

**Tom Green County Commissioner's Court
Special Meeting –May 21, 2001**

The Tom Green County Commissioners' Court met in a Special Session in the Edd B. Keyes Building Monday May 21, 2001, at 9:00 AM with the following present:

Clayton Friend, Commissioner Precinct #1
Jodie R. Weeks, Commissioner Precinct #3
Richard Easingwood, Commissioner Precinct #4
Michael D. Brown, County Judge
Elizabeth McGill, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the County Commissioners' Court

Members of the Redistricting Committee

Mario Alaniz	Don Vardeman	Fred Contreras
Ralph Hoelscher	Mary Sanderson	Wynn Brown
David Reed	Rita Cardenas	Sylvia Noriega
Aubrey DeCardova	Dennis McKerley	

Judge Brown called the Special Session to order at 9:10 AM.

Bob Bass of Allison, Bass & Associates, LLP addressed the Court and presented a computerized presentation dealing with different scenario's for the redistricting of Tom Green County. Mr. Bass reported the growth of Tom Green County as of the release of the 2000 Census on March 12, 2001 was up to 104,010. Divided by Precincts – Precinct 1 – 24,017

Precinct 2 - 26,013

Precinct 3 - 27,620

Precinct 4 - 26,360

The ideal population scenario would be to have 26,003 per precinct. Mr. Bass explained that shifting of precinct lines would have to not only balance the population, but keep like interest such as school districts, communities, while not diluting the ethnic make-up of the area.

The scenario's presented were basically clean – up and straighten out precinct lines.

<u>Plan 1:</u>	<u>Plan 2:</u>
Precinct 1 - 25,847	Precinct 1 – 26,091
Precinct 2 – 26,102	Precinct 2 – 25,881
Precinct 3 - 25,646	Precinct 3 - 26,255
Precinct 4 - 26,415	Precinct 4 – 25,783

Mr. Bass will be back in San Angelo for **the Public Hearing on June 6, 2001 at 7:00 P.M. in the Hughes Room located in the basement of the Edd B. Keyes Building (113 W. Beauregard)**. Mr. Bass or the members of the redistricting committee will answer questions or concerns that the citizens might have.

No action was taken by the Court.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:18 AM.

Michael D. Brown, County Judge

Elizabeth McGill, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk
of the Commissioners' Court

Tom Green County, Texas
Statistical Measures of Population Equality

Precinct	Actual Population	Ideal Population	Absolute Deviation	Relative Deviation
Precinct 1	24,017	26,003	-1,986	-7.64 %
Precinct 2	26,013	26,003	10	0.04 %
Precinct 3	27,620	26,003	1,617	6.22 %
Precinct 4	26,360	26,003	357	1.37 %

Ideal Population is defined to be 25% of total county population. Absolute and Relative (%) Deviations are difference in actual and ideal.

**-1.986 %
to
1,617 %** **Absolute Range** is the spread in absolute deviation from the smallest precinct to the largest.

**-7.64 %
to
6.22 %** **Relative Range** is the spread in relative deviation (%) from the smallest precinct to the largest.

993.00 **Absolute Mean Deviation** is the average deviation, which is calculated by adding all the absolute deviations (ignoring their + and - signs) and dividing by 4.

3.82 **Relative Mean Deviation** is the average deviation, which is calculated by adding all the relative deviations (ignoring their + and - signs) and dividing by 4.

646.00 **Standard Deviation of Population** is the square root of the sum of the squares of all the absolute deviations divided by 4.

2.49 % **Standard Deviation of Relative Deviations** is the square root of the sum of the squares of all the relative (%) deviations divided by 4.

15.27 % **Total Absolute Deviation** is the sum of all relative deviations ignoring + and -.

13.86 % **Total Maximum Deviation** is the sum of the relative deviations (%) of the smallest and largest precincts, ignoring + and - signs.

