STATE GOVERNMENT

CHAPTER 886

SENATE BILL NO. 2597
(Legislative Council)
(Interim Legislative Redistricting and Elections Committee)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY REDISTRICTING

AN ACT to provide for redistricting of the legislative assembly; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative redistricting; to amend and reenact section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to terms of senators; to repeal section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state legislative apportionment; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Legislative redistricting. Each legislative district is entitled to one senator and two representatives. The legislative districts of the state are formed as follows:

- 1. District 1 consists of that part of the city of Williston and that part of Williston township in Williams County bound by a line commencing at the point where the west side of section 27 of township 154-101 intersects the shore of Lake Sakakawea, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of forty-second street, thence east on forty-second street to its intersection with the centerline of university avenue, thence south on university avenue until university avenue becomes the city limit and continuing south on that line as far as the city limit coincides with university avenue, thence east and south on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street east, thence east on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the west boundary of Stoney Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea, thence west on the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea to the point of beginning.
- District 2 consists of all of Burke County and Divide County; and all of Williams County except that portion contained in District 1.
- 3. District 3 consists of McKinley, Margaret, Maryland, Nedrose, Sundre, and Surrey townships in Ward County; and those portions of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County east of a line commencing at the southeast corner of Harrison township, thence north on the Harrison township boundary to the point where it coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast,

- thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way to the centerline of north broadway, thence north on north broadway until its intersection with the north boundary of Harrison township.
- 4. District 4 consists of all of Mountrail County; those portions of Dunn County, McKenzie County, and Mercer County within the Fort Berthold reservation; that part of McLean County west of a line commencing at the intersection of the McLean County line and the east side of township 147-85, thence north to the northeast corner of Saint Mary township, thence east to the southeast corner of McGinnis township, thence north to the northeast corner of McGinnis township, thence west to the southwest corner of Douglas township, thence north to the southwest corner of Douglas township, thence north to the county line; and Anna, Berthold, Burt, Cameron, Carpio, Des Lacs, Evergreen, Foxholm, Hiddenwood, Hilton, Kirkelie, Linton, Lund, Mandan, Mayland, Orlien, Passport, Ree, Rice Lake, Rolling Green, Ryder, Saint Mary, Shealey, Spring Lake, Tolgen, Torning, and Vang townships in Ward County.
- 5. District 5 consists of that part of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of third street northeast, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended straight line from fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until the intersection of the centerline of central avenue west and the centerline of sixteenth street southwest, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three bypass, thence south on the United States highway eighty-three bypass to the centerline of United States highway fifty-two, thence west on United States highway fifty-two until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-third street southwest, thence south on thirty-third street southwest until its intersection with twentieth avenue southwest, thence east on twentieth avenue southwest until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 34 of Harrison township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the south boundary of Harrison township, thence east on the south boundary of Harrison township until it reaches the Minot city limit, thence east on the city limit until its intersection with the south boundary of Harrison township near the intersection of the centerline of thirty-seventh avenue southeast and the centerline of second street southeast, thence east and north on the Harrison township boundary to the point the township boundary coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its



- intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until the point of beginning.
- 6. District 6 consists of all of Bottineau County and Renville County; and Baden, Carbondale, Denmark, Elmdale, Greenbush, Kenmare, Sauk Prairie, and Spencer townships in Ward County.
- 7. District 7 consists of all of McHenry County and Pierce County; and Brillian, Freedom, Gasman, Greely, Iota Flat, Newman, New Prairie, Rushville, Sawyer, and Willis townships in Ward County.
- 8. District 8 consists of all of Burleigh County except that portion contained in districts 14, 30, 32, 47, and 49; and all of McLean County except that portion contained in District 4.
- 9. District 9 consists of Rolette County.
- 10. District 10 consists of all of Cavalier County except those portions contained in District 12; and all of Pembina County except those portions contained in District 16.
- 11. District 11 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line beginning at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street, thence south on thirty-second street until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 12. District 12 consists of all of Benson County and Eddy County;

 Bruce, Cypress, Glenila, Seivert, and Trier townships in Cavalier
 County; Chain Lakes, Coulee, and Pelican townships in Ramsey
 County; and all of Towner County except those portions contained in
 District 15.
- 13. District 13 consists of those portions of Barnes, Mapleton,
 Raymond, and Reed townships in Cass County and all of the city of
 West Fargo bound by a line commencing at the city limit of Fargo at
 the intersection of the centerline of nineteenth avenue north and
 the centerline of ninth street east in West Fargo, thence south on
 the Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of
 main avenue, thence south on the West Fargo city limit until its
 intersection with the southeast corner of the city, thence south on

- a line from that point until its intersection with the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence west on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Mapleton township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 35 of Raymond township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.
- 14. District 14 consists of all of Kidder County, Sheridan County, and Wells County; and Boyd, Canfield, Christiania, Clear Lake, Cromwell, Driscoll, Estherville, Florence Lake, Frances, Ghylin, Grass Lake, Harriet, Hazel Grove, Lein, Logan, Long Lake, McKenzie, Menoken, Missouri, Morton, Richmond, Rock Hill, Schrunk, Sibley Butte, Steiber, Sterling, Taft, Telfer, Thelma, Trygg, Wild Rose, Wilson, and Wing townships, and townships 141-76 and 143-75 in Burleigh County.
- 15. District 15 consists of all of Ramsey County except those portions contained in districts 12 and 23 and Bethel, Cando, Coolin, and Maza townships in Towner County.
- 16. District 16 consists of all of Walsh County except those portions contained in District 23; and Crystal, Drayton, Elora, Gardar, Midland, and Saint Thomas townships in Pembina County.
- 17. District 17 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that portion of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence east on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of lanark avenue, thence northeast on lanark avenue until its extended centerline intersects with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the south boundary of Grand Forks township, thence west on the south boundary of Grand Forks township until its intersection with the west boundary of Brenna township, thence north on the west boundary of Brenna township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 3 of Brenna township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence east on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 18. District 18 consists of that part of Blooming, Falconer, Mekinock, and Rye townships and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended straight line of the centerline of lanark avenue and the centerline of the Red River, thence southwest on lanark avenue until its intersection with the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence west on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence north on twentieth street

until its intersection with the centerline of gateway drive, thence west on gateway drive and United States highway two until its intersection with the south entrance of the Grand Forks air force base, known as eielson street, thence north on eielson street until on seventh avenue until the extended centerline of seventh avenue, thence east on seventh avenue until the extended centerline of seventh avenue intersects with the centerline of j street, thence south on j street until its intersection with the centerline of juniper avenue, thence east on juniper avenue until its extended centerline intersects the west boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the Blooming township boundary until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the southeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the east boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Rye township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-seventh avenue north, thence east twenty-seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of mill road, thence north on mill road following the city limit to the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- 19. District 19 consists of all of Grand Forks County except that portion contained in districts 17, 18, 20, 42, and 43.
- 20. District 20 consists of all of Traill County; Bell, Dows, Hunter, Kinyon, and Noble townships in Cass County; and Allendale, Americus, Bentru, Chester, Fairfield, Michigan, Oakville, Pleasant View, Union, Walle, and Washington townships in Grand Forks County.
- 21. District 21 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence west on main avenue to the city limit, thence north, west, and east following the city limit to the intersection of the centerline of the burnington northern railway right of way and the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence south on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of the burnington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burnington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north avenue north, thence

- east on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence north on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of ninth avenue north, thence east on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 22. District 22 consists of all of Cass County except that portion contained in districts 11, 13, 20, 21, 41, 44, 45, and 46.
- 23. District 23 consists of all of Griggs County, Nelson County, and Steele County; Bartlett, Lawton, Lillehoff, Nixon, Odessa, Ontario, and Stevens townships in Ramsey County; and Adams, Cleveland, Dewey, Golden, Kinloss, Lampton, Latona, Medford, Norton, Perth, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Tiber, Vernon, and Vesta townships in Walsh County.
- 24. District 24 consists of all of Barnes County.
- 25. District 25 consists of Abercrombie, Antelope, Brandenburg, Center, Colfax, Devillo, Dwight, Eagle, Fairmount, Greendale, Ibsen, La Mars, Mooreton, Nansen, Summit, and Waldo townships in Richland County.
- 26. District 26 consists of all of Dickey County except those portions contained in District 28; all of LaMoure County except those portions contained in District 28; and all of Sargent County except those portions contained in District 27.
- 27. District 27 consists of all of Ransom County; all of Richland County except those portions contained in District 25; and Hall, Herman, Kingston, Marboe, Milnor, Ransom, Shuman, and Tewaukon townships in Sargent County, except this district does not include the city of Rutland.
- 28. District 28 consists of all of Emmons County, Logan County, and McIntosh County; Albertha, German, Grand Valley, Lorraine, Northwest, Spring Valley, Whitestone, and Young townships in Dickey County; and Bluebird, Glen, Mikkelson, Norden, Pomona View, Raney, Ray, and Swede townships in LaMoure County.
- 29. District 29 consists of all of Foster County; and all of Stutsman County except that portion contained in District 48.
- 30. District 30 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County and unorganized territory bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four and the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth street, thence south on twelfth street until its intersection with

the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence west on a straight line following the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence north on a straight line following the quarter section line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence south on the Missouri River until its intersection with the west boundary of Missouri township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning except the line follows the Lincoln city limit west, north, and east back to the section line.

- 31. District 31 consists of all of Morton County except that portion contained in District 34; and Elm, Lark, Leipzig, and Otter Creek townships, and townships 134-86, 134-87, 135-86, 135-87, 135-88, 135-90, 136-85, 136-86, 136-87, 136-88, 136-89, 136-90, 137-88, 137-89, and 137-90 in Grant County.
- District 32 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County bound by a line commencing at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the Missouri River, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence west on a straight line following the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence north on a straight line following the quarter section line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- 33. District 33 consists of all of Oliver County; all of Mercer County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation; and that part of Dunn County east and south of a line commencing at the southwest corner of section 19 of township 141-92, thence north to

the northwest corner of township 144-92, thence east to the southwest corner of section 34 of township 145-92, thence north to the boundary of the Fort Berthold reservation, thence east following the Fort Berthold reservation boundary to the county line.

- District 34 consists of that part of the city of Mandan bound by a line beginning at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way intersects the centerline of third street southeast west of fifth street southeast, thence west on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of highway one thousand eight hundred six, thence south on highway one thousand eight hundred six until its intersection with the centerline of nineteenth street southeast, thence west on nineteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit, thence south on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of Mandan avenue, thence south on Mandan avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east and south on the burlington northern railway right of way until the point of beginning.
- 35. District 35 consists of all of Adams County, Hettinger County, and Sioux County; and all of Grant County except those portions contained in District 31.
- 36. District 36 consists of all of Stark County except that portion contained in District 37; and all of Dunn County except that portion contained in districts 4 and 33.
- 37. District 37 consists of that part of the city of Dickinson and adjacent unorganized territory to the north bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of broadway and the centerline of state avenue, thence north on state avenue and on a line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 28 of township 140-96, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the northeast corner of section 26 of township 140-96, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue east and the centerline of villard street, thence west on villard street until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence west on broadway to the point of beginning.
- 38. District 38 consists of all of Afton, Burlington, and Waterford townships in Ward County; and those portions of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and the city of Minot not in districts 3, 5, and 40.
- 39. District 39 consists of all of Billings County, Bowman County,
 Golden Valley County, and Slope County; and all of McKenzie County
 except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation.
- 40. District 40 consists of those parts of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and those parts of the city of Minot in Ward County bound

by a line commencing at the southeast corner of Eureka township, thence east on the Eureka township boundary until its intersection with United States highway eighty-three, known as north broadway, thence south on north broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended centerline of fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue northwest until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue northwest, thence west on seventh avenue northwest until its intersection with the centerline of sixteenth street northwest, thence north on sixteenth street northwest, thence north on sixteenth street northwest intersects the centerline of sixteenth street northwest intersects the centerline of sixteenth street northwest intersects the centerline of twenty-first avenue northwest from the east, thence west on a straight line from that point until its intersection with the west side of section 10 of Harrison township, thence north on a straight line from that point until its intersection with the centerline of the south boundary of Waterford township, thence east and north on the Waterford township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the south boundary of the Minot air force base, thence east and north on the Waterford township boundary until its intersection with the main gate at the centerline of missile avenue, thence west on missile avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the drainage ditch west of eagle way, thence north on the drainage ditch until its intersection with the centerline of the Waterford base boundary, thence west on the Minot air force base boundary until its intersection with the northeas

41. District 41 consists of that part of Barnes township and that part of Stanley township, and that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street, thence south on seventeenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street and a straight line following section lines to county road six, thence west on county road six to the west boundary of Stanley township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 19 of Barnes township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the center of the south side of section



- 16 of Barnes township, thence north on a straight line to its intersection with the West Fargo city limit, thence north on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence east on main avenue until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street, thence south on thirty-second street until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south to the point of beginning.
- 42. District 42 consists of that part of Grand Forks township and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at a point where the centerline of gateway drive intersects the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence east on gateway drive until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence south on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence east on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence north on fifty-fifth street to the point of beginning.
- 43. District 43 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that part of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Brenna township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence south on fifty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 44. District 44 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of ninth avenue north and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence south on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north, thence west on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence east on eleventh avenue north until its intersection

- with the centerline of tenth street, thence north on tenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue north, thence east on thirty-second avenue north and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- District 45 consists of the city of North River, that part of the city of Fargo, Fargo township, and that part of Reed township bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the extended centerline of thirty-second avenue north with the centerline of the Red River, thence west on thirty-second avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street, thence south on tenth street until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence west on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north to the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the east side of section 9 of Reed township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the Reed township boundary, thence east on the Reed township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- County, including the city of Briarwood and that part of the city of Fargo bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on seventeenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street, thence south on seventeenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street and a straight line following section lines until its intersection with county road six, thence west on county road six until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection

- township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 47. District 47 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and the centerline of the Missouri River, thence east on the boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence south on United States highway eighty-three until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence south on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- 48. District 48 consists of that part of the city of Jamestown bound by a line commencing on the city limit at a point on or near the northeast corner of section 31 of township 140-63, thence north on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the James River, thence south along the centerline of the James River until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two hundred eighty-one, known as west business loop, thence south on west business loop until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth street southwest, thence east on seventeenth street southwest until its intersection with the centerline of fourth avenue southwest, thence south along the centerline of fourth avenue southwest and an extended straight line to the city limit, thence east on the city limit and following the city limit to the point of beginning.
- 49. District 49 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence east on the north boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street, thence south on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth street, thence south on twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth street, thence south on twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the

centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence east on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence north on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence north to the point of beginning.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-03-01.8. Staggering of the terms of senators. Senators A senator from odd numbered districts an even-numbered district must be elected in 1982 1992 for a term of four years. Each senator and a senator from an even numbered odd-numbered district must be elected in 1984 for a four year term, except a senator in an even numbered district with new geographic area which area was not in that senator's district for the 1980 election and which new geographic area has a 1980 population which is more than two thousand, must be elected in 1982 for a two year term of four years. The senator from district forty-one must be elected in 1992 for a term of two years. A senator from a district in which there is another incumbent senator as a result of legislative redistricting must be elected in 1992 for a term of four years. Based on this criteria that requirement, districts two six, eighteen ten, twenty four fourteen, thirty-eight twenty-eight, forty four forty six, and fifty two shall thirty-six must elect senators in 1982 1992.

The two senators for the combined seventeenth and eighteenth districts must be elected in 1982, one for a term of four years and one for a term of two years. For any election in that multisenator district in which both seats are to be filled, all papers indicating the office sought, including any certificate of endorsement, filing petition, certificate of nomination, ballot, or certificate of election, must also indicate the term sought.

SECTION 3. REPEAL. Section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 4. BOUNDARIES. Any reference in the legislative district descriptions to a city limit or the Fort Berthold reservation boundary as a boundary line refers to the limit or boundary as it existed on January 1, 1990, as shown on the 1990 census maps. A legislative district boundary using the Fort Berthold reservation or city limit lines does not migrate as the Fort Berthold reservation boundary or city limits migrate. For purposes of legislative district descriptions, unless cities are otherwise specifically named, townships encompass all the territory within their outer boundaries.

SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY OF ESTABLISHING HOUSE SUBDISTRICTS. During the remainder of the 1991-92 interim, the legislative council shall assign to the interim redistricting and elections committee the responsibility to develop a plan for subdistricts for the house of representatives. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the fifty-third legislative assembly.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act becomes effective on December 1.1991.

Approved November 14, 1991 Filed November 14, 1991

SB 2597

Legislative Council

(Interim Legislative Redistricting and Elections Committee)
A BILL for an Act to provide for redistricting of the legislative assembly; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative redistricting; to repeal section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state legislative apportionment; and to provide an effective date.

11/04 Senate	Introduced, first reading, referred JOINT LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING	SJ1772
11/07 Senate	Committee hearing 11/04 1:00	SJ1785
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	Amended on floor Amendment failed	SJ1812
	FURTHER AMENDED ON THE FLOOR Amendment failed	SJ1812 SJ1813
	Second reading, passed as amended, yeas 039 nays 014	SJ1813
11/07 House	Received from Senate Introduced, first reading	HJ1974 HJ1974
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	Division of amendment DIVISION A LOST DIVISION B ADOPTED	SJ1798 SJ1798
	Second reading, failed to pass, yeas 018 nays 035	ŠJ1798

SB 2599

Legislative Council

(Interim Legislative Redistricting and Elections Committee) A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-01-02.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to special election procedures; and to provide an effective date.

11/04	Senate	Introduced, first reading, referred JOINT LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING	SJ1772
11/07	Senate	Committee hearing 11/04 1:00 Reported back, do pass, placed on calendar y 015 n 000	SJ1813 SJ1813
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SB 2600

Sen. Stenehjem, Satrom Rep. DeMers

(Approved by the Committee on Delayed Bills)
A BILL for an Act to reenact section 54-06-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to partial payment of sick leave benefits upon leaving the employ of the state; and to provide an effective date.

11/04 Senate	Introduced, first reading, referred JOINT TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS	SJ1//2
11/05 0	Committee hearing 11/05 9:30	SJ1775
11/05 Senate	Reported back, do pass, placed on calendar y 014 n 000	SJ 1776
11/05 House	Second reading, passed, yeas 053 nays 000 Received from Senate	HJ 1964
11/05 House	Introduced, first reading	HJ 1964
	Reported back, do pass, placed on calendar y 014 n 000	HJ1964
11/06 House	Second reading, passed, year 102 mays 002	HJ1 <u>9</u> 67
11/06 Senate	Returned to Senate	SJ1782
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JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING

SB 2597

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Senator Jim Yockim chaired the meeting of the joint Legislative Redistricting Committee in the Brynhild Haugland Room. All committee members were present. (See attached attendance sheets.)

After outlining the procedure the committee hearing would follow and briefly explaining the gist of the redistricting bills, Senator Yockim summarized the work of the committee during the interim. He said that the 49-district plan fits within the traditional range of numbers of legislative districts and legislators, that the reduction in size is moderate and that the committee didn't establish subdistricts in Fort Berthold because the minority population isn't significant enough to determine the outcome of an election. Two questions not addressed by the committee were holdover senators and district numbering.

TESTIMONY

John Bjornson, L.C. Counsel:

He cited the state constitutional requirements and the population equality guidelines (see "Report of the Legislative Council submitted to the 52nd Legislative Assembly in special Session, Nov. 1991," pages 10-34). Referring to the federal Voting Rights Act and the use of multimember districts to dilute the voting strength of minorities, Mr. Bjornson said that the population of the Fort Berthold Reservation is approximately 3,000 which wouldn't quite be a majority, even in a single-member house district. He said that the study resolution, which has steered the interim committee, provided guidelines, one of which was that a district can't cross the Missouri River. However, this particular guideline has been set aside so that Fort Berthold can be placed in one district.

Senator Satrom asked for comments from Dr. Hickok on any work he has done on single-house districts.

Dr. Floyd Hickok, geographer:

He said that based on the criterion set forth in the resolution (HCR 3026) that House subdistricts can be created in any Senate district that exceeds 3,000 square miles, there are 9 such districts. Most subdistricts would be simple to do.

Senator Yockim said that he would be interested in seeing the nine districts and asked Dr. Hickok to make copies available to the committee. He also suggested that a member from each party could review any legislator's ideas to see if there is any merit in taking such ideas to Dr. Hickok.

Jim Kusler, Secretary of State:

He recommended that the effective date of the bills be on or near December 7. This is because the Secretary of State's office has certain responsibilities to perform, following the effective date, as do the county commissioners, city commissioners, etc. Also, a section of the code--16.1-04-03--says the re-establishment of precinct lines must occur within 35 days of the effective date of the redistricting bill. A tight time frame is created by the 35 days. Mr. Kusler requested that the committee amend to change the effective date to on or near Dec. 7. (See attached handout.)

Senator Yockim said that he would take this under advisement until the next day.

Rep. Gordon Berg, D. 15:

He said that in past redistricting activity, a big issue has been keeping districts along county lines and that the variance has been from 2 to 5%. A percentage larger than 5 would throw the issue into the courts. He encouraged the committee to consider these two things.

Dennis Hill, ND Assoc. of REC:

He read a joint statement submitted by the ND Assoc. of Rural Electric Cooperatives, ND Farm Bureau, ND Farmers Union, and the ND Assoc. of Counties which asks the committee to consider a redistricting plan of 53 districts. (See attached testimony.)

<u>Senator Yockim</u> announced that testimony and comments would now be heard according to regions of the state.

South East Section:

Rep. Lyle Hanson, D. 48:

He submitted a proposed plan in which Precinct 4 of Jamestown would

be combined with the rural areas. In answer to a question from Rep. Timm, Rep. Hanson said that the plan will take just one precinct out of the city and put it in with the rural area rather than disturbing three precincts. (See attached testimony and map.)

Sen. Russell Thane, D. 25:

He presented what he termed a "workable alternative," which has bipartisan support (Sen. Dotzenrod, D. 27). (See attached Alternative 6.) This plan would restore to the 25th district Walcott, Colfax, Colfax City, Eagle Township and Christine City and would give back to District 27, Barney and Belford. The plan would give approximately 13,000 people to the 25th district versus the 12,680 who are in the present committee plan.

<u>Dr. Hickok</u> said that District D in Alternative 6 is okay and that he would have to check on the others.

Rep. Dennis Schimke, D. 28:

He submitted a map which supports Senator Thane's proposed Alternative 6 plan. (See attached map.) He said that this plan tries to preserve county lines and does preserve some city lines.

In response to a question from Senator Holmberg concerning changes in Emmons, Logan and McIntosh ten years from now, Rep. Schimke said that the constitution says to use present day figures. We have an obligation to use the 1990 figures, he said. In response to a question from Rep. DeMers, Rep. Schimke said that it's not the Legislature's responsibility to "say you must divide on this line" and that the districts should make decisions that don't emanate from the Capitol.

Senator Jerome Kelsh, D. 26:

He said that at the hearing in Edgeley the consensus was to keep ethnic groups together. In response to a question from Senator Moore, Sen. Kelsh said that counties will be split since it's not possible to follow county lines; there's not room for three counties in one district. In response to a comment from Rep. Stofferahn, Sen. Kelsh said that it would be okay to divide LaMoure in half and keep Dickey whole. He said that the lines proposed by the committee for District 26 are reasonable.

North East Section:

Sen. Bill Heigaard, D. 10:

After he thanked and congratulated the committee for the job it has done, he presented a proposal for the northeast section. A

main concern is trade areas. His proposal would divide with north/south lines, which would eliminate two concerns: (1) Rep. Nicholas being moved from Towner; (2) Rep. Myrdal being moved from Pembina.

In response to a question from Senator Holmberg, Sen. Heigaard stated that his proposal does consider county lines. He further stated that his proposal is far less severe for northeastern ND than the committee's plan and that his proposal would better suit the people of this area--this is his main reason for appearing before the committee.

In response to a question from Rep. Bruce Anderson, Sen. Heigaard said that people have no affiliation going west and south.

Sen. Jack Traynor, D. 15:

He said that if the committee would keep Ramsay County as one district (population 12,681), there would be a variance of only about -2.7%. Under the committee's suggested redistricting plan, the population would be four townships of Towner County added to the remaining portion of Ramsay (see page 22 of "Report of the Legislative Council"), and this would be 13,432---this would give a variance of +3.3%. Senator Traynor asked what the problems would be if Ramsay County were to be maintained as a single district.

<u>Senator Wogsland</u> had questions about the school district in the lower region of Ramsay County and the consortium.

Rep. Alice Olson, D. 11:

She submitted a mapped proposal to the committee (see attached). She said that the commonality of the region is more south than west. She has received many calls from people who want to remain as is. She spoke of changes in Walhalla and Nekoma which would make them part of a trade corridor.

Rep. William Gorder, D. 16:

He said that both Democrats and Republicans feel that the split in Walsh County is bad. He urged the adoption of district lines that maintain county lines. He submitted a statement from the District 16 Executive Committee (see attached).

Senator Byron Langley, D. 12:

He said to put Towner with Ramsay; the southwest corner of Ramsay would take care of the problem.

Rep. Eugene Nicholas, D. 10:

He said that he would like to keep Towner County intact. Under

the Heigaard proposal, it wouldn't be. He said that every proposal is bad for him and for his district. Cavalier and Towner have been the heart of his district for 18 years.

Rep. Rosemarie Myrdal, D. 11:

She said that changes in government structure should lead to more efficiency. Pembina County is part of a certain human services region; this would be a concern. Consideration must be given to working with various offices, how service can be rendered, etc. when redistricting. Western Walsh County people want to be part of a district that has their county seat.

In response to a question from Rep. Timm, Rep. Nicholas said that only the Hickok plan, which wasn't acceptable to the Democrats, leaves Towner County whole.

Rep. Bob Nowatzki, D. 10:

We should strive to keep people close to the people they represent, he said. He opposes Towner begin put with Benson. The Olson plan, he said, cuts the county seat from the bulk of the people in rural areas. He said that Senator Heigaard's plan isn't perfect, but it has a workable framework.

In response to a question and comments from Sen. Holmberg, Rep. Nowatzki said that trade areas should be looked at more than they have been in the past.

Rep. Bill Skjerven, D. 16:

He reported that there has been a lot of dissatisfaction with the committee's plan. His phone has been ringing off the hook. The people of Walsh County wanted to send two or three busloads of people to the Capitol. Trade and social patterns will be disrupted if the committee's plan is followed and Walsh County people are put down with Steele and Griggs. Professor Hickok's original plan is good, he said. The committee had two good plans for 53 districts, he added.

<u>Sen. Holmberg</u> commented that if "we take Walsh County intact, then the northeast does fall into place."

Senator F. Kent Vosper, D. 11:

He stated that he was in favor of the XYWVT plan of Rep. Olson.

Senator Harvey Tallackson, D. 16:

He congratulated the committee for its work on the northeast area.

Rep. Jennifer Ring, D. 42:

She offered amendments to bills 2597 and 2598 which would put as many people back into District 42 as possible; this is the only way the numbers will work out, she said. To Senator Moore's question about population figures, Rep. Ring said that District 42 would go from being the smallest district in Grand Forks to being the largest with a proposed population of 13,669.

South West Section: Mari Ann Lang:

She submitted a petition signed by 250 people in Mandan who want to remain in District 34. The southern area has been part of that district for 30 years and wants to remain.

Rep. RaeAnn Kelsch, D. 34:

She stated that the area referred to by Ms. Lang should remain in District 34. The 250 signatures show that people want to remain in this district.

Rep. James Coats, D. 34:

There are some distinct district lines, he said, such as I-94 and Highway 1806. He has received phone calls saying "we want urban representation in the Capitol."

Senator Dean Meyer, D. 36:

 $\overline{\text{He}}$ thanked the committee and Dr. Hickok for their work and presented a proposal to the committee. He said his concern is with the long area from McKenzie to the SD line; it's tough finding candidates to run for office because of the large area they have to cover.

Senator Bill Bowman, D. 39:

He said that he could live with the plan presented by Sen. Meyer. Communication with people in this sparsely populated area is a concern of Sen. Bowman. They have a right, he said, to communicate with elected officials.

Rep. Raymond Schmidt, D. 2:

He pointed out that the northwest portion of the western part of the state has very large districts, and he said that he hopes the committee will look at amendments to make subdistricts.

Senator Orlin Hanson, D. 3:

"Why did you do what you did to Ward County?" he asked. "It has been castrated."

Sen. Yockim asked Sen. Hanson if he had an alternative proposal.

Rep. Bruce Anderson explained to Sen. Hanson that pressure from the west and the fact that population had to be made up were factors.

<u>Senator Yockim</u> said that the committee had looked into the possibility of allowing one representative per county, but the one vote rule makes county cutting inevitable.

Rep. Alan Erickson, D. 3:

He recommended changing two townships from District K to District M (see map, page 22, "Report of the L.C....").

Senator Yockim adjourned the committee until Tuesday, Nov. 5.

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BILL/RESOLUTION NO. SB 2597, SB 2598, SB 2599

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REP. KRETSCHMAR called the Joint Committee on Legislative Redistricting to order with all members present. He asked for any additional testimony or information regarding SB 2597 and SB 2598. With no further testimony on any of the bills, he stated he would like to act on SB 2599.

There were amendments prepared and presented for SB 2597 and SB 2598 which would establish an effective date on both of the reapportionment bills.

SEN. GOETZ Made a motion to accept the proposed amendments as presented. SEN. WOGSLAND Second the motion. Motion carried.

JOHN BJORNSON, LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF Appeared before the committee to review SB 2599. The bill was requested by the Interim Committee after review of some apparent election procedures in regard to special elections in the event a referral petition was submitted to refer a redistricting plan. This bill amends a section of existing law which allows for a special election in certain circumstances. The bill has an effective date which would allow the bill to become effective immediately.

With no further testimony or information, the hearing was closed.

SEN. YOCKIM made a motion for a Do Pass.

REP. LARSON second the motion. MOTION CARRIED.

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SB 2597 and SB 2598, Cont'd.

REP. KRETSCHMAR opened for discussion for any proposed amendments anyone wanted to make regarding these bills. Some maps were presented to the committee regarding the different options.

The proposal for the Jamestown area was presented.

REP. STOFFERAHN stated he had visited with the County Auditor in Stutsman County. To let everyone know why they requested this, it is the same population and it works out very well, as far as districts balancing. Right now, the way the lines are drawn, it cuts accross three city precincts which they have put together and match populations very well. Each precinct is set out the way the city would like them to be. In each precinct they have drawn, they have excellent polling places set up. The city requested that we use this proposal instead of the one we had done. I would hope the committee would act favorably.

