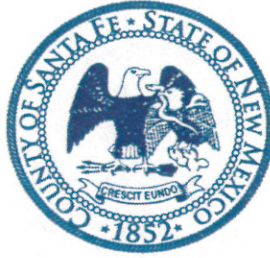


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MEMORANDUM

Date: September 27, 2011

To: Board of County Commissioners

From: Erle Wright, Data Integration Administrator, GIS Division *AEW*

Via: Jack Kolkmeier, Director, Growth Management Department *JK*

Subject: **First Public Hearing – Ordinance 2011- _____, Adopting the Santa Fe County 2011 Redistricting Plan**

Issue

In preparation for the selection and adoption of a final 2011 County Commission Redistricting Plan, the Santa Fe County Board of County Commissioners will conduct two (2) Public Hearings on the redistricting plan options prepared for the Board's consideration.

Background

The task of redistricting is performed every 10 years following the each decennial census. It is necessary to ensure that the populations of the commission districts in the county are nearly equal. Santa Fe County moved from a three (3) member to five (5) member County Commission under the authority of Santa Fe County Ordinance No. 1989-10. This 1989 Ordinance enumerated each of the five districts and listed the individual precincts that comprise each district. Ordinance 1992-7 reassigned precincts to each district based upon the 1990 Census. Ordinance 2001-13 reassigned precincts to each district based upon the 2000 Census. The attached Ordinance, 2011-____, will reassign precincts to each district based upon the 2010 Census and the redistricting plan that the Board selects following the appropriate Public Hearings.

Please note, in its current form, the attached Ordinance defines the Commission Districts by the listing of precincts that would result from the adoption of 2011 Redistricting Option A. This precinct listing is merely a 'placeholder' in the attached Ordinance and will be replaced by the precinct list that corresponds to the final redistricting plan selected by the Board.

In addition to the Ordinance, attached are a narrative option description document, a statistical summary table for these options, and maps of the five (5) redistricting plan options.

Action

Five (5) redistricting plan options are presented for the Board's review, consideration and discussion. Today the Board will conduct the first formal Public Hearing on these selected redistricting plan options. A second Public Hearing and final plan selection and subsequent adoption is scheduled for the October 11, 2011 Board meeting.

**THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
SANTA FE COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

ORDINANCE NO. 2011-_____

AN ORDINANCE

**ADOPTING THE SANTA FE COUNTY REDISTRICTING PLAN, AMENDING
ORDINANCE NO. 1989-10, AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 2001-13, TO
REASSIGN PRECINCTS ACCORDING TO THE FIVE COMMISSION DISTRICTS,
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE 2010 U.S. CENSUS AND ACCORDING TO
COUNTY REDISTRICTING**

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County Ordinance No. 1989-10 enumerates the five commission districts and sets forth those precincts which comprise those commission districts;

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County Ordinance No. 2001-13 amended Ordinance No. 1989-10 by reassigning precincts according to the five commission districts, in accordance with the 2000 U.S. Census; and

WHEREAS, the lines dividing and setting forth the five commission districts for the County of Santa Fe should be redrawn in accordance with the 2010 U.S. Census.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County that:

- A. This Ordinance repeals and replaces Ordinance No. 2001-13.
- B. Ordinance No. 1989-10, Section 2 is hereby deleted, and the following is inserted in its place to implement the 2011 redistricting plan approved by the Board of County Commissioners:

**SECTION 2
COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICTS**

Section 2.1 NUMBERS: As of the first day of January, 1991, the County shall be divided by precinct into five compact, contiguous, and substantially equally populated county commission districts as follows:

Section 2.2 DISTRICT 1: County Commission district ONE shall be comprised of the following precincts: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 30, 36, 40, 58, 59, 60, 61, 79, 83, 87.

Section 2.3 DISTRICT 2: County Commission district TWO shall be comprised of the following precincts: 11, 20, 21, 24, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34, 43, 66, 67, 80, 82.

Section 2.4 DISTRICT 3: County Commission district THREE shall be comprised of the following precincts: 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 62, 64, 72, 73, 84, 85, 86.

Section 2.5 DISTRICT 4: County Commission district FOUR shall be comprised of the following precincts: 13, 29, 35, 37, 41, 42, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 57, 68, 76, 77, 81.

Section 2.6 DISTRICT 5: County Commission district FIVE shall be comprised of the following precincts: 14, 38, 39, 49, 56, 63, 65, 69, 70, 71, 74, 75, 78, 88.

- C. This Ordinance shall become effective thirty days after it is duly recorded by the Santa Fe County Clerk.

PASSED AND ENACTED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2011.


**THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF SANTA FE COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

By _____
Virginia Vigil, Chair

ATTEST:

Valerie Espinoza, Santa Fe County Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Stephen C. Ross, Santa Fe County Attorney

Introduction

The release of the 2010 Decennial Census data by the US Census Bureau for the State of New Mexico and Santa Fe County revealed that Santa Fe County’s five (5) County Commissioner Districts must be adjusted in order to balance population as equally as possible among each of the five districts. Santa Fe County, with a total 2010 base population of 144,170 persons, ideally should have five (5) County Commissioner Districts composed of 28,834 persons per District (144,170/5). In the context of state and local districting, the Federal Courts have generally viewed population deviations of five percent or less between districts as substantially satisfying the equalized population requirement of “one person, one vote”. Applied to Santa Fe County, this five percent allowable deviation translates to an allowance of +/- 1,442 people (5% of 28,834) per district. In other words, each proposed realigned Commissioner District should contain no more than 30,276 persons and no less than 27,392 persons (28,834 +/- 1,442).

An analysis of the current County Commissioner Districts with the 2010 Census population figures shows that Districts 1, 2 and 4 are under the ideal population of 28,834 persons, while Districts 3 and 5 are over this ideal population.

<i>Commissioner District</i>	<i>2010 Population per District</i>	<i>Deviation (max +/- 5%)</i>	
1	26,023	-2,811	-9.75%
2	28,164	-670	-2.32%
3	32,842	4,008	13.90%
4	26,045	-2,789	-9.67%
5	31,096	2,262	7.84%

Any redistricting scenarios/plans developed for consideration should adhere to the following basic principles of districting:

- Equal Population
- Avoid Dilution of Minority Voting Strength
- Compactness
- Contiguity
- Maintenance of Communities of Interest

The Santa Fe County Board of County Commissioners in reviewing this analysis and guided by these basic principles requested that several variations of redistricting plans be prepared. A narrative description of each of redistricting plans currently being considered by the Board is provided on the following pages. These current redistricting options are A, B1, C2, C3 and C4.

Description & Summary of Santa Fe County Redistricting Options

Option A

Redistricting Option A is a 'least change' option. This option attempts to balance the population between the five Districts by making the least changes possible to each District.

District 1 picks up one precinct (pct. 83) from District 2.

Additions:

Precinct 83 (Monte Sereno/Tano Road/La Tierra/Las Dos areas) from District 2

East: St. Francis/US 84/285

North: Tesuque Pueblo

West: Camino la Tierra/Fin del Sendero/Lluvia de Oro/Paseo de Aguila/Alamo Creek/Paseo de la Tierra/Calle Adelina

South: NM 599

Deletions:

None

District 2 picks up one precinct (pct. 67) from District 3 and loses three precincts, one to District 1 (pct. 83) and two to District 4 (pcts. 44 & 45).

Additions:

Precinct 67 (Las Acequias area) from District 3

East: Lopez Lane

North: Agua Fria Street

West: Jemez Road

South: Airport Road

Deletions:

Precinct 83 (Monte Sereno/Tano Road/La Tierra/Las Dos areas) to District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 44 & 45 (South Capitol area) to District 4

East: Old Pecos Trail

North: Buena Vista Street/Don Gaspar/West Santa Fe Avenue/Paseo de Peralta

West & South: South Guadalupe/Cerrillos Road/Early Street/Calle Grillo/Adela/Don Cubero/Lomita/Coronado/Don Gaspar/East Lupita.

District 3 loses one precinct (pct. 67) to District 2.

Additions:

None

Deletions:

Precinct 67 (Las Acequias area) to District 2
(described above in District 2)

District 4 picks up three precincts, two from District 2 (pcts. 44 & 45) and one from District 5 (pct. 29).

Additions:

Precincts 44 & 45 (South Capitol area) from District 2
(described above in District 2)

Precinct 29 (Villa Caballero/Las Estancias area) from District 5

East: St. Francis Drive

North: Rodeo Road

West: Camino Carlos Rey

South: I-25

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Deletions:

None

District 5 loses one precinct (pct. 29) to District 4.

Additions:

None

Deletions:

Precinct 29 (Villa Caballero/Las Estancias area) to District 4

(described above in District 4)

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Option B1

Redistricting Option B1 is a variant of a redistricting scenario that attempted to equalize, or at least normalize, the urban (incorporated) vs. rural (unincorporated) populations while still preserving the 'core constituencies' of each District.

District 1 picks up five precincts west of St. Francis (pcts. 20, 21, 24, 25 & 33) from District 2, and loses three precincts (pcts. 9, 30 & 36) to District 4.