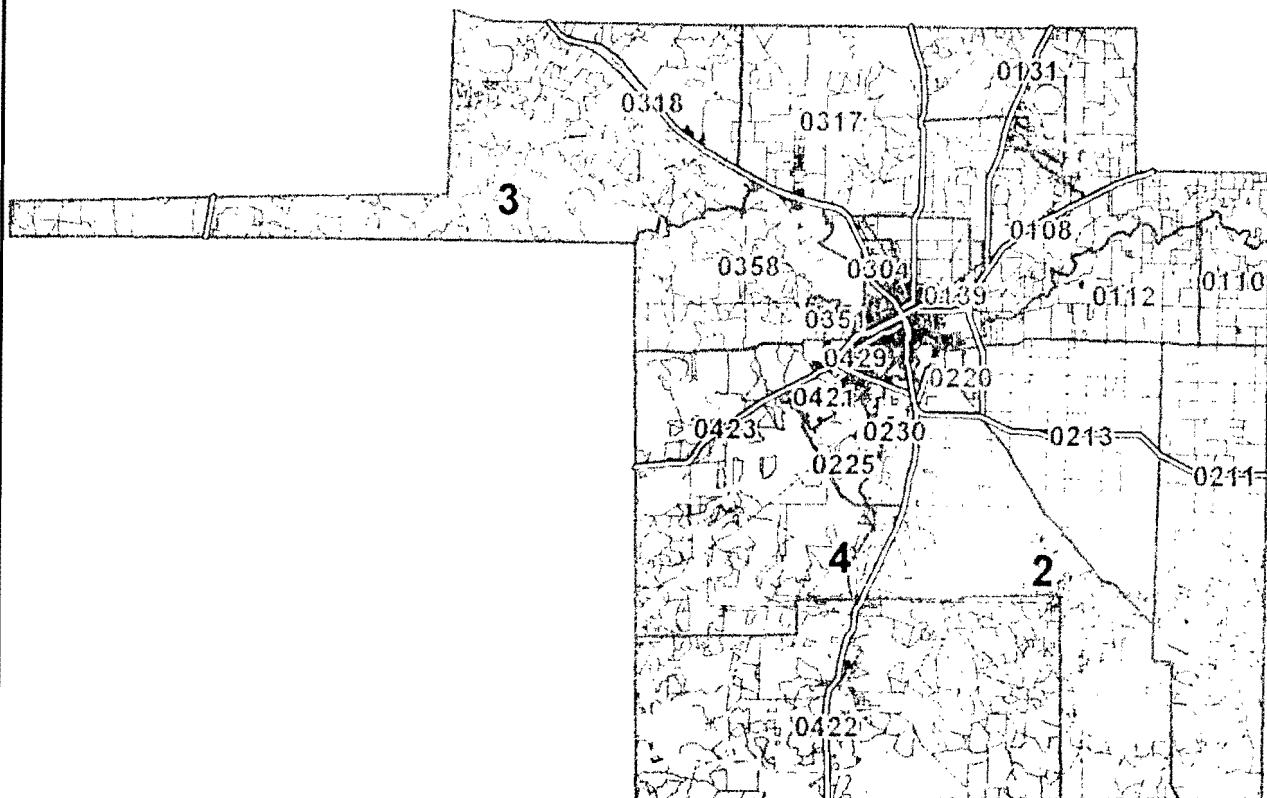
Important Notice:

All computer generated matters contained in this report, including statistical ratios or formulas, are derived from information taken directly from Public Law 94-171 files of the United States Census Bureau.

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Public Law 94-171 required that all voter tabulation districts (VTDs) follow census block boundaries. In many cases, county voting districts had been drawn in a manner which did not follow a census block boundary. This required the State of Texas, acting in conjunction with the State Data Center and the Texas Legislative Council, to move the actual voting district boundary to coincide with a nearby census block boundary for tabulation purposes only. The resulting VTD was no longer "actual", but an approximation of the voting district referred to as a "pseudo voting district."

Every reasonable effort will be made to conform the pseudo voting district to actual VTD boundaries. However, due to the nature of the available data base, and the requirements of Public Law 94-171, there may be a necessity to alter voting district boundaries to match the census block format. In this event, every reasonable effort will be made to insure accuracy while retaining the integrity of the data base upon which reapportionment must rely.



