

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Michael R. O'Neal at 7:00 a.m. on February 12, 2002 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

- Representative Andrew Howell - Excused
- Representative Doug Mays - Excused
- Representative Rocky Nichols - Excused
- Representative Jeff Peterson - Excused
- Representative Bob Tomlinson - Excused

Committee staff present:

- Mary Galligan, Kansas Department of Legislative Research
- Kathie Sparks, Kansas Department of Legislative Research
- Mary Ann Torrence, Revisor of Statutes
- Cindy O'Neal, Committee Secretary

The Chairman noted that this summer the Joint Committee on Redistricting recommended the Caucus J map as the Congressional plan. No one assumed that it would be the final map, but just a jumping off point. However, it looks like that proposed map may not be far off from where the final map will end up.

Chairman O'Neal drew the committee's attention to five maps that were distributed to members:

HR Congress 1 (Attachment 1)

- Makes Kingman County whole
- Makes Riley & Geary counties whole
- Douglas & Harvey counties are split
- Wabaunsee & Clay counties are added to the 2nd district

HR Congress 2 (Attachment 2)

- Is similar to Caucus J
- Splits Lawrence down Massachusetts street
- No townships are split around Lawrence
- Adds Linn County to the 3rd district

HR Congress 3 (Attachment 3)

- Places rural Geary County & the City of Manhattan in the 1st district
- Washington & Clay counties in the 2nd district

Representative Wilson asked if it was possible to keep Douglas County whole. Duane Simpson responded that to keep Douglas County whole one would have to move 100,000 people into the 2nd district. That makes it much more difficult to draw the 1st district and makes it necessary to add several other counties to the 3rd district.

Representative Findley pointed out that the split of Lawrence down Massachusetts street would place Congressman Moore's district office in the 2nd district.

Chairman O'Neal commented that if the committee decides to split VTDs, the population deviations could be brought to virtually zero.

Gorilla 1 (Attachment 4)

- 4th district is substantially changed:
- Added Labette & Chase counties
- Added parts of Barber County
- Took out all of Harvey County

CONTINUATION SHEET

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- Took out part of Greenwood County
- Added the north part of Wanbunsee County to district 2
- Split Lawrence differently

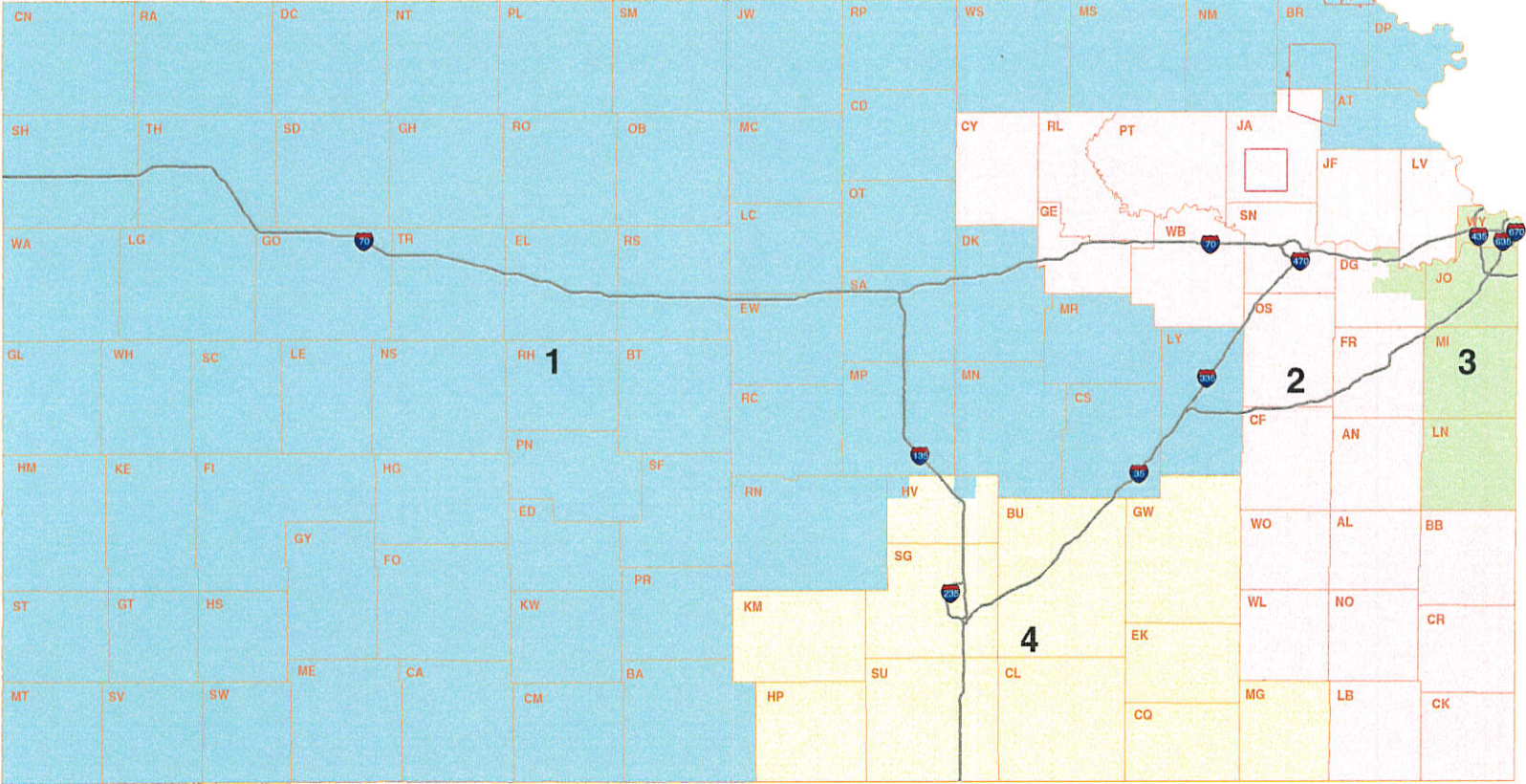
Congressional Plan 1 for klrd TR E1 (Attachment 5)

- Tries to retain communities of interest
- Tried to keep counties whole and not split VTDs
- Six counties are split to allow for one person, one vote

Chairman O'Neal recognized Representative Garry Boston who provided the committee with Caucus J-Kingman TR map (Attachment 6). It addresses the split of the City of Newton and Highland Township by returning both to the 4th district so Harvey County would be intact. Representative Krehbiel expressed his support for the proposed map. In response to a question, Representative Boston commented that splitting Harvey County would be better than placing it totally in the 1st district.

The committee meeting adjourned at 8:00 a.m. The next meeting was scheduled for February 13, 2002.

HR Congress 1



District	Population	Deviation	% Deviation
1	672,129	24	0.00%
2	672,127	22	0.00%
3	672,109	4	0.00%
4	672,053	-52	-0.01%

Plan: M2_HR Congress 1 for KLRD TR

Map Features

- County
- Interstate Highway
- Indian Reservation

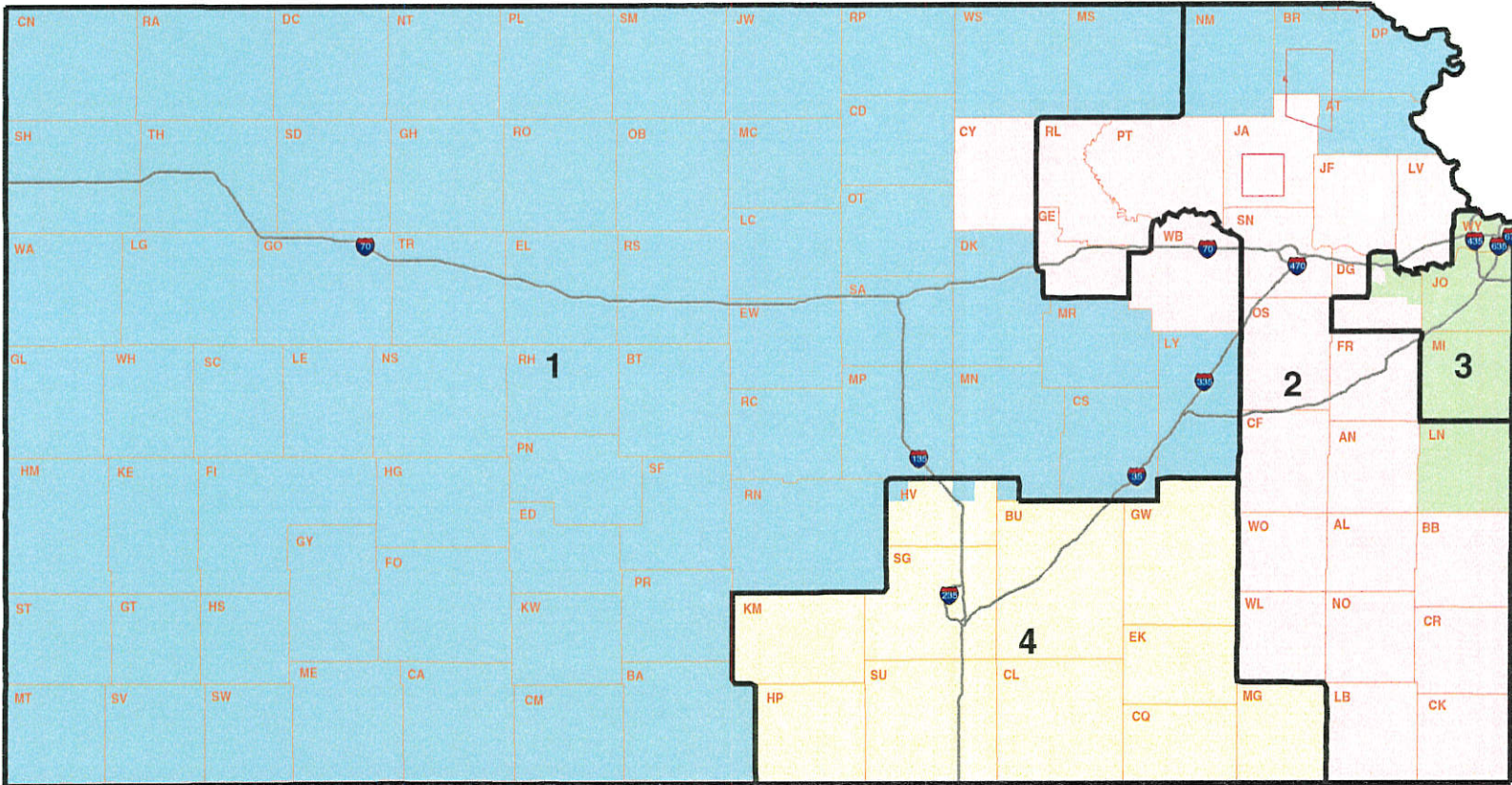
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HR Congress 1



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 Map Features

- County
- Interstate Highway
- Indian Reservation
- 1992 Congressional Districts

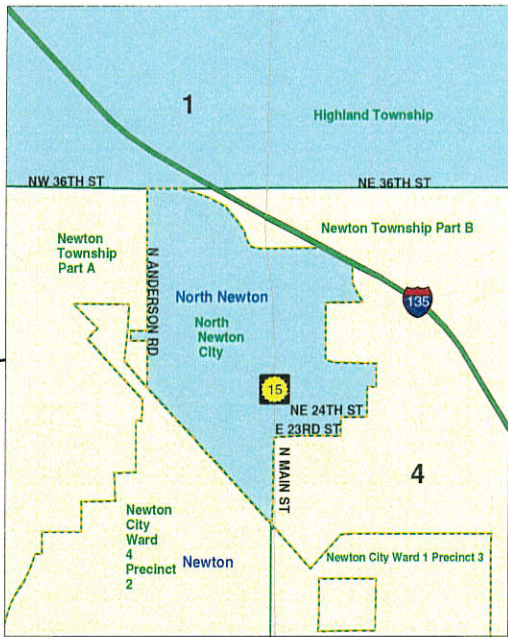
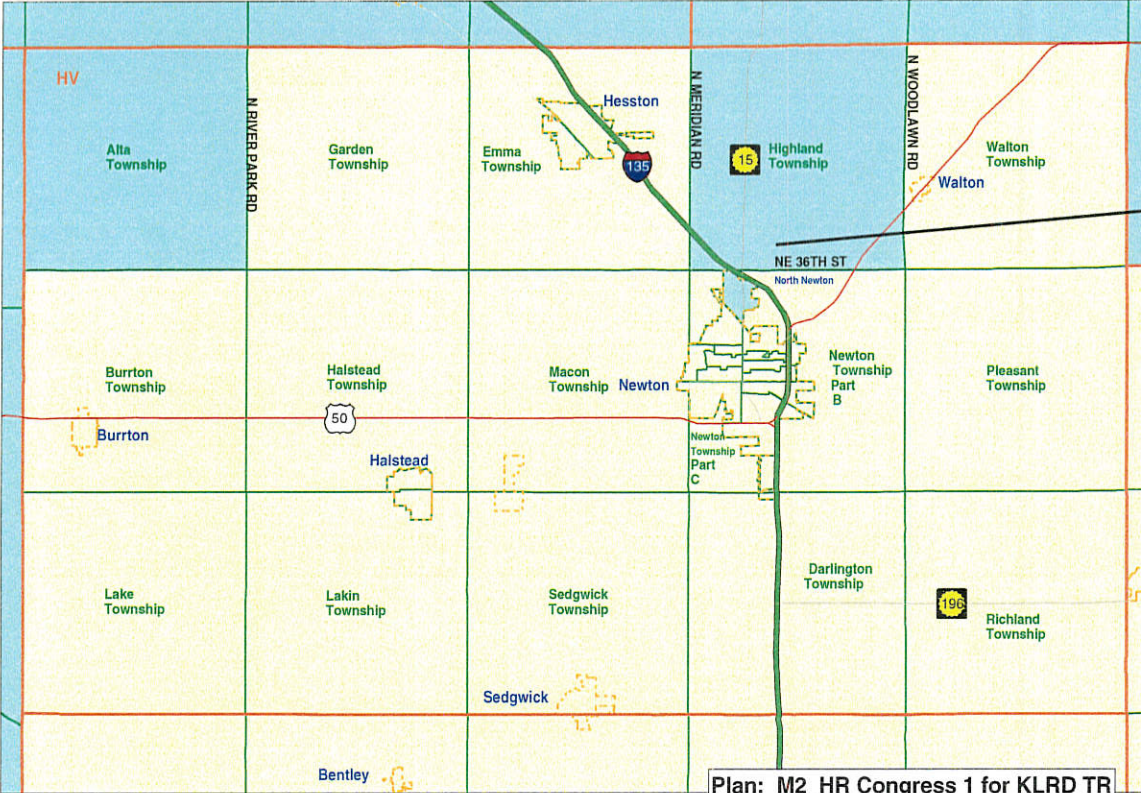
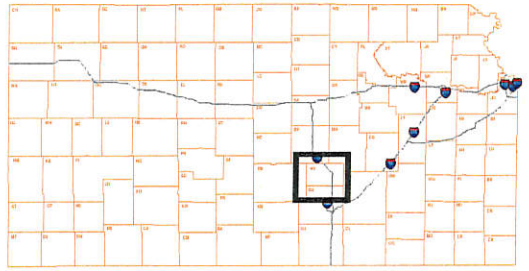
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HR Congress 1 Detail of Harvey County



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Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
- County

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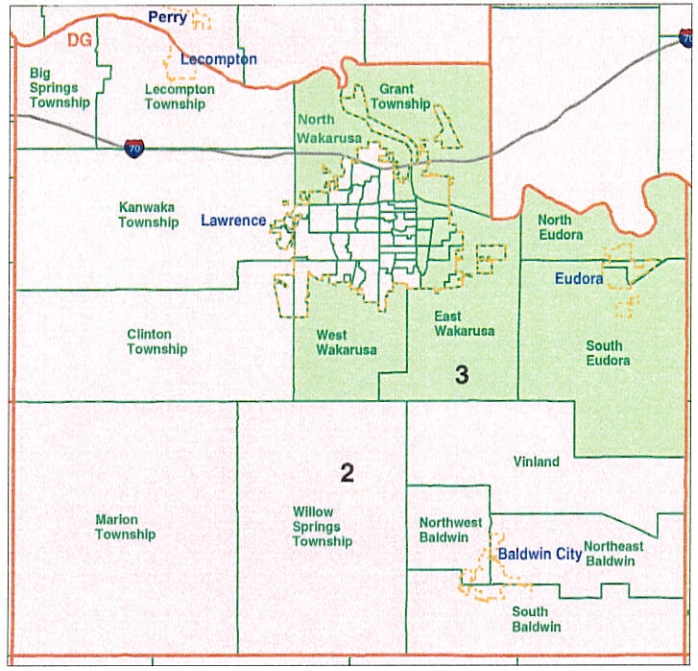
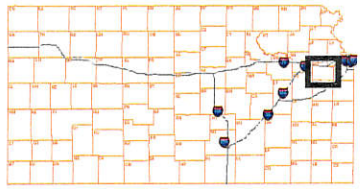
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HR Congress 1 Detail of Douglas County



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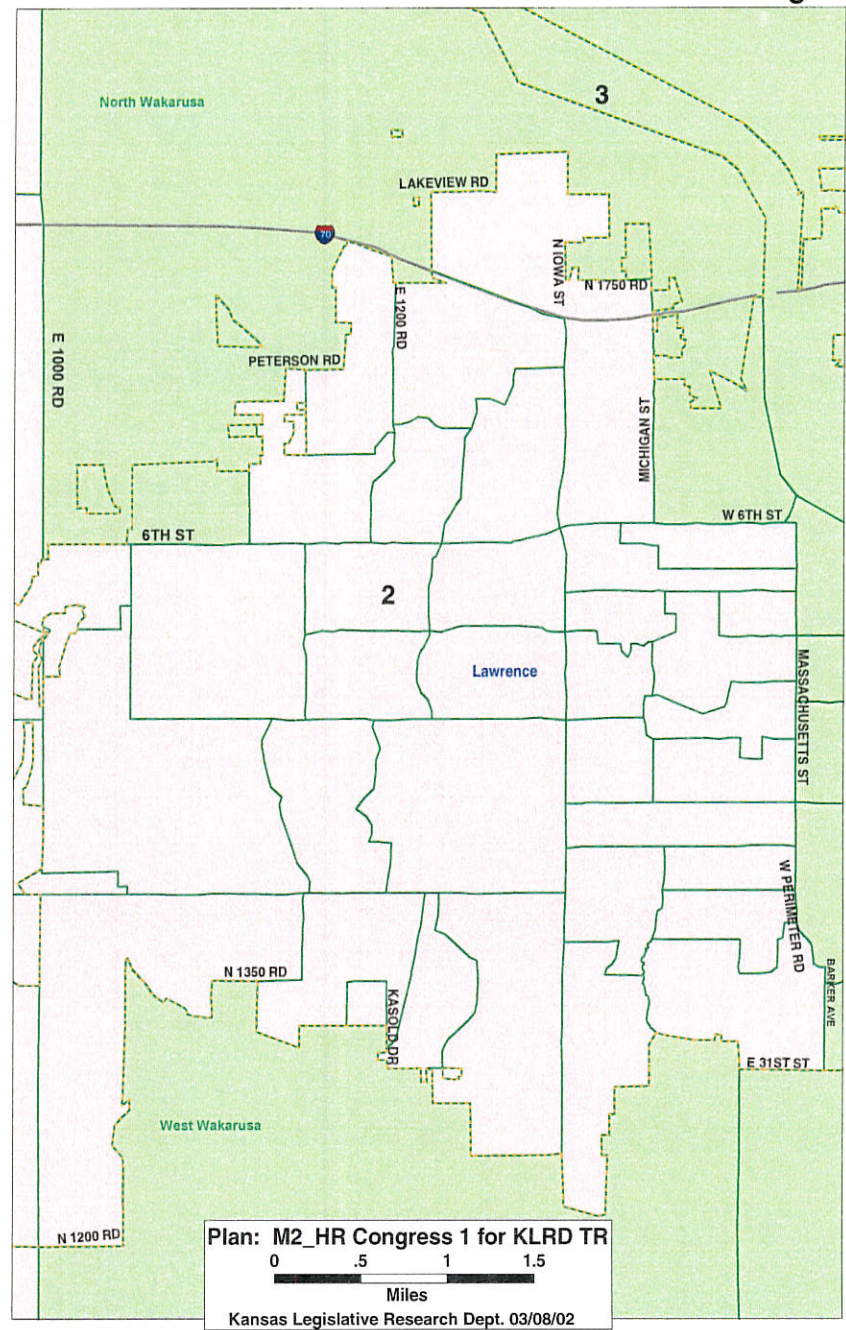
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Plan Type: Congressional
Administrator: Duane Simpson
User: KLRD