Additions:

Precincts 20, 21, 24, 25 & 33 (Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Barrío la Cañada/Alto Park/Hickox Street areas) from District 2

East: St. Francis

North: NM 599

West: Buckman Road/Paseo de Vistas/Rincon de Torreon/north bank of the Santa Fe River/Alejandro Street/Agua Fria Street/Baca Street

South: Cerrillos Road

Deletions:

Precincts 9, 30 & 36 (Aspen Basin/Hyde Park Estates/Cerro Gordo/Gonzales Road/East Palace Avenue/Capitol areas) to District 4

East: San Miguel County

North & West: NM 475 - Hyde Park Road/Artist Road

West: Otero Street/Paseo de Peralta/Washington/Water Street/West Alameda/South Guadalupe

South: Paseo de Peralta/West Santa Fe Avenue/Don Gaspar/Buena Vista Street/Arroyo Tenorio/Garcia Street/East Alameda/Santa Fe River

District 2 picks up two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) from District 3, and loses eight precincts; five to District 1 (pcts. 20, 21, 24, 25 & 33) and three to District 4 (pcts. 43, 44 & 45).

Additions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) from District 3

East: Lopez Lane

Northwest: Agua Fria Street

South: Airport Road

Deletions:

Precincts 20, 21, 24, 25 & 33 (Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Barrío la Cañada/Hickox Street areas) to District 1

(described above in District 1)

Precincts 43, 44 & 45 (South Capitol/West Cordova Road areas) to District 4

East: Old Pecos Trail

North: Buena Vista Street/Don Gaspar/West Santa Fe Avenue/Paseo de Peralta

West: South Guadalupe/Cerrillos Road

South: Alta Vista/Galisteo/East Cordova/Don Gaspar/East Lupita

District 3 picks up one precinct (pct. 75) from District 5 and loses two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) to District 2.

Additions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) from District 5

East: Cerrillos Road

North: Airport Road

West: Paseo del Sol

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South: Ocate Road

Deletions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) to District 2
(described above in District 2)

District 4 picks up seven precincts, three from District 1 (pcts. 9, 30 & 36), three from District 2 (pcts. 43, 44 & 45) and one from District 5 (pct. 63); and loses three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) to District 5.

Additions:

Precincts 9, 30 & 36 (Aspen Basin/Hyde Park Estates/Cerro Gordo/Gonzales Road/East Palace Avenue/Capitol areas) from District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 43, 44 & 45 (South Capitol/West Cordova Road areas) from District 2
(described above in District 2)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) from District 5

Southeast: BNSF Railroad

North: I-25

West: US 285

Deletions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) to District 5

East: Yucca/Siringo Road/Llano Street/St. Michaels Drive

North: Cerrillos Road

West: Camino Carlos Rey

South: Rodeo Road

District 5 picks up three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) from District 4 and loses two precincts, one to District 3 (pct. 75) and one to District 4 (pct. 63).

Additions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) from District 4
(described above in District 4)

Deletions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) to District 3
(described above in District 3)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) to District 4
(described above in District 4)

Note: The guiding underlying approach for the “B” options – *to equalize the urban (incorporated) vs. rural (unincorporated) populations between Districts* – proved to be problematic. In order to achieve this goal, major changes to the existing Districts would have been needed. This is largely due to District 1 having as its ‘core’ a majority unincorporated population (Pojoaque & Santa Cruz valleys) and District 4 having a minority unincorporated population with nowhere to expand into unincorporated areas without severely altering its neighboring Districts.

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Option C2

Redistricting Option C2 is a variant of a redistricting scenario that strives to use predominately major roads & visible features (e.g., rivers, railroads) as district boundaries.

District 1 picks up four precincts west of St. Francis (pcts. 20, 21, 25 & 83) from District 2, and loses two precincts (pcts. 9 & 36) to District 4.

Additions:

Precincts 20, 21, 25 & 83 (Monte Sereno/Tano Road/La Tierra/Las Dos/Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Alto Park areas) from District 2

East: St. Francis/US 84/285

North: Tesuque Pueblo

West: Calle Adelina/Paseo de la Tierra/Alamo Creek/Paseo de Aguila/Lluvia de Oro/Fin del Sendero/Camino la Tierra/Buckman Road/Paseo de Vistas/Rincon de Torreon/north bank of the Santa Fe River/Camino Alire

South: Agua Fria Street

Deletions:

Precinct 9 (Aspen Basin/Hyde Park Estates/Cerro Gordo/Valle Lejano areas) to District 4

East: San Miguel County

North & West: NM 475 - Hyde Park Road/Gonzales Road

South: East Alameda/Santa Fe River

Precinct 36 (Capitol area) to District 4

East: Old Santa Fe Trail/Arroyo Tenorio/Garcia Street/Canyon Road/Paseo de Peralta

North: East Alameda/West Alameda

West: South Guadalupe

South: Paseo de Peralta/West Santa Fe Avenue/Don Gaspar/Buena Vista Street

District 2 picks up two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) from District 3, and loses seven precincts; four to District 1 (pcts. 20, 21, 25 & 83) and three to District 4 (pcts. 43, 44 & 45).

Additions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) from District 3

East: Lopez Lane

Northwest: Agua Fria Street

South: Airport Road

Deletions:

Precincts 20, 21, 25 & 83 (Monte Sereno/Tano Road/La Tierra/Las Dos/Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Alto Park areas) to District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 43, 44 & 45 (South Capitol/West Cordova Road areas) to District 4

East: Old Pecos Trail

North: Buena Vista Street/Don Gaspar/West Santa Fe Avenue/Paseo de Peralta

West: South Guadalupe/Cerrillos Road

South: Alta Vista/Galisteo/East Cordova/Don Gaspar/East Lupita

District 3 picks up one precinct (pct. 75) from District 5 and loses two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) to District 2.

Additions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) from District 5

East: Cerrillos Road

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North: Airport Road
West: Paseo del Sol
South: Ocate Road

Deletions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) to District 2
(described above in District 2)

District 4 picks up six precincts, two from District 1 (pcts. 9 & 36), three from District 2 (pcts. 43, 44 & 45) and one from District 5 (pct. 63); and loses three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) to District 5.

Additions:

Precincts 9 & 36 (Aspen Basin/Hyde Park Estates/Cerro Gordo/Valle Lejano/Capitol areas) from District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 43, 44 & 45 (South Capitol/West Cordova Road areas) from District 2
(described above in District 2)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) from District 5
Southeast: BNSF Railroad
North: I-25
West: US 285

Deletions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) to District 5
East: Yucca/Siringo Road/Llano Street/St. Michaels Drive
North: Cerrillos Road
West: Camino Carlos Rey
South: Rodeo Road

District 5 picks up three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) from District 4 and loses two precincts, one to District 3 (pct. 75) and one to District 4 (pct. 63).

Additions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) from District 4
(described above in District 4)

Deletions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) to District 3
(described above in District 3)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) to District 4
(described above in District 4)

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Option C3

Redistricting Option C3 is a variant of a redistricting scenario that strives to use predominately major roads & visible features (e.g., rivers, railroads) as district boundaries.

District 1 picks up four precincts west of St. Francis (pcts. 20, 21, 25 & 83) from District 2, and loses two precincts (pcts. 27 & 36) to District 4.

Additions:

Precincts 20, 21, 25 & 83 (Monte Sereno/Tano Road/La Tierra/Las Dos/Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Alto Park areas) from District 2

East: St. Francis/US 84/285

North: Tesuque Pueblo

West: Calle Adelina/Paseo de la Tierra/Alamo Creek/Paseo de Aguila/Lluvia de Oro/Fin del Sendero/Camino la Tierra/Buckman Road/Paseo de Vistas/Rincon de Torreon/north bank of the Santa Fe River/Camino Alire

South: Agua Fria Street

Deletions:

Precinct 27 & 36 (Capitol/Westside Guadalupe areas) to District 4

East: Old Santa Fe Trail/Arroyo Tenorio/Garcia Street/Canyon Road/Paseo de Peralta

North: East Alameda/West Alameda

West: St. Francis Drive

South: Cerrillos Road/South Guadalupe/Paseo de Peralta/West Santa Fe Avenue/Don Gaspar/Buena Vista Street

District 2 picks up two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) from District 3, and loses seven precincts; four to District 1 (pcts. 20, 21, 25 & 83) and three to District 4 (pcts. 43, 44 & 45).

Additions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) from District 3

East: Lopez Lane

Northwest: Agua Fria Street

South: Airport Road

Deletions:

Precincts 20, 21, 25 & 83 (Monte Sereno/Tano Road/La Tierra/Las Dos/Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Alto Park areas) to District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 43, 44 & 45 (South Capitol/West Cordova Road areas) to District 4

East: Old Pecos Trail

North: Buena Vista Street/Don Gaspar/West Santa Fe Avenue/Paseo de Peralta

West: South Guadalupe/Cerrillos Road

South: Alta Vista/Galisteo/East Cordova/Don Gaspar/East Lupita

District 3 picks up one precinct (pct. 75) from District 5 and loses two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) to District 2.

Additions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) from District 5

East: Cerrillos Road

North: Airport Road

West: Paseo del Sol

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South: Ocate Road

Deletions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) to District 2
(described above in District 2)

District 4 picks up six precincts, two from District 1 (pcts. 27 & 36), three from District 2 (pcts. 43, 44 & 45) and one from District 5 (pct. 63); and loses three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) to District 5.

