

Edgecombe County Board of Education Redistricting after County Line Merger

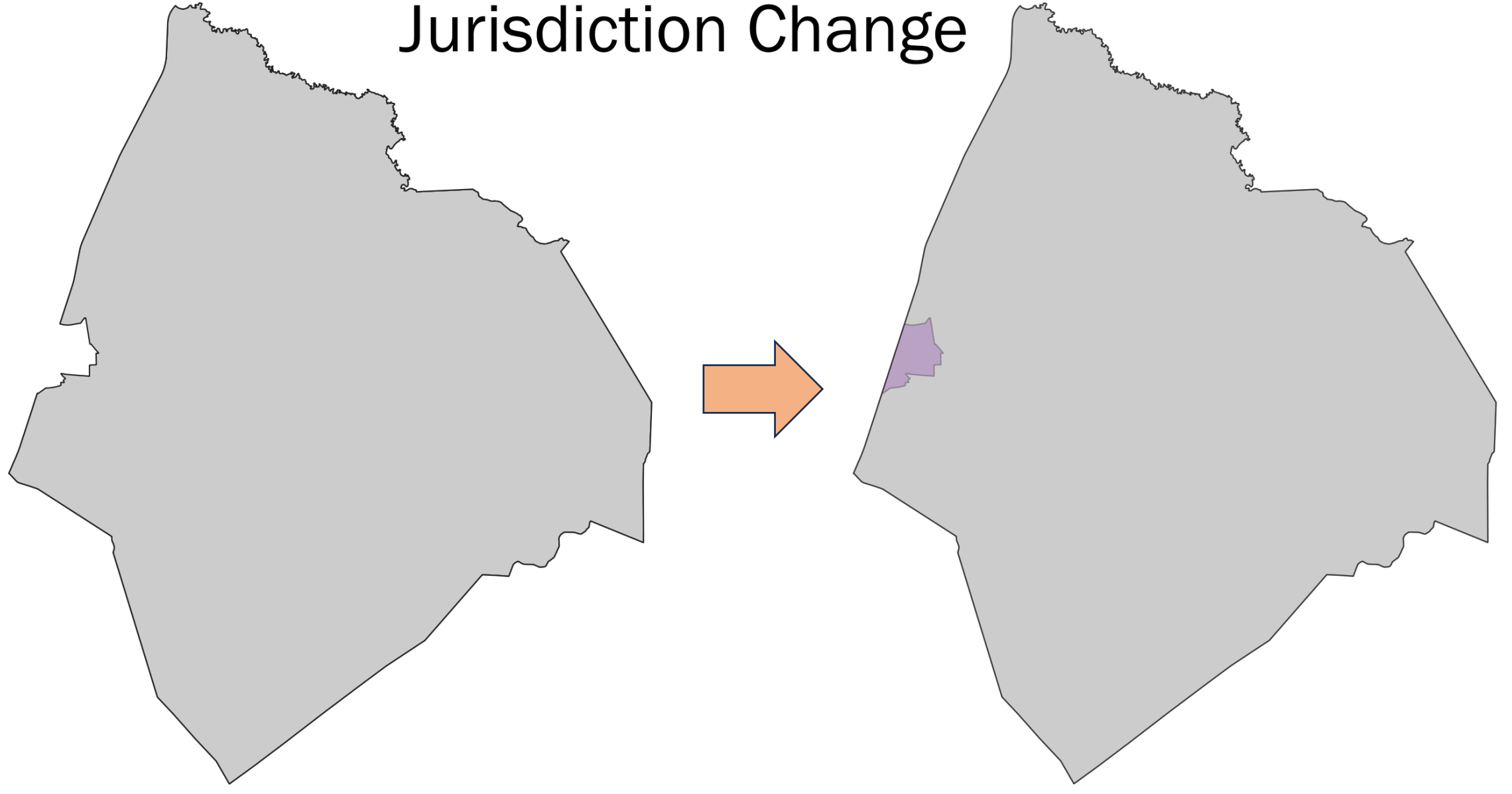
