



Census 2020 and Redistricting in Texas: South Texas

Senate Redistricting Hearing
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Census 2020

- Census counts used to reapportion the U.S. House of Representatives, determining how many seats each state gets.
- Census counts used by state officials to redraw congressional and state legislative boundaries to account for population shifts.
- Census derived data are used to allocate over \$1.5 trillion in federal funds to support healthcare, education, transportation, and other service programs.



Redistricting Dates

- Apportionment File sent to POTUS on ~~12/31/2020~~- now-earliest - 3/6/2021
- Redistricting Data File (Public Law 94-171 File) received by the Governor no later than ~~April 1, 2021~~ now unknown
- PL 94-171 released to states in groups of 8 states per week, with one week prior notice
- PL 94-171 File to include:
 - Race, Hispanic origin, 18 and older, occupancy status, and group quarters by type.
- Data available at WWW.CENSUS.GOV/RDO



Population Growth and Projected Congressional Seats of Select States

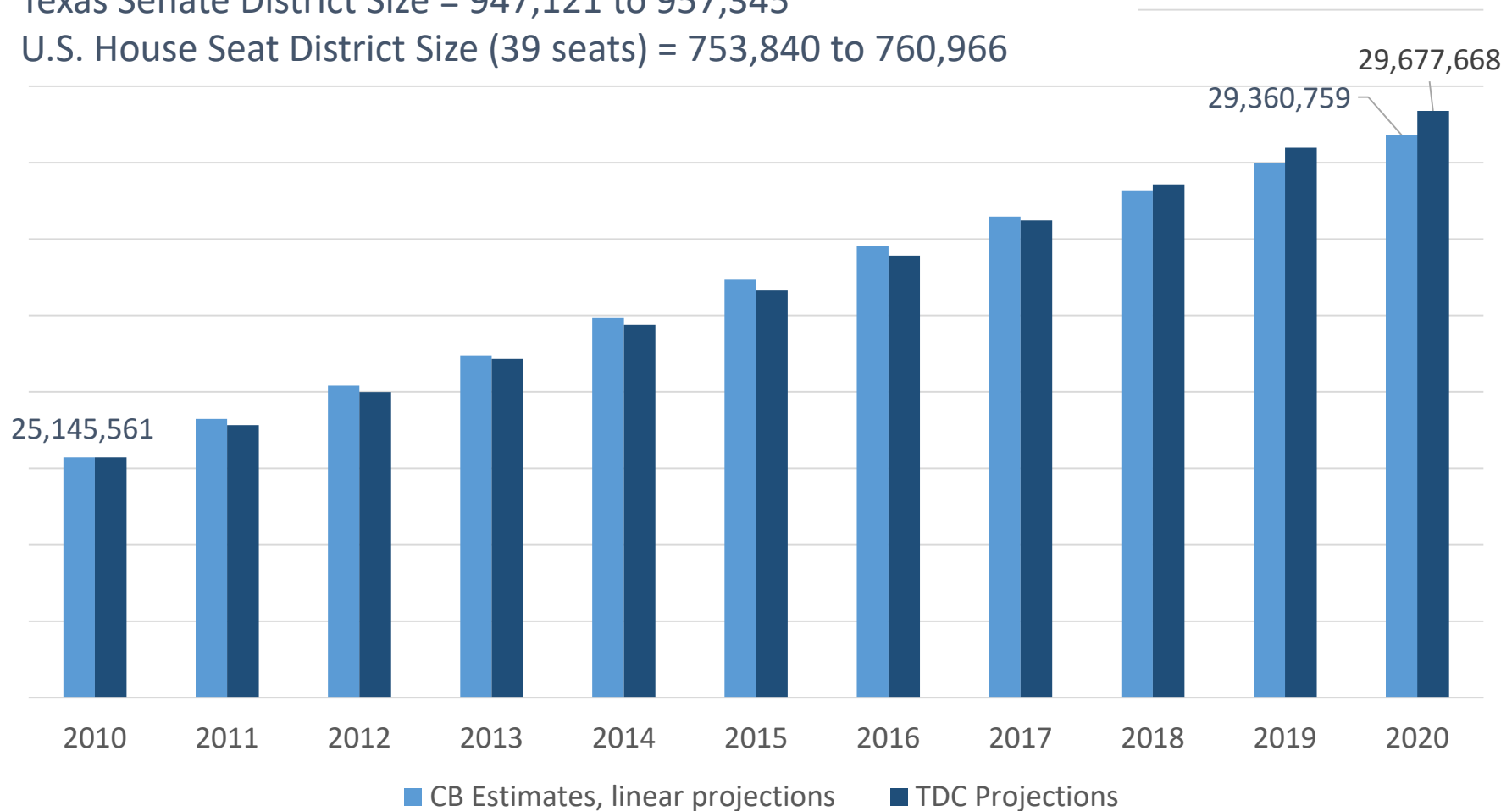
	2010 Population	2020 Population	Numeric Change 2010-2020	Percent Change 2010-2020	Projected Congressional Seats Added
United States	308,745,538	329,484,123	20,738,585	6.7%	
Texas	25,145,561	29,360,759	4,215,198	16.8%	3
Florida	18,801,310	21,733,312	2,932,002	15.6%	2
North Carolina	9,535,483	10,600,823	1,065,340	11.2%	1
Arizona	6,392,017	7,421,401	1,029,384	16.1%	1
Colorado	5,029,196	5,807,719	778,523	15.5%	1
Oregon	3,831,074	4,241,507	410,433	10.7%	1
Montana	989,415	1,080,577	91,162	9.2%	1
California	37,253,956	39,368,078	2,114,122	5.7%	-1
Minnesota	5,303,925	5,657,342	353,417	6.7%	-1



Linear Forecast of Census Bureau Population Estimates 2010-2020 and TDC Population Projections