Additions:

Precincts 27 & 36 (Capitol/Westside Guadalupe areas) from District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 43, 44 & 45 (South Capitol/West Cordova Road areas) from District 2
(described above in District 2)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) from District 5

Southeast: BNSF Railroad

North: I-25

West: US 285

Deletions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) to District 5

East: Yucca/Siringo Road/Llano Street/St. Michaels Drive

North: Cerrillos Road

West: Camino Carlos Rey

South: Rodeo Road

District 5 picks up three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) from District 4 and loses two precincts, one to District 3 (pct. 75) and one to District 4 (pct. 63).

Additions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) from District 4
(described above in District 4)

Deletions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) to District 3
(described above in District 3)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) to District 4

(described above in District 4)

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Option C4

Redistricting Option C4 is a variant of a redistricting scenario that strives to use predominately major roads & visible features (e.g., rivers, railroads) as district boundaries. This particular variant, however, actually has one District (District 4) crossing Cerrillos Road just west of the St. Francis/Cerrillos intersection.

District 1 picks up three precincts west of St. Francis (pcts. 20, 21 & 25) from District 2, and loses one precinct (pct. 36) to District 4.

Additions:

Precincts 20, 21 & 25 (Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Alto Park areas) from District 2

East: St. Francis/US 84/285

North: NM 599

West: Buckman Road/Paseo de Vistas/Rincon de Torreon/north bank of the Santa Fe River/Camino Alire

South: Agua Fria Street

Deletions:

Precinct 36 (Capitol area) to District 4

East: Old Santa Fe Trail/Arroyo Tenorio/Garcia Street/Canyon Road/Paseo de Peralta

North: East Alameda/West Alameda

West: South Guadalupe

South: Paseo de Peralta/West Santa Fe Avenue/Don Gaspar/Buena Vista Street

District 2 picks up two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) from District 3, and loses seven precincts; three to District 1 (pcts. 20, 21 & 25) and four to District 4 (pcts. 33, 43, 44 & 45).

Additions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) from District 3

East: Lopez Lane

Northwest: Agua Fria Street

South: Airport Road

Deletions:

Precincts 20, 21 & 25 (Piñon Ridge/Casa Solana/Alto Park areas) to District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 33, 43, 44 & 45 (Hickox Street/School for the Deaf/West Cordova Road/South Capitol areas) to District 4

East: Old Pecos Trail

North: Buena Vista Street/Don Gaspar/West Santa Fe Avenue/Paseo de Peralta/South Guadalupe/Cerrillos Road/St. Francis/Agua Fria Street

West: Baca Street

South: Alta Vista/Galisteo/East Cordova/Don Gaspar/East Lupita

District 3 picks up one precinct (pct. 75) from District 5 and loses two precincts (pcts. 64 & 67) to District 2.

Additions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) from District 5

East: Cerrillos Road

North: Airport Road

West: Paseo del Sol

South: Ocate Road

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Deletions:

Precincts 64 & 67 (Las Acequias/Fairway Village/County Club Gardens MHP/Tierra Real areas) to District 2
(described above in District 2)

District 4 picks up six precincts, one from District 1 (pct. 36), four from District 2 (pcts. 33, 43, 44 & 45) and one from District 5 (pct. 63); and loses three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) to District 5.

Additions:

Precinct 36 (Capitol area) from District 1
(described above in District 1)

Precincts 33, 43, 44 & 45 (Hickox Street/School for the Deaf/West Cordova Road/South Capitol areas) from District 2
(described above in District 2)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) from District 5
Southeast: BNSF Railroad
North: I-25
West: US 285

Deletions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) to District 5
East: Yucca/Siringo Road/Llano Street/St. Michaels Drive
North: Cerrillos Road
West: Camino Carlos Rey
South: Rodeo Road

District 5 picks up three precincts (pcts. 35, 50 & 76) from District 4 and loses two precincts, one to District 3 (pct. 75) and one to District 4 (pct. 63).

Additions:

Precincts 35, 50 & 76 (College of Santa Fe/Los Cedros areas) from District 4
(described above in District 4)

Deletions:

Precinct 75 (Camino Entrada/Jaguar Drive area) to District 3
(described above in District 3)

Precinct 63 (Lamy/Spirit Wind Ranch/East 285 Corridor/Old Ranch/East Ranch/The Ridges/Los Vaqueros /West Cañoncito areas) to District 4
(described above in District 4)

Option Summaries

Option A – Summary & Observations

Total Deviation: 2,264 persons or 7.9%

Urban vs. Rural Range: 45.9% (D5) to 75.2% (D4) with D1 46.8%, D2 72.4%, D3 57.6%

Observations:

- Total deviation rather high but within +/- 5%; District 1 at -4.4%
- Widens Urban vs. Rural range – lowers lowest ratio & raises highest ratios
- Growth Accommodation:
 - District 1 – very poor; -4.4% under ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 2 – poor; 3.5% over ideal & likely to grow
 - District 3 – good; -3.5% under ideal & likely to grow
 - District 4 – OK; 1.6% over ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 5 – poor; 2.4 % over ideal & likely to grow

Option B1 – Summary & Observations

Total Deviation: 1,249 persons or 4.3%

Urban vs. Rural Range: 47.8% (D5) to 71.8% (D4) with D1 52.6%, D2 68.4%, D3 58.2%

Observations:

- Total deviation is relatively low; highest deviation is District 4 at +2.5% (+707)
- Urban-Rural – Districts 1 & 3 improve; Districts 2, 4 & 5 minimal change
- Growth Accommodation: option achieves projected growth accommodation as Districts 2, 3 & 5 (containing SDA1 areas) are under ideal population while Districts 1 & 4 are over ideal population & likely to be stable over next 10 years
 - District 1 – good; 1.8% over ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 2 – OK; -1.2% under ideal & likely to grow
 - District 3 – OK; -1.9% under ideal & likely to grow
 - District 4 – good; 2.5% over ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 5 – OK ; -1.2 % under ideal & likely to grow

Option C2 – Summary & Observations

Total Deviation: 1,335 persons or 4.6%

Urban vs. Rural Range: 47.8% (D5) to 72.0% (D2) with D1 50.5%, D3 58.2%, D4 70.6%

Observations:

- Total deviation is relatively low; highest deviation is District 1 at +2.8% (+793)
- Urban-Rural – Districts 1 & 3 improve; District 2 slight urban increase (2%), District 4 slight urban decrease (1.5%), District 5 minimal change
- Growth Accommodation: option achieves *limited* projected growth accommodation as Districts 3 & 5 (containing SDA1 areas) are under ideal population while District 1 is over ideal population & likely to be stable over next 10 years. Districts 2 & 4 have population deviations inverted, albeit slightly, from anticipated growth.
 - District 1 – good; 2.8% over ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 2 – fair; 1.9% over ideal & likely to grow
 - District 3 – OK; -1.9% under ideal & likely to grow
 - District 4 – fair; -1.6% under ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 5 – OK ; -1.2 % under ideal & likely to grow

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Option C3 – Summary & Observations

Total Deviation: 1,119 persons or 3.9%

Urban vs. Rural Range: 47.8% (D5) to 72.0% (D2) with D1 50.1%, D3 58.2%, D4 70.8%

Observations:

- Total deviation is lowest of all options; highest deviation is District 1 at +2.0% (+577)
- Urban-Rural – Districts 1 & 3 improve; District 2 slight urban increase (2%), District 4 slight urban decrease (1.3%), District 5 minimal change
- Growth Accommodation: option achieves *limited* projected growth accommodation as Districts 3 & 5 (containing SDA1 areas) are under ideal population while District 1 is over ideal population & likely to be stable over next 10 years. Districts 2 & 4 have population deviations inverted, albeit slightly, from anticipated growth.
 - District 1 – OK; 2.0% over ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 2 – fair; 1.9% over ideal & likely to grow
 - District 3 – OK; -1.9% under ideal & likely to grow
 - District 4 – fair; -.9% under ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 5 – OK ; -1.2 % under ideal & likely to grow

Option C4 – Summary & Observations

Total Deviation: 1,354 persons or 4.7%

Urban vs. Rural Range: 47.8% (D5) to 70.6% (D4) with D1 52.6%, D2 69.6%, D3 58.2%

Observations:

- Total deviation is relatively low; highest deviation is District 2 at +2.8% (+812)
- Urban-Rural – Districts 1 & 3 improve; District 2 slight urban increase (1.6%), District 4 slight urban decrease (1.5%), District 5 minimal change
- Growth Accommodation: option achieves *limited* projected growth accommodation as Districts 3 & 5 (containing SDA1 areas) are under ideal population while District 1 is over ideal population & likely to be stable over next 10 years. Districts 2 & 4 have population deviations inverted, albeit slightly, from anticipated growth.
 - District 1 – OK; 1.8% over ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 2 – poor; 2.8% over ideal & likely to grow
 - District 3 – OK; -1.9% under ideal & likely to grow
 - District 4 – fair; -1.6% under ideal & likely to be stable population
 - District 5 – OK ; -1.2 % under ideal & likely to grow