REP. TIMM stated he had visited with someone from Jamestown and they said these lines were not really established lines, that cutting accross these lines wasn't really the issue.

REP. STOFFERAHN The map that I showed you, showed the precinct lines. It also showed where the business loop cut right across the precincts on the south side, that is what the city auditor showed me on his map of the city precincts.

SEN. SATROM As I understood it the line with the BN track and then south with the James River and west business loop and then south on 4th Avenue SW, that is the existing precinct line for that precinct?

YES

So it is an existing line?

REP. STOFFERAHN Yes, people on each side of those lines know exactly where they are voting right now, they wouldn't have to disrupt any voting patterns in the city of Jametown.

SEN. STREIBEL I certainly do not know Jamestown, but looking at this it is hard for me to rationalize that there are no voting places for holding precincts, it looks like a lot of developments there. I use that as a comparison to the area that I represent and that is quite primitive. We vote in very unusual places, but then maybe the city people have a higher standard.

REP. STOFFERAHN All I can say, is that this is the straight word from the city auditor, the city officials did meet and expressed that this is what they would like. They have excellent voting facilities and it meets all of the handicapped requirements, and they wouldn't have to disrupt any voting patterns by going this way. I really don't know that there should be any objection to it.

REP. TIMM asked that the committee delay acting on this until later.

Another proposal was presented to the committee, which was presented to the committee by Sen. Thane regarding the Richland County area.

REP. KRETSCHMAR stated he was advised by Professor Hickok of the change if it is made on the eastern part of Richland County and Wahpeton it would not make that district too large, it would be over the norm, but still within range. The district next to it, which is currently District 27, without the town of Rutland, would be too small. The town of Rutland would need to be moved into that district, someway.

SEN. HOLMBERG Is that where the lines come together?

yes.

SEN. WOGSLAND Could you refresh us why we are doing this, why this line?

SEN. THANE Appeared before the committee to answer questions and explain reasons for the proposal.

That area had always been in the 25th District, or years ago, what was the 12th District. It respects county lines, it takes the district back to the Cass County line. These people in this district, Republicans and Democrats alike, have told me personally over the last ten years, have always felt disinfranchized because if you look at the proposal the way it used to be, they are put into a district, while not unusual, but they are geographically remote from the 27th District. Their allegience has always been to the eastern part of the county for all kinds of reasons, whether it be school district, political allegience or whatever it was. This is a bipartisan thing, there are active republicans and active democrats. I personally don't see an advantage or disadvantage to me or anyone else serving the legislature. It is something they would like done.

REP. KRETSCHMAR From the bill before us, there are two townships you are putting back into District 27?

Sen. Thane That is correct. Barney Township which includes the city of Barney and Balfour township which includes the city of Mantador. They would go back to the 27th District, that would be the trade off.

SEN. YOCKIM I guess the plan calls your district, District A and the district to the west is District B. In District B, regarding the city of Rutland, do you have any idea what should happen to the city of Rutland?

SEN. THANE I do not. I don't know what the impact would be to the other districts to the west.

- **SEN.** HOLMBERG Thinking those 212 people would drop that next district over, that would still be in the range?
- **SEN. THANE** I guess I assumed the committee members had those figures available to them.
- **SEN. YOCKIM** stated he visited with Dr. Hickok earlier today and had run through the proposals which were presented to the committee the day before, however, he did not talk about this specific proposal, so if you want to bring it before the committee, you might want to meet with him.
- The Mandan area map was presented to the committee and Dr. Hickok was asked to explain the map.
- DR. HICKOK appeared before the committee to explain the boundaries on the Mandan proposal. This proposal keeps the Mandan district very much as it is now with the exception of, it eliminates all of the rural area to the south and west and includes instead, the area east of Highway #1806 and south of the railroad. All of the population of the district would be within the city limits.
- **REP. KRETSCHMAR** can these particular lines be drawn so that we can describe the boundary without using the word "city limits" or streets or something?
- DR. HICKOK There are no streets or roads on this city limit. I do have some concern of using "city limit" especially in this area since it is a growth area. If an annexation occurs and ever any probability that annexations will occur, in this particular area on the south, there is the potential of difficulty. Superceded city limits make poor district boundaries at best and sometimes lead to difficulty. There are 136 people in the rural block to the south, the population is fairly tight and I am not sure all of the 136 people could be transferred.
- SEN. YOCKIM Is what you have shown here a reflection of the testimony given yesterday?
- DR. HICKOK Yes, this certainly supports the petitions. It is my understanding that the petitions all came from city residents south of the Heart River. That would put them into the city district.
- SEN. YOCKIM Population wise, does this fit within the population variations that we need to stay with?
- DR. HICKOK Yes it does. If you recall, the three district area, including Adams, Hettinger, Sioux, Grant and Morton, some of those counties can be three districts, but they all must average fairly close to the bottom edge, so there is not a great deal of latitude in these populations. Five percent below the ideal, is 12,385, so each of these districts would be nearly 100 over the minimum. So population wise, it works out as well as could possibly be expected under the circumstance.

A proposal which was presented by Sen. Dean Meyer was brought before the committee regarding the west river area.

SEN. GOETZ As a matter of interpretation in regard to the material handed out, everything east of the heavy bold line, apparently, is just reflected as remaining the same. Everything west of that line is the change.

REP. KRETSCHMAR Basically, the dividing line in the current bills, runs more north and south, and this dividing line runs more east and west.

SEN. YOCKIM I believe one of the points raised yesterday is that this proposal takes off about 1,000 square miles.

SEN. GOETZ I would express concern by the way, again, of the way this shapes out using the Interstate as the boundary and then, I have some real reservation when you look at the number of counties that are split as opposed to the plan that we previously passed. It is true we have a problem with a large district on the extreme western boundary but again, it is a matter when you don't have the population, that is what we have to cope with. The other matter is something this committee has expressed on numerous occasions and that is the community of interest. I think we have to be sensitive to that by way of compatibility of Dunn County and Stark County, I think is much more of a community of interest point then what we have here. So, I do have some reservations about the plan that is proposed.

SEN. MOORE I would express some of the same concerns, from day one with this committee, I have been a strong supporter of the county lines. This proposal divides two more counties then it is necessary to divide and divides Stark County rather unrealistically, the long way rather then the short way. I know I can't support that.

REP. THOMPSON For the same reasons expressed by the previous two, I couldn't support this proposal.

REP. TIMM The concern in the original plan was distance, has anyone figured out, if somebody lives down in the southwest corner of Bowman County and has to drive all the way over to the Morton county line in the NE corner there, how far is that, that looks like about the same distance as in the old district driving from Watford City down to Bowman, I am wondering, we are saving some square miles, but distance wise, somebody would have to travel just as far.

SEN. KRAUTER In response to that question, if you drive from the South Dakota border up to the Keene area, it is 180 miles, if you drive from the South Dakota border over toward the Glen Ullin area or the Hebron area, you are looking at about 130 miles, there is a difference of 50 miles.

- SEN. YOCKIM In response to the community of interest argument, I think we heard testimony yesterday, that people in Watford City in the Chamber there are indicating that they feel their community of interest is much more closer in line with Dunn County/Stark County formation which is being presented here then with the Watford City/Bowman kind of formation. I think that argument is certainly one that you can argue on both sides. It is a question of what do the people feel.
- REP. KRETSCHMAR Presented more proposals to the committee of large geographical areas to be divided into subdistricts. A proposal for the northeastern part of North Dakota was also presented to the committee.
- SEN. KRAUTER Were these proposals prepared on the idea of the tolerance of the 10% divided up and down.
- DR. HICKOK Explained what the proposals meant. All were kept within five percent, there may be one that was slightly over five percent, but they were all most certainly kept within the overall ten percent. I would certainly urge that if subdistricts are done, that they be kept within the same ten percent criteria. There may be enough legal room if not all of the tolerance is used on one end, you might to go over slightly on the other end.
- SEN. GOETZ On the consideration of subdistricts at this time, I think it is imperative that we know the context of which these are being considered. If I recall, we had a motion passed at our last meeting that subdistricts that there would be a continuation of a study, but I think there was an understanding that this consideration would not necessarily enter into the dialogue as it relates to the special session.
- SEN. YOCKIM I believe there are a couple proposals like the ones that we heard in the interim regarding subdistricts but they would be coming as delayed bills. I am still uncomfortable with going with subdistricts. I am certainly not going to make a motion to approve this in this fashion at this point.
- REP. KRET SCHMAR The material handed out was purely for your information.
- REP. STOFFERAHN It is probably appropriate if we at least look at the division of the one district, because if there is any probability that something will be challenged in court, it would be the Ft. Berthold area, and I think we must look at that as far as dividing that.
- REP. KRET SCHMAR Recessed the meeting until 11:00 AM.

JOINT LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING, CONT'D.

11:00 AM TAPE 1, Side B

REP. KRETSCHMAR called the meeting to order, however, the committee was not ready to meet, so another recess was given until 1:45 PM.

1:45 PM

The meeting was again called to order by REP. KRETSCHMAR.

REP. ANDERSON stated there was a person that testified yesterday, Nov. 4, at the hearings that intended his testimony to be a suggestion like the others we passed out and it wasn't taken that way so I told him I would bring it up. It was the one, the two township difference between the Mountrail District and the Burleigh/McLean District. The gentleman testified that that township area ought to be corrected, so I put it down in map form to submit it because he intended that to be a suggestion for correction.

SEN. YOCKIM presented a proposed amendment to the bills regarding numbering of legislators. The amendments are for both bills SB 2597 and SB 2598, dealing with the issue of numbering of districts. We do not have an amendment for the holdover issue yet. My understanding is that there is an agreement and I am drawing amendments on that issue. I believe this numbering will be consistent with that understanding.

The summary sheet lists the current district and the current senator from that district.

SEN. MOORE Where is the duel district?

SEN. YOCKIM In District 38, under the duel district plan, the new district would be #38, under the split district, the new district would be #41.

REP. KRETSCHMAR Under either split or combined, would those Minot districts be even numbers then?

SEN. YOCKIM Under the duel district plan, the Minot Base would be #40 and #41, it would be an odd, even. Under the split plan, it would be #38 and #40, however, you could, if you chose, even under the split, to make one odd and one even. I believe by keeping them both even in that case, you got two odd districts and two even in the Minot area.

REP. KRETSCHMAR These numbers are based on the current bill we have before us?

SEN. YOCKIM That is correct.

SEN. GOETZ Looking at District 40, Krebsbach/Redlin, even number, we need to resolve, do we not, the matter there in terms of four year/two year terms.

SEN. YOCKIM That is correct. I am preparing an amendment which deals with that issue, in the following matter. A district, when they nominate a candidate, will nominate that candidate for either the four year slot or two year term slot, at their nominating convention.

SEN. HOLMBERG That is exactly what occurred ten years ago in District #17/18. There was a four year term on the ballot and a two year term.

REP. RON ANDERSON, DIST. 36 Presented a proposal for the southwest area of North Dakota. This is another variation of the plan Sen. Meyer presented yesterday which followed I94. This one, I think, more closely follows county lines. You have the numbers written at the bottom, we follow within the guide lines. What it does for my district, although we are adding two counties, and a corner of Stark county to make up the final totals, it leaves the core of our district intact. I guess that is what is important to me. If you want to get into the politics of it, this is probably a more Democrat district then the other. It squares things up in my mind, at least in my district and I would hope you would consider it.

SEN. SATROM I have a couple of suggested changes in Bismarck and I will have the maps shortly, I don't have all of the computer work done.

REP. STOFFERAHN stated he was working with Sen. Thane and Rep. Hausauer trying to come up with something to accommodate the situation they wanted to accomplish in Richland County. They are still working on it.

REP. KRETSCHMAR stated he would like the committee to act on the proposal for the city of Mandan

SEN. YOCKIM made a motion to accept the proposal for both bills for the city of Mandan. SEN. KRAUTER Second the motion. By making this change we would only disrupt one precinct in the city of Mandan. Motion carried unanimously.

SEN. SATROM explained the changes for the Bismarck area. We have worked out an option for District #47 which is an improvement. It is one of the major growth districts in the state. The proposal replaces the portion of the district which was taken from it, which is essentially the area right north of the Capitol, 4th street east area, and puts that back into District 47, it is part of the neighborhood of the Northridge School, it takes a portion around Hughes and Roosevelt Schools and puts it in what is District 49, as well as rural Haycreek Township.

The other change is District 32 to the south of Bismarck. This line is very irregular and that line could be straightened out by using the border of the golf course and a subdivision line. These are the two proposals. I would recommend that as we work on the populations, that we put off acting until we have that confirmed.

REP. RITTER appeared before the committee, the way the boundary is drawn now, it does put precinct 47 back in which is a long established precinct, has a history of being established for 30 years. People living on the east side of 4th street, live one block from the voting place. This would most likely relocate their polling place to east of Hwy #83 or south of Divide Ave. I think going along with the policy of county lines and precinct lines, I think this plan does present a better plan.

3:00 PM COMMITTEE BACK TO ORDER

REP. DE MERS presented a revised plan of NE area of North Dakota. When we developed this plan, there was miscommunication between myself and Dr. Hickok, there was one small change that I had asked for which was not included in the plan we handed out this morning. All this proposal does is make that change. In District C in Grand Forks, you will see it is reduced by 156 persons, from rural Brenna Township, those persons are added into District S, which is current District 20, that evens out the numbers, that is all it does, that was the original intention. I would just as soon see the one from this morning destroyed so that we are dealing with the revised plan.

SEN. WOGSLAND I think the changes are fairly obvious as to, from the redistricting plan, which was adopted, what it has done. Beginning with District S it has gone further into what was Grand Forks and it has taken some rural portions of the city districts in Grand Forks and placed them in with Trail County. District T takes townships out of Grand Forks County, the western tier, and takes 13 townships out of Walsh County. District U, adds a bit of Towner County to the northern two tiers of townships from Rolette into Rolette County. If that is not done, District B would be too large. District B is kept down by those townships. We also have the square around Cando and Towner County and it is placed back into Towner County. Ramsey County gains the portion of Cavalier County and remains whole under this plan. Cavalier County and Pembina County are in District X, and District Y is half of Walsh with three townships in Pembina.

SEN. HOLMBERG I have a couple of questions, this plan did not meet unanimous support but what does. We have, as a committee, been extremely sensitive to the native American population trying to assure that they have a good shot at representation in the legislature. Under this proposal we do dilute somewhat, in my opinion, the influence of the native americans in the Rolette County area, by adding in townships from Towner County, was that part of the discussion as this bill went forward? I know the arithmetic of it, I just want to know the discussion that went into what this does to the native American people in Rolette County.

SEN. WOGSLAND It was not the case, nor was it the intention at all. If you take a look at the Towner Township, it seems to me it is between five and six hundred people in that area. That was not the intent and I want to make that perfectly clear. District V is too large to include the entire Towner County and if you were to put it over to Cavalier, you bring in the problems that go around the clock here. One thing that needs to be recognized is that, it is my understanding in that Towner area, that they do in fact trade in the Rolette County area.

- SEN. HOLMBERG I was not suggesting you were doing that. I just wanted to make sure that the committee was aware of the situation. If the people up there are satisfied with it, I am not saying that I have a problem with it, I am saying that whenever we make changes, we have been extremely sensitive to this, and I want to make sure we continue that sensitivity and recognition.
- REP. DE MERS I also want to assure Sen. Holmberg that we were concious of those numbers and whether you looked at total population or population eighteen and over in both categories, you still have a fairly safe majority of persons living in the district who are Native American.
- REP. STOFFERAHN The total population of Native Americans there is 8,497 in Rolette County, so it would not affect their ability to obtain representation as a minority at all.
- **SEN. HOLMBERG** Although the number of Native Americans were under 18 and unable to vote as the higher percentage from that population then it is from the other population.
- REP. DE MERS Again, though, it is 4800 to 8200, total population 18 and over, so you still have a fairly safe majority of Native Americans whether you look at total population or 18 and over.
- REP. ANDERSON Presented another proposal in map form. I only did this in behalf of the representative who testified yesterday and indicated to me that his intent was to offer this as a proposal, he didn't have it in map form and only gave it to the committee verbally. He made his explanation yesterday as he thought it was an unusual situation in that area and thought it should be corrected.
- REP. KRETSCHMAR Is the only change on the map, the two townships that are labeled 53 and 50.
- REP. ANDERSON The total population of those two townships total 103 people. I did the arithmetic on the two districts as they would be before the change and then with the addition and subtraction and then what it would be with the change.
- REP. KRETSCHMAR Then there is no change up along the northern border?
- REP. ANDERSON No other change.
- SEN. YOCKIM For the purposes of discussion, I would move this amendment. SEN. SATROM Second the motion. The amendment would shift two townships from the east McLean District into the west McLean/Mountrail District. MOTION FAILED 8 Yes 8 No

SEN. SATROM presented a proposal for Bismarck with the population numbers on it. There have two problems in Bismarck all along. Dealing with the one on the southside District 32, the design that was used in drafting the bill makes for a very irregular district for constiuents. In the precinct which is ajacent to Riverwood Golf Course, in District 32, the line was proposed to be the middle of the street of Birchwood Drive. That would place one row of houses on one side of the street in a district and another row of houses on the other side of the street in another district, including a jog which you can see in the pink booklet you all have. The proposal is to use the legal description of the east edge of Riverwood Golf Course as the new boundary line. Then the subdivision boundary would be the east/west division. I spoke with Alvin Hausauer who has been involved in local redistricting discussions and in fact, this was one of his proposals of many months ago so that this could be ironed out. Because of the way the census status developed, it is difficult to fix an exact number of population, but I think it is possible using three people per household to see that either way we fall within the perameters of the five percent of 13,037 people.

The other change is the change I discussed earlier which is replacing the Northridge area into District 47 and taking out two other areas, in the southern part of 47, putting them into 49 and then also the rural part of 47 into District 49.

REP. TIMM Do you prefer to vote on these issues separately then, you apparently want to save that one thing?

SEN. SATROM I want to save them both, but I do think it is possible to say that District 32 issue has more support.

SOUTH EASTERN NORTH DAKOTA, Wahpeton area maps were distributed to the committee for discussion.

REP. STOFFERAHN presented and explained the maps to the committee. As you can see in Richland County, in my discussion with Sen. Thane and Rep. Hausauer and Sen. Dotzenrod, we have decided that the way to solve this, is to allow Eagle Township and Colfax Township to go into District 25 and leave Walcott and Walcott Township in District 27.

REP. STOFFERAHN Made a motion to adopt the proposal with the change in Richland County as presented to the committed. SEN. WOGSLAND second the motion.

SEN. MOORE moved a substitute motion which he presented to the committee. This proposal was the Alternative #6 which Dr. Hickok had prepared and presented to the committee earlier. **REP. TIMM** second the substitute motion.

REP. KRETSCHMAR pointed out to the members of the committee that when we do amendments on redistricting plan, we are doing them on both SB 2597 and SB 2598.

REP STOFFERAHN urged that the substitute motion be defeated so they could act on the original motion which was agreed to by Sen. Thane Representative Hausauer, myself and Sen. Dotzenrod on the Richland County area.

REP. TIMM Wanted a reason why Rep. Stofferahn opposed the substitute motion other then the fact that he wanted to get on with the first part, what is the objection for preserving that county line?

REP. STOFFERAHN I have gotten short in my explanations, trying to copy your example. I think if we are going to preserve a county line it should be Dickey County. That is my firm belief.

The motion to adopt Alternative 6 proposal failed with an 8 Yes/ 8 No vote.

The change moved by Rep. Stofferahn which puts the boundary between District 25 and 27 was voted on. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

REP. STOFFERAHN then made a motion to preserve the boundary of Dickey County. SEN. WOGSLAND Second the motion. MOTION FAILED with 8 Yes 8 No

SEN. SATROM made a motion to place the southwestern portion of the city into the rural district. SEN. YOCKIM second the motion.

Sen. YOCKIM I understand this proposal is supported by the city officials and the officials of Stutsman County. We talked about preserving political boundaries, I think we can better preserve those in this proposal. I would urge us to adopt it.

MOTION FAILED 8 Yes 8 No

SEN. YOCKIM Made a motion to adopt the southwest area of North Dakota proposal presented by Rép. Ron Anderson. SEN. SATROM second the motion. MOTION FAILED 8 Yes 8 No

The committee was recessed until 5:30 PM

6:00 PM

SEN. SATROM again reviewed the Bismarck proposals for the committee. SEN. SATROM Made a motion to make the proposed change to allow the district boundaries for 32 and 52 along the Riverwood Golf Course. SEN. WOGSLAND Second the motion. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

SEN. SATROM Made a motion to adopt the other proposal in Bismarck which involved Districts 47 and 49. This proposal is injurious to at least one legislator. I would propose to move rural Haycreek Township and the Hughes and Roosevelt school areas into Dist. 49. SEN. WOGSLAND second the motion. MOTION FAILED 8 Yes 8 No

REP. KRETSCHMAR stated that there were two errors discovered in the two bills before the committee, they are technical errors and are being corrected in amendment form. One error is in an area between Fargo and West Fargo, an error in writing the description and then another in the city of Grand Forks.

SEN. WOGSLAND stated that Sen. Holmberg has put together some things that should be reviewed by the committee. He will be checking with Dr. Hickok on this.

SEN. HOLMBERG I don't want to lead the committee to believe though that it is another alternative that has been bought off, or people have bought into. I have, in front of me, numerous proposals of the northeast. My understanding earlier today was that there were a number of people who liked one of Professor Hickok's plans, which we passed as an alternative some time ago, which was called Plan B, which did follow county lines in that region. What Professor Hickok is doing, is try to take care of the concerns of Cavalier County, trying not to divide that at all and we came up with a plan that did not excite many people. In essence, it created the Red River Valley or the Interstate 29 district along the eastern part of Walsh and Pembina County. That plan did not float very high. I tried to come to some sort of middle ground, but maybe there is no middle ground. We took the proposal that was given to us this morning and made some modifications of that, those modifications have to be checked with the geographer, but if people had this particular map, I can tell them because the modifications are quite easy to plot on the map. divide counties.

District B remains as is in that proposal. District U remains as proposed. The Cavalier County and Pembina County, they are too big to put together. In this proposal that we had, is in the bottom corner of Cavalier County, where you see the strange shaped townships, that line goes over and includes one more tier of townships in that region. They would go to District W to take a few more people out of District X to make more room for more of Pembina County. The goal was to keep Pembina County whole, that of course, is not possible because there are too many people.

REP. DE MERS Is this the two townships that are north/south?

SEN. HOLMBERG No there are three of them, that line will be squared off. Yes, it is a two township area, with the small city of Alsen.

In the far east of Pembina, the two townships are returned to Pembina County, leaving only one township in the lower right hand corner of the county, outside of Pembina County. That township includes the city of Drayton, which has some 900 people. So, that is just way too big to try to cram in and still try to keep Cavalier County as whole as possible and Pembina County as whole as possible. The other changes to this plan, you would be able to add the town and township where Fordville is back into Walsh County, so the Walsh County line would go straight down and would not have that final jog above Grand Forks. This would be the lower left hand corner of Y, where that little jog is, that would go back to Y.

SEN. HOLMBERG, CONT'D. Then your line would continue down and Grand Forks County would return to where it was prior to the drawing of this map. Another change is that District T is under populated, because of this, we look at the Cooperstown area and its trade area, which does include eastern Foster County, if you take nine townships out of Foster County and attach them to their trade area, which is the Cooperstown area, I believe this District T would be low and within the tolerance we have looked at. This proposal has not been run by all of the persons involved, it is still being worked on by the geographer.

REP. KRETSCHMAR Would it include the city of Carrington?

NO That is to the west. The Foster/Stutsman District is slightly above. The Foster/Stutsman numbers are P, which is 13,003, if you take out 800, you are still within the tolerance levels.

REP. DE MERS In Foster County, are we going one row of five townships and then one row of four townships below it?

SEN. HOLMBERG No, Foster County is six across and three down, the eastern tier of townships which include nine townships and 800 people, it is 3×3 . The lines are not that straight, but they are pretty straight.

SEN. YOCKIM presented amendments to the committee pertaining to the holdover issue which provides the language change for the staggering of terms. The idea is that the holdover senators would be able to finish their term out unless they are in a district where there is another incumbent senator. There is a difference in the two amendments and one situation and that deals with the new district which is created in Fargo. Under the split district proposal, with the numbering that I passed out, we are unable to provide an even number for that new district in Fargo as it stands at this point. This would make that term in the new district in Fargo a two year term, at this point, then you would have to get back on line with the odd number later on.

REP. TIMM If the legislature adopts the combined plan, that district will be numbered what?

SEN. YOCKIM It will be numbered 38 in the proposal that I presented. The duel district numbers would be 40 and 41. Sen. Maxon's 41 district would go to District 3, it would be 3, 5, 40 and 41.

REP. KRETSCHMAR It seems to me that there is some movement in the northeastern part of the state, all those people involved will continue to work out something that will be acceptable to the committee, but it doesn't appear that the committee will be able to do that this evening. We will again meet at 8:30 AM in the morning.

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Senator Jim Yockim gaveled the committee to order pretty close to 8:30 a.m. in the Rough Rider Room. All committee members were present (see attached attendance sheet).

John Bjornson, L.C. Counsel:

He explained the amendment which deals with the method of determining the Minot dual district.

<u>Senator Yockim</u> announced that the committee was ready to hear comments about the northeast area.

Senator Raymon Holmberg: The committee was looking at changes to our original plan that could meet bipartisan support. There's not a proposal for the northeast area that meets such support. Dr. Hickok's Plan B is the only proposal that is supported by the Republicans of the northeast. This plan keeps county lines pretty much intact, except for Walsh and Cavalier counties.

Senator Dan Wogsland: Plan B hasn't met with any support; it does cut county lines. Lack of consensus is disappointing. The proposal presented last night (Nov. 5, after 6 p.m.) by the Senator from Grand Forks was acceptable. Looks like it's back to the drawing board; maybe something will develop that can pass the Senate floor.

<u>Senator Holmberg:</u> Any county line can be tinkered with. Plan B was acceptable until the committee heard that the Senator from Langdon didn't like it. In Plan B, only Walsh and Cavalier are divided.

<u>Senator Wogsland:</u> Plan B was not the only plan bantered about for the northeast section.

It was requested (Senator Goetz) that John Bjornson give an analysis

of the amendments for the staggering of terms--30022 & 30023.

John Bjornson, L.C. Counsel: 30022.0208: This amends SB 2598, which is the bill with the double districts in Minot. The fourth designation (page 23, after line 3, insert...) deals with the staggering of terms which was adopted in 1981. This is changed a senator from an even-numbered district must be elected in 1992 for a term of four years. Senators from an odd-numbered district must be elected in 1994 for a four-year term. A senator from a district in which there is another incumbent senator as a result of legislative redistricting must be elected in 1992 for a term of four years. This affects five districts, all even numbered. This will fit in quite well with the even/odd numbered scheme for having four-year terms. The combined districts will be designated as districts 40 and 41, and this will be done the same as is now done in Grand Forks with 17 and 18--the terms will be staggered so that there will be a senator elected every two years, one in Their terms will both be expiring in '92, so it will be one for a two-year term and one for a four-year term, which will be decided when the senators file their papers for nomination or they file for their endorsement certificates.

Rep. Kit Scherber, D. 44: Questioned the number of the new district in Fargo under the amendment, and if the number is odd, how the senate issue would be handled.

John Bjornson: In the amendment for SB 2598, the Fargo district would be 38. Minot would be 40 and 41. District 38 would up in 1992 for a term of four years. In 2597, the Fargo district would be 41. The wording says that the senator from district 41 must be elected in 1992 for a term of two years; in '94, the odd/even scheme would start again. This is the only difference between the two amendments. Fargo would become 41 in the amendments to 2597, and the Minot district would be 38/40.

ACTION on amendments 30022.0208 & 30023.0208

Senator Satrom moved both amendments to bills 2597 and 2598. Rep. DeMers seconded the motion. Roll call vote: 14 aye, 2 nay, 0 absent. The motion to pass the amendments carried.

John Bjornson, L.C. Counsel: SB 2597, single district bill. Districts are numbered consecutively, most being the same as present. Major differences would be 38 and 40 for the Minot single districts, and 41 for the new Fargo district. A couple other numbers would be different also: District 3 now Sen. Maxson's district would be 41; existing district 51 would be 11; current district 52 would become 30; existing district 50 would become 38/40. The amendment is in the form of a hoghouse amendment. SB 2598, dual district bill: Minot districts, 40 & 41; Fargo district 38; other changes are the same as in 2597--current district 53 becomes 31 in both bills.

ACTION on amendments 30022.0206 and 30023.0207

Senator Krauter moved the amendments on the numbering of the districts. Senator Satrom seconded the motion. Roll call vote 15 aye, 1 nay

After a recess, Senator Yockim reconvened the committee.

Wilbur Wilkinson, Chair, Three Affiliated Tribes:

He read prepared testimony asking for one district encompassing the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation. (See attached testimony.)_

<u>Senator Satrom</u> referred questions about subdistricts and reservations to Dr. Hickok.

<u>Dr. Floyd Hickok:</u> If a subdistrict is provided for Fort Berthold, then it would be fair to do the same for the other reservations-Devils Lake Sioux and Standing Rock. None would have a majority of Native Americans; the voting age population would be lower.

In answer to a question from Senator Moore, Dr. Hickok said that 66% of the population of Rollette County is Native American and 60% of the voting age population is Native American. It would be to the detriment of the Native American population there to create subdistricts.

North East Option

 $\frac{\textbf{Senator Dan Wogsland}}{\textbf{night.}} \text{ presented Senator Holmberg's plan of the previous}$

Action

Senator Wogsland moved a do pass for the Holmberg proposal for the northeast.

Rep. DeMers seconded the motion.

<u>Discussion:</u> Rep. Demers said that the plan reflects trade areas in the northeast and that she would support it. Rep. Thompson said that he would oppose the plan because it would be diluting the Indian strength in Rollette County. Rep. Stofferahn and Dr. Hickok discussed this issue and Rep. Stofferahn figured that the dilution would amount to only 2%.

After a caucus break, Senator Yockim asked L.C. Counsel Bjornson to comment on subdistricts.

John Bjornson, L.C. Counsel: The establishment of subdistricts with respect to interfering with or not diluting minority representation has been addressed by several federal courts. To date, there have been no decisions that indicate that when there's less than a majority of minority residents or less than a voting age majority that the courts would declare a plan unconstitutional. A court case in Ohio will be addressed by the Supreme Court. There must be some evidence of discrimination for the courts to seek a remedy.

<u>Senator Yockim</u> asked Mr. Bjornson if he thought the Holmberg plan would risk a court challenge.

