

COLLIER COUNTY REDISTRICTING

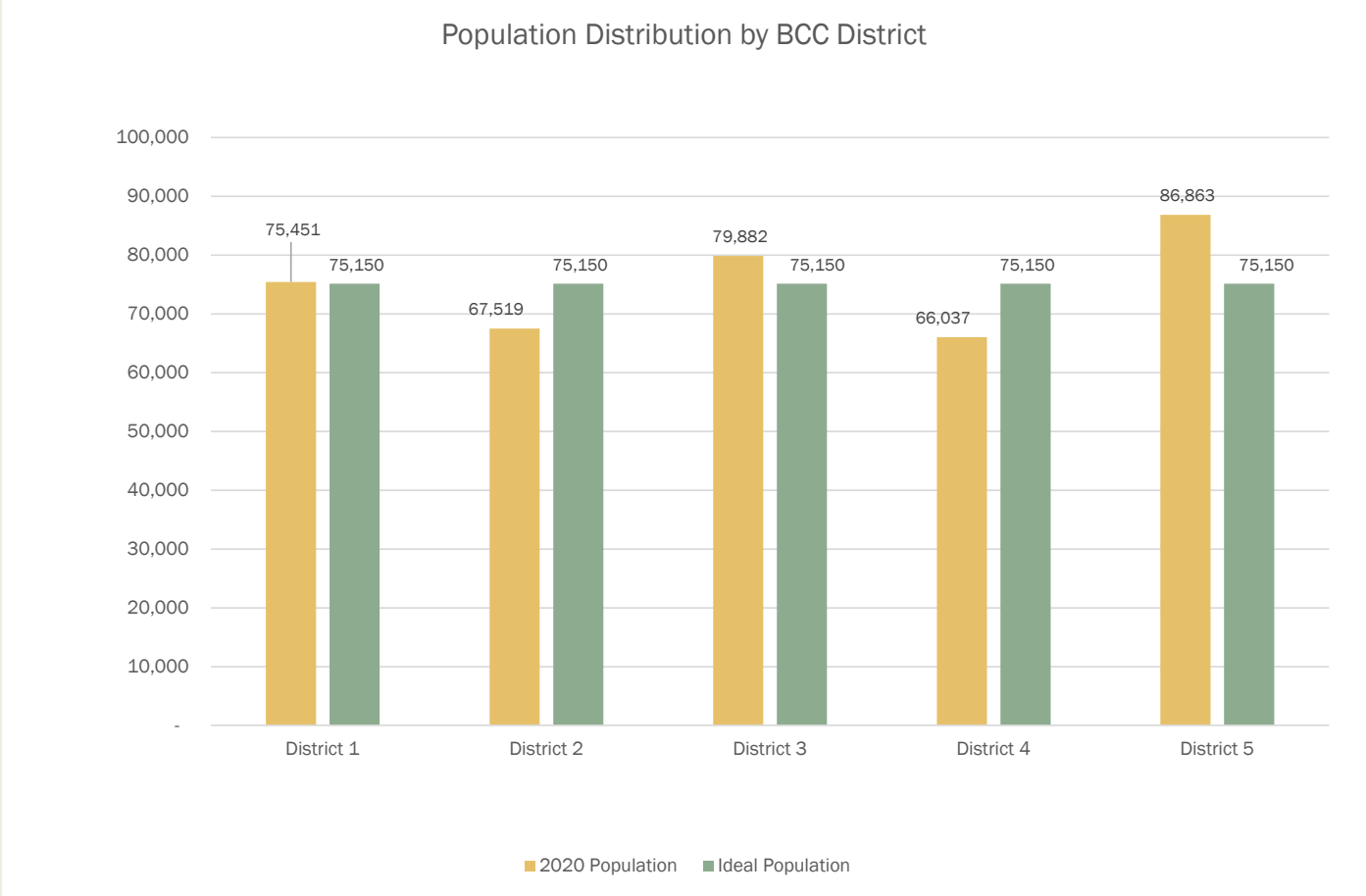
October 2021



What is Redistricting?