JP Precinct 1

JP Precinct 2

JP Precinct 3

JP Precinct 4



Voter Precincts

Blocks

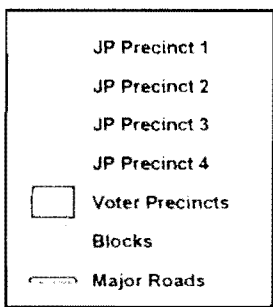
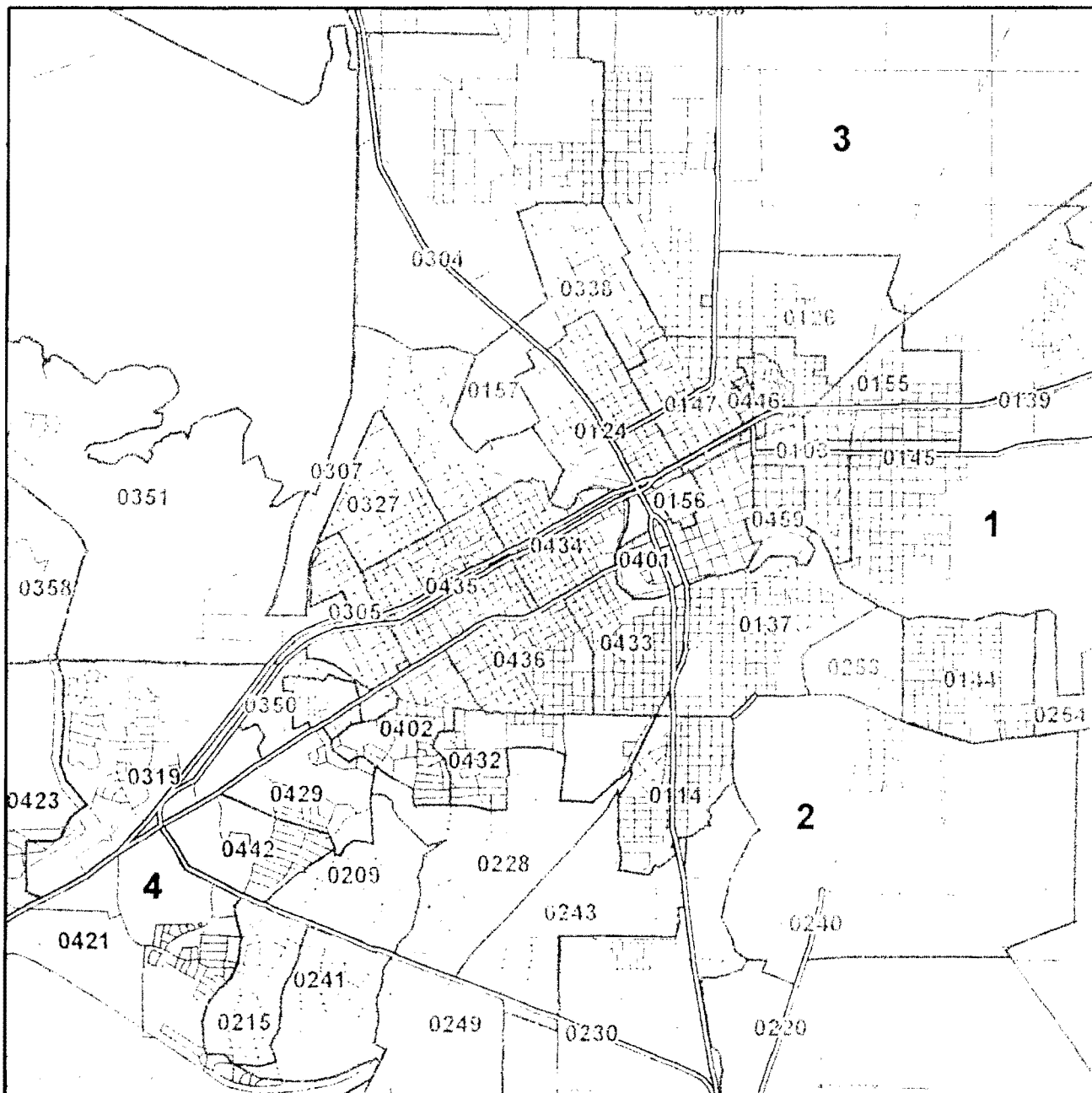