Texas Senate District Size = 947,121 to 957,345

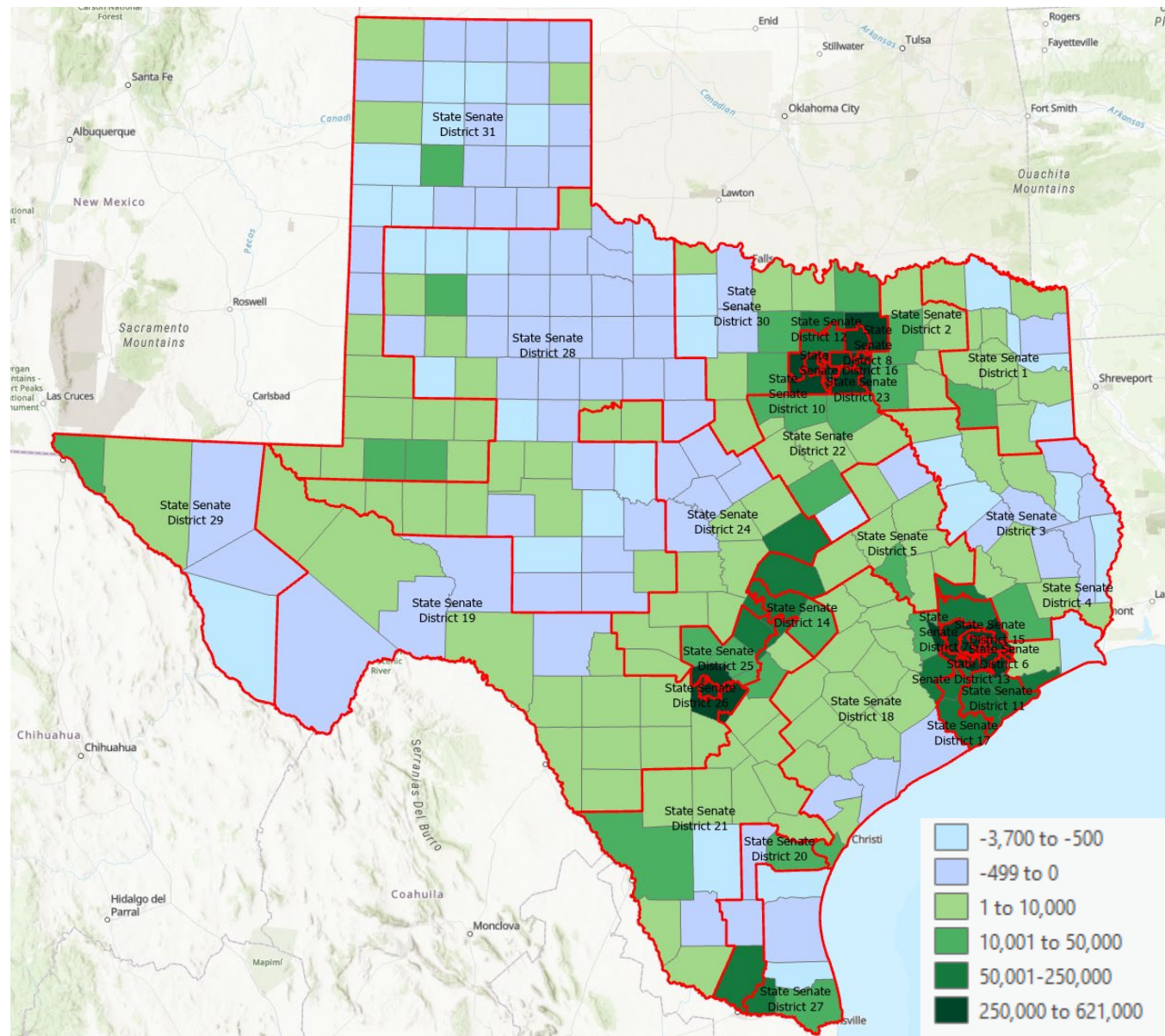
U.S. House Seat District Size (39 seats) = 753,840 to 760,966



Source: Texas Demographic Center 2018 Population Projections; Census Bureau 2020 Population Estimates