Population Breakdown of Current Santa Fe County Commission Districts and Proposed Redistricting Options

CURRENT CONDITIONS

2010 Total County Population by Race		Non-Hispanic Origin					Estimated Urban Population
Total Population	Ideal Population per Commission District	Hispanic	White	Native American	Black	Asian & Other	2 or More Races
144,170	28,834	73,015	63,291	3,271	947	1,963	1,683
		50.6%	43.9%	2.3%	0.7%	1.4%	1.2%
		86,201					59.8%

2010 Totals for Existing Commission Districts

Comm. Dist.	Pct. Cnt.	Population per District	Deviation (max +/- 5%)	Non-Hispanic Origin					Estimated Urban Population	
				Hispanic	White	Native American	Black	Asian & Other	2 or More Races	
1	24	26,023	-2,811	14,089	9,654	1,635	118	279	248	12,120
2	16	28,164	-670	14,564	12,430	338	165	355	312	19,166
3	14	32,842	4,008	18,682	12,711	481	203	429	356	21,003
4	19	26,045	-2,789	10,486	14,230	320	185	445	379	18,776
5	15	31,096	2,262	15,194	14,266	517	276	455	388	15,136

Totals for Proposed Redistricting Options

Comm. Dist.	Pct. Cnt.	Population per District	Deviation (max +/- 5%)	Non-Hispanic Origin					Estimated Urban Population	
				Hispanic	White	Native American	Black	Asian & Other	2 or More Races	
Option A										
1	25	27,569	-1,265	14,303	10,910	1,658	120	302	276	12,893
2	14	29,833	999	18,025	10,626	366	188	322	306	21,608
3	13	27,952	-882	14,663	12,014	395	167	401	312	16,113
4	22	29,304	470	11,411	16,413	347	209	497	427	22,035
5	14	29,512	678	14,613	13,328	505	263	441	362	13,552
Option B1										
1	26	29,342	508	16,064	10,759	1,700	150	338	331	15,439
2	10	28,498	-336	18,829	8,674	350	154	263	228	19,500
3	13	28,292	-542	14,737	12,204	405	177	445	324	16,453
4	23	29,541	707	10,418	17,687	316	198	505	417	21,198
5	16	28,497	-337	12,967	13,967	500	288	412	383	13,611
Option C2										
1	26	29,627	793	15,253	11,839	1,696	146	358	335	14,951
2	11	29,385	551	19,852	8,499	362	163	264	245	21,160
3	13	28,292	-542	14,737	12,204	405	177	445	324	16,453
4	22	28,369	-465	10,206	16,782	308	193	484	396	20,026
5	16	28,497	-337	12,967	13,967	500	268	412	383	13,611
Option C3										
1	26	29,411	577	15,095	11,838	1,670	140	354	314	14,735
2	11	29,385	551	19,852	8,499	362	163	264	245	21,160
3	13	28,292	-542	14,737	12,204	405	177	445	324	16,453
4	22	28,585	-249	10,384	16,783	334	199	488	417	20,242
5	16	28,497	-337	12,967	13,967	500	268	412	383	13,611
Option C4										
1	26	29,348	514	15,424	11,419	1,681	152	354	318	15,445
2	11	29,646	812	19,432	9,180	359	158	273	244	20,648
3	13	28,292	-542	14,737	12,204	405	177	445	324	16,453
4	22	28,387	-447	10,455	16,521	326	192	479	414	20,044
5	16	28,497	-337	12,967	13,967	500	268	412	383	13,611

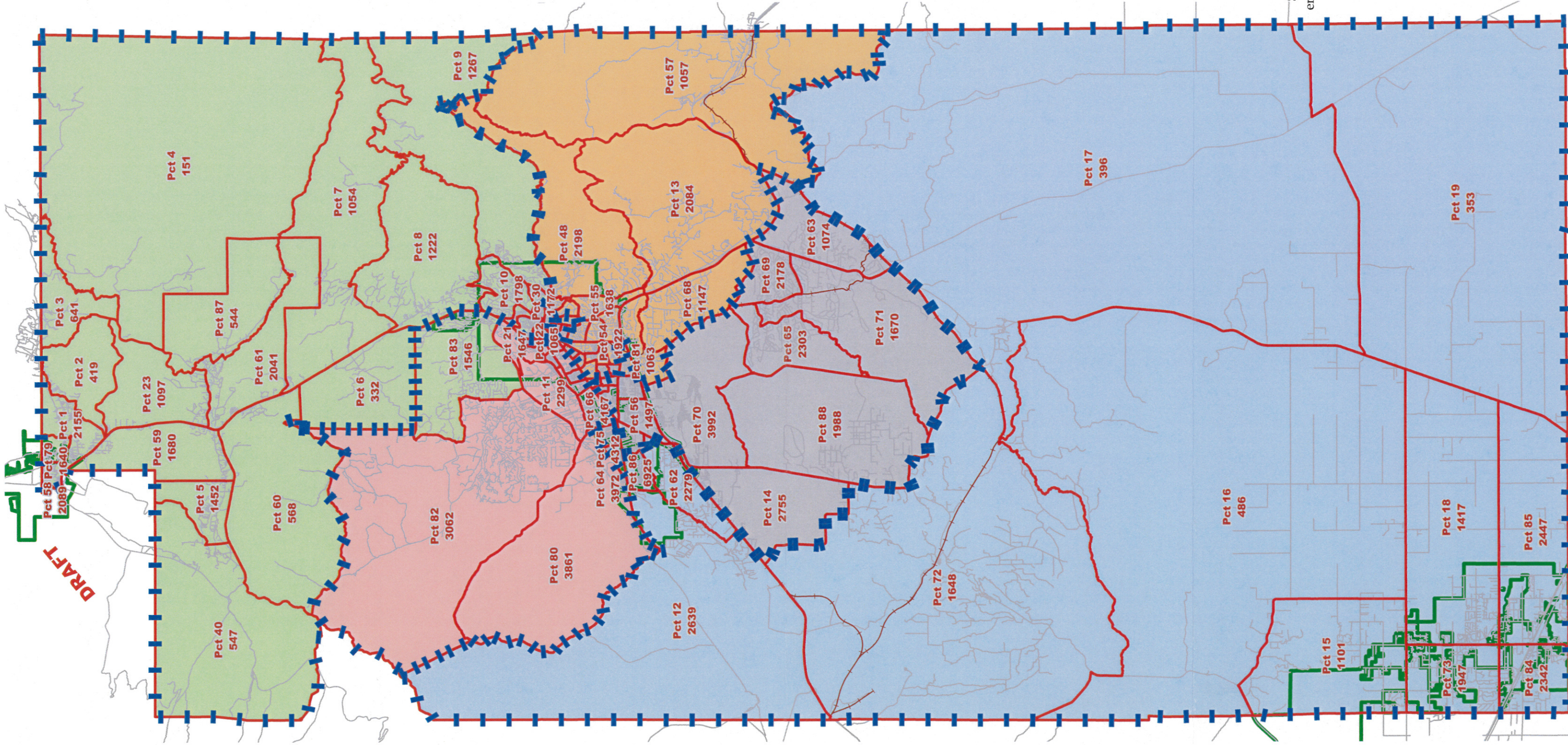
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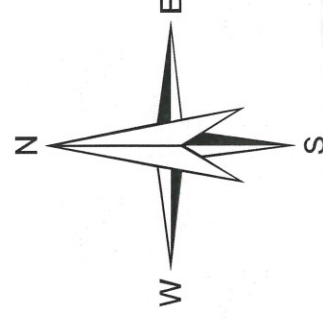
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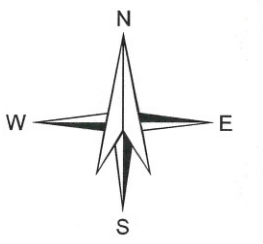
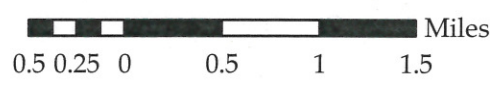
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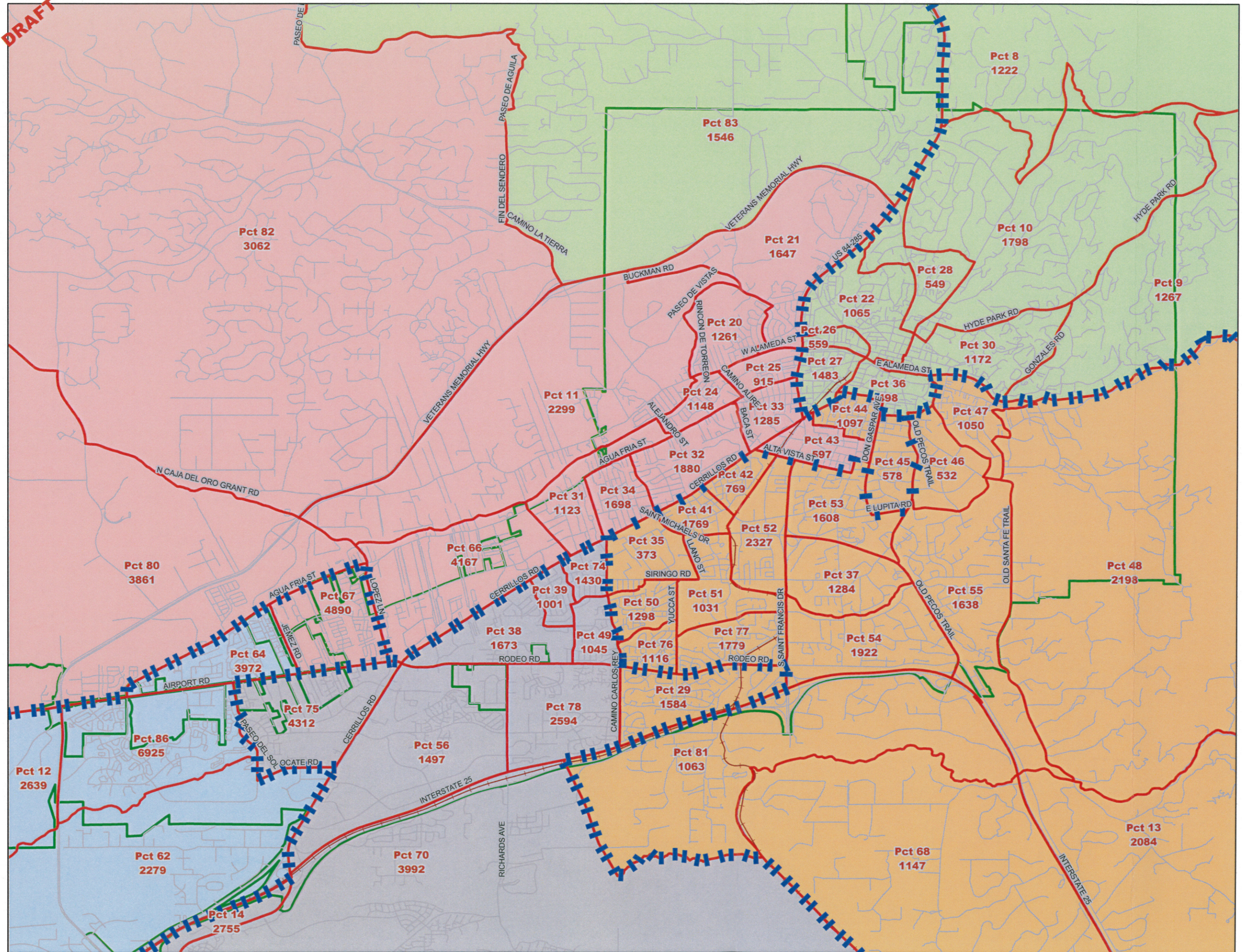


