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### **SECTION 1. NUMBER OF LEGISLATORS**

The Legislature shall consist of ten (10) members, chosen from the districts described within and apportioned among the County on the basis of the number of inhabitants of the County of Clinton in the year 2020 as set forth in this Law.

### **SECTION 2.** NUMBER OF LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS

There shall be ten (10) legislative districts apportioned among the County of Clinton, which are described hereafter.

### **SECTION 3. CONSTRUCTION**

- A. This law shall be liberally construed to effectuate the purposes thereof and to apportion and district the County of Clinton in compliance with the requirements of law.
- B. It is intended that this law and the districts described herein completely encompass all the area within the County of Clinton. It is also intended that such districts, apportioned on the basis of the United States Bureau of Census 2020 population, contain all the inhabitants of this County by utilizing the established populations from the New York State Legislative Task Force on Demographic Research and Reapportionment (aka LATFOR), which provided all New York State local jurisdictions with modified 2020 census data that placed certain State incarcerated individuals in their residence of record prior to incarceration, and removed from the population those Federal incarcerated individuals from the local population. In Clinton County, the incarcerated individual populations were removed from the Clinton and Altona Correctional Facilities. The New York State incarcerated individuals were relocated to their prior residences of record. It is further intended that the apportionment and districting provided

for in this law result in the creation of districts which are substantially equal in population. It is also intended that no district shall include any of the area included within the description of any other district.

### **SECTION 4. SAVING CLAUSE**

If the districts described in this law do not carry out the purposes thereof because of unintentional omission; duplication, overlapping areas; erroneous nomenclature; lack of adequate maps or descriptions of political subdivisions, wards, or other divisions thereof, or of their boundary lines; street closings, changes of names of streets, or other changes of public places; alteration of the boundary of or courses of waterways; filling in of lands underwater; accretion or other changes in shorelines; or alteration of courses, rights-of-way, or lines of public utilities or other conditions, then the Clinton County Board of Elections, at the request of any person aggrieved thereby or any candidate affected thereby, shall, by order, correct such omissions, overlaps, erroneous nomenclature, or other defects in description of districts so as to accomplish the purposes and objectives of this Law.

### **SECTION 5. DESCRIPTION OF LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS**

### A. Legislative District Number One (1) shall consist of the following:

The Town of Champlain in its entirety; and,

The portion of the Town of Mooers lying east of the boundary described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the centerline of Blackman Corners Road intersects the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Mooers, thence commencing in a southerly direction along the centerline of Blackman Corners Road to its intersection with the centerline of Eddy Road, thence heading in an easterly direction and then turning and heading in a southerly direction following the centerline of Eddy Road to its intersection with the centerline of Garrand Road, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of Garrand Road to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 11, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of State Route 11 until its intersection with the centerline of Woods Falls Road, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of Woods Falls Road until its intersection with the centerline of Emery Road, thence heading in an easterly direction along the centerline of Emery Road until its intersection with the centerline of Gilbert Road, thence heading in an easterly direction along the Great Chazy River until its intersection with the centerline of Gilbert Road, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of Gilbert Road until its intersection with the centerline of Joe Wood Road, then heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of Joe Wood Road until its intersection with the southern boundary of the Town of Mooers.

### B. Legislative District Number Two (2) shall consist of the following:

The Town of Clinton in its entirety; and,

The Town of Ellenburg in its entirety; and,

The Town of Altona in its entirety; and,

The Town of Dannemora excluding the Village of Dannemora; and,

The portion of the Town of Mooers lying to the west of the boundary described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the centerline of Blackman Corners Road intersects the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Mooers, thence commencing in a southerly direction along the centerline of Blackman Corners Road to its intersection with the centerline of Eddy Road, thence heading in an easterly direction and then turning and heading in a southerly direction following the centerline of Eddy Road to its intersection with the centerline of Garrand Road, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of State Route 11 until its intersection with the centerline of Woods Falls Road, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of Woods Falls Road until its intersection with the centerline of Emery Road, thence heading in an easterly direction along the centerline of Emery Road until its intersection with the centerline of the Great Chazy River, thence heading in a southerly direction along the Great Chazy River until its intersection with the centerline of Gilbert Road, thence heading in an easterly direction along the centerline of Gilbert Road until its intersection with the centerline of Joe Wood Road, then heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of Joe Wood Road until its intersection with the southern boundary of the Town of Mooers.