Major Roads

Tom Green County

Existing JP Precincts

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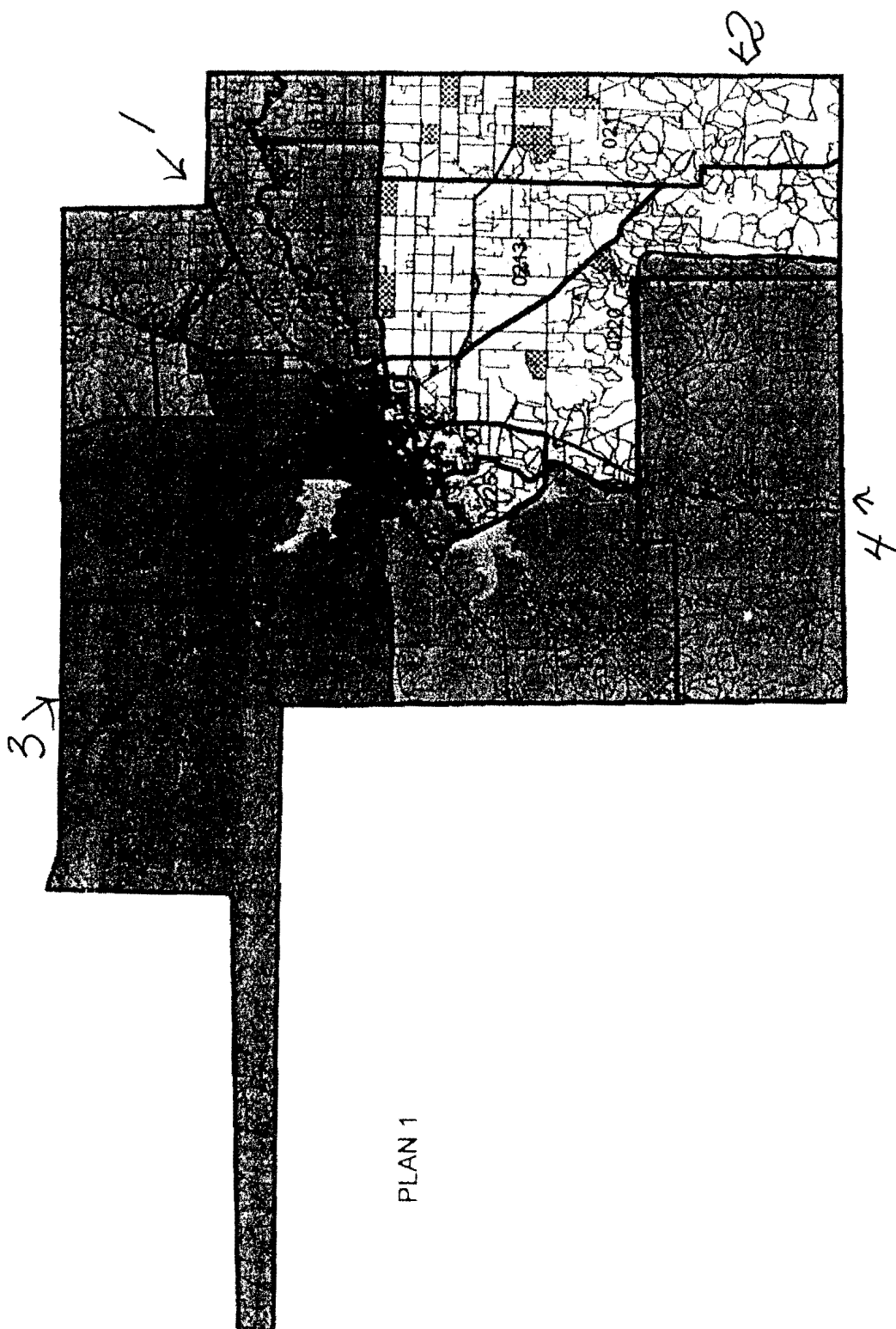