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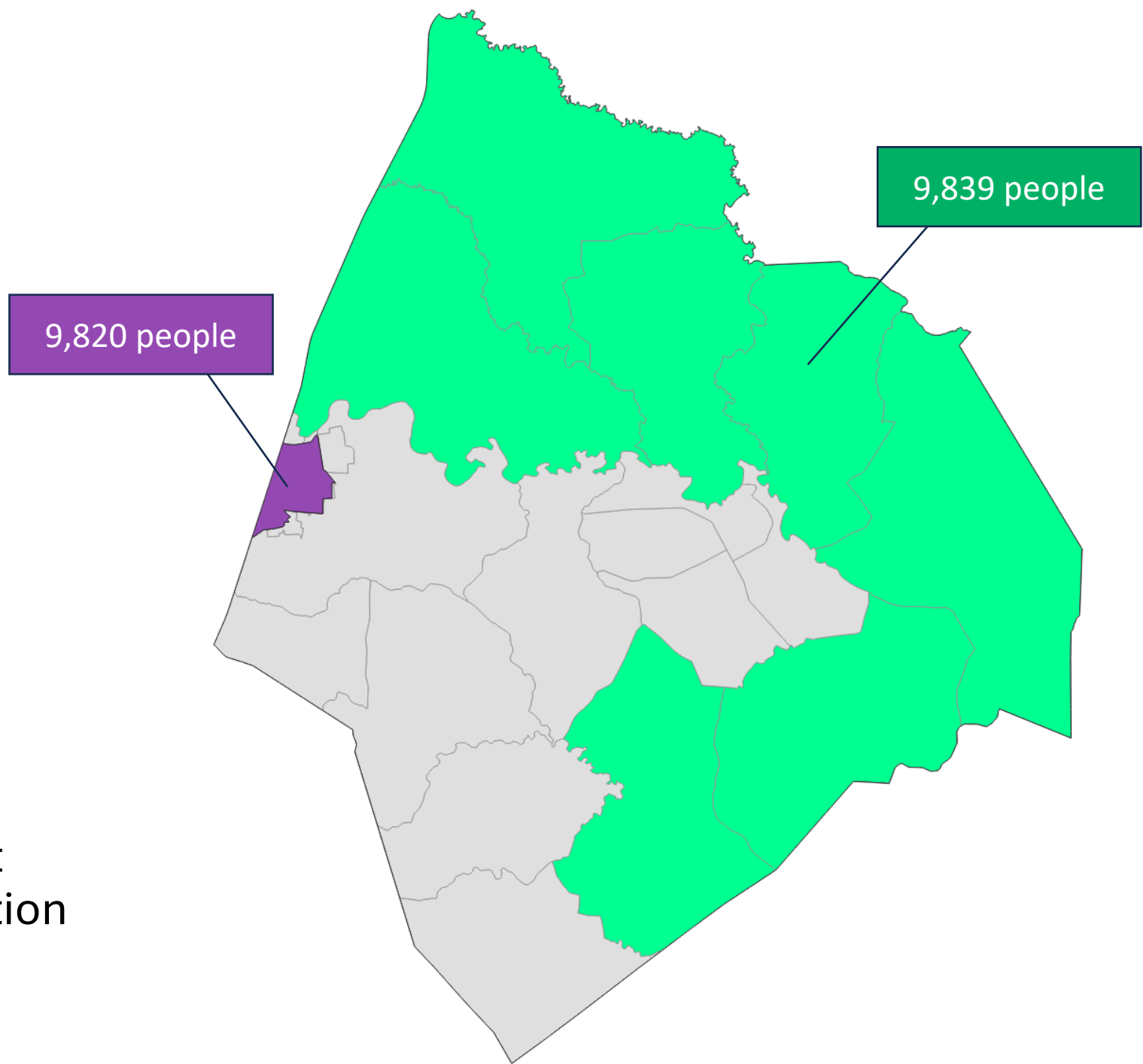
Jurisdiction Change