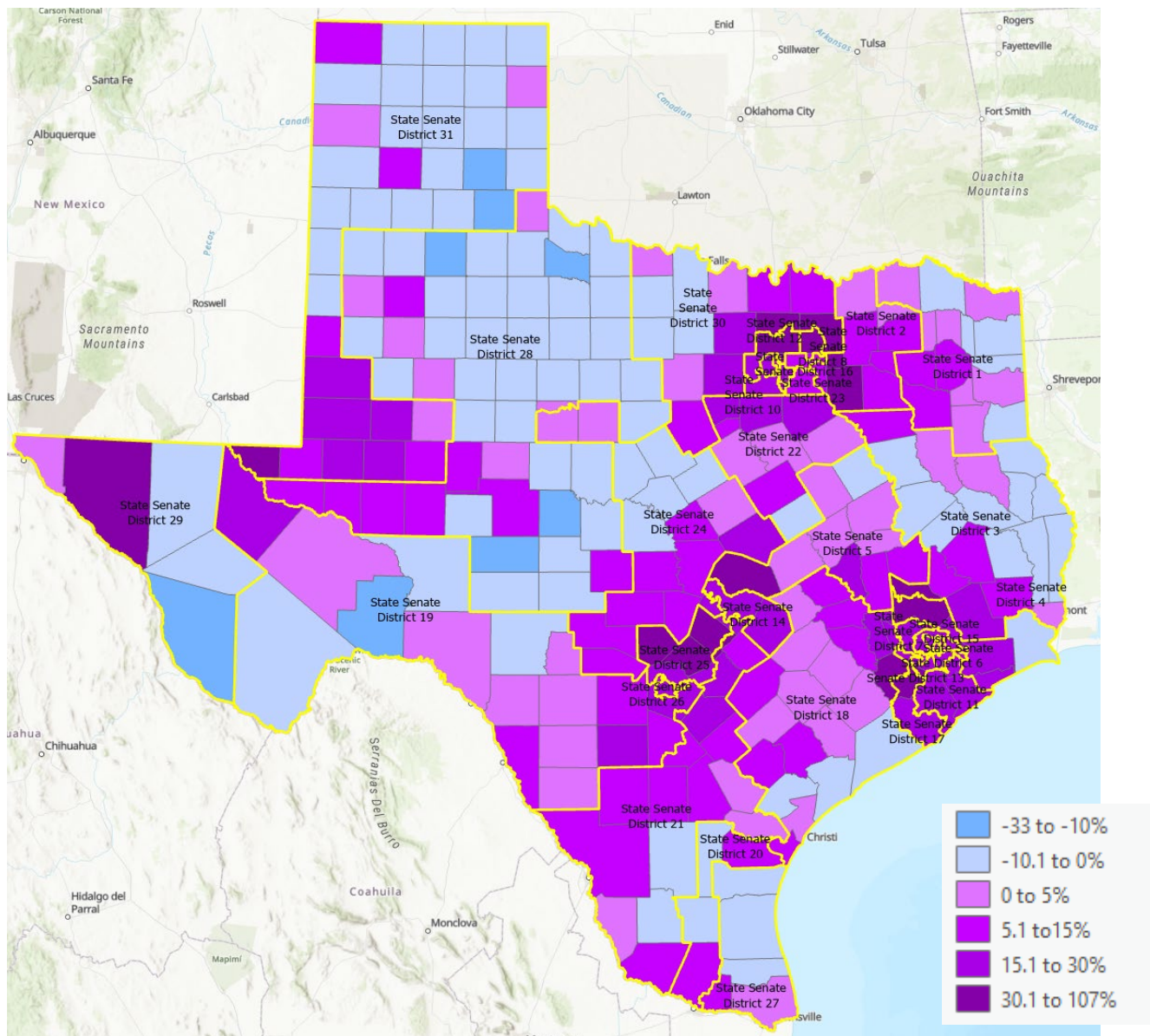


Numeric population change 2010-2019, Texas Counties with Current Texas Senate Districts



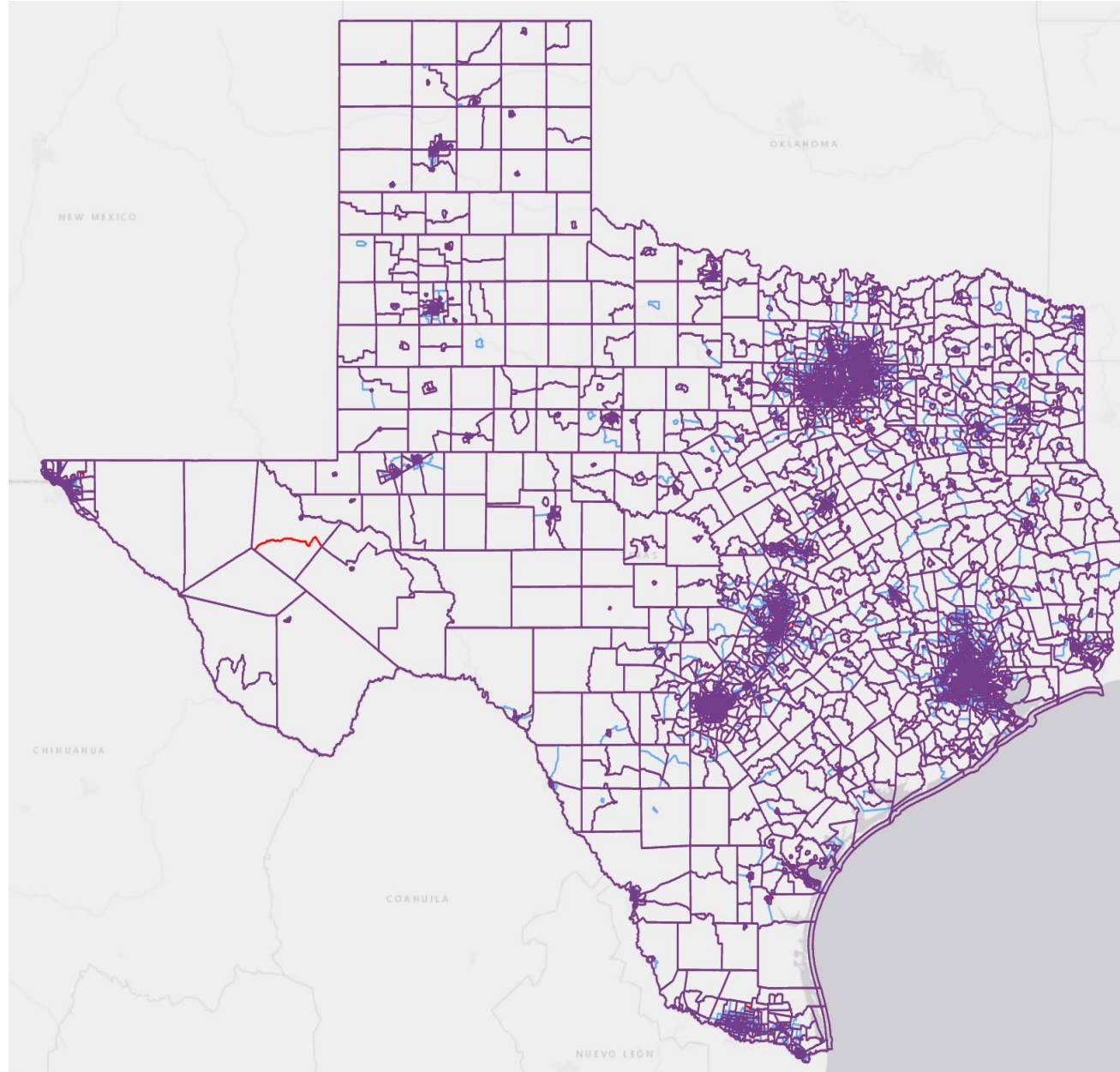


Percent population change 2010-2019, Texas Counties with Current Texas Senate Districts



