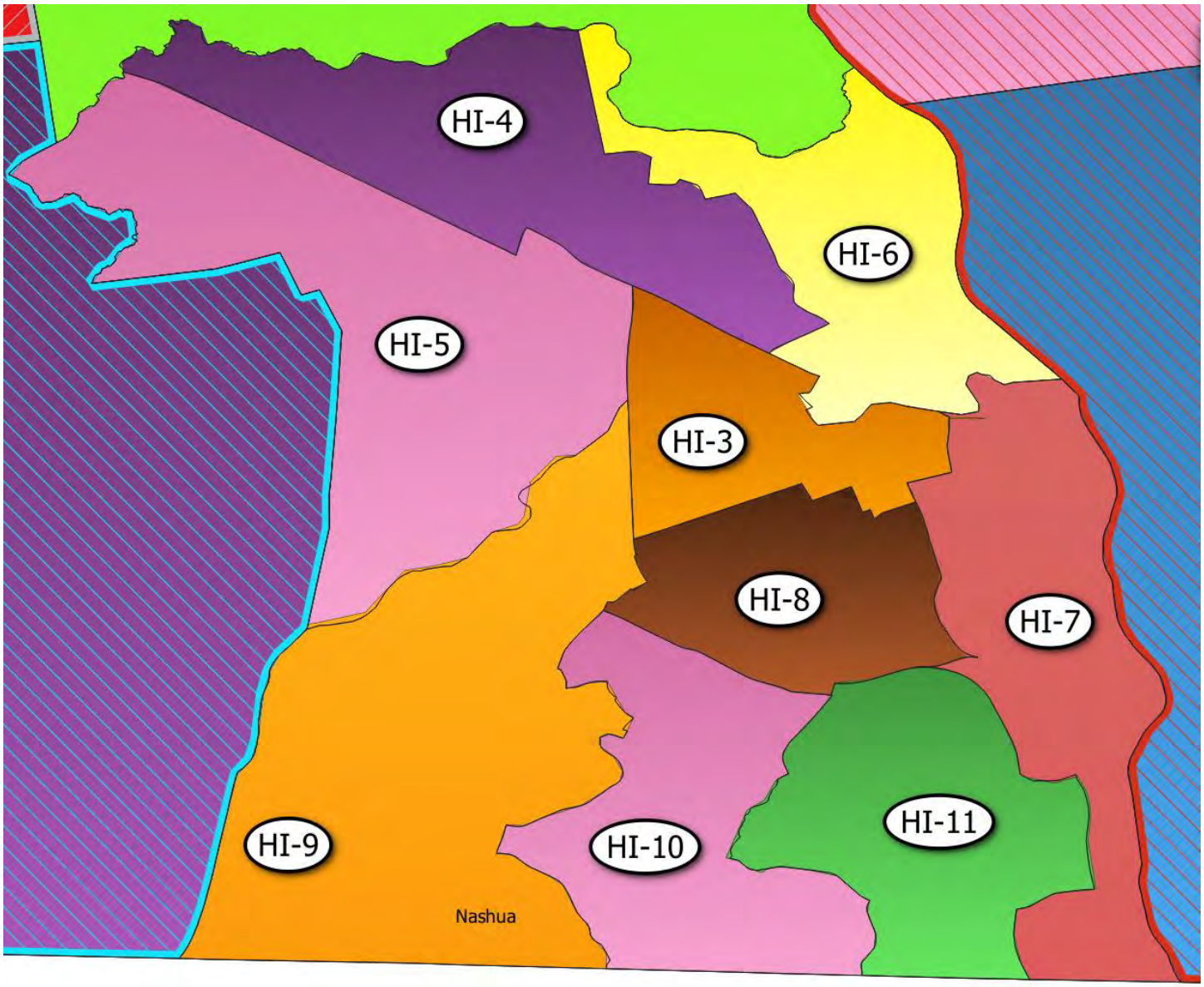

8.3. Hillsborough County Map Districts

Hillsborough County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
HI-1	14,222	4			Pelham	3.24%	
HI-2	23,322	7			Bedford	-3.26%	
HI-3	10,074	3			Nashua Ward 4	-2.49%	
HI-4	10,348	3			Nashua Ward 2	0.16%	
HI-5	10,119	3			Nashua Ward 1	-2.06%	
HI-6	9,869	3			Nashua Ward 3	-4.48%	
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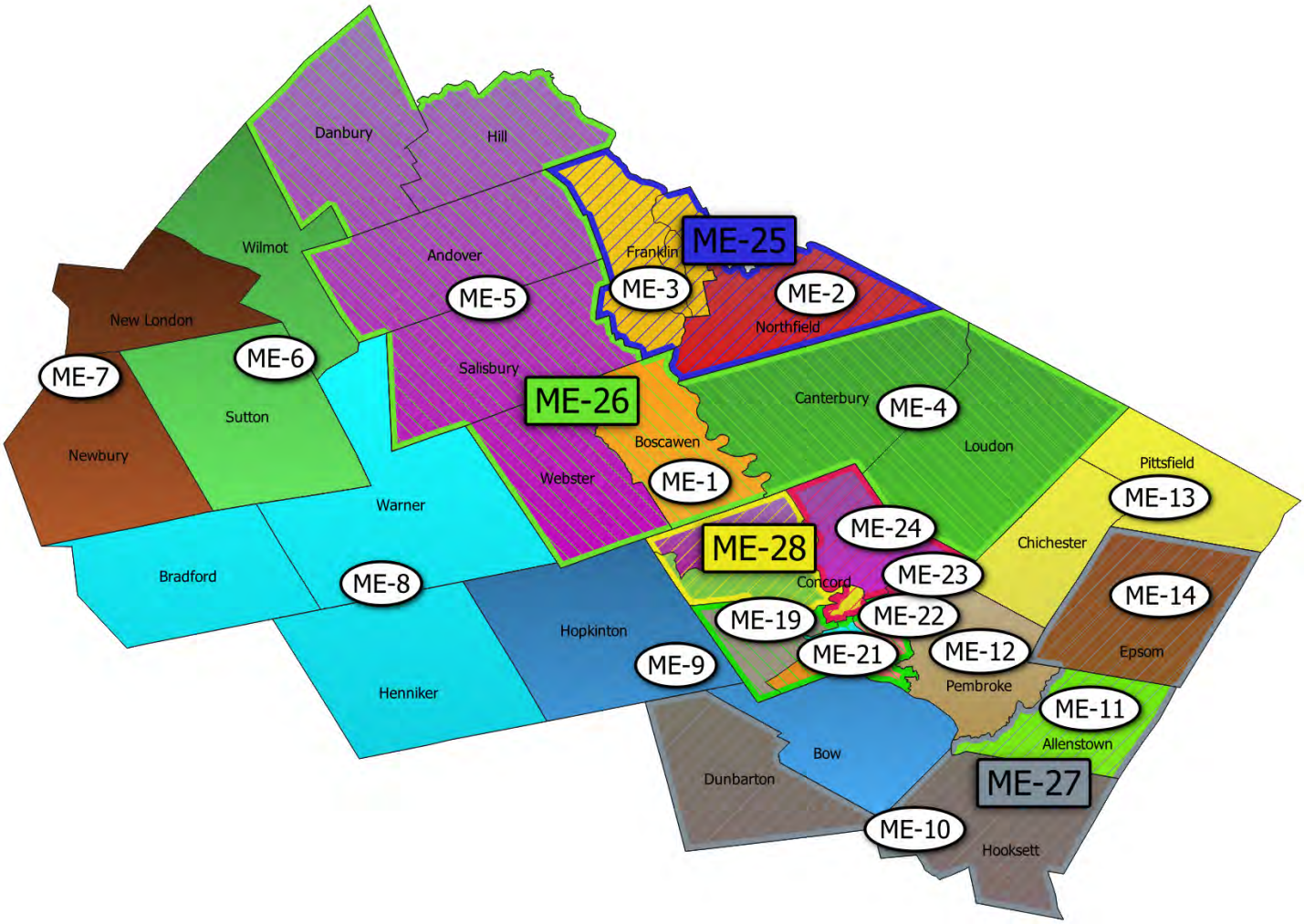
HI-9	10,603	3			Nashua Ward 5	2.63%	
HI-10	10,369	3			Nashua Ward 9	0.36%	
HI-11	10,267	3			Nashua Ward 8	-0.62%	
HI-12	26,632	8			Merrimack	-3.33%	
HI-13	25,394	6	HI-38	2	Hudson	-1.68%	
HI-14	8,478	2			Litchfield	-1.55%	
HI-15	9,622	2	HI-39	2	Manchester Ward 8	4.76%	
HI-16	9,603	2			Manchester Ward 6	4.61%	
HI-20	9,627	2			Manchester Ward 9	4.80%	
HI-17	9,657	2	HI-41	3	Manchester Ward 2	1.93%	
HI-24	9,643	2			Manchester Ward 4	1.82%	
HI-25	9,631	2			Manchester Ward 5	1.73%	
HI-26	9,644	2			Manchester Ward 7	1.83%	
HI-18	9,637	2	HI-40	4	Manchester Ward 12	-0.04%	
HI-19	9,608	2			Manchester Ward 10	-0.26%	
HI-21	9,696	2			Manchester Ward 1	0.40%	
HI-22	9,665	2			Manchester Ward 11	0.17%	
HI-23	9,611	2			Manchester Ward 3	-0.23%	
HI-27	3,523	1			Deering, Francestown	2.30%	
HI-28	9,092	2	HI-44	2	Weare	-0.64%	
HI-29	18,577	4			Goffstown	0.96%	
HI-30	10,344	3			Antrim, Bennington, Hillsborough, Windsor	0.12%	Hillsborough
HI-31	3,447	1			Greenfield, Hancock	0.09%	
HI-32	10,482	3			New Ipswich, Temple, Wilton	1.46%	New Ipswich, Wilton
HI-33	6,777	2			Peterborough, Sharon	-1.61%	Peterborough
HI-34	11,753	3	HI-37	1	Amherst	-0.25%	
HI-43	16,131	4			Milford	2.31%	
HI-35	8,342	2	HI-45	1	Hollis	-2.30%	
HI-36	9,061	2			Brookline, Greenville, Mason	4.38%	Brookline
HI-42	10,394	3			Lyndeborough, Mont Vernon, New Boston	0.61%	New Boston
Total	422,937	123				9.75%	6