Population Summary Report

DISTRICT	Population	DEVIATION	% DEVN.
01	672,129	24	0.00
02	672,127	22	0.00
03	672,109	4	0.00
04	672,053	-52	-0.01

Total Population: 2,688,418

Ideal District Population: 672,105

Summary Statistics

Population Range: 672,053 to 672,129

Ratio Range: 1.00

Absolute Range: -52 to 24

Absolute Overall Range: 76.00

Relative Range: -0.01% to 0.00%

Relative Overall Range: 0.01%

Absolute Mean Deviation: 25.50

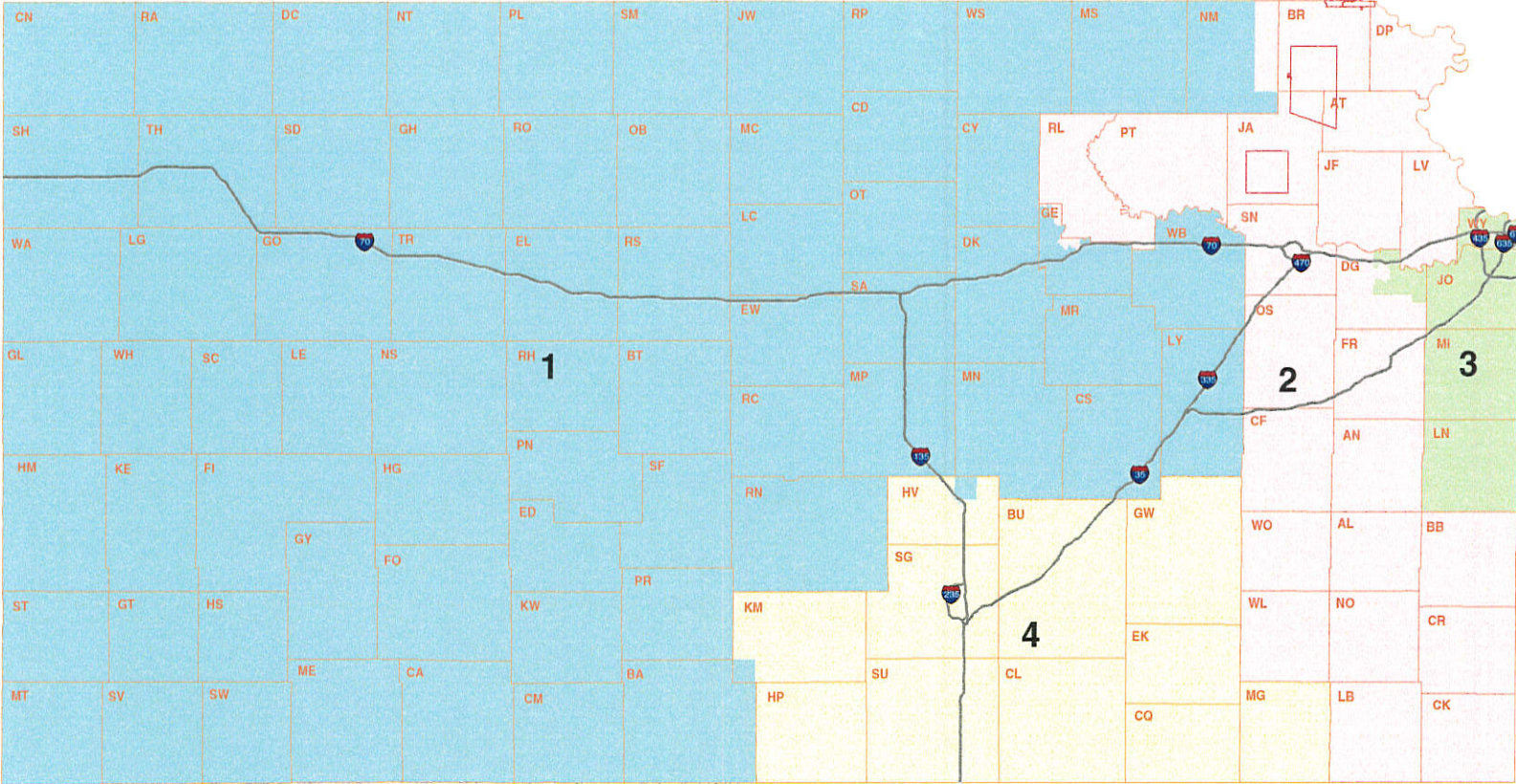
Relative Mean Deviation: 0.00%

Standard Deviation: 35.49

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621,963 (92.5 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	70,831 10.5 %	9,919 1.5 %
46,464 (6.9 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	748 .1 %	1,421 .2 %
3,702 (.6 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	100 .0 %	69 .0 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 1 FOR KLRD TR New District 01 Total is 672,129	71,679 10.7 %	11,409 1.7 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 1 FOR KLRD TR District 02 is composed of:		
15,707 (2.3 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	201 .0 %	100 .0 %
585,353 (87.1 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	25,304 3.8 %	38,104 5.7 %
71,067 (10.6 %), from district 03 in 1992 Congressional	2,247 .3 %	3,157 .5 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 1 FOR KLRD TR New District 02 Total is 672,127	27,752 4.1 %	41,361 6.2 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 1 FOR KLRD TR District 03 is composed of:		
9,570 (1.4 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	87 .0 %	78 .0 %
662,539 (98.6 %), from district 03 in 1992 Congressional	44,629 6.6 %	59,951 8.9 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 1 FOR KLRD TR New District 03 Total is 672,109	44,716 6.7 %	60,029 8.9 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 1 FOR KLRD TR District 04 is composed of:		
672,053 (100.0 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	44,105 6.6 %	48,018 7.1 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 1 FOR KLRD TR New District 04 Total is 672,053	44,105 6.6 %	48,018 7.1 %

*The Hispanic column includes persons of Hispanic Origin of all races.
 Percentages are a percent of total Population.
 Source: Secretary of State

HR Congress 2



District	Population	Deviation	% Deviation
1	672,170	65	0.01%
2	672,043	-62	-0.01%
3	672,109	4	0.00%
4	672,096	-9	-0.00%

Plan: M2_HR Congress 2 for KLRD TR
 Map Features

- County
- Interstate Highway
- Indian Reservation

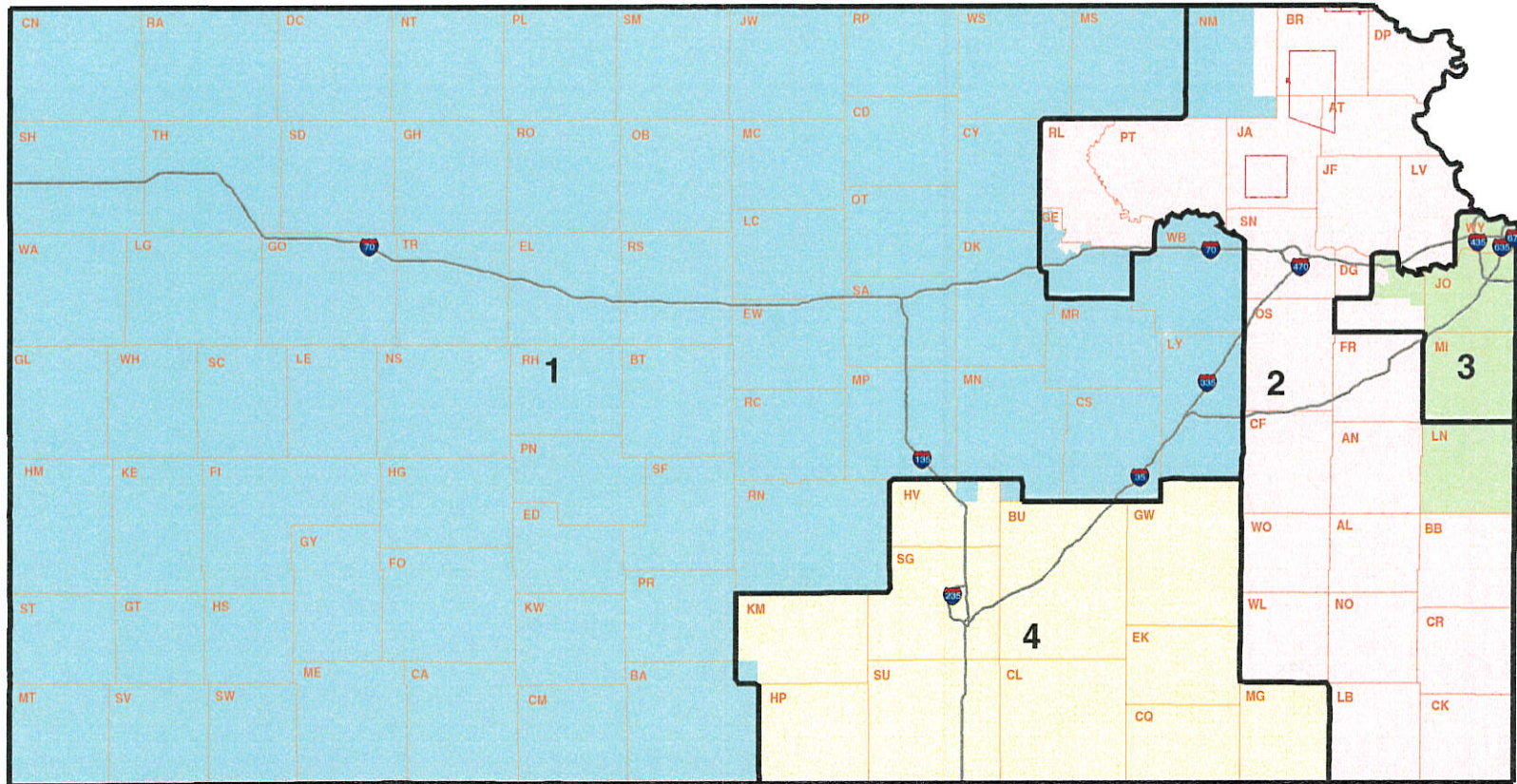
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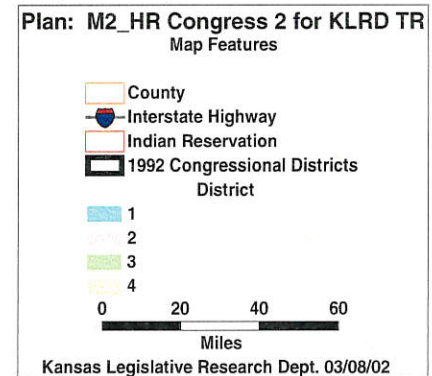
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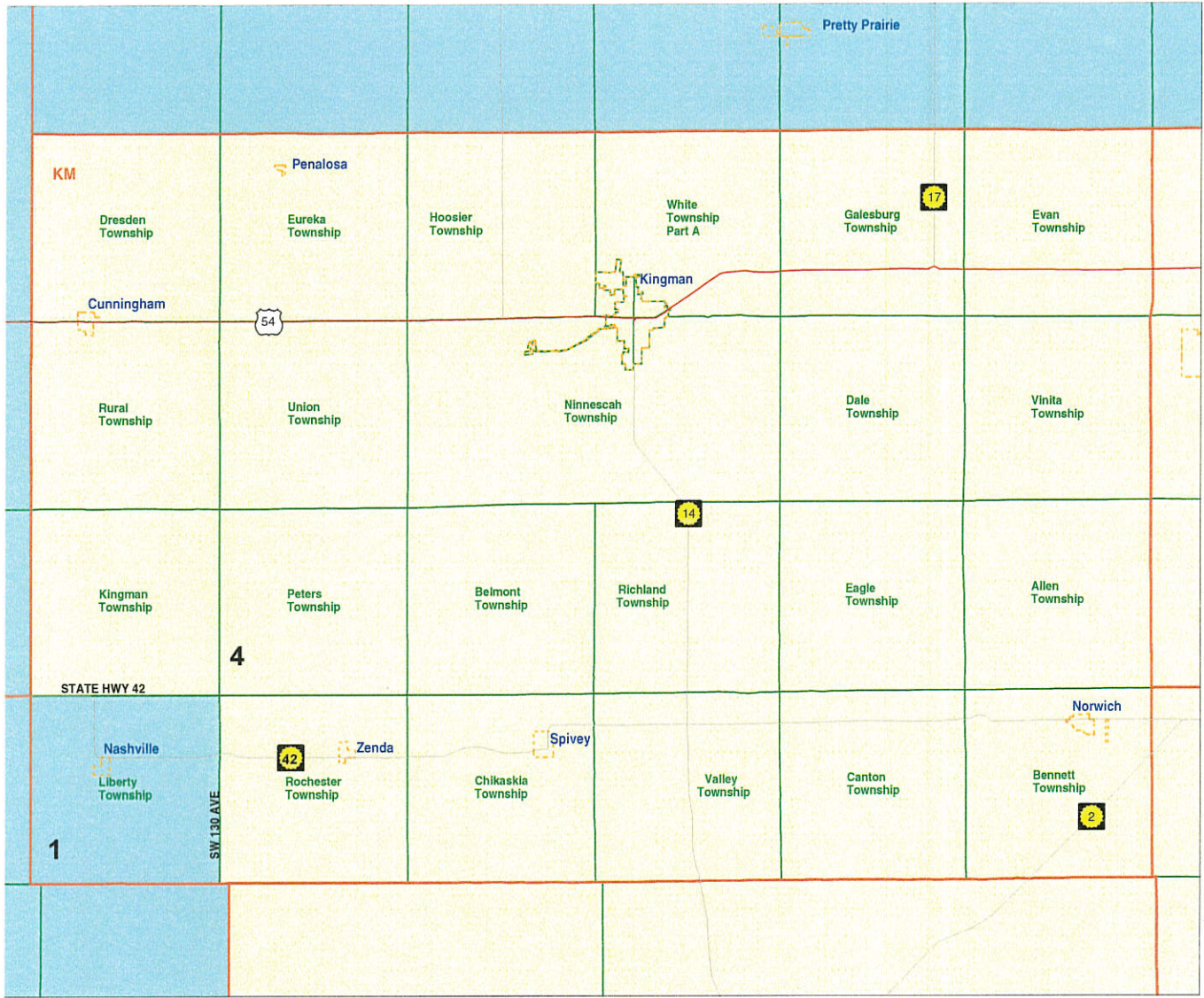
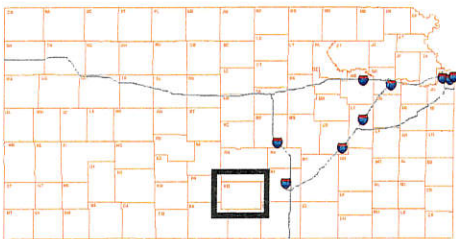
HR Congress 2



Black lines show boundaries of existing 1992 Congressional Districts.



HR Congress 2 Detail of Kingman County



Plan: M2_HR Congress 2 for KLRD TR

Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
- County
- Highways
- Interstate
- State Route
- US Route
- District

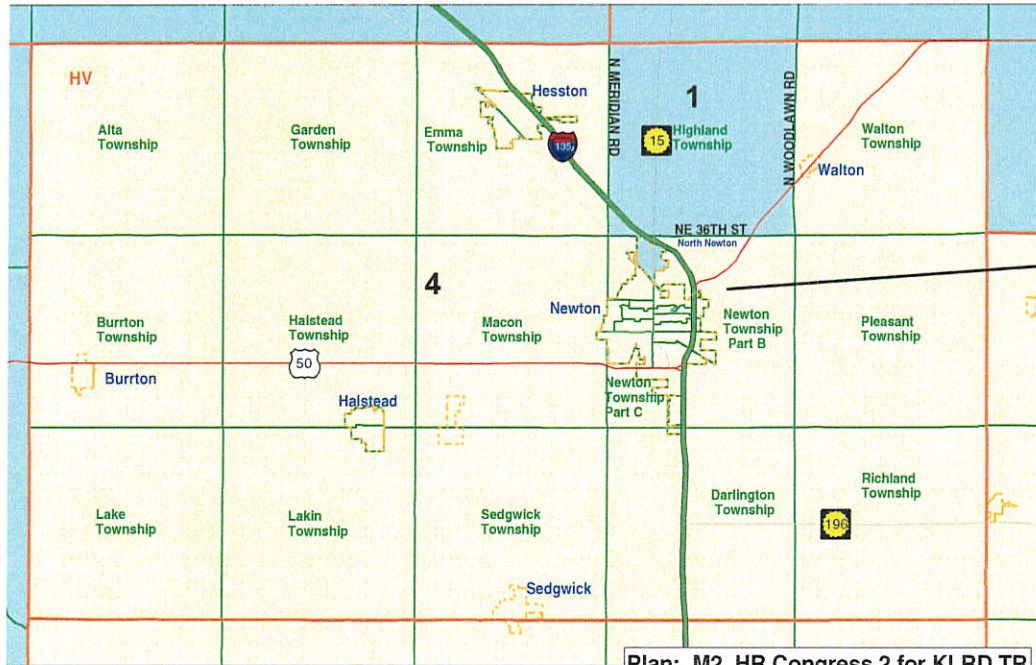
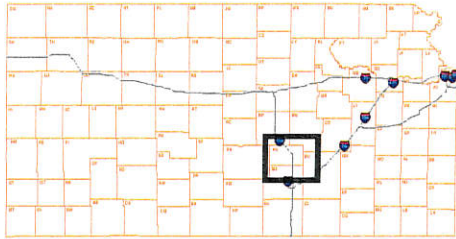
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HR Congress 2 Detail of Harvey County

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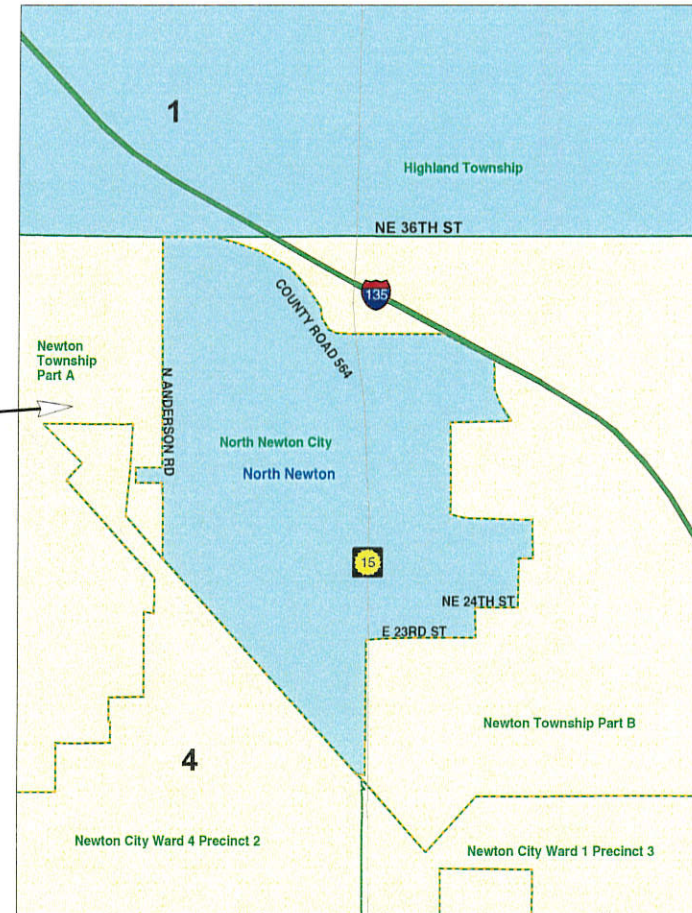
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Map Features