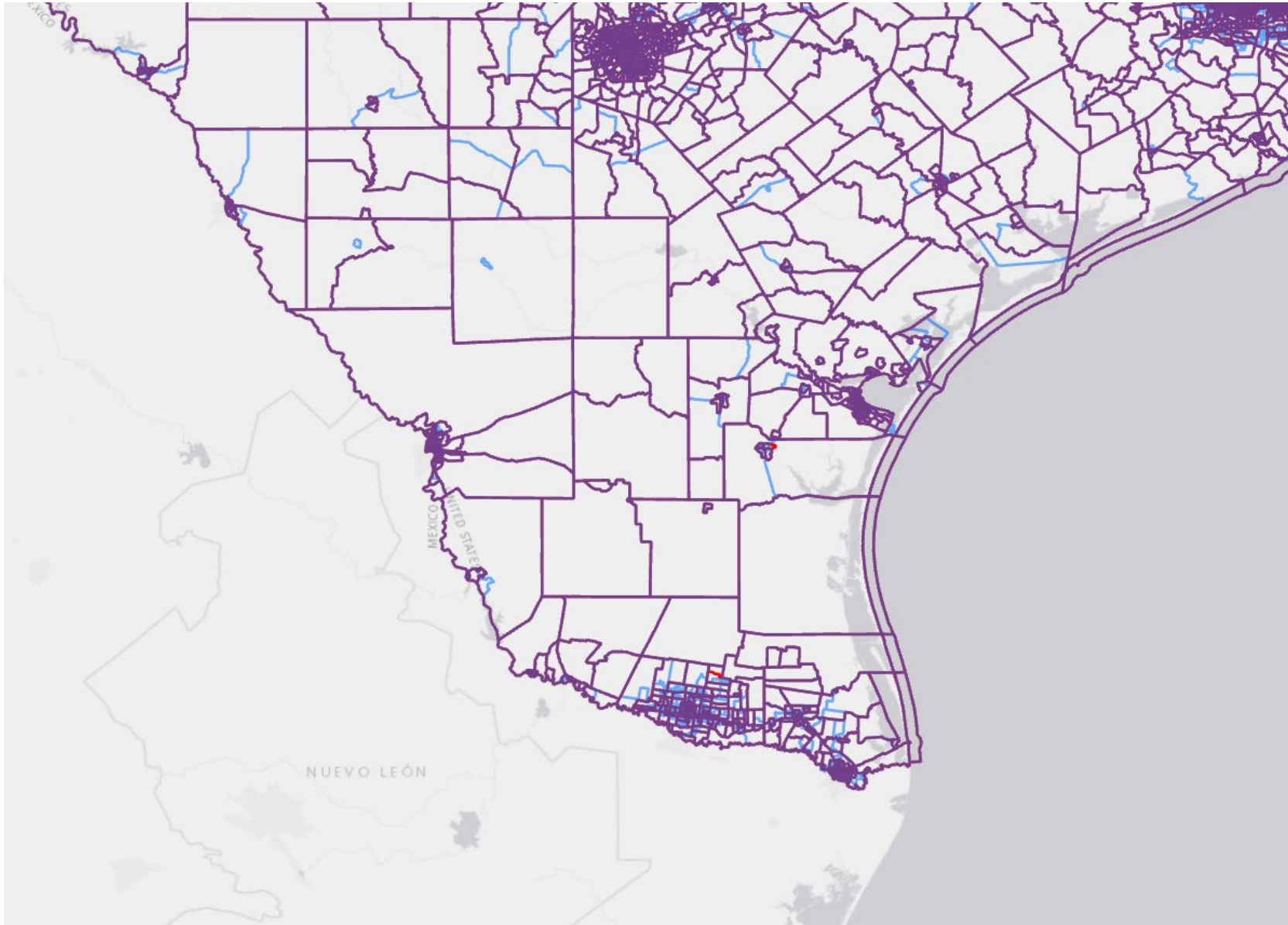


2010 Census Tracts (Red/Purple) and Proposed Census Tract Splits (Blue) for 2020



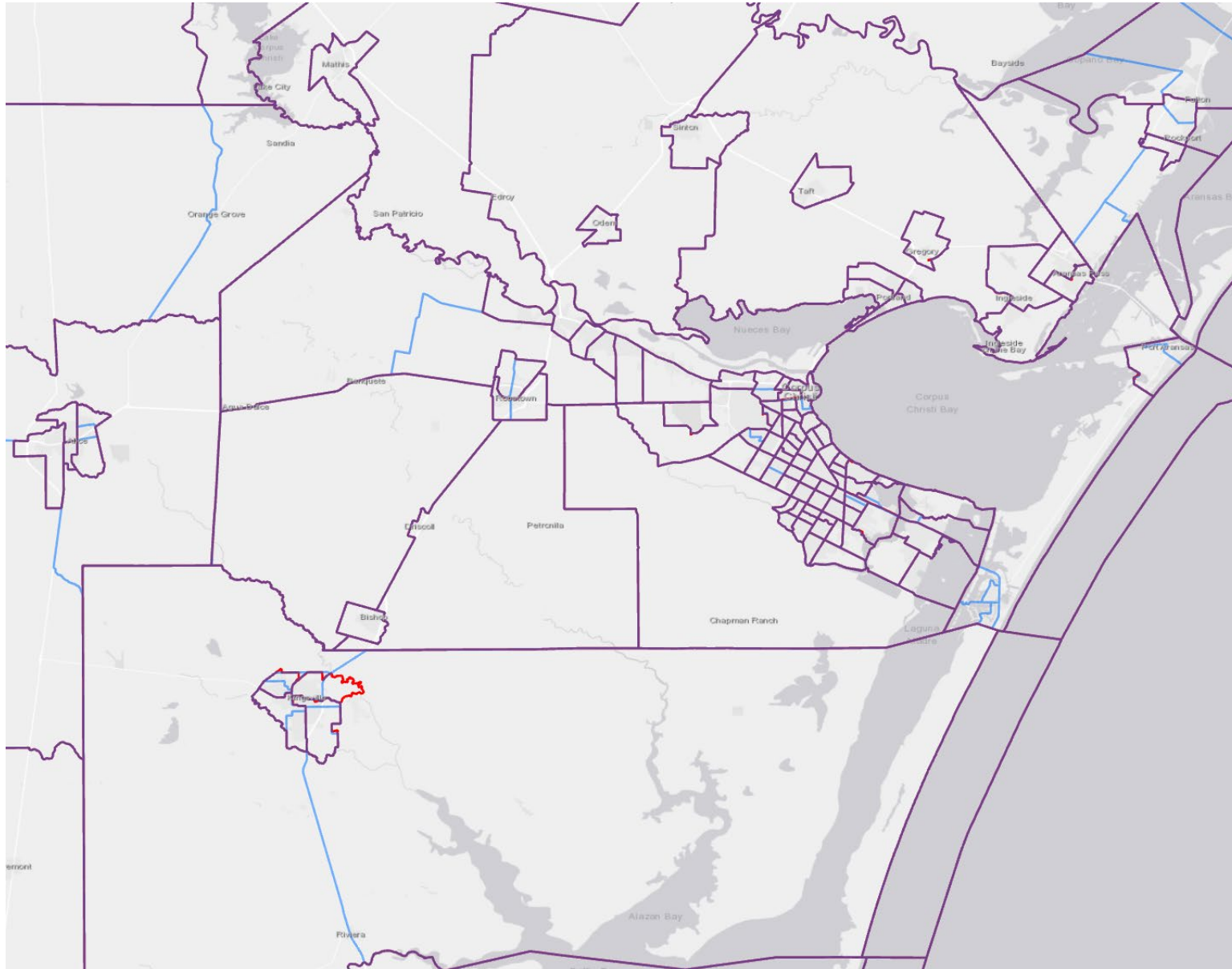


2010 Census Tracts (Red/Purple) and Proposed Census Tract Splits (Blue) for 2020, South Texas



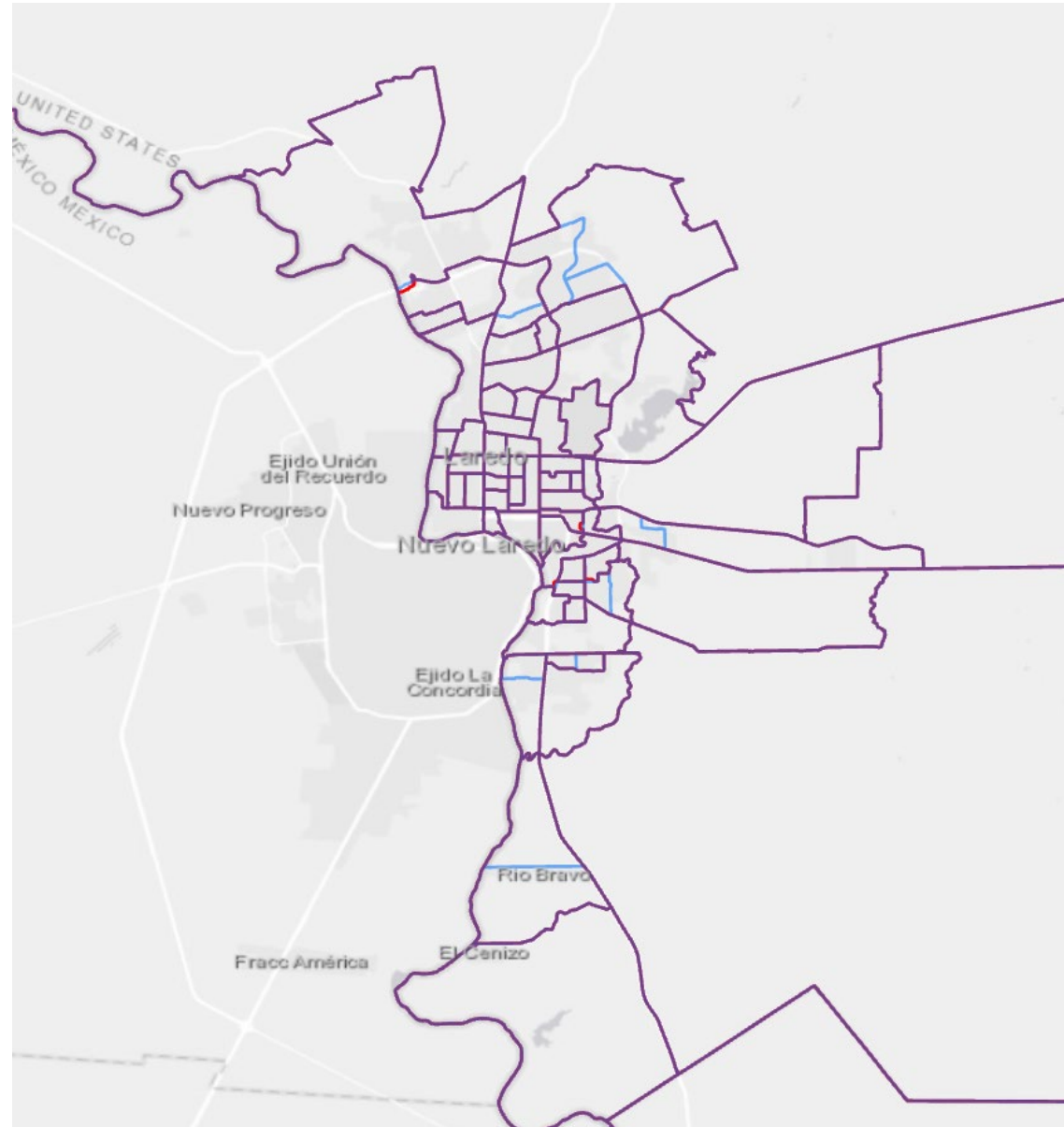


2010 Census Tracts (Red/Purple) and Proposed Census Tract Splits (Blue) for 2020, South Texas, Corpus Christi Area



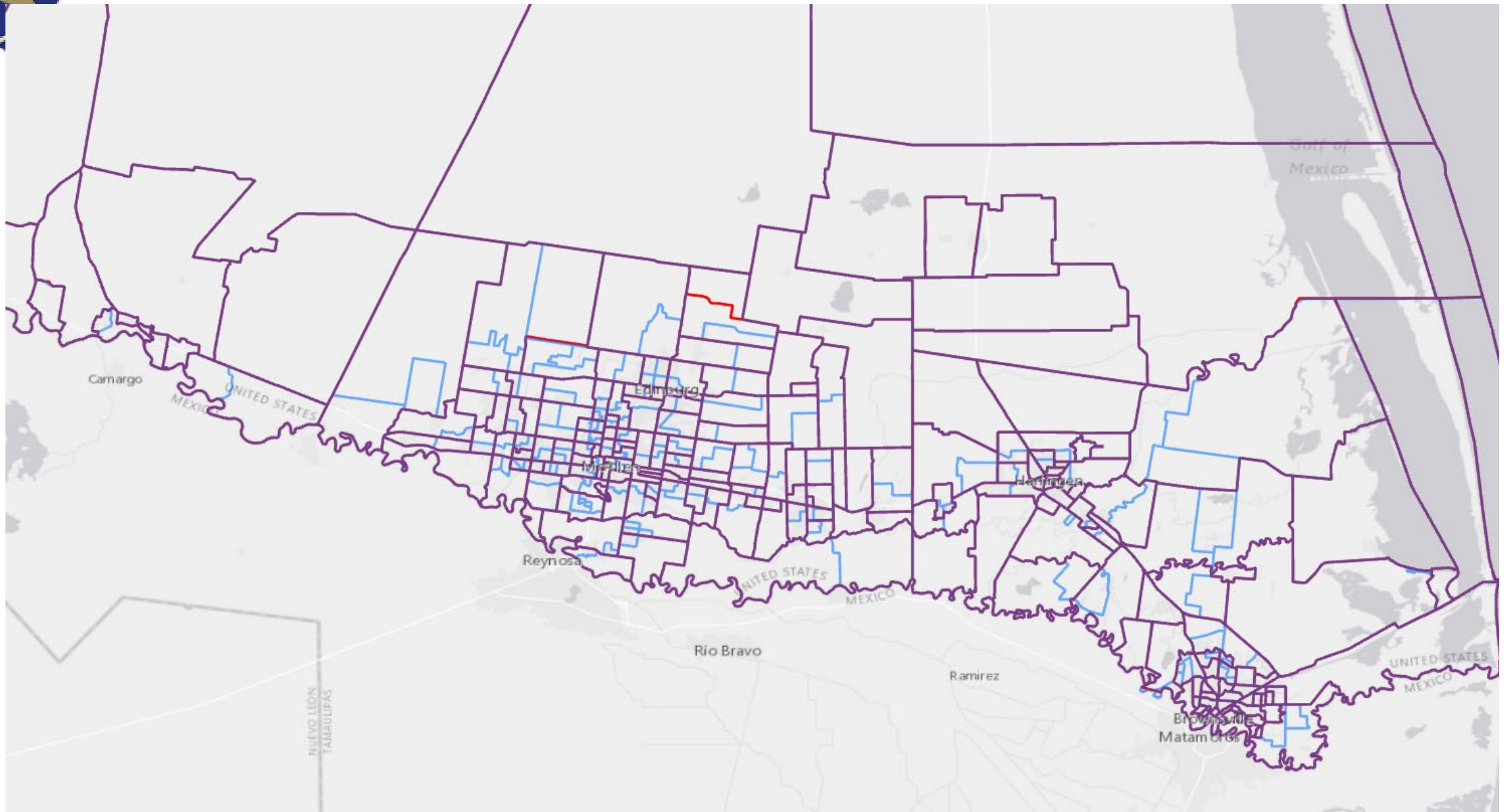


2010 Census Tracts (Red/Purple) and Proposed Census Tract Splits (Blue) for 2020, South Texas, Laredo Area



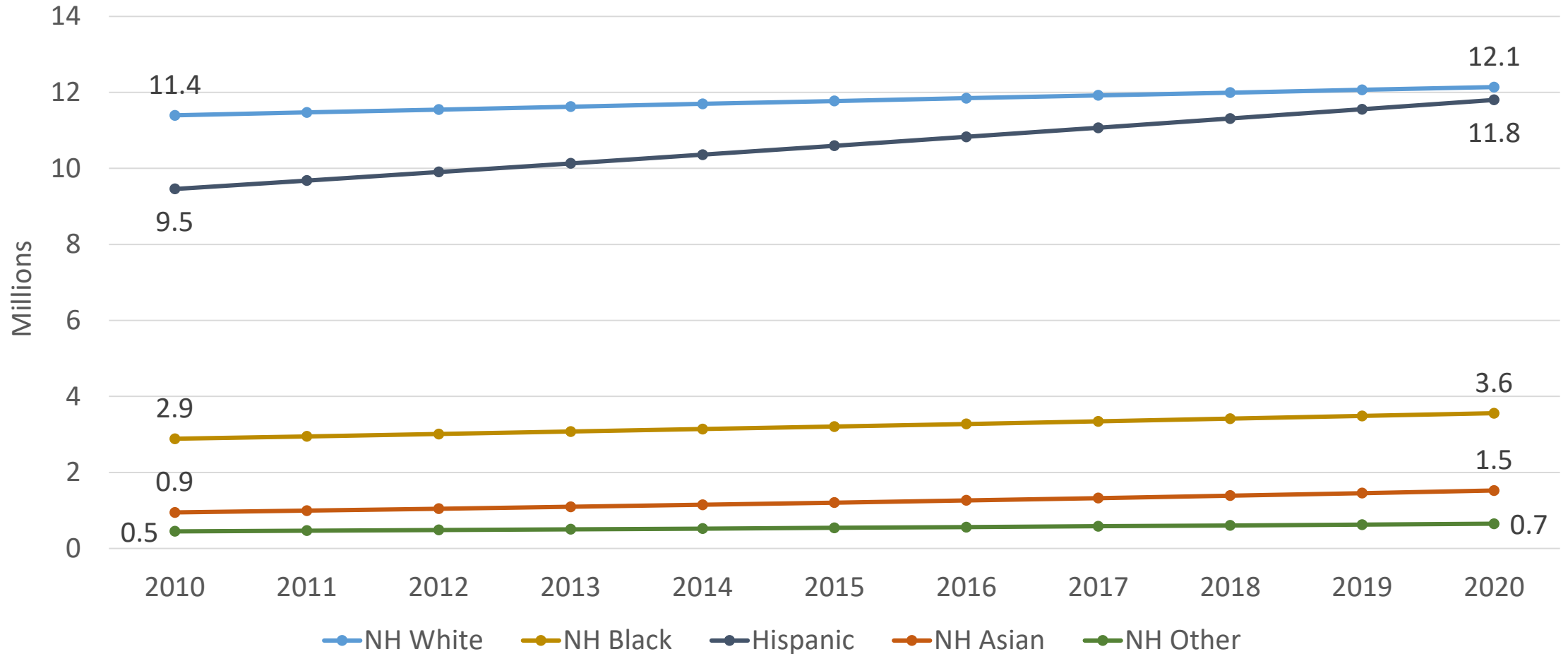