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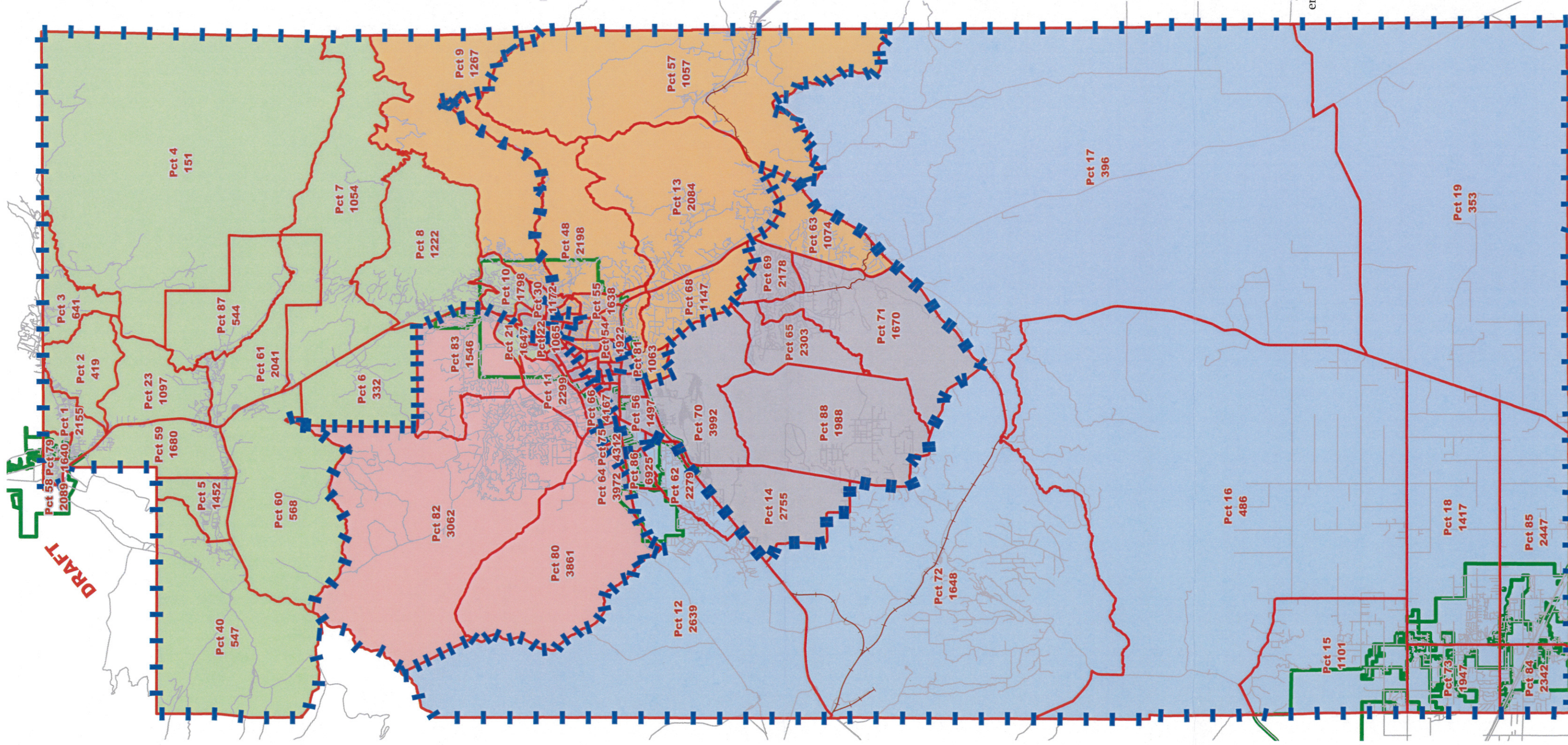
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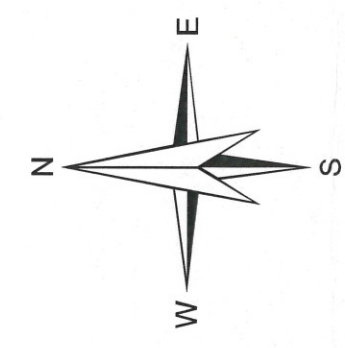
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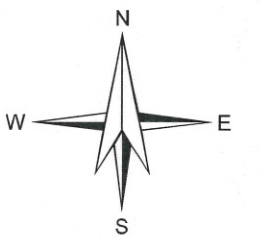
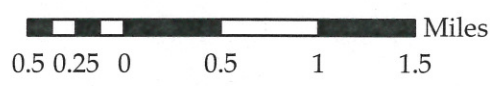
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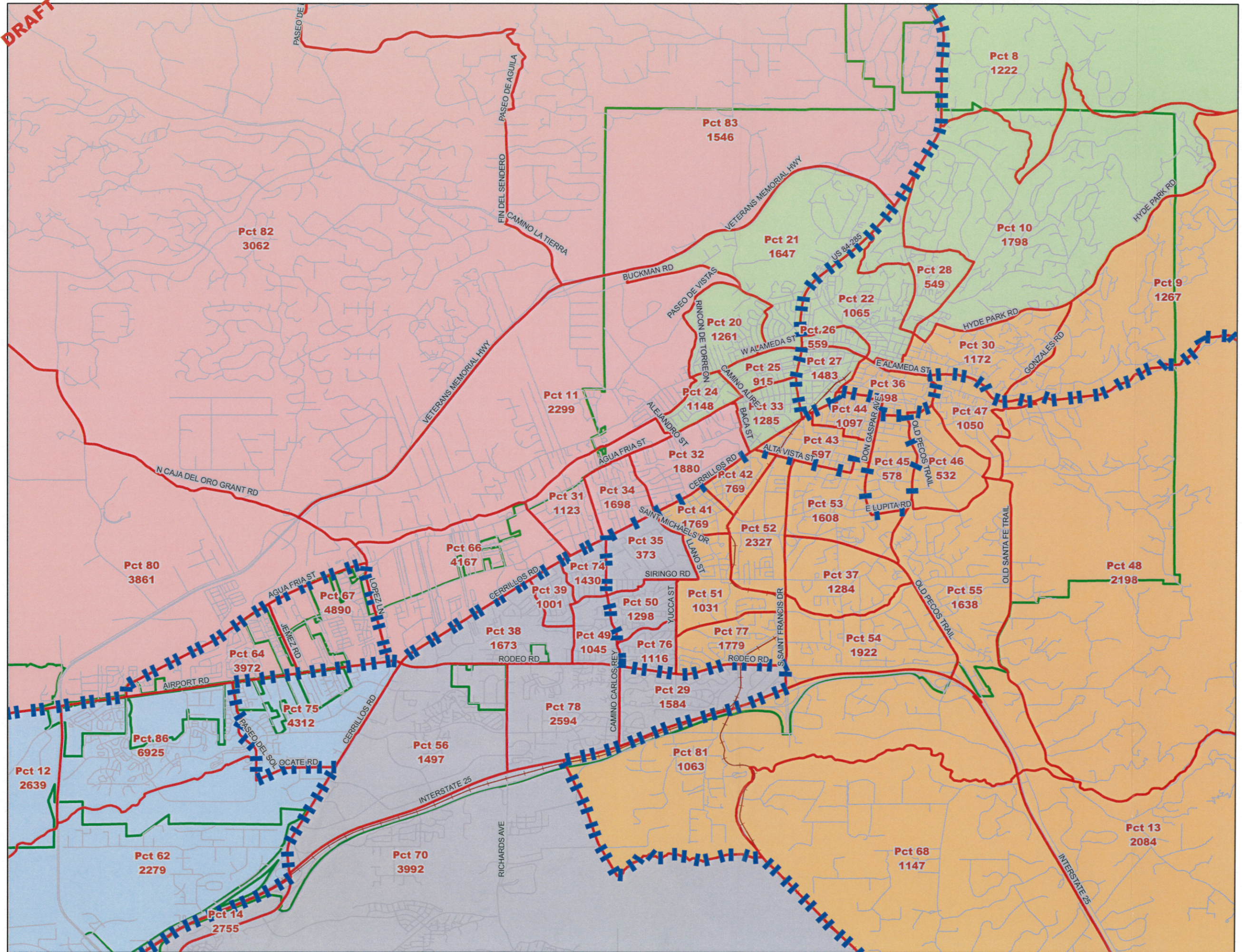