9. Merrimack County Map



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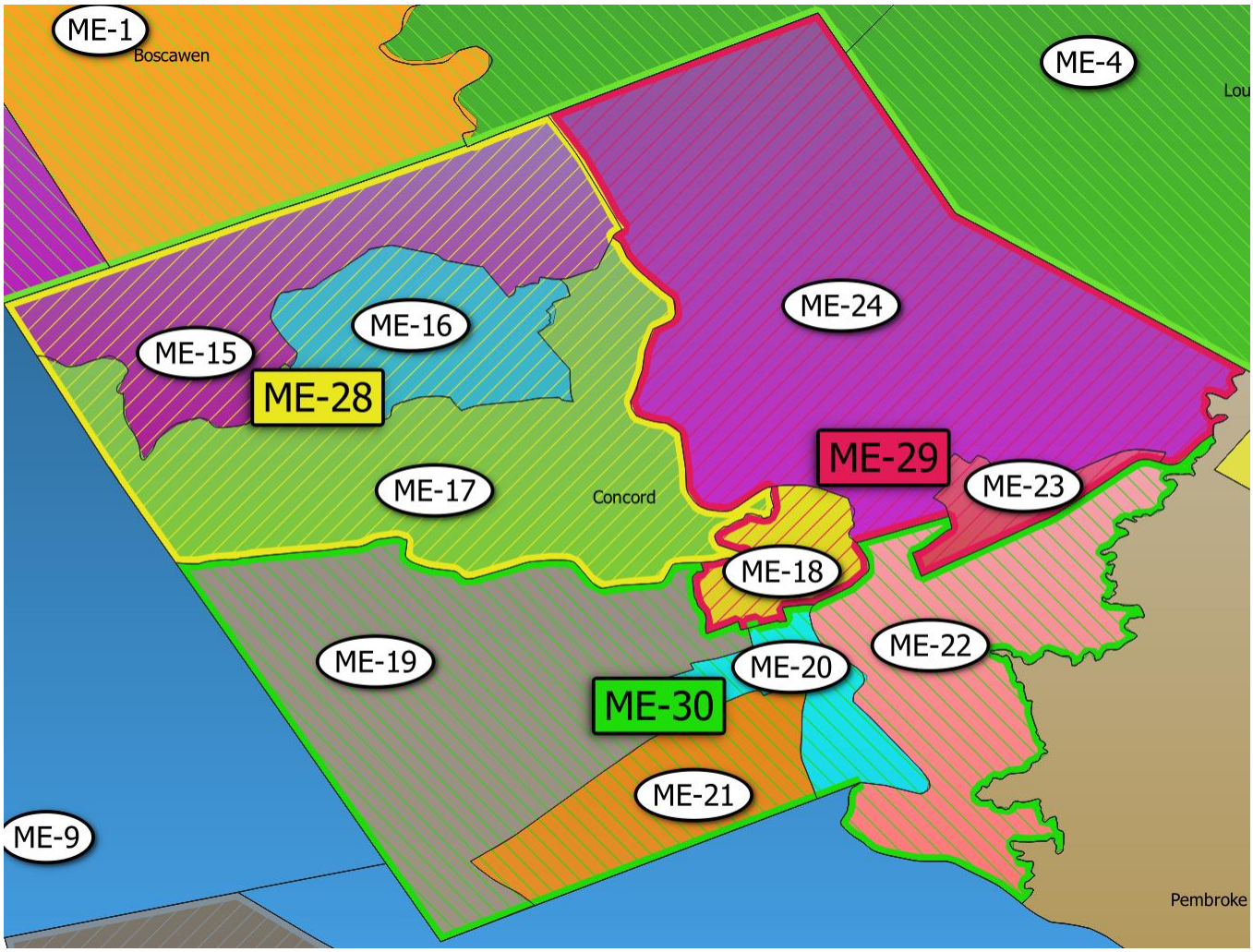
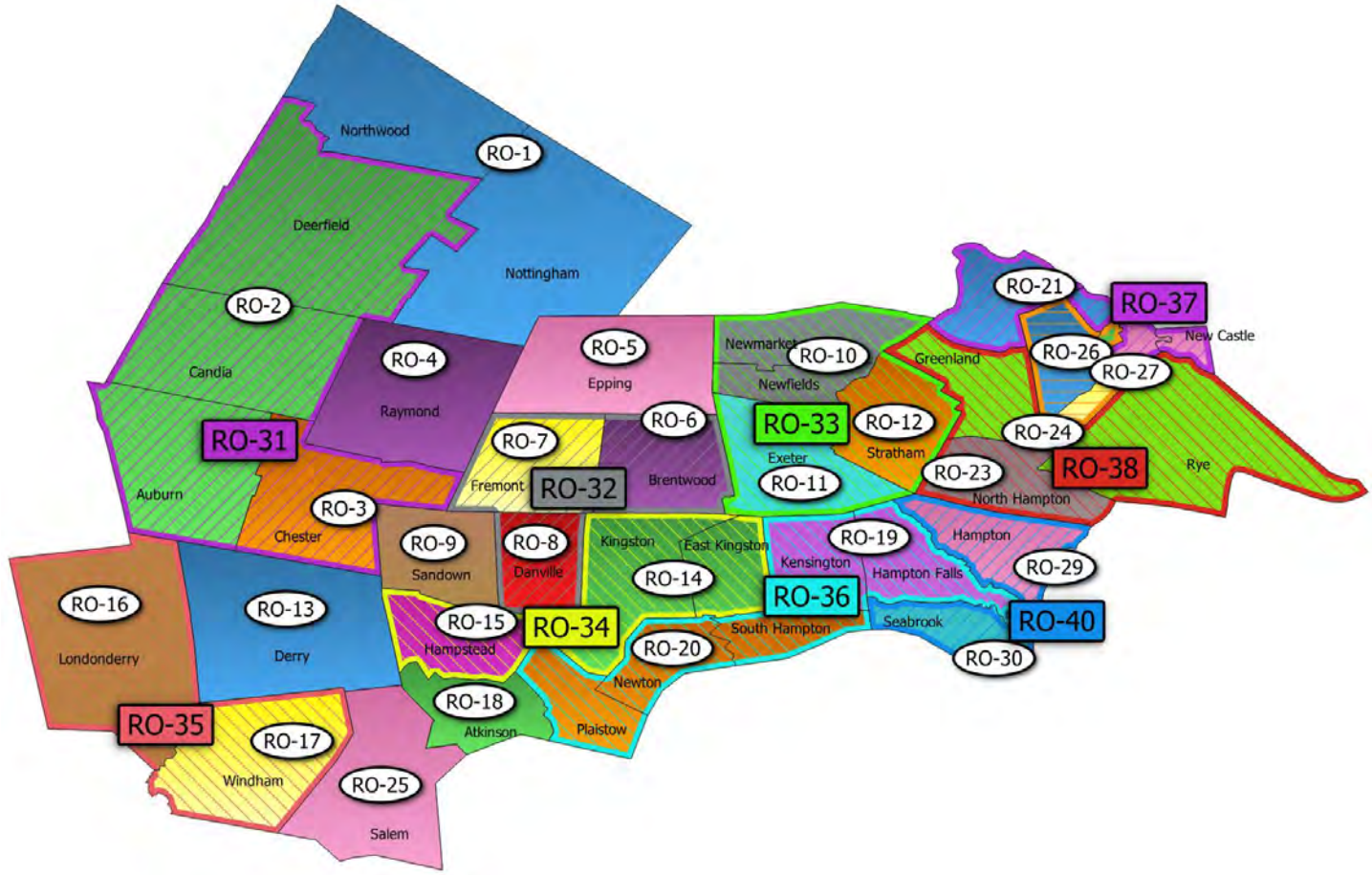


9.2. Merrimack County Map Districts

Merrimack County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
ME-1	3,998	1	ME-26	1	Boscawen	-3.27%	
ME-4	7,965	2			Canterbury, Loudon	-3.58%	Loudon
ME-5	8,008	2			Andover, Danbury, Hill, Salisbury, Webster	-3.15%	
ME-2	4,872	1	ME-25	1	Northfield	4.18%	
ME-3	8,741	2			Franklin Wards 1-3	-3.93%	
ME-6	3,385	1			Sutton, Wilmot	-1.71%	
ME-7	6,572	2			New London, Newbury	-4.58%	New London
ME-8	10,784	3			Bradford, Henniker, Warner	4.38%	Henniker
ME-9	14,143	4			Bow, Hopkinton	2.67%	Bow, Hopkinton
ME-10	17,876	4	ME-27	2	Dunbarton, Hooksett	-2.14%	Hooksett
ME-11	4,707	1			Allenstown	1.74%	
ME-14	4,834	1			Epsom	3.77%	
ME-12	7,207	2			Pembroke	4.64%	
ME-13	6,740	2			Chichester, Pittsfield	-2.14%	Pittsfield
ME-15	4,452	1	ME-28	1	Concord Ward 1	-2.73%	
ME-16	4,567	1			Concord Ward 2	-0.85%	
ME-17	4,512	1			Concord Ward 3	-1.75%	
ME-18	4,398	1	ME-29	1	Concord Ward 4	-3.92%	
ME-23	4,543	1			Concord Ward 9	-1.55%	
ME-24	4,421	1			Concord Ward 10	-3.54%	
ME-19	4,338	1	ME-30	1	Concord Ward 5	0.46%	
ME-20	4,231	1			Concord Ward 6	-1.53%	
ME-21	4,310	1			Concord Ward 7	-0.06%	
ME-22	4,204	1			Concord Ward 8	-2.03%	
Total	153,808	45				9.22%	7

10. Rockingham County Map



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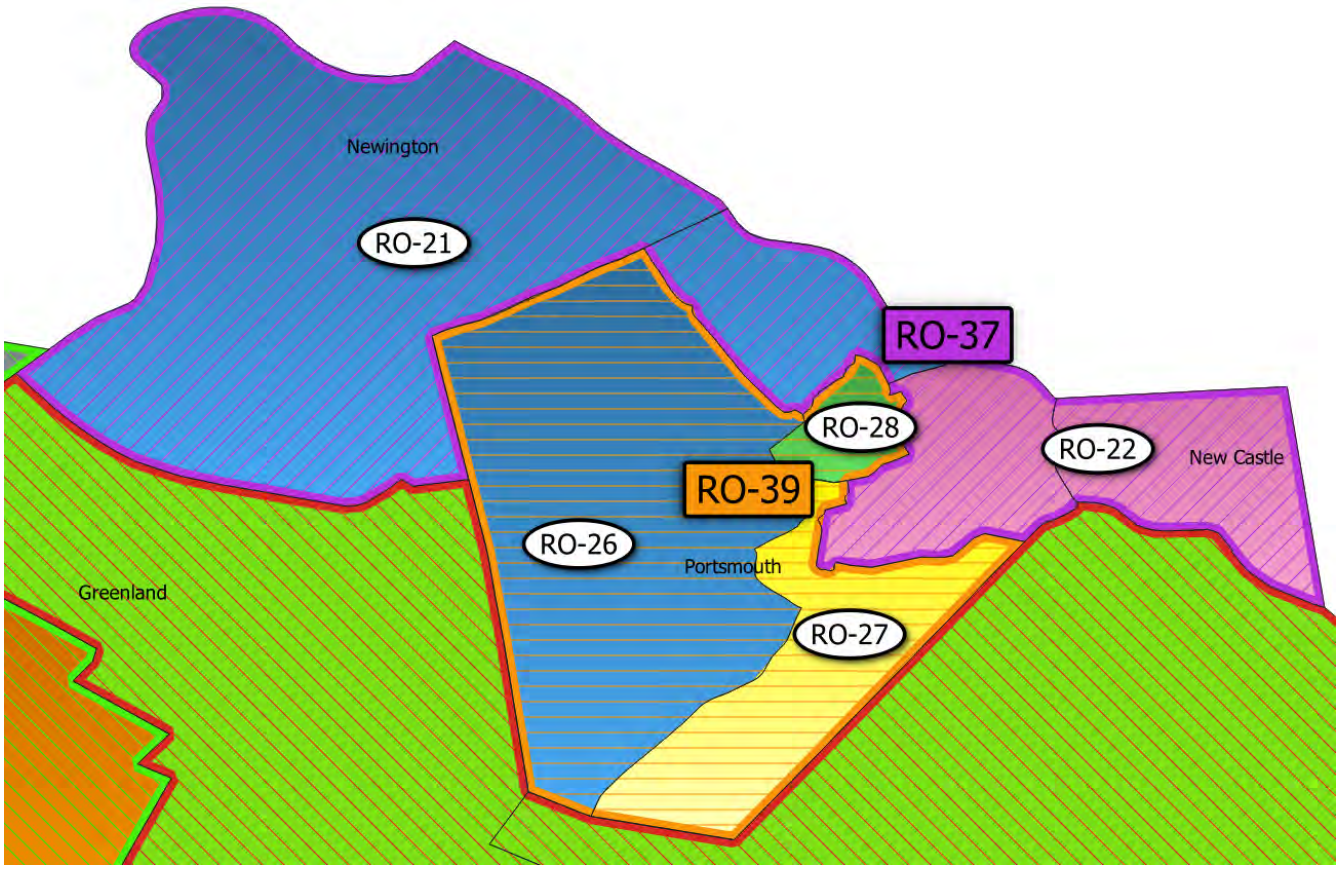
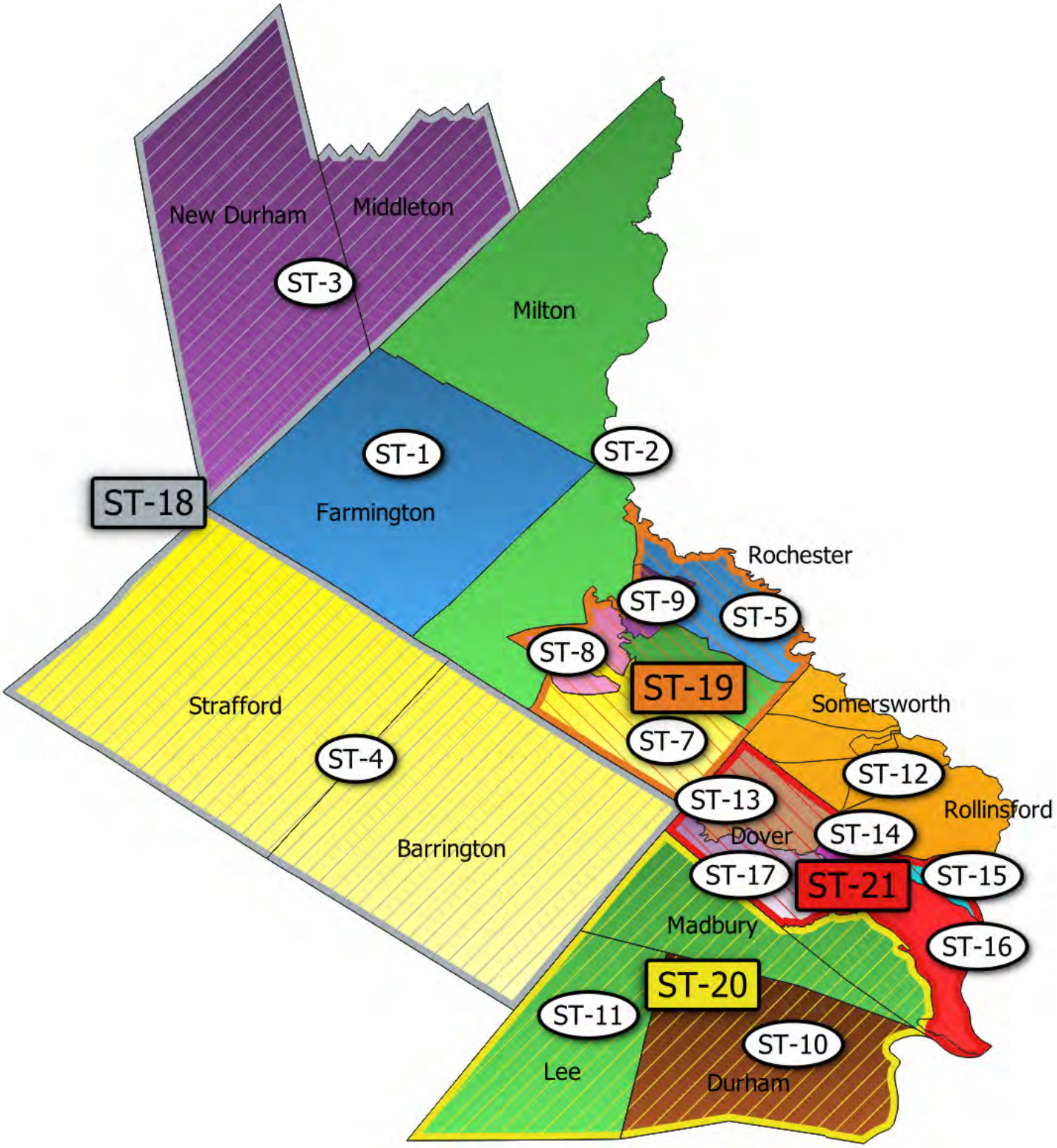