2010 Census Tracts (Red/Purple) and Proposed Census Tract Splits (Blue) for 2020, South Texas, Rio Grande Valley



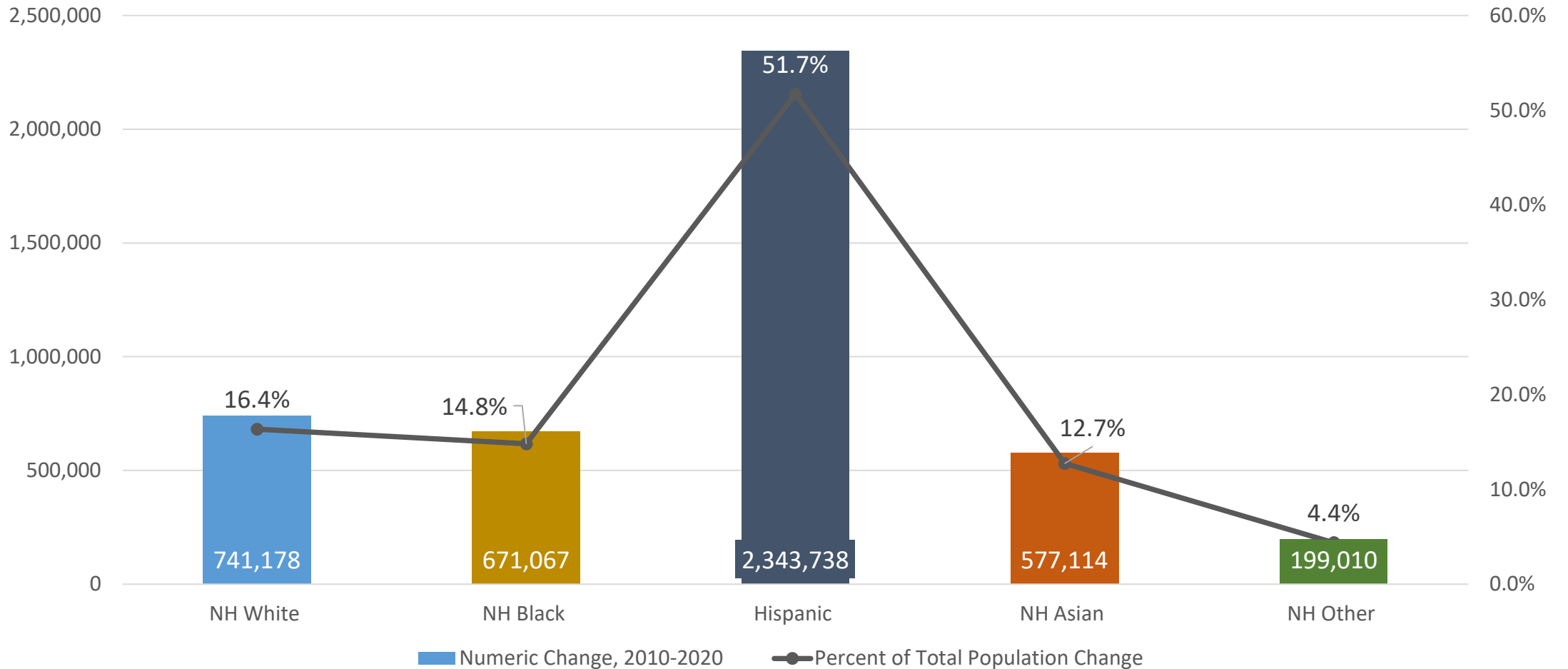


Projected Population by Race and Ethnicity, Texas 2010-2020





Projected Population Change and Percent of Total Projected Change by Race/Ethnicity, 2010-2020, Texas





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Every ten years, the country conducts a census to count every person in the United States. Census counts are used by state and local officials to redraw congressional, legislative, and local boundaries to account for population shifts. TDC has prepared the following data products to serve as a resource for legislators, stakeholders, and others interested in the Texas redistricting process.