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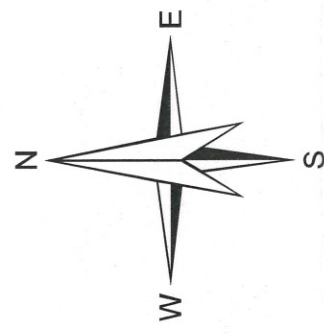
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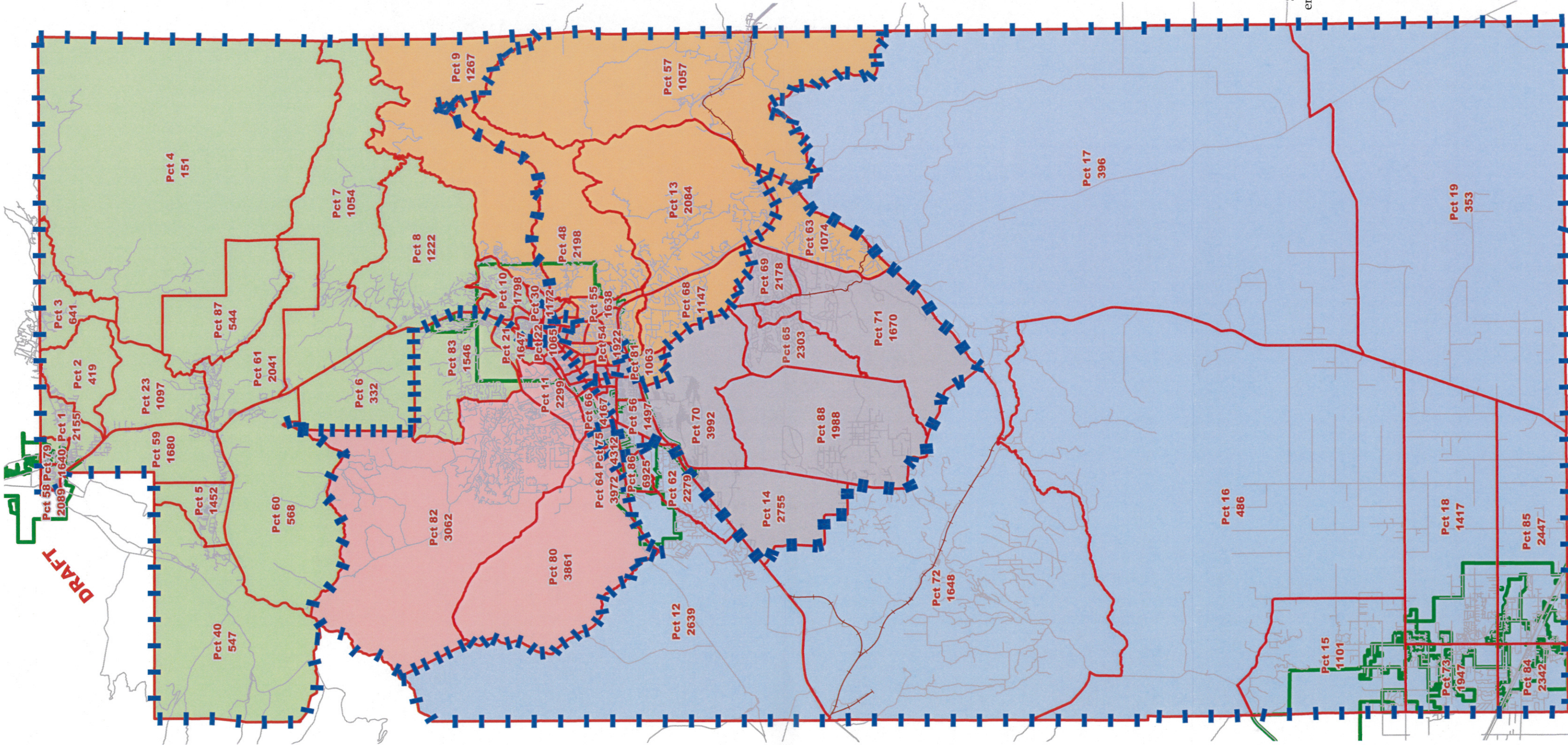


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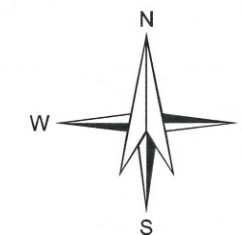
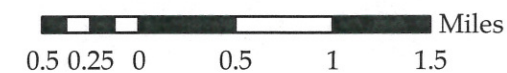
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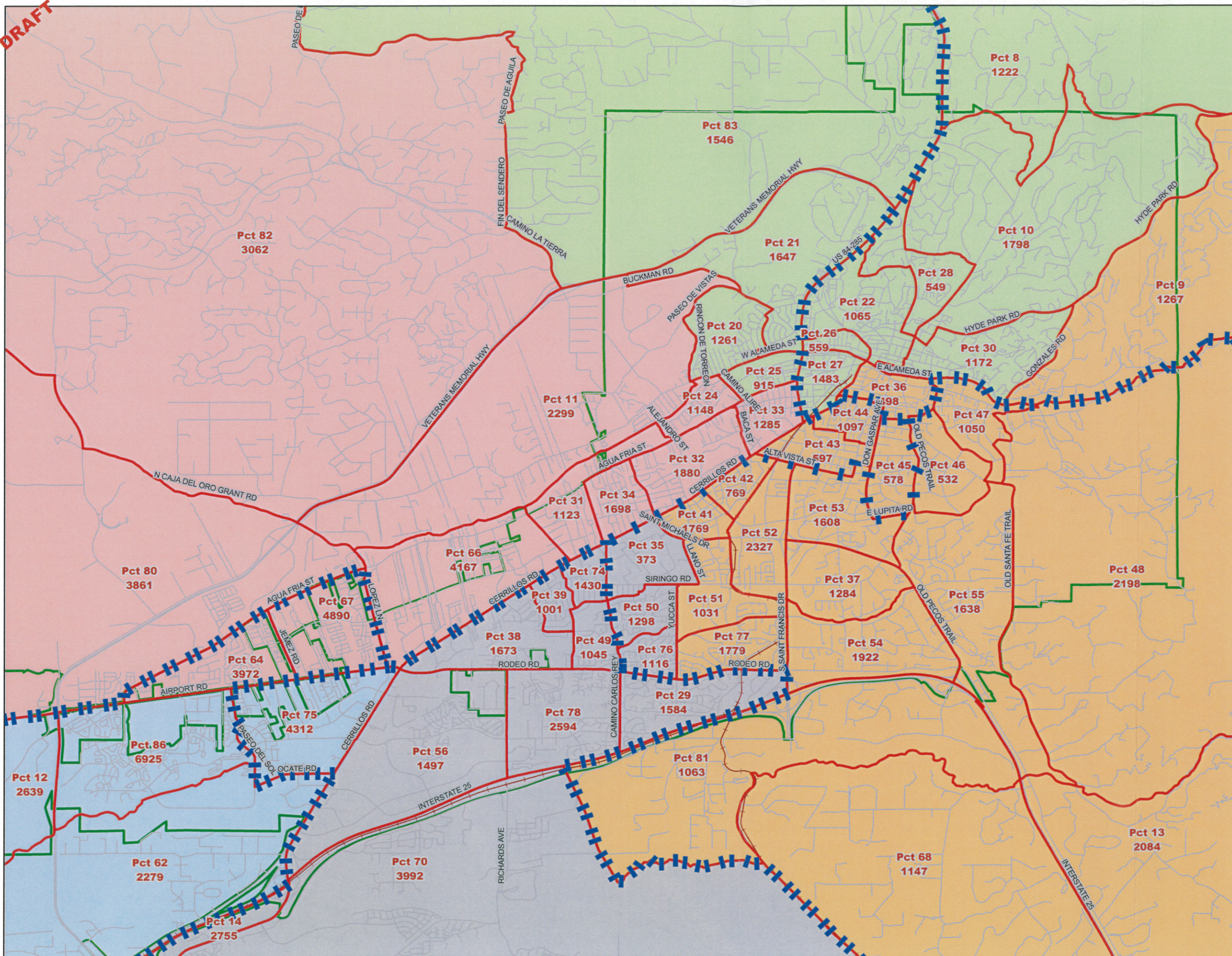