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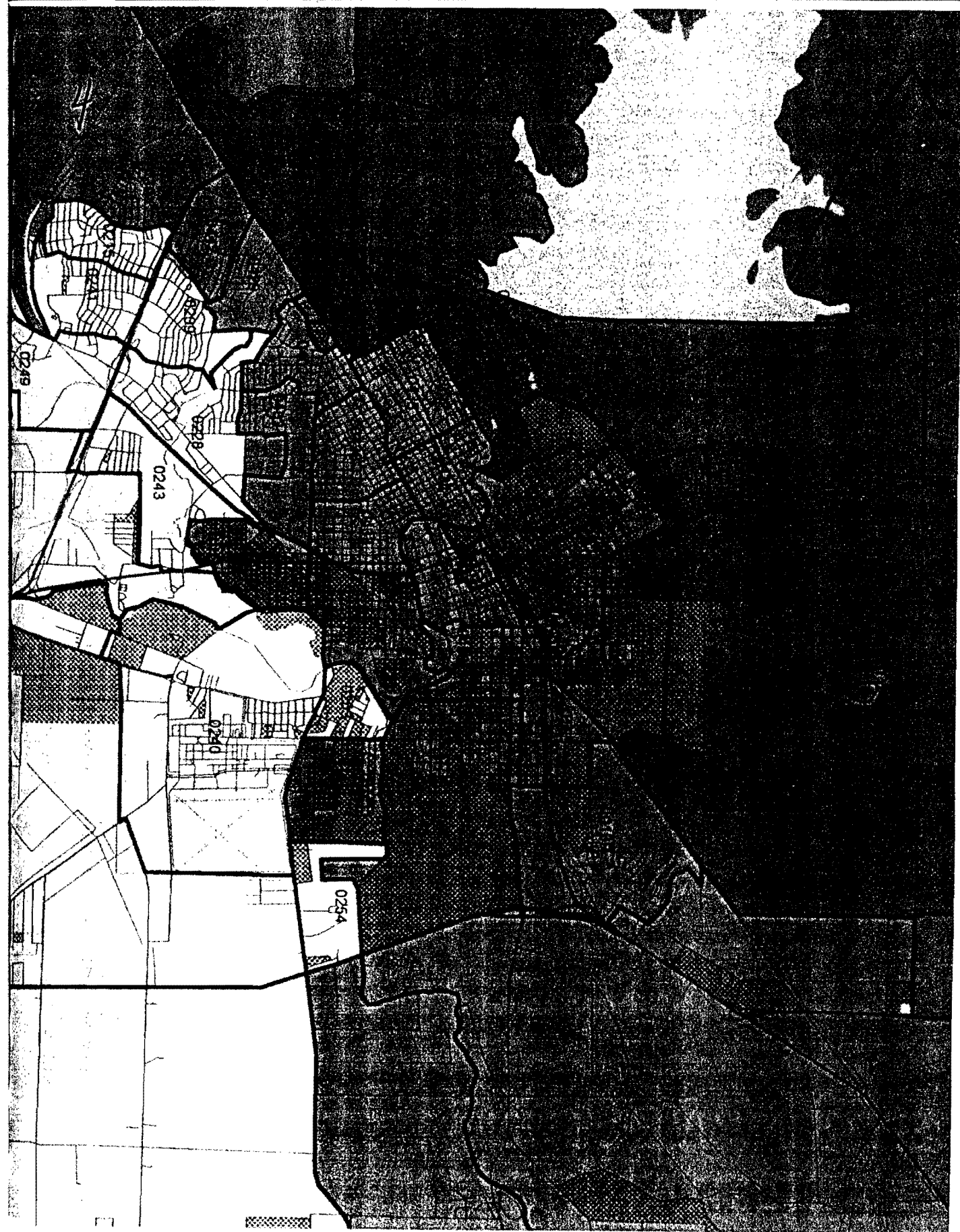
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Existing JP Precincts