- **Redistricting** is the redrawing of congressional and state legislative districts to adjust for uneven growth rates in different parts of the state. Districts determine which voters participate in which elections.
- This term also applies to County Commission Districts and for the same reason - to address population inequity.

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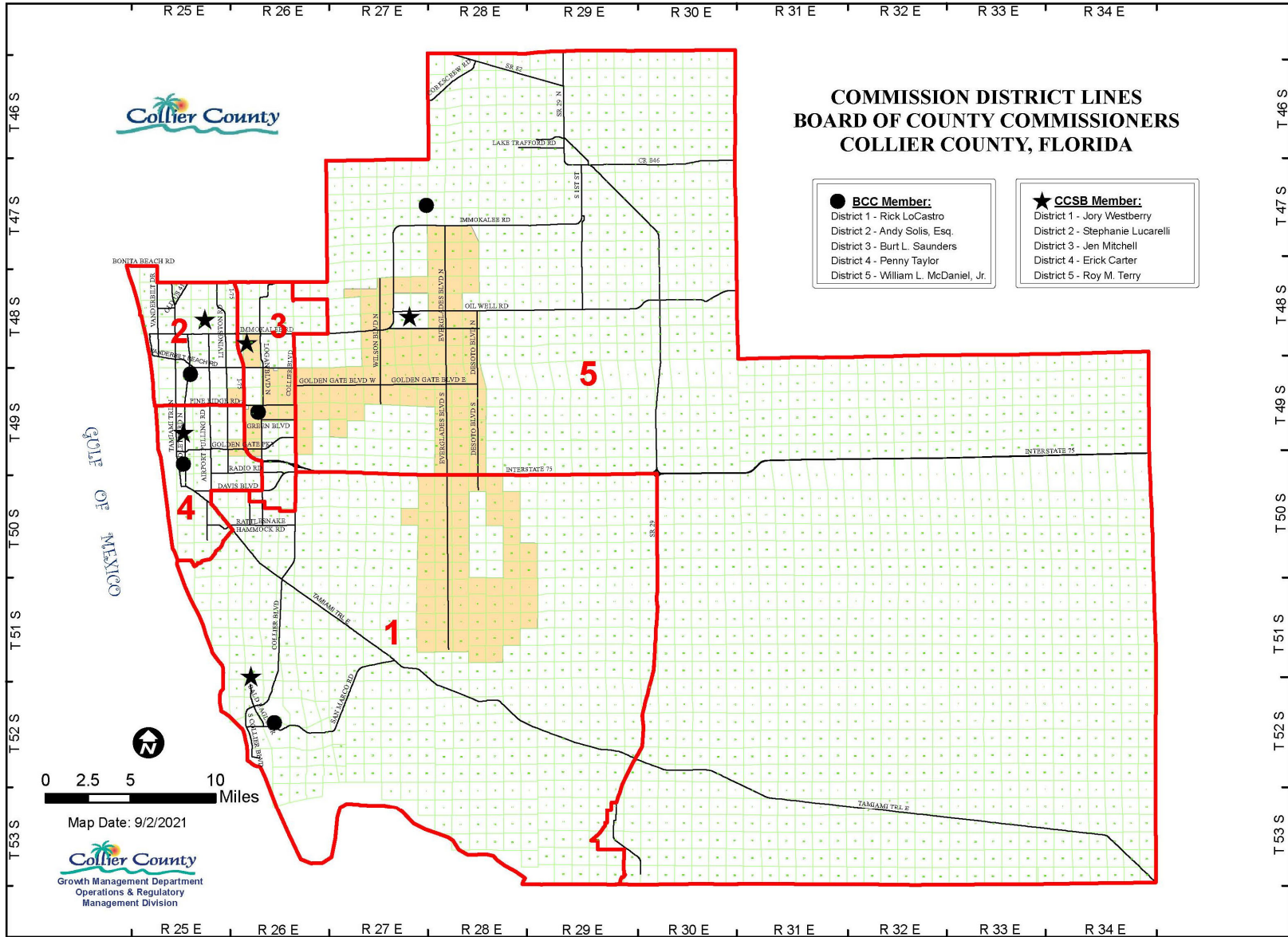
BCC District	2020 Population	Ideal Population	% Deviation from Ideal Population	Adjustment Needed to Achieve Ideal Population
I	75,451	75,150	0.4% over	-301
II	67,519	75,150	10.2% under	+7631
III	79,882	75,150	6.3% over	-4732
IV	66,037	75,150	12.1% under	+9113
V	86,863	75,150	15.6% over	-11713
Total	375,752	375,750		