### C. Legislative District Number Three (3) shall consist of the following:

The Town of Chazy in its entirety; and,

The portion of the Town of Beekmantown lying to the west of the boundary described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the centerline of Ashley Road intersects the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Beekmantown, thence commencing in a southerly direction along the centerline of Ashley Road to its intersection with the centerline of New York State Route 22, and thence heading southerly along the centerline of New York State Route 22 and ending at its intersection with the southern municipal boundary of the Town of Beekmantown.

### D. Legislative District Number Four (4) shall consist of the following:

That portion of the Town of Beekmantown lying to the east of the boundary described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the centerline of Ashley Road intersects the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Beekmantown, thence commencing in a southerly direction along the centerline of Ashley Road to its intersection with the centerline of New York State Route 22, and thence heading southerly along the centerline of New York State Route 22 and ending at its intersection with the southern municipal boundary of the Town of Beekmantown.

Also, that portion of the Town of Plattsburgh that is encompassed by the following boundary:

Beginning at the northeasternmost corner of the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Plattsburgh where said boundary intersects the shoreline of Lake Champlain, thence commencing in a southerly direction along said shoreline around the peninsula known as Cumberland Head, to the point where said shoreline intersects the City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary, thence heading in a northwesterly direction and following the City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary as it angles and turns in a westerly direction to a point where said boundary intersects the centerline of State Route 3, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of State Route 3 to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 22B, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of State Route 22B to its intersection with the centerline of Mead Brook, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Mead Brook to its intersection with the cleared right of way for NYSEG high power lines, thence heading in a westerly direction along the cleared power line right of way to its intersection with the centerline of Rand Hill Road, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Rand hill Road to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 374, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of State Route 374 to its intersection with the centerline of Mead Brook, thence heading northerly along the centerline of Mead Brook to its intersection with the shoreline of Mead Reservoir, thence heading in a northwesterly direction along the western shoreline of Mead Reservoir to its intersection with the centerline of West Brook, thence heading northerly along the centerline of West Brook to its intersection with the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Plattsburgh, thence heading easterly along the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Plattsburgh to the place of beginning.

### E. Legislative District Number Five (5) shall consist of the following:

The Town of Schuyler Falls in its entirety; and,

That portion of the Town of Plattsburgh that is encompassed by the following boundary:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the Saranac River and State Route 22B where it also intersects with the Town of Plattsburgh municipal boundary, thence heading in an easterly direction along the centerline of State Route 22B to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 3, thence continuing in an easterly direction along the centerline of State Route 3 to its intersection with the centerline of Military Turnpike, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of Military Turnpike until its intersection with the Saranac River where it also intersects with the municipal boundary between the Town of Plattsburgh, thence heading in a northwesterly direction along the centerline of the Saranac River which is also the municipal boundary of the Town of Plattsburgh, to the point of beginning.

That portion of the Town of Peru that is encompassed by the following boundary:

Beginning at a point where the municipal boundaries of the Towns of Schuyler Falls, Plattsburgh, and Peru converge, also being the southeastern corner of the Town of Schuyler Falls, thence heading easterly and then southerly along the Town of Peru northern municipal boundary to its intersection with the centerline of Arnold Road, thence heading westerly along the centerline of Arnold Road to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 22, thence heading southwesterly along the centerline of State Route 22 to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 22B, thence heading in a northwesterly direction along the centerline of State Road to its intersection with the centerline of Mannix Road, thence heading westerly along the centerline of Clark Road to its intersection with the centerline of Peasleeville Road, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of

Peasleeville Road to its intersection with the centerline of Campsite Road, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Campsite Road to its intersection with the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Peru, thence heading in an easterly direction along the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Peru to the point of beginning.