10.2. Rockingham County Map Districts

Rockingham County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
RO-1	9,870	3			Northwood, Nottingham	-4.47%	Northwood, Nottingham
RO-2	14,814	3	RO-31	2	Auburn, Candia, Deerfield	-3.94%	Auburn, Candia, Deerfield
RO-3	5,232	1			Chester	-0.18%	
RO-4	10,684	3			Raymond	3.41%	
RO-5	7,125	2			Epping	3.45%	
RO-6	4,490	1	RO-32	1	Brentwood	-1.92%	
RO-7	4,739	1			Fremont	2.12%	
RO-8	4,408	1			Danville	-3.27%	
RO-9	6,548	2			Sandown	-4.93%	
RO-10	11,199	3	RO-33	1	Newfields, Newmarket	-2.07%	Newmarket
RO-11	16,049	4			Exeter	4.50%	
RO-12	7,669	2			Stratham	0.33%	
RO-13	34,317	10			Derry	-0.35%	
RO-14	8,643	2	RO-34	1	E. Kingston, Kingston	0.79%	Kingston
RO-15	8,998	2			Hampstead	4.09%	
RO-16	25,826	7	RO-35	1	Londonderry	-1.59%	
RO-17	15,817	4			Windham	4.86%	
RO-18	7,087	2			Atkinson	2.89%	
RO-19	4,498	1	RO-36	1	Hampton Falls, Kensington	4.55%	
RO-20	13,544	3			Newton, Plaistow, S. Hampton	4.86%	Newton, Plaistow
RO-21	5,087	1	RO-37	1	Newington, Portsmouth Ward 1	-1.08%	Portsmouth Ward 1
RO-22	5,227	1			New Castle, Portsmouth Ward 5	0.73%	Portsmouth Ward 5
RO-23	4,538	1	RO-38	1	N. Hampton	-0.23%	
RO-24	9,610	2			Greenland, Rye	4.15%	Greenland, Rye
RO-25	30,089	9			Salem	-2.92%	
RO-26	4,528	1	RO-39	1	Portsmouth Ward 3	-1.63%	
RO-27	4,376	1			Portsmouth Ward 4	-4.12%	
RO-28	4,549	1			Portsmouth Ward 2	-1.29%	
RO-29	16,214	4	RO-40	1	Hampton	1.06%	
RO-30	8,401	2			Seabrook	4.19%	
Total	314,176		91			9.80%	13

11. Strafford County Map



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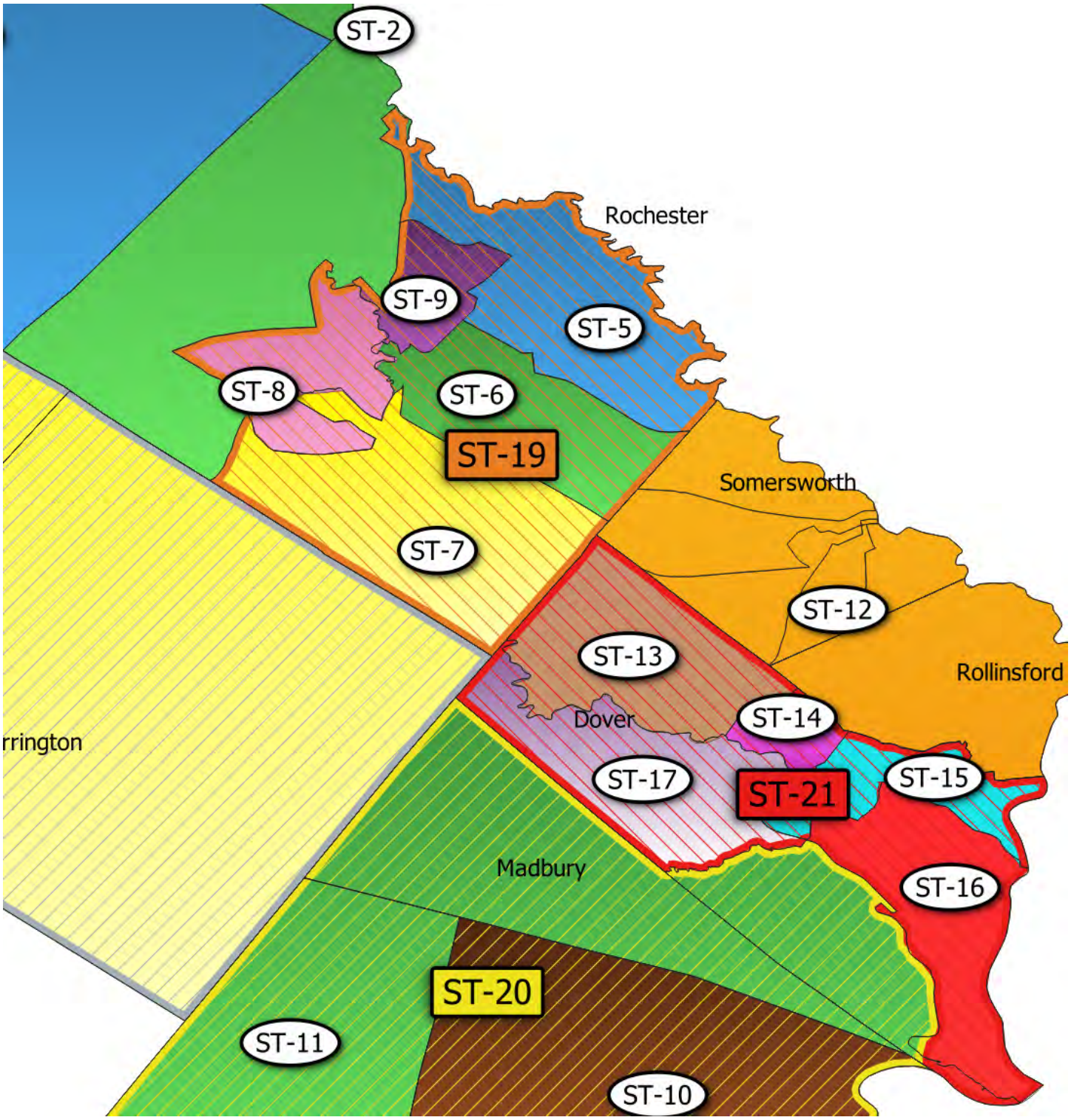
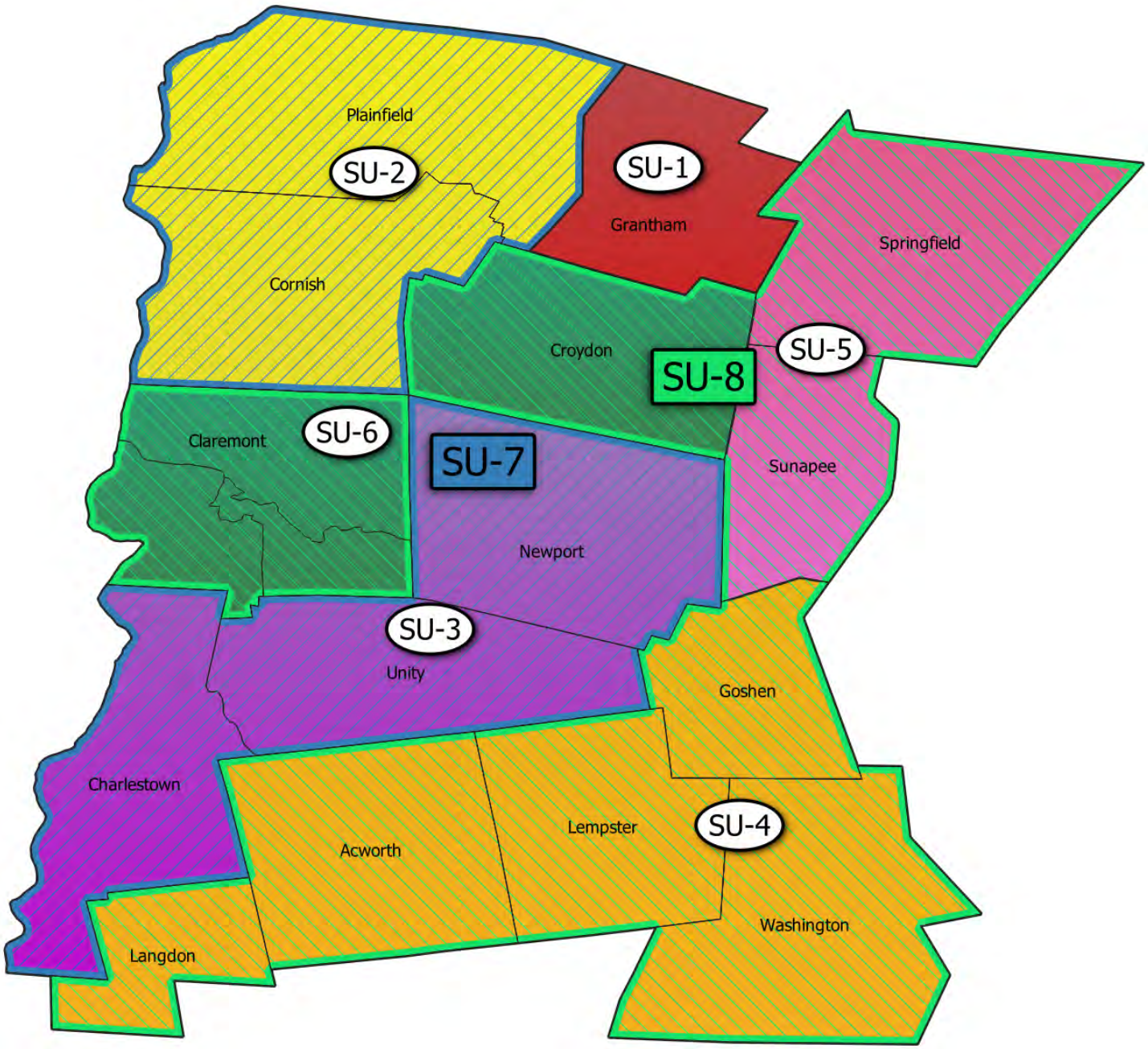


11.2. Strafford County Map Districts

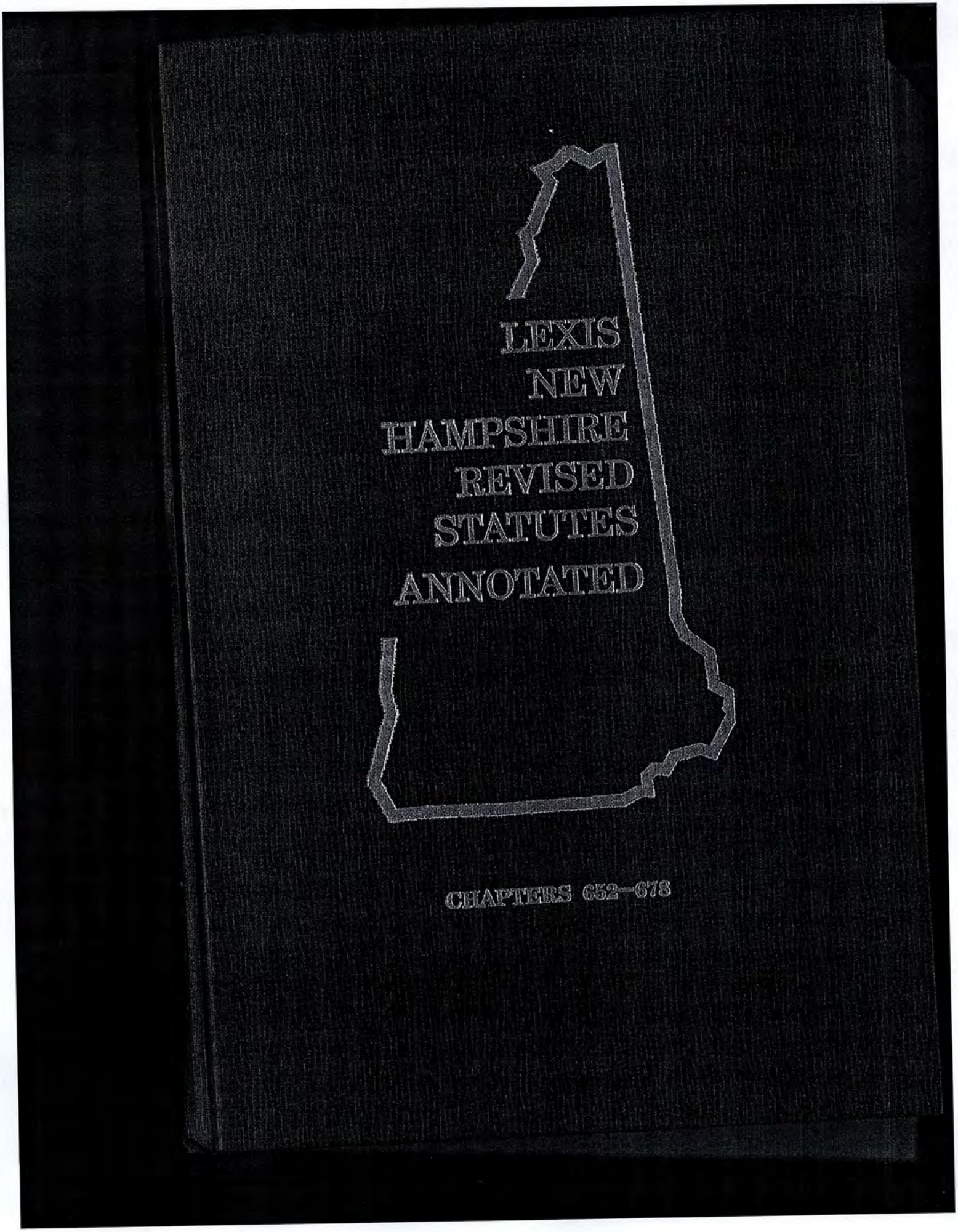
Strafford County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
ST-1	6,722	2			Farmington	-2.40%	
ST-2	9,901	3			Milton, Rochester Ward 5	-4.17%	Milton, Rochester Ward 5
ST-3	4,516	1	ST-18	1	Middleton, New Durham	4.92%	
ST-4	13,556	3			Barrington, Strafford	4.97%	Barrington, Strafford
ST-5	5,387	1	ST-19	3	Rochester Ward 1	-2.05%	
ST-6	5,388	1			Rochester Ward 2	-2.04%	
ST-7	5,390	1			Rochester Ward 3	-2.01%	
ST-8	5,498	1			Rochester Ward 4	-0.79%	
ST-9	5,410	1			Rochester Ward 6	-1.79%	
ST-10	15,490	4	ST-20	1	Durham	-1.49%	
ST-11	11,877	3			Dover Ward 4, Lee, Madbury	0.43%	Dover Ward 4, Lee
ST-12	14,452	4			Rollinsford, Somersworth Wards 1-5	4.91%	
ST-13	5,501	1	ST-21	3	Dover Ward 6	-0.44%	
ST-14	5,482	1			Dover Ward 1	-0.66%	
ST-15	5,414	1			Dover Ward 2	-1.43%	
ST-16	5,409	1			Dover Ward 3	-1.49%	
ST-17	5,496	1			Dover Ward 5	-0.50%	
Total	130,889	38				9.13%	6

12. Sullivan County Map



12.1. Sullivan County Map Districts

Sullivan County Enacted Map							
District	Population	# Reps	F District	F Reps	Towns/Wards	% Deviation	Violations
SU-1	3,404	1			Grantham	-1.16%	
SU-2	4,075	1	SU-7	1	Cornish, Plainfield	-4.88%	
SU-3	12,623	3			Charlestown, Newport, Unity	-2.41%	Charlestown, Newport
SU-4	4,610	1	SU-8	2	Acworth, Goshen, Langdon, Lempster, Washington	-4.49%	
SU-5	4,601	1			Springfield, Sunapee	-4.62%	
SU-6	13,750	3			Claremont Wards 1-3, Croydon	-4.88%	Claremont Ward 1, Claremont Ward 2, Claremont Ward 3
Total	43,063	13				3.73%	5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missioners presently in office. If there shall be a vacancy in a county commissioner district for any reason prior to the 2002 state general election, the vacancy shall be filled under the terms of RSA 661:9 from the same county commissioner district that existed for the 2000 state general election. The nomination and election of county commissioners at the 2002 state general election shall be by districts as provided in this act."