Mr. Bjornson: With respect to the northeast area and the addition of the population of Towner County, the percentage of the minority population would be reduced by 2%. The minority would still hold a majority of the population there. Not sure about the voting age population. Without some showing that the changes were made to dilute minority voting strength, a major problem will not be created. If the redistricting is done to accommodate district size and there is no intent to dilute minority voting strength, then no problem.

Rep. Mike Timm, D. 5: The committee had decided to explore subdistricting during the interim.

Rep. Scott Stofferahn, D. 26: Agreed with above, but said that the committee could still deal with subdistricting in the special session, and the committee should also bring up senatorial terms.

<u>Senator William Goetz, D. 37:</u> The committee needs to take up subdistricting on the basis of what it does for the entire state. To do justice to the issue, this should be done during the interim.

Tape #1, B

Senator Holmberg moved a substitute motion, Plan B Alternative 5-Group C - Frameworks 2 - 49 Districts. (This was an option that the committee had looked at about a month ago.) Sen. Holmberg said that no matter what proposal the committee comes up with Walsh County will be divided. But this Plan B does not divide Pembina, Towner, Benson, Ramsey, Nelson, Steele, Griggs. One proposal that the minority in the Senate was willing to agree to was that the committee would not put together a plan for the northeast that would put two incumbent senators together but we would offer a plan that would put a Republican in a district with a Democrat incumbent, because one district is lost in that region. Plan B does that; it puts Senator Vosper in the same district with Senator Heigaard. This plan does follow county lines as much as possible.

<u>Senator Wogsland</u> offered a "substitute to the substitute to the motion"--the plan titled "Revised, Proposed November 4, 1991."

 $\underline{\text{Chair Yockim}}$ ruled not to allow such an offering as a substitute to the substitute to the motion, but he would allow a substitute motion.

<u>Senator Moore:</u> He said that he would vote for the substitute motion but he would do so with one reservation: the unnecessary division of Eddy County.

Rep. Thompson seconded the substitute motion to adopt Plan B.

Roll call vote: 8 aye, 8 nay, 0 absent. The substitution motion failed. // Finally, the roll call vote on Sen. Wogsland's motion to pass the Holmberg plan for the north east was taken: 8-8, failed. Senator Wogsland moved the revised plan; Rep. DeMers seconded the motion.

Roll call vote 8 aye, 8 may, 0 absent. The motion for the Revised plan for the northeast failed.

(Before the vote, in response to a question from Rep. Thompson, Sen. Wogsland said that District S in this plan has taken two additional townships that had been in the city of Grand Forks--these will now be in District 20--District T has taken a tier of townships off Grand Forks County and 13 townships from Walsh County; District U has taken parts of Towner County as well as all of Rolette; District V would be Benson, Eddy and most of Towner County; District X has two jogs in it; District Y encompasses most of Walsh County and parts of Pembina; District Z is most of rural Grand Forks County.

There was no other discussion before the vote.)

Rep. Judy DeMers moved the Ring amendments which Rep. Ring had introduced to the committee on Nov. 4.

Senator Wogsland seconded the motion.

Rep. De Mers explained that these amendments would keep about 200 people in the district which they are currently in--District 42.

Roll call vote: 8 aye, 8 nay, 0 absent. The motion failed.

Rep. Scott Stofferahn moved amendment 30022.0203 to SB 2598.

Senator Wogsland seconded the motion.

Rep. Stofferahn explained that this amendment would enfranchise people who wanted to vote only for president and hadn't had an

opportunity to obtain a ballot from the auditor.

Discussion: In response to a question from Rep. Timm, Rep. Stofferahn said that the ballot would have only the two presidential candidates on it. The potential voter would be one who is not a resident of the state but wants to vote for president. Rep. Timm pointed out a potential problem -- the person might vote twice -- to which Rep. Stofferahn said that this could already exist. Rep. Anderson then said that people do ask for president-only ballots and are turned away. Rep. Stofferahn clarified that people can also request the ND ballot, if they are residents; this amendment does not preclude that. Rep. DeMers said that the amendment would provide a last minute option. She mentioned the missile crews who are at their stations for a week at a time and may have difficulty complying with time restrictions. Senator Holmberg told the committee that it might be amending into the redistricting bills a concept that was defeated during the last regular session. Senator Moore pointed out that this issue should be handled by the elections portion of the interim committee after the special session had ended: the people have a right to participate in a public hearing on the issue. Senator Streibel suggested that the issue would be more properly handled via the Delayed Bills Committee. Senator Wogsland termed the amendment "an access bill." Rep. Stofferahn agreed that the Delayed Bills Comm. is a possibility, but there would be more public input at the Redistricting Comm. where a crowd was presently seated.

Roll call vote: 8 aye, 8 nay, 0 absent. The motion failed.

Rep. Stofferahn moved amendment 30022.0201 to SB 2598.

Senator Krauter seconded the motion.

Rep. Stofferahn said that the amendment would answer the question, "if I vote here, what does it mean?"

Discussion: Senator Holmberg said that the last legislative assembly looked at this issue; one of the concerns brought up was that if an individual from South Dakota who was going to NDSU votes, then that individual would no longer have to pay out-of-state tuition. Rep. Stofferahn answered that "we have a statute that is very concise and clear on this matter"--this would take precidence. Rep. DeMers pointed out that colleges have criteria to judge residency for tuition and that it is very specific in the NDCCode that those are different criteria: people have to have lived in the state for a year, etc. She said that this is a very different issue. Sen. Holmberg replied that the fact is that this concept was turned down during the last session. Rep. Anderson said that he has heard people from the military base who are standing in line to vote say, "Just what does it mean to vote?" Answers from other in line or at the polling place desk are "It may mean you have to pay taxes here...you may have to have

you car registered here...etc." Rep. DeMers mentioned that there is an affidavit procedure.

Roll call vote: 8 aye, 8 nay, 0 absent. The motion was defeated.

Rep. Scherber: Will the committee vote on technical amendments,
one of which would re-describe the lines between Fargo and West
Fargo; the other in Grand Forks.

John Bjornson: He explained the technical corrections. One refers District 13 in West Fargo--the bill says that the city limits coincide, but apparently they don't. This will have to be corrected. The other correction pertains to a reference to Grand Forks township.

Rep. William Kretschmar: Made it clear that these technical amendments only change descriptions in the bill and not the physical boundaries.

There was some discussion about how to deal with both bills: should it be with one motion or two, etc. Some committee members expressed their support or non-support for the bills. There was also discussion about special treatment for the Minot Air Force Base--Rep. Anderson said that he disagreed with Rep. Timm that Minot has a special situation; Rep. Stofferahn said that the people who live on the air base are smart enough to know where to vote.

<u>Sen. Wogsland:</u> Wanted to make it clear that procedurally there would have to be two motions. (Rep. Kretschmar checked the Rules of Mason.)

ACTION ON 2598 & 2597:

Rep. Timm moved that 2598 be passed as amended.

Rep. Larson seconded the motion.

Rep. Stofferahn moved a substitute motion for 2597--that it receive a do pass as amended.

Rep. DeMers seconded the motion.

Rep. Kretschmar said that he was willing to vote on two separate motions and that it was imperitive that all the members of the committee should know the results of the votes. He said that both bills should go out with exactly the same vote.

Roll call vote on 2597: 15 aye, 1 nay, 0 absent. Motion passed.

Rep. Kretschmar moved a do pass as amended on SB 2598.

Rep. Stofferahn seconded the motion.

Roll call vote: 15 aye, 1 nay, 0 absent. Motion passed.

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Senator Yockim presented SB 2604, a delayed bill, to the committee:

The committee dealt with the establishment of House subdistricts during the interim, which is what this bill addresses. SB 2604 calls on an interim committee to continue to work on a subdistrict plan which would be presented to the 1993 legislative session for approval. The plan would go into effect for use in the 1996 primary election. Because this would be a statute change, it must be developed and presented to the next session.

Rep. Kretschmar moved that SB 2604 be sent to the floor without recommendation.

Sen. Satrom seconded the motion.

Rep. Kretschmar explained that this would be a method to get the bill out of committee.

Senator Yockim asked that the motion be held. He said that this would be a public hearing, and he asked Senator Wogsland to present testimony on SCR 4074.

Senator Dan Wogsland, D. 23: SCR 4074 would allow the voters in the 1992 primary an opportunity to vote on whether they want subdistricts in the state of ND. Sen. Wogsland wanted to assure the Representative from Minot that in lines 5-7, there is not an attempt to solve the double district/single district issue. Sen. Wogsland would work toward having single or dual districts, depending on what happens in the legislature, done by the redistricting bill and not by SCR 4074--this would be amended accordingly regarding how this issue is settled by the Legislature. Senator Wogsland wanted to make clear to the committee and have it on record that this is not a disguise to get to single districts.

Rep. DeMers, Sen. Wogsland and Sen. Yockim recalled that there had been testimony from REC, Farm Bureau, etc. asking for this.

Sen. Holmberg: When you wrote this bill, did you consider a possible scenario: This is on the ballot in 1992. If the product--assuming there is a product of this legislature--is passed and referred to the voters. The other bill that we have passed would contemplate a special election. That special election, we have changed the timelines, and on that ballot will already be one constitutional amendment that the last session put on dealing with the bonus--the language was "at the June primary or the next statewide election." As you were working over this, did you contemplate the possibility that if this legislature passed a plan that was referred, and there was a special election, this should be on that ballot so that if the voters turned it down, then the legislature if it went back in to try to redistrict would have the returns from the voters early.

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<u>Senator Wogsland</u>: This is something that perhaps should be included in the bill. We can't legislate based on what might be referred. Wouldn't object to an amendment.

Rep. Stofferahn: This resolution would be an excellent way to get to the single district issue and subdivided House districts. To put these issues on the ballot would be a certain test. The elections committee will continue to do its work.

 $\frac{\text{Senator Yockim}}{4074.}$ asked for audience input on both SB 2606 and SCR

There was no further testimony.

Rep. Kretschmar moved that SCR 4074 be sent to the floor without recommendation.

Senator Goetz seconded the motion.

Roll call vote on SCR 4074 15 aye, 1 may, 0 absent. The motion carried.

Once again, Rep. Kretschmar moved that 2604 be sent to the floor without recommendation. Senator Wogsland seconded the motion. Roll call vote: 13 aye, 3 nay, 0 absent. The motion carried.

Senator Yockim recessed the committee until call of the chair.

1991 SPECIAL SESSION STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. SB 2597 & SB 2598

House-Senate-Joint (circle one) Committee on <u>JOINT LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING</u>	
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REP. KRETSCHMAR called the meeting to order with all committee members present.

The committee was asked to reconsider the action by which both bills were passed out of committee.

SEN. HOLMBERG made a motion to reconsider both bills and the action by which they were passed out of committee. SEN. SATROM second the motion. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

SEN. YOCKIM Made a motion to amend SB 2597 to include the language of the legislative intent that the legislative council continue to study the subdistrict issues thoughout the interim and that we develop subdistrict plans for the 49 districts that would go into effect in 1996. SEN. WOGSLAND second the motion.

SEN. YOCKIM I think we should point out, that in addition to that, someone should make a motion to develop a subdistrict for the Ft. Berthold Reservation area, to develop one subdistrict now and look at this subdistrict idea for the rest of the districts, for the rest of the interim. It would be the intent on the language as far as the rest of the districts, so if it doesn't work out we can certainly change that next session.

SEN. GOETZ Do you have a date certain then in terms of responses of districts?

REP. TIMM I think the original idea that some of us had when this issue was brought up was that we would look at the plan, but after looking at it we decided we would decide whether we want to adopt it or not, of course, your motion insists or makes it mandatory that we study it and it also makes it mandatory that we develop a plan, whether we think it is in the best interest of North Dakota or not?

SEN. YOCKIM I believe it is eventually this committee's responsibility to develop a plan that we thought would be best as far as the subdist-trict issue. Obviously, the entire legislature will decide yes or no. We are certainly not committing the entire legislature to a specific plan, what we are committing to do is to develop one that in concept could go into effect in 1996.

REP. STOFFERAHN The language as it is intended to be written, would simply commit this committee to develop a plan for implementation in 1996.

SEN. YOCKIM That would be my understanding.

REP. KRETSCHMAR This committee nor the 52nd Assembly cannot bind the next assembly or the one after that to do somebody or to refrain from doing anything. The legislative intent would say we are moving in that direction, but the legislature would have to pass the statute.

REP. TIMM What we are saying by passing this motion is that we are actually giving someone approval to go ahead with the subdistricting plan, because we are saying it will be in effect by 1996, even before we have looked at it, is what I am getting at.

SEN. YOCKIM I don't see this language as being that much different then the language in the current study resolution which directs this committee to study subdistricts in areas where I think it is greater then three thousand miles. We have a plan there but the legislature as a whole has not taken that up, or I don't think will pass that. I think the same situation will apply here. We will develop a plan and show it to the legislature next session and the legislature could choose to vote for it.

SEN. GOETZ I think before we carry on too much dialogue, I would just as soon have the language before us and lets debate the issue at that point.

REP. DE MERS It is my understanding it would be that the legislature that meets in 1993 would have to either accept or reject such a plan.

REP. KRETSCHMAR Or in 1995. We can develop language that is a little more bland, lets see what develops.

SEN. HOLMBERG Withdrew the motion he had made, SEN. SATROM second the motion.

The language will be drafted and reviewed by the committee.

SEN. YOCKIM I would draw the committee's attention to the Jamestown plan which was presented to the committee earlier, I would move an amendment to SB 2597 and SB 2598. The amendment is to amend the Jamestown/Stutsman County area plan by removing Precinct 4 on the southwest corner and placing it in the rural district, the rest of the city of Jamestown would be in the city district. REP. DE MERS second the motion.

SEN. STREIBEL TO DR. HICKOK Would that place the Jamestown State Hospital in the urban area?

DR. HICKOK This amendment would place the state hospital in the city district.

SEN. STREIBEL What other, if any, area is involved?

DR. HICKOK I have no idea how it involves the residents or the incumbents. You would have to take care of that yourself. reasonable to respect the city's wishes to not want to disrupt existing precincts. They have had six precincts for a fairly long period of time and the numbers do work out correctly to place the southwest precinct into the rural, and the other five constitutes the other city districts.

SEN. MOORE Is there going to be any problem with identification of the line on the south side?

DR. HICKOK The city limit is well established along the southside. Part of that city limit has a county road on it, but not much. I would not see that there is a potential of problems to occur along the south. My largest concern for potential problems concerning the potential of a superceded city limit, would be on the north edge of the city, or the east edge along the airport. The way we gave the legal description, it does cut off that extension of city to the east, it narrows down to a right-of-way and goes out and includes a fertilizer There is no population there and we felt that it would look rather badly on the map to have the district boundary go out and include that fertilizer plant and have it attached to the district by the medien or the highway, it involves no people. There is one other small discrepancy of what the census shows as the northern city limit and what the city maps show, I don't think it involves any people, the census map shows the city limit as going across the dam.

- REP. THOMPSON This isn't particularily for Jamestown, but for city limits, are we protected in this bill now where those situations could arise where you would get superceded in a district, do we need some statement in there regarding city limits as of a certain date?
- DR. HICKOK I believe there is a section in the bill of legislative intent that mentions both city limits and indian reservation boundaries.
- **SEN. MOORE** So that we are absolutely certain, the motion was to take this precinct out, is it understood that the fertilizer plant and the road to it, not be included?
- **SEN. YOCKIM** Yes, to clarify the motion, it makes reference to the Jamestown plan that was presented to the committee and that plan indicates that the fertilizer plant is excluded.
- REP. KRETSCHMAR Before we vote on this motion, there has been a request made that the Republican party members wish to caucus. The committee will be in recess until 10:25 AM

10:25 AM

- REP. KRETSCHMAR The motion is still before us which was being discussed before we recessed, relating to the Jamestown/Stutsman County districts. MOTION CARRIED 15 Yes 1 No
- SEN. YOCKIM You have had handed out by Dr. Hickok some time ago a packet of material regarding subdistricts and I want to address the plan he presented, the Mountrail/McLean County area. I move to adopt this plan as presented by Dr. Hickok. SEN. SATROM second the motion.
- DR. HICKOK This plan would included all of the reservation in Mountrail County and would include all of McLean County in that district. Unfortunately, there is not sufficient population in those two entities to complete the subdistrict, it is about 8% almost 9% below the ideal size if you do not include either some more of Mountrail County or out of the corner of Ward County. What I had proposed is to use two townships in Ward County. The reservation does extend into those townships. The reservation population in Ward County is only, I believe, 4l people and none of them are Indian. But if you do not include either those two townships and the one small city which is imbedded in that subdistrict, you would have to perhaps go up to the township line in Mountrail County.
- **SEN. STREIBEL** Those five townships that appear on the line that goes right through the letter K, it appears they are divided one third and two thirds, north and south, what is the reason or rationale, when we talk about keeping geographical boundaries and all that?
- DR. HICKOK That is the norhtern boundary of the reservation.

Amendments for proposed language for legislative intent section of both SB 2597 and SB 2598 were presented to the committee.

SEN. GOETZ Made a motion to adopt the amendments for the proposed SEN. YOCKIM second the motion. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

SEN. YOCKIM Made a motion for a DO PASS AS AMENDED for SB 2597. SEN. WOGSLAND Second the motion.

SEN. TALLACKSON Appeared before the committee with a request that the committee reconsider before voting on SB 2597. He pointed out that the committee did not follow neither of the quide lines which were adopted to start with, relating to Walsh County, it does not follow county lines or shopping paterns. It moves Pembina County down into Walsh and divides Walsh County in half, so I would request that this committee reconsider the Holmberg Plan and that you caucus with each of your party members on this plan.

REP. KRETSCHMAR We may not be able to do that, but we will certainly take the matter under consideration.

SEN. YOCKIM I think we ought to proceed and after we pass the bill out, there will be a chance to caucus prior going to the floor and if something changes, we can come back again.

SEN. STREIBEL I don't want to be redundant but my vote will be an Aye vote, but I will not necessarily vote aye later.

REP. KRESCHMAR Every member of the legislature has that right and that privilege.

The motion for a do pass as amended carried. 12 Yes REP. KRETSCHMAR stated he would carry the bill when it got to the House Floor.

SEN. YOCKIM Moved a DO NOT PASS AS AMENDED ON SB 2598. REP. ANDERSON Second the motion. MOTION CARRIED 10 Yes 6 No REP. R. LARSON Was given the floor assignment.

With no further business before the committee, the committee was adjourned.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2597

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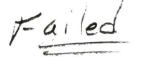
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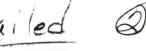
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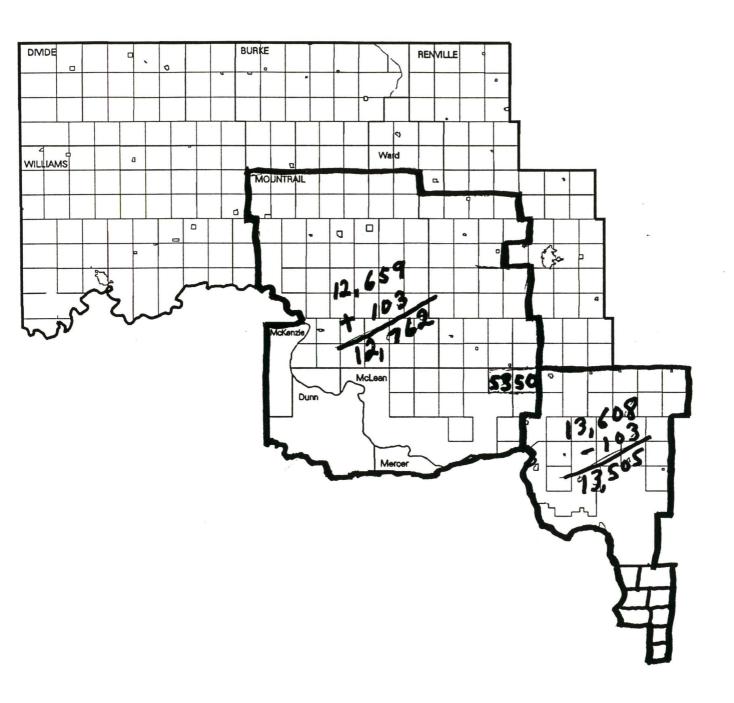
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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2597

Page 1, line 12, replace lines 12 through 22 with:

- "1. District A consists of Abercrombie, Antelope, Brandenburg, Center, Colfax, Devillo, Dwight, Eagle, Fairmount, Greendale, Ibsen, La Mars, Mooreton, Nansen, Summit, Walcott, and Waldo townships in Richland County.
- District B consists of all of Ransom County; all of Richland County except those portions contained in District A; and Dunbar, Hall, Herman, Kingston, Marboe, Milnor, Ransom, Rutland, Shuman, Tewaukon, Weber, and Willey townships in Sargent County, except this district does not include the city of Forman.
- 3. District C consists of all of Dickey County except those portions contained in District D; all of LaMoure County; and all of Sargent County except those portions contained in District B.
- 4. District D consists of Albertha, Albion, Elm, German, Grand Valley, Hamburg, Keystone, Lorraine, Northwest, Potsdam, Spring Valley, Valley, Whitestone, and Young townships in Dickey County; all of Emmons County; all of Logan County; and all of McIntosh County."

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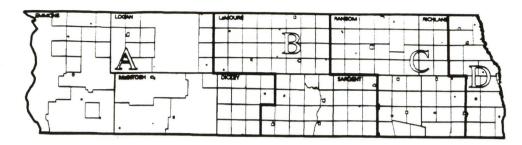
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Alternative 6 - Group E - Frameworks 2 & 3 - 49 Districts

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C	12,989	9,614	34	26	2,013.81	-0.37
D	13,371	9,666	402	137	739.44	2.56

District A - Alternative 6 - Group E - Frameworks 2 & 3 - 49 Districts

Part of **Dickey** County (793) including all of Albertha, Albion, Elm, German, Grand Valley, Hamburg, Keystone, Lorraine, Northwest, Potsdam, Spring Valley, Valley, Whitestone, and Young townships, all of Forbes, Merricourt, and Monango cities. All of **Emmons** County. All of **Logan** County. All of **McIntosh** County. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 26 (172), 28 (3100), 30 (9219).

District B - Alternative 6 - Group E - Frameworks 2 & 3 - 49 Districts

Part of Dickey County (5314) including all of Ada, Bear Creek, Clement, Divide, Elden, Ellendale, Hudson, James River Val, Kent, Kentner, Lovell, Maple, Port Emma, Porter, Riverdale, Van Meter, Wright, and Yorktown townships, all of Ellendale, Fullerton, Ludden, and Oakes cities. All of La Moure County. Part of Sargent County (2258) including all of Bowen, Brampton, Denver, Forman, Harlem, Jackson, Sargent, Southwest, Taylor, Verser, Vivian, and Whitestone Hill townships, all of Cogswell, Forman, and Grinner cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 26 (7572), 28 (5383).

District C - Alternative 6 - Group E - Frameworks 2 & 3 - 49 Districts

All of Ransom County. Part of Richland County (4777) including all of Barney, Barrie, Belford, Brightwood, Danton, Dexter, Duerr, Elma, Freeman, Garborg, Grant, Helendale, Homestead, Liberty Grove, Moran, Sheyenne, Viking, West End, and Wyndmere townships, all of Barney, Hankinson, Lidgerwood, Mantador, and Wyndmere cities. Part of Sargent County (2291) including all of Dunbar, Hall, Herman, Kingston, Marboe, Milnor, Ransom, Rutland, Shuman, Tewaukon, Weber, and Willey townships, all of Cayuga, Havana, Milnor, and Rutland cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 26 (2611), 27 (10378).

District D - Alternative 6 - Group E - Frameworks 2 & 3 - 49 Districts

Part of **Richland** County (13371) including all of Abercrombie, Antelope, Brandenburg, Center, Colfax, Devillo, Dwight, Eagle, Fairmount, Greendale, Ibsen, La Mars, Mooreton, Nansen, Summit, Walcott, and Waldo

townships, all of Abercrombie, Christine, Colfax, Dwight, Fairmount, Great Bend, Mooreton, Wahpeton, and Walcott cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 25 (12233), 27 (1138).

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Krauter, Aaron			Kretschmar, Willia	am	_
Moore, Don			Larson, Rod		
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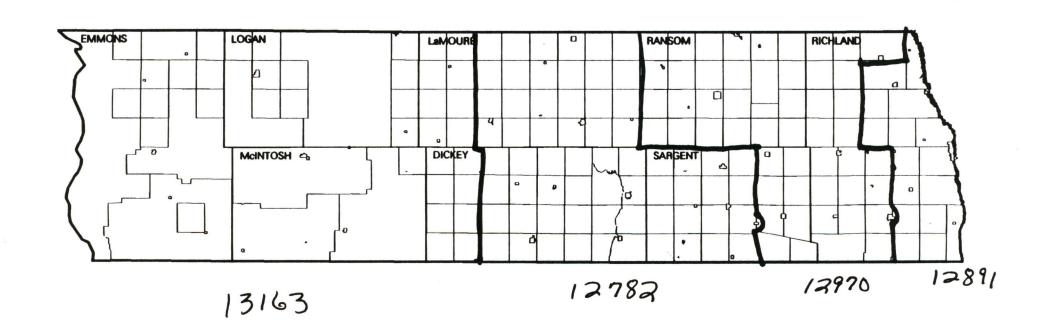


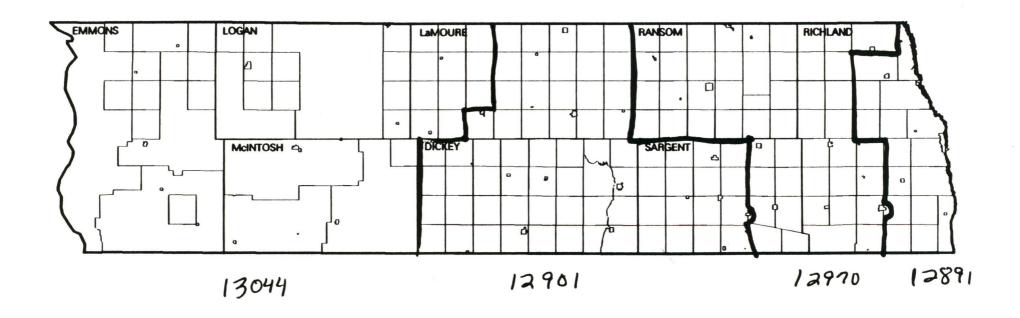
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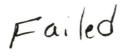
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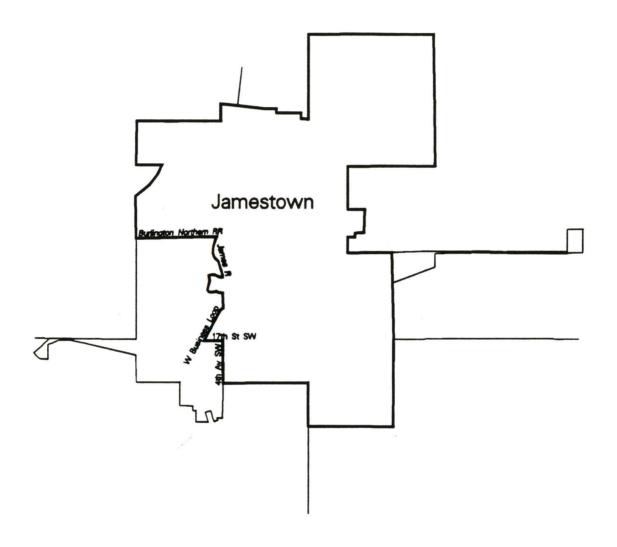
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Foster - Stutsman Plan Proposed October 15, 1991

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P District. All of Foster County. Part of Stutsman County (9334) including all of Alexander, Ashland, Bloom, Bloomenfield, Buchanan, Chicago, Conklin, Corinne, Corwin, Courtenay, Cusator, Deer Lake, Durham, Edmunds, Eldridge, Flint, Fried, Gerber, Germania, Glacier, Gray, Griffin, Hidden, Homer, Iosco, Jim River Valle, Kensal, Lenton, Lippert, Lowery, Lyon, Manns, Marston Moor, Midway, Montpelier, Moon Lake, Newbury, Nogosek, Paris, Peterson, Pingree, Pipestem Valley, Plainview, Rose, Round Top, St. Paul, Severn, Sharlow, Sinclair, Spiritwood, Stirton, Streeter, Strong, Sydney, Valley Spring, Wadsworth, Walters, Weld, Windsor, Winfield, Woodbury, and Ypsilanti townships, all of Buchanan, Cleveland, Courtenay, Kensal, Medina, Montpelier, Pingree, Spiritwood Lake, Streeter, and Woodworth cities, part of Jamestown (2664) city, and unorganized territory (30). This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 12 (3983), 29 (5673), 48 (3661).

Jamestown District. Part of Stutsman County (12907) including part of Jamestown (12907) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 29 (4896), 48 (8011).