- Voting District
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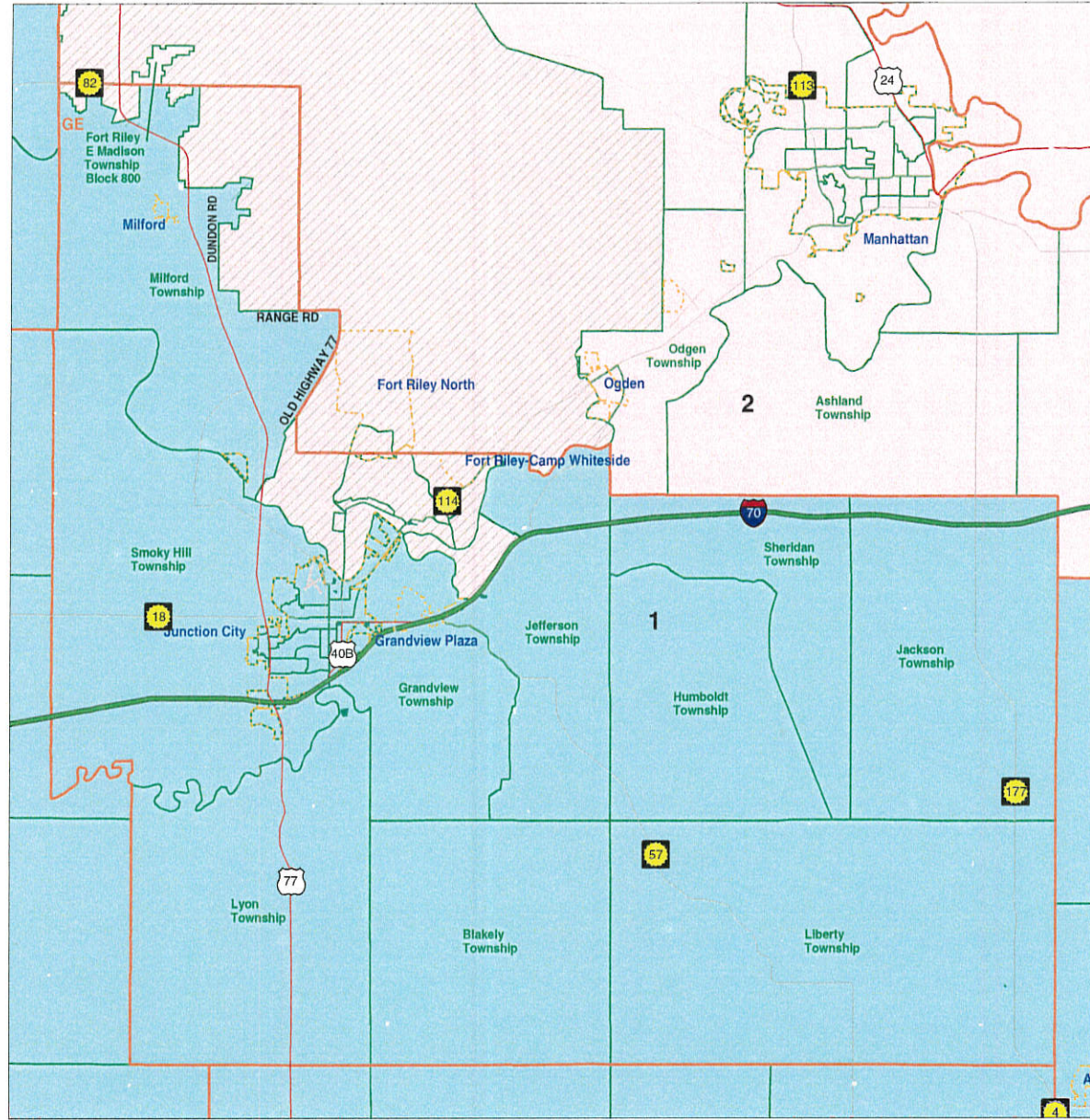
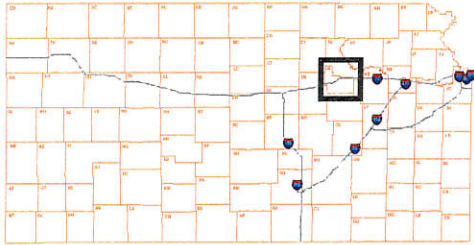
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HR Congress 2 Detail of Geary County

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Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
- County

Highways

- Interstate
- State Route
- US Route

Military Installations

- Fort Riley

District

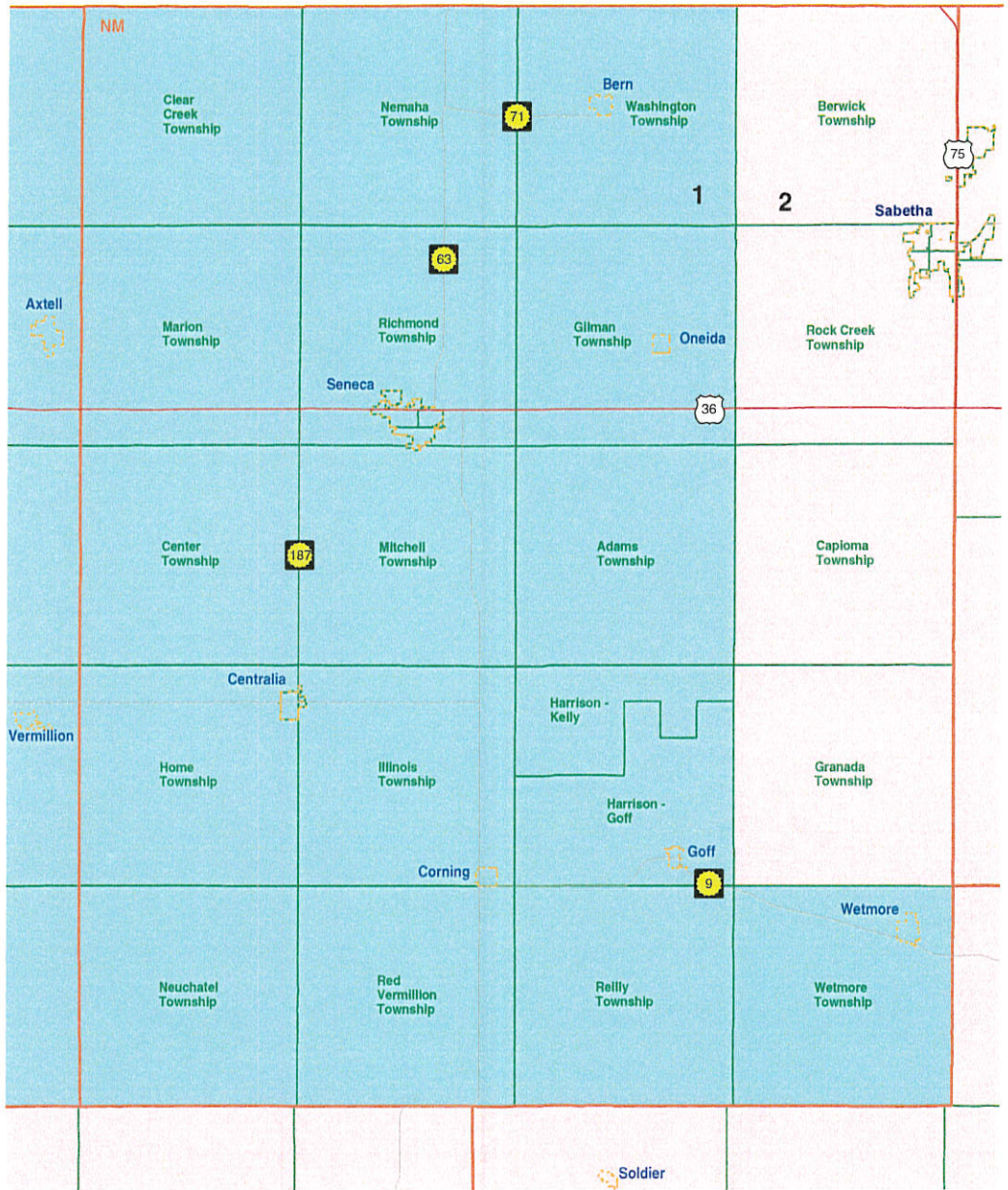
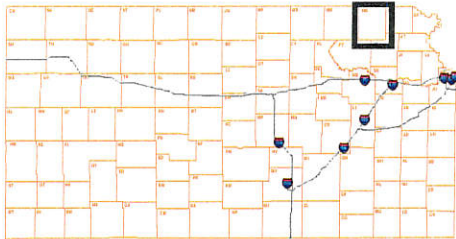
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HR Congress 2 Detail of Nemaha County

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Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
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Highways

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- 71 State Route
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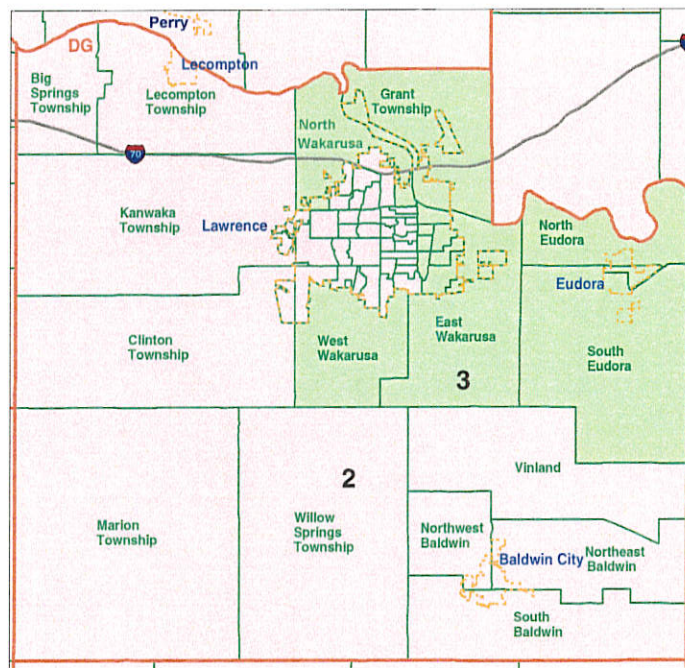
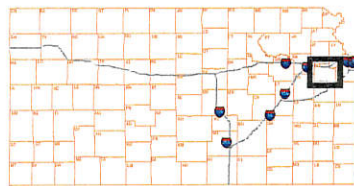
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HR Congress 2 Detail of Douglas County



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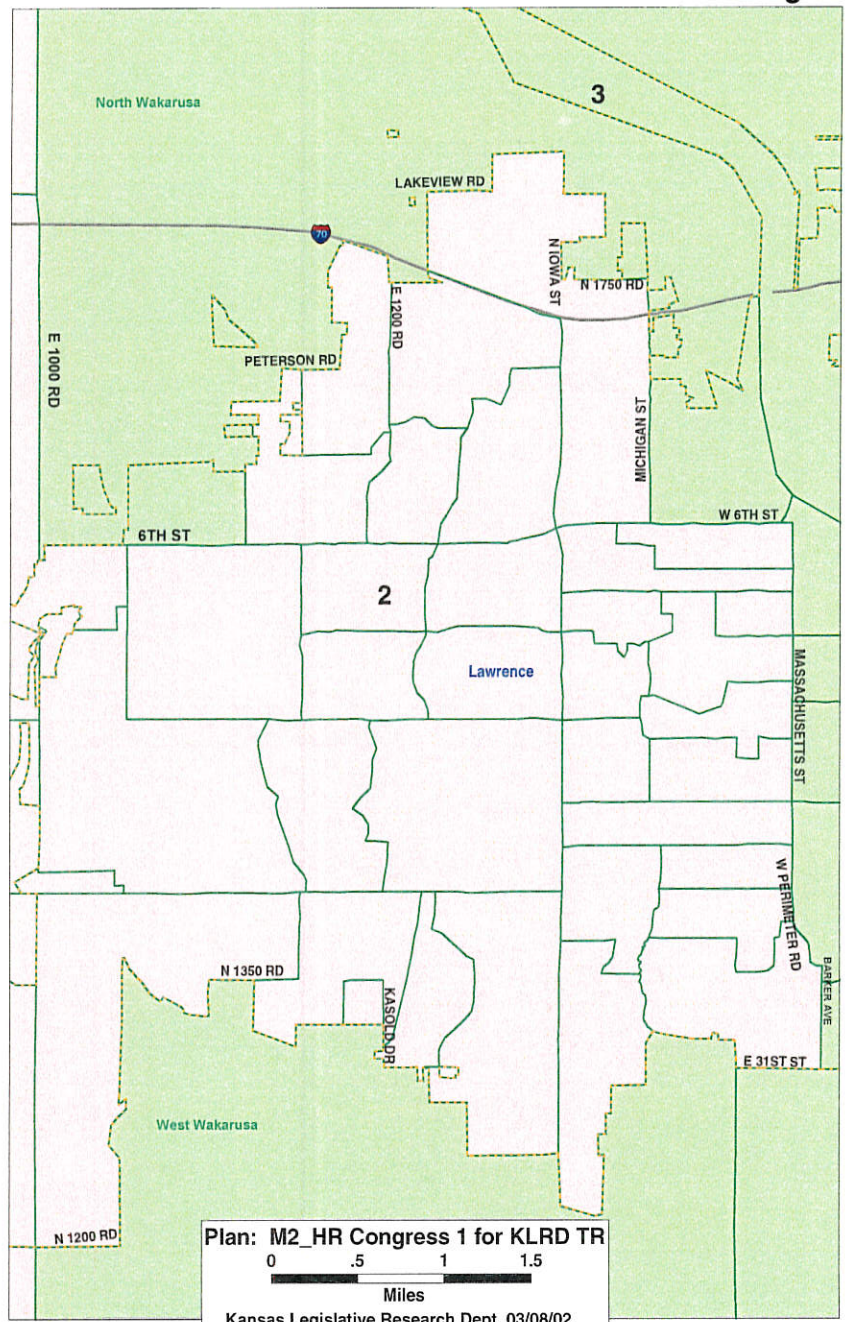
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Population Summary Report

DISTRICT	Population	DEVIATION	% DEVN.
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02	672,043	-62	-0.01
03	672,109	4	0.00
04	672,096	-9	0.00

Total Population: 2,688,418

Ideal District Population: 672,105

Summary Statistics

Population Range: 672,043 to 672,170

Ratio Range: 1.00

Absolute Range: -62 to 65

Absolute Overall Range: 127.00

Relative Range: -0.01% to 0.01%

Relative Overall Range: 0.02%

Absolute Mean Deviation: 35.00

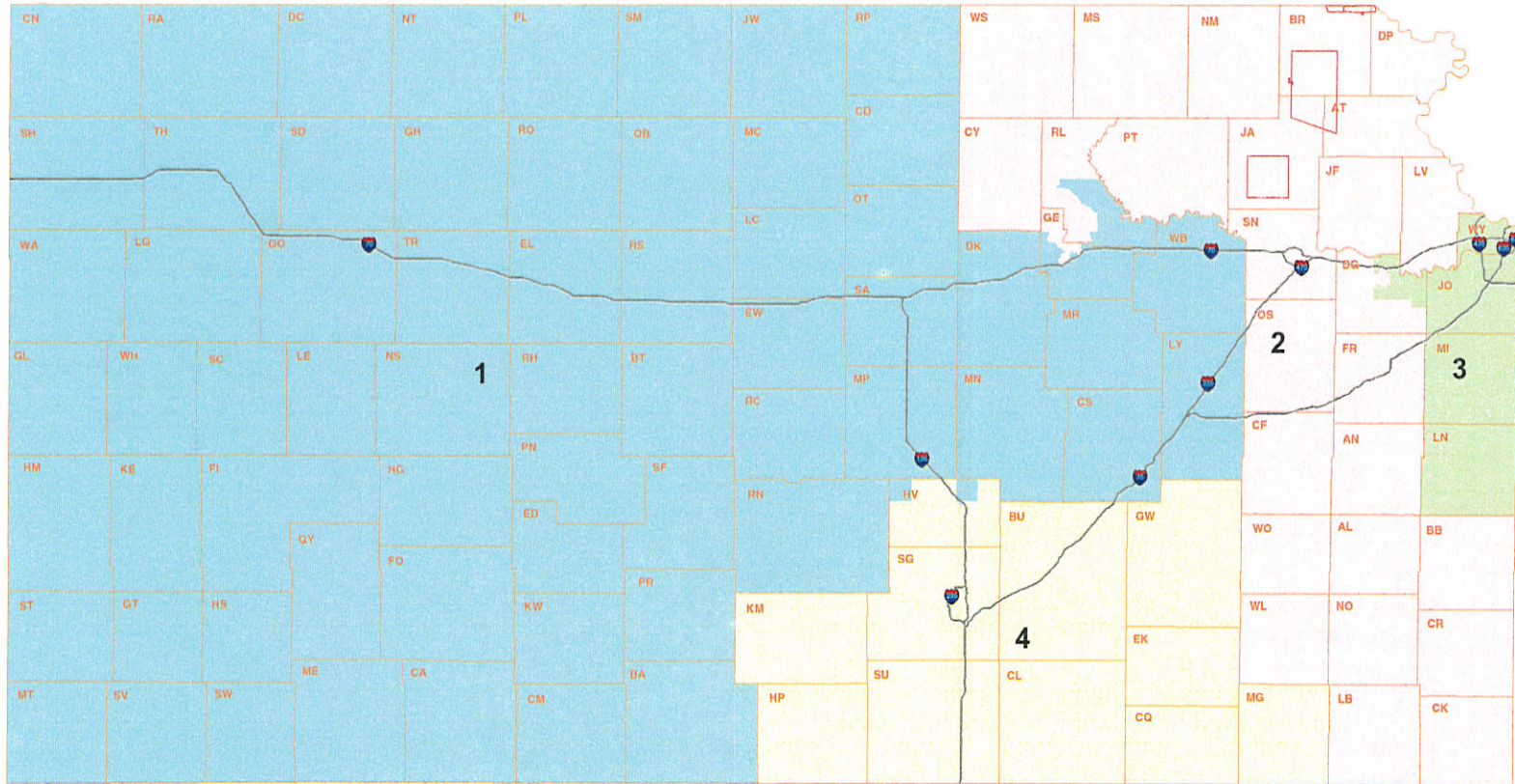
Relative Mean Deviation: 0.01%

Standard Deviation: 52.17

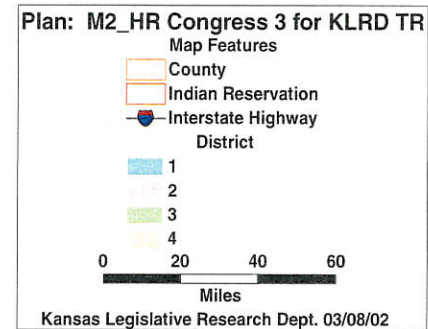
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637,670 (94.9 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	71,032 10.6 %	10,019 1.5 %
30,841 (4.6 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	1,832 .3 %	5,461 .8 %
3,659 (.5 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	102 .0 %	70 .0 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 2 FOR KLRD TR New District 01 Total is 672,170	72,966 10.9 %	15,550 2.3 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 2 FOR KLRD TR District 02 is composed of:		
600,976 (89.4 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	24,220 3.6 %	34,064 5.1 %
71,067 (10.6 %), from district 03 in 1992 Congressional	2,247 .3 %	3,157 .5 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 2 FOR KLRD TR New District 02 Total is 672,043	26,467 3.9 %	37,221 5.5 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 2 FOR KLRD TR District 03 is composed of:		
9,570 (1.4 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	87 .0 %	78 .0 %
662,539 (98.6 %), from district 03 in 1992 Congressional	44,629 6.6 %	59,951 8.9 %
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M2_HR CONGRESS 2 FOR KLRD TR District 04 is composed of:		
672,096 (100.0 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	44,103 6.6 %	48,017 7.1 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 2 FOR KLRD TR New District 04 Total is 672,096	44,103 6.6 %	48,017 7.1 %