source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2020 Redistricting Data (Public Law 94-171)



COMMISSION DISTRICT LINES BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COLLIER COUNTY, FLORIDA

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| <p>● BCC Member:
 District 1 - Rick LoCastro
 District 2 - Andy Solis, Esq.
 District 3 - Burt L. Saunders
 District 4 - Penny Taylor
 District 5 - William L. McDaniel, Jr.</p> | <p>★ CCSB Member:
 District 1 - Jory Westberry
 District 2 - Stephanie Lucarelli
 District 3 - Jen Mitchell
 District 4 - Erick Carter
 District 5 - Roy M. Terry</p> |
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Collier County Approved Criteria

- (1) the population of each district should be as similar as possible;
- (2) all districts should be as compact and regularly shaped as feasible;
- (3) the incumbent Commissioner's residence (and same for School Board members) must remain in his or her current district; and
- (4) consider racial and ethnic populations in accordance with the law.

Additional Criteria

- (1) any plan that has a retrogressive effect on minority voting strength would be eliminated from further consideration;
- (2) well-defined, easily recognizable and major boundaries, such as rivers, arterials and major roads, should be utilized when not in conflict with other criteria;
- (3) former district boundaries should generally be maintained when not in conflict with other criteria; and
- (4) communities of interest, such as Golden Gate Estates, and neighborhood integrity should be preserved when not in conflict with other criteria.

Voting Rights Act

The Voting Rights Act requires the creation of a district that performs for racial and language minorities where:

- (1) a minority population is geographically compact and sufficiently numerous to be a majority in a single district;*
- (2) the minority population is politically cohesive;*
- (3) the majority votes sufficiently as a bloc to enable it usually to defeat the minority-preferred candidate; and*
- (4) under all of the circumstances, the minority population has less opportunity than others to participate in the political process and elect representatives of its choice.*

The Voting Rights Act also prohibits purposeful discrimination and protects against retrogression – or backsliding – in the ability of racial and language minorities to elect representatives of their choice.

Timeline

Task	Timeframe
Receive population data from U.S. Census Bureau.	August 2021
Draft proposed maps with corresponding population data.	September 2021
Notification of Public Information Meetings through Civic-Municipality presentations and newspaper advertisements.	October 2021
Hold Public Information Meetings throughout the community.	November 2021
Hold BCC public hearing to adopt final map.	December 14, 2021

Public Information Meeting Schedule

	Location	Date
District 1	Collier County Government Center Administrative Building (Bldg. F, 3 rd Floor) BCC Chambers 3299 E. Tamiami Trail Naples, FL 34112	Monday NOVEMBER 1 @6:00
District 2	North Collier Regional Park (Exhibit Hall) 15000 Livingston Road Naples, FL 34109	Wednesday NOVEMBER 10 @6:00
District 3	Golden Gate Community Center (Auditorium) 4701 Golden Gate Parkway Naples, FL 34116	Tuesday NOVEMBER 16 @6:00
District 4	Growth Management Department (Conference Rooms 609/610) 2800 N. Horseshoe Drive Naples, FL 34104	Tuesday NOVEMBER 2 @6:00
District 5	Immokalee Community Park (Conference Room) 321 N. 1st Street Immokalee, FL 34142	Monday NOVEMBER 15 @6:00

All meetings are open to the public, regardless of the District in which you reside.
Wearing of facemasks is encouraged but not required.

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