State Level

- Slide deck including Texas demographic trends, projections, important Census dates, and other relevant information. [PPTX \(3.8 MB\)](#) [PDF \(1.7 MB\)](#)
- Maps of Numeric and Percent Change between 2010 and 2020 in Texas counties. [PDF \(1.4 MB\)](#)

District Level: Maps and Tables of 2010 Population, 2020 Projected Population Change

Maps contain the numeric and percent change in Texas counties by Senate district. Tables contain the population and projected change by race/ethnicity for counties that are part of the district.

District Reports			
Texas Senate District (PLANS172)	Population Change Maps	Population Change Tables	Population Change Narrative
District 01	[PDF] (1.5 MB)	[PDF] (68 KB)	[PDF] (78 KB)
District 02	[PDF] (1.6 MB)	[PDF] (65 KB)	[PDF] (78 KB)
District 03	[PDF] (2.1 MB)	[PDF] (66 KB)	[PDF] (78 KB)
District 04	[PDF] (1.7 MB)	[PDF] (65 KB)	[PDF] (78 KB)

<https://demographics.texas.gov/data/decennial/2020/RedistrictingResc>



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Texas Senate District 21, PLANS172

Counties included wholly or partially in Senate District 21: Atascosa, Bee, Bexar, Caldwell, Duval, Guadalupe, Hays, Jim Hogg, Karnes, La Salle, Live Oak, McMullen, San Patricio, Starr, Travis, Webb, Wilson, and Zapata.