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County	Plan	1			
Tom Green	PCT		Difference	Percentage	TMD
Ideal		26003			
Largest	4	26415	412	1.58%	
Smallest	3	25646	-357	-1.37%	2.96%
Existing	Exist		This Plan	Impact	
Anglo %	32.84		33.22	0.38	
Hispanic %	58.84		58.75	-0.09	
Black %	6.20		5.93	-0.27	
Other %	2.12		0.00	2.12	
	100		98	2.14	
County	Plan	2			
Tom Green	PCT		Difference	Percentage	TMD
Ideal		26003			
Largest	3	26255	252	0.97%	
Smallest	4	25783	-220	-0.85%	1.82%
Existing	Exist		This Plan	Impact	
Anglo %	32.84		34.75	1.91	
Hispanic %	58.84		57.39	-1.45	
Black %	6.20		5.85	-0.35	
Other %	2.12		2.01	0.11	
	100		100	0.22	





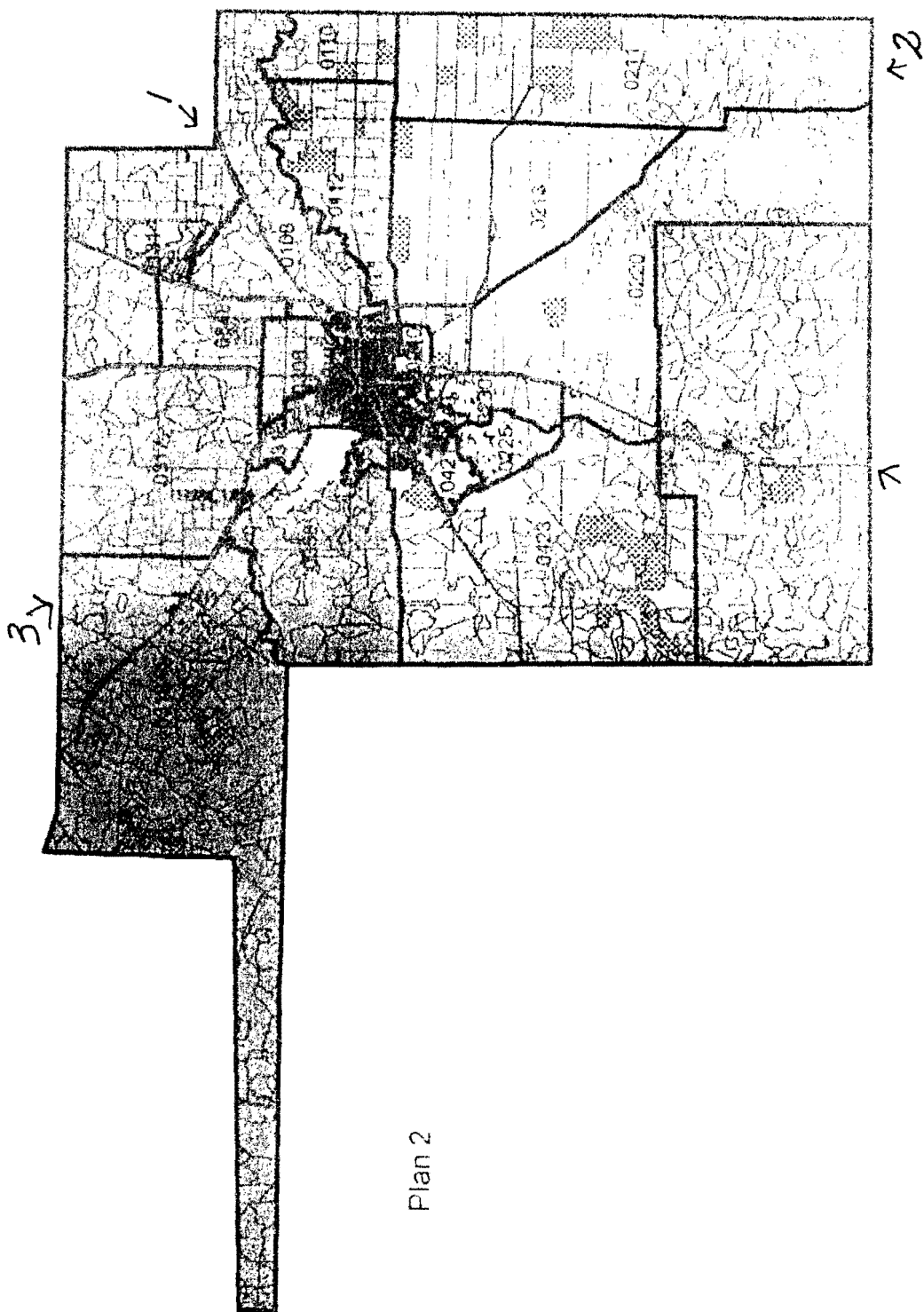
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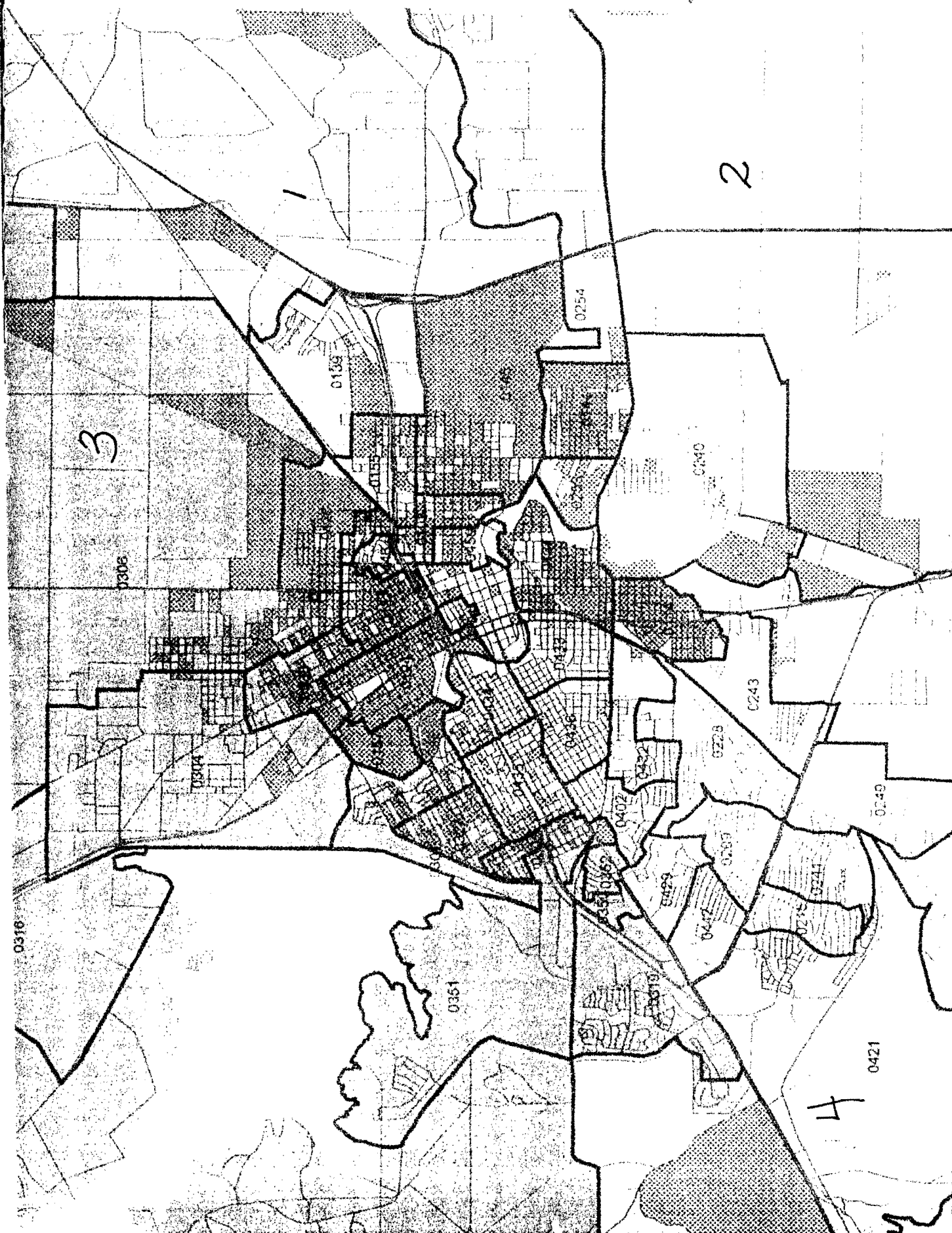
Plan1	Count	Fill	Sum(TotalPop)	Pct(TotalPop)	Sum(Anglo)	Pct(Anglo)	Sum(Hispanic)	Pct(Hispanic)	Sum(Black)	Pct(Black)	Sum(Asian)
3	1406		25 646	24 6572	17 185	26 2334	7 039	22 0341	916	22 2222	108
4	1512		26 415	25 3966	19 615	29 9429	5 436	17 0162	756	18 3406	239
2	966		26 102	25 0957	20 121	30 7153	4 287	13 4195	918	22 2707	289
1	1401		25 847	24 8505	8 587	13 1083	15 184	47 5302	1 532	37 1664	219
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ETHNIC IMPACT

Plan	AngloPerc	HispanicPerc	BlackPerc	AsianPerc	OtherPerc
	33.2234	58.7457	5.92719	0.847364	1.2574
	77.065	16.424	3.51697	1.10719	1.86876
	67.0095	27.4422	3.53171	0.421118	1.5519
	34.2571	40.5792	2.66201	0.904789	1.39693



Plan 2



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1	1419		26,091	25,0951	9,067	14,973	1,525	208	318
2	963		25,881	24,6832	19,952	4,251	910	281	487
3	1424		26,255	25,2428	17,440	7,351	939	119	406
4	1479		25,783	24,789	19,049	5,371	748	247	358

1	34.7514	57.3876	5.84493	0.79721	1.21881
2	77.0913	16.4252	3.51609	1.08574	1.88169
3	66.4254	27.9985	3.57648	0.453247	1.54637
4	73.882	20.8316	2.90114	0.957996	1.4273

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