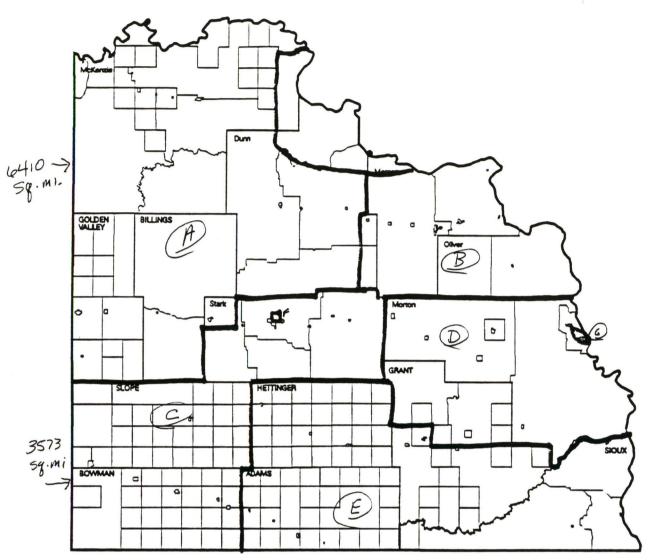




1991 SPECIAL SESSION STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 58 2597- 2598

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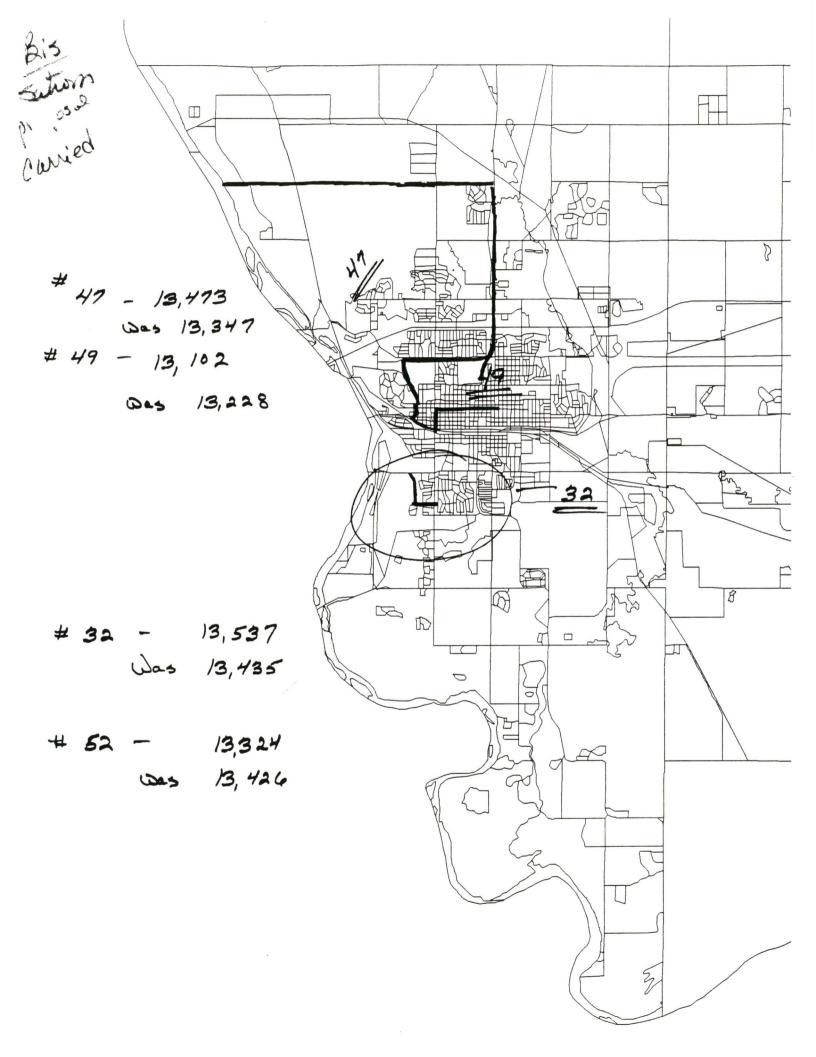
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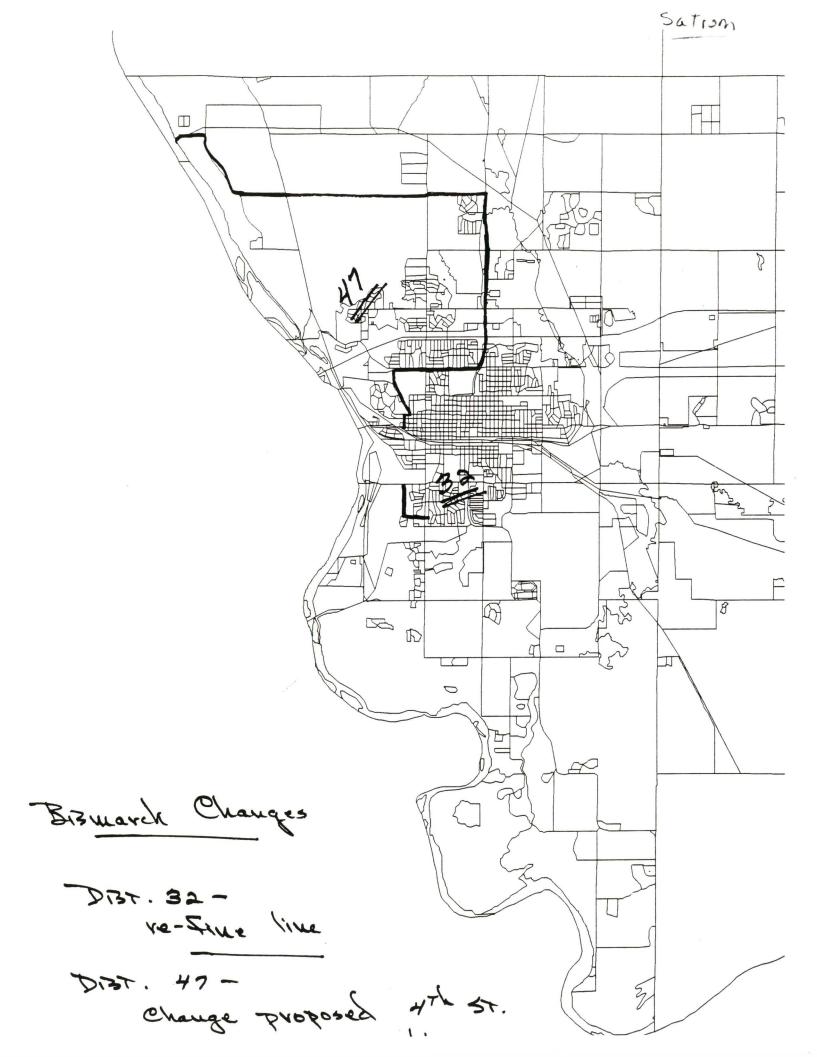


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1991 SPECIAL SESSION STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 2591,2598

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2598

Page 1, line 3, after "redistricting;" insert "to amend and reenact section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to terms of senators;"

Page 1, underscore lines 9 through 21 and underscore pages 2 through 22

Page 23, underscore lines 1 through 3

Page 23, after line 3, insert:

"SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

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The two senators for the combined seventeenth and eighteenth districts forty and forty-one must be elected in 1982 1992, one for a term of four years and one for a term of two years. For any election in that multisenator district in which both seats are to be filled, all papers indicating the office sought, including any certificate of endorsement, filing petition, certificate of nomination, ballot, or certificate of election, must also indicate the term sought."

Renumber accordingly

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Renumber accordingly

1991 SPECIAL SESSION STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 2591 + 2598

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Senators	Yes	No	Representatives	Yes	No
Goetz, William G.		-	Anderson, Bruce		
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If the vote is on an amendment, briefly indicate intent:

1991 SPECIAL SESSION STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 2591, 2598

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2598

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for redistricting of the legislative assembly; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative redistricting; to repeal section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state legislative apportionment; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Legislative redistricting. Each legislative district is entitled to one senator and two representatives. Districts 40 and 41 are combined and are entitled to two senators and four representatives elected at large. The legislative districts of the state are formed as follows:

- 1. District 1 consists of that part of the city of Williston and that part of Williston township in Williams County bound by a line commencing at the point where the west side of section 27 of township 154-101 intersects the shore of Lake Sakakawea, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of forty-second street, thence east on forty-second street to its intersection with the centerline of university avenue. thence south on university avenue until university avenue becomes the city limit and continuing south on that line as far as the city limit coincides with university avenue. thence east and south on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street east, thence east on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the west boundary of Stoney Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea, thence west on the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea to the point of beginning.
- District 2 consists of all of Burke County and Divide County; and all of Williams County except that portion contained in District 1.
- 3. Minot District 3 consists of McKinley, Margaret, Maryland, Nedrose, Sundre, and Surrey townships in Ward County; and those portions of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County east of a line commencing at the southeast corner of Harrison township, thence north on the Harrison township boundary to the point where its coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its

intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way to the centerline of north broadway, thence north on north broadway until its intersection with the north boundary of Harrison township.

- 4. District 4 consists of all of Mountrail County; those portions of Dunn County, McKenzie County, and Mercer County within the Fort Berthold reservation; that part of McLean County west of a line commencing at the intersection of the McLean County line and the east side of township 147-85, thence north to the northeast corner of Saint Mary township, thence east to the southeast corner of McGinnis township, thence north to the northeast corner of McGinnis township, thence west to the southwest corner of Douglas township, thence north to the county line; and Anna, Berthold, Burt, Cameron, Carpio, Des Lacs, Evergreen, Foxholm, Hiddenwood, Hilton, Kirkelie, Linton, Lund, Mandan, Mayland, Orlien, Passport, Ree, Rice Lake, Rolling Green, Ryder, Saint Mary, Shealey, Spring Lake, Tolgen, Torning, and Vang townships in Ward County.
- 5. Minot District 5 consists of that part of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of third street northeast, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended straight line from fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west. thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until the intersection of the centerline of central avenue and the centerline of sixteenth street southwest, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three bypass, thence south on the United States highway eighty-three bypass to the centerline of United States highway fifty-two, thence west on United States highway fifty-two until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-third street southwest, thence south on thirty-third street southwest until its intersection with twentieth avenue southwest, thence east on twentieth avenue southwest until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 34 of Harrison township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the south boundary of Harrison township, thence east on the south boundary of Harrison township until it reaches the Minot city limit, thence east on the city limit until its intersection with the south boundary of Harrison township near the intersection of the centerline of thirty-seventh avenue southeast and the centerline of second street southeast, thence east and north

on the Harrison township boundary to the point the township boundary coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until the point of beginning.

- 6. District 6 consists of all of Bottineau County and Renville County; and Baden, Carbondale, Denmark, Elmdale, Greenbush, Kenmare, Sauk Prairie, and Spencer townships in Ward County.
- 7. District 7 consists of all of McHenry County and Pierce County; and Brillian, Freedom, Gasman, Greely, Iota Flat, Newman, New Prairie, Rushville, Sawyer, and Willis townships in Ward County.
- 8. District 8 consists of all of Burleigh County except that portion contained in districts 14, 30, 32, 47, and 49; and all of McLean County except that portion contained in District 33.
- 9. District 9 consists of Rolette County.
- 10. District 10 consists of all of Cavalier County except those portions contained in District 12; and all of Pembina County except those portions contained in District 16.
- District 11 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line beginning at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive south, thence north on university drive south until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street south, thence south on thirty-second street south until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 12. District 12 consists of all of Benson County and Eddy County; Bruce, Cypress, Glenila, Seivert, and Trier townships in Cavalier County; Chain Lakes, Coulee, and Pelican townships in Ramsey County; and all of Towner County except those portions contained in District 15.

- District 13 consists of those portions of Barnes, Mapleton, Raymond, and Reed townships in Cass County and all of the city of West Fargo bound by a line commencing at the common city limits of Fargo and West Fargo at the intersection of the centerline of nineteenth avenue north and the centerline of ninth street east in West Fargo, thence south on the Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence south on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the southeast corner of the city, thence south on a line from that point until its intersection with the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence west on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Mapleton township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 35 of Raymond township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.
- 14. District 14 consists of all of Kidder County, Sheridan County, and Wells County; and Boyd, Canfield, Christiania, Clear Lake, Cromwell, Driscoll, Estherville, Florence Lake, Frances, Ghylin, Grass Lake, Harriet, Hazel Grove, Lein, Logan, Long Lake, McKenzie, Menoken, Missouri, Morton, Richmond, Rock Hill, Schrunk, Sibley Butte, Steiber, Sterling, Taft, Telfer, Thelma, Trygg, Wild Rose, Wilson, and Wing townships, and townships 141-76 and 143-75 in Burleigh County.
- 15. District 15 consists of all of Ramsey County except those portions contained in District 23 and District 12 and Bethel, Cando, Coolin, and Maza townships in Towner County.
- 16. District 16 consists of all of Walsh County except those portions contained in District 23; and Crystal, Drayton, Elora, Gardar, Midland, and Saint Thomas townships in Pembina County.
- District 17 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that portion of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence east on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of lanark avenue, thence northeast on lanark avenue until its extended centerline intersects with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the south boundary of Grand Forks township, thence west on the south boundary of Grand Forks township until its intersection with the west boundary of Brenna township, thence north on the west boundary of Brenna township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 3 of Brenna township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence east on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of

- washington street, thence north on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 18. District 18 consists of that part of Blooming, Falconer, Mekinock, and Rye townships and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended straight line of the centerline of lanark avenue and the centerline of the Red River, thence southwest on lanark avenue until its intersection with the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence west on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence north on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of gateway drive, thence west on gateway drive and United States highway two until its intersection with the south entrance of the Grand Forks air force base, known as eielson street, thence north on eielson street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue, thence east on seventh avenue until the extended centerline of seventh avenue intersects with the centerline of j street, thence south on j street until its intersection with the centerline of juniper avenue, thence east on juniper avenue until its extended centerline intersects the west boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the Blooming township boundary until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the southeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the east boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Rye township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-seventh avenue north, thence east on twenty-seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of mill road, thence north on mill road following the city limit to the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 19. District 19 consists of all of Grand Forks County except that portion contained in districts 17, 18, 20, 42, and 43.
- 20. District 20 consists of all of Traill County; Bell, Dows, Hunter, Kinyon, and Noble townships in Cass County; and Allendale, Americus, Bentru, Chester, Fairfield, Michigan, Oakville, Pleasant View, Union, Walle, and Washington townships in Grand Forks County.
- 21. District 21 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of

an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive south, thence north on university drive south until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence west on main avenue to the city limit, thence north, west, and east following the city limit to the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive north, thence south on university drive north until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north. thence east on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence north on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of ninth avenue north, thence east on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- 22. District 22 consists of all of Cass County except that portion contained in districts 11, 13, 20, 21, 38, 44, 45, and 46.
- 23. District 23 consists of all of Griggs County, Nelson County, and Steele County; Bartlett, Lawton, Lillehoff, Nixon, Odessa, Ontario, and Stevens townships in Ramsey County; and Adams, Cleveland, Dewey, Golden, Kinloss, Lampton, Latona, Medford, Norton, Perth, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Tiber, Vernon, and Vesta townships in Walsh County.
- 24. District 24 consists of all of Barnes County.
- 25. District 25 consists of Abercrombie, Antelope, Barney, Belford, Brandenburg, Center, Devillo, Dwight, Fairmount, Greendale, Ibsen, La Mars, Mooreton, Nansen, Summit, and Waldo townships in Richland County.
- 26. District 26 consists of all of Dickey County except those portions contained in District 28; all of LaMoure County except those portions contained in District 28; and all of Sargent County except those portions contained in District 27.
- 27. District 27 consists of all of Ransom County; all of Richland County except those portions contained in District 25; and Hall, Herman, Kingston, Marboe, Milnor, Ransom, Shuman, and Tewaukon townships in Sargent County, except this district does not include the city of Rutland.

- 28. District 28 consists of all of Emmons County, Logan County, and McIntosh County; Albertha, German, Grand Valley, Lorraine, Northwest, Spring Valley, Whitestone, and Young townships in Dickey County; and Bluebird, Glen, Mikkelson, Norden, Pomona View, Raney, Ray, and Swede townships in LaMoure County.
- 29. District 19 consists of all of Foster County; and all of Stutsman County except that portion contained in District 48.
- District 30 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County and unorganized territory bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four and the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of east divide avenue, thence west on east divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of north twenty-sixth street, thence south on north twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of north twelfth street, thence south on north twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c. thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of augsburg avenue, thence west on augsburg avenue until its intersection with the centerline of reno drive, thence north on reno drive until its intersection with the centerline of reno avenue. thence east on reno avenue until its intersection with the centerline of eastwood street, thence north on eastwood street until its intersection with the centerline of birchwood drive, thence west and north on birchwood drive until its intersection with the centerline of easy street. thence east on easy street until its intersection with the centerline of westwood street, thence north on westwood street and an extended straight line until its intersection with Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence south on the Missouri River until its intersection with the west boundary of Missouri township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning except the line follows the Lincoln city limit west, north, and east back to the section line.

- 31. District 31 consists of all of Morton County except that portion contained in District 34; and Elm, Lark, Leipzig, and Otter Creek townships, and townships 134-86, 134-87, 135-86, 135-87, 135-88, 135-90, 136-85, 136-86, 136-87, 136-88, 136-89, 136-90, 137-88, 137-89, and 137-90 in Grant County.
- District 32 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County bound by a line commencing at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the Missouri River, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of augsburg avenue, thence west on augsburg avenue until its intersection with the centerline of reno drive, thence north on reno drive until its intersection with the centerline of reno avenue. thence east on reno avenue until its intersection with the centerline of eastwood street, thence north on eastwood street until its intersection with the centerline of birchwood drive, thence west and north on birchwood drive until its intersection with the centerline of easy street. thence east on easy street until its intersection with the centerline of westwood street, thence north on westwood street and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- 33. District 33 consists of all of Oliver County; all of Mercer County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation; and that part of Dunn County east and south of a line commencing at the southwest corner of section 19 of township 141-92, thence north to the northwest corner of township 144-92, thence east to the southwest corner of section 34 of township 145-92, thence north to the boundary of the Fort Berthold reservation, thence east following the Fort Berthold reservation boundary to the county line.
- 34. District 34 consists of that part of the city of Mandan and adjacent unorganized territory bound by a line beginning at the point where the centerline of the Heart River crosses the west city limit, thence north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of eighth avenue northwest, thence north on eighth avenue northwest until its intersection with the city limit, thence east on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence south on the city limit until the

point at which the city limit turns southeast, thence south on a line until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of twenty-fourth avenue southeast and the centerline of memorial highway, thence south on twenty-fourth avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence west on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence south on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the Heart River, thence west on the Heart River to the point of beginning.

- 35. District 35 consists of all of Adams County, Hettinger County, and Sioux County; and all of Grant County except those portions contained in District 31.
- 36. District 36 consists of all of Stark County except that portion contained in District 37; and all of Dunn County except that portion contained in districts 4 and 33.
- 37. District 37 consists of that part of the city of Dickinson and adjacent unorganized territory to the north bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of broadway and the centerline of state avenue, thence north on state avenue and on a line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 28 of township 140-96, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the northeast corner of section 26 of township 140-96, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue east and the centerline of east villard street, thence west on east villard street until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence west on broadway to the point of beginning.
- 38. Fargo District 38 consists of that part of Barnes township and that part of Stanley township, and that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street south, thence south on seventeenth street south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south and a straight line following section lines to county road six, thence west on county road six to the west boundary of Stanley township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 19 of Barnes

township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence north on a straight line to its intersection with the West Fargo city limit, thence north on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence east on main avenue until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street south, thence south on thirty-second street south until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south to the point of beginning.

- 39. District 39 consists of all of Billings County, Bowman County, Golden Valley County, and Slope County; and all of McKenzie County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation.
- 40 and 41. Districts 40 and 41 are combined. The combined district consists of:

District 40 which consists of all of Afton, Burlington, Eureka, Tatman, and Waterford townships in Ward County; and all of Harrison township in Ward County except for those portions contained in districts 3, 5, and 41; and

District 41 which consists of that part of Harrison township and that part of the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the point where the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, known as north broadway, intersects the north boundary of Harrison township. thence south on a straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way to an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended line from fifth street northwest to the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until the intersection of the centerline of central avenue and the centerline of sixteenth street southwest, thence west on central avenue west and an extended line until its intersection with the west side of section 22 of Harrison township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the Harrison township boundary, thence east on the Harrison township boundary to the point of beginning.

42. District 42 consists of that part of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at a point where the centerline of gateway drive intersects the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence east on gateway drive until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence south on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence east on sixth avenue north

until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence north on fifty-fifth street to the point of beginning.

- 43. District 43 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that part of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Brenna township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence south on fifty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 44. District 44 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of ninth avenue north and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence south on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north, thence west on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of university drive north, thence north on university drive north until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence east on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street north, thence north on tenth street north until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue north, thence east on thirty-second avenue north and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 45. District 45 consists of the city of North River, that part of the city of Fargo, Fargo township, and that part of Reed township bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the extended centerline of thirty-second avenue north with the centerline of the Red River, thence west on thirty-second avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of

broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street north, thence south on tenth street north until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence west on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive north, thence north on university drive north until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north. thence west on twelfth avenue north to the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine. thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the east side of section 9 of Reed township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the Reed township boundary, thence east on the Reed township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- 46. Fargo District 46 consists of that part of Stanley township in Cass County, including the city of Briarwood and that part of the city of Fargo bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River. thence west on seventeenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street south, thence south on seventeenth street south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south and a straight line following section lines until its intersection with county road six, thence west on county road six until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the south boundary of Stanley township, thence east on the Stanley township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 47. District 47 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and the centerline of the Missouri River, thence east on the boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence south on United

States highway eighty-three until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence south on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.

- 48. District 48 consists of that part of the city of Jamestown bound by a line commencing on the city limit at a point on or near the northeast corner of section 31 of township 140-63. thence north on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth street southwest, thence east on seventeenth street southwest until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two hundred eighty-one, known as west business loop, thence north on west business loop until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street, thence east on tenth street until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way at or near the center of section 31 of township 140-63, thence south on the burlington northern railway right of way to the point that the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the east side of section 6 of township 139-63, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.
- 49. District 49 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hav Creek township and its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence east on the north boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of east divide avenue, thence west on east divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of north twenty-sixth street, thence south on north twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of north twelfth street, thence south on north twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence east on divide avenue until its intersection with the

centerline of fourth street, thence north on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence north to the point of beginning.

SECTION 2. REPEAL. Section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 3. BOUNDARIES. Any reference in the legislative district descriptions to a city limit or the Fort Berthold reservation boundary as a boundary line refers to the limit or boundary as it existed on January 1, 1990, as shown on the 1990 census maps. A legislative district boundary using the Fort Berthold reservation or city limit lines does not migrate as the Fort Berthold reservation boundary or city limits migrate. For purposes of legislative district descriptions, unless cities are otherwise specifically named, townships encompass all the territory within their outer boundaries.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act becomes effective on the date it is filed with the secretary of state."

Renumber accordingly

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2597

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for redistricting of the legislative assembly; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative redistricting; to repeal section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state legislative apportionment; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Legislative redistricting. Each legislative district is entitled to one senator and two representatives. The legislative districts of the state are formed as follows:

- 1. District 1 consists of that part of the city of Williston and that part of Williston township in Williams County bound by a line commencing at the point where the west side of section 27 of township 154-101 intersects the shore of Lake Sakakawea, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of forty-second street, thence east on forty-second street to its intersection with the centerline of university avenue. thence south on university avenue until university avenue becomes the city limit and continuing south on that line as far as the city limit coincides with university avenue. thence east and south on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street east, thence east on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the west boundary of Stoney Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea, thence west on the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea to the point of beginning.
- District 2 consists of all of Burke County and Divide County; and all of Williams County except that portion contained in District 1.
- 3. District 3 consists of McKinley, Margaret, Maryland, Nedrose, Sundre, and Surrey townships in Ward County; and those portions of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County east of a line commencing at the southeast corner of Harrison township, thence north on the Harrison township boundary to the point where its coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its

intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way to the centerline of north broadway, thence north on north broadway until its intersection with the north boundary of Harrison township.

- 4. District 4 consists of all of Mountrail County; those portions of Dunn County, McKenzie County, and Mercer County within the Fort Berthold reservation; that part of McLean County west of a line commencing at the intersection of the McLean County line and the east side of township 147-85, thence north to the northeast corner of Saint Mary township, thence east to the southeast corner of McGinnis township, thence north to the northeast corner of McGinnis township, thence west to the southwest corner of Douglas township, thence north to the county line; and Anna, Berthold, Burt, Cameron, Carpio, Des Lacs, Evergreen, Foxholm, Hiddenwood, Hilton, Kirkelie, Linton, Lund, Mandan, Mayland, Orlien, Passport, Ree, Rice Lake, Rolling Green, Ryder, Saint Mary, Shealey, Spring Lake, Tolgen, Torning, and Vang townships in Ward County.
- 5. District 5 consists of that part of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of third street northeast, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended line from fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until the intersection of the centerline of central avenue and the centerline of sixteenth street southwest, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three bypass, thence south on the United States highway eighty-three bypass to the centerline of United States highway fifty-two, thence west on United States highway fifty-two until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-third street southwest, thence south on thirty-third street southwest until its intersection with twentieth avenue southwest, thence east on twentieth avenue southwest until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 34 of Harrison township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the south boundary of Harrison township, thence east on the south boundary of Harrison township until it reaches the Minot city limit, thence east on the city limit until its intersection with the south boundary of Harrison township near the intersection of the centerline of thirty-seventh avenue southeast and the centerline of second street southeast, thence east and north on the Harrison township boundary to the point the township boundary coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street

southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until the point of beginning.

- 6. District 6 consists of all of Bottineau County and Renville County; and Baden, Carbondale, Denmark, Elmdale, Greenbush, Kenmare, Sauk Prairie, and Spencer townships in Ward County.
- 7. District 7 consists of all of McHenry County and Pierce County; and Brillian, Freedom, Gasman, Greely, Iota Flat, Newman, New Prairie, Rushville, Sawyer, and Willis townships in Ward County.
- 8. District 8 consists of all of Burleigh County except that portion contained in Districts 14, 30, 32, 47, and 49; and all of McLean County except that portion contained in District 33.
- 9. District 9 consists of Rolette County.
- 10. District 10 consists of all of Cavalier County except those portions contained in District 12; and all of Pembina County except those portions contained in District 16.
- 11. District 11 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line beginning at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive south, thence north on university drive south until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street south, thence south on thirty-second street south until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 12. District 12 consists of all of Benson County and Eddy County; Bruce, Cypress, Glenila, Seivert, and Trier townships in Cavalier County; Chain Lakes, Coulee, and Pelican townships in Ramsey County; and all of Towner County except those portions contained in District 15.
- 13. District 13 consists of those portions of Barnes, Mapleton, Raymond, and Reed townships in Cass County and all of the

city of West Fargo bound by a line commencing at the common city limits of Fargo and West Fargo at the intersection of the centerline of mineteenth avenue north and the centerline of ninth street east in West Fargo, thence south on the Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence south on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the southeast corner of the city, thence south on a line from that point until its intersection with the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence west on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Mapleton township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 35 of Raymond township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.

- 14. District 14 consists of all of Kidder County, Sheridan County, and Wells County; and Boyd, Canfield, Christiania, Clear Lake, Cromwell, Driscoll, Estherville, Florence Lake, Frances, Ghylin, Grass Lake, Harriet, Hazel Grove, Lein, Logan, Long Lake, McKenzie, Menoken, Missouri, Morton, Richmond, Rock Hill, Schrunk, Sibley Butte, Steiber, Sterling, Taft, Telfer, Thelma, Trygg, Wild Rose, Wilson, and Wing townships, and townships 141-76 and 143-75 in Burleigh County.
- 15. District 15 consists of all of Ramsey County except those portions contained in Districts 12 and 23 and Bethel, Cando, Coolin, and Maza townships in Towner County.
- 16. District 16 consists of all of Walsh County except those portions contained in District 23; and Crystal, Drayton, Elora, Gardar, Midland, and Saint Thomas townships in Pembina County.
- 17. District 17 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that portion of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence east on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of lanark avenue, thence northeast on lanark avenue until its extended centerline intersects with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the south boundary of Grand Forks township, thence west on the south boundary of Grand Forks township until its intersection with the west boundary of Brenna township, thence north on the west boundary of Brenna township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 3 of Brenna township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence east on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street to the point of beginning.

- 18. District 18 consists of that part of Blooming, Falconer, Mekinock, and Rye townships and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended straight line of the centerline of lanark avenue and the centerline of the Red River, thence southwest on lanark avenue until its intersection with the centerline of tenth avenue south. thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence west on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence north on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of gateway drive, thence west on gateway drive and United States highway two until its intersection with the south entrance of the Grand Forks air force base, known as eielson street, thence north on eielson street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue, thence east on seventh avenue until the extended centerline of seventh avenue intersects with the centerline of j street, thence south on j street until its intersection with the centerline of juniper avenue, thence east on juniper avenue until its extended centerline intersects the west boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the Blooming township boundary until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the southeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the east boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Rve township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-seventh avenue north, thence east on twenty-seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of mill road, thence north on mill road following the city limit to the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 19. District 19 consists of all of Grand Forks County except that portion contained in Districts 17, 18, 20, 42, and 43.
- 20. District 20 consists of all of Traill County; Bell, Dows, Hunter, Kinyon, and Noble townships in Cass County; and Allendale, Americus, Bentru, Chester, Fairfield, Michigan, Oakville, Pleasant View, Union, Walle, and Washington townships in Grand Forks County.
- 21. District 21 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of

university drive south, thence north on university drive south until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence west on main avenue to the city limit, thence north, west, and east following the city limit to the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive north, thence south on university drive north until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north. thence east on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence north on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of ninth avenue north, thence east on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- 22. District 22 consists of all of Cass County except that portion contained in Districts 11, 13, 20, 21, 41, 44, 45, and 46.
- 23. District 23 consists of all of Griggs County, Nelson County, and Steele County; Bartlett, Lawton, Lillehoff, Nixon, Odessa, Ontario, and Stevens townships in Ramsey County; and Adams, Cleveland, Dewey, Golden, Kinloss, Lampton, Latona, Medford, Norton, Perth, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Tiber, Vernon, and Vesta townships in Walsh County.
- 24. District 24 consists of all of Barnes County.
- 25. District 25 consists of Abercrombie, Antelope, Barney, Belford, Brandenburg, Center, Devillo, Dwight, Fairmount, Greendale, Ibsen, La Mars, Mooreton, Nansen, Summit, and Waldo townships in Richland County.
- 26. District 26 consists of all of Dickey County except those portions contained in District 28; all of LaMoure County except those portions contained in District 28; and all of Sargent County except those portions contained in District 27.
- 27. District 27 consists of all of Ransom County; all of Richland County except those portions contained in District 25; and Hall, Herman, Kingston, Marboe, Milnor, Ransom, Shuman, and Tewaukon townships in Sargent County, except this district does not include the city of Rutland.
- 28. District 28 consists of all of Emmons County, Logan County, and McIntosh County; Albertha, German, Grand Valley,

Lorraine, Northwest, Spring Valley, Whitestone, and Young townships in Dickey County; and Bluebird, Glen, Mikkelson, Norden, Pomona View, Raney, Ray, and Swede townships in LaMoure County.

- 29. District 29 consists of all of Foster County; and all of Stutsman County except that portion contained in District 48.
- District 30 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County and unorganized territory bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four and the east boundary of Hav Creek township, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of east divide avenue, thence west on east divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of north twenty-sixth street, thence south on north twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of north twelfth street, thence south on north twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c. thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of augsburg avenue, thence west on augsburg avenue until its intersection with the centerline of reno drive, thence north on reno drive until its intersection with the centerline of reno avenue. thence east on reno avenue until its intersection with the centerline of eastwood street, thence north on eastwood street until its intersection with the centerline of birchwood drive, thence west and north on birchwood drive until its intersection with the centerline of easy street, thence east on easy street until its intersection with the centerline of westwood street, thence north on westwood street and an extended straight line until its intersection with Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence south on the Missouri River until its intersection with the west boundary of Missouri township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning except the line follows the Lincoln city limit west, north, and east back to the section line.

