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A Voter's Guide

ELECTIONS '80

Morgan County, Ala.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Becky Jones, Chairman

Jane G. Finney

Jenny C. Knight

ELECTIONS '80

**PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY:
TUESDAY, MARCH 11**

PRIMARY:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

PRIMARY RUNOFF:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

GENERAL ELECTION:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS:

SUMMER, 1980

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POLLS OPEN:

8:00 A.M.

CLOSE:

6:30 P.M.

REGISTRATION:

WHO:

Any bona fide resident of Morgan County, 18 years of age or over, and a citizen of the United States.

Have with you:

Social Security Number

Names, addresses and telephone numbers of two references, who are not related to you, who know you and live within Morgan County.

If naturalized citizen, have with you naturalization papers.

If convicted of disqualifying offense, have with you restoration of civil and political rights.

WHERE:

Morgan County Board of Registrars
1st Floor (West), Morgan County Courthouse
302 Lee St., N.E., P.O. Box 668
Decatur, Alabama 35602

Telephone 350-9600 ext. 244 or 240

WHEN:

Monday through Friday
8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.
Except within 21 days of any election.

Last day to register for:

Primary	August 11
Primary Runoff	August 11
General Election	October 13

ABSENTEE VOTING

WHO:

Qualified electors absent from the county on election day.

WHERE:

Apply to the Board of Registrars — 1st Floor (West), Morgan County Courthouse.

WHEN:

Any qualified elector of this state who will be unable to vote at his regular polling place because of his absence from the county of his residence on the day of any primary, general, special or municipal election; or because of any physical illness or infirmity which prevents his attendance at the polls, whether he be within or without the county on the day of the election, may vote an absentee ballot provided he makes application in writing therefor not more than **sixty** nor less than **five** days prior to the election in which he desires to vote.

Last Days to Apply for Absentee Ballot

Presidential Preference Primary	March 6
Primary	August 28
Primary Run-off	September 18
General Election	October 30

ELECTION 80

UNITED STATES

Term of Office

President	4 years
Vice President	4 years
United States Senator (1 seat)	6 years
United States Representative (District 5)	2 years

ALABAMA

Associate Justices, State Supreme Court (3 places)	6 years
Court of Criminal Appeals (1 place)	6 years
Court of Civil Appeals (1 place)	6 years
Public Service Commission, President	4 years
State Board of Education Members (1st, 3rd, 5th and 7th Districts)	4 years
District Attorney	6 years
Democratic National Convention Delegates	4 years
Republican National Convention Delegates	4 years

MORGAN COUNTY

County Commission, Chairman	6 years
County Commission, Members (3rd and 4th Districts)	4 years
District Court Judgeship (1 place)	6 years
Board of Education (Place 4 and 7)	6 years

MUNICIPALITIES

(Decatur, Eva, Falkville, Flint, Hartselle,
Priceville, Somerville, Trinity)