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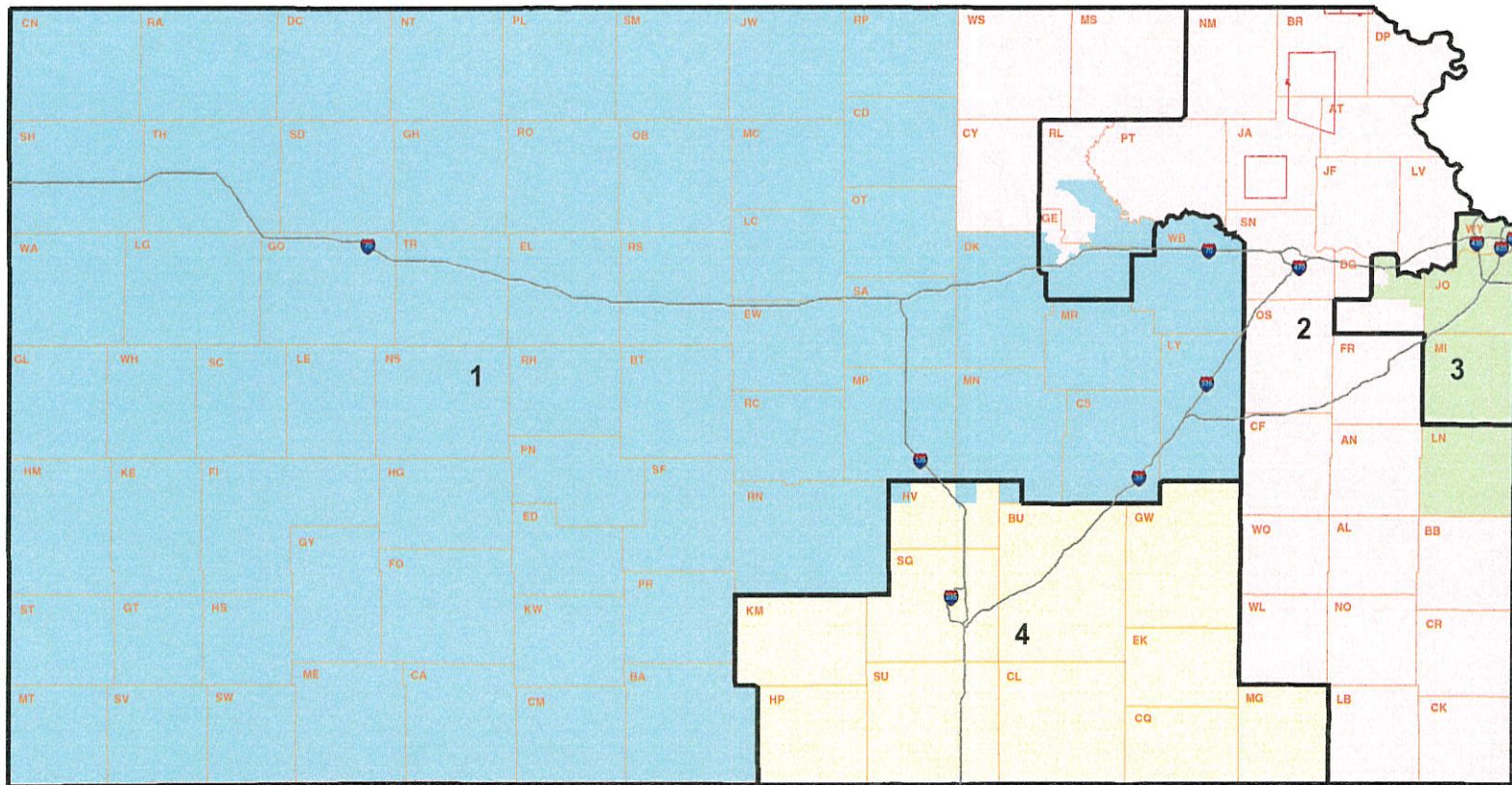
HR Congress 3



District	Population	Deviation	% Deviation
1	672,107	2	0.00%
2	672,149	44	0.01%
3	672,109	4	0.00%
4	672,053	-52	-0.01%



HR Congress 3



Black lines show boundaries of existing 1992 Congressional Districts.

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Map Features

- County
- Indian Reservation
- 1992 Cong Overlay
- Interstate Highway

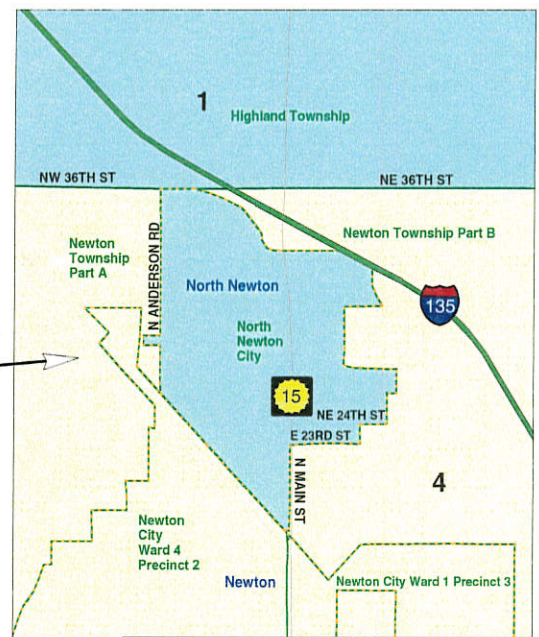
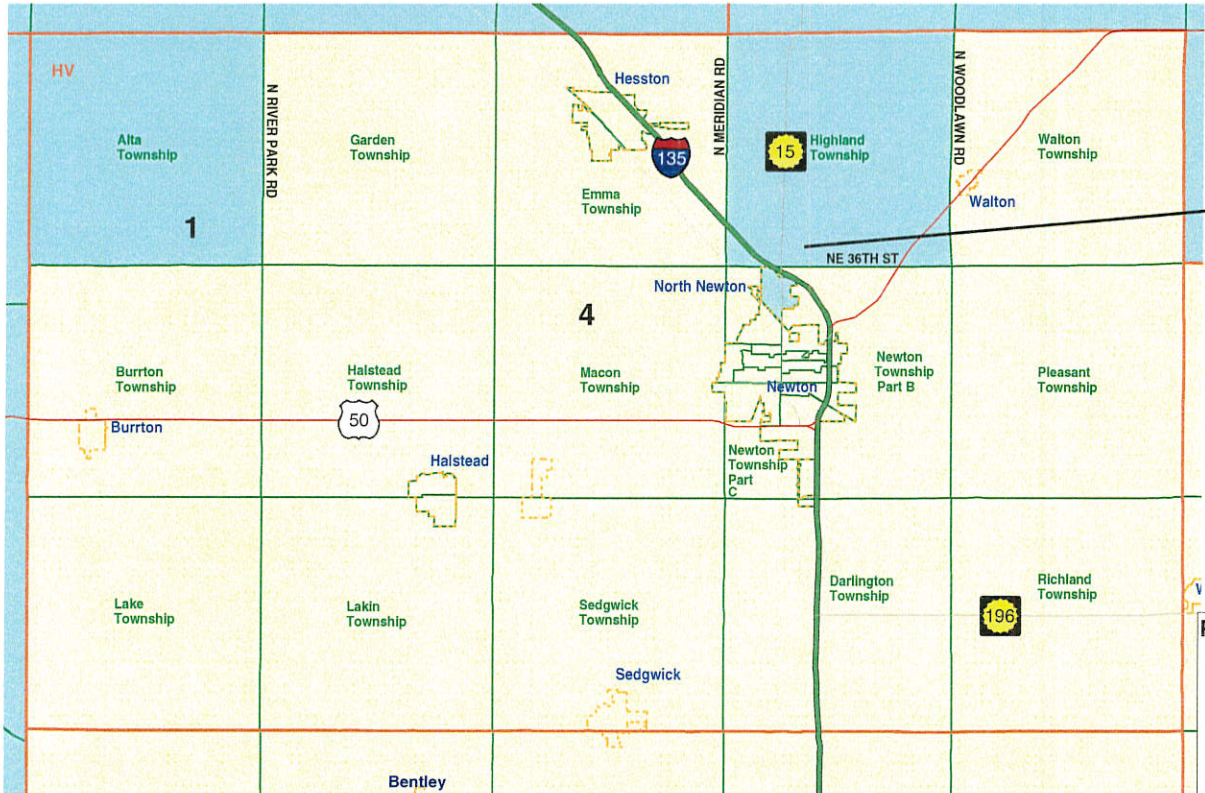
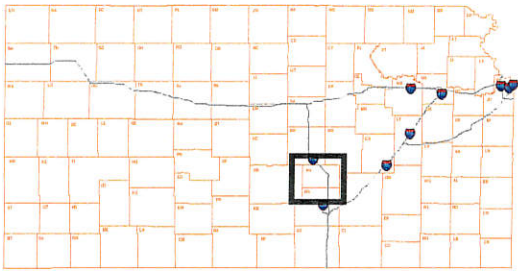
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HR Congress 3 Detail of Harvey County



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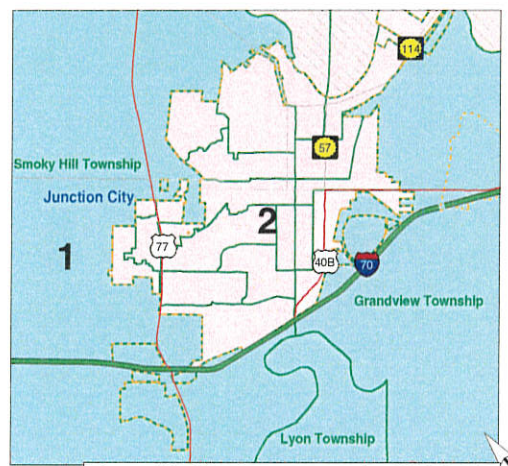
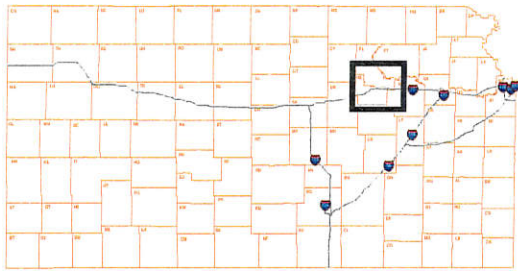
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Map Features

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HR Congress 3 Detail of Geary and Riley County

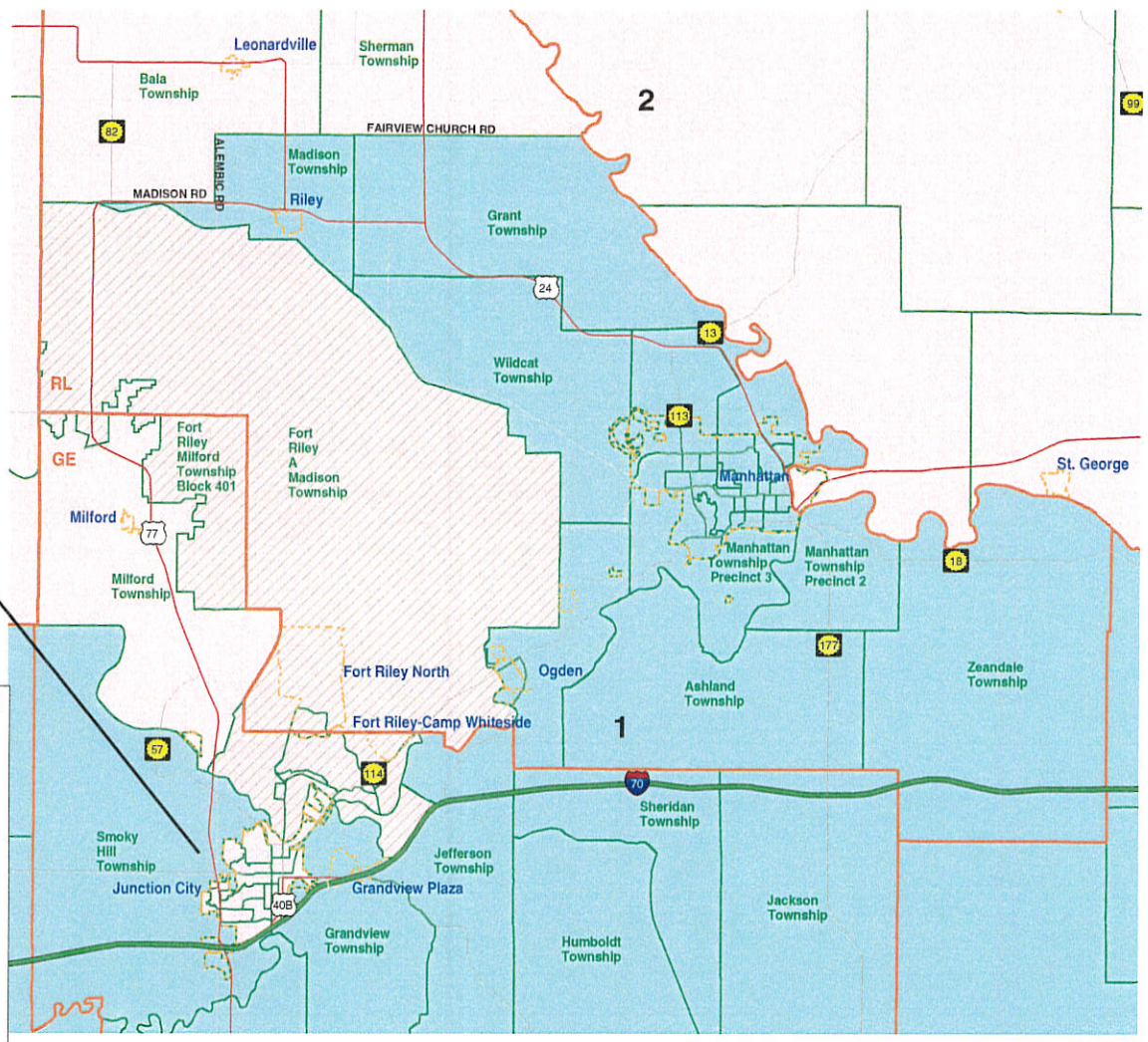


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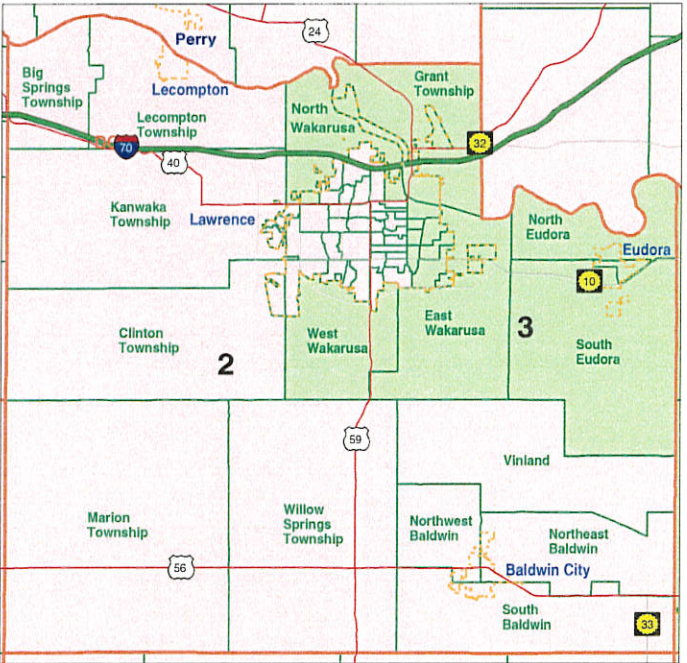
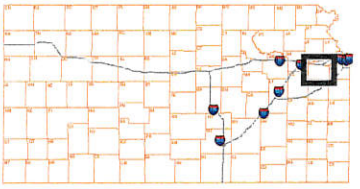
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 Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
- County
- Military Installation
- Fort Riley District
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HR Congress 3 Detail of Douglas County



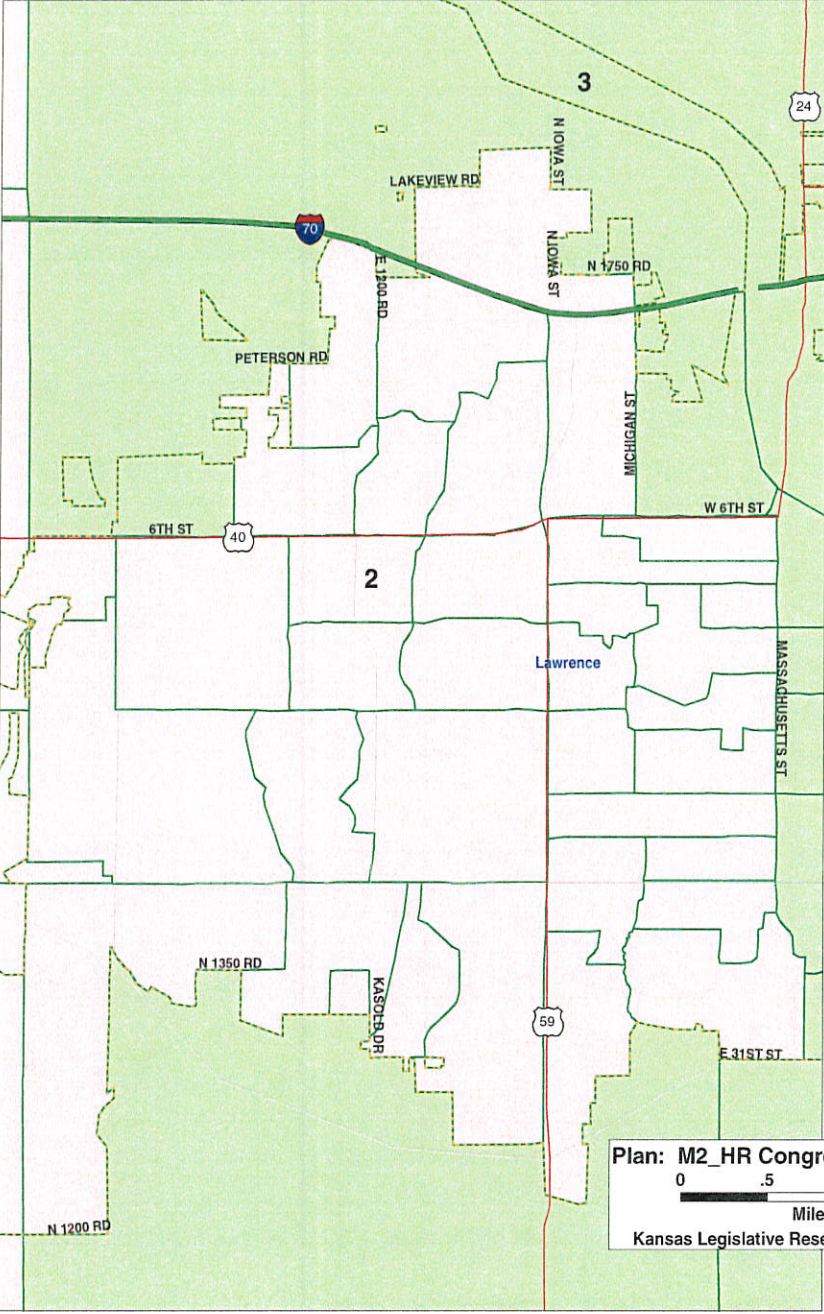
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Map Features