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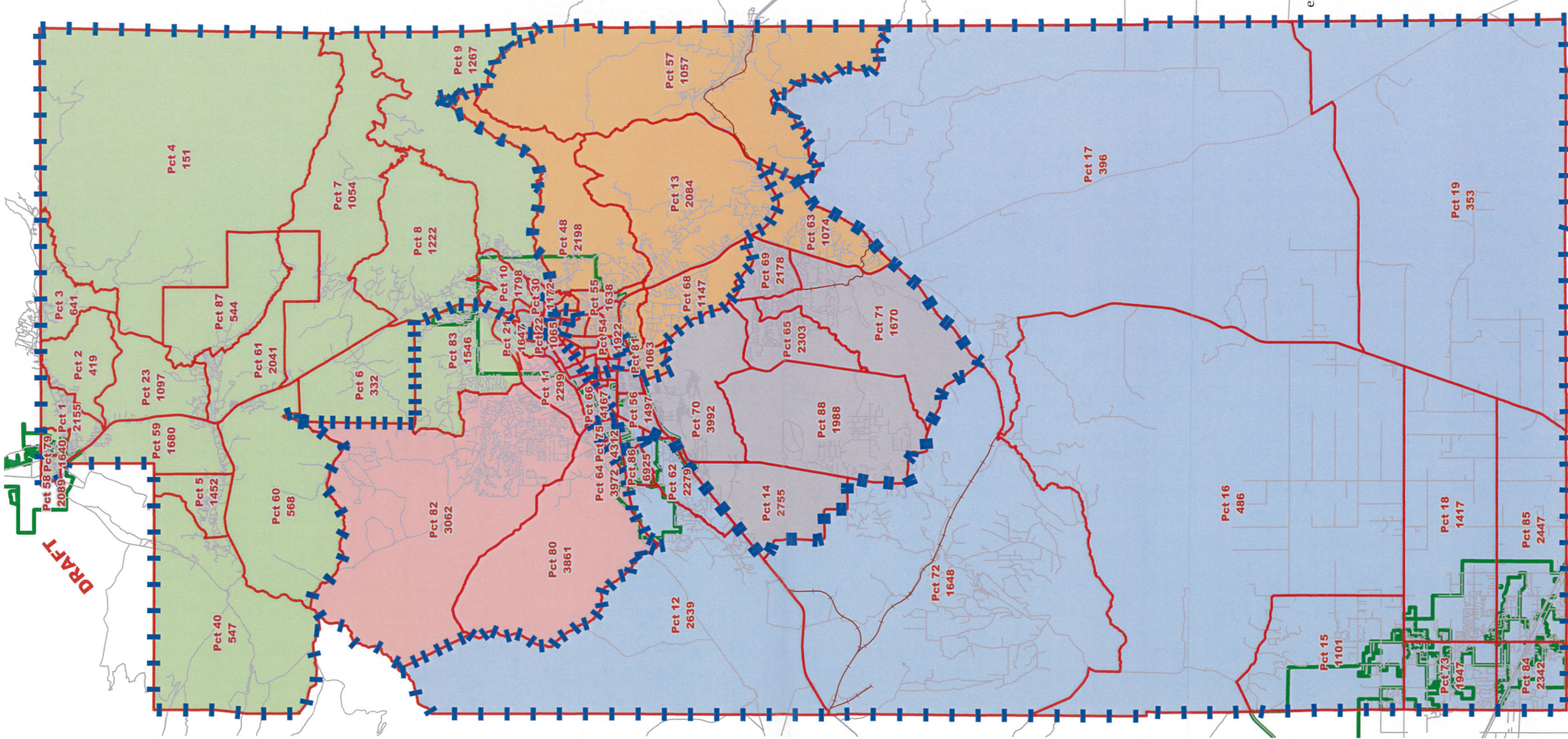


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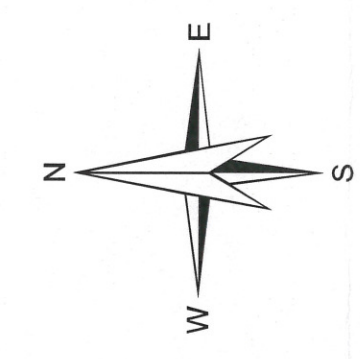
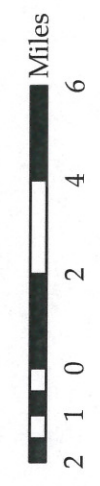
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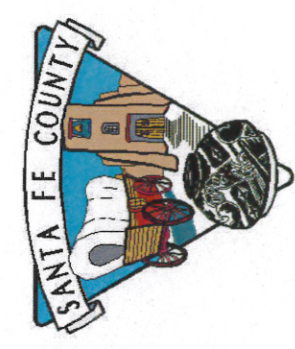
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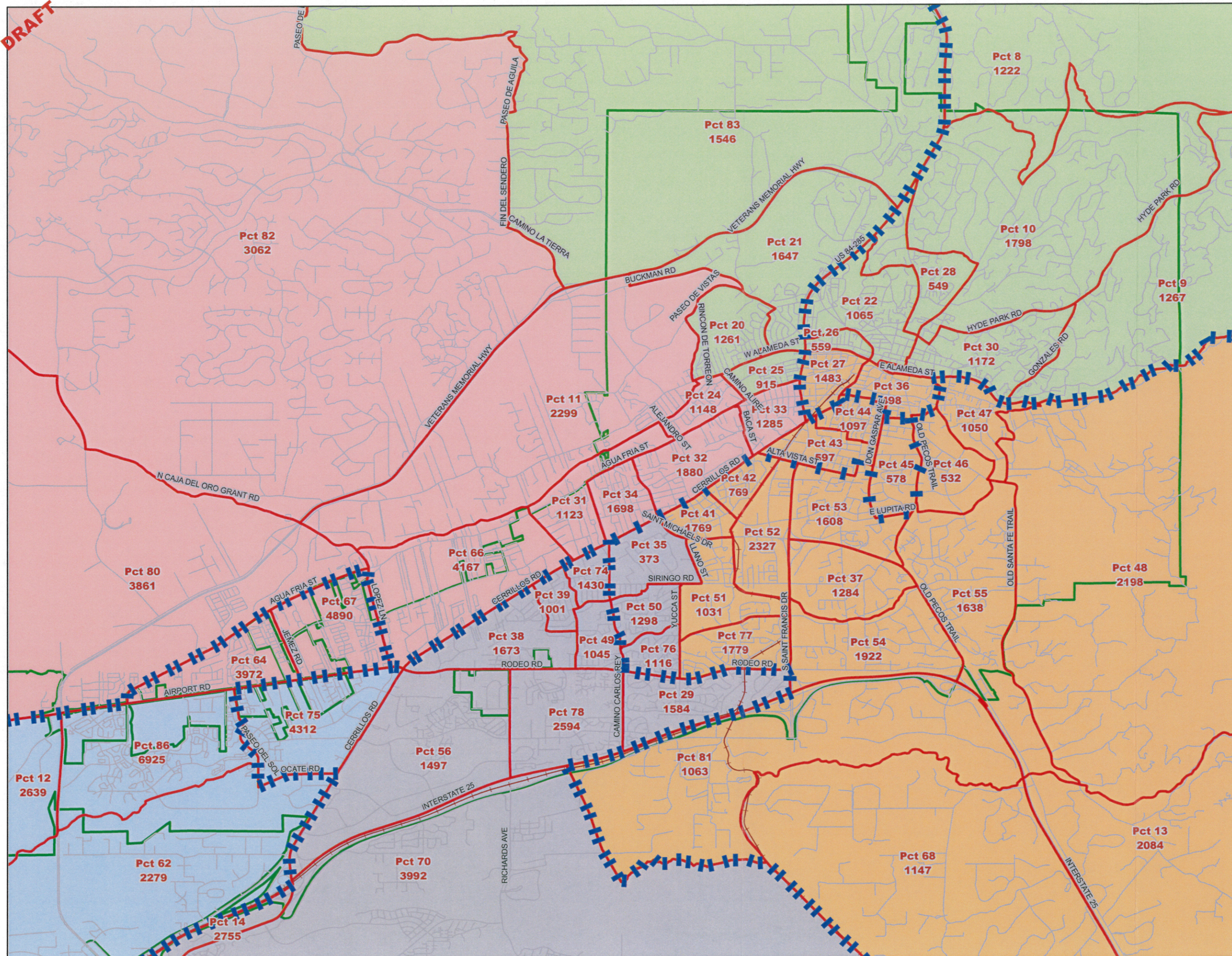
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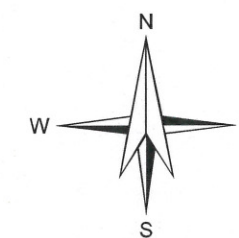
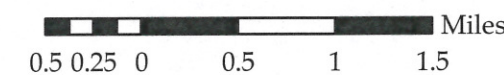
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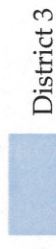
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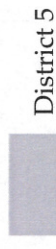
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District 5



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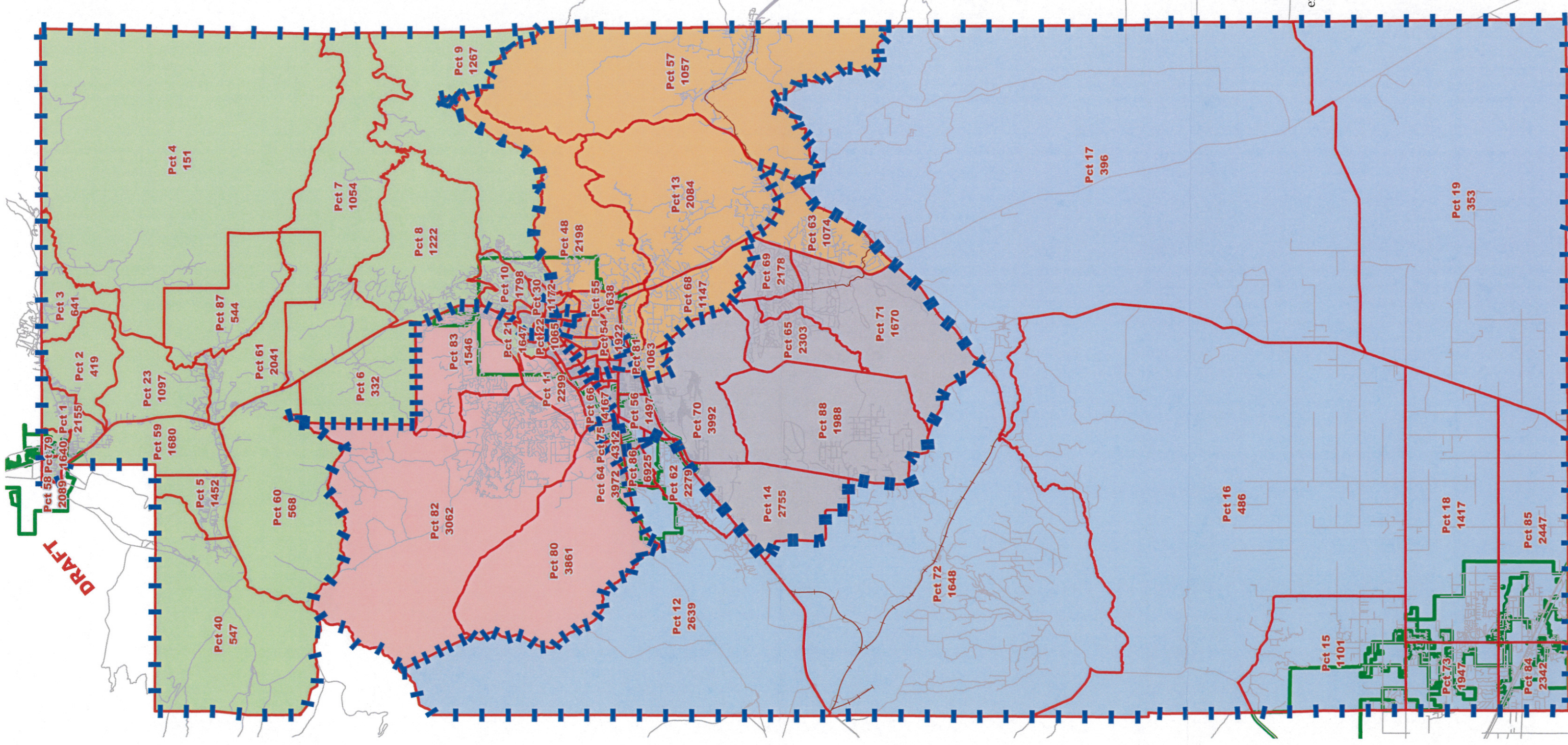
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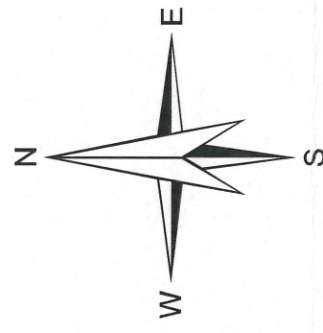


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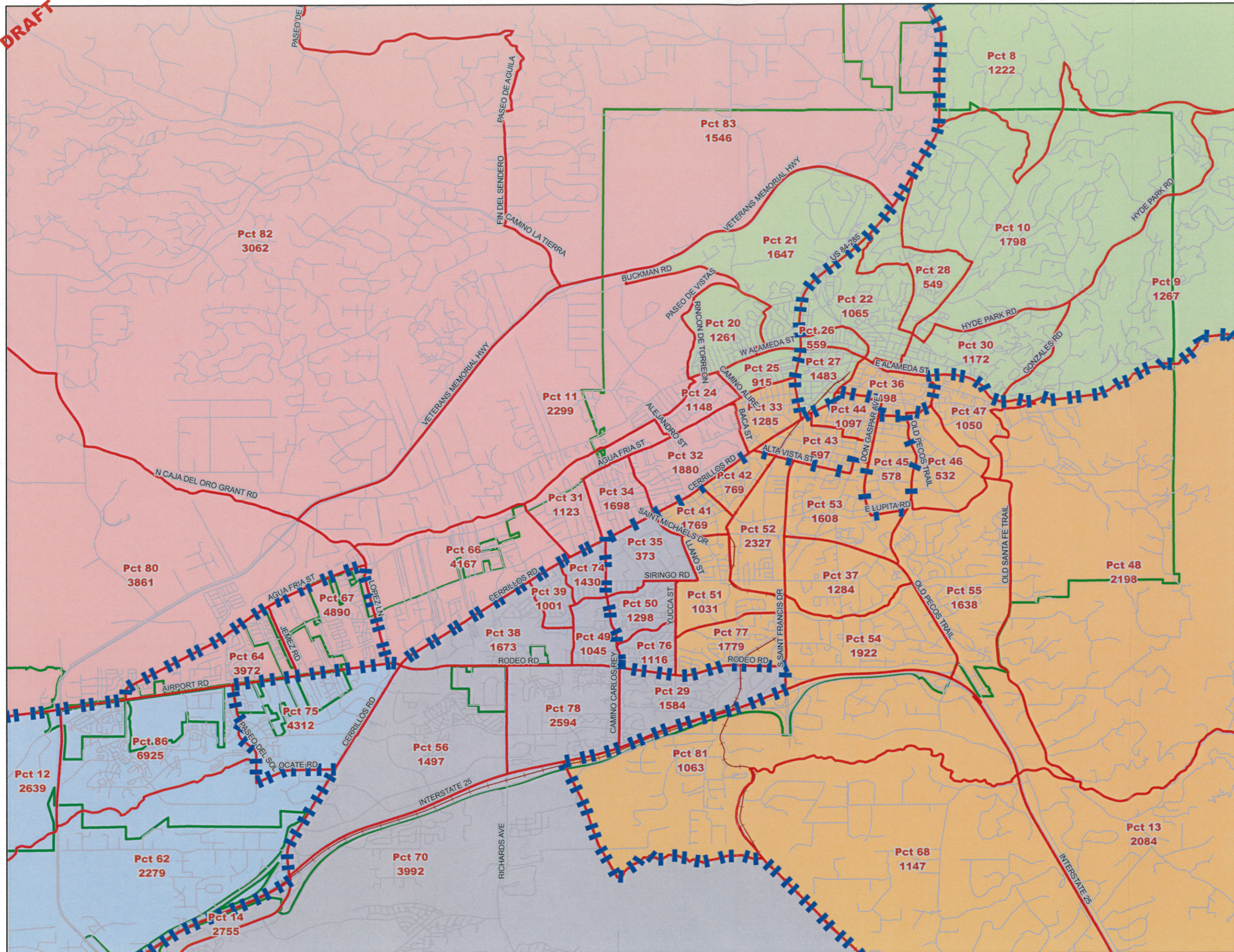
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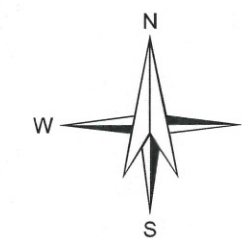
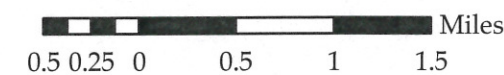
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