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From: Howard Gorrell
Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 10:13 AM
To: Joint Redistricting
Subject: Data on the NAACP Congressional Plan
Attachments: NAACP.pdf

This is to inform you that I had noticed that, on August 24th, the NAACP had provided the congressional map plan to your committee, but it does not include any data.

So I was willing to compile it for your committee. See the attachments.

Here is the result:

	North District	South District
Population	888,548	905,168
Variance	-8,310	+8,310
Percent	49.54%	50.46%
Variance	-0.26%	+0.26%
Counties	29	26

However, if we could move the County of Braxton with a population of 12,447 from the South District to the North District, Below could be the result.

	North District	South District
Population	900,995	892,721
Variance	+4,137	-4,137
Percent	50.23%	49.77%
Variance	+0.23%	-0.23%
Counties	30	25

Many thanks for considering my request.

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NAACP - PROPOSED NORTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	2020 Census Population	Cumulative
Hancock	29,095	29,095
Brooke	22,559	51,654
Ohio	42,425	94,079
Marshall	30,591	124,670
Wetzel	14,442	139,112
Tyler	8,313	147,425
Pleasants	7,653	155,078
Wood	84,296	239,374
Monongalia	105,822	345,196
Marion	56,205	401,401
Taylor	16,705	418,106
Harrison	65,921	484,027
Doddridge	7,808	491,835
Ritchie	8,444	500,279
Wirt	5,194	505,473
Lewis	17,033	522,506
Upshur	23,816	546,322
Gilmer	7,408	553,730
Calhoun	6,229	559,959
Preston	34,216	594,175
Jefferson	57,701	651,876
Berkeley	122,076	773,952
Morgan	17,063	791,015
Hampshire	23,093	814,108
Mineral	26,938	841,046
Hardy	14,299	855,345
Grant	10,976	866,321
Tucker	6,762	873,083
Barbour	15,465	888,548

NAACP - PROPOSED SOUTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	2020 Census Population	Cumulative
Jackson	27,791	27,791
Mason	25,453	53,244
Cabell	94,350	147,594
Wayne	38,982	186,576
Roane	14,028	200,604
Putnam	57,440	258,044
Lincoln	20,463	278,507
Braxton	12,447	290,954
Clay	8,051	299,005
McDowell	19,111	318,116
Mingo	23,568	341,684
Logan	32,567	374,251
Boone	21,809	396,060
Wyoming	21,382	417,442
Kanawha	180,745	598,187
Fayette	40,488	638,675
Nicholas	24,604	663,279
Webster	8,378	671,657
Randolph	27,932	699,589
Pendleton	6,143	705,732
Pocahontas	7,869	713,601
Greenbrier	32,977	746,578
Raleigh	74,591	821,169
Mercer	59,664	880,833
Monroe	12,376	893,209
Summers	11,959	905,168

By Howard L. Gorrell