### F. Legislative District Number Six (6) shall consist of the following:

The Town of Saranac in its entirety; and,

The Town of Black Brook in its entirety; and,

The Village of Dannemora in its entirety, to include the portion of the village within the Town of Dannemora; and,

The portion of the Town of Plattsburgh west of the boundary described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the Saranac River and State Route 22B where it also intersects with the Town of Plattsburgh municipal boundary, thence heading in an easterly direction along the centerline of State Route 22B to its intersection with the centerline of Mead Brook, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Mead Brook to its intersection with the cleared right of way for NYSEG high power lines, thence heading in a westerly direction along the power line right of way to its intersection with the centerline of Rand Hill Road, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Rand Hill Road to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 374, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of State Route 374 to its intersection with the centerline of Mead Brook, thence heading northerly along the centerline of Mead Brook to its intersection with the shoreline of Mead Reservoir, thence heading in a westerly direction along the shoreline of Mead Reservoir to its intersection with the centerline of West Brook thence heading northerly along the centerline of West Brook to its intersection with the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Plattsburgh.

### G. Legislative District Number Seven (7) shall consist of the following:

The Town of Ausable in its entirety; and,

All of the Town of Peru except for the portion that is encompassed by the boundary that is described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the municipal boundaries of the Towns of Schuyler Falls, Plattsburgh, and Peru converge, also being the southeastern corner of the Town of Schuyler Falls, thence heading easterly and then southerly along the Town of Peru northern municipal boundary to its intersection with the centerline of Arnold Road, thence heading westerly along the centerline of Arnold Road to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 22, thence heading southwesterly along the centerline of State Route 22 to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 22B, thence heading in a northwesterly direction along the centerline of State Route 22B to its intersection with the centerline of Mannix Road, thence heading westerly along the centerline of Mannix Road to its intersection with the centerline of Clark Road, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Peasleeville Road to its intersection with the centerline of Campsite Road, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Peasleeville Road to its intersection with the centerline of Campsite Road, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Peasleeville Road to its intersection with the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Peru, thence heading in an easterly direction along the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Peru to the point of beginning.

### H. Legislative District Number Eight (8) shall consist of the following:

The portion of the Town of Plattsburgh encompassed by the boundary described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the centerline of the Military Turnpike intersects with the centerline of the Saranac River along the municipal boundary between the Town of Plattsburgh and the Town of Schuyler Falls, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of the Military Turnpike to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 3, thence heading in an easterly direction along the centerline of State Route 3 to its intersection with the City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary, thence heading in a southeasterly direction along the municipal boundary of the City of Plattsburgh as it angles and turns to its intersection with the shoreline of Lake Champlain, thence heading in a southerly direction along the shoreline of Lake Champlain to its intersection with the northern municipal boundary of the Town of Peru (also the Town of Plattsburgh Southern Boundary), thence heading in a westerly direction along the municipal boundary between the Town of Peru and Town of Plattsburgh to the intersection with the Town of Schuyler Falls municipal boundary, thence heading in a northerly direction along the Town of Plattsburgh municipal boundary to the point of beginning.

The Portion of the City of Plattsburgh located to the south of the boundary described as follows:

Beginning at the location where the centerline of the Saranac River intersects with the western edge of the municipal boundary of the City of Plattsburgh, thence heading northeasterly downstream along the centerline of the Saranac River to its intersection with the northern property boundary of the Old Catholic Cemetery on South Platt Street, thence heading southeasterly along the

northern property boundary of the Old Catholic Cemetery to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 9/Peru Street, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of State Route 9/Peru Street and following State Route 9 (as it becomes known as US Avenue), to its intersection with the centerline of New York Road, thence heading in a northeasterly direction along the centerline of New York Road to its intersection with the centerline of Ohio Avenue, thence heading in a southeasterly direction along the centerline of Ohio Avenue to its intersection with the centerline of the driveway leading to Sailor's Beach Park, thence heading easterly along the driveway entrance to Sailor's Beach park to its intersection with the centerline of the Terry Gordon Bike Path, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of the Terry Gordon Bike Path to its intersection with the southern City of Plattsburgh Municipal Boundary.