Construction and effect of 1992 amendment; filling of vacancies prior to 1992 state general election.

1992, 62:2, eff. April 20, 1992, provided:

"No provision of this act [which amended this section] shall be construed as affecting the constituencies or terms of office of county commissioners presently in office. If there shall be a vacancy in a county commissioner district for any reason prior to the 1992 state general election, the vacancy shall be filled under the terms of RSA 661:9 from the same county commissioner district that existed for the 1990 state general election. The nomination and election of county commissioners at the state general election in November, 1992, shall be by districts as provided in this act."

662:5. State Representative Districts.

The state is divided into districts for the choosing of state representatives, each of which may elect the number of representatives set forth opposite the district, as follows:

	I. Belknap County		
District No. 1	Center Harbor		
	New Hampton		1
District No. 2	Gilford		
	Meredith		4
District No. 3	Laconia	Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6	4
District No. 4	Sanbornton		
	Tilton		2
District No. 5	Alton		
	Gilmanton		2
District No. 6	Belmont		2
District No. 7	Barnstead		1
District No. 8	Alton		
	Barnstead		
	Gilmanton		1
District No. 9	Belmont		
	Laconia		1
	II. Carroll County		
District No. 1	Bartlett		
	Hart's Location		
	Jackson		1
District No. 2	Chatham		
	Conway		
	Eaton		
	Hale's Location		3
District No. 3	Albany		
	Freedom		
	Madison		

	Tamworth		2
District No. 4	Moultonborough		
	Sandwich		
	Tuftonboro		2
District No. 5	Brookfield		
	Effingham		
	Ossipee		
	Wakefield		3
District No. 6	Wolfeboro		2
District No. 7	Albany		
	Bartlett		
	Chatham		
	Conway		
	Eaton		
	Freedom		
	Hale's Location		
	Hart's Location		
	Jackson		
	Madison		
	Tamworth		1
District No. 8	Brookfield		
	Effingham		
	Moultonborough		
	Ossipee		
	Sandwich		
	Tuftonboro		
	Wakefield		1

III. Cheshire County

District No. 1	Chesterfield		
	Hinsdale		
	Walpole		4
	Westmoreland		
District No. 2	Alstead		
	Marlow		1
	Surry		7
District No. 3	Gilsum		
	Nelson		
	Stoddard		1
	Sullivan		1
District No. 4	Keene	Ward 1	1
District No. 5	Keene	Ward 2	1
District No. 6	Keene	Ward 3	1
District No. 7	Keene	Ward 4	1
District No. 8	Keene	Ward 5	
District No. 9	Dublin		
	Harrisville		

	Jaffrey		
	Roxbury		2
District No. 10	Marlborough		
	Troy		1
District No. 11	Fitzwilliam		
	Rindge		2
District No. 12	Richmond		
	Swanzey		2
District No. 13	Winchester		1
District No. 14	Dublin		
	Fitzwilliam		
	Harrisville		
	Jaffrey		
	Rindge		
	Roxbury		1
District No. 15	Marlborough		
	Richmond		
	Swanzey		
	Troy		
	Winchester		1
District No. 16	Keene	Ward 1	
	Keene	Ward 2	
	Keene	Ward 3	
	Keene	Ward 4	
	Keene	Ward 5	2
	IV. Coos County		
District No. 1	Atkinson &		
	Gilmanton		
	Academy		
	Grant		
	Cambridge		
	Clarksville		
	Colebrook		
	Columbia		
	Dix's Grant		
	Dixville		
	Errol		
	Erving's Location		
	Millsfield		
	Odell		
	Pittsburg		
	Second College Grant		
	Stewartstown		
	Stratford		
	Wentworth's Location		2
District No. 2	Dummer		

	Milan	
	Northumberland	
	Stark	1
District No. 3	Berlin	3
District No. 4	Lancaster	
	Dalton	
	Kilkenny	1
District No. 5	Carroll	
	Jefferson	
	Randolph	
	Whitefield	1
District No. 6	Bean's Grant	
	Bean's Purchase	
	Chandler's Purchase	
	Crawford's Purchase	
	Cutt's Grant	
	Gorham	
	Green's Grant	
	Hadley's Purchase	
	Low and Burbank's Grant	
	Martin's Location	
	Pinkham's Grant	
	Sargent's Purchase	
	Shelburne	
	Success	
	Thompson and Meserve's Purchase	1
District No. 7	Carroll	
	Dalton	
	Dummer	
	Jefferson	
	Kilkenny	
	Lancaster	
	Milan	
	Northumberland	
	Randolph	
	Stark	1
	Whitefield	

V. Grafton County

District No. 1	Bethlehem	2
	Littleton	
District No. 2	Franconia	
	Lyman	
	Lisbon	
	Monroe	

	Sugar Hill		1
District No. 3	Bath		
	Benton		
	Easton		
	Landaff		
	Orford		
	Piermont		
	Warren		1
District No. 4	Haverhill		1
District No. 5	Lincoln		
	Livermore		
	Waterville Valley		
	Woodstock		1
District No. 6	Ellsworth		
	Groton		
	Orange		
	Rumney		
	Thornton		1
District No. 7	Campton		1
District No. 8	Hebron		
	Holderness		
	Plymouth		3
District No. 9	Alexandria		
	Ashland		
	Bridgewater		
	Bristol		
	Grafton		2
District No. 10	Enfield		1
District No. 11	Canaan		
	Dorchester		
	Wentworth		1
District No. 12	Hanover		
	Lyme		4
District No. 13	Lebanon	Ward 1	
	Lebanon	Ward 2	
	Lebanon	Ward 3	4
District No. 14	Bethlehem		
	Franconia		
	Littleton		
	Lisbon		
	Lyman		
	Monroe		
	Sugar Hill		1
District No. 15	Bath		
	Benton		
	Easton		

	Haverhill		
	Landaff		
	Orford		
	Piermont		
	Warren		1
District No. 16	Canaan		
	Dorchester		
	Ellsworth		
	Groton		
	Orange		
	Rumney		
	Thornton		
	Wentworth		1
District No. 17	Alexandria		
	Ashland		
	Bridgewater		
	Bristol		
	Enfield		
	Grafton		1

VI. Hillsborough County

District No. 1	Antrim		
	Hillsborough		
	Windsor		2
District No. 2	Deering		
	Weare		3
District No. 3	Bennington		
	Greenfield		
	Hancock		1
District No. 4	Francestown		
	Greenville		
	Lyndeborough		
	Wilton		2
District No. 5	Mont Vernon		
	New Boston		2
District No. 6	Goffstown		5
District No. 7	Bedford		6
District No. 8	Manchester	Ward 1	2
District No. 9	Manchester	Ward 2	2
District No. 10	Manchester	Ward 3	2
District No. 11	Manchester	Ward 4	2
District No. 12	Manchester	Ward 5	2
District No. 13	Manchester	Ward 6	2
District No. 14	Manchester	Ward 7	2
District No. 15	Manchester	Ward 8	2
District No. 16	Manchester	Ward 9	2
District No. 17	Manchester	Wards 10	

District No. 18	Manchester	Wards 11	2
District No. 19	Manchester	Wards 12	2
District No. 20	Litchfield		2
District No. 21	Merrimack		8
District No. 22	Amherst		3
District No. 23	Milford		4
District No. 24	Peterborough		2
District No. 25	New Ipswich		
	Sharon		
	Temple		2
District No. 26	Brookline		
	Mason		2
District No. 27	Hollis		2
District No. 28	Nashua	Ward 1	3
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District No. 30	Nashua	Ward 3	3
District No. 31	Nashua	Ward 4	3
District No. 32	Nashua	Ward 5	3
District No. 33	Nashua	Ward 6	3
District No. 34	Nashua	Ward 7	3
District No. 35	Nashua	Ward 8	3
District No. 36	Nashua	Ward 9	3
District No. 37	Hudson		
	Pelham		11
District No. 38	Antrim		
	Bennington		
	Francestown		
	Greenfield		
	Greenville		
	Hancock		
	Hillsborough		
	Lyndeborough		
	Wilton		
	Windsor		2
District No. 39	Deering		
	Goffstown		
	Weare		1
District No. 40	Hollis		
	Milford		
	Mont Vernon		
	New Boston		1
District No. 41	Amherst		
	Bedford		1
District No. 42	Manchester	Wards 1, 2, and 3	2

District No. 43	Manchester	Wards 4, 5, 6, and 7	3
District No. 44	Litchfield		
	Manchester	Wards 8 and 9	2
District No. 45	Manchester	Wards 10, 11, and 12	2

VII. Merrimack County

District No. 1	Andover		
	Danbury		
	Salisbury		1
District No. 2	Franklin	Wards 1 and 2	
	Hill		2
District No. 3	Franklin	Ward 3	
	Northfield		2
District No. 4	Sutton		
	Wilmot		1
District No. 5	New London		
	Newbury		2
District No. 6	Bradford		
	Henniker		2
District No. 7	Warner		
	Webster		1
District No. 8	Boscawen		1
District No. 9	Canterbury		
	Loudon		2
District No. 10	Concord	Ward 5	
	Hopkinton		3
District No. 11	Concord	Ward 1	1
District No. 12	Concord	Ward 2	1
District No. 13	Concord	Ward 3	1
District No. 14	Concord	Ward 4	1
District No. 15	Concord	Ward 6	1
District No. 16	Concord	Ward 7	1
District No. 17	Concord	Ward 8	1
District No. 18	Concord	Ward 9	1
District No. 19	Concord	Ward 10	1
District No. 20	Chichester		
	Pembroke		3
District No. 21	Epsom		
	Pittsfield		2
District No. 22	Allenstown		1
District No. 23	Bow		
	Dunbarton		3
District No. 24	Hooksett		4
District No. 25	Andover		
	Danbury		

	Salisbury		
	Warner		
	Webster		1
District No. 26	Boscawen		
	Canterbury		
	Franklin	Ward 3	
	Loudon		
	Northfield		1
District No. 27	Concord	Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7	2
District No. 28	Concord	Wards 8, 9, and 10	1
District No. 29	Allenstown		
	Epsom		
	Pittsfield		1
	VIII. Rockingham County		
District No. 1	Northwood		1
District No. 2	Candia		3
	Deerfield		
	Nottingham		3
District No. 3	Raymond		3
District No. 4	Auburn		
	Chester		
	Sandown		5
District No. 5	Londonderry		7
District No. 6	Derry		10
District No. 7	Windham		4
District No. 8	Salem		9
District No. 9	Epping		2
District No. 10	Fremont		1
District No. 11	Brentwood		1
District No. 12	Danville		1
District No. 13	Hampstead		
	Kingston		4
District No. 14	Atkinson		
	Plaistow		4
District No. 15	Newton		1
District No. 16	East Kingston		
	Kensington		
	South Hampton		1
District No. 17	Newfields		1
	Newmarket		3
District No. 18	Exeter		4
District No. 19	Stratham		2
District No. 20	Hampton Falls		
	Seabrook		3

District No. 21	Hampton		4
District No. 22	North Hampton		1
District No. 23	Greenland		
	Newington		1
District No. 24	New Castle		
	Rye		2
District No. 25	Portsmouth	Ward 1	1
District No. 26	Portsmouth	Ward 2	1
District No. 27	Portsmouth	Ward 3	1
District No. 28	Portsmouth	Ward 4	1
District No. 29	Portsmouth	Ward 5	1
District No. 30	Portsmouth	Ward 1	
	Portsmouth	Ward 2	
	Portsmouth	Ward 4	
	Portsmouth	Ward 5	1
District No. 31	Greenland		
	North Hampton		
	Newington		
	Portsmouth	Ward 3	1
District No. 32	Candia		
	Deerfield		
	Northwood		
	Nottingham		1
District No. 33	Brentwood		
	Fremont		
	Danville		1
District No. 34	Atkinson		
	Plaistow		
	Hampstead		
	Kingston		1
District No. 35	East Kingston		
	Kensington		
	Newton		
	South Hampton		1
District No. 36	Exeter		
	Newfields		
	Newmarket		
	Stratham		1
District No. 37	Hampton		
	Hampton Falls		
	Seabrook		1

IX. Strafford County

District No. 1	Middleton		2
	Milton		2
District No. 2	Farmington		2
District No. 3	New Durham		