Jurisdiction population is
increasing
from 39,080 to 48,900.

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An increase of over 25%

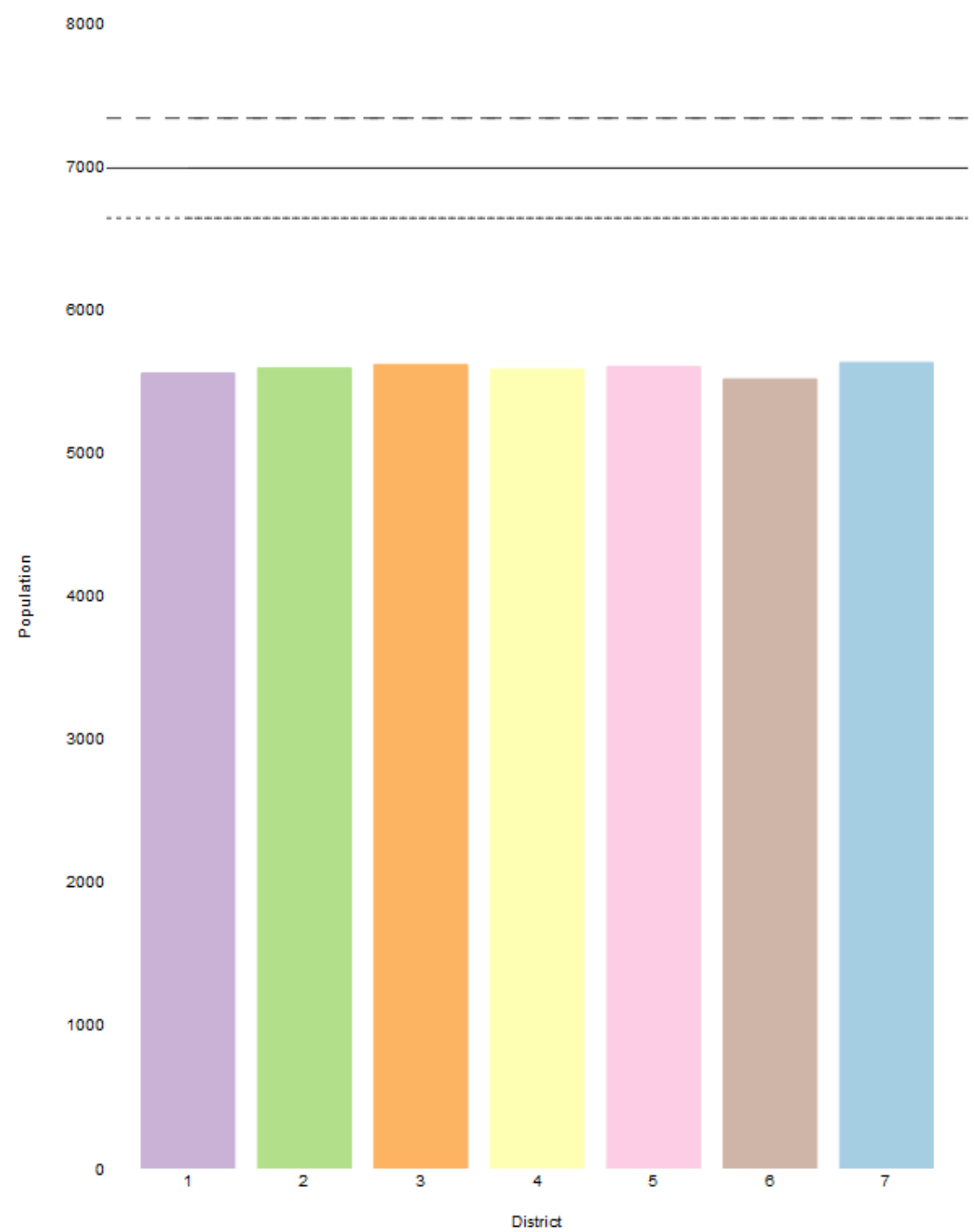
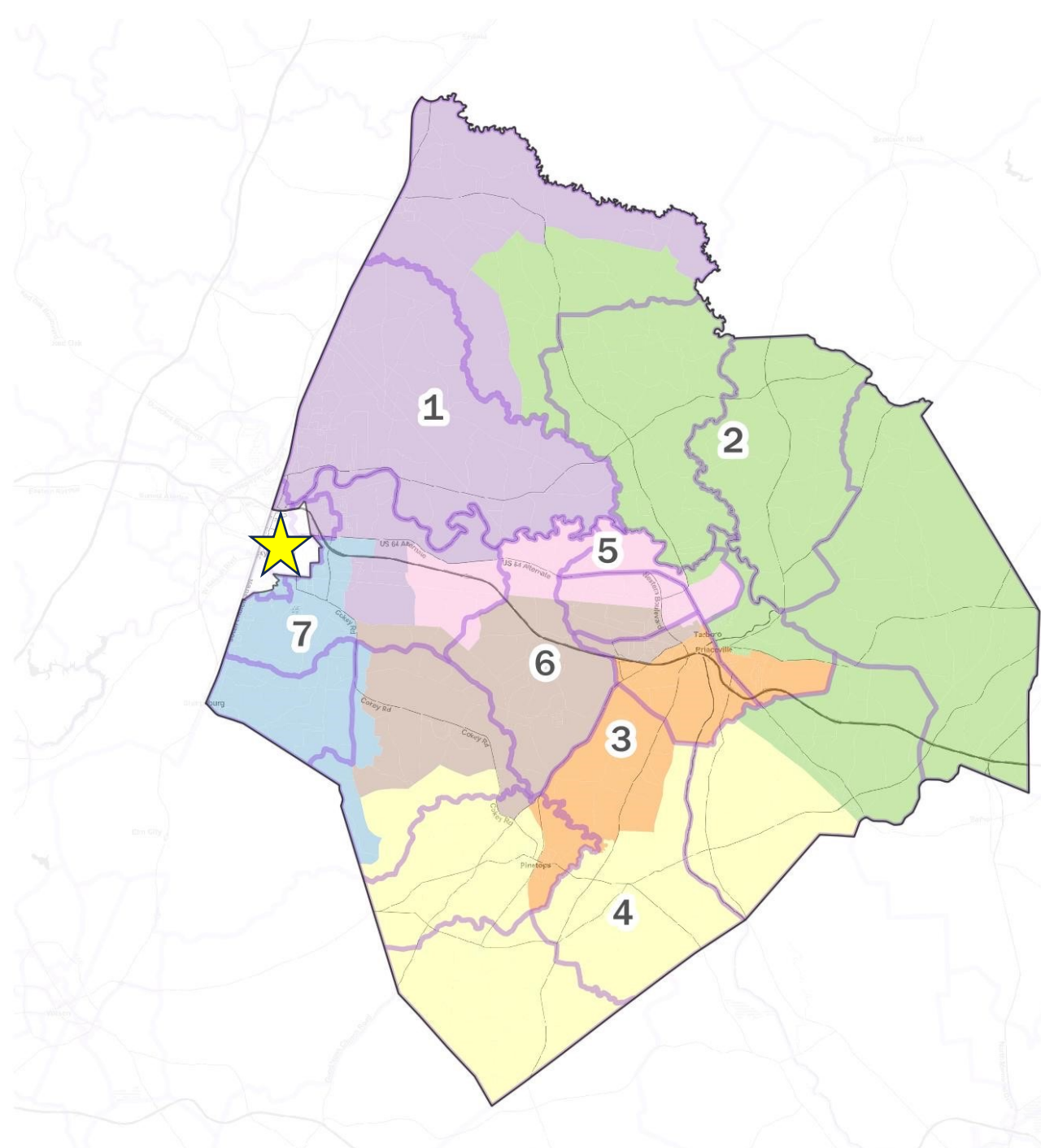