### I. Legislative District Number Nine (9) shall consist of the following:

The portion of the City of Plattsburgh encompassed by the following boundary:

Beginning at a point which is the intersection of the centerlines of Bridge Street and the centerline of the Saranac River, thence commencing northerly along the centerline of the Saranac River to the mouth of the Saranac River at Lake Champlain. thence heading southerly along the Lake Champlain shoreline to its intersection with the southern City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary, thence heading in a westerly direction along the City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary to its intersection with the centerline of the Terry Gordon Bike Path, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of the Terry Gordon Bike Path to its intersection with the driveway entrance to Sailor's Beach Park, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of the driveway entrance to Sailor's Beach Park to its intersection with Ohio Avenue, thence heading in a northwesterly direction along the centerline of Ohio Avenue to its intersection with the centerline of New York Road, thence heading in a southwesterly direction along the centerline of New York Road to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 9 (also known as US Avenue), thence heading in a northerly direction along State Route 9 (as it becomes known as Peru Street) to its intersection with the northern property boundary of the Old Catholic Cemetery on South Platt Street, thence heading in a northwesterly direction along the northern property boundary of the Old Catholic Cemetery on South Platt Street to its intersection with the centerline of the Saranac River, thence heading in a southwesterly direction upstream on the centerline of the Saranac River to the intersection with the western City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary, thence heading in a northwesterly direction along the City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary to its intersection with the centerline of State Route 3, thence heading easterly along the centerline of State Route 3 to its intersection with the centerline of Beekman Street, thence heading southerly along the centerline of Beekman Street to its intersection with the centerline of Court Street, thence heading in an easterly direction along the centerline of Court Street to its intersection with the centerline of William Street, thence heading in a southerly direction along the centerline of William Street to its intersection with the centerline of Brinkerhoff Street, thence heading easterly along the centerline of Brinkerhoff Street to its intersection with the centerline of Margaret Street, thence heading northerly along the centerline of Margaret Street to its intersection with the centerline of Bridge Street, thence heading in an easterly direction along Bridge Street to the point of beginning.

### J. Legislative District Number Ten (10) shall consist of the following:

That portion of the City of Plattsburgh encompassed by the following boundary:

Beginning at a point in the northeasternmost corner of the City of Plattsburgh municipal boundary where it intersects with the shoreline of Lake Champlain, thence commencing in a southwesterly direction along the shoreline of Lake Champlain to its intersection with the centerline of the mouth of the Saranac River, thence heading westerly (upstream) along the centerline of the Saranac River to its intersection with the centerline of Bridge Street (located on the Bridge Street Bridge), thence heading westerly along the centerline of Bridge Street to its intersection with the centerline of Margaret Street, thence heading southerly along the centerline of Brinkerhoff Street to its intersection with the centerline of Brinkerhoff Street, thence heading northerly along the centerline of William Street to its intersection with the centerline of Court Street, thence heading westerly along the centerline of William Street to its intersection with the centerline of Court Street, thence heading westerly along the centerline of Court Street to its intersection with the centerline of Beekman Street, thence heading in a northerly direction along the centerline of Beekman Street to its intersection with the centerline of Cornelia Street/State Route 3, thence heading in a westerly direction along the centerline of Cornelia Street/State Route 3 to its intersection with the City of Plattsburgh western municipal boundary, thence heading northerly and following the city municipal boundary as it angles and turns to the shoreline of Lake Champlain and the point of beginning.

### **SECTION 6. PERMISSIVE REFERENDUM**

This Law shall be subject to permissive referendum pursuant to Section 24 of the Municipal Home Rule Law and Section 101 of the County Law and shall take effect immediately as provided by said sections.