	Strafford		
District No. 4	Barrington		2
District 5	Lee		1
District 6	Durham		
	Madbury		5
District No. 7	Rochester	Ward 1	1
District No. 8	Rochester	Ward 6	1
District No. 9	Rochester	Ward 2	1
District No. 10	Rochester	Ward 3	1
District No. 11	Rochester	Ward 4	1
District No. 12	Rochester	Ward 5	1
District No. 13	Dover	Ward 1	1
District No. 14	Dover	Ward 2	1
District No. 15	Dover	Ward 3	1
District No. 16	Dover	Ward 4	1
District No. 17	Dover	Ward 5	
	Dover	Ward 6	
	Somersworth	Ward 2	3
District No. 18	Rollinsford		
	Somersworth	Ward 1	
	Somersworth	Ward 3	
	Somersworth	Ward 4	
	Somersworth	Ward 5	3
District No. 19	Dover	Ward 1	
	Dover	Ward 2	1
District No. 20	Dover	Ward 3	
	Dover	Ward 4	1
District No. 21	Dover	Ward 5	
	Dover	Ward 6	
	Rollinsford		
	Somersworth	Ward 1	
	Somersworth	Ward 2	
	Somersworth	Ward 3	
	Somersworth	Ward 4	
	Somersworth	Ward 5	1
District No. 22	Rochester	Ward 1	
	Rochester	Ward 6	1
District No. 23	Rochester	Ward 2	
	Rochester	Ward 3	1
District No. 24	Rochester	Ward 4	
	Rochester	Ward 5	1
District No. 25	Barrington		
	Lee		1

X. Sullivan County

District No. 1	Cornish		
	Grantham		

	Plainfield		
	Springfield		2
District No. 2	Croydon		
	Sunapee		1
District No. 3	Claremont	Ward 1	1
District No. 4	Claremont	Ward 2	1
District No. 5	Claremont	Ward 3	1
District No. 6	Newport		
	Unity		2
District No. 7	Acworth		
	Goshen		
	Langdon		
	Lempster		
	Washington		1
District No. 8	Charlestown		1
District No. 9	Cornish		
	Croydon		
	Grantham		
	Newport		
	Plainfield		
	Springfield		
	Sunapee		
	Unity		1
District No. 10	Claremont	Ward 1	
	Claremont	Ward 2	
	Claremont	Ward 3	1
District No. 11	Acworth		
	Charlestown		
	Goshen		
	Langdon		
	Lempster		
	Washington		1

Source.
1979, 436:1. 1982, 29:1; 43:7. 1983, 248:3; 282:1; 317:1; 424:5. 1985, 31:1. 1992, 130:1, eff. May 4, 1992; 183:1–6, eff. May 12, 1992. 2004, 18:1, eff. at 12:01 a.m., May 28, 2004. 2012, 9:1, eff. March 28, 2012.

Amendments

—2012. The 2012 amendment rewrote the section to the extent that a detailed comparison would be impracticable.

—2004. Rewritten to the extent that a detailed comparison would be impracticable.

—1992. Rewritten by ch. 130 to the extent that a detailed comparison would be impracticable.

Paragraph III: Chapter 183 revised district 14 relating to Keene as districts 14 through 19.

Paragraph VI: Chapter 183 revised former district 26 relating to Nashua as new districts 26 through 36 and former district 27 relating to Manchester as new districts 37 through 48.

Paragraph VII: Chapter 183 revised district 14 relating to Concord as districts 14 through 24.

Paragraph VIII: Chapter 183 revised district 30 relating to Newington and Portsmouth as districts 30 through 36.

Paragraph IX: Chapter 183 revised districts 11 through 15 relating to Dover, Somersworth and Rochester as districts 11 through 19.

Paragraph X: Chapter 183 revised district 8 relating to Claremont as districts 8 through 11.

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HOUSE BILL ***50***

AN ACT apportioning state representative districts.

SPONSORS: Rep. B. Griffin, Hills. 6

COMMITTEE: Special Committee on Redistricting

ANALYSIS

This bill establishes state representative districts.

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Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics.***
Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struckthrough.~~]
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Two

AN ACT apportioning state representative districts.

Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

9:1 State Representative Districts. RSA 662:5 is repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

662:5 State Representative Districts. The state is divided into districts for the choosing of state representatives, each of which may elect the number of representatives set forth opposite the district, as follows:

I. Belknap County

District No. 1	Center Harbor	
	New Hampton	1
District No. 2	Meredith	2
District No. 3	Sanbornton	
	Tilton	1
District No. 4	Belmont	1
District No. 5	Laconia Ward 1	
	Laconia Ward 3	
	Laconia Ward 4	
	Laconia Ward 5	
	Laconia Ward 6	4
District No. 6	Gilford	
	Gilmanton	
	Laconia Ward 2	4
District No. 7	Alton	
	Barnstead	3
District No. 8	Belmont	
	Sanbornton	
	Tilton	2

II. Carroll County

District No. 1	Conway	3
District No. 2	Albany	
	Bartlett	
	Chatham	
	Hale's Location	
	Hart's Location	

		Jackson	
		Sandwich	2
	District No. 3	Madison	
		Moultonborough	
		Tamworth	2
	District No. 4	Brookfield	
		Eaton	
		Effingham	
		Freedom	
		Wakefield	2
	District No. 5	Ossipee	1
	District No. 6	Tuftonboro	
		Wolfeboro	2
	District No. 7	Ossipee	
		Tuftonboro	
		Wolfeboro	1
	District No. 8	Brookfield	
		Eaton	
		Effingham	
		Freedom	
		Madison	
		Moultonborough	
		Tamworth	
		Wakefield	2
	III. Cheshire County		
	District No. 1	Keene Ward 1	1
	District No. 2	Keene Ward 3	1
	District No. 3	Keene Ward 5	1
	District No. 4	Keene Ward 4	1
	District No. 5	Surry	
		Walpole	1
	District No. 6	Chesterfield	
		Hinsdale	
		Westmoreland	2
	District No. 7	Keene Ward 2	1
	District No. 8	Harrisville	
		Marlborough	
		Nelson	
		Roxbury	

		Sullivan	1
District No. 9		Alstead	
		Gilsum	
		Marlow	
		Stoddard	1
District No. 10		Richmond	
		Swanzey	2
District No. 11		Winchester	1
District No. 12		Fitzwilliam	
		Troy	1
District No. 13		Dublin	
		Jaffrey	1
District No. 14		Rindge	1
District No. 15		Chesterfield	
		Hinsdale	
		Keene Ward 1	
		Keene Ward 3	
		Keene Ward 4	
		Keene Ward 5	
		Surry	
		Walpole	
		Westmoreland	2
District No. 16		Alstead	
		Gilsum	
		Harrisville	
		Keene Ward 2	
		Marlborough	
		Marlow	
		Nelson	
		Roxbury	
		Stoddard	
		Sullivan	1
District No. 17		Fitzwilliam	
		Richmond	
		Swanzey	
		Troy	
		Winchester	1
District No. 18		Dublin	
		Jaffrey	

	Rindge	2
IV. Coos County		
District No. 1	Dalton	
	Lancaster	
	Northumberland	
	Stratford	2
District No. 2	Atkinson & Gilmanton Academy Grant	
	Cambridge	
	Clarksville	
	Dix's Grant	
	Dixville	
	Dummer	
	Errol	
	Milan	
	Millsfield	
	Odell	
	Pittsburg	
	Second College Grant	
	Stark	
	Wentworth's Location	1
District No. 3	Colebrook	
	Columbia	
	Erving's Location	
	Stewartstown	1
District No. 4	Carroll	
	Jefferson	
	Kilkenny	
	Whitefield	1
District No. 5	Berlin	2
District No. 6	Bean's Grant	
	Bean's Purchase	
	Chandler's Purchase	
	Crawford's Purchase	
	Cutt's Grant	
	Gorham	
	Green's Grant	
	Hadley's Purchase	
	Low and Burbank's Grant	
	Martin's Location	

		Pinkham's Grant	
		Randolph	
		Sargent's Purchase	
		Shelburne	
		Success	
		Thompson and	
		Meserve's Purchase	1
	District No. 7	Berlin	
		Carroll	
		Jefferson	
		Kilkenny	
		Whitefield	1
	V. Grafton County		
	District No. 1	Bath	
		Lisbon	
		Littleton	
		Lyman	
		Monroe	
		Sugar Hill	3
	District No. 2	Bethlehem	
		Franconia	1
	District No. 3	Easton	
		Lincoln	
		Livermore	
		Woodstock	1
	District No. 4	Ellsworth	
		Thornton	
		Waterville Valley	1
	District No. 5	Benton	
		Haverhill	
		Landaff	
		Piermont	
		Warren	2
	District No. 6	Orford	
		Rumney	
		Wentworth	1
	District No. 7	Campton	1
	District No. 8	Ashland	
		Holderness	

		Plymouth	3
	District No. 9	Canaan	
		Dorchester	
		Orange	1
	District No. 10	Bridgewater	
		Bristol	1
	District No. 11	Alexandria	
		Grafton	
		Groton	
		Hebron	1
	District No. 12	Hanover	
		Lyme	4
	District No. 13	Lebanon Ward 1	1
	District No. 14	Lebanon Ward 2	1
	District No. 15	Lebanon Ward 3	1
	District No. 16	Enfield	1
	District No. 17	Lebanon Ward 1	
		Lebanon Ward 2	
		Lebanon Ward 3	1
	District No. 18	Alexandria	
		Bridgewater	
		Bristol	
		Canaan	
		Dorchester	
		Enfield	
		Grafton	
		Groton	
		Hebron	
		Orange	1
	VI. Hillsborough County		
	District No. 1	Pelham	4
	District No. 2	Bedford	7
	District No. 3	Nashua Ward 4	3
	District No. 4	Nashua Ward 2	3
	District No. 5	Nashua Ward 1	3
	District No. 6	Nashua Ward 3	3
	District No. 7	Nashua Ward 7	3
	District No. 8	Nashua Ward 6	3
	District No. 9	Nashua Ward 5	3

1	District No. 10	Nashua Ward 9	3
2	District No. 11	Nashua Ward 8	3
3	District No. 12	Merrimack	8
4	District No. 13	Hudson	6
5	District No. 14	Litchfield	2
6	District No. 15	Manchester Ward 8	2
7	District No. 16	Manchester Ward 6	2
8	District No. 17	Manchester Ward 2	2
9	District No. 18	Manchester Ward 12	2
10	District No. 19	Manchester Ward 10	2
11	District No. 20	Manchester Ward 9	2
12	District No. 21	Manchester Ward 1	2
13	District No. 22	Manchester Ward 11	2
14	District No. 23	Manchester Ward 3	2
15	District No. 24	Manchester Ward 4	2
16	District No. 25	Manchester Ward 5	2
17	District No. 26	Manchester Ward 7	2
18	District No. 27	Deering	
19		Francestown	1
20	District No. 28	Weare	2
21	District No. 29	Goffstown	4
22	District No. 30	Antrim	
23		Bennington	
24		Hillsborough	
25		Windsor	3
26	District No. 31	Greenfield	
27		Hancock	1
28	District No. 32	New Ipswich	
29		Temple	
30		Wilton	3
31	District No. 33	Peterborough	
32		Sharon	2
33	District No. 34	Amherst	3
34	District No. 35	Hollis	2
35	District No. 36	Brookline	
36		Greenville	
37		Mason	2
38	District No. 37	Amherst	
39		Milford	1

District No. 38	Hudson		
	Litchfield	2	
District No. 39	Manchester Ward 6		
	Manchester Ward 8		
	Manchester Ward 9	2	
District No. 40	Manchester Ward 1		
	Manchester Ward 3		
	Manchester Ward 10		
	Manchester Ward 11		
	Manchester Ward 12	4	
District No. 41	Manchester Ward 2		
	Manchester Ward 4		
	Manchester Ward 5		
	Manchester Ward 7	3	
District No. 42	Lyndeborough		
	Mont Vernon		
	New Boston	3	
District No. 43	Milford	4	
District No. 44	Goffstown		
	Weare	2	
District No. 45	Brookline		
	Greenville		
	Hollis		
	Mason	1	
VII. Merrimack County			
District No. 1	Boscawen	1	
District No. 2	Northfield	1	
District No. 3	Franklin Ward 1		
	Franklin Ward 2		
	Franklin Ward 3	2	
District No. 4	Canterbury		
	Loudon	2	
District No. 5	Andover		
	Danbury		
	Hill		
	Salisbury		
	Webster	2	
District No. 6	Sutton		
	Wilmot	1	

1	District No. 7	New London	
2		Newbury	2
3	District No. 8	Bradford	
4		Henniker	
5		Warner	3
6	District No. 9	Bow	
7		Hopkinton	4
8	District No. 10	Dunbarton	
9		Hooksett	4
10	District No. 11	Allenstown	1
11	District No. 12	Pembroke	2
12	District No. 13	Chichester	
13		Pittsfield	2
14	District No. 14	Epsom	1
15	District No. 15	Concord Ward 1	1
16	District No. 16	Concord Ward 2	1
17	District No. 17	Concord Ward 3	1
18	District No. 18	Concord Ward 4	1
19	District No. 19	Concord Ward 5	1
20	District No. 20	Concord Ward 6	1
21	District No. 21	Concord Ward 7	1
22	District No. 22	Concord Ward 8	1
23	District No. 23	Concord Ward 9	1
24	District No. 24	Concord Ward 10	1
25	District No. 25	Franklin Ward 1	
26		Franklin Ward 2	
27		Franklin Ward 3	
28		Northfield	1
29	District No. 26	Andover	
30		Boscawen	
31		Canterbury	
32		Danbury	
33		Hill	
34		Loudon	
35		Salisbury	
36		Webster	1
37	District No. 27	Allenstown	
38		Dunbarton	
39		Epsom	

		Hooksett	2
District No. 28		Concord Ward 1	
		Concord Ward 2	
		Concord Ward 3	1
District No. 29		Concord Ward 4	
		Concord Ward 9	
		Concord Ward 10	1
District No. 30		Concord Ward 5	
		Concord Ward 6	
		Concord Ward 7	
		Concord Ward 8	1
	VIII. Rockingham County		
District No. 1		Northwood	
		Nottingham	3
District No. 2		Auburn	
		Candia	
		Deerfield	3
District No. 3		Chester	1
District No. 4		Raymond	3
District No. 5		Epping	2
District No. 6		Brentwood	1
District No. 7		Fremont	1
District No. 8		Danville	1
District No. 9		Sandown	2
District No. 10		Newfields	
		Newmarket	3
District No. 11		Exeter	4
District No. 12		Stratham	2
District No. 13		Derry	10
District No. 14		E. Kingston	
		Kingston	2
District No. 15		Hampstead	2
District No. 16		Londonderry	7
District No. 17		Windham	4
District No. 18		Atkinson	2
District No. 19		Hampton Falls	
		Kensington	1
District No. 20		Newton	
		Plaistow	