- 31. District 31 consists of all of Morton County except that portion contained in District 34; and Elm, Lark, Leipzig, and Otter Creek townships, and townships 134-86, 134-87, 135-86, 135-87, 135-88, 135-90, 136-85, 136-86, 136-87, 136-88, 136-89, 136-90, 137-88, 137-89, and 137-90 in Grant County.
- 32. District 32 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County bound by a line commencing at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the Missouri River, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of augsburg avenue, thence west on augsburg avenue until its intersection with the centerline of reno drive, thence north on reno drive until its intersection with the centerline of reno avenue. thence east on reno avenue until its intersection with the centerline of eastwood street, thence north on eastwood street until its intersection with the centerline of birchwood drive, thence west and north on birchwood drive until its intersection with the centerline of easy street. thence east on easy street until its intersection with the centerline of westwood street, thence north on westwood street and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- 33. District 33 consists of all of Oliver County; all of Mercer County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation; and that part of Dunn County east and south of a line commencing at the southwest corner of section 19 of township 141-92, thence north to the northwest corner of township 144-92, thence east to the southwest corner of section 34 of township 145-92, thence north to the boundary of the Fort Berthold reservation, thence east following the Fort Berthold reservation boundary to the county line.
- 34. District 34 consists of that part of the city of Mandan and adjacent unorganized territory bound by a line beginning at the point where the centerline of the Heart River crosses the west city limit, thence north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of eighth avenue northwest, thence north on eighth avenue northwest until its intersection with the city limit, thence east on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence south on the city limit until the

point at which the city limit turns southeast, thence south on a line until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of twenty-fourth avenue southeast and the centerline of memorial highway, thence south on twenty-fourth avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence west on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence south on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the Heart River, thence west on the Heart River to the point of beginning.

- 35. District 35 consists of all of Adams County, Hettinger County, and Sioux County; and all of Grant County except those portions contained in District 31.
- 36. District 36 consists of all of Stark County except that portion contained in District 37; and all of Dunn County except that portion contained in Districts 4 and 33.
- 37. District 37 consists of that part of the city of Dickinson and adjacent unorganized territory to the north bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of broadway and the centerline of state avenue, thence north on state avenue and on a line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 28 of township 140-96, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the northeast corner of section 26 of township 140-96, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue east and the centerline of east villard street, thence west on east villard street until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence west on broadway to the point of beginning.
- 38. District 38 consists of all of Afton, Burlington, and Waterford townships in Ward County; and those portions of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and the city of Minot not in Districts 3, 5, and 40.
- 39. District 39 consists of all of Billings County, Bowman County, Golden Valley County, and Slope County; and all of McKenzie County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation.
- 40. District 40 consists of those parts of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and those parts of the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the southeast corner of Eureka township, thence east on the Eureka township boundary until its intersection with United States highway eighty-three, known as north broadway, thence south on north broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended centerline of fifth street northwest until its

intersection with the centerline of central avenue west. thence west on central avenue west until its intersection with the centerline of eighth street northwest, thence north on eighth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue northwest, thence west on seventh avenue northwest until its intersection with the centerline of sixteenth street northwest, thence north on sixteenth street northwest to the point where the centerline of sixteenth street northwest intersects the centerline of twenty-first avenue northwest from the east, thence west on a straight line from that point until its intersection with the west side of section 10 of Harrison township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of the south boundary of Waterford township, thence east and north on the Waterford township boundary until its intersection with the boundary of the Minot air force base, thence east and north on the Minot air force base boundary until its intersection with the main gate at the centerline of missile avenue, thence west on missile avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the drainage ditch west of eagle way, thence north on the drainage ditch until its intersection with the centerline of the Minot air force base boundary, thence west on the Minot air force base boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the west boundary of Tatman township, thence on a line north, east, south, and west around Tatman township until its intersection with the northeast corner of Eureka township, thence south on a straight line from the northeast corner of Eureka township to the point of beginning.

41. District 41 consists of that part of Barnes township and that part of Stanley township, and that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street south, thence south on seventeenth street south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south and a straight line following section lines to county road six, thence west on county road six to the west boundary of Stanley township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 19 of Barnes township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence north on a straight line to its intersection with the West Fargo city limit, thence north on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline

of main avenue, thence east on main avenue until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street south, thence south on thirty-second street south until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south to the point of beginning.

- 42. District 42 consists of that part of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at a point where the centerline of gateway drive intersects the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence east on gateway drive until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence south on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence east on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence north on fifty-fifth street to the point of beginning.
- 43. District 43 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that part of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Brenna township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence south on fifty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 44. District 44 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of ninth avenue north and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence south on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north, thence west on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of university drive north, thence north on university drive north until its intersection with the

centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence east on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street north, thence north on tenth street north until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue north, thence east on thirty-second avenue north and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- District 45 consists of the city of North River, that part of the city of Fargo, Fargo township, and that part of Reed township bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the extended centerline of thirty-second avenue north with the centerline of the Red River, thence west on thirty-second avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street north, thence south on tenth street north until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence west on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive north, thence north on university drive north until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north. thence west on twelfth avenue north to the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the east side of section 9 of Reed township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the Reed township boundary, thence east on the Reed township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 46. District 46 consists of that part of Stanley township in Cass County, including the city of Briarwood and that part of the city of Fargo bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on seventeenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street south, thence south on seventeenth street south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its

intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street south, thence south on twenty-fifth street south and a straight line following section lines until its intersection with county road six, thence west on county road six until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the south boundary of Stanley township, thence east on the Stanley township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- 47. District 47 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and the centerline of the Missouri River, thence east on the boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence south on United States highway eighty-three until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence south on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- District 48 consists of that part of the city of Jamestown bound by a line commencing on the city limit at a point on or near the northeast corner of section 31 of township 140-63, thence north on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth street southwest, thence east on seventeenth street southwest until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two hundred eighty-one, known as west business loop, thence north on west business loop until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street. thence east on tenth street until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way at or near the center of section 31 of township 140-63, thence south on the burlington northern railway right of way to the point that the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the east side of section 6 of township 139-63, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.
- 49. District 49 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence east on the north boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section

lines until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway. thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of east divide avenue, thence west on east divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of north twenty-sixth street, thence south on north twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of north twelfth street. thence south on north twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence east on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence north on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence north to the point of beginning.

SECTION 2. REPEAL. Section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 3. BOUNDARIES. Any reference in the legislative district descriptions to a city limit or the Fort Berthold reservation boundary as a boundary line refers to the limit or boundary as it existed on January 1, 1990, as shown on the 1990 census maps. A legislative district boundary using the Fort Berthold reservation or city limit lines does not migrate as the Fort Berthold reservation boundary or city limits migrate. For purposes of legislative district descriptions, unless cities are otherwise specifically named, townships encompass all the territory within their outer boundaries.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act becomes effective on the date it is filed with the secretary of state."

Renumber accordingly

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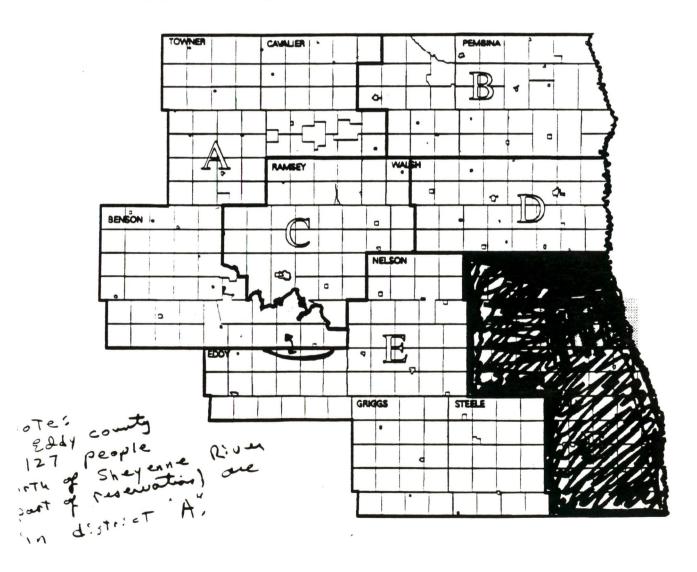
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A	12,830	8,782	2,847	1,432	3,352.46	-1.59
3	13,297	9,644	171	116	1,766.02	1.99
C	12,996	9,583	591	318	1,458.12	-0.31
D	13,525	9,776	97	60	1,157.41	3.74
E	13,084	9,830	66	45	3,083.01	0.36
F	13,096	9,516	57	40	1,387.82	0.45
G	13,501	9,900	218	127	19.98	3.56
Н	13,146	10,810	375	221	2.05	0.84
I	13,198	9,856	221	128	2.59	1.23
J	13,254	8,741	88	57	881.23	1.66
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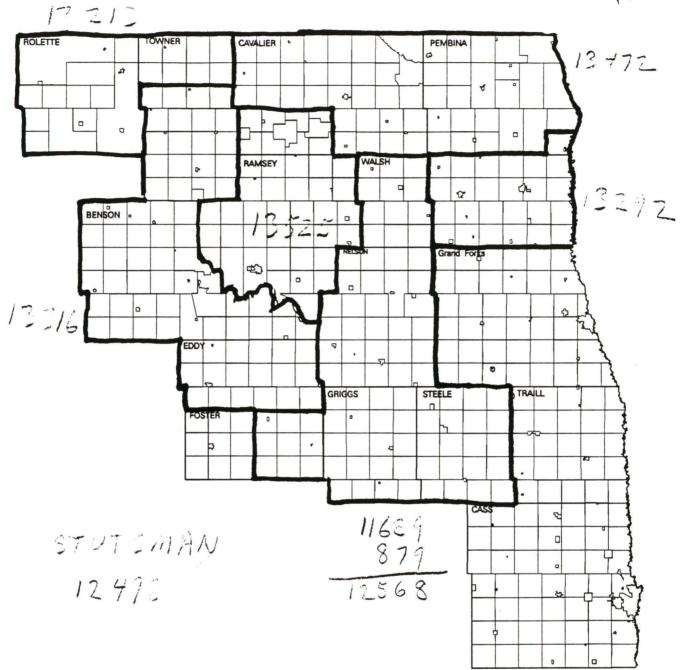


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Moore, Don			Larson, Rod		
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Goetz, William G.			Anderson, Bruce		
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Proposed November 4,1991

Dist-	Popu	lation	Americ	an Indian	Area	
rict	Total	18 & over	Total	18 & over		Deviation
S	12,996	9,309	58	40	1,409.93	-0.31
T	12,513	9,337	23	14	3,128.17	-4.02
U	13,213	8,193	8,510	4,763	1,263.29	2.29
V	13,335	9,263	2,861	1,449	2,803.13	2.29
W	13,427	9,869	593	319	1,526.84	2.99
X	13,323	9,662	176	120	2,270.07	2.19
Y	13,270	9,568	108	64	983.36	1.79
Z	13,331	9,032	84	53	794.75	2.26
Grand	Forks					
A	13,526	10,018	363	219	24.27	3.75
В	13,444	10,855	449	258	2.60	3.12
C	13,361	10,296	195	115	12.10	2.48
D	13,168	9,644	137	92	16.10	1.00

S District. Part of Cass County (976) including all of Bell, Dows, Hunter, Kinyon, and Noble townships, all of Grandin, and Hunter cities. Part of Grand Forks County (3268) including all of Allendale, Americus, Bentru, Brenna, Fairfield, Michigan, Oakville, Pleasant View, Union, Walle, and Washington townships, all of Reynolds, and Thompson cities. All of Traill County. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 19 (987), 20 (11033), 22 (976).

T District. Part of Grand Forks County (577) including all of Elkmount, Logan Center, Loretta, Moraine, Niagara, and Plymouth townships, all of Niagara city. All of Griggs County. All of Nelson County. All of Steele County. Part of Walsh County (1803) including all of Adams, Cleveland, Dewey, Kinloss, Latona, Medford, Norton, Perth, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Tiber, and Vesta townships, all of Adams, Fairdale, Fordville, and Lankin cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (710), 16 (1093), 19 (577), 23 (10133).

U District. All of Rolette County. Part of Towner County (441) including all of Armourdale, Dash, Lansing, Mount View, Picton, Rock Lake, Sidney, and Smith townships, all of Hansboro, and Sarles cities. This district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 9 (12772), 10 (441).

V District. All of Benson County. All of Eddy County. Part of Towner County (3186) including all of Atkins, Bethel, Cando, Coolin, Crocus, Gerrard, Grainfield, Howell, Maza, Monroe, New City, Olson, Paulson, Sorenson, Springfield, Teddy, Twin Hill, Victor, Virginia, and Zion townships, all of Bisbee, Cando, Egeland, Maza, Perth, and Rocklake cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (3186), 12 (10149).

W District. Part of Cavalier County (746) including all of Banner, Gordon, Henderson, Seivert, Storlie, and Trier townships, all of Alsen, Calio, and Munich cities. All of Ramsey County. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (746), 12 (340), 15 (12341).

X District. Part of Cavalier County (5318) including all of Alma, Billings, Bruce, Byron, Cypress, Dresden, Easby, East Alma, Elgin, Fremont, Glenila, Grey, Harvey, Hay, Hope, Huron, Langdon, Linden, Loam, Manilla, Minto, Montrose, Moscow, Mount Carmel, Nekoma, North Loma, North Olga, Osford, Osnabrock, Perry, South Dresden, South Olga, Waterloo, and West Hope townships, all of Calvin, Hannah, Hove Mobile Park, Langdon, Loma, Milton, Nekoma, Osnabrock, Sarles, and Wales, cities. Part of Pembina County (8005) including all of Advance, Akra, Bathgate, Beaulieu, Carlisle, Cavalier, Crystal, Elora, Felson, Gardar, Hamilton, Joliette, La Moure, Lodema, Neche, Park, Pembina, St. Joseph, St. Thomas, Thingvalla, and Walhalla townships, all of Bathgate, Canton City, Cavalier, Crystal, Hamilton, Mountain, Neche, Pembina, St. Thomas, and Walhalla cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (5318), 11 (8005).

Y District. Part of Pembina County (1233) including all of Drayton, Lincoln, and Midland townships, all of Drayton city. Part of Walsh County (12037) including all of Acton, Ardoch, Dundee, Eden, Farmington, Fertile, Forest River, Glenwood, Golden, Grafton, Harriston, Kensington, Lampton, Martin, Oakwood, Ops, Prairie Center, Pulaski, Rushford, St. Andrews, Vernon, Walsh Centre, and Walshville townships, all of Ardoch, Conway, Edinburg, Forest River, Grafton, Hoople, Minto, Park River, and Pisek cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 11 (2750), 16 (10520).

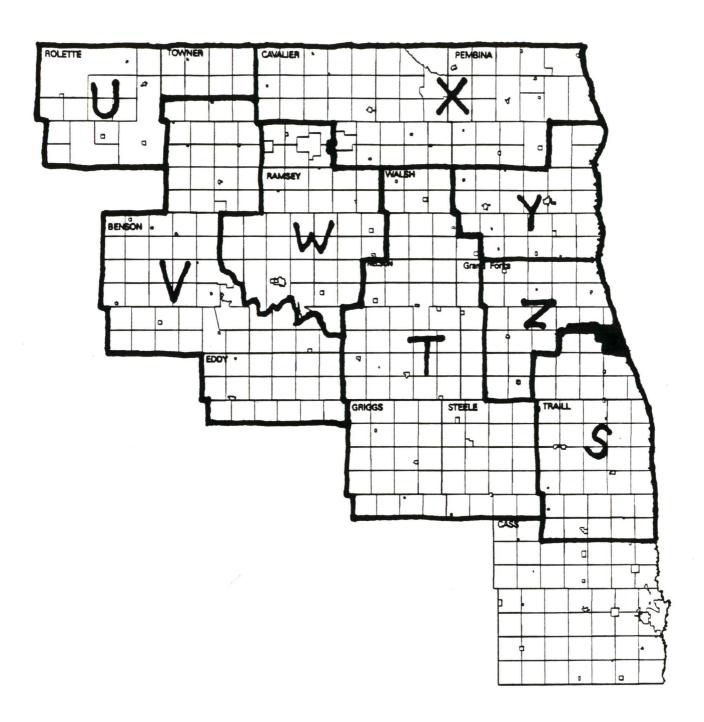
Z District. Part of Grand Forks County (13331) including all of Agnes, Arvilla, Avon, Chester, Elm Grove, Ferry, Gilby, Grace, Hegton, Inkster, Johnstown, Lakeville, Larimore, Levant, Lind, Northwood, Strabane, Turtle River, and Wheatfield townships, part of Blooming (187), Falconer (278), Mekinock (6047), and Rye (170) townships, all of Emerado, Gilby, Inkster, Larimore, Manvel, and Northwood cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 17-18 (5854), 19 (7477). This district would include 5854 from the Grand Forks Air Force Base.

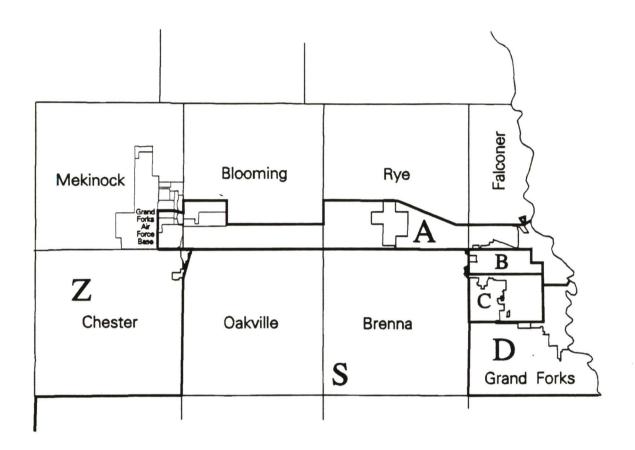
Grand Forks A. Part of Grand Forks County (13526) including part of Blooming (1269), Falconer (36), Mekinock (2269), and Rye (43) townships, part of Grand Forks (9909) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 17-18 (11708), 19 (117), 42 (1271), 43 (430). This district would include 3489 from the Grand Forks Air Force Base.

Grand Forks B. Part of Grand Forks County (13444) including part of Grand Forks (13444) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 19 (2156), 42 (11288).

Grand Forks C. Part of Grand Forks County (13361) including part of Grand Forks (39) township, part of Grand Forks (13330) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 19 (3689), 43 (9680).

Grand Forks D. Part of Grand Forks County (13168) including part of Grand Forks (426) township, part of Grand Forks (12742) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 17-18 (8610), 43 (4558).





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Prepared by the Legislative Council staff for Representative Ring
November 4, 1991

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2597

- Page 20, line 29, after "of" insert "ninth avenue north, thence east on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of eighteenth street, thence south on eighteenth street until its intersection with the centerline of"
- Page 21, line 18, after "of" insert "eighteenth street, thence north on eighteenth street until its intersection with the centerline of ninth avenue north, thence west on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of"

Renumber accordingly

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2598

- Page 20, line 11, after "of" insert "ninth avenue north, thence east on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of eighteenth street, thence south on eighteenth street until its intersection with the centerline of"
- Page 20, line 29, after "of" insert "eighteenth street, thence north on eighteenth street until its intersection with the centerline of ninth avenue north, thence west on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of"

Renumber accordingly

1991 SPECIAL SESSION STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 2597

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Prepared by the Legislative Council staff for Joint Redistricting Committee

November 6, 1991

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2597

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for redistricting of the legislative assembly; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative redistricting; to amend and reenact section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to terms of senators; to repeal section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state legislative apportionment; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Legislative redistricting. Each legislative district is entitled to one senator and two representatives. The legislative districts of the state are formed as follows:

- 1. District 1 consists of that part of the city of Williston and that part of Williston township in Williams County bound by a line commencing at the point where the west side of section 27 of township 154-101 intersects the shore of Lake Sakakawea, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of forty-second street, thence east on forty-second street to its intersection with the centerline of university avenue, thence south on university avenue until university avenue becomes the city limit and continuing south on that line as far as the city limit coincides with university avenue, thence east and south on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street east, thence east on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the west boundary of Stoney Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea, thence west on the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea to the point of beginning.
- 2. District 2 consists of all of Burke County and Divide County; and all of Williams County except that portion contained in District 1.
- 3. District 3 consists of McKinley, Margaret, Maryland, Nedrose, Sundre, and Surrey townships in Ward County; and those portions of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County east of a line commencing at the southeast corner of Harrison township, thence north on the Harrison township boundary to the point where it coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue

southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way to the centerline of north broadway, thence north on north broadway until its intersection with the north boundary of Harrison township.

- 4. District 4 consists of all of Mountrail County; those portions of Dunn County, McKenzie County, and Mercer County within the Fort Berthold reservation; that part of McLean County west of a line commencing at the intersection of the McLean County line and the east side of township 147-85, thence north to the northeast corner of Saint Mary township, thence east to the southeast corner of McGinnis township, thence north to the northeast corner of McGinnis township, thence west to the southwest corner of Douglas township, thence morth to the county line; and Anna, Berthold, Burt, Cameron, Carpio, Des Lacs, Evergreen, Foxholm, Hiddenwood, Hilton, Kirkelie, Linton, Lund, Mandan, Mayland, Orlien, Passport, Ree, Rice Lake, Rolling Green, Ryder, Saint Mary, Shealey, Spring Lake, Tolgen, Torning, and Vang townships in Ward County.
- 5. District 5 consists of that part of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of third street northeast, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended straight line from fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until the intersection of the centerline of central avenue west and the centerline of sixteenth street southwest, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three bypass, thence south on the United States highway eighty-three bypass to the centerline of United States highway fifty-two, thence west on United States highway fifty-two until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-third street southwest, thence south on thirty-third street southwest until its intersection with twentieth avenue southwest, thence east on twentieth avenue southwest until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 34 of Harrison township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the south boundary of Harrison township, thence east on the south boundary of Harrison township until it reaches the Minot city limit, thence east on the city limit until its intersection with the south boundary of Harrison township near the intersection of the centerline of thirty-seventh avenue southeast and the

centerline of second street southeast, thence east and north on the Harrison township boundary to the point the township boundary coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until the point of beginning.

- 6. District 6 consists of all of Bottineau County and Renville County; and Baden, Carbondale, Denmark, Elmdale, Greenbush, Kenmare, Sauk Prairie, and Spencer townships in Ward County.
- 7. District 7 consists of all of McHenry County and Pierce
 County; and Brillian, Freedom, Gasman, Greely, Iota Flat,
 Newman, New Prairie, Rushville, Sawyer, and Willis townships
 in Ward County.
- 8. District 8 consists of all of Burleigh County except that portion contained in districts 14, 30, 32, 47, and 49; and all of McLean County except that portion contained in District 4.
- 9. District 9 consists of Rolette County.
- 10. District 10 consists of all of Cavalier County except those portions contained in District 12; and all of Pembina County except those portions contained in District 16.
- 11. District 11 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line beginning at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street, thence south on thirty-second street until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 12. District 12 consists of all of Benson County and Eddy County;

 Bruce, Cypress, Glenila, Seivert, and Trier townships in
 Cavalier County; Chain Lakes, Coulee, and Pelican townships
 in Ramsey County; and all of Towner County except those
 portions contained in District 15.

- 13. District 13 consists of those portions of Barnes, Mapleton, Raymond, and Reed townships in Cass County and all of the city of West Fargo bound by a line commencing at the city limit of Fargo at the intersection of the centerline of nineteenth avenue north and the centerline of ninth street east in West Fargo, thence south on the Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence south on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the southeast corner of the city, thence south on a line from that point until its intersection with the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence west on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Mapleton township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 35 of Raymond township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.
- 14. District 14 consists of all of Kidder County, Sheridan
 County, and Wells County; and Boyd, Canfield, Christiania,
 Clear Lake, Cromwell, Driscoll, Estherville, Florence Lake,
 Frances, Ghylin, Grass Lake, Harriet, Hazel Grove, Lein,
 Logan, Long Lake, McKenzie, Menoken, Missouri, Morton,
 Richmond, Rock Hill, Schrunk, Sibley Butte, Steiber,
 Sterling, Taft, Telfer, Thelma, Trygg, Wild Rose, Wilson, and
 Wing townships, and townships 141-76 and 143-75 in Burleigh
 County.
- 15. District 15 consists of all of Ramsey County except those portions contained in districts 12 and 23 and Bethel, Cando, Coolin, and Maza townships in Towner County.
- 16. District 16 consists of all of Walsh County except those portions contained in District 23; and Crystal, Drayton, Elora, Gardar, Midland, and Saint Thomas townships in Pembina County.
- 17. District 17 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that portion of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence east on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of lanark avenue, thence northeast on lanark avenue until its extended centerline intersects with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the south boundary of Grand Forks township, thence west on the south boundary of Grand Forks township until its intersection with the west boundary of Brenna township, thence north on the west boundary of Brenna township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 3 of Brenna township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence east on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of

- washington street, thence north on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 18. District 18 consists of that part of Blooming, Falconer, Mekinock, and Rye townships and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended straight line of the centerline of lanark avenue and the centerline of the Red River, thence southwest on lanark avenue until its intersection with the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence west on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence north on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of gateway drive, thence west on gateway drive and United States highway two until its intersection with the south entrance of the Grand Forks air force base, known as eielson street, thence north on eielson street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue, thence east on seventh avenue until the extended centerline of seventh avenue intersects with the centerline of j street, thence south on j street until its intersection with the centerline of juniper avenue, thence east on juniper avenue until its extended centerline intersects the west boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the Blooming township boundary until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the southeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the east boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Rye township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-seventh avenue north, thence east on twenty-seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of mill road, thence north on mill road following the city limit to the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 19. District 19 consists of all of Grand Forks County except that portion contained in districts 17, 18, 20, 42, and 43.
- 20. District 20 consists of all of Traill County; Bell, Dows,
 Hunter, Kinyon, and Noble townships in Cass County; and
 Allendale, Americus, Bentru, Chester, Fairfield, Michigan,
 Oakville, Pleasant View, Union, Walle, and Washington
 townships in Grand Forks County.
- 21. District 21 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of

an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence west on main avenue to the city limit, thence north, west, and east following the city limit to the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence south on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north, thence east on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence north on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of ninth avenue north, thence east on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- 22. District 22 consists of all of Cass County except that portion contained in districts 11, 13, 20, 21, 41, 44, 45, and 46.
- 23. District 23 consists of all of Griggs County, Nelson County, and Steele County; Bartlett, Lawton, Lillehoff, Nixon, Odessa, Ontario, and Stevens townships in Ramsey County; and Adams, Cleveland, Dewey, Golden, Kinloss, Lampton, Latona, Medford, Norton, Perth, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Tiber, Vernon, and Vesta townships in Walsh County.
- 24. District 24 consists of all of Barnes County.
- 25. District 25 consists of Abercrombie, Antelope, Brandenburg,
 Center, Colfax, Devillo, Dwight, Eagle, Fairmount, Greendale,
 Ibsen, La Mars, Mooreton, Nansen, Summit, and Waldo townships
 in Richland County.
- 26. District 26 consists of all of Dickey County except those portions contained in District 28; all of LaMoure County except those portions contained in District 28; and all of Sargent County except those portions contained in District 27.
- 27. District 27 consists of all of Ransom County; all of Richland County except those portions contained in District 25; and Hall, Herman, Kingston, Marboe, Milnor, Ransom, Shuman, and Tewaukon townships in Sargent County, except this district does not include the city of Rutland.

- 28. District 28 consists of all of Emmons County, Logan County, and McIntosh County; Albertha, German, Grand Valley, Lorraine, Northwest, Spring Valley, Whitestone, and Young townships in Dickey County; and Bluebird, Glen, Mikkelson, Norden, Pomona View, Raney, Ray, and Swede townships in LaMoure County.
- 29. District 29 consists of all of Foster County; and all of Stutsman County except that portion contained in District 48.
- 30. District 30 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County and unorganized territory bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four and the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street, thence south on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth street, thence south on twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence west on a straight line following the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence north on a straight line following the quarter section line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence south on the Missouri River until its intersection with the west boundary of Missouri township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning except the line follows the Lincoln city limit west, north, and east back to the section line.
- 31. District 31 consists of all of Morton County except that portion contained in District 34; and Elm, Lark, Leipzig, and Otter Creek townships, and townships 134-86, 134-87, 135-86, 135-87, 135-88, 135-90, 136-85, 136-86, 136-87, 136-88, 136-89, 136-90, 137-88, 137-89, and 137-90 in Grant County.

- 32. District 32 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County bound by a line commencing at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the Missouri River, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence west on a straight line following the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence north on a straight line following the quarter section line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- 33. District 33 consists of all of Oliver County; all of Mercer County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation; and that part of Dunn County east and south of a line commencing at the southwest corner of section 19 of township 141-92, thence north to the northwest corner of township 144-92, thence east to the southwest corner of section 34 of township 145-92, thence north to the boundary of the Fort Berthold reservation, thence east following the Fort Berthold reservation boundary to the county line.
- 34. District 34 consists of that part of the city of Mandan bound by a line beginning at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way intersects the centerline of third street southeast west of fifth street southeast, thence west on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of highway one thousand eight hundred six, thence south on highway one thousand eight hundred six until its intersection with the centerline of nineteenth street southeast, thence west on nineteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit, thence south on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of Mandan avenue, thence south on Mandan avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east and south on the burlington northern railway right of way until the point of beginning.
- 35. District 35 consists of all of Adams County, Hettinger County, and Sioux County; and all of Grant County except those portions contained in District 31.

- 36. District 36 consists of all of Stark County except that portion contained in District 37; and all of Dunn County except that portion contained in districts 4 and 33.
- 37. District 37 consists of that part of the city of Dickinson and adjacent unorganized territory to the north bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of broadway and the centerline of state avenue, thence north on state avenue and on a line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 28 of township 140-96, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the northeast corner of section 26 of township 140-96, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue east and the centerline of villard street, thence west on villard street until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence west on broadway to the point of beginning.
- 38. District 38 consists of all of Afton, Burlington, and Waterford townships in Ward County; and those portions of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and the city of Minot not in districts 3, 5, and 40.
- 39. District 39 consists of all of Billings County, Bowman County, Golden Valley County, and Slope County; and all of McKenzie County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation.
- 40. District 40 consists of those parts of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and those parts of the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the southeast corner of Eureka township, thence east on the Eureka township boundary until its intersection with United States highway eighty-three, known as north broadway, thence south on north broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended centerline of fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west until its intersection with the centerline of eighth street northwest, thence north on eighth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue northwest, thence west on seventh avenue northwest until its intersection with the centerline of sixteenth street northwest, thence north on sixteenth street northwest to the point where the centerline of sixteenth street northwest intersects the centerline of twenty-first avenue northwest from the east, thence west on a straight line from that point until its intersection with the west side of section 10 of Harrison township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of the south boundary of Waterford township, thence east and north on the Waterford township boundary until its intersection with the boundary of

the Minot air force base, thence east and north on the Minot air force base boundary until its intersection with the main gate at the centerline of missile avenue, thence west on missile avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the drainage ditch west of eagle way, thence north on the drainage ditch until its intersection with the centerline of the Minot air force base boundary, thence west on the Minot air force base boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the west boundary of Tatman township, thence on a line north, east, south, and west around Tatman township until its intersection with the northeast corner of Eureka township, thence south on a straight line from the northeast corner of Eureka township to the point of beginning.