Mayor	4 years
Councilman (5 places)	4 years

PRECINCTS

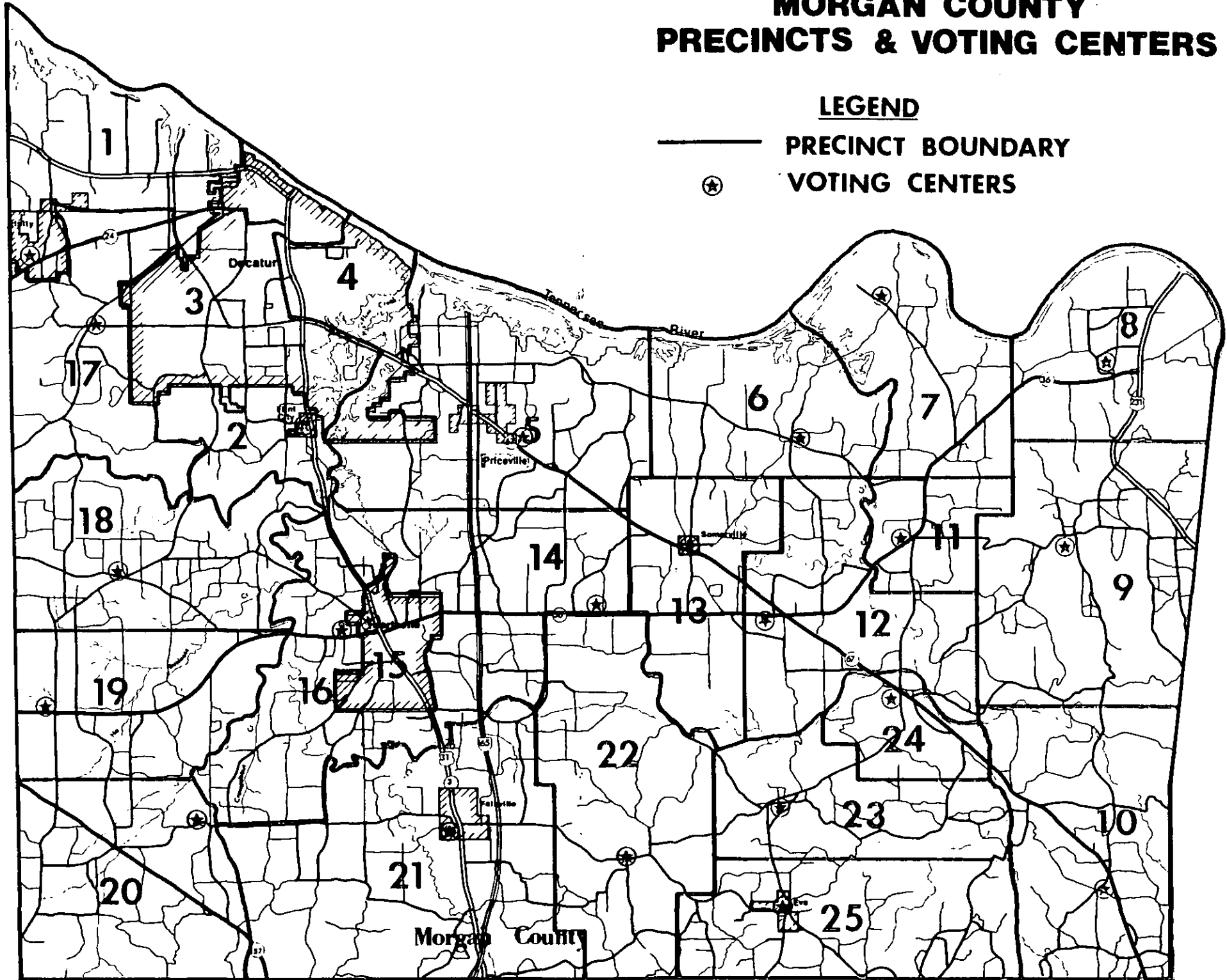
Precinct Number	General Location	No.	Voting Center Location	*Registered Voters	State Senate District	State House District
1	Trinity		Trinity Fire Station	1121	3	8
2	Flint		Flint City Hall	1012	3	8
3	Decatur	1	Courthouse	1797	3	8
3	Decatur	2	West Decatur School	1957	3	8
3	Decatur	3	Fire Station #4	1317	3	8
3	Decatur	4	Decatur High School	1524	3	8
3	Decatur	5	Somerville Road School	1366	3	8
3	Decatur	6	Woodmeade School	2348	3	8
3	Decatur	7	Aquadome Center	2211	3	8
3	Decatur	8	Austinville School	2164	3	8
3	Decatur	9	Joe Sartain Ford	410	3	8
3	Decatur	10	Beltline Mall	1220	3	8
4	Decatur	1	American Legion Bldg.	1124	3	9
4	Decatur	2	Walter Jackson School	2457	3	9
4	Decatur	3	Eastwood School	1949	3	9
4	Decatur	4	Peek Olds.-Cadillac	2037	3	9
5	Priceville		Priceville Fire Station	1739	3	9
6	Winton Community		Center Spring's Methodist Church	298	3	9
7	Valhermosa		Smith's Grocery	382	3	9
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8	Lacey's Spring		Lacey's Spring School	785	3	9
9	Union Hill		Union Hill Jr. High School	1422	3	9
10	Ryan Crossroads		Ryan Crossroads School	454	3	9
11	Cotaco		Cotaco School	291	3	9
12	Six Mile Community		Shiloh Baptist Church	468	3	9
13	Somerville		Fire Station	551	3	9
14	Plainview Community		Sparkman School	1130	3	9
15	Hartselle		Hartselle Armory	4281	3	9
16	Hartselle		Faith United Methodist Church	901	3	9
17	Old Moulton Road		Gay's Trading Post	839	3	7
18	Neel		Neel School	1192	3	7
19	Danville		Danville Masonic Lodge	353	3	7
20	Massey		Massey Club House	374	3	7
21	Falkville		Falkville High School -- Drake Gym	1382	4	10
22	Cole Springs		District No. 3 Shop Bldg.	586	4	10
23	Oden Ridge		Fire Station	350	4	10
24	Florette		Brewer High School	194	4	10
25	Eva		Eva City Hall	818	4	10
				TOTAL	44,804	