		S. Hampton	3
	District No. 21	Newington	
		Portsmouth Ward 1	1
	District No. 22	New Castle	
		Portsmouth Ward 5	1
	District No. 23	N. Hampton	1
	District No. 24	Greenland	
		Rye	2
	District No. 25	Salem	9
	District No. 26	Portsmouth Ward 3	1
	District No. 27	Portsmouth Ward 4	1
	District No. 28	Portsmouth Ward 2	1
	District No. 29	Hampton	4
	District No. 30	Seabrook	2
	District No. 31	Auburn	
		Candia	
		Chester	
		Deerfield	2
	District No. 32	Brentwood	
		Danville	
		Fremont	1
	District No. 33	Exeter	
		Newfields	
		Newmarket	
		Stratham	1
	District No. 34	E. Kingston	
		Hampstead	
		Kingston	1
	District No. 35	Londonderry	
		Windham	1
	District No. 36	Hampton Falls	
		Kensington	
		Newton	
		Plaistow	
		S. Hampton	1
	District No. 37	New Castle	
		Newington	
		Portsmouth Ward 1	
		Portsmouth Ward 5	1

District No. 38	Greenland	
	N. Hampton	
	Rye	1
District No. 39	Portsmouth Ward 2	
	Portsmouth Ward 3	
	Portsmouth Ward 4	1
District No. 40	Hampton	
	Seabrook	1
IX. Strafford County		
District No. 1	Farmington	2
District No. 2	Milton	
	Rochester Ward 5	3
District No. 3	Middleton	
	New Durham	1
District No. 4	Barrington	
	Strafford	3
District No. 5	Rochester Ward 1	1
District No. 6	Rochester Ward 2	1
District No. 7	Rochester Ward 3	1
District No. 8	Rochester Ward 4	1
District No. 9	Rochester Ward 6	1
District No. 10	Durham	4
District No. 11	Dover Ward 4	
	Lee	
	Madbury	3
District No. 12	Rollinsford	
	Somersworth Ward 1	
	Somersworth Ward 2	
	Somersworth Ward 3	
	Somersworth Ward 4	
	Somersworth Ward 5	4
District No. 13	Dover Ward 6	1
District No. 14	Dover Ward 1	1
District No. 15	Dover Ward 2	1
District No. 16	Dover Ward 3	1
District No. 17	Dover Ward 5	1
District No. 18	Barrington	
	Middleton	
	New Durham	

		Strafford	1
District No. 19		Rochester Ward 1	
		Rochester Ward 2	
		Rochester Ward 3	
		Rochester Ward 4	
		Rochester Ward 6	3
District No. 20		Dover Ward 4	
		Durham	
		Lee	
		Madbury	1
District No. 21		Dover Ward 1	
		Dover Ward 2	
		Dover Ward 3	
		Dover Ward 5	
		Dover Ward 6	3
	X. Sullivan County		
District No. 1		Grantham	1
District No. 2		Cornish	
		Plainfield	1
District No. 3		Charlestown	
		Newport	
		Unity	3
District No. 4		Acworth	
		Goshen	
		Langdon	
		Lempster	
		Washington	1
District No. 5		Springfield	
		Sunapee	1
District No. 6		Claremont Ward 1	
		Claremont Ward 2	
		Claremont Ward 3	
		Croydon	3
District No. 7		Charlestown	
		Cornish	
		Newport	
		Plainfield	
		Unity	1
District No. 8		Acworth	

Claremont Ward 1	
Claremont Ward 2	
Claremont Ward 3	
Croydon	
Goshen	
Langdon	
Lempster	
Springfield	
Sunapee	
Washington	2

9:2 Application. The changes in state representative districts established by this act shall not affect constituencies or terms of office of representatives presently in office. The state representative districts established by this act shall be in effect for the purpose of electing representatives at the 2022 state general election. If there shall be a vacancy in a state representatives district for any reason prior to the 2022 state general election, the vacancy shall be filled by and from the same state representative district that existed for the 2020 state general election. No provision of this act shall affect in any manner any of the proceedings of the membership of the house of representatives of the general court that assembled for a biennial session in January 2021.

9:3 Ward Boundaries; Legislative Districts. Ward boundaries adopted as of January 30, 2022 shall be the ward boundaries used to determine state legislative districts beginning with the November 2022 state general election.

9:4 City of Portsmouth; Wards. 1895, 183:1, as amended by 1947, 390:1; 1957, 412:1; 1971, 582:1; 1983, 424:1; 1989, 210:2; and 2012, 9:4 is repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 1. The city of Portsmouth in the county of Rockingham is and shall be divided into 5 wards which shall be constituted as follows:

Ward 1 shall contain all that part of the city included within the following boundaries: Beginning at a point in the Piscataqua river on the boundary of the city of Portsmouth, the state of Maine, and the town of Newington; thence southeasterly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the state of Maine to the point where U.S. route 1 crosses the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the state of Maine; thence southwesterly along U.S. route 1 to a point where U.S. route 1 passes over Daniel street; thence southwesterly along Daniel street to the intersection of Daniel street and Congress street; thence southwesterly along Congress street to the intersection of Congress street and Maplewood avenue; thence northwesterly along Maplewood avenue to the middle of a bridge crossing the so-called North Mill pond; thence southwesterly along a line following the midpoint of the so-called North Mill pond until it intersects Bartlett street at a point 300 feet north of the intersection of Bartlett street and Cate street; thence northwesterly along Bartlett street to the intersection of Bartlett street and Woodbury avenue; thence northwesterly 10,000 feet along Woodbury avenue to the intersection of Woodbury avenue and Gosling road; thence northeasterly along Gosling road to its terminus; thence northeasterly along the boundary of the town of Newington and the city of Portsmouth to the point of beginning.

Ward 2 shall contain all that part of the city included within the following boundaries: Beginning at the middle of the Maplewood avenue bridge at the northeast end of North Mill pond; thence southeasterly along Maplewood avenue to the intersection of Maplewood avenue and Middle street; thence southerly along Middle street to the intersection of Middle street and Court street; thence northeasterly along Court street to the intersection of Court street and Rogers street; thence southerly along Rogers street to the intersection of Rogers street and Parrott avenue; thence southerly along Parrott avenue to the intersection of Parrott avenue and Richards avenue; thence northerly along Richards avenue a distance of 150 feet; thence southwesterly along a line until said line reaches the intersection of Merrimac street and Miller avenue; thence southeasterly along Miller avenue; thence west along Lincoln avenue; thence south along Broad street; until it reaches the intersection of Broad street and South street; thence westerly along South street until it reaches the intersection of South street and Middle road; thence southwesterly along Middle road until the intersection of Middle road and U.S. route 1 bypass; thence northwesterly along U.S. route 1 bypass to a point where it is crossed by a railroad track; thence northeasterly along said railroad track until a point where it crosses Bartlett street; thence northwesterly along Bartlett street until a point 300 feet north of the intersection of Bartlett street and Cate street; thence northeasterly along a line following the middle of the so-called North Mill pond to the point of beginning.

Ward 3 shall contain all that part of the city included within the following boundaries: Beginning at a point at the intersection of the boundary of the city of Portsmouth, the town of Newington, and the town of Greenland; thence northerly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Newington a distance of 8,400 feet; thence continuing northeasterly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Newington to the intersection of the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Newington and Woodbury avenue; thence southeasterly along Woodbury avenue a distance of 10,000 feet to the intersection of Woodbury avenue and Bartlett street; thence southerly along Bartlett street to a point where a railroad crosses Bartlett street; thence southwesterly along said railroad line to a point where it crosses U.S. route 1 bypass; thence southeasterly along U.S. route 1 bypass to a point where it intersects Greenleaf avenue; thence southwesterly along Greenleaf avenue to the intersection of Greenleaf avenue and Peverly Hill road; thence southeasterly along Peverly Hill road to the intersection of Peverly Hill road and Lafayette road; thence southwesterly along Lafayette road to a point at the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Rye; thence northwesterly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Rye to the intersection of the boundaries of the city of Portsmouth, the town of Rye, and the town of Greenland; thence northerly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Greenland to the point of beginning.

Ward 4 shall contain all that part of the city included within the following boundaries: Beginning at a point at the intersection of South street and Summit avenue; thence southerly along Summit avenue to the point where Andrew Jarvis drive crosses Summit avenue; thence westerly along Andrew Jarvis drive to the intersection of Andrew Jarvis drive and Lafayette road; thence southerly along Lafayette road to a bridge over the so-called Sagamore creek; thence easterly along a line following the center of the so-called Sagamore creek to a point at the boundary of the city of Portsmouth, the town of Rye, and the town of New Castle; thence southwesterly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Rye to

a point where the boundary between the city of Portsmouth and the town of Rye turns northwesterly; thence northwesterly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Rye to the intersection of the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Rye with Lafayette road; thence northeasterly along Lafayette road to the intersection of Lafayette road and Peverly Hill road; thence northwesterly along Peverly Hill road to the intersection of Peverly Hill road and Greenleaf avenue; thence northeasterly along Greenleaf avenue to the intersection of Greenleaf avenue and U.S. route 1 bypass; thence northwesterly along U.S. route 1 bypass to the intersection of U.S. route 1 bypass and Middle road; thence easterly along Middle road to the intersection of Middle road and South street; thence easterly along South street to the point of beginning.

Ward 5 shall contain all that part of the city included within the following boundaries: Beginning at a point where U.S. route 1 intersects the boundary between the city of Portsmouth and the state of Maine; thence southeasterly along the boundary between the city of Portsmouth and the state of Maine to the boundary of the city of Portsmouth, the state of Maine, and the town of New Castle; thence southerly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of New Castle to the boundary of the city of Portsmouth, the town of New Castle, and the town of Rye; thence southwesterly along the boundary of the city of Portsmouth and the town of Rye to the midpoint of the so-called Sagamore creek; thence westerly along a line following the center of the co-called Sagamore creek to the Lafayette road bridge over the so-called Sagamore creek; thence northerly along Lafayette road to the intersection of Lafayette road and Andrew Jarvis drive; thence northeasterly along Andrew Jarvis drive to the intersection of Andrew Jarvis drive and Summit avenue; thence northerly along Summit avenue to the intersection of Summit avenue and South street; thence easterly along South street to the intersection of South street and Broad Street; thence northwesterly along Broad street to the intersection of Broad street and Lincoln avenue; thence northeasterly along Lincoln avenue to the intersection of Miller avenue; thence Northwesterly along Miller avenue to the intersection of Merrimac street; thence northeasterly to a point on Richards avenue 150 feet northerly from the intersection of Richards avenue and Parrott avenue; thence southeasterly along Richards avenue to the intersection of Richards avenue and Parrott avenue; thence northeasterly along Parrott avenue to the intersection of Parrott avenue and Rogers street; thence northwesterly along Rogers street to the intersection of Rogers street and Court street; thence westerly along Court street to the intersection of Court street and Middle street; thence northerly along Middle street to the intersection of Middle street and Congress street; thence northeasterly along Congress street to the intersection of Congress street and Daniel street; thence northeasterly along Daniel street to the point where it is crossed by U.S. route 1; thence northerly along U.S. route 1 to the point of beginning.

9:5 Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved: March 23, 2022
Effective Date: March 23, 2022

HB50

Bill Details

Title: apportioning state representative districts.

Sponsors: ***(Prime)*** Barbara Griffin (R)

LSR Number: **21-0631**
General Status: **SIGNED BY GOVERNOR**
Chapter Number: **9**
House:
Committee: Special Committee on Redistricting
Due Out: 4/1/2021
Status: CONCURRED
Senate:
Committee: Election Law and Municipal Affairs
Floor Date: 2/16/2022
Status: PASSED/ADOPTED WITH AMENDMENT

Body	*Description*
H	*Introduced (in recess of) 01/06/2021 and referred to Special Committee on Redistricting **HJ 2** P. 55*
H	*Public Hearing: 03/09/2021 10:00 am Members of the public may attend using the following link: To join the webinar: https://www.zoom.us/j/94125334680 / Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day (time permitting) from the time the committee is initially convened.*
H	*Retained in Committee*
H	*Executive Session: 11/16/2021 10:00 am LOB 210-211*
H	*Majority Committee Report: Ought to Pass with Amendment # 2021-2274 11/16/2021 (Vote 8-7; RC) **HC 48** P. 42*
H	*Minority Committee Report: Ought to Pass with Amendment # 2021-2277*
H	*Special Order Next order of business (Rep. B. Griffin): MA VV 01/05/2022 **HJ 1***
H	*Reconsider Special order (Rep. Cali-Pitts): MF RC 35-316 01/05/2022 **HJ 1***
H	*Lay on Table (Rep. Alliegro): MF RC 179-179 01/05/2022 **HJ 1***
H	*Amendment # 2021-2274h: AA RC 186-170 01/05/2022 **HJ 1***
H	*Amendment # 2021-2277h: AF RC 165-192 01/05/2022 **HJ 1***
H	*Ought to Pass with Amendment 2021-2274h: MA RC 186-168 01/05/2022 **HJ 1***
H	*Reconsider (Rep. Rice): MF RC 167-188 01/05/2022 **HJ 1***
S	*Introduced 01/05/2022 and Referred to Election Law and Municipal Affairs; **SJ 2***
S	*Hearing: 01/31/2022, Room Representatives Hall, SH, 01:45 pm; **SC 5***
S	*Amendment #2022-0339s to HB 50 will be proposed and can be accessed via the General Court Website http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/Senate/committees/Redistricting/billsandsubmissions.aspx **SC 5***
S	*Committee Report: Ought to Pass with Amendment # 2022-0560s, 02/16/2022; **SC 7***
S	*Committee Amendment # 2022-0560s, AA, VV; 02/16/2022; **SJ 3***
S	*Sen. Gray Floor Amendment # 2022-0719s, AA, VV; 02/16/2022; **SJ 3***
S	*Ought to Pass with Amendments 2022-0560s, and 2022-0719s, RC 14Y-10N, MA; OT3rdg; 02/16/2022; **SJ 3***
H	*House Concurs with Senate Amendment (Rep. B. Griffin): MA RC 172-163 03/10/2022 **HJ 5***
S	*Enrolled Adopted, VV, (In recess 03/17/2022); **SJ 6***
H	*Enrolled (in recess of) 03/17/2022 **HJ 8***
H	*Signed by Governor Sununu 03/23/2022; Chapter 9; Eff. 03/23/2022*

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ***41***

RELATING TO: representative districts.