- 41. District 41 consists of that part of Barnes township and that part of Stanley township, and that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street, thence south on seventeenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street and a straight line following section lines to county road six, thence west on county road six to the west boundary of Stanley township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 19 of Barnes township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence north on a straight line to its intersection with the West Fargo city limit, thence north on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence east on main avenue until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street, thence south on thirty-second street until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south to the point of beginning.
- 42. District 42 consists of that part of Grand Forks township and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at a point where the centerline of gateway drive intersects the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence east on gateway drive until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence south on

twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence east on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence north on fifty-fifth street to the point of beginning.

- District 43 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that part of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Brenna township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence south on fifty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 44. District 44 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of ninth avenue north and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence south on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north, thence west on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence east on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street, thence north on tenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue north, thence east on thirty-second avenue north and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 45. District 45 consists of the city of North River, that part of the city of Fargo, Fargo township, and that part of Reed township bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the extended centerline of thirty-second avenue north with

the centerline of the Red River, thence west on thirty-second avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street, thence south on tenth street until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence west on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north to the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the east side of section 9 of Reed township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the Reed township boundary, thence east on the Reed township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- District 46 consists of that part of Stanley township in Cass County, including the city of Briarwood and that part of the city of Fargo bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on seventeenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street, thence south on seventeenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street and a straight line following section lines until its intersection with county road six, thence west on county road six until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the south boundary of Stanley township, thence east on the Stanley township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 47. District 47 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and the centerline of the Missouri River, thence east on the boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the centerline of

United States highway eighty-three, thence south on United States highway eighty-three until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence south on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.

- District 48 consists of that part of the city of Jamestown bound by a line commencing on the city limit at a point on or near the northeast corner of section 31 of township 140-63, thence north on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth street southwest, thence east on seventeenth street southwest until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two hundred eighty-one, known as west business loop, thence north on west business loop until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street, thence east on tenth street until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way at or near the center of section 31 of township 140-63, thence south on the burlington northern railway right of way to the point that the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the east side of section 6 of township 139-63, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.
- 49. District 49 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence east on the north boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street, thence south on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth street, thence south on twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence east on divide avenue until its intersection

with the centerline of fourth street, thence north on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence north to the point of beginning.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-03-01.8. Staggering of the terms of senators. Senators A senator from odd numbered districts an even-numbered district must be elected in 1982 1992 for a term of four years. Each senator and a senator from an even numbered odd-numbered district must be elected in 1984 1994 for a four year term, except a senator in an even numbered district with new geographic area which area was not in that senator's district for the 1980 election and which new geographic area has a 1980 population which is more than two thousand, must be elected in 1982 for a two year term of four years. The senator from district forty-one must be elected in 1992 for a term of two years. A senator from a district in which there is another incumbent senator as a result of legislative redistricting must be elected in 1992 for a term of four years. Based on this criteria that requirement, districts two six, eighteen ten, twenty four fourteen, thirty eight twenty-eight, forty four, forty six, and fifty two shall thirty-six must elect senators in 1982 1992.

The two senators for the combined seventeenth and eighteenth districts must be elected in 1982, one for a term of four years and one for a term of two years. For any election in that multisenator district in which both seats are to be filled, all papers indicating the office sought, including any certificate of endorsement, filing petition, certificate of nomination, ballot, or certificate of election, must also indicate the term sought.

SECTION 3. REPEAL. Section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 4. BOUNDARIES. Any reference in the legislative district descriptions to a city limit or the Fort Berthold reservation boundary as a boundary line refers to the limit or boundary as it existed on January 1, 1990, as shown on the 1990 census maps. A legislative district boundary using the Fort Berthold reservation or city limit lines does not migrate as the Fort Berthold reservation boundary or city limits migrate. For purposes of legislative district descriptions, unless cities are otherwise specifically named, townships encompass all the territory within their outer boundaries.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act becomes effective on December 1, 1991."

Renumber accordingly



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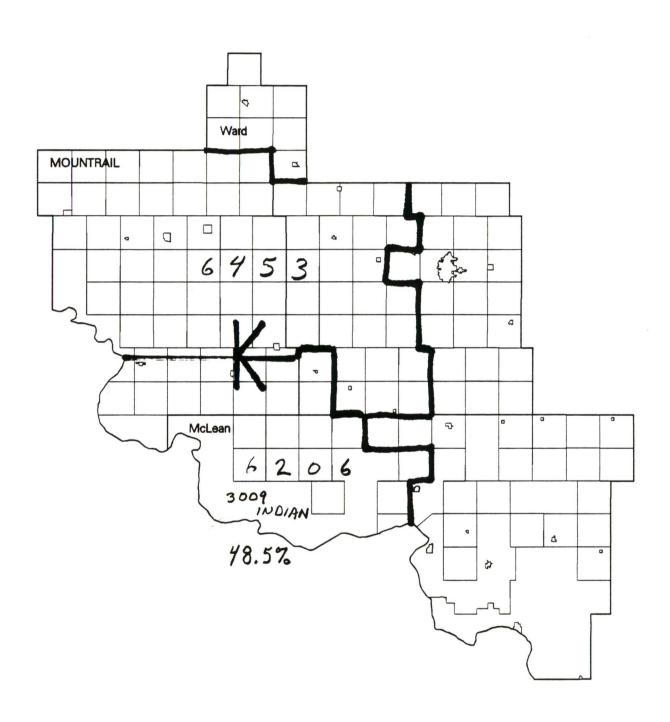
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Prepared by the Legislative Council staff for Joint Redistricting Committee

November 7, 1991

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2597

After Section 4 insert:

"SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY OF ESTABLISHING HOUSE SUBDISTRICTS. During the remainder of the 1991-92 interim, the legislative council shall assign to the interim redistricting and elections committee the responsibility to develop a plan for subdistricts for the house of representatives. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the fifty-third legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMIT MR. SPEAKER Bill ARESTANOX (XXXX (Medengrossed): Committee on LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING co-, Chairman) recommends (XSenk/Rep.) AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends (\mathbf{x}) DO PASS (sand) DO NOT PASS (and) BE PLACED ON THE CALENDAR WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION (and) BE REREFERRED to the Committee on BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR YEAS, 4 NAYS, EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SE 2597 was placed on the _____14th ___ order on the calendar. ____ was placed on the Tenth order (Consent Calendar). The proposed amendment was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar. The proposed amendment was placed on the Tenth order (Consent Calendar). DATE: 11 / 7 / 91 CARRIER: REP. KRETSCHMAR LC NO. ____ of amendment

Emergency clause added or deleted

Statement of purpose of amendment

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2597

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for redistricting of the legislative assembly; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative redistricting; to amend and reenact section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to terms of senators; to repeal section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state legislative apportionment; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Legislative redistricting. Each legislative district is entitled to one senator and two representatives. District 4 is divided into subdistricts, and one representative must be elected from each subdistrict. A representative elected from a subdistrict must be, on the day of election, a qualified elector in the subdistrict from which the representative was chosen. The legislative districts of the state are formed as follows:

- 1. District 1 consists of that part of the city of Williston and that part of Williston township in Williams County bound by a line commencing at the point where the west side of section 27 of township 154-101 intersects the shore of Lake Sakakawea, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of forty-second street, thence east on forty-second street to its intersection with the centerline of university avenue, thence south on university avenue until university avenue becomes the city limit and continuing south on that line as far as the city limit coincides with university avenue, thence east and south on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street east, thence east on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the west boundary of Stoney Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea, thence west on the shoreline of Lake Sakakawea to the point of beginning.
- 2. District 2 consists of all of Burke County and Divide County; and all of Williams County except that portion contained in District 1.
- 3. District 3 consists of McKinley, Margaret, Maryland, Nedrose,
 Sundre, and Surrey townships in Ward County; and those
 portions of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward
 County east of a line commencing at the southeast corner of
 Harrison township, thence north on the Harrison township

boundary to the point where it coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way to the centerline of north broadway, thence north on north broadway until its intersection with the north boundary of Harrison township.

- 4. District 4 consists of all of Mountrail County; those portions of Dunn County, McKenzie County, and Mercer County within the Fort Berthold reservation; that part of McLean County west of a line commencing at the intersection of the McLean County line and the east side of township 147-85, thence north to the northeast corner of Saint Mary township, thence east to the southeast corner of McGinnis township, thence north to the northeast corner of McGinnis township, thence west to the southwest corner of Douglas township, thence north to the county line; and Anna, Berthold, Burt, Cameron, Carpio, Des Lacs, Evergreen, Foxholm, Hiddenwood, Hilton, Kirkelie, Linton, Lund, Mandan, Mayland, Orlien, Passport, Ree, Rice Lake, Rolling Green, Ryder, Saint Mary, Shealey, Spring Lake, Tolgen, Torning, and Vang townships in Ward County.
 - a. Subdistrict 4A consists of those portions of Dunn County, McKenzie County, Mercer County, and Mountrail County within the Fort Berthold reservation; that part of McLean County west of a line commencing at the intersection of the McLean County line and the east side of township 147-85, thence north to the northeast corner of Saint Mary township, thence east to the southeast corner of McGinnis township, thence north to the northeast corner of McGinnis township, thence west to the southwest corner of Douglas township, thence north to the county line; and Hiddenwood and Orlien townships in Ward County.
 - b. Subdistrict 4B consists of that portion of District 4 not contained in subdistrict 4A.
- 5. District 5 consists of that part of Harrison township and the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of third street northeast, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended straight line from fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight

line until the intersection of the centerline of central avenue west and the centerline of sixteenth street southwest, thence west on central avenue west and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three bypass, thence south on the United States highway eighty-three bypass to the centerline of United States highway fifty-two, thence west on United States highway fifty-two until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-third street southwest, thence south on thirty-third street southwest until its intersection with twentieth avenue southwest, thence east on twentieth avenue southwest until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 34 of Harrison township, thence south on a straight line following section lines to the south boundary of Harrison township, thence east on the south boundary of Harrison township until it reaches the Minot city limit, thence east on the city limit until its intersection with the south boundary of Harrison township near the intersection of the centerline of thirty-seventh avenue southeast and the centerline of second street southeast, thence east and north on the Harrison township boundary to the point the township boundary coincides with the centerline of thirteenth street southeast, thence north on thirteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit as the city limit turns west south of fourteenth avenue southeast, thence west and north on the city limit until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue southeast, thence west on eleventh avenue southeast until its intersection with the centerline of third street southeast, thence north on third street southeast until the point of beginning.

- 6. District 6 consists of all of Bottineau County and Renville County; and Baden, Carbondale, Denmark, Elmdale, Greenbush, Kenmare, Sauk Prairie, and Spencer townships in Ward County.
- 7. District 7 consists of all of McHenry County and Pierce
 County; and Brillian, Freedom, Gasman, Greely, Iota Flat,
 Newman, New Prairie, Rushville, Sawyer, and Willis townships
 in Ward County.
- 8. District 8 consists of all of Burleigh County except that portion contained in districts 14, 30, 32, 47, and 49; and all of McLean County except that portion contained in District 4.
- 9. District 9 consists of Rolette County.
- 10. District 10 consists of all of Cavalier County except those portions contained in District 12; and all of Pembina County except those portions contained in District 16.
- 11. District 11 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line beginning at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its

intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street, thence south on thirty-second street until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- 12. District 12 consists of all of Benson County and Eddy County;

 Bruce, Cypress, Glenila, Seivert, and Trier townships in Cavalier County; Chain Lakes, Coulee, and Pelican townships in Ramsey County; and all of Towner County except those portions contained in District 15.
- 13. District 13 consists of those portions of Barnes, Mapleton, Raymond, and Reed townships in Cass County and all of the city of West Fargo bound by a line commencing at the city limit of Fargo at the intersection of the centerline of nineteenth avenue north and the centerline of ninth street east in West Fargo, thence south on the Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence south on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the southeast corner of the city, thence south on a line from that point until its intersection with the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence west on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Mapleton township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 35 of Raymond township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning.
- 14. District 14 consists of all of Kidder County, Sheridan

 County, and Wells County; and Boyd, Canfield, Christiania,
 Clear Lake, Cromwell, Driscoll, Estherville, Florence Lake,
 Frances, Ghylin, Grass Lake, Harriet, Hazel Grove, Lein,
 Logan, Long Lake, McKenzie, Menoken, Missouri, Morton,
 Richmond, Rock Hill, Schrunk, Sibley Butte, Steiber,
 Sterling, Taft, Telfer, Thelma, Trygg, Wild Rose, Wilson, and
 Wing townships, and townships 141-76 and 143-75 in Burleigh
 County.
- 15. District 15 consists of all of Ramsey County except those portions contained in districts 12 and 23 and Bethel, Cando, Coolin, and Maza townships in Towner County.
- 16. District 16 consists of all of Walsh County except those portions contained in District 23; and Crystal, Drayton, Elora, Gardar, Midland, and Saint Thomas townships in Pembina County.

- 17. District 17 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that portion of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence east on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of lanark avenue, thence northeast on lanark avenue until its extended centerline intersects with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the south boundary of Grand Forks township, thence west on the south boundary of Grand Forks township until its intersection with the west boundary of Brenna township, thence north on the west boundary of Brenna township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 3 of Brenna township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence east on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street to the point of beginning.
- District 18 consists of that part of Blooming, Falconer, Mekinock, and Rye townships and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended straight line of the centerline of lanark avenue and the centerline of the Red River, thence southwest on lanark avenue until its intersection with the centerline of tenth avenue south, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence west on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence north on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of gateway drive, thence west on gateway drive and United States highway two until its intersection with the south entrance of the Grand Forks air force base, known as eielson street, thence north on eielson street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue, thence east on seventh avenue until the extended centerline of seventh avenue intersects with the centerline of j street, thence south on j street until its intersection with the centerline of juniper avenue, thence east on juniper avenue until its extended centerline intersects the west boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the Blooming township boundary until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the northeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence south on the section line until its intersection with the southeast corner of section 29 of Blooming township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the east boundary of Blooming township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the northwest corner of section 30 of Rye township, thence east on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern

- railway right of way, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-seventh avenue north, thence east on twenty-seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of mill road, thence north on mill road following the city limit to the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 19. District 19 consists of all of Grand Forks County except that portion contained in districts 17, 18, 20, 42, and 43.
- 20. District 20 consists of all of Traill County; Bell, Dows, Hunter, Kinyon, and Noble townships in Cass County; and Allendale, Americus, Bentru, Chester, Fairfield, Michigan, Oakville, Pleasant View, Union, Walle, and Washington townships in Grand Forks County.
- 21. District 21 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of tenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on tenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of fifth avenue south, thence west on fifth avenue south and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence west on main avenue to the city limit, thence north, west, and east following the city limit to the intersection of the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way and the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence south on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north, thence east on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence north on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of ninth avenue north, thence east on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- 22. District 22 consists of all of Cass County except that portion contained in districts 11, 13, 20, 21, 41, 44, 45, and 46.
- 23. District 23 consists of all of Griggs County, Nelson County, and Steele County; Bartlett, Lawton, Lillehoff, Nixon, Odessa, Ontario, and Stevens townships in Ramsey County; and Adams, Cleveland, Dewey, Golden, Kinloss, Lampton, Latona, Medford, Norton, Perth, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Tiber, Vernon, and Vesta townships in Walsh County.

- 24. District 24 consists of all of Barnes County.
- 25. District 25 consists of Abercrombie, Antelope, Brandenburg, Center, Colfax, Devillo, Dwight, Eagle, Fairmount, Greendale, Ibsen, La Mars, Mooreton, Nansen, Summit, and Waldo townships in Richland County.
- 26. District 26 consists of all of Dickey County except those portions contained in District 28; all of LaMoure County except those portions contained in District 28; and all of Sargent County except those portions contained in District 27.
- 27. District 27 consists of all of Ransom County; all of Richland County except those portions contained in District 25; and Hall, Herman, Kingston, Marboe, Milnor, Ransom, Shuman, and Tewaukon townships in Sargent County, except this district does not include the city of Rutland.
- 28. District 28 consists of all of Emmons County, Logan County, and McIntosh County; Albertha, German, Grand Valley, Lorraine, Northwest, Spring Valley, Whitestone, and Young townships in Dickey County; and Bluebird, Glen, Mikkelson, Norden, Pomona View, Raney, Ray, and Swede townships in LaMoure County.
- 29. District 29 consists of all of Foster County; and all of Stutsman County except that portion contained in District 48.
- District 30 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County and unorganized territory bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four and the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street, thence south on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth street, thence south on twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the

southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence west on a straight line following the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence north on a straight line following the quarter section line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence south on the Missouri River until its intersection with the west boundary of Missouri township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the point of beginning except the line follows the Lincoln city limit west, north, and east back to the section line.

- 31. District 31 consists of all of Morton County except that portion contained in District 34; and Elm, Lark, Leipzig, and Otter Creek townships, and townships 134-86, 134-87, 135-86, 135-87, 135-88, 135-90, 136-85, 136-86, 136-87, 136-88, 136-89, 136-90, 137-88, 137-89, and 137-90 in Grant County.
- District 32 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County bound by a line commencing at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way crosses the Missouri River, thence southeast on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of airport road, thence south on airport road until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence west on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of wachter avenue, thence west on wachter avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the storm drain, thence southwest along the storm drain until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence west on a straight line following the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 8 of township 138-80, thence north on a straight line following the quarter section line until its intersection with the centerline of Bismarck expressway, thence west on Bismarck expressway until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- 33. District 33 consists of all of Oliver County; all of Mercer County except that portion within the Fort Berthold reservation; and that part of Dunn County east and south of a line commencing at the southwest corner of section 19 of township 141-92, thence north to the northwest corner of township 144-92, thence east to the southwest corner of section 34 of township 145-92, thence north to the boundary of the Fort Berthold reservation, thence east following the Fort Berthold reservation boundary to the county line.
- 34. District 34 consists of that part of the city of Mandan bound by a line beginning at the point where the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way intersects the

centerline of third street southeast west of fifth street southeast, thence west on third street southeast until its intersection with the centerline of highway one thousand eight hundred six, thence south on highway one thousand eight hundred six until its intersection with the centerline of nineteenth street southeast, thence west on nineteenth street southeast until its intersection with the city limit, thence south on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of Mandan avenue, thence south on Mandan avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east and south on the burlington northern railway right of way until the point of beginning.

- 35. District 35 consists of all of Adams County, Hettinger
 County, and Sioux County; and all of Grant County except
 those portions contained in District 31.
- 36. District 36 consists of all of Stark County except that portion contained in District 37; and all of Dunn County except that portion contained in districts 4 and 33.
- 37. District 37 consists of that part of the city of Dickinson and adjacent unorganized territory to the north bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of broadway and the centerline of state avenue, thence north on state avenue and on a line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 28 of township 140-96, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the northeast corner of section 26 of township 140-96, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the intersection of the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue east and the centerline of villard street, thence west on villard street until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence west on broadway to the point of beginning.
- 38. District 38 consists of all of Afton, Burlington, and Waterford townships in Ward County; and those portions of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and the city of Minot not in districts 3, 5, and 40.
- 39. District 39 consists of all of Billings County, Bowman
 County, Golden Valley County, and Slope County; and all of
 McKenzie County except that portion within the Fort Berthold
 reservation.
- 40. District 40 consists of those parts of Eureka, Harrison, and Tatman townships and those parts of the city of Minot in Ward County bound by a line commencing at the southeast corner of Eureka township, thence east on the Eureka township boundary until its intersection with United States highway eighty-three, known as north broadway, thence south on north broadway until its intersection with the centerline of the

burlington northern railway right of way, thence southwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of fifth street northwest, thence north on the extended centerline of fifth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of central avenue west, thence west on central avenue west until its intersection with the centerline of eighth street northwest, thence north on eighth street northwest until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue northwest, thence west on seventh avenue northwest until its intersection with the centerline of sixteenth street northwest, thence north on sixteenth street northwest to the point where the centerline of sixteenth street northwest intersects the centerline of twenty-first avenue northwest from the east, thence west on a straight line from that point until its intersection with the west side of section 10 of Harrison township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of the south boundary of Waterford township, thence east and north on the Waterford township boundary until its intersection with the boundary of the Minot air force base, thence east and north on the Minot air force base boundary until its intersection with the main gate at the centerline of missile avenue, thence west on missile avenue until its intersection with the centerline of the drainage ditch west of eagle way, thence north on the drainage ditch until its intersection with the centerline of the Minot air force base boundary, thence west on the Minot air force base boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the west boundary of Tatman township, thence on a line north, east, south, and west around Tatman township until its intersection with the northeast corner of Eureka township, thence south on a straight line from the northeast corner of Eureka township to the point of beginning.

41. District 41 consists of that part of Barnes township and that part of Stanley township, and that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street, thence south on seventeenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street and a straight line following section lines to county road six, thence west on county road six to the west boundary of Stanley township, thence north on a straight line following section lines to the northwest corner of section 19 of Barnes township, thence east on a straight line following section lines to the center of the south side of section 16 of Barnes township, thence north on a straight line to its intersection with the West Fargo city limit, thence north on the West Fargo city limit until its intersection with the centerline of main avenue, thence east on main avenue until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the centerline of thirteenth avenue south, thence east on thirteenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second street, thence south on thirty-second street until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth avenue south, thence east on seventeenth avenue south to the point of beginning.

- 42. District 42 consists of that part of Grand Forks township and that part of the city of Grand Forks in Grand Forks County bound by a line commencing at a point where the centerline of gateway drive intersects the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence east on gateway drive until its intersection with the centerline of twentieth street, thence south on twentieth street until its intersection with the centerline of sixth avenue north, thence east on sixth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence north on fifty-fifth street to the point of beginning.
- 43. District 43 consists of those portions of Brenna and Grand Forks townships in Grand Forks County and that part of the city of Grand Forks bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the centerline of washington street and the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the southwest corner of section 14 of Brenna township, thence north on the section line until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two, thence east on United States highway two until its intersection with the centerline of fifty-fifth street, thence south on fifty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street to the point of beginning.
- 44. District 44 consists of that part of the city of Fargo in Cass County bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of ninth avenue north and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on ninth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of oak street, thence south on oak street until its intersection with the centerline of seventh avenue north, thence west on seventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its

intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence west on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence east on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street, thence north on tenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence east on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence north on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue north, thence east on thirty-second avenue north and an extended straight line until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- District 45 consists of the city of North River, that part of the city of Fargo, Fargo township, and that part of Reed township bound by a line commencing at the intersection of the extended centerline of thirty-second avenue north with the centerline of the Red River, thence west on thirty-second avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of broadway, thence south on broadway until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of tenth street, thence south on tenth street until its intersection with the centerline of eleventh avenue north, thence west on eleventh avenue north until its intersection with the centerline of university drive, thence north on university drive until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth avenue north, thence west on twelfth avenue north to the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence north on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the east side of section 9 of Reed township, thence north on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the Reed township boundary, thence east on the Reed township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence south on the Red River to the point of beginning.
- County, including the city of Briarwood and that part of the city of Fargo bound by a line commencing at the intersection of an extended line from the centerline of seventeenth avenue south and the centerline of the Red River, thence west on seventeenth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with an extended straight line from the centerline of seventeenth street, thence south on seventeenth street until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth avenue

south, thence west on twenty-fifth avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of the Fargo park district bike trail, thence south on the bike trail until its intersection with the centerline of thirty-second avenue south, thence west on thirty-second avenue south until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-fifth street, thence south on twenty-fifth street and a straight line following section lines until its intersection with county road six, thence west on county road six until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway twenty-nine, thence south on interstate highway twenty-nine until its intersection with the south boundary of Stanley township, thence east on the Stanley township boundary until its intersection with the centerline of the Red River, thence north on the Red River to the point of beginning.

- District 47 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at the north boundary of Hay Creek township and the centerline of the Missouri River, thence east on the boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence south on United States highway eighty-three until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence south on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence south on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence northwest on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the Missouri River, thence north on the Missouri River to the point of beginning.
- District 48 consists of that part of the city of Jamestown bound by a line commencing on the city limit at a point on or near the northeast corner of section 31 of township 140-63, thence north on the city limit and following the city limit around the city until its intersection with the centerline of the burlington northern railway right of way, thence east on the burlington northern railway right of way until its intersection with the centerline of the James River, thence south along the centerline of the James River until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway two hundred eighty-one, known as west business loop, thence south on west business loop until its intersection with the centerline of seventeenth street southwest, thence east on seventeenth street southwest until its intersection with the centerline of fourth avenue southwest, thence south along the centerline of fourth avenue southwest and an extended straight line to the city limit, thence east on the city limit and following the city limit to the point of beginning.
- 49. District 49 consists of that part of the city of Bismarck and that part of Hay Creek township bound by a line commencing at

the north boundary of Hay Creek township and its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three. thence east on the north boundary of Hay Creek township until its intersection with the east boundary of Hay Creek township, thence south on a straight line following section lines until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence west on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of centennial road, known as Bismarck expressway, thence south on centennial road until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence west on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of twenty-sixth street, thence south on twenty-sixth street until its intersection with the centerline of the boulevard, thence west on the boulevard until its intersection with the centerline of twelfth street, thence south on twelfth street until its intersection with the centerline of avenue c, thence west on avenue c until its intersection with the centerline of washington street, thence north on washington street until its intersection with the centerline of divide avenue, thence east on divide avenue until its intersection with the centerline of fourth street, thence north on fourth street until its intersection with the centerline of interstate highway ninety-four, thence east on interstate highway ninety-four until its intersection with the centerline of United States highway eighty-three, thence north to the point of beginning.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Section 54-03-01.8 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-03-01.8. Staggering of the terms of senators. Senators A senator from odd numbered districts an even-numbered district must be elected in 1982 1992 for a term of four years. Each senator and a senator from an even numbered odd-numbered district must be elected in 1984 1994 for a four year term, except a senator in an even numbered district with new geographic area which area was not in that senator's district for the 1980 election and which new geographic area has a 1980 population which is more than two thousand, must be elected in 1982 for a two year term of four years. The senator from district forty-one must be elected in 1992 for a term of two years. A senator from a district in which there is another incumbent senator as a result of legislative redistricting must be elected in 1992 for a term of four years. Based on this criteria that requirement, districts two six, eighteen ten, twenty four fourteen, thirty eight twenty-eight, forty four, forty six, and fifty two shall thirty-six must elect senators in 1982 1992.

The two senators for the combined seventeenth and eighteenth districts must be elected in 1982; one for a term of four years and one for a term of two years. For any election in that multisenator district in which both seats are to be filled; all papers indicating the office sought; including any certificate of endorsement; filing petition; certificate of nomination; ballot; or certificate of election; must also indicate the term sought.

SECTION 3. REPEAL. Section 54-03-01.7 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 4. BOUNDARIES. Any reference in the legislative district descriptions to a city limit or the Fort Berthold reservation boundary as a boundary line refers to the limit or boundary as it existed on January 1, 1990, as shown on the 1990 census maps. A legislative district boundary using the Fort Berthold reservation or city limit lines does not migrate as the Fort Berthold reservation boundary or city limits migrate. For purposes of legislative district descriptions, unless cities are otherwise specifically named, townships encompass all the territory within their outer boundaries.

SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY OF ESTABLISHING HOUSE SUBDISTRICTS. During the remainder of the 1991-92 interim, the legislative council shall assign to the interim redistricting and elections committee the responsibility to develop a plan for subdistricts for the house of representatives. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the fifty-third legislative assembly.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act becomes effective on December 1, 1991."

Renumber accordingly

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1991 SPECIAL SESSION

TESTIMONY

SB 2597

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TESTIMONY OF WILBUR WILKINSON, CHAIRMAN THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES

MR. CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE, THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND ATTENTION. TO BE FORTHRIGHT, THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES WANTS ONE DISTRICT THAT ENCOMPASSES ONLY THE FORT BERTHOLD INDIAN RESERVATION.

HOWEVER, THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES RECOGNIZES THAT THE TWO VERSIONS OF THE PROPOSED RESTRUCTURING INCLUDES THE FORT BERTHOLD INDIAN RESERVATION IN ONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT, REFERRED TO AS DISTRICT K. THEREFORE, AS A GOOD FAITH GESTURE WE ARE OFFERING A COMPROMISE, WHICH RELATES TO THE SUBDISTRICTING FOR THE NINE LARGEST PROPOSED LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS, OF WHICH DISTRICT K IS INCLUDED. WE STRONGLY URGE THE LEGISLATURE TO SUPPORT THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES IN THEIR REQUEST FOR A SUBDIVISION FOR THE FORT BERTHOLD RESERVATION SO THAT WE ARE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY FOR A VOICE IN THE STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE LEGISLATIVE PROCESS.

NATIVE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE BEEN LIVING FOR CENTURIES IN WHAT IS NOW KNOWN AS THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA. HOWEVER, IT WAS NOT UNTIL 1924 THAT AMERICAN INDIANS WERE GRANTED CITIZENSHIP IN THE UNITED STATES AND THE RIGHT TO VOTE. NORTH DAKOTA IN THE 1890'S ATTEMPTED TO RESTRICT THE RIGHT OF AMERICAN INDIANS TO VOTE UNLESS THEY HAD ENTIRELY ABANDONED THEIR TRIBAL RELATIONS AND WERE IN NO MANNER SUBJECT TO THE AUTHORITY OF ANY INDIAN CHIEF OR INDIAN AGENT. (S.480, REVISED CODE.)