The population of the purple area is just about the same as the population of the green area.

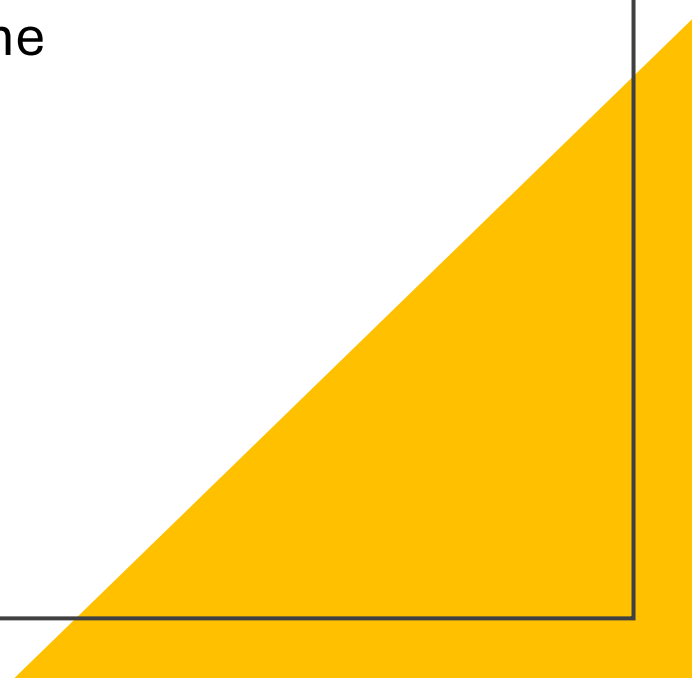
The newly added population is
9,820.

The new ideal district size is 6,986.


Thus, the newly added population
is equivalent to about 1.41
districts.



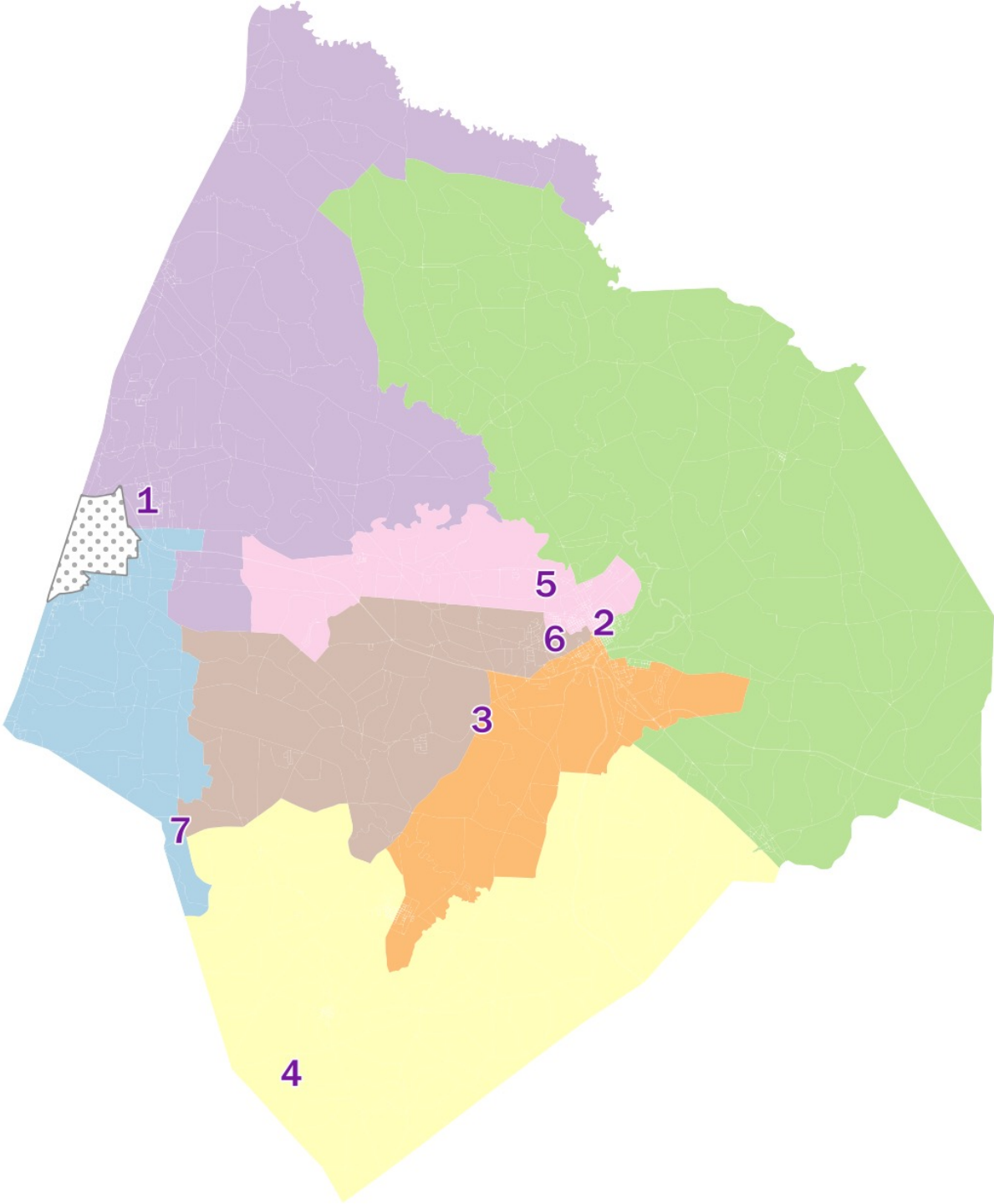
Guiding Criteria – Required or Expected

- To comply with one-person, one-vote, no district should be more than five percent above or below the population of the ideal-size district.
 - Minority voting strength should not be diluted or overconcentrated.
 - Districts should not split census blocks.
 - Districts should be contiguous.
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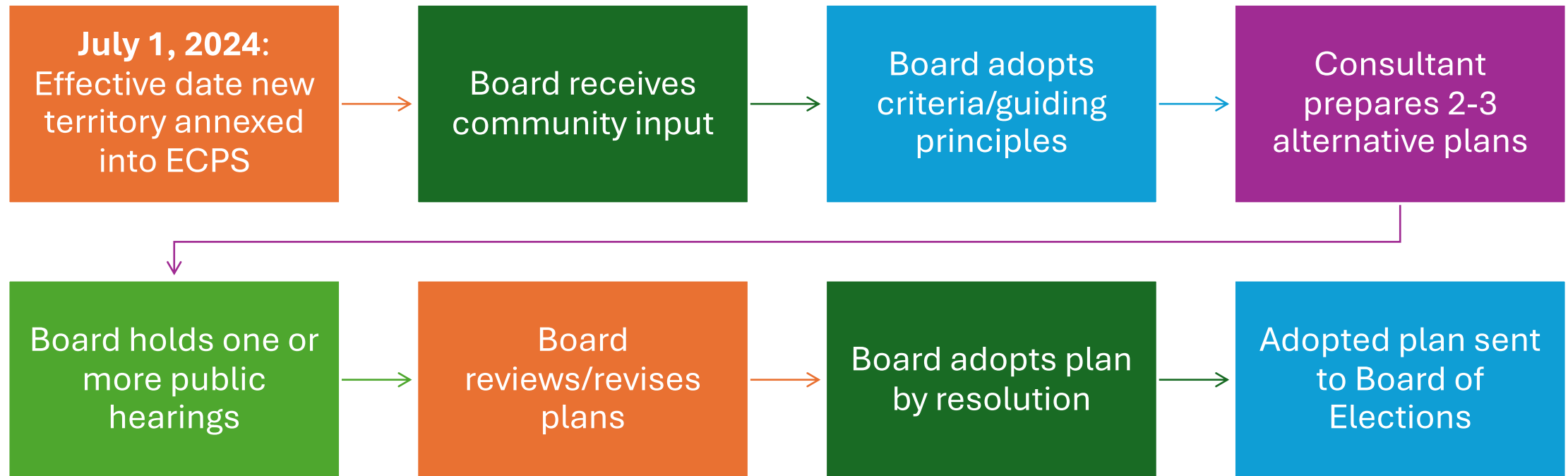
Guiding Criteria - Discretionary

- Respect administrative boundaries (i.e., municipalities, precincts)
 - Do not divide communities of interest (e.g., prioritize the intactness of neighborhoods, or other historical, cultural, or economic communities)
 - Follow visible physical features like roads and waterways
 - Preserve the core of existing districts
 - Make districts reasonably compact (i.e., avoid irregular or spread-out shapes)
 - Avoid pairing incumbents
 - Plan for population growth
 - Include school(s) in each district
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Location of Incumbent Board Members



Sample Timeline / Next Steps



Discussion