PROVIDING THAT: representative districts shall be apportioned according to specified standards.

SPONSORS: Rep. Kurk, Hills 7; Rep. Kennedy, Merr 4; Sen. Flanders, Dist 7

COMMITTEE: Election Law

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This constitutional amendment concurrent resolution provides that when a town or ward has enough inhabitants to equal or exceed the number required for one representative seat, it shall have its own district. The legislature shall form towns, wards, or unincorporated places with fewer than the number of inhabitants necessary for a representative seat into districts entitled to one or more representatives. Excess population may be combined with other contiguous districts to allow for additional at-large or floterial representatives.

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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROPOSING CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

RELATING TO: representative districts.

PROVIDING THAT: representative districts shall be apportioned according to specified standards.

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the

Constitution of New Hampshire be amended as follows:

I. That the second part of the constitution be amended by replacing article 11 with the following:

[Art.] 11. [Small Towns; Representation by Districts.] When the population of any town or ward, according to the last federal census, is within a reasonable deviation from the ideal population for one or more representative seats the town or ward shall have its own district of one or more representative seats. The apportionment shall not deny any other town or ward membership in one non-floterial representative district. When any town, ward, or unincorporated place has fewer than the number of inhabitants necessary to entitle it to one representative, the legislature shall form those towns, wards, or unincorporated places into representative districts which contain a sufficient number of inhabitants to entitle each district so formed to one or more representatives for the entire district. In forming the districts, the boundaries of towns, wards, and unincorporated places shall be preserved and contiguous. The excess number of inhabitants of a district may be added to the excess number of inhabitants of other districts to form at-large or floterial districts conforming to acceptable deviations. The legislature shall form the representative districts at the regular session following every decennial federal census.

II. That the above amendment proposed to the constitution be submitted to the qualified voters of the state at the state general election to be held in November, 2006.

III. That the selectmen of all towns, cities, wards and places in the state are directed to insert in their warrants for the said 2006 election an article to the following effect: To decide whether the amendments of the constitution proposed by the 2006 session of the general court shall be approved.

IV. That the wording of the question put to the qualified voters shall be:

“Are you in favor of amending the second part of the Constitution by amending article 11 to read as follows:

[Art.] 11. [Small Towns; Representation by Districts.] When the population of any town or ward, according to the last federal census, is within a reasonable deviation from the ideal population for one or more representative seats the town or ward shall have its own district of one or more representative seats. The apportionment shall not deny any other town or ward membership in one non-floterial representative district. When any town, ward, or unincorporated place has fewer than the number of inhabitants necessary to entitle it to one representative, the legislature shall form those towns, wards, or unincorporated places into representative districts which contain a sufficient number of inhabitants to entitle each district so formed to one or more representatives for the entire district. In forming the districts, the boundaries of towns, wards, and unincorporated places shall be preserved and contiguous. The excess number of inhabitants of a district may be added to the excess number of inhabitants of other districts to form at-large or floterial districts conforming to acceptable deviations. The legislature shall form the representative districts at the regular session following every decennial federal census.”

V. That the secretary of state shall print the question to be submitted on a separate ballot or on the same ballot with other constitutional questions. The ballot containing the question shall include 2 squares next to the question allowing the voter to vote “Yes” or “No.” If no cross is made in either of the squares, the ballot shall not be counted on the question. The outside of the ballot shall be the same as the regular official ballot except that the words “Questions Relating to Constitutional Amendments proposed by the 2006 General Court” shall be printed in bold type at the top of the ballot.

VI. That if the proposed amendment is approved by 2/3 of those voting on the amendment, it becomes effective when the governor proclaims its adoption.

CITY OF DOVER

CITY OF DOVER - ORDINANCE

Agenda Item#: 12.B.1.

Ordinance Number:	**O – 2022.01.12 – 001**
Ordinance Title:	Elections
Chapter:	17
Section:	12 Boundaries of Wards 13 Ward Map

The City of Dover Ordains:

1. **PURPOSE**
   The purpose of this ordinance is to establish ward boundaries for the City of Dover, as allowed by City Charter (C1-2, amended effective January 3, 2022) based on the decennial census results in 2020.

2. **AMENDMENT**
   Chapter 17 entitled "Elections" is hereby amended by adding a new Article III, "Ward Boundaries" and related sections 12 and 13 (to be inserted after Article II, Section 17-11), as follows:

   a. **THE FOLLOWING ARE ADDED:**

ARTICLE III WARD BOUNDARIES AND WARD MAP

§ 17-12 **Boundaries of Wards**

Pursuant to the City's Charter, the City of Dover shall be divided into six wards with boundaries defined as follows:

Ward One begins at the Dover/Rollinsford boundary line at Old English Village Road; thence following southeasterly along the Dover/Rollinsford boundary to Broadway; thence southwesterly along the center line of Broadway to the intersection with the Boston and Maine Railroad; thence southeasterly along the railroad to Central Avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Central Avenue to Chapel Street, and follows the center line of Main Street southerly to Washington Street; thence westerly along the center line of Washington Street to Chestnut Street; thence northerly along the center line of Chestnut Street to the Cochecho River; thence northerly along the center line of the Cochecho River to Spaulding Turnpike; thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike northerly to its intersection with Glenwood Avenue; thence following the center line of Glenwood Avenue in a northeasterly direction to Central Avenue; thence turning northerly and running along the center line of Central Avenue, to Old English Village Road, and crossing Central Avenue following Old English Village Road in an easterly direction to the Dover/Rollinsford boundary line to the point of beginning.

Ward Two begins at Broadway and the Rollinsford/Dover boundary; thence following the Dover/Rollinsford boundary in a southeasterly direction to the confluence of the Cochecho/Piscataqua River; thence following the center line of the confluence in a northwesterly direction to a block line established by the 2020 census;

thence turning southwesterly to the intersection of Henry Law Avenue and Tennyson Avenue; thence following the center line of Tennyson Avenue in a southwesterly direction to Court Street; thence following the center line of Court Street in a northwesterly direction to Union Street; thence following center line of Union Street in a southwesterly direction to Central Avenue; thence following the center line of Central Avenue southerly to Locust Street; thence following the center line of Locust Street in a northerly direction to Fisher Street; thence following the center line of Fisher Street in a westerly direction to Rutland Street; thence following the center line of Rutland Street northerly to Clifford Street; thence following the center line of Clifford Street westerly to Towle Avenue,; thence following the center line of Towle Avenue in a northwesterly direction to the intersection with Silver Street; thence northwesterly across Silver Street and following the center line of Arch Street to center line of the Washington Street; thence following the center line of Washington Street in an easterly direction to Belknap Street; thence following the center line of Belknap Street southerly to the center line of Saint Thomas Street; thence following the center line of the Saint Thomas Street, in an easterly direction to Locust Street; thence following along the center line of Locust Street northerly to Washington Street; thence following the center line of Washington Street easterly to Main Street; thence following the center line of Main Street northerly, until Chapel Street, where it follows the centerline of Central Avenue northerly to the Boston and Maine Railroad line; thence following the Boston and Maine railroad line northeasterly to the intersection of Broadway; thence following the center line of Broadway in a northeasterly direction to the point of beginning.

Ward Three begins at the intersection of Spaulding Turnpike and the Boston and Maine railroad line; thence following the center line of the Boston and Maine railroad line in a northeasterly direction to Arch Street; thence following the center line of Arch Street southerly to Silver Street; thence crossing Silver Street to Towel Avenue, and following the centerline of Towel Avenue in a southerly direction to Clifford Street; thence following the centerline of Clifford Street in an easterly direction to Rutland Street; thence turning and following the center line of Rutland Street southerly until Fisher Street; thence following the center line of Fisher Street in an easterly direction to Locust Street; thence following the center line of Locust Street southerly to the intersection with Central Avenue; thence following the center line of Central Avenue northeasterly to the intersection of Union Street; thence following the

center line of Union Street in a northeasterly direction to Court Street; thence following the center line of Court Street southeasterly to Tennyson Avenue; thence following the center line of Tennyson Avenue in a northeasterly direction to Henry Law Avenue; thence following a block line established by the 2020 census in a northeasterly direction to the Cochecho River; thence following the Cochecho River southeasterly to its confluence with the Piscataqua River and the exterior block line established by the 2020 census located in the center of said Piscataqua River; thence following the exterior block line established by the 2020 census located in the center of the Little Bay channel where it intersects the Spaulding Turnpike at the Little Bay Bridge; thence following the exterior block line established by the 2020 census located in the center of Little Bay in a northwesterly direction to a point of intersection at the common boundary corner between Dover and Madbury near the Scammel Bridge; thence following the center line of the Boston Harbor Road/New Hampshire Route 4 in a southeasterly direction to the Spaulding Turnpike ; thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a northwesterly direction to the point of beginning.

Ward Four begins at the intersection of the Bellamy River and Central Avenue; thence following the center line of Central Avenue northeasterly to the intersection with the Spaulding Turnpike; thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a southeasterly direction to the exit 6 overpass, and tuning westerly following the centerline of the overpass to Boston Harbor Road/New Hampshire Route 4; thence following the center line of Boston Harbor Road/New Hampshire Route 4 a point of intersection at the common boundary corner between Dover and Madbury near the Scammel Bridge; thence following the common boundary line between Dover and Madbury in a northwesterly direction to the center line of the Mast Road; thence following the center line of Mast Road southeasterly to the centerline of Durham Road; thence following the center line of the Durham Road easterly to the point of beginning.

Ward Five begins at the Barrington/Dover line at Tolend Road; thence following the center line of Tolend Road southeasterly to the Spaulding Turnpike; thence following the Spaulding Turnpike in a northerly direction to the Cochecho River; thence following the center line of the Cochecho River southerly to Chestnut Street; thence following the center line of Chestnut Street southerly to Washington Street; thence turning easterly and following the center line of Washington Street to Locust Street;

thence turning and following Locust Street in a southerly direction to Saint Thomas Street; thence following Saint Thomas Street in a westerly direction to the intersection with Belknap Street; thence following the center line of Belknap Street northerly to Washington Street; thence following Washington Street in a westerly direction to the intersection of the Boston and Maine Railroad, thence following the Boston and Main Railroad southwesterly to the Spaulding Turnpike; thence turning and following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a southerly direction to Central Avenue; thence following the center line of Central Avenue southerly to the Bellamy River Bridge; then following along the center line of the Durham Road in a westerly direction to Mast Road; thence following the Mast Road center line in a westerly direction to the Madbury/Dover/ boundary; thence following the Madbury/Dover boundary in a northerly direction to the Barrington/Dover town line; thence following the Barrington/Dover boundary in a northwesterly direction to the point of beginning.

Ward Six begins at the point where the Dover/Rollinsford boundaries intersect with the center line of Old English Village Road and follows the center line of Old English Village Road westerly to Central Avenue; thence running southerly along the center line of Central Avenue to the intersection with Glenwood Avenue; thence following the center line of Glenwood Avenue westerly to the Spaulding Turnpike; thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a southerly direction to Tolend Road; thence following the center line of Tolend Road in a northerly direction to the Dover/Barrington boundary line; thence following the boundary line in a northeasterly direction to the point of the Dover/Rochester/Somersworth boundary; thence turning and following the Dover/Somersworth boundary southerly to the point of the beginning.

§ 17-13 **Ward Map**

In accordance with RSA 44:4-a, the City shall maintain a ward boundary map of suitable scale reflecting the current ward boundaries.

3. **TAKES EFFECT**
This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication of notice as required by RSA 47:18.

REQUIRES PUBLIC HEARING AND 2/3 MAJORITY VOTE OF THE COUNCIL (C1-3)

CITY OF DOVER

CITY OF DOVER - ORDINANCE

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AUTHORIZATION

Approved as to Funding: Daniel R. Lynch, Finance Director

Approved as to Legal Form and Compliance: Joshua M. Wyatt, City Attorney

Recorded by: Susan M. Mistretta, City Clerk

Sponsored by: Deputy Mayor Dennis Shanahan
Councilor Fergus Cullen
Councilor Lindsey Williams

DOCUMENT HISTORY:

First Reading Date:	01/12/2022	Public Hearing Date:	01/26/2022 02/09/2022
Approved Date:	02/09/2022	Effective Date:	02/16/2022

DOCUMENT ACTIONS:

Deputy Mayor Shanahan moved for its adoption; seconded by Councilor Williams.
Roll Call Vote: 6/1; Passed. Councilor Hackett was opposed.

VOTING RECORD Date of Vote: 02/09/2022	YES	NO
Mayor Robert Carrier	X	
Deputy Mayor Dennis Shanahan	X	
Councilor Michelle Muffett-Lipinski, Ward 1	Absent	
Councilor Robert Hinkel, Ward 2	Absent	
Councilor Deborah Thibodeaux, Ward 3	X	
Councilor Debra Hackett, Ward 4		X
Councilor Fergus Cullen, Ward 6	X	
Councilor Linnea Nemeth, At Large	X	
Councilor Lindsey Williams, At Large	X	
Total Votes:	6	1
Ordinance does pass.		

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ORDINANCE BACKGROUND MATERIAL:

Every ten years the United States Constitution requires that a census of population be taken. As a result of that census, population for the City of Dover is updated. The census data is used to determine if, and to what extent, the City's wards may need adjustments to maintain proportionality.