### **SECTION 7.** MAPS OF THE DISTRICTS

Attached hereto and marked as Attachments A and B are copies of maps showing the general configurations of the districts described in this Local Law and which are intended to aid in showing the configurations of said districts, but are intended not to control said configurations.

### **SECTION 8. METHODOLOGY AND MATHEMATICAL DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION**

Attached hereto and marked as Attachment C is an explanation of the methodology used in allocating population for legislative districts and the mathematical distribution of population of the legislative districts described herein.

### **SECTION 9. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Local Law shall be filed with the office of the New York State Secretary of State, and this Local Law shall take effect with respect to elections held after December 31, 2022.

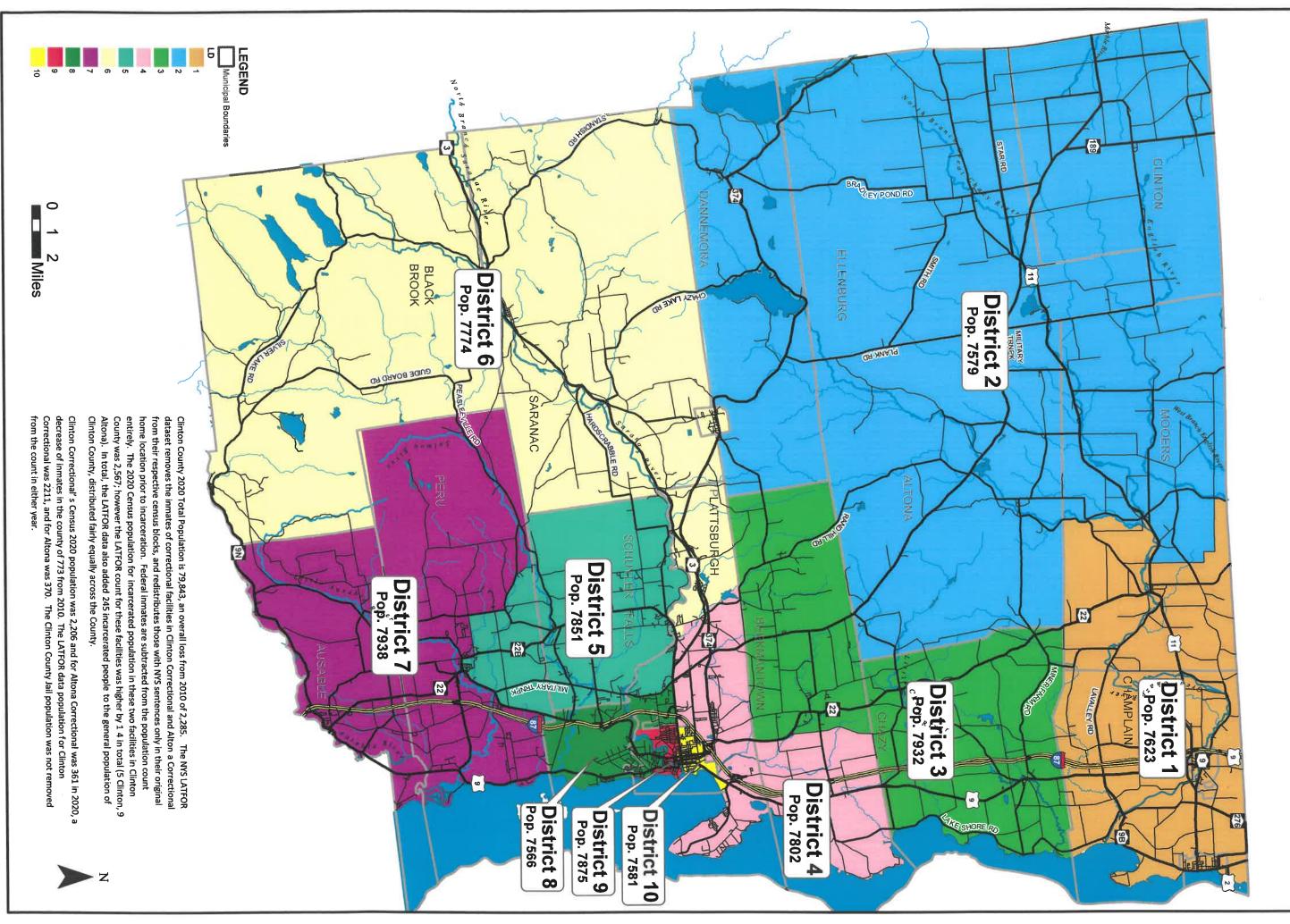
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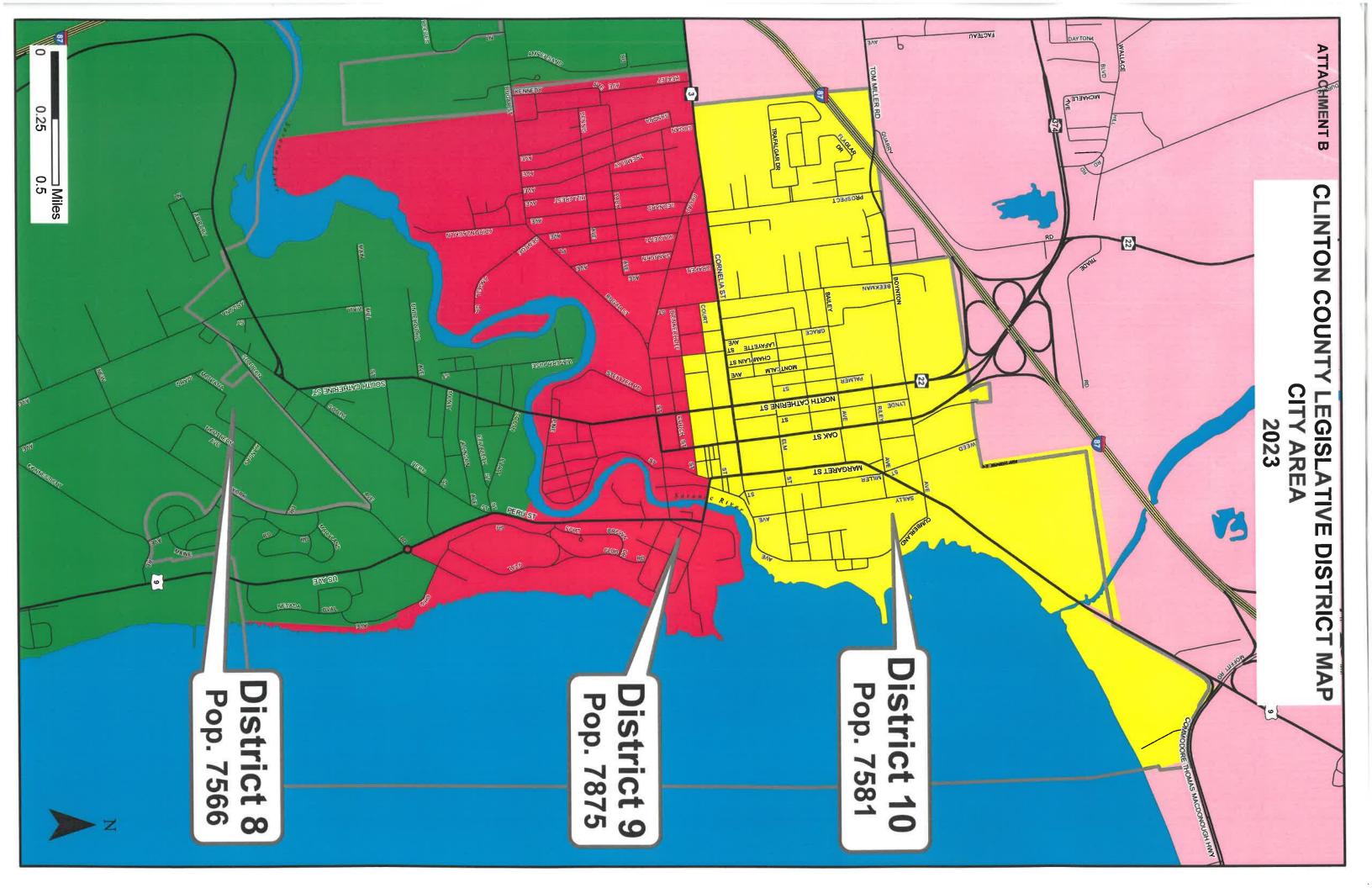
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# CLINTON COUNTY LEGISL 2023 ATIVE DISTRICT MAP