AMERICAN INDIANS ARE THE LARGEST MINORITY POPULATION IN THIS

STATE. YET, THEY HAVE ONLY HAD 1--2 LEGISLATORS IN THE HISTORY OF NORTH DAKOTA. RACIAL ATTITUDES AND SO CALLED NEUTRAL CRITERIA HAVE BEEN SET UP SO AS TO DISENFRANCHISE AMERICAN INDIANS. THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT, AS AMENDED, 42 U.S.C. SUB SECTION 1973, ET SEQ., SEEKS TO PROVIDE MEMBERS OF RACIAL AND LANGUAGE MINORITIES AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE POLITICAL PROCESS AND ELECT REPRESENTATIVES OF THEIR CHOICE. SECTION 2 OF THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT, AS AMENDED, PROVIDES:

- (A) NO VOTING QUALIFICATIONS OR PREREQUISITE TO VOTING OR STANDARD, PRACTICE, OR PROCEDURE SHALL BE IMPOSED OR APPLIED BY ANY STATE OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN A DENIAL OR ABRIDGEMENT OF THE RIGHT OF ANY CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES TO VOTE ON ACCOUNT OF RACE OR COLOR, OR IN CONTRAVENTION OF THE GUARANTEES SET FORTH IN SECTION 4 (F) (2), AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B).
- (B) A VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (A) IS ESTABLISHED IF, BASED ON THE TOTALITY OF CIRCUMSTANCES, IT IS SHOWN THAT THE POLITICAL PROCESS LEADING TO NOMINATION OR ELECTION IN THE STATE OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION ARE NOT EQUALLY OPEN TO PARTICIPATION BY MEMBERS OF A CLASS OF CITIZENS PROTECTED BY SUBSECTION (A) IN THAT ITS MEMBERS HAVE LESS OPPORTUNITY THAN OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ELECTORATE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE POLITICAL PROCESS AND TO ELECT REPRESENTATIVES OF THEIR CHOICE. THE EXTENT TO WHICH MEMBERS OF A PROTECTED CLASS HAVE BEEN ELECTED TO OFFICE IN THE STATE OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION IS ONE CIRCUMSTANCE WHICH MAY BE CONSIDERED. AMERICAN INDIANS ARE A PROTECTED CLASS PURSUANT TO SECTION 4(F) (2), 42 USC SUB SECTION 1973B (F) (2). PROVIDED, THAT NOTHING IN THIS SECTION ESTABLISHES

A RIGHT TO HAVE MEMBERS OF A PROTECTED CLASS ELECTED IN NUMBERS EQUAL TO THEIR PROPORTION IN THE POPULATION. THE TRIBE IS NOT ASKING THAT MEMBERS OF OUR PROTECTED CLASS BE ELECTED IN PROPORTION OF OUR NUMBERS. WE ARE ONLY ASKING FOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO ELECT A NATIVE AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE.

THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1982 HAVE BASICALLY FORMULATED A NEW POLICY WHICH REQUIRES THOSE DECISION MAKERS DRAWING DISTRICT BOUNDARIES TO TAKE RACE INTO ACCOUNT FOR THE PURPOSE OF BEING FAIR TO DISADVANTAGED RACIAL MINORITIES. SPECIFICALLY, SECTION 2 OF THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT, 42 U.S.C. SUB SECTION 1973 WAS AMENDED TO OUTLAW ANY "STANDARD, PRACTICE, OR PROCEDURE.....WHICH RESULTS IN DENIAL OR ABRIDGEMENT OF THE RIGHT OF ANY CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES TO VOTE ON ACCOUNT OF RACE OR COLOR....SINCE THE STATUTORY MANDATE IS TO AVOID DENYING OR ABRIDGING THE VOTING RIGHTS OF RACIAL OR ETHNIC GROUPS REGARDLESS OF THE INTENT OF THE PRACTICES EMPLOYED, IT IS NO LONGER ACCEPTABLE TO CLAIM COMPLIANCE SOLELY BECAUSE BOUNDARIES HAVE BEEN CREATED IN A "NEUTRAL" FASHION. THE PLAIN LANGUAGE OF THE STATUTE AND ITS LEGISLATIVE HISTORY MAKE THE RESULTS TEST APPLICABLE TO ALL VOTING PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES. ACCORDINGLY, THE SUPREME COURT HAS SPECIFICALLY AFFIRMED ITS APPLICABILITY TO SINGLE-MEMBER DISTRICT ELECTION PLANS. ALLAIN v. BROOKS, 469 U.S. 1002 (1984); ACCORD KETCHUM v. BYRNE, 740 F. 2d 1398, 7TH CIR. 1984); MAJOR v. TREEN, 565 F. SUPP. 325, (E.D. LA. 1983). BUSKEY v. OLIVER, 565 F. SUPP. 1473, 1481 (M.D. ALA. 1983).

IN 1977, THE SUPREME COURT IN UNITED JEWISH ORGANIZATION v. CAREY, 430 U.S. 144 (1977), MADE IT CLEAR THAT ATTENTION TO RACIAL

CONSEQUENCES OF DISTRICTING SCHEMES WAS CONSTITUTIONALLY PERMISSIBLE TO MEET THE DEMANDS OF SECTION 5 OF THE VOTING RIGHTS ACT, REGARDING PRECLEARANCE OF VOTING CHANGES IN COVERED JURISDICTIONS. NORTH DAKOTA IS A COVERED JURISDICTION. AN ASSESSMENT OF A PLAN'S RACIAL EFFECT WAS ABSOLUTELY REQUIRED TO SATISFY THE SECTION 5 RULE AGAINST "RETROGRESSION" IN THE ABILITY OF A PROTECTED GROUP TO EXERCISE ITS ELECTORAL STRENGTH, BEER V. UNITED STATES, 425 U.S. 130 (1976), AND TO REMEDY PROVEN VIOLATIONS OF MINORITY VOTING RIGHTS. KIRKSEY v. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF HINDS COUNTY, 554 F. 2D 139, 151 (5TH CIR.) (EN BANC), CERT.DENIED, 434 U.S. 968 (1977). THE RESULTS TEST OF SECTION 2 EXTENDS THE NEED FOR CONSIDERATION OF RACE BEYOND MERE AVOIDANCE RETROGRESSION TO FULL CONSIDERATION OF A DISTRICT PLAN'S RACIAL FAIRNESS.

THE TRIBE DOES REMEMBER THAT AMENDED SECTION 2 EXPLICITLY PROVIDES THAT STATES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO ASSURE THAT PROTECTED GROUPS ELECT MEMBERS IN NUMBERS EQUAL TO THEIR PROPORTION IN THE POPULATION. 42 U.S.C. SUB SECTION 1973 (B). HOWEVER, A DISTRICTING PLAN VIOLATES SECTION 2 ONLY "IF, BASED ON THE TOTALITY OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES, IT IS SHOWN THAT....MEMBERS [OF A PARTICULAR CLASS] HAVE LESS OPPORTUNITY THAN OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ELECTORATE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE POLITICAL PROCESS AND TO ELECT REPRESENTATIVE OF THEIR CHOICE."

IN CLOSING, RECOGNIZE THAT THERE IS FEDERAL LAW GOVERNING THIS BODY AS TO YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES IN THIS AREA, AND, REMEMBER WHY THESE LAWS WERE ENACTED AND WHAT THEY WERE INTENDED TO REMEDY WHEN YOU GO ABOUT DECIDING THE FUTURE OF THE STATE ELECTORAL PROCESS.

AND, MOST IMPORTANTLY WHETHER YOU WILL ALLOW US TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATES POLITICAL PROCESS AND TO HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO ELECT REPRESENTIVES OF OUR CHOICE.

THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES ARE PREPARED TO PRESS THE ISSUE OF OUR DISENFRANCHISEMENT AND TO PROTECT OUR RIGHTS. THE STATE CAN REMEDY THIS SITUATION BY TAKING ACTION TODAY OR THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES WILL PURSUE THIS MATTER THROUGH LITIGATION.

November 4, 1991--Special Session

Joint statement of the North Dakota Association of Rural Electric Cooperatives,
North Dakota Farm Bureau, North Dakota Farmers Union, and the North Dakota
Association of Township Officers.

Legislative redistricting committee

Good afternoon, Mr. Chairman, members of the committee, my name is Dennis
Hill. I'm the executive vice-president of the North Dakota Association of Rural
Electric Cooperatives. I'm speaking to you today on behalf of our association,
consisting of 20 rural electric cooperatives and 6 generation and transmission
cooperatives serving 76,000 North Dakotans. I'm also here today on behalf of the
North Dakota Farm Bureau, which represents more than 26,000 farm families, North
Dakota Farmers Union, with a membership of more than 30,000 farm families and the
North Dakota Association of Township Officers.

We ask this committee to consider a redistricting plan of 53 districts or as many as possible for the following reasons:

First, downsizing the legislature will create districts in western North

Dakota which will be nearly two hundred miles from end to end. The size will make

it difficult and expensive for legislators to campaign and represent the various

interests in their districts. More importantly, voters will feel out of touch with

a "local" representative who could live nearly two hundred miles away. North

Dakotans pride themselves on involvement with and commitment to the political

process. Our voter turnout is traditionally among the very best in the nation.

Reducing the size of the legislature makes it more difficult to participate in a meaningful way. We have already seen a decline in voter turnout in North Dakota. In the 1952 presidential election, 76 percent of the eligible voters in North Dakota voted. By the 1988 presidential election, the number of eligible voters actually voting had declined to 64 percent. Let's not make it even more difficult for people to vote.

Next, reducing the size of the legislature can make it easier for special interest groups or bureaucrats to control legislative agendas. As legislators, you know that you depend on your colleagues for a lot of information on the many different issues. Cutting your numbers in the absence of additional staff means less time spent on each bill and issue simply because of the volume of information. That makes relying on special interests more likely because of the ease involved in acquiring their "expertise".

And finally, the costs savings associated with downsizing simply do not offset the potential loss of voter participation and the growing likelihood of North Dakota having more of a professional legislature than a citizen legislature.

Let's keep North Dakota's legislature a citizen legislature. Thank you, I'd be happy to answer any questions.

OF POLITICAL PARTIES FOLLOWING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF REAPPORTIONMENT

PREPARED BY

SECRETARY OF STATE

JIM KUSLER

FOR

INTERIM COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING AND ELECTIONS

CHAIRMAN: SENATOR JIM YOCKIM

16.1-03-17. Political party reorganization after apportionment. If apportionment of the legislative assembly becomes effective after the organization of political parties as provided in this chapter and before the primary or the general election, the secretary of state shall establish a timetable for the reorganization of the parties as rapidly as possible before the ensuing election. When the timetable is established, the secretary of state shall notify all the county auditors of the timetable and of the details of the legislative apportionment as it affects each county. The secretary of state or county auditor may not require reorganization of precincts in which boundaries are unchanged after apportionment by the board of county commissioners or the governing body of the city pursuant to chapter 16.1-04. Each county auditor shall publish in the official county newspaper, a notice containing:

- 1. A statement that legislative apportionment has occurred.
- 2. A description and a map of the new legislative districts and the precincts as established by the governing bodies of the counties and cities in the county, pursuant to section 16.1-04-01.
- The date, time, and places of the precinct caucuses and district committee meetings determined by the secretary of state and the county auditor to be necessary according to the new districts and precincts established.

The political parties, in the newly established precincts and districts, shall then proceed to reorganize as closely as possible in conformance with this chapter and in conformance with the timetable established by the secretary of state.

DISCUSSION POINTS

MAJOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARTY REORGANIZATION TIMETABLE

- A. POLITICAL PARTY OFFICIALS
- B. SECRETARY OF STATE
- C. COUNTY AUDITORS
- D. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
- E. CITY AUDITORS

CONSTRAINTS

THERE ARE FIVE CONSTRAINTS WHICH DRIVE ANY TIMETABLE FOR REAPPORTIONMENT UNDER CURRENT LAW:



APRIL 10, 1992

- 1. SECTIONS 16.1-11-06 & 16.1-11-11.
- 2. CANDIDATES MUST FILE AT LEAST 60 DAYS BEFORE THE ELECTION.



MAJOR POLITICAL PARTY CONVENTIONS

- 1. REPUBLICAN PARTY CONVENTION IS APRIL 2, 3, 4, 8 5.
- 2. DEMOCRATIC-NPL PARTY CONVENTION IS APRIL 2, 3, 4, & 5.



ADMINISTRATIVE TIME NEEDS FOR ELECTION ADMINISTRATORS

- 1. SECRETARY OF STATE
- 2. COUNTY AUDITOR
- CITY AUDITOR



STATUTORY DAYS FOR COUNTY AND CITY REORGANIZATION

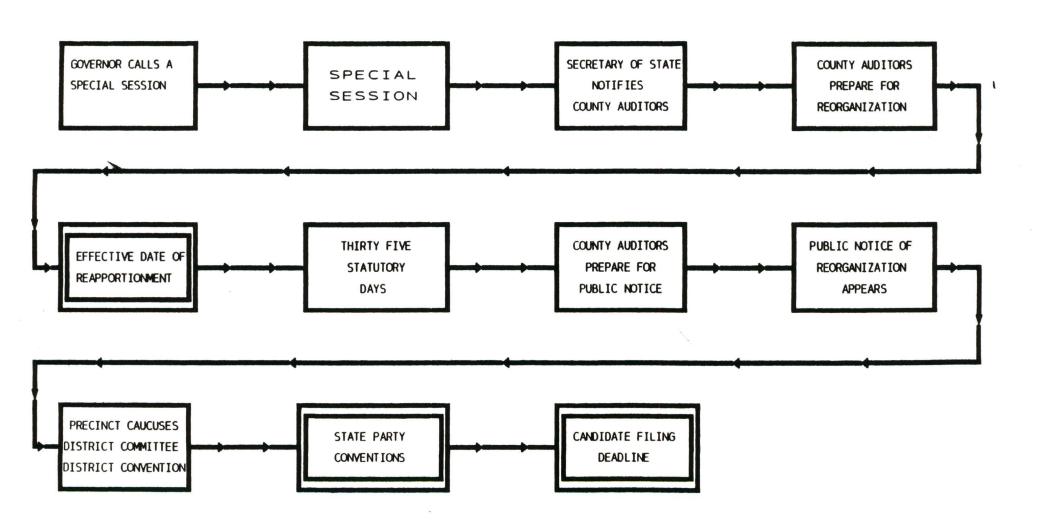
- 1. SECTION 16.1-04-01 & 16.1-04-03
- PRECINCT LINES MUST BE RE-ESTABLISHED WITHIN THIRTY-FIVE DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF REAPPORTIONMENT.



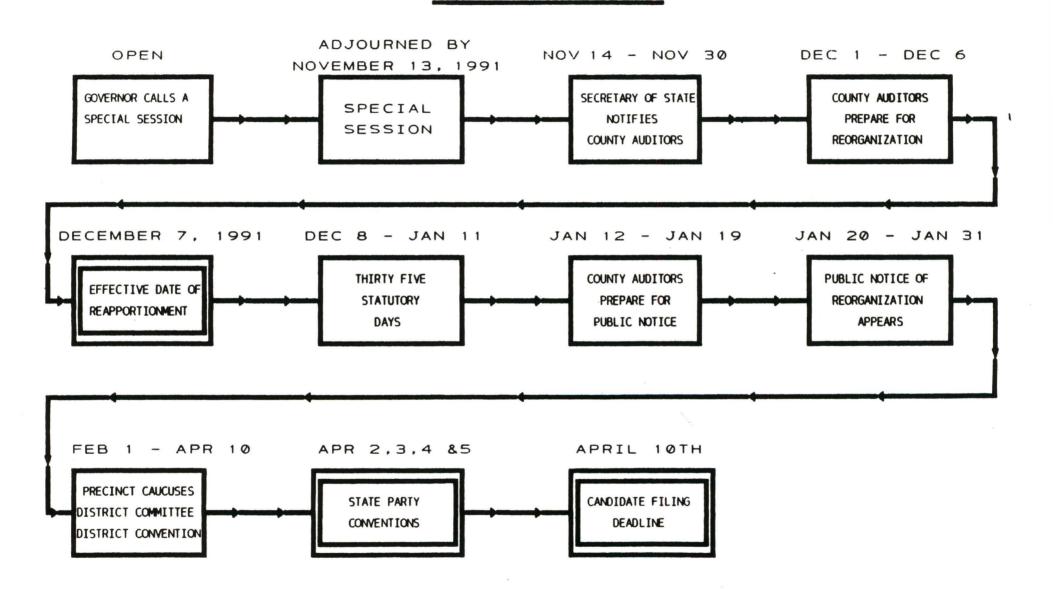
TIME FOR POLITICAL PARTIES TO REORGANIZE THE PRECINCTS AND DISTRICTS

- 1. PRECINCT COMMITTEE PEOPLE (SECTION 16.1-03-03)
- 2. DISTRICT OFFICERS (SECTION 16.1-03-06 & 16.1-03-07)
- 3. DISTRICT CONVENTIONS

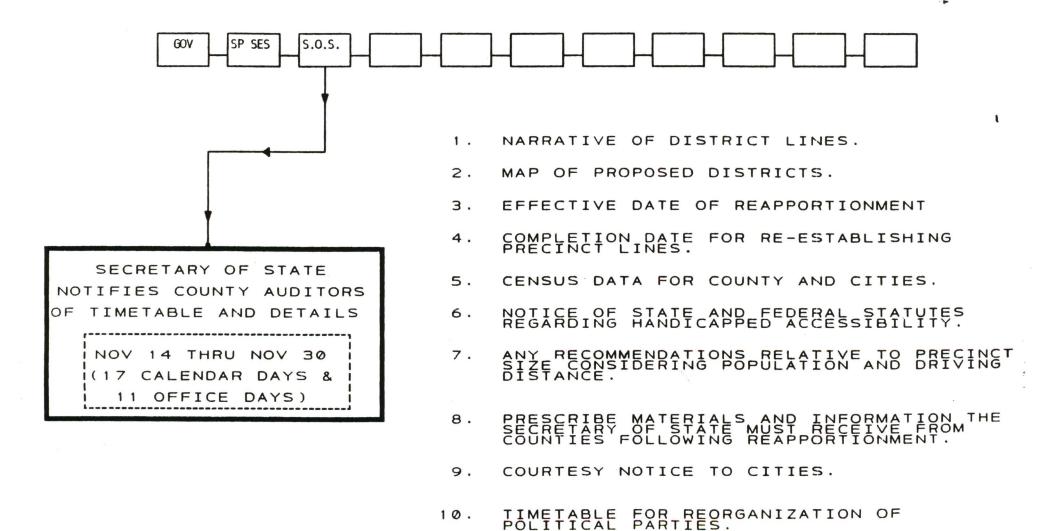
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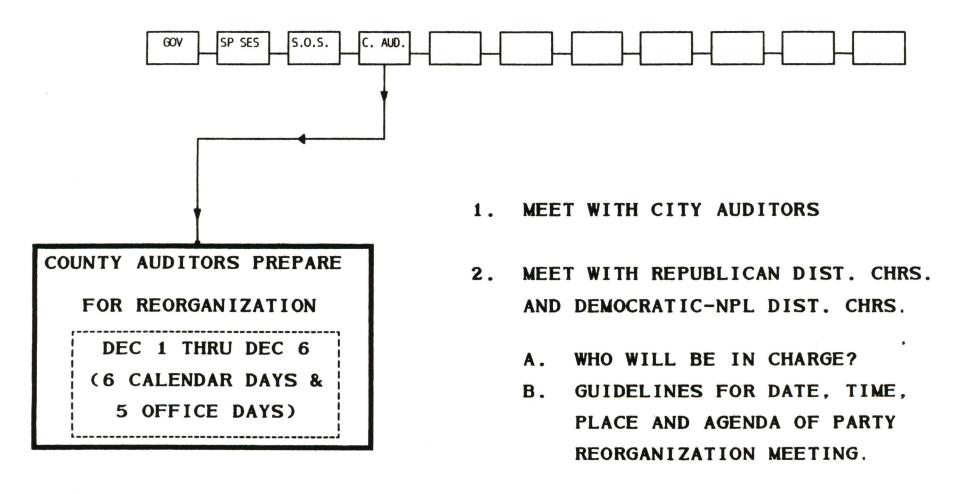


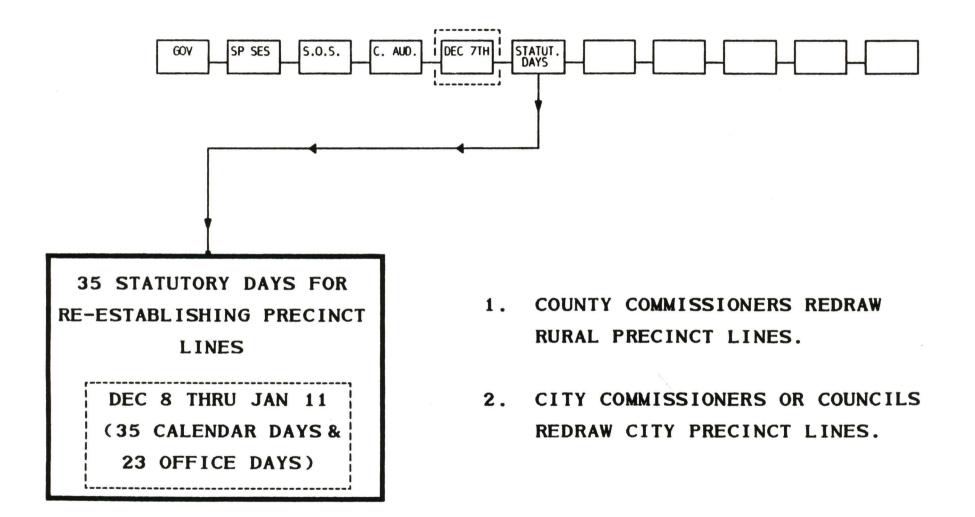
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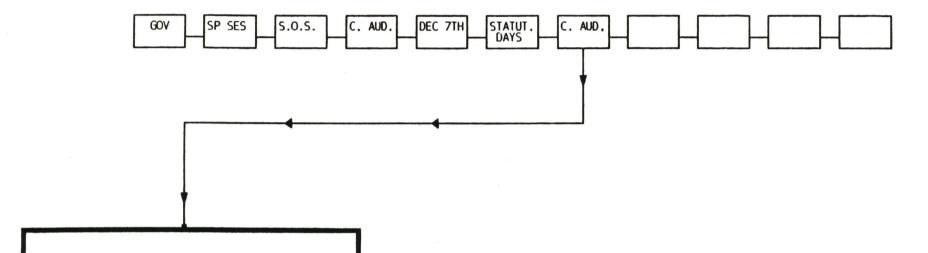
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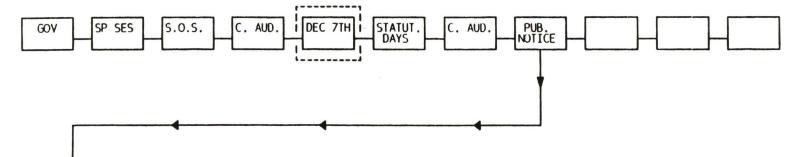


ADMINSTRATIVE TIME FOR
COUNTY AUDITORS TO
PREPARE NOTICE
REORGANIZATION IS
COMPLETE

JAN 12 THRU JAN 19
(8 CALENDAR DAYS &
5 OFFICE DAYS)

- 1. COMMUNICATE WITH CITY AUDITORS.
- 2. COMMUNICATE WITH POLITICAL PARTY CHAIRS:
 - A. TIME, DATE, PLACE AND AGENDA
 FOR VARIOUS PARTY REORGANIZATION
 MEETING.

TASKS



PUBLIC NOTICE MUST

BE MADE SAYING

COUNTY REORGANIZATION IS

COMPLETE AND PARTY

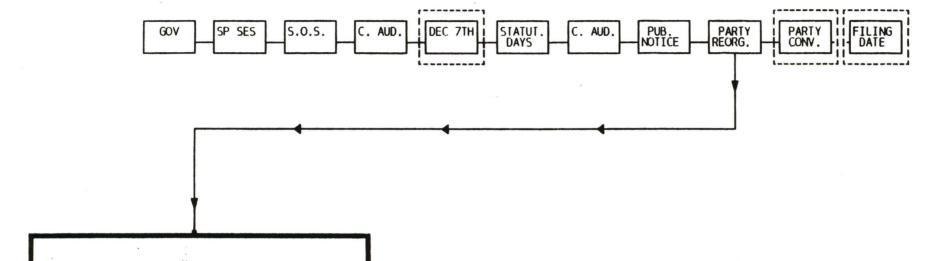
REORGANIZATION MAY

BEGIN

JAN 20 THRU JAN 31 (12 CALENDAR DAYS & 10 OFFICE DAYS)

- 1. STATEMENT LEGISLATIVE REAPPORTIONMENT HAS OCCURRED.
- 2. NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE DISTRICT.
- 3. NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE PRECINCTS.
- 4. IDENTIFY WHICH GOVERNING BODIES ESTABLISH WHICH PRECINCTS.
- 5. MAP OF DISTRICT AND ITS PRECINCTS.
- 6. DATE, TIME AND PLACES OF PCT. CAUCUSES.
- 7. DATE, TIME AND PLACES OF DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEETING.
- 8. DATE, TIME AND PLACE OF DISTRICT CONVENTION.
- 9. AGENDA OF BUSINESS TO BE CONDUCTED.

TASKS



DISTRICT COMMITTEES

PRECINCT CAUCUSES

AND

DISTRICT CONVENTIONS

ARE HELD

- 1. APRIL 2,3,4,& 5 1992 PARTY CONVENTIONS.
- 2. REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC-NPL PARTIES
 UTILIZE DIFFERENT TIMETABLE TO
 ACCOMPLISH PARTY REORGANIZATION.

FEB 1 THRU APR 10
(72 CALENDAR DAYS &
ABOUT 58 REALLY
OPERATIVE DAYS)

Legislative Redistricting Committee State Capitol Bismarck, ND 58505

Dear Committee Members:

My name is Adam Krauter, a former member of the North Dakota Senate for 12 years.

I have two points to present that share my concerns in support of maintaining 53 Legislative Districts. First of all with 53 districts you will maintain better population representation and a better balance in the value of district property. Secondly if it costs 10¢ per resident in North Dakota to conduct the Legislative process a bienium. We are operating on a thrifty and efficient and effective system. I consider this to be a minor cost to conduct a better form of representive government. Thank you and I hope you will consider my concerns.

adam Krauter

Adam Krauter 1185-10th Ave. W Dickinson, ND 58601 Dear Committee Member,

I am writing regarding the current proposed plan for redictricting that your interim Committee is proposing to the special legislative redictricting session.

ecrally three in rural areas, will be letter served

by maintaining the 53 district Legislatine.

In some legislation districts some constituents. Line a long way from their elected officials, and should there wish to discuse usines with them personally, it would involve considerable travel, even as it is now, let whom having larger districts. It seems to me that the present 53-district plan maintains a ressonable size legislative.

cileo, I believe splitting senatorial districte into two house districts would further facilità de letter contact between constituency and clicted

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Thank you for your efforts in the difficult task of white my suggestions into account as you since up with a final bill itwing the session. stankyou.

Haven Siper.

LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE

STATE CAPITOL

BISMARCK, ND SSSSS

DEAR COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

I AM WRITING TO SUPPORT KEEPING THE

NUMBER OF LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS AT S3. EARLY REPORTS

INDICATE THAT OUR DISTRICT (SEVEN) WILL GROW FROM

S9 TOWNSHIPS TO 93 TOWNSHIPS IF THE 49-DISTRICT

PLAN IS ADOPTED. WHILE WE EXPECT SOME GROW TH IN

DISTRICT SIZE BECAUSE OF POPULATION CHANGES, I BECKEVE

THAT IT WILL BE COUNTER PRODUCTIVE TO ALSO DECREASE THE

TOTAL NUMBER OF DISTRICTS AT THE SAME TIME, AND

ACCELERATE THE GROWTH IN DISTRICT SIZE. I REALIZE THAT

SOME PEOPLE THINK COST SAVINGS CAN BE ACHIEVED BY

REDUCING THE SIZE OF THE LEGISLATURE, BUT I FEEL THAT THE

LOSS OF CONTACT WITH OUR LEGISLATORS WILL BE TOO HEAVI A

PRICE TO PAY FOR THE SMALL SAVINGS IN LEGISLATIVE COSTS.

IF YOU FEEL IT NECESSARY TO REVISE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS,

PLEASE CONSIDER DIVIDING SENTIONIAL DISTRICTS INTO TWO

SUB-DISTRICTS FOR REPRESENTATIVES. THIS WAY WE SHOULD BE

ABLE TO IMPROVE OUR ACCESS TO LEGISLATORS BY GUARANTEENG

THAT AT LEAST OUR REPRESENTATIVE WILL BE WITHIN OUR

SUB-DISTRICT, RATHER THAN HAVING THE POSSIBILITY OF ALL THREE

LEGISLATORS RESIDING ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF A DISTRICT

AS WITH THE PRESENT SITUATION.

THANK YOU -

Jamos B. Reigen

JAMES B. TEIGEN
RZ BOX 11Z
RUBBY, ND 58368



CITY OF MANDAN

MANDAN CITY HALL — 205 2nd Ave. N.W. MANDAN, NORTH DAKOTA 58554

November 4, 1991

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to inform the members of the Redistricting Committee that I am in favor of keeping the area of Plainview Heights within District #34 for the following reasons:

- This areas has been represented by an urban district for 30 years and voters know where to vote eliminating many phone calls to the auditor's office for voting information.
- The precinct lines will stay primarily the same except for one precinct. Precinct lines that were previously established will be in place in all other areas of the district.
- 3. The Auditor's Office will be able to continue using the same clerks, judges and inspectors as in previous elections; and
- 4. The proposed new district lines to the south are the city limit lines and since this area was in the previous district the new District #34 will be easily drawn for both precinct and district lines.

For the above reasons I recommend that you consider the proposed new district lines for District #34. A map of said proposed district is attached for your convenience.

Sincerely

Kevin Christ City Auditor Legislative Redistricting and Elections Committee
Legislative Council
State Capitol
Bismarck N D 58505

Dear Committee Members:

We are cocerned over the proposed plan for redistricting that your interim committee are proposing to the upcoming legislative redistricting session.

We would prefer to maintain the present 53-district legislature and believe that this plan best serve rural North Dakota. Larger district will make travel to keep in touch with the public for our elected officials very difficult.

Further, we also support dividing the senatorial districts into two house member districts, for the same reasons stated above. Closer contacts with our elected officials makes for better government.

Thank you for listening to our concerns and our best wishes to you as you study this difficult redistricting job before you..

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Logislative Redistricting and Elections Committee Logislative Council State Capitol Bismarck ND 58505

Doar Committee Member:

I am writing to express my concern for the current proposed plans for redistricting that your interim committee is proposing to the apocial legislative redistricting session.

I feel that rural North Dakota is best served by maintaining the current 53-district legislature. The increased distance that constituents must travel in order to meet with their elected officials is getting almost prohibitive in some of the largest rural districts. A 53-district plan maintains a reasonable size logislature and should be the result of the special session.