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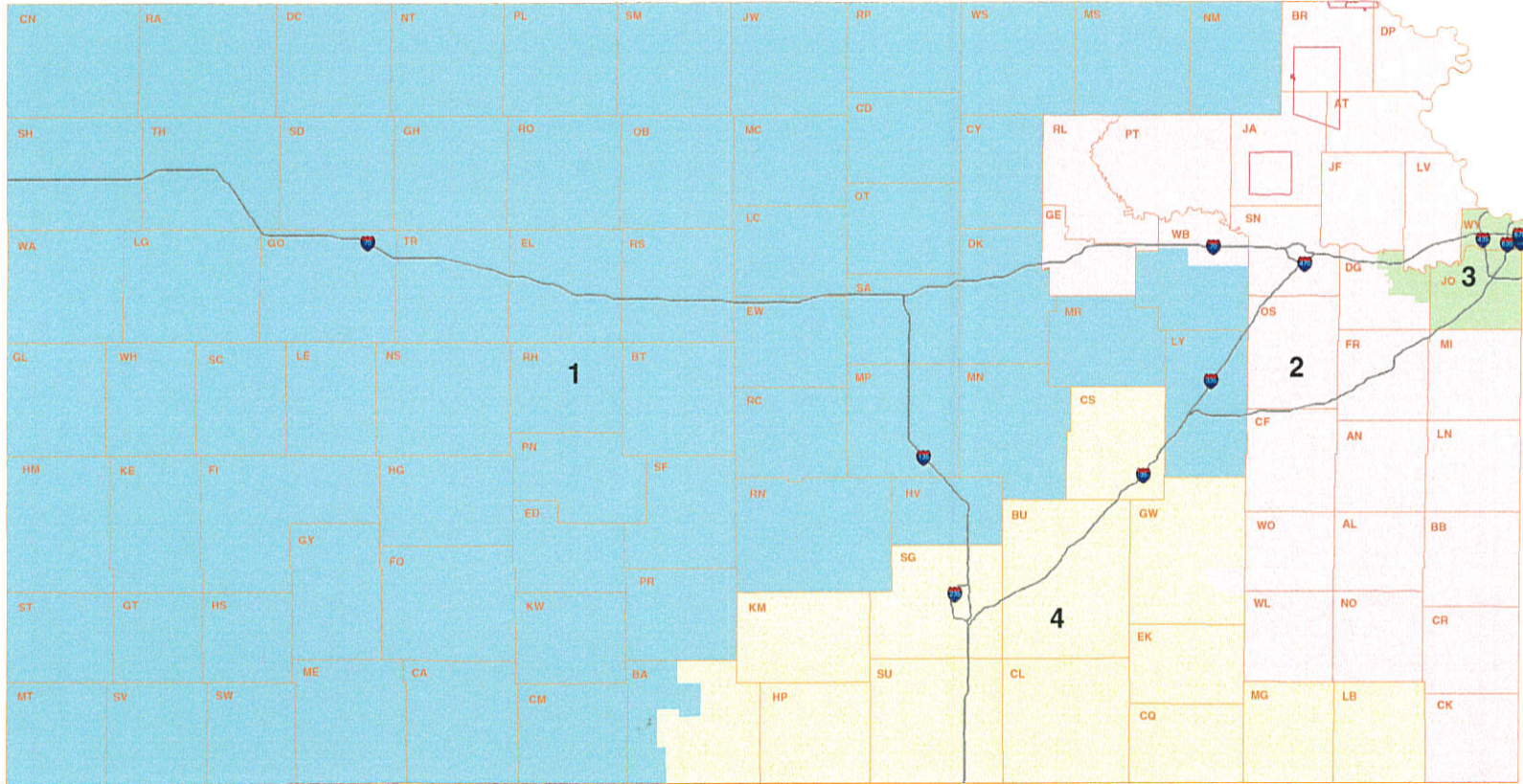
Summary Statistics

Population Range: 672,053 to 672,149
Ratio Range: 1.00
Absolute Range: -52 to 44
Absolute Overall Range: 96.00
Relative Range: -0.01% to 0.01%
Relative Overall Range: 0.01%
Absolute Mean Deviation: 25.50
Relative Mean Deviation: 0.00%
Standard Deviation: 39.41

	Hispanic *	Non-Hispanic Black DOJ
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611,400 (91.0 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	70,834 10.5 %	9,911 1.5 %
57,005 (8.5 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	2,036 .3 %	2,927 .4 %
3,702 (.6 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	100 .0 %	69 .0 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 3 FOR KLRD TR New District 01 Total is 672,107	72,970 10.9 %	12,907 1.9 %
M2_HR CONGRESS 3 FOR KLRD TR District 02 is composed of:		
26,270 (3.9 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	198 .0 %	108 .0 %
574,812 (85.5 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	24,016 3.6 %	36,598 5.4 %
71,067 (10.6 %), from district 03 in 1992 Congressional	2,247 .3 %	3,157 .5 %
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District	Population	Deviation	% Deviation
1	672,111	6	0.00%
2	672,074	-31	-0.00%
3	672,091	-14	-0.00%
4	672,142	37	0.01%

Plan: M2_Gorilla1 for KLRD TR

Map Features

- County
- Indian Reservation
- Interstate Highway

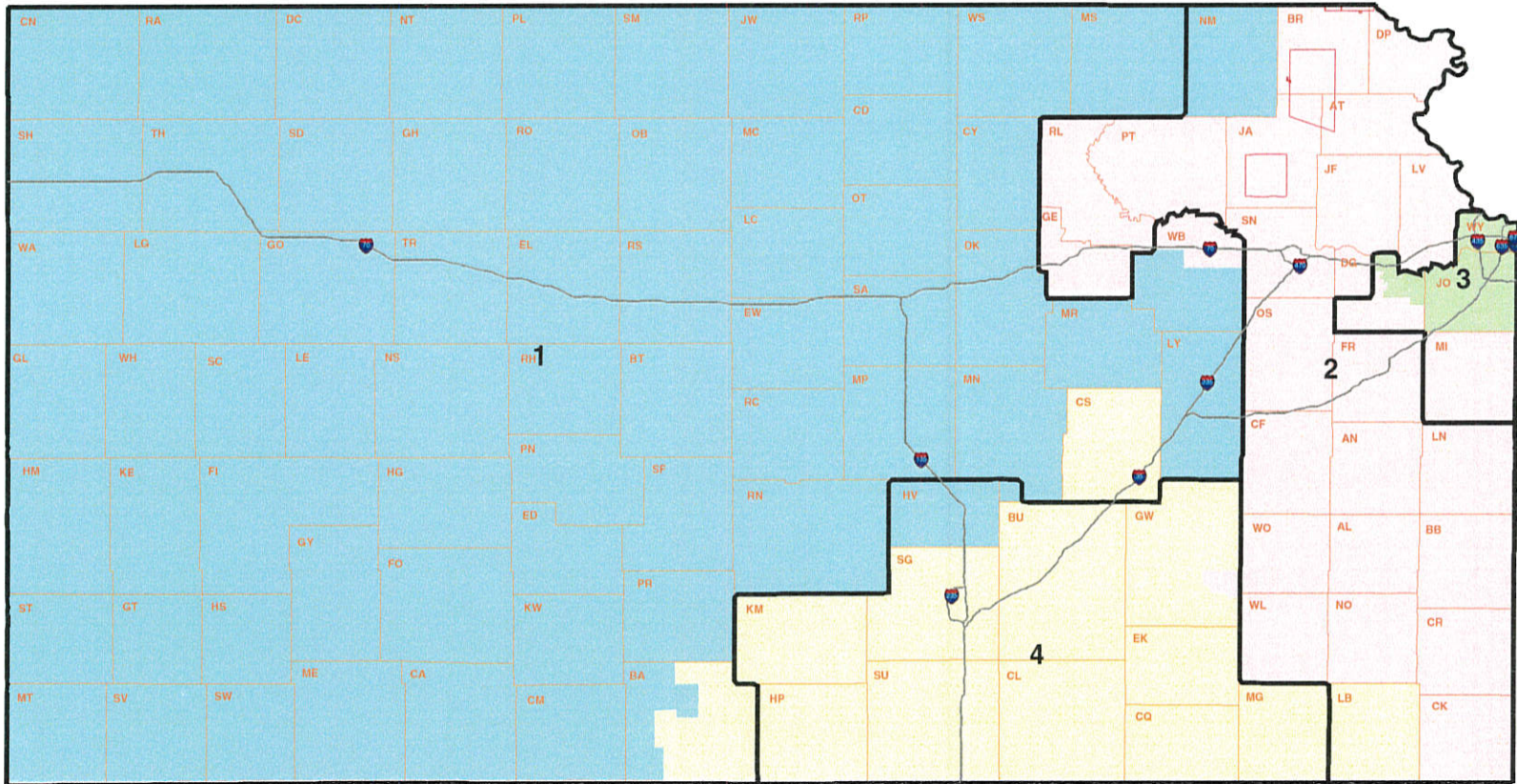
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Black lines show boundaries of existing 1992 Congressional Districts.

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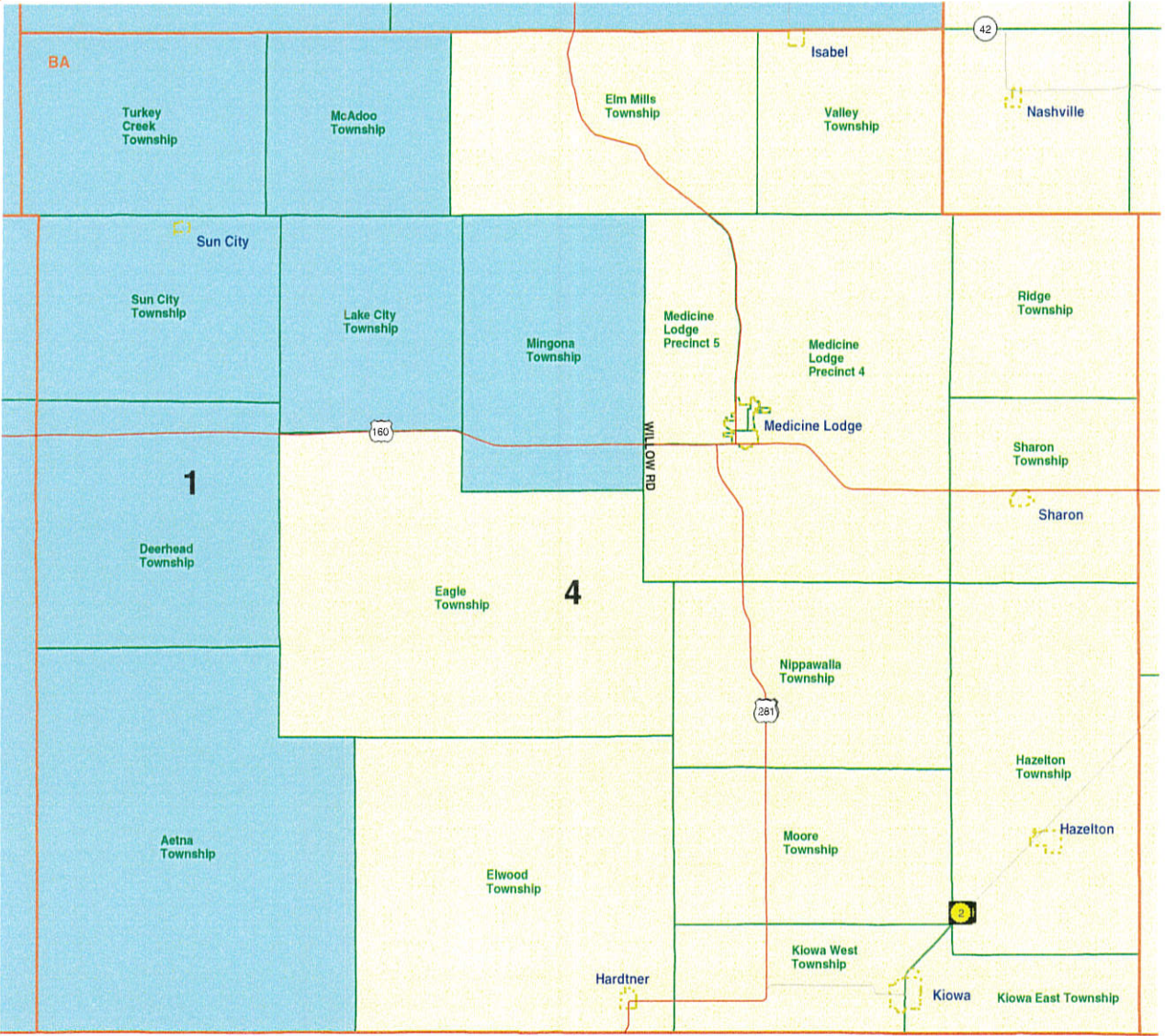
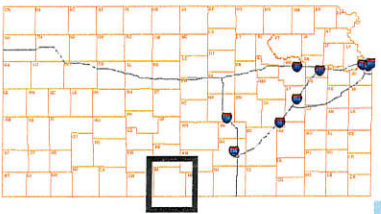
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- Interstate Highway District

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Gorilla1 Detail of Barber County



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Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
- County

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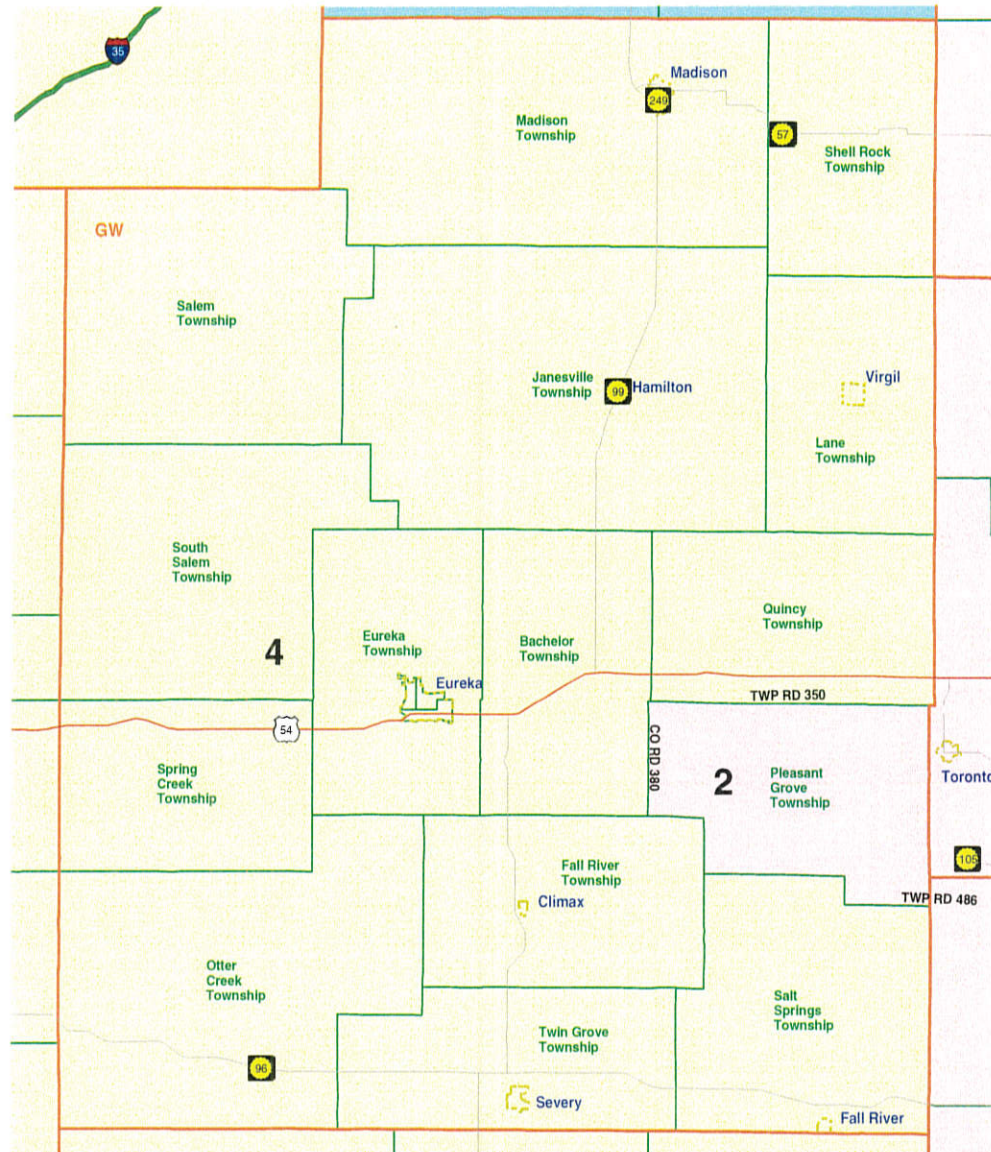
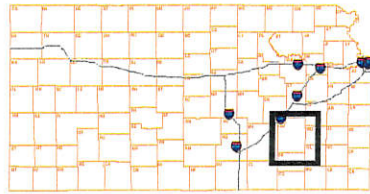
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Gorilla1 Detail of Greenwood County



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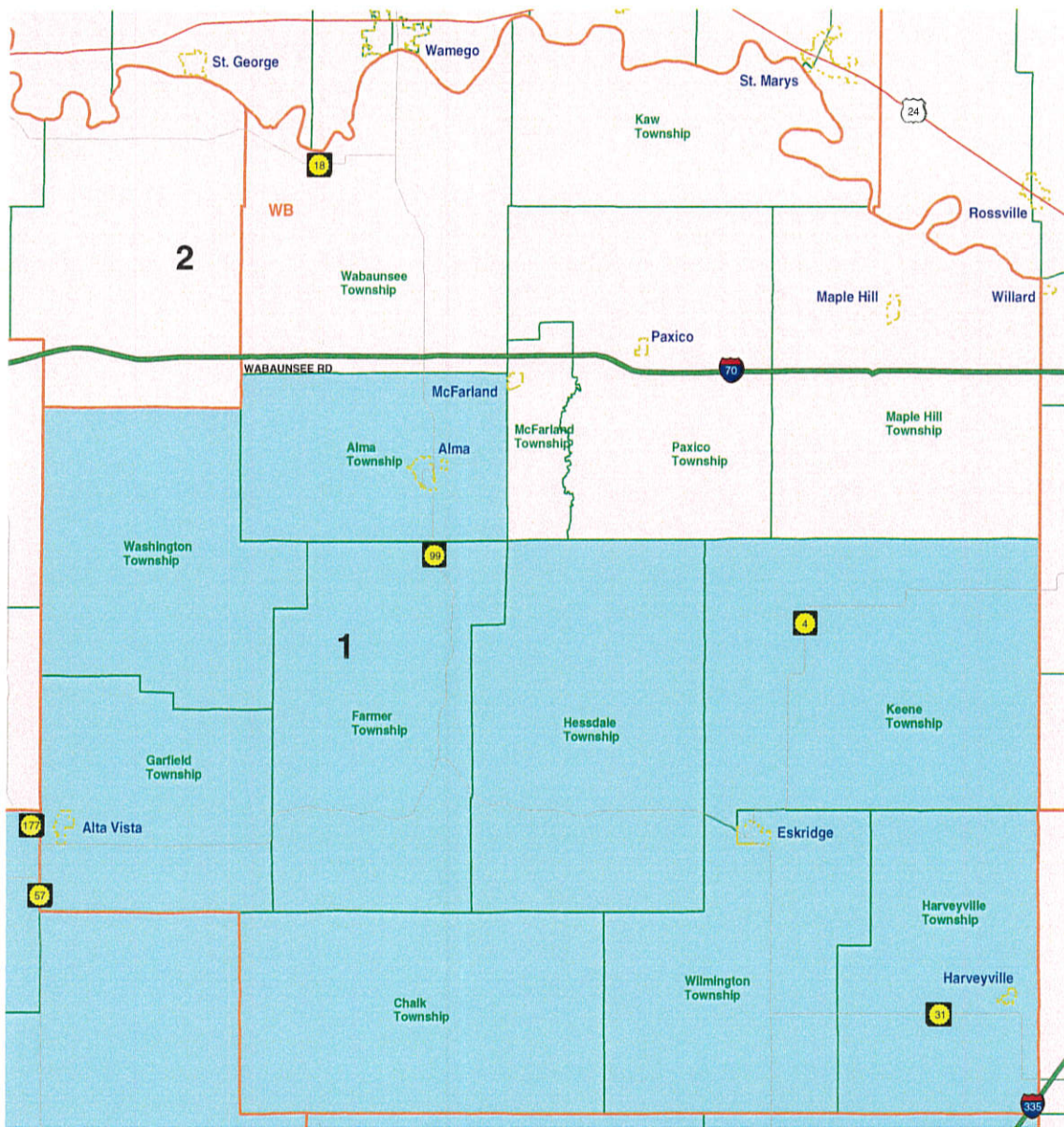
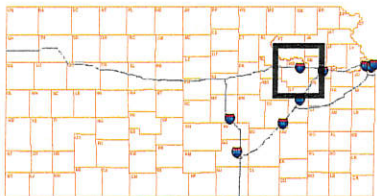
Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
- County
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- Highways
- Interstate
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- County / Other

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Gorilla1 Detail of Wabaunsee County



Plan: M2_Gorilla1 for KLRD TR

Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
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District