Historically, the City's ward boundaries have been set forth in the City's Charter. However, the coronavirus disease 2019 ("COVID-19") pandemic caused delays in the 2020 census. As a result of those delays, the City Council proposed, and voters at the November 2021 municipal election approved, amendments to the City's Charter to enable ward boundaries to become a function of an ordinance enacted by City Council, similar to several other cities and towns in New Hampshire.

The most recent charter amendments took effect January 1, 2022. In anticipation of that, the City Council commissioned the ordinance committee to research the extent of any need for redistricting and, should a need exist, bring forward a proposed ordinance (*see* R-2021.11.10-185). At meetings in December 2021, the Ordinance Committee undertook that process, resulting in this proposed ordinance.

By way of background, in 2010 the City's population was listed in the federal census as 29,887. For 2020, the population was determined in the federal census to be 32,741. Upon receiving the 2020 census data, City staff calculated the population change of each existing ward as summarized below:

Ward	2010 Pop	2020 Pop	Change
1	5,013	5,162	149
2	5,046	5,855	809
3	5,089	5,766	677
4	4,974	5,452	478
5	4,875	5,481	606
6	4,990	5,025	35
	29,987	**32,741**	

With the goal of perfectly equal representation, each ward would have the same number of residents, or 5,457 residents. Using that as a benchmark, Wards 2 and 3 needed to send residents to wards 1 and 6 ideally not impacting wards 4 and 5. Unfortunately, it is not as easy as just shifting the boundaries a hair here and there. And, RSA 44:4-a requires that boundaries "follow easily identifiable physical features" such as "public and private ways, railroad tracks, and surface waters."

Upon review of the applicable data, the Ordinance Committee requested that staff provide no less than 3 proposed ward boundary alternatives, which would create as close to a 1% deviation (+/-) off the average as possible. This would mean each ward would have between 5,403 and 5,511 residents. Furthermore, it was

noted that with the concerns about voting locations raised by two of the four privately owned properties used for voting, that staff should consider locating a polling location in each ward at a publicly owned property.

After review, staff presented five options for the Ordinance Committees review. Three of the options met the criteria of 1% deviation and a public parcel for use as a polling location. Two of the options did not meet the public polling location.

On December 20, 2021, the Ordinance Committee met and reviewed the five options and determined to focus on the three that provided public polling places. It then determined of those the option designated "epsilon" was the preferred alternative. Following the Ordinance Committee's decision, City staff drafted this ordinance and the accompanying map based on that "epsilon" option.

The population changes by ward are summarized as follows:

Ward	2020 Pop	Proposed	Change
1	**5162**	**5482**	**320**
2	**5855**	**5458**	**-397**
3	**5766**	**5411**	**-355**
4	**5452**	**5439**	**-13**
5	**5481**	**5450**	**-31**
6	**5025**	**5501**	**476**
	32741	**32741**	

In this ordinance, the following areas change ward:

- Ward 6 to ward 1 (59 residents): The area between Old English Village Road and Glenwood Avenue/the Entrance to Shaw's Plaza from Central Avenue east to the Rollinsford town line moves from ward 6 to ward 1.

- Ward 2 to ward 1 (261 residents): The Cochecho Mill between Central Avenue and Main Street moves from ward 2 to ward 1.

- Ward 2 to ward 5 (244 residents): The area between the Cochecho River, and Saint Thomas Street, between the Community Trail and Locust Street along Washington Street, move from ward 2 to ward 5.

- Ward 3 to ward 2 (514 residents): The area between Silver Street, and Rutland Street, Central Avenue and Elm Street move from ward 3 to ward 2.

- Ward 2 to ward 3 (406 residents): The area between the Spaulding Turnpike, the Boston and Maine Railroad, Arch Street, Fisher Street and Locust Street – around Woodman Park School moves from ward 2 to ward 3.

- Ward 3 to ward 4 (247 residents): The area between the Spaulding Turnpike and Bellamy River covering Spur Road from the Spur Road overpass to the end, moves from Ward 3 to 4. The Spaulding Turnpike becomes the ward boundary the full length of wards 3 and 4.
- Ward 4 to ward 5 (260 residents): The area bounded by the Bellamy River, Durham Road and Mast Road, including Alumni Drive, Bellamy Road and Lisa Beth Circle/Drive move from ward 4 to ward 5.

- Ward 5 to ward 6 (535 residents): The Area from Tolend Road to the Cochecho River moves from ward 5 to ward 6. This includes Upper Factory Road, Glen Hill Road, and a portion of Watson Road and any roads off those roads.

It may also be important to observe that the boundaries proposed in this ordinance enable each ward to have a publicly owned location to potentially serve as polling places in the future:

Ward 1: Horne Street School

Ward 2: The Dover Arena

Ward 3: Woodman Park School

Ward 4: Garrison Elementary School

Ward 5: Either Dover Middle or Dover High School

Ward 6: Riverside Rest Home.

A copy of the map showing the boundaries is attached.

For reference, a strikethrough/underline version of the current ward boundaries proposed in this ordinance, as compared to prior ward boundaries in the City's charter, is included below:

Ward One begins at the Dover/Rollinsford boundary line at ~~Hall Street~~Old English Village Road; thence following southeasterly along the Dover/Rollinsford boundary to Broadway; thence southwesterly along the center line of Broadway to the intersection with the Boston and Maine Railroad; thence southeasterly along the railroad to Central Avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Central Avenue to Chapel Street, and follows the center line of Main Street southerly to Washington Street; thence westerly along the center line of Washington Street to Chestnut Street; thence northerly along the center line of Chestnut Street to the Cochecho River;

thence northerly along the center line of the Cochecho River to Spaulding Turnpike; thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike northerly to its intersection with Glenwood Avenue; thence following the center line of Glenwood Avenue in a northeasterly direction to Central Avenue; thence turning northerly and running along the center line of Central Avenue, to Old English Village Road, and crossing Central Avenue ~~to a block line established by the 2010 Census and~~ following Old English Village Road ~~said block line~~ in an easterly direction to the Dover/Rollinsford boundary line~~; thence following the Dover/Rollinsford boundary line a southeasterly direction~~ to the point of beginning.

Ward Two begins at Broadway and the Rollinsford/Dover boundary; thence following the Dover/Rollinsford boundary in a southeasterly direction to the confluence of the Cochecho/Piscataqua River; thence following the center line of the confluence in a northwesterly direction to a block line established by the ~~2010~~ 2020 census; thence turning southwesterly to the intersection of Henry Law Avenue and Tennyson Avenue; thence following the center line of Tennyson Avenue in a southwesterly direction to Court Street; thence following the center line of Court Street in a northwesterly direction to ~~Central Avenue~~Union Street; thence following center line of ~~Central Avenue~~Union Street in a southwesterly direction to Central Avenue~~Silver Street~~; thence following the center line of Central Avenue ~~Silver Street~~ southerly ~~westerly~~ to ~~Elm~~ Locust Street; thence following the center line of ~~Elm~~ Locust Street in a northerly~~Southerly~~ direction to Fisher Street; thence following the center line of Fisher Street in a westerly~~easterly~~ direction to ~~Locust~~ Rutland Street; thence following the center line of ~~Locust~~ Rutland Street northerly ~~southerly~~ to Clifford Street~~Central Avenue~~; thence following the center line of Clifford Street~~Central Avenue~~ westerly to Towle Avenue,~~the Spaulding Turnpike~~; thence following the center line of Towle Avenue~~Spaulding Turnpike~~ in a northwesterly direction to the intersection with Silver Street~~the Boston and Maine Railroad~~; thence northwesterly~~easterly~~ across Silver Street and following the center line of Arch Street ~~along the railroad~~ to center line of the Washington Street; thence following the center line of Washington Street in an easterly direction to Belknap Street~~the Community Trail~~; thence following the center line of Belknap Street southerly ~~Community Trail northerly~~ to the center line of Saint Thomas Street~~the Cochecho River~~; thence following the center line of the Saint Thomas Street, ~~Cochecho River~~ in an easterly direction to ~~Chestnut~~ Locust Street; thence following along the center line of ~~Chestnut~~ Locust Street northerly to Washington Street; thence following the center line of Washington Street easterly to ~~Central Avenue~~Main Street; thence following the center line of Main Street northerly, until Chapel Street, where it follows the centerline of Central Avenue northerly to the Boston and Maine Railroad line; thence following the Boston and Maine railroad line northeasterly to the

intersection of Broadway; thence following the center line of Broadway in a northeasterly direction to the point of beginning.

Ward Three begins at the intersection of Spaulding Turnpike and the Boston and Maine railroad line ~~Central Avenue~~; thence following the center line of the Boston and Maine railroad line~~Central Avenue~~ in a northeasterly direction to ~~Locust~~ Arch Street; thence following the center line of ~~Locust~~ Arch Street ~~northerly~~ southerly to Silver Street; thence crossing Silver Street to Towel Avenue, and following the centerline of Towel Avenue in a southerly direction to Clifford Street; thence following the centerline of Clifford Street in an easterly direction to Rutland Street; thence turning and following the center line of Rutland Street southerly until Fisher Street; thence following the center line of Fisher Street in an ~~westerly~~ easterly direction to ~~Elm~~ Locust Street; thence following the center line of ~~Elm~~ Locust Street southerly ~~northerly~~ to the intersection with ~~Silver Street~~Central Avenue; thence following the center line of ~~Silver Street~~Central Avenue northeasterly to the intersection of ~~Central Avenue~~Union Street; thence following the center line of ~~Central Avenue~~Union Street in a northeasterly direction to Court Street; thence following the center line of Court Street southeasterly to Tennyson Avenue; thence following the center line of Tennyson Avenue in a northeasterly direction to Henry Law Avenue; thence following a block line established by the ~~2000~~ 2020 census in a northeasterly direction to the Cochecho River; thence following the Cochecho River southeasterly to its confluence with the Piscataqua River and the exterior block line established by the ~~2000~~ 2020 census located in the center of said Piscataqua River; thence following the exterior block line established by the 20200 census located in the center of the Little Bay channel where it intersects the Spaulding Turnpike at the Little Bay Bridge; thence following the exterior block line established by the ~~2000~~ 2020 census located in the center of Little Bay in a northwesterly direction to a point of intersection at the common boundary corner between Dover and Madbury near the Scammel Bridge; thence following the center line of the ~~Bellamy River~~Boston Harbor Road/New Hampshire Route 4 in a southeasterly ~~northwesterly~~ direction to the Spaulding Turnpike ~~Spur Road Extension~~; ~~thence following the center line of the Spur Road Extension southerly to the intersection Spur Road; thence following the center line of Spur Road northwesterly to the Spaulding Turnpike;~~ thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a northwesterly direction to the point of beginning.

Ward Four begins at the intersection of the Bellamy River and Central Avenue; thence following the center line of Central Avenue northeasterly to the intersection with the Spaulding Turnpike; thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a southeasterly direction to the exit 6 overpass, and tuning westerly following the centerline of the overpass to Boston

Harbor Road/New Hampshire Route 4~~Spur Road~~; thence following the center line of Boston Harbor Road/New Hampshire Route 4 ~~Spur Road southwesterly to Spur Road Extension; thence following the center line of Spur Road Extension in a northwesterly direction to a block line established by the 2000 Census and following said block line in a southwesterly direction to the Bellamy River; thence following the center line of the Bellamy River in a southwesterly direction to~~ a point of intersection at the common boundary corner between Dover and Madbury near the Scammel Bridge; thence following the common boundary line between Dover and Madbury in a northwesterly direction to the center line of the ~~Bellamy River~~Mast Road; thence following the center line of Mast Road southeasterly to the centerline of Durham Road; thence following the center line of the Durham Road~~Bellamy River~~ easterly to the point of beginning.

Ward Five begins at the ~~Rochester~~Barrington/Dover line at Tolend Road~~the Cocheco River~~; thence following the center line of Tolend Road ~~Cocheco River~~ southeasterly to the Spaulding Turnpike~~abandoned Railroad Bridge over the Cocheco River~~; thence following the Spaulding Turnpike in a northerly direction to the Cochecho River; thence following the center line of the Cochecho River ~~abandoned railroad line~~ southerly to ~~Washington~~ Chestnut Street; thence following the center line of Chestnut Street southerly to Washington Street; thence turning easterly and following the center line of Washington Street to Locust Street; thence turning and following Locust Street in a southerly direction to Saint Thomas Street; thence following Saint Thomas Street in a westerly direction to the intersection with ~~the Boston and Maine Railroad~~Belknap Street; thence following the center line of ~~intersection with the Boston and Maine Railroad~~Belknap Street northerly ~~southerly~~ to ~~the Spaulding Turnpike~~Washington Street; thence following Washington Street in a westerly direction to the intersection of the Boston and Maine Railroad, thence following the Boston and Main Railroad southwesterly to the Spaulding Turnpike; thence turning and following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a southerly direction to Central Avenue; thence following the center line of Central Avenue southerly to the Bellamy River Bridge; then following along the center line of the ~~Bellamy River~~Durham Road in a westerly direction to Mast Road; thence following the Mast Road center line in a westerly direction to the Madbury/Dover/~~Barrington~~ boundary; thence following the Madbury/Dover boundary in a northerly direction to the Barrington/Dover town line; thence following the ~~Madbury/~~Barrington/Dover~~/Barrington~~ boundary in a northwesterly direction to the point of beginning.

Ward Six begins at the point where the Dover/Rollinsford ~~Somersworth Rochester~~ boundaries intersect with the center line of Old English Village Road and follows the center line of Old English Village Road westerly to Central Avenue; thence running southerly along the center line

of Central Avenue ~~a block line established by the 2010 Census; thence proceeds westerly along the block line~~ to the intersection with Glenwood Avenue; thence following the center line of Glenwood Avenue westerly to the Spaulding Turnpike; thence following the center line of the Spaulding Turnpike in a southerly direction to ~~the Cocheco River~~Tolend Road; thence following the center line of Tolend Road~~Cocheco River~~ in a northerly direction to the Dover/~~Rochester~~ Barrington boundary line; thence following the boundary line in a northeasterly direction to the point of the Dover/Rochester/Somersworth boundary; thence turning and following the Dover/Somersworth boundary southerly to the point of the beginning.