Also, I support splitting the senatorial districts into two house districts. The split district would further facilitate the contact between a constituency and elected officials. While there would be some districts where incumbents who live close together would be affected, I feel the long-term benefits of splitting senatorial districts into two separate house districts far outweigh any inconvenience to current legislators.

Thank you for your efforts in the difficult task of redistricting and I hope you will take my concerns into account as you study the final bill during the legislative session.

Sincerely yours,

Ternon D. Pranke Box 43 Fusender, n. Dal. 58438

This is one of many pages submitted to the Legislative Redistricting Committee during the 1991 Special Session.

WE THE RESIDENTS OF LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 34, MANDAN, PRECINCT #1 PETITION THE NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATURE TO ACCEPT THE ATTACHED REDISTRICTING PROPOSAL PLAN FOR THE CITY OF MANDAN.



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DISTRICT 16 REPUBLICAN PARTY

The District 16 Executive Committee urges the adoption of District lines which maintain the integrity of county boundaries as closely as practical. This is the most fair system for the voters of Walsh County.

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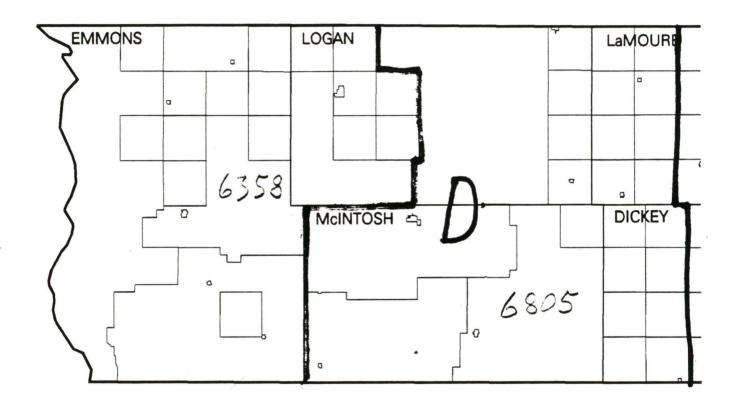
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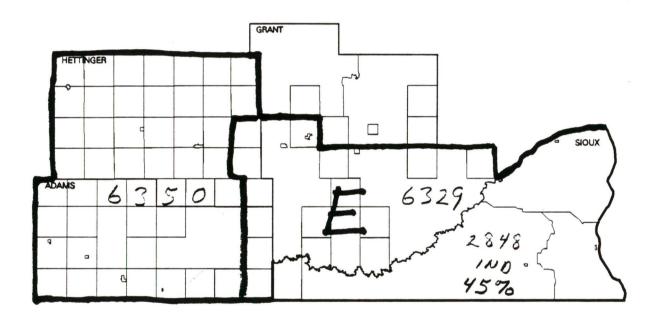
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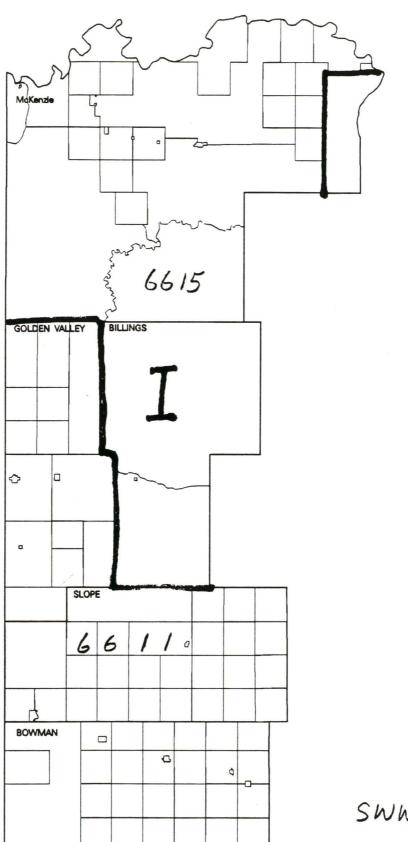
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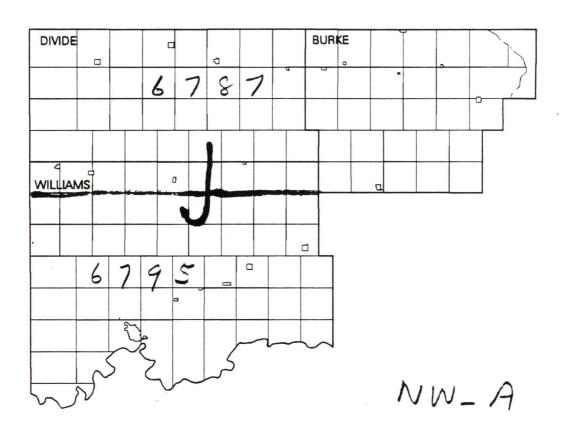


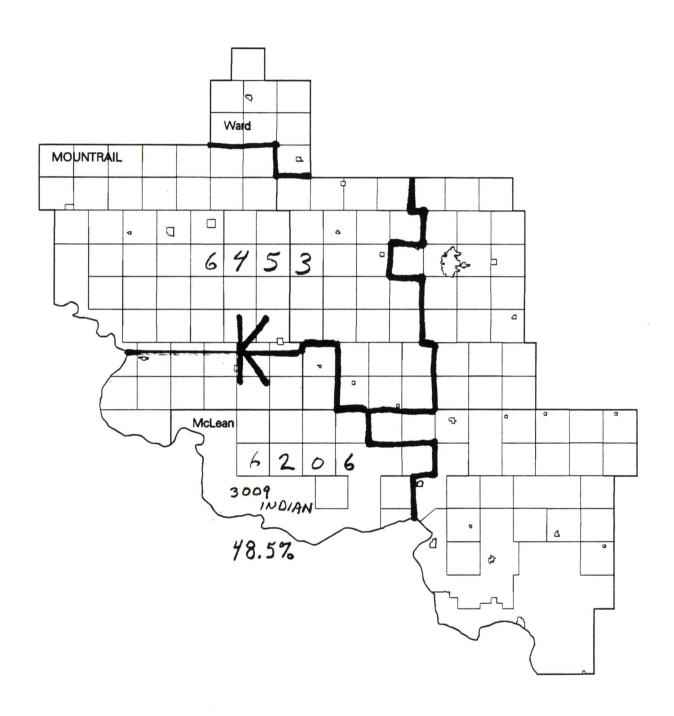


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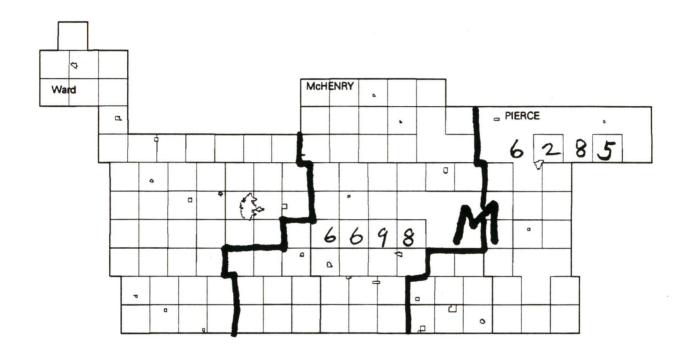


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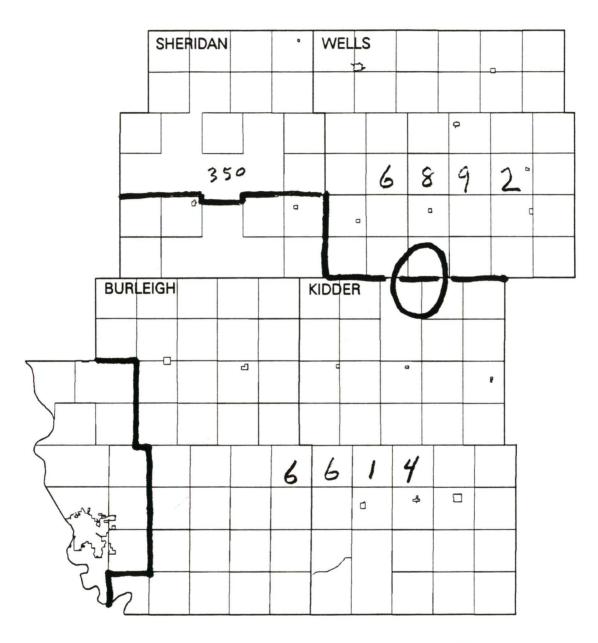




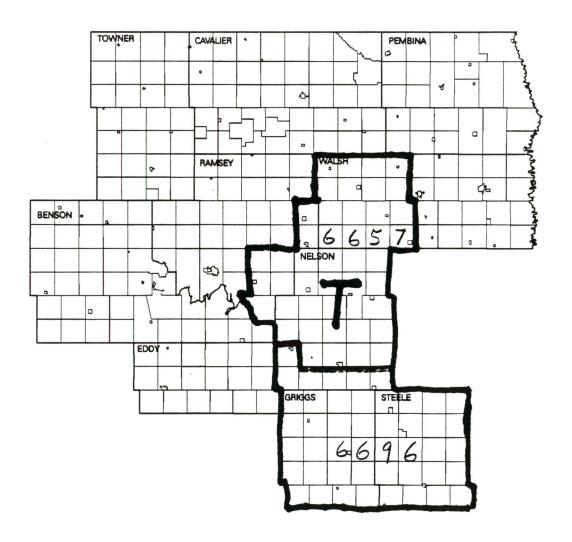
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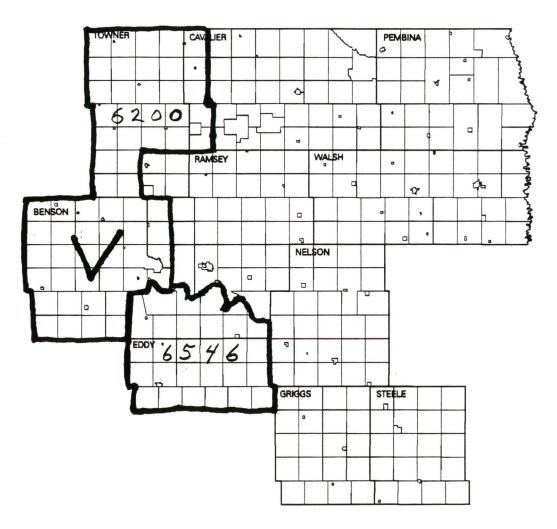


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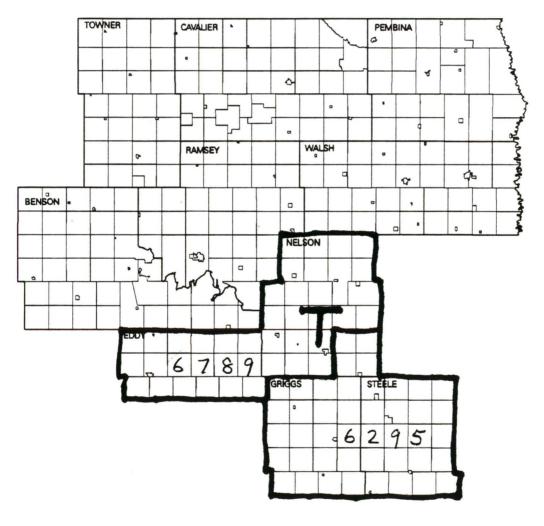


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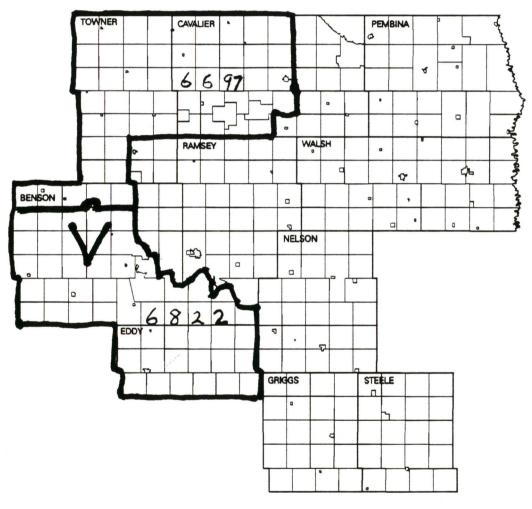




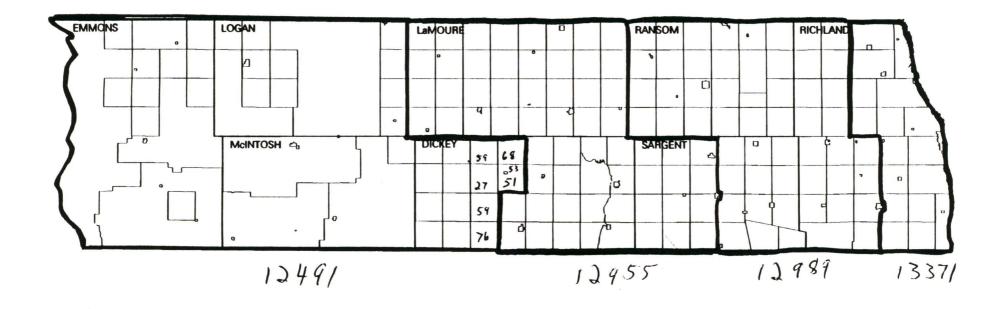
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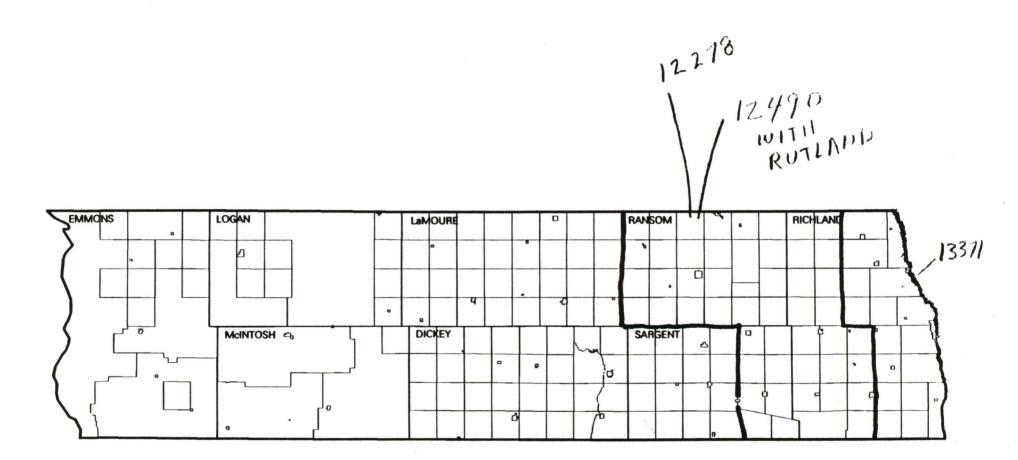


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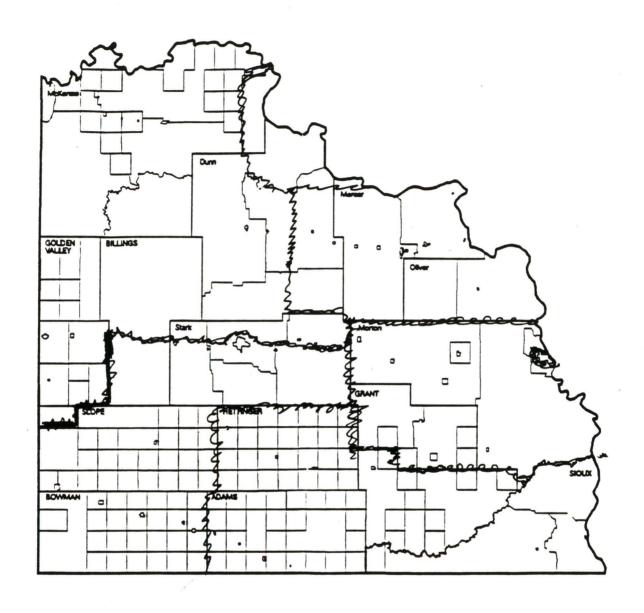




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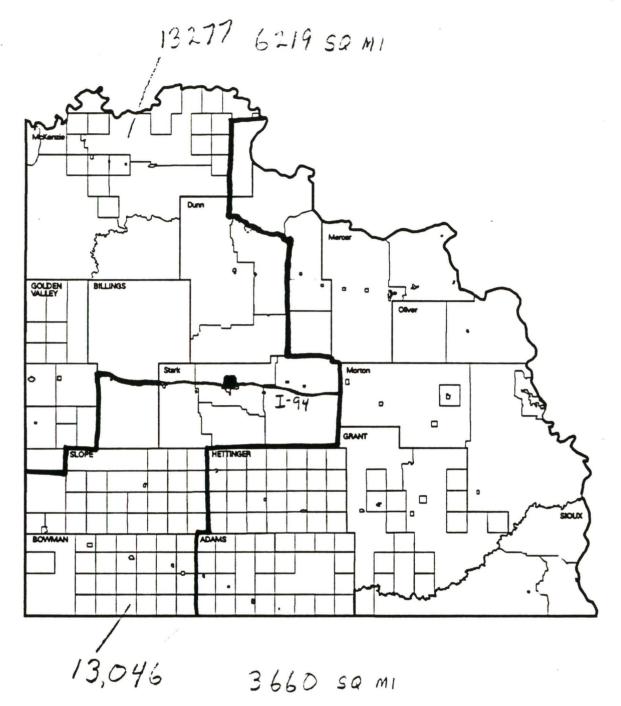
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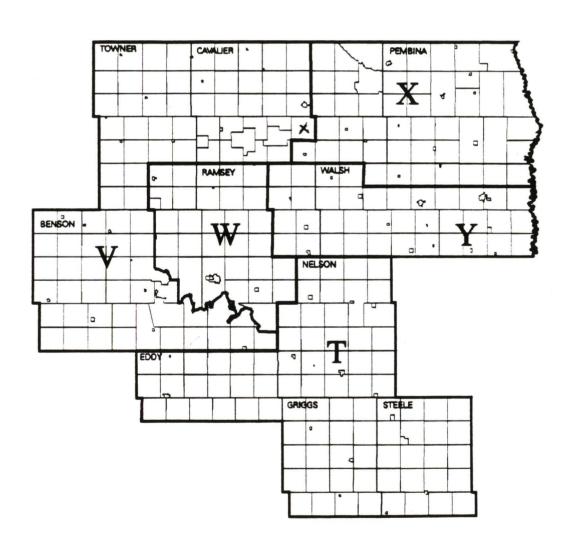
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Dist-	Population		American Indian		Area	
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T	13,084	9,830	6 6	45	3,083.01	0.36
V	13,519	9,228	2,816	1,411	3,245.81	3.70
W	13,600	10,022	626	342	1,166.90	4.32
X	12,449	9,023	169	114	1,979.64	-4.51
Y	13,080	9,512	95	59	1,341.66	0.33

T District. All of Eddy County. All of Griggs County. All of Nelson County. All of Steele County. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 12 (2951), 23 (10133).



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V District. All of Benson County. Part of Cavalier County (4494) including all of Banner, Billings, Bruce, Byron, Cypress, Dresden, Elgin, Glenila, Gordon, Grey, Henderson, Huron, Langdon, Linden, Minto, Moscow, Mount Carmel, North Loma, Perry, Seivert, South Dresden, Storlie, Trier, and Waterloo townships, all of Alsen, Calio, Calvin, Hannah, Langdon, Loma, Munich, Sarles, and Wales cities. Part of Towner County (1827) including all of Armourdale, Atkins, Crocus, Dash, Gerrard, Grainfield, Howell, Lansing, Monroe, Mount View, New City, Olson, Paulson, Picton, Rock Lake, Sidney, Smith, Sorenson, Springfield, Teddy, Twin Hill, Victor, Virginia, and Zion townships, all of Bisbee, Egeland, Hansboro, Perth, Rocklake, and Sarles cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (6321), 12 (7198).

W Distirct. Part of Ramsey County (11800) including all of Bartlett Twp, Cato, Chain Lakes, Coulee, Creel, De Groat, Dry Lake, Freshwater, Grand Harbor, Hammer, Harding, Klingstrup, Minnewaukan, Morris, Nixon, Noonan, Northfield, Odessa, Ontario, Overland, Pelican, Royal, S Minnewaukan, Stevens, Sullivan, and Webster townships, all of Churchs Ferry, Crary, Devils Lake, Hampden, and Starkweather cities. Part of Towner County (1800) including all of Bethel, Cando, Coolin, and Maza townships, all of Cando, and Maza cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (1800), 12 (340), 15 (11460).

X District. Part of Cavalier County (1570) including all of Alma, Easby, East Alma, Fremont, Harvey, Hay, Hope, Loam, Manilla, Montrose, Nekoma, North Olga, Osford, Osnabrock, South Olga, and West Hope townships, all of Hove Mobile Park, Milton, Nekoma, and Osnabrock, cities. All of Pembina County. Part of Walsh County (1641) including all of Dundee, Farmington, Glenwood, Lampton, Martin, St. Andrews, and Tiber townships, all of Edinburg, and Hoople cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (1694), 11 (10755).

Y District. Part of Ramsey County (881) including all of Fancher, Highland Center, Lawton, Lillehoff, Newbre, Newland, Prospect, and Triumph townships, all of Brocket City, Edmore, and Lawton cities. Part of Walsh County (12199) including all of Acton, Adams, Ardoch, Cleveland, Dewey, Eden, Fertile, Forest River, Golden, Grafton, Harriston, Kensington, Kinloss, Latona, Medford, Norton, Oakwood, Ops, Perth, Prairie Center, Pulaski, Rushford, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Vernon, Vesta, Walsh Centre, and Walshville townships, all of Adams, Ardoch, Conway, Fairdale, Fordville, Forest River, Grafton, Lankin, Minto, Park River, and Pisek cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (586), 15 (881), 16 (11613).

Proposed November 4,1991

Dist-	Population		American Indian		Area	
rict	Total	18 & over	Total	18 & over		Deviation
S	12,840	9,309	58	40	1,409.93	-1.51
T	12,513	9,337	23	14	3,128.17	-4.02
U	13,213	8,193	8,510	4,763	1,263.29	2.29
V	13,335	9,263	2,861	1,449	2,803.13	2.29
W	13,427	9,869	593	319	1,526.84	2.99
X	13,323	9,662	176	120	2,270.07	2.19
Y	13,270	9,568	108	64	983.36	1.79
Z	13,331	9,032	84	53	794.75	2.26
Grand	Forks					
A	13,526	10,018	363	219	24.27	3.75
В	13,444	10,855	449	258	2.60	3.12
C	13,525	10,296	195	115	12.10	3.74
D	13,168	9,644	137	92	16.10	1.00

S District. Part of Cass County (976) including all of Bell, Dows, Fargo, Hunter, Kinyon, and Noble townships, all of Grandin, and Hunter cities. Part of Grand Forks County (3112) including all of Allendale, Americus, Bentru, Fairfield, Michigan, Oakville, Pleasant View, Union, Walle, and Washington townships, part of Brenna (367) township, all of Reynolds, and Thompson cities. All of Traill County. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 19 (831), 20 (11033), 22 (976).

T District. Part of Grand Forks County (577) including all of Elkmount, Logan Center, Loretta, Moraine, Niagara, and Plymouth townships, all of Niagara city. All of Griggs County. All of Nelson County. All of Steele County. Part of Walsh County (1803) including all of Adams, Cleveland, Dewey, Kinloss, Latona, Medford, Norton, Perth, Sauter, Shepherd, Silvesta, Tiber, and Vesta townships, all of Adams, Fairdale, Fordville, and Lankin cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (710), 16 (1093), 19 (577), 23 (10133).

U District. All of Rolette County. Part of Towner County (441) including all of Armourdale, Dash, Lansing, Mount View, Picton, Rock Lake, Sidney, and Smith townships, all of Hansboro, and Sarles cities. This district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 9 (12772), 10 (441).

V District. All of Benson County. All of Eddy County. Part of Towner County (3186) including all of Atkins, Bethel, Cando, Coolin, Crocus, Gerrard, Grainfield, Howell, Maza, Monroe, New City, Olson, Paulson, Sorenson, Springfield, Teddy, Twin Hill, Victor, Virginia, and Zion townships, all of Bisbee, Cando, Egeland, Maza, Perth, and Rocklake cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (3186), 12 (10149).

W District. Part of Cavalier County (746) including all of Banner, Gordon, Henderson, Seivert, Storlie, and Trier townships, all of Alsen, Calio, and Munich cities. All of Ramsey County. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (746), 12 (340), 15 (12341).

X District. Part of Cavalier County (5318) including all of Alma, Billings, Bruce, Byron, Cypress, Dresden, Easby, East Alma, Elgin, Fremont, Glenila, Grey, Harvey, Hay, Hope, Huron, Langdon, Linden, Loam, Manilla, Minto, Montrose, Moscow, Mount Carmel, Nekoma, North Loma, North Olga, Osford, Osnabrock, Perry, South Dresden, South Olga, Waterloo, and West Hope townships, all of Calvin, Hannah, Hove Mobile Park, Langdon, Loma, Milton, Nekoma, Osnabrock, Sarles, and Wales, cities. Part of Pembina County (8005) including all of Advance, Akra, Bathgate, Beaulieu, Carlisle, Cavalier, Crystal, Elora, Felson, Gardar, Hamilton, Joliette, La Moure, Lodema, Neche, Park, Pembina, St. Joseph, St. Thomas, Thingvalla, and Walhalla townships, all of Bathgate, Canton City, Cavalier, Crystal, Hamilton, Mountain, Neche, Pembina, St. Thomas, and Walhalla cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 10 (5318), 11 (8005).

Y District. Part of Pembina County (1233) including all of Drayton, Lincoln, and Midland townships, all of Drayton city. Part of Walsh County (12037) including all of Acton, Ardoch, Dundee, Eden, Farmington, Fertile, Forest River, Glenwood, Golden, Grafton, Harriston, Kensington, Lampton, Martin, Oakwood, Ops, Prairie Center, Pulaski, Rushford, St. Andrews, Vernon, Walsh Centre, and Walshville townships, all of Ardoch, Conway, Edinburg, Forest River, Grafton, Hoople, Minto, Park River, and Pisek cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 11 (2750), 16 (10520).

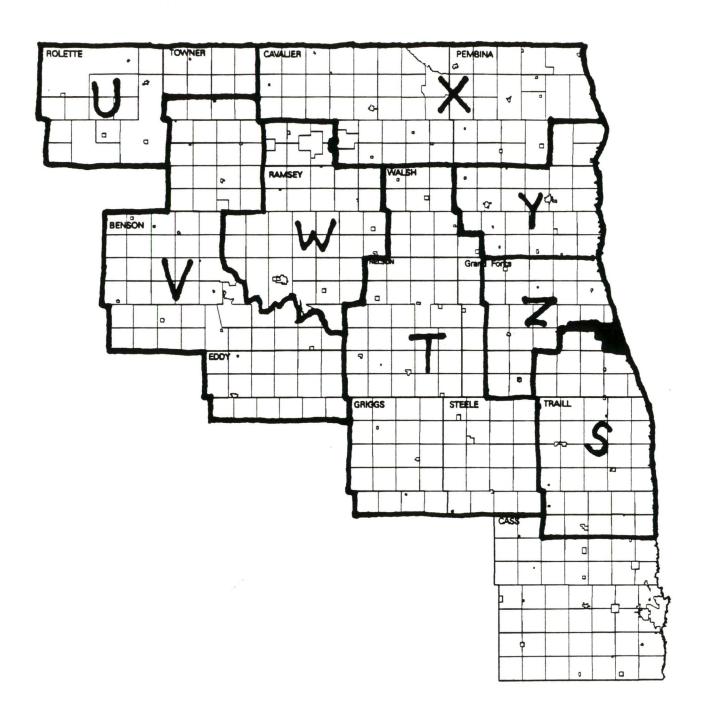
Z District. Part of Grand Forks County (13331) including all of Agnes, Arvilla, Avon, Chester, Elm Grove, Ferry, Gilby, Grace, Hegton, Inkster, Johnstown, Lakeville, Larimore, Levant, Lind, Northwood, Strabane, Turtle River, and Wheatfield townships, part of Blooming (187), Falconer (278), Mekinock (6047), and Rye (170) townships, all of Emerado, Gilby, Inkster, Larimore, Manvel, and Northwood cities. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 17-18 (5854), 19 (7477). This district would include 5854 from the Grand Forks Air Force Base.

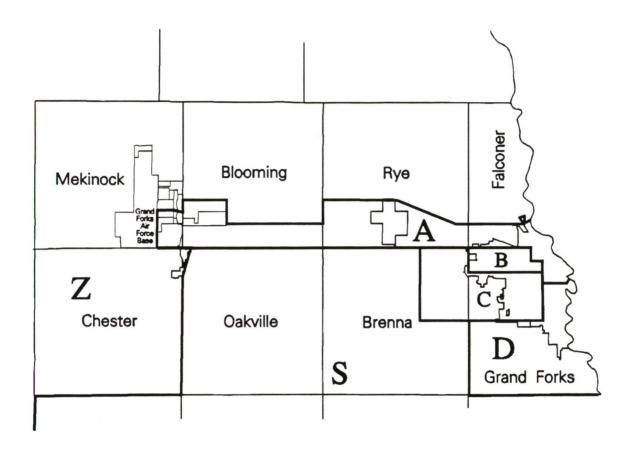
Grand Forks A. Part of Grand Forks County (13526) including part of Blooming (1269), Falconer (36), Mekinock (2269), and Rye (43) townships, part of Grand Forks (9909) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 17-18 (11708), 19 (117), 42 (1271), 43 (430). This district would include 3489 from the Grand Forks. Air Force Base.

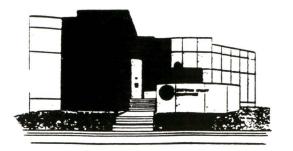
Grand Forks B. Part of Grand Forks County (13444) including part of Grand Forks (13444) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 19 (2156), 42 (11288).

Grand Forks C. Part of Grand Forks County (13525) including part of Brenna (156), and Grand Forks (39) townships, part of Grand Forks (13330) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 19 (3845), 43 (9680).

Grand Forks D. Part of Grand Forks County (13168) including part of Grand Forks (426) township, part of Grand Forks (12742) city. This proposed district is composed of the following parts of existing districts: 17-18 (8610), 43 (4558).







Stutsman County

511 2nd Ave. S.E. Jamestown, North Dakota 58401

October 15, 1991

To whom It may Concern: the enclosed map shows the reorganized plan that Jeff Fuchs, Jamestown City and I would like to see. we prefer this plan to the in which the southern so Jamestown in Combined with the iural area. In our plan J 4 would be combined with ctreas. There are excellent votina facilities in each of the voling Rr

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