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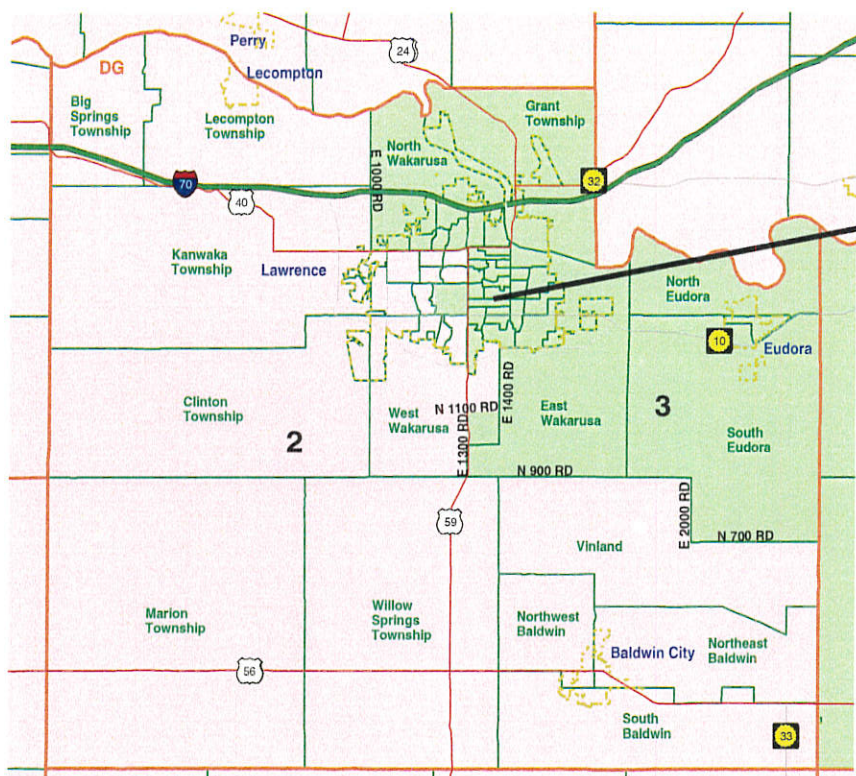
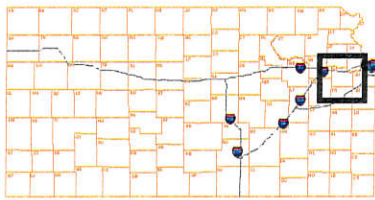
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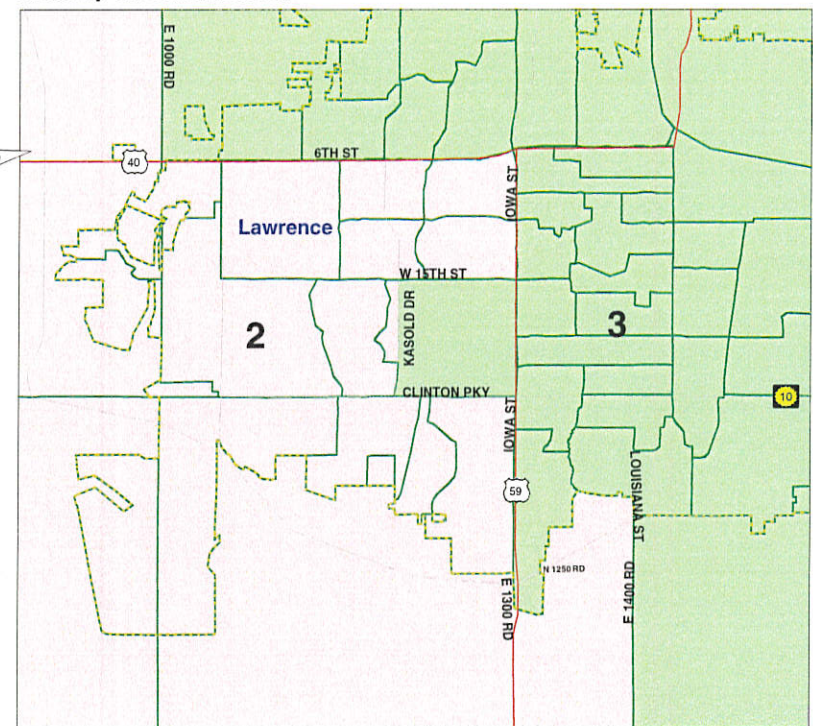
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Gorilla1 Detail of Douglas County



Close-up of Lawrence area



Plan: M2_Gorilla1 for KLRD TR
Map Features

- Voting District
- Census Place
- County

District

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Highways

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Plan: M2_Gorilla1 for KLRD TR

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Plan: M2_Gorilla1 for KLRD TR
Plan Type: Congressional
Administrator: Duane Simpson
User: KLRD

Population Summary Report

DISTRICT	Population	DEVIATION	% DEVN.
01	672,111	6	0.00
02	672,074	-31	0.00
03	672,091	-14	0.00
04	672,142	37	0.01

Total Population: 2,688,418
Ideal District Population: 672,105

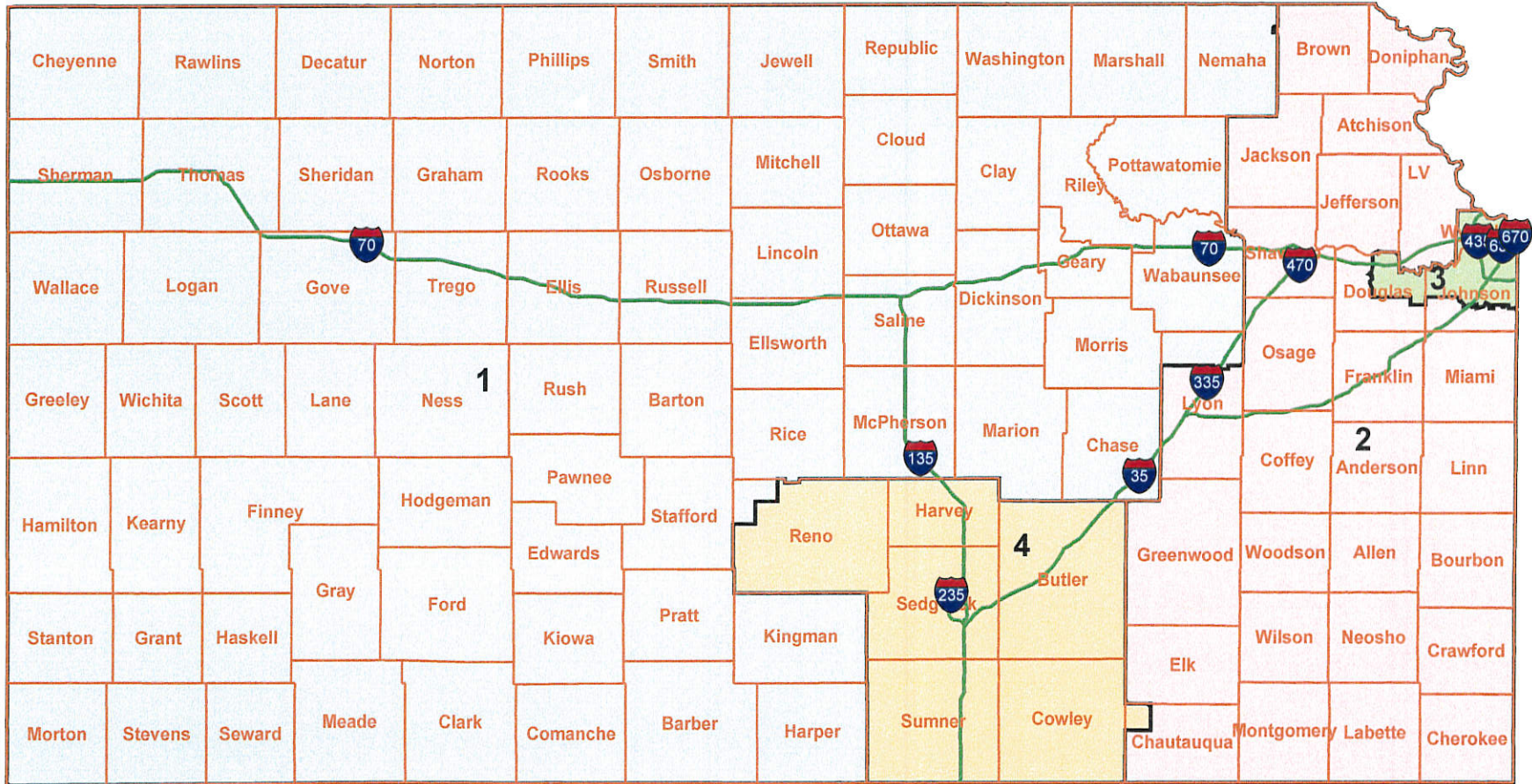
Summary Statistics

Population Range: 672,074 to 672,142
Ratio Range: 1.00
Absolute Range: -31 to 37
Absolute Overall Range: 68.00
Relative Range: 0.00% to 0.01%
Relative Overall Range: 0.01%
Absolute Mean Deviation: 22.00
Relative Mean Deviation: 0.00%
Standard Deviation: 29.22

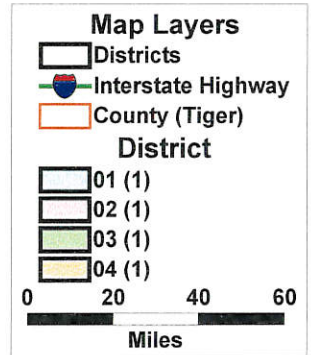
	Hispanic *	Non-Hispanic Black DOJ
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626,981 (93.3 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	70,825 10.5 %	9,944 1.5 %
10,717 (1.6 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	76 .0 %	68 .0 %
34,413 (5.1 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	2,664 .4 %	651 .1 %
M2_GORILLA1 FOR KLRD TR New District 01 Total is 672,111	73,565 10.9 %	10,663 1.6 %
M2_GORILLA1 FOR KLRD TR District 02 is composed of:		
2,672 (.4 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	50 .0 %	18 .0 %
607,835 (90.4 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	25,363 3.8 %	38,350 5.7 %
61,515 (9.2 %), from district 03 in 1992 Congressional	1,257 .2 %	1,646 .2 %
52 (.0 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	0 .0 %	0 .0 %
M2_GORILLA1 FOR KLRD TR New District 02 Total is 672,074	26,670 4.0 %	40,014 6.0 %
M2_GORILLA1 FOR KLRD TR District 03 is composed of:		
672,091 (100.0 %), from district 03 in 1992 Congressional	45,619 6.8 %	61,462 9.1 %
M2_GORILLA1 FOR KLRD TR New District 03 Total is 672,091	45,619 6.8 %	61,462 9.1 %
M2_GORILLA1 FOR KLRD TR District 04 is composed of:		
8,017 (1.2 %), from district 01 in 1992 Congressional	157 .0 %	57 .0 %
22,835 (3.4 %), from district 02 in 1992 Congressional	700 .1 %	1,185 .2 %
641,290 (95.4 %), from district 04 in 1992 Congressional	41,541 6.2 %	47,436 7.1 %
M2_GORILLA1 FOR KLRD TR New District 04 Total is 672,142	42,398 6.3 %	48,678 7.2 %

*The Hispanic column includes persons of Hispanic Origin of all races.
 Percentages are a percent of total Population.
 Source: Secretary of State

Congressional Plan 1 for klrD TR EI

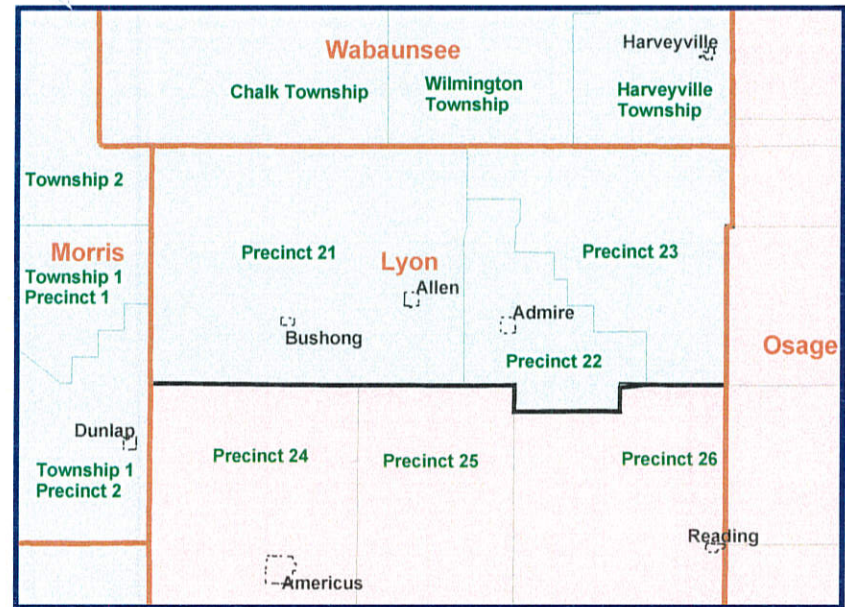
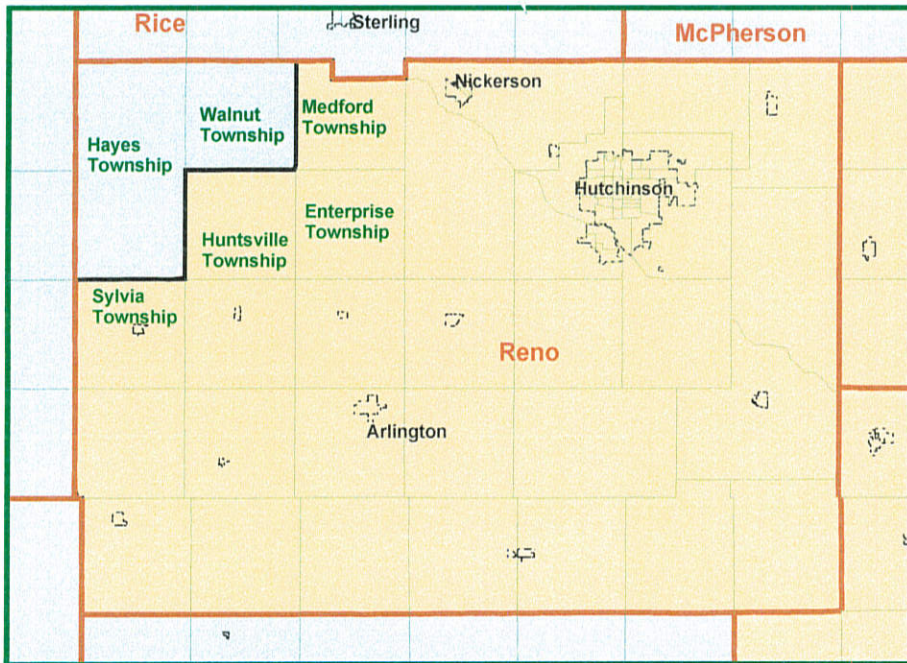
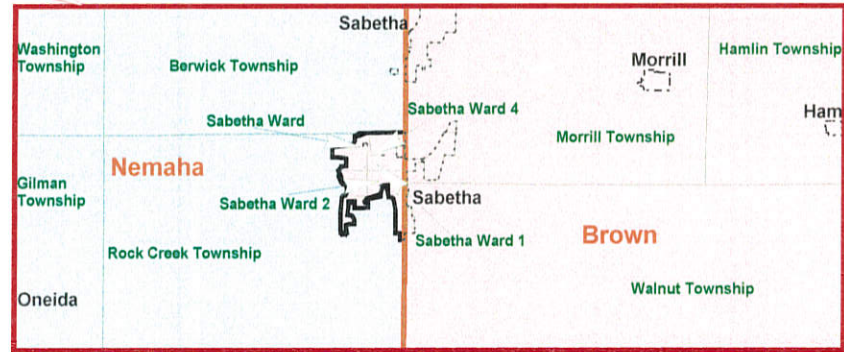
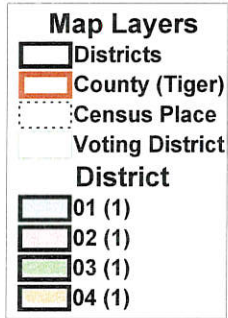
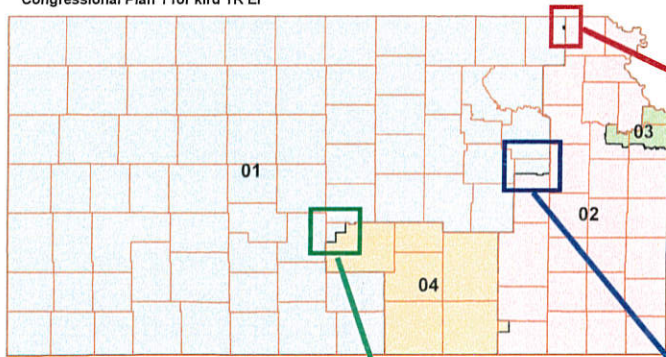


District	Population	Deviation	% Deviation
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02	672,108	3	0.00%
03	672,101	-4	-0.00%
04	672,104	-1	-0.00%

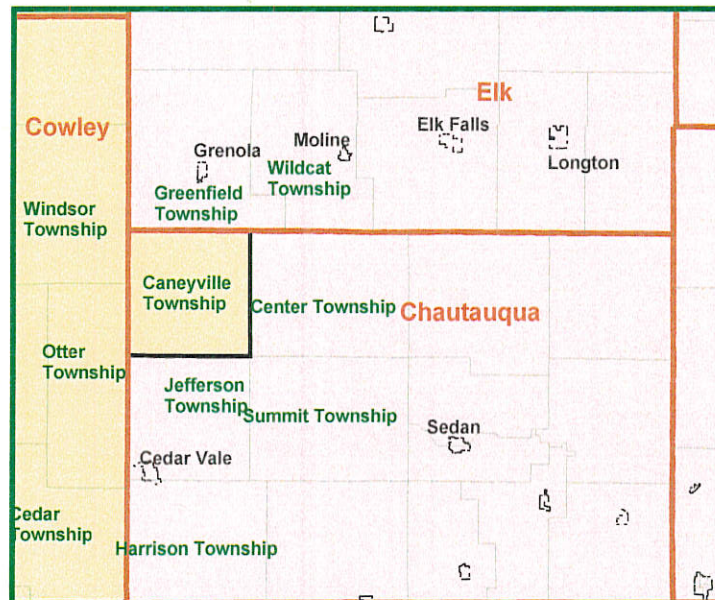
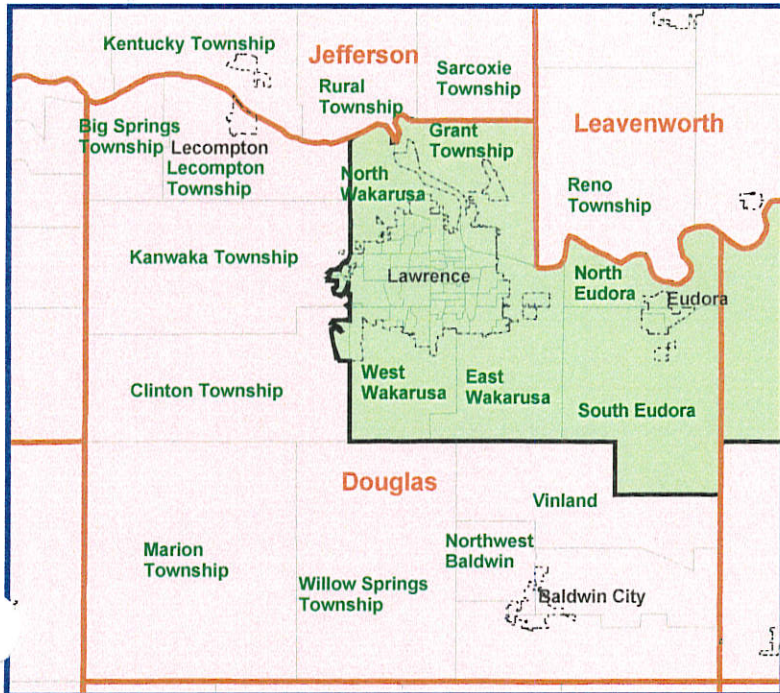
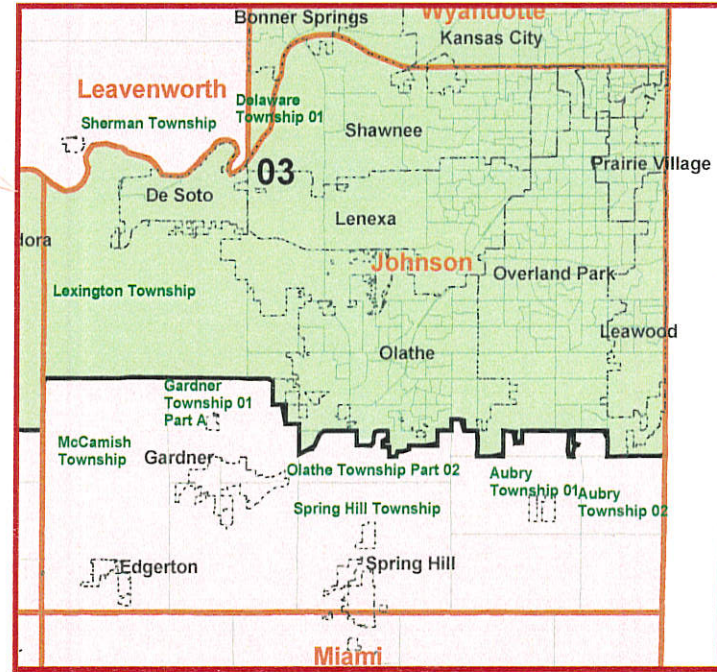
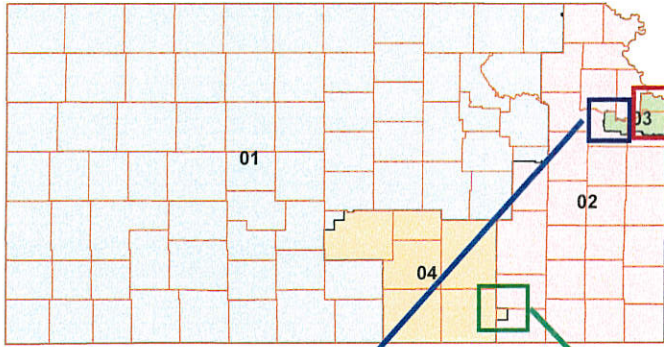


Detail of Congressional Plan 1 for klrD TR EI, Showing 3 of 6 Split Counties.