*As of January 18, 1980

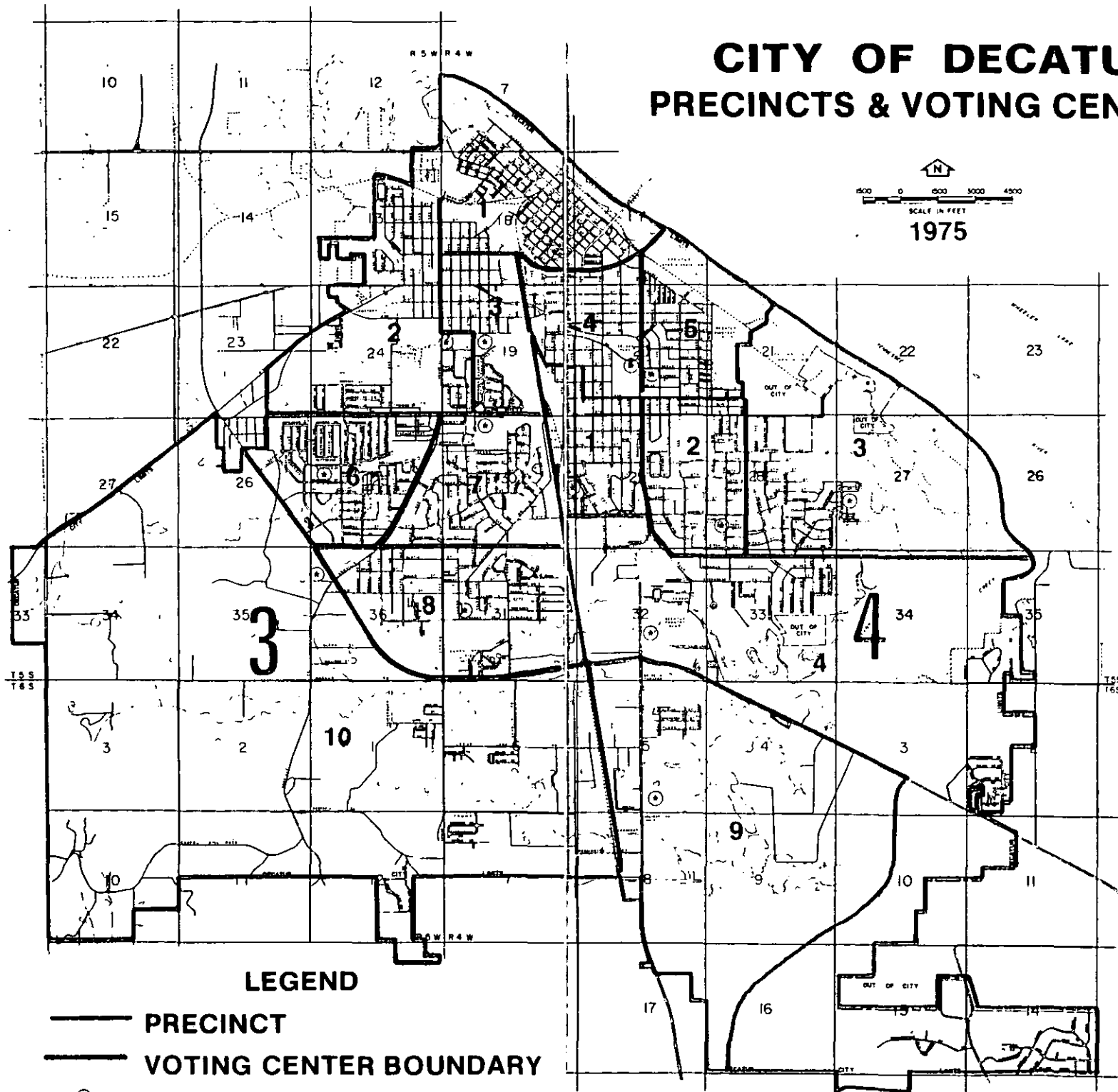
MORGAN COUNTY PRECINCTS & VOTING CENTERS

LEGEND

- PRECINCT BOUNDARY
- ★ VOTING CENTERS



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