### ATTACHMENT C

### METHODOLOGY AND MATHEMATICAL DISTRIBUTION

### METHODOLOGY:

The United States Census of 2020 determined that the population of Clinton County was 79,843. This figure includes incarcerated individuals within the Correctional Facilities of Clinton Correctional and Altona Correctional. Legislative Law Section 83-m directed the New York State Legislative Task Force on Demographic Research and Reapportionment (AKA LATFOR) to produce a demographic count of incarcerated individuals, which was accomplished through a separate method than what was used by the US Census. The NYS legislature passed amendments to the reapportionment / redistricting laws – Municipal Home Rule law, Chapter 36-A, Article 2, Section 10 of the General powers of local governments to adopt and amend local laws on October 29, 2021- that required all Counties in New York to utilized this alternate data for counting incarcerated individuals. This method moves New York State incarcerated individuals for redistricting / enumeration purposes back to their last known addresses prior to incarceration, and removed Federally incarcerated individuals from the Clinton County population count altogether.

Clinton County has chosen to utilize Ten Legislative Districts with the County, each with one single elected representative.

The NYS redistricting law (cited above) states under Section 10, paragraph 13, a, i:

"If such plan of districting or redistricting includes only single-member districts, such districts shall be as nearly equal in population as is practicable; the difference in population between the most and least populous district shall not exceed five percent of the mean population of all districts. If such plan of districting or redistricting includes multi-member districts, the plan shall provide substantially equal weight for the population of that local government in the allocation of representation in the local legislative body"

Therefore, for 10 Legislative Districts, and a total population of 77,521 total population (LATFOR data):

### NYS LATFOR CLINTON COUNTY POPULATION: 77,521

For 10 legislative districts, there would be a 7,752 average population for each district ideally, with a maximum spread of 5% between the highest and lowest populated district. To achieve this, 7,941 and 7,563 were utilized as the maximum population range variation between districts in the County Redistricting process. The LATFOR tabular population data provided for census blocks was linked in ESRI Arcmap Geographic Information Software (GIS) to the 2020 US Census block data, and populations for legislative districts could be determined with this dataset in GIS.

7941 -7563 = 378 maximum variation between districts.

378/7,564 = .0499 or 4.99% variation between the highest and lowest district, and 2.44% from the mean population of 7,752 per district.

Legislative Districts must therefore fall between 7,941 and 7,563 to be in conformance.

Results of the redistricting boundary locations on the population for each legislative district are shown in the table below:

LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT	MUNICIPALITIES	POPULATION
1	Champlain Town Rouses Point Village Champlain Village Mooers Town (Part)	7,623
2	Clinton Town Ellenburg Town Dannemora Town (excludes Village) Altona Town Mooers Town (Part)	7,579
3	Chazy Town Beekmantown Town (Part)	7,932
4	Plattsburgh Town (Part) Beekmantown Town (Part)	7,802
5	Schuyler Falls Town Plattsburgh Town (Part) Peru Town (Part)	7,851
6	Saranac Town Dannemora Village Black Brook Town Plattsburgh Town (Part)	7,774
7	Peru Town (Part) Ausable Town	7,938
8	City of Plattsburgh (Part) Plattsburgh Town (Part)	7,566
9	City of Plattsburgh (Part)	7,875
10	City of Plattsburgh (Part)	7,581
TOTAL		77,521