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Detail of Congressional Plan 1 for klrD TR EI, Showing 3 of 6 Split Counties.



Map Layers

- Districts
- County (Tiger)
- Census Place
- Voting District

District

- 01 (1)
- 02 (1)
- 03 (1)
- 04 (1)

Plan Name: Congressional Plan 1 for klrD TR EI
Plan Type: Congressional
Administrator: Timothy Graham
User: llawhon

Political Subdivisions Split Between Districts

Tuesday, June 26, 2001

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Number of subdivisions not split:

County	99
VTD	3,730

Number of subdivisions split into more than one district:

County	6
VTD	0

County

Cases where a County is split among 2 Districts: 6

Number of times a County has been split into more than one district: 6

Total of County splits: 12

County	VTD	District
<i>Split Counties :</i>		
Chautauqua		02
Chautauqua		04
Douglas		02
Douglas		03
Johnson		02
Johnson		03
Lyon		01
Lyon		02
Nemaha		01
Nemaha		02
Reno		01
Reno		04



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Chairman O'Neal and members of the committee. Thank you for the opportunity to appear before you. First I want to thank you and the committee for all of the difficult work that has engaged you, both individually and collectively, as members of this committee and the Joint Committee. A "happy compromise" satisfying all the concerns is certainly a monumental task, and you are to be commended for your efforts.

The suggested amendment to the Caucus J map that I propose would only be of concern to Harvey and Kingman Counties. The balance of the map would be left at your discretion. The specific issue of my request deals with the proposed split of the City of North Newton and Highland Township, in Harvey County, from the 4th Congressional District and placing them in the 1st District. I would ask that you carefully consider the following facts in your committee deliberation and recognize the need to place North Newton and Highland Township back in the 4th District where it has historically resided.

The suggested change would:

1. PRESERVE THE CORE OF THE EXISTING DISTRICT WITH REGARD TO THE "COMMUNITY OF INTEREST" CONSIDERATION PRESENT IN YOUR CRITERIA.
2. REDUCE THE POPULATION DEVIATION TO A LOWER NUMBER THAN THE CAUCUS "J" MAP UNDER PRESENT CONSIDERATION.
3. KEEP THE ENTIRE COUNTY (HARVEY) INTACT, WITHIN THE SAME DISTRICT AS PRESENTLY APPORTIONED, MAKING IT COMPACT, CONTIGUOUS, EASILY IDENTIFIABLE AND UNDERSTANDABLE BY VOTERS.
4. PRESERVING THE INTEGRITY AND PRIORITY OF EXISTING POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS.

The recommendation before you, as it pertains to Harvey County, would meet the

aforementioned charges to the committee and place all of Harvey County in the 4th District.

REASONING: Newton and North Newton are contiguous communities with parallel boundaries separated by a railroad track running between the two communities. Most people would not realize when they exit one community and enter the other. There is virtually no signage by the Department of Transportation on our highways, or in either of the communities that would indicate that they are separate communities.

Newton and North Newton are linked in that the City of Newton contracts to provide North Newton with FIRE PROTECTION, AMBULANCE SERVICE, WATER SERVICE AND WASTEWATER DISPOSAL. Newton provides "building inspection" services to North Newton and to all of the cities in Harvey County, and they share a common 911 communication system. The ENTIRE COUNTY is included in the WICHITA METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA, which is a U.S. Census term used to designate areas that are ECONOMICALLY INSEPARABLE. Newton School District # 373 serves both Newton and North Newton for K-12 education, as there are no public school facilities in North Newton.

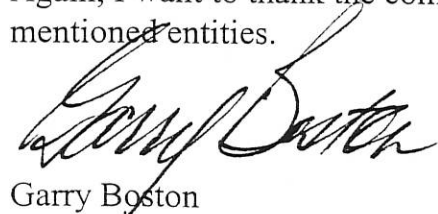
Further, the suggested plan would split only one county rather than splitting two counties.

The following have submitted resolutions requesting that Harvey County remain intact and that North Newton and Highland Township remain in the 4th Congressional District.

THE HARVEY COUNTY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS;
THE CITIES OF: NEWTON, NORTH NEWTON, HESSTON, SEDGWICK AND HALSTEAD. THE HARVEY COUNTY COMMISSION, THE NEWTON AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, THE HARVEY COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL AND UNIFIES SCHOOL DISTRICT 373.

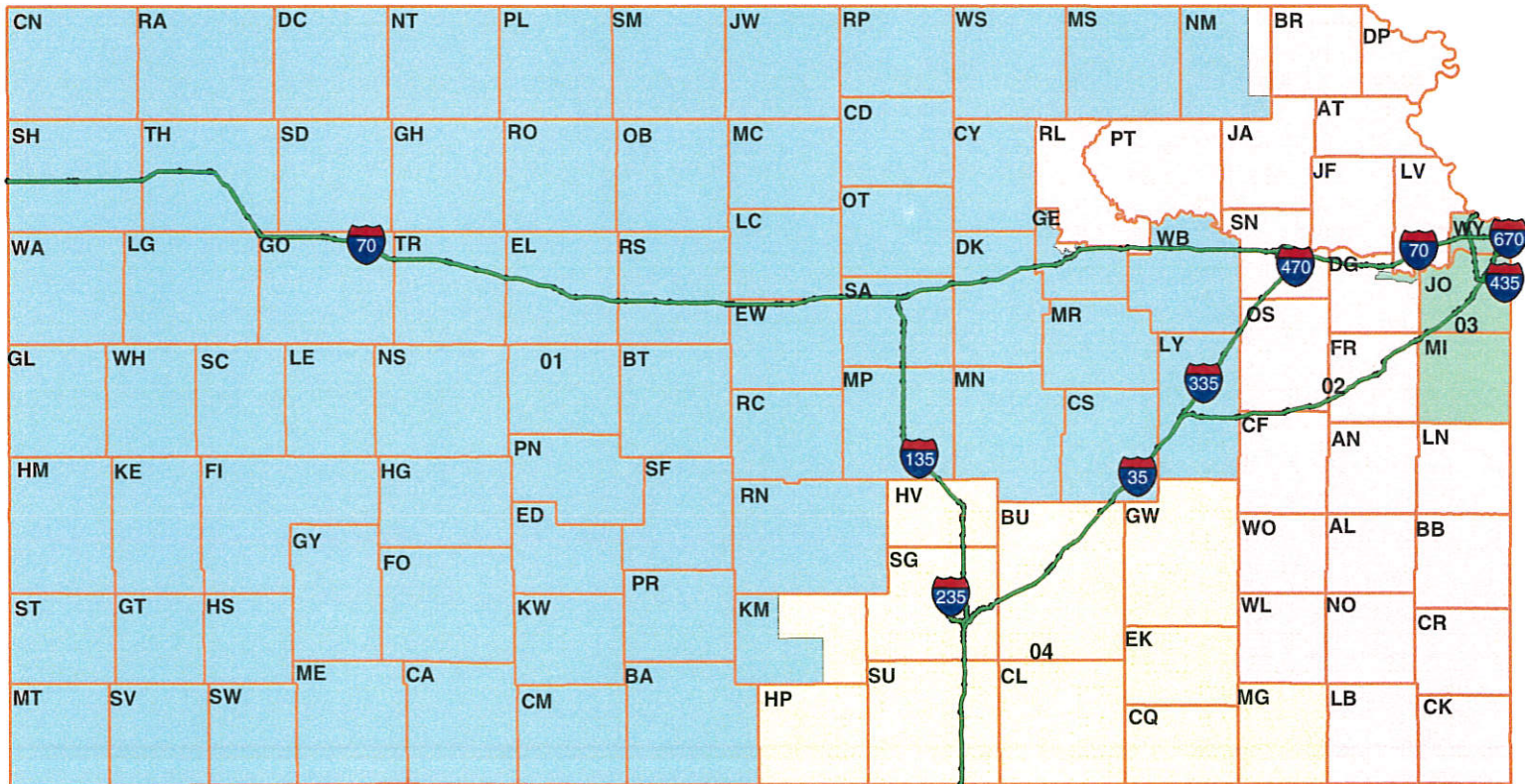
The proposed change contained in Caucus J Kingman would best serve the charge of the committee regarding the reapportionment criteria, and I would ask that you give favorable consideration to this proposal.

Again, I want to thank the committee for your consideration on behalf of all of the above mentioned entities.



Garry Boston

Caucus J--Kingman TR



District	Population	Deviation	% Deviation
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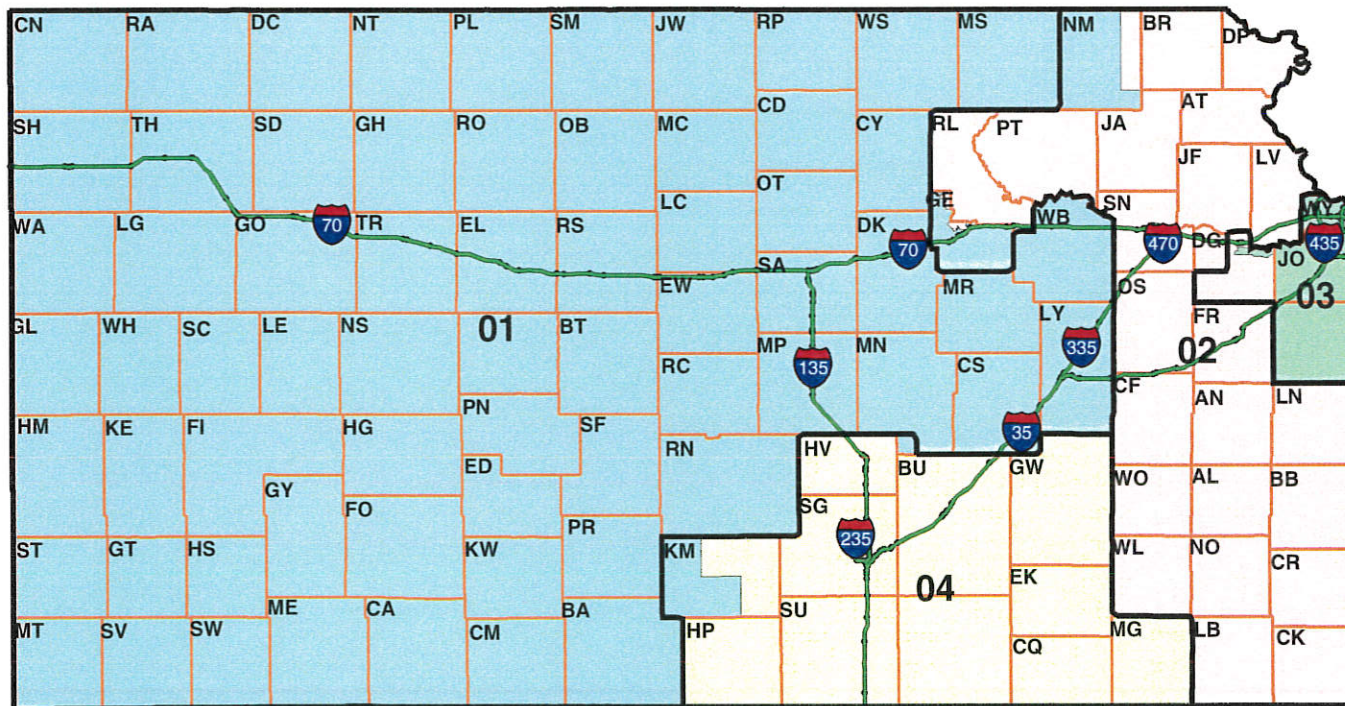
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- County (Tiger)
- Interstate Xsection
- Interstate Highway

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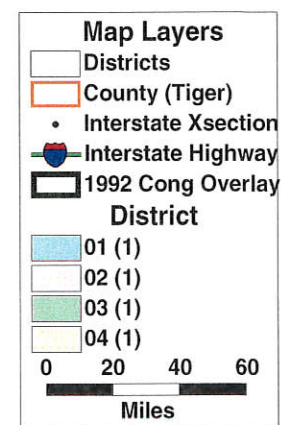
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Caucus J--Kingman TR



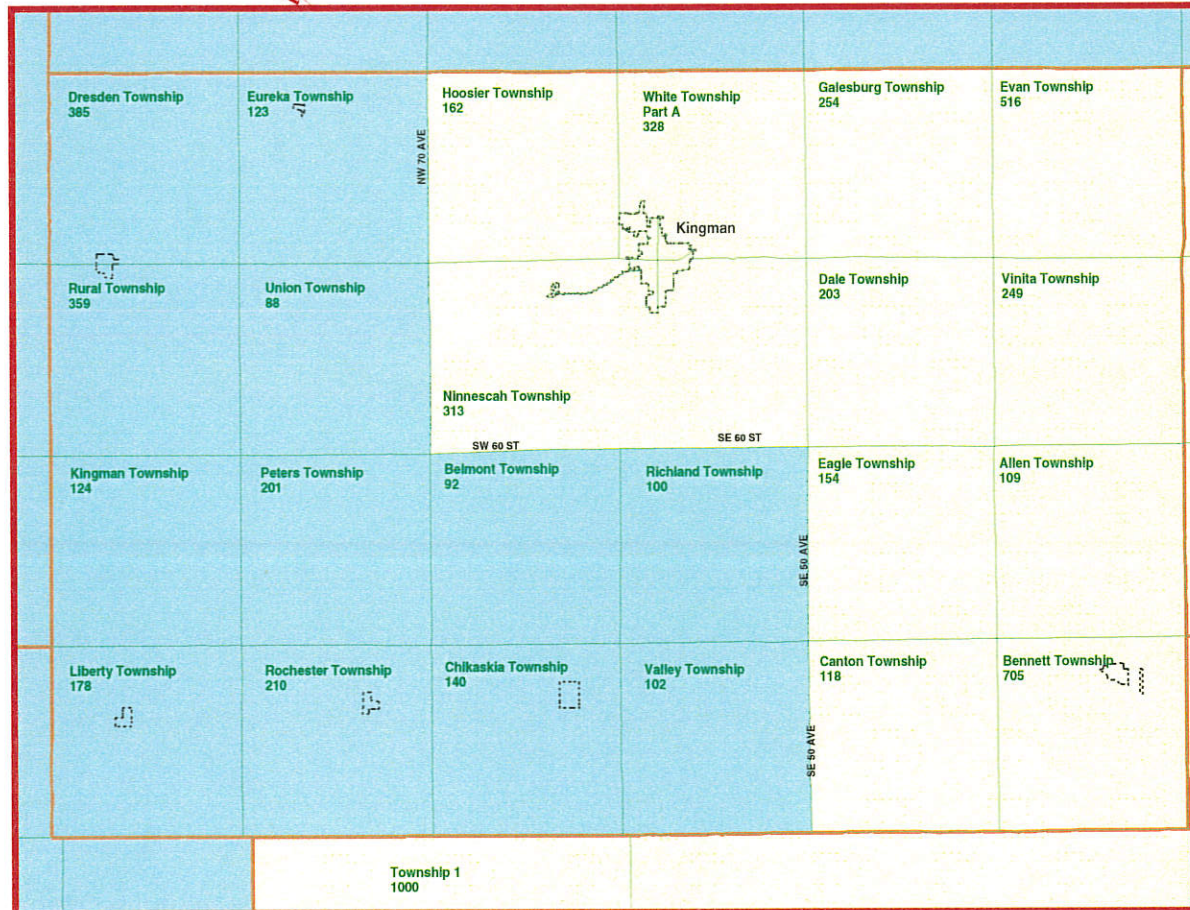
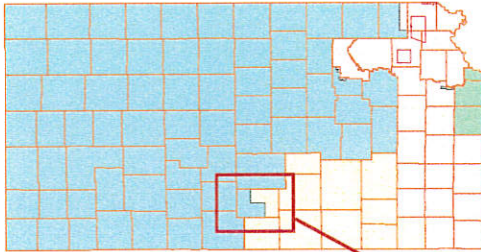
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Caucus J--Kingman detail of Kingman County



Map Layers

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- Districts:1
- Census Place
- County (Tiger)
- Voting District

