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Florida House of Representatives – House Redistricting Committee Redistricting Update – January 14, 2011

Updates to MyDistrictBuilder (*alpha version*)

Our developers recently added additional features to MyDistrictBuilder, which you can test drive at <http://floridaredistricting.cloudapp.net/MyDistrictBuilder.aspx>. Some of the latest features include:

- Ability to save your plan to local disk space.
- When you click the “Show/Hide Straggler Ribbon,” the button(s) that appear allow you to zoom to the stragglers (unassigned geography).
- Historic maps have been enhanced to eliminate slivers in geography that exist due to the complex laying of geographical data sets.
- When using the “Build” tab, a slider now appears under the district numbers.
- Links to MyDistrictBuilder’s [email](#), [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [YouTube](#) were added to “Contact” tab.

Note: If you have never logged onto MyDistrictBuilder previously, you may be prompted to download the most recent version of [Microsoft Silverlight](#).

Upcoming Events

January 20, 2011, 9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m., the House Redistricting Committee staff will take part in an issue briefing for members of the Florida media. Staff will brief the media on the upcoming redistricting process, the timeline and MyDistrictBuilder. [Click here](#) to read the Media Release. The Florida Channel will be taping and then later broadcasting the meeting. You can either [check here](#) to see airtimes for the Florida Channel, or follow us on [Facebook](#) or [Twitter](#) where we will post the airtimes once they are announced.

Helpful Hint of the Week

This week’s helpful hint comes from Jason, a Legislative Analyst with the House Redistricting Committee. Jason explains how to easily build County Commission districts using MyDistrictBuilder. You can view the tutorial on our [YouTube](#) page by [clicking here](#).

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As always, please feel free to let us know if you have any questions.

Have a wonderful weekend,

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