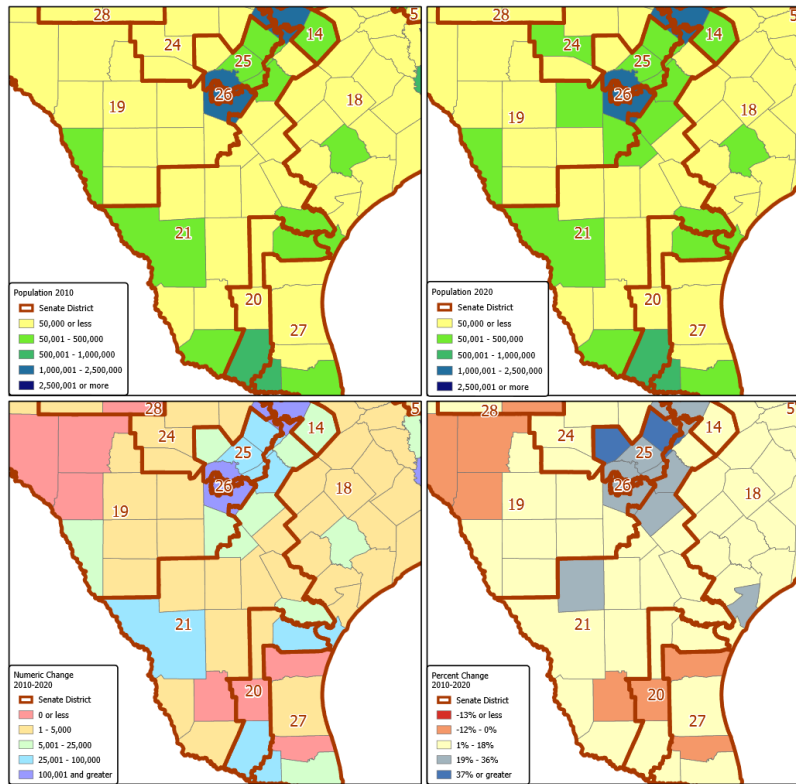
Between 2010 and 2020, all counties in Senate District 21, with the exception of Jim Hogg County, are projected to grow in population size. During this time, the non-Hispanic (NH) White population is projected to grow in population size in most counties, except for Bee, Karnes, Live Oak, San Patricio, and Zapata counties. The NH Black population is projected to continue to grow in all counties where there is already a presence of this race group, with the exception of Karnes County. The Hispanic population is projected to drive population growth in all counties, except for Duval and Jim Hogg counties. The NH Asian population is projected to continue to grow in all counties where there is already a presence of this race group, except for Zapata County. The NH Other population group is projected to continue to grow in all counties where there is already a presence of this race group.

See Population Change [Maps](#) and [Tables](#) for additional information.

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Texas Senate Districts
State Senate District 21



Source: Texas Demographic Center, Vintage 2018 Population Projections, 2010-2015 Migration Scenario
Note: Data for all counties contained wholly or partially within Senate District.



Texas Senate District 21, PLANS172

2010 Population and 2020 Projected Population
Numeric and Percent Change 2010 to 2020 by County

County	Population		Population Change by Race/Ethnicity 2010 - 2020											
	2010	2020	All Races		NH White		NH Black		Hispanic		NH Asian		NH Other	
			Numeric	Percent	Numeric	Percent	Numeric	Percent	Numeric	Percent	Numeric	Percent	Numeric	Percent
Atascosa	44,911	51,831	6,920	15.41%	527	3.23%	67	26.17%	6,187	22.27%	15	11.54%	124	27.87%
Bee	31,861	34,445	2,584	8.11%	-487	-4.44%	184	7.29%	2,796	15.61%	20	12.35%	71	23.59%
Bexar	1,714,773	2,093,502	378,729	22.09%	43,956	8.47%	35,139	29.66%	260,794	25.90%	24,478	61.87%	14,362	46.83%
Caldwell	38,066	44,284	6,218	16.33%	360	2.14%	146	5.94%	5,542	30.92%	38	11.05%	132	26.24%
Duval	11,782	11,796	14	0.12%	85	7.05%	4	4.65%	-85	-0.82%	-	-	10	20.41%
Guadalupe	131,533	170,266	38,733	29.45%	10,026	13.91%	6,149	77.22%	20,688	44.12%	826	47.25%	1,044	36.67%
Hays	157,107	234,896	77,789	49.51%	34,435	37.40%	1,167	23.48%	37,255	67.25%	2,421	142.50%	2,511	84.40%
Jim Hogg	5,300	5,077	-223	-4.21%	48	14.37%	-	-	-285	-5.81%	-	-	14	51.85%
Karnes	14,824	15,393	569	3.84%	-455	-7.64%	-251	-18.58%	1,243	16.85%	1	4.00%	31	26.72%
La Salle	6,886	8,309	1,423	20.67%	69	7.72%	1	5.56%	1,344	22.70%	-	-	9	18.75%
Live Oak	11,531	12,030	499	4.33%	-109	-1.60%	28	6.18%	549	13.52%	-	-	31	19.75%
McMullen	707	783	76	10.75%	35	8.10%	-	-	41	15.71%	-	-	-	-
San Patricio	64,804	71,325	6,521	10.06%	-640	-2.34%	141	15.63%	6,737	19.11%	80	15.81%	203	24.82%
Starr	60,968	64,731	3,763	6.17%	275	11.23%	-	-	3,415	5.85%	13	10.92%	60	125.00%
Travis	1,024,266	1,291,502	267,236	26.09%	98,374	19.00%	23,550	28.44%	106,294	31.01%	27,570	47.21%	11,448	50.55%
Webb	250,304	276,183	25,879	10.34%	3,093	37.06%	78	16.02%	22,357	9.33%	229	17.35%	122	24.45%
Wilson	42,918	51,802	8,884	20.70%	3,696	14.67%	86	13.35%	4,929	30.03%	20	13.99%	153	28.71%
Zapata	14,018	14,409	391	2.79%	-64	-7.43%	10	90.91%	437	3.34%	-2	-7.14%	10	29.41%

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