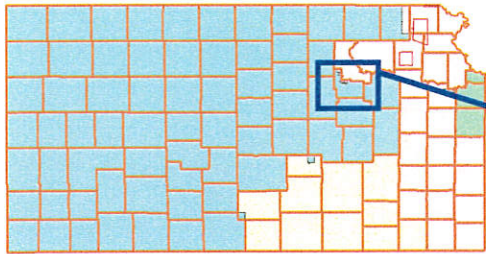
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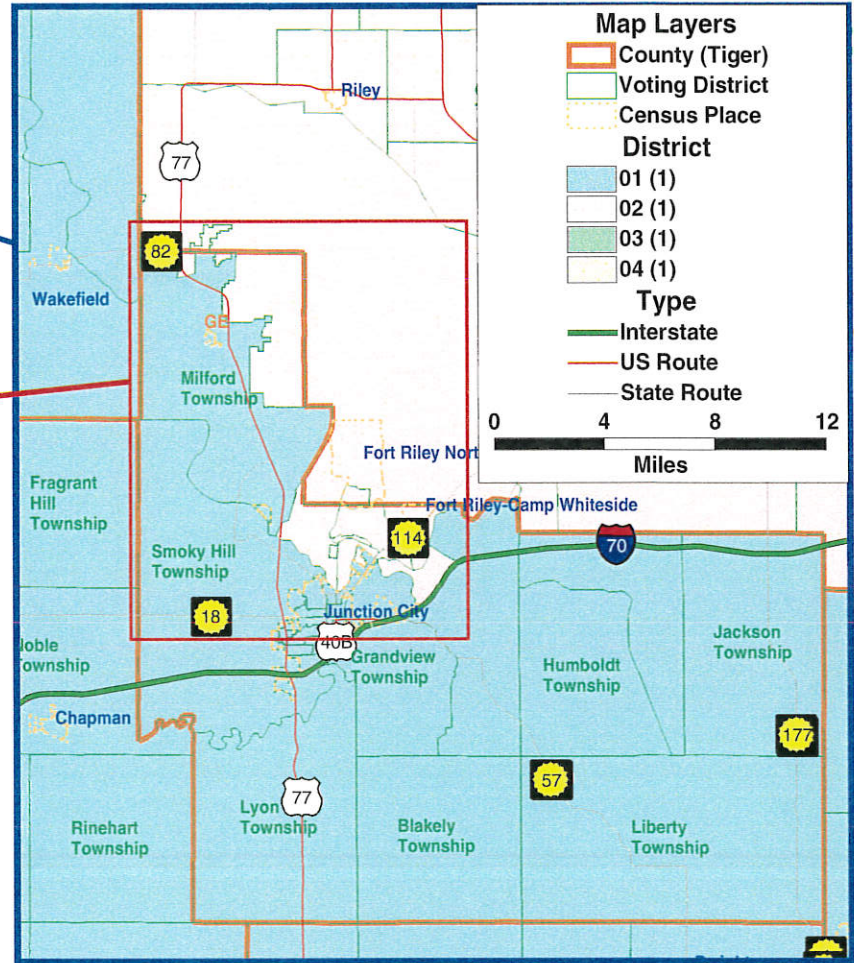
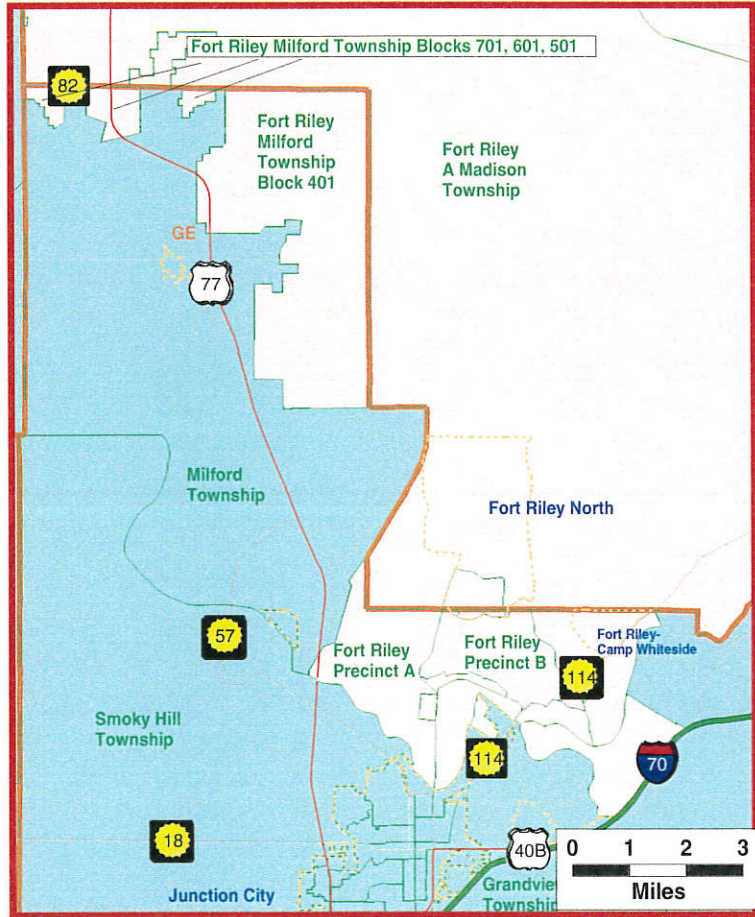
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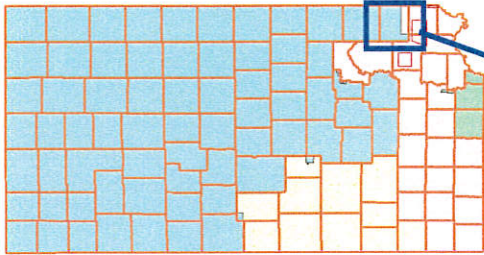
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**Caucus J--Kingman TR
detail of Geary County**



Plan: Caucus J--Kingman TR



**Caucus J--Kingman TR
detail of Nemaha County**

Map Layers

- County (Tiger)
- Voting District
- Census Place

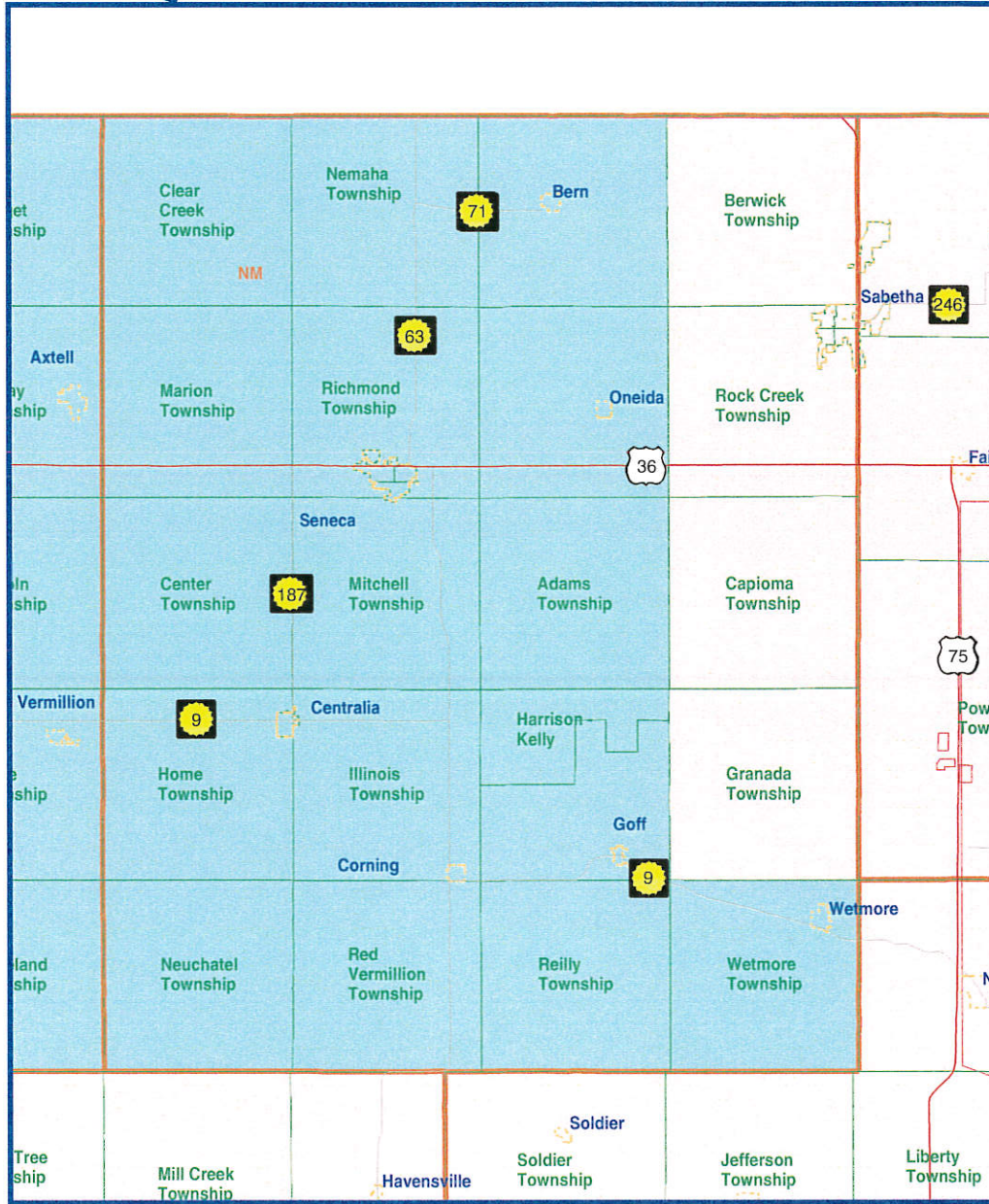
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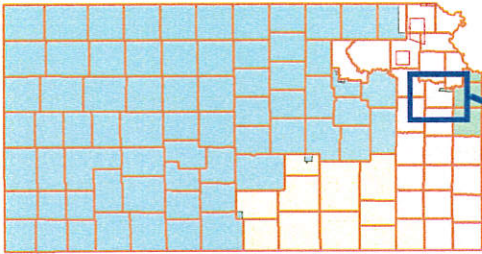
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Caucus J--Kingman TR
Douglas County (see next page for additional detail)

Map Layers

- County (Tiger)
- Voting District
- Census Place

District

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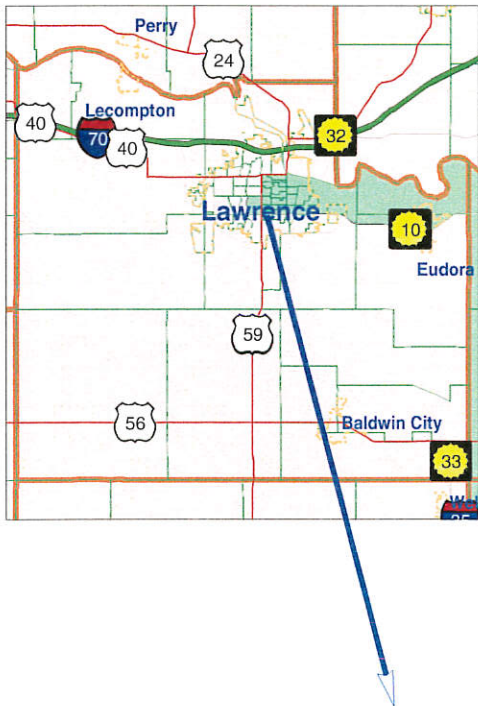
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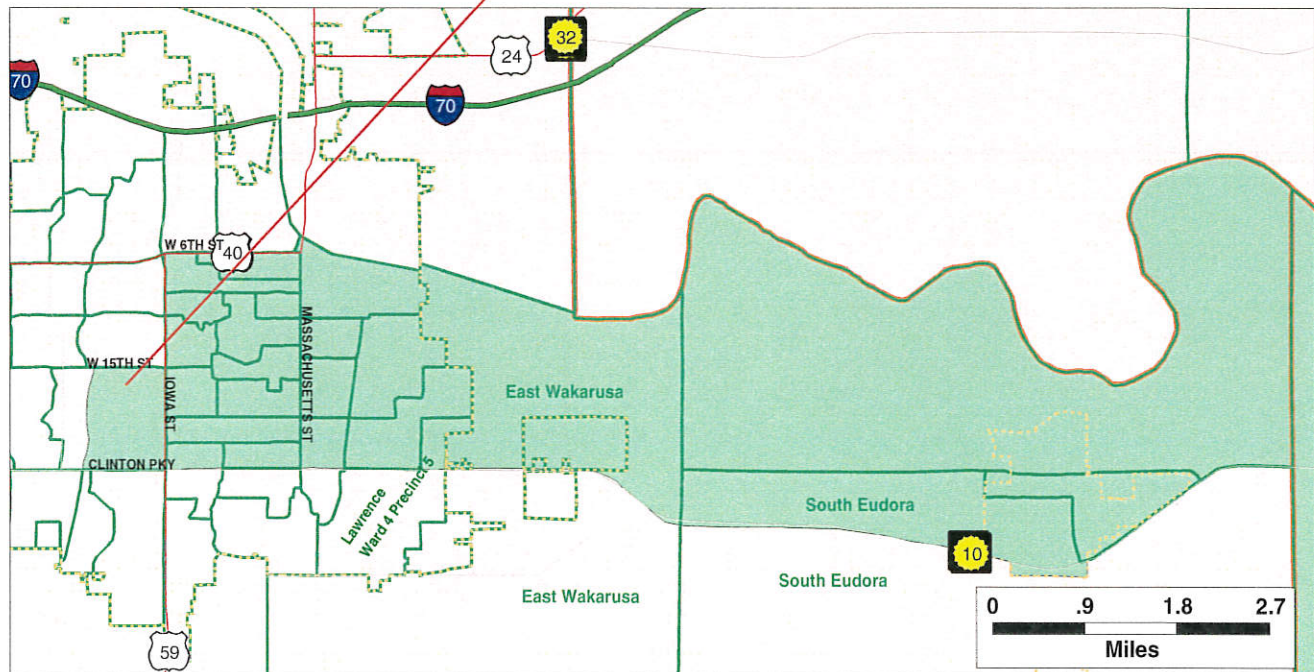
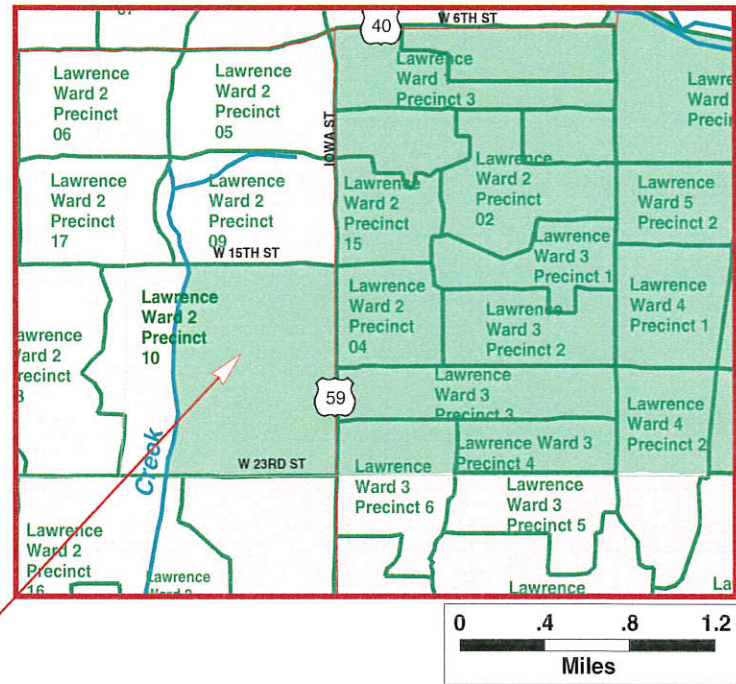
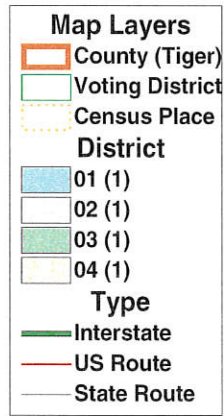


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**Caucus J--Kingman TR
detail of Douglas County:
City of Lawrence**



Plan: Caucus J--Kingman TR

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Plan: CaucusJ--KingmanTR
Plan Type: Congressional
Administrator: M Galligan
User: KLRD

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Ideal District Population: 672,105

Summary Statistics

Population Range: 672,038 to 672,157

Ratio Range: 1.00

Absolute Range: -67 to 52

Absolute Overall Range: 119.00

Relative Range: -0.01% to 0.01%

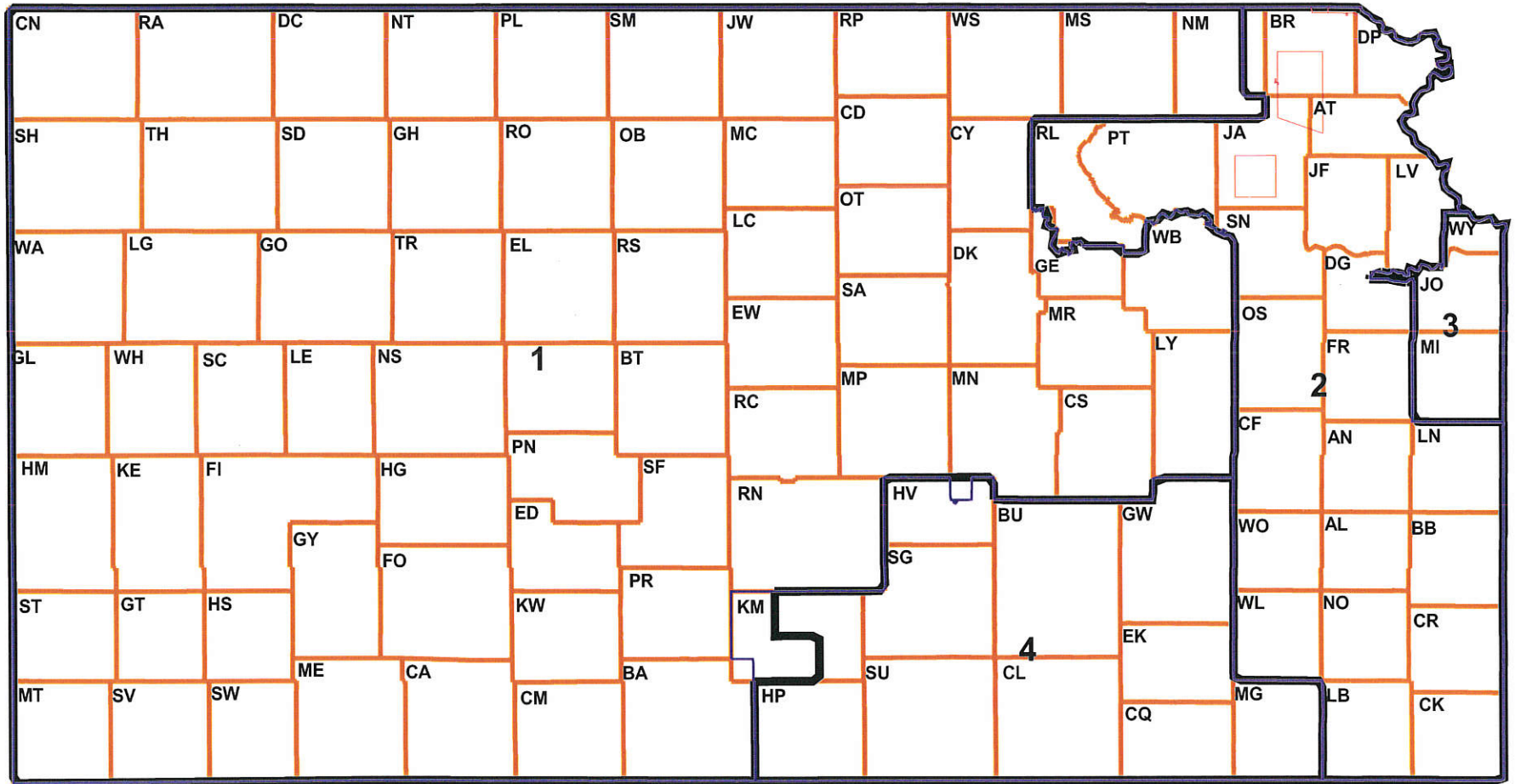
Relative Overall Range: 0.02%

Absolute Mean Deviation: 33.00

Relative Mean Deviation: 0.00%

Standard Deviation: 49.29

Comparison of Caucus J--Kingman and Caucus J



Map Layers

- County
- Districts
- Indian Reservation
- Dist Caucus J

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Summary of Plan Characteristics

Plan Name	Population and Geography Basis	Deviation	Minority Population *	Preservation of district core	Split units	Contiguity and Compactness **
m2_Caucus J (R Caucus)	Plan based on counties, VTDs, and Census blocks.	132 people or 0.02%	Highest Black population:8.7% to 9.3% in the 3rd district Highest Hispanic population: 10.9% in the 1st district.	Largest shift is 9.2% of total population in the 2nd district.	5 counties are split, 1 of which, DG, is split in the current plan. 6 VTDs, all in DG Co., are split. 4 cities are split: 2 along co. bdys.; and 1 due to noncontiguous parts. Lawrence is split 49,949 in the 2nd dist., and 30,149 in the 3rd dist.	Plan is contiguous. Roeck measure: min. 0.35 -- max. 0.47
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* Note: Among the 1992 Congressional districts, the maximum Black population is 8.3% to 9.0% in the 3rd district. The Hispanic population (all races) is 11.1% in the 1st district.

**Note: The Roeck measure is an area-based measure that compares each district to a circle, which is considered to be the most compact shape possible.

For each district, the Roeck test computes the ratio of the area of the district to the area of the minimum enclosing circle for the district. The measure is always between 0 and 1, with 1 being the most compact. The Roeck test computes one number for each district and the minimum, maximum, mean, and standard deviation for the plan. The current plan (1992) minimum is 0.36 and the maximum is 0.50.