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Florida House of Representatives – House Redistricting Committee Redistricting Update – October 6, 2011

October 3rd Redistricting Subcommittee Meetings

Monday, October 3, the Florida House's redistricting subcommittees concluded their review of public input from [this summer's 26 community meetings](#). Additionally, the subcommittees paid special focus to complete [maps received from Florida residents](#) (through map 0068), regarding proposed boundary lines for Florida's new state legislative and congressional districts.

Check out the "[Summary Stats and Comparisons, by Map, for Completed Public Maps 0001-0068](#)" at www.floridaredistricting.org to see how the public submissions stack up against each other.

The members of each redistricting subcommittee – Congressional, House and Senate – then set their course on how to mesh public input and legal considerations into [at least three complete options](#) for their respective maps. Each subcommittee narrowed their focus as follows...

Congressional Redistricting Subcommittee:

- Options for urban communities and the subsequent impacts on rural communities;
- Options for high growth communities;
- Options for minority communities; and
- Options for starting the maps in Central Florida.

House Redistricting Subcommittee:

- Options for major population centers;
- Tradeoffs between whole counties versus cross-jurisdictional communities; and
- Options for racial and language minority communities.

Senate Redistricting Subcommittee:

- Comparisons of the potential big picture themes for each region; and
- Options for minority communities.

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The House's redistricting subcommittees will next meet [October 17](#). For the videos, podcasts and more from this week's and prior meetings, visit the "[Meeting Records](#)" button at www.floridaredistricting.org.

A Little Light Reading

The public input summaries from the September 19 and October 3 meetings can be found under "Legislative Headlines" at www.floridaredistricting.org, and they are linked below for your convenience:

- [Public Input Summary for Southwest Florida](#)
- [Public Input Summary for Northwest Florida](#)
- [Public Input Summary for Northeast and North Central Florida](#)
- [Public Input Summary for Central Florida](#)
- [Public Input Summary for Southeast Florida](#)

As always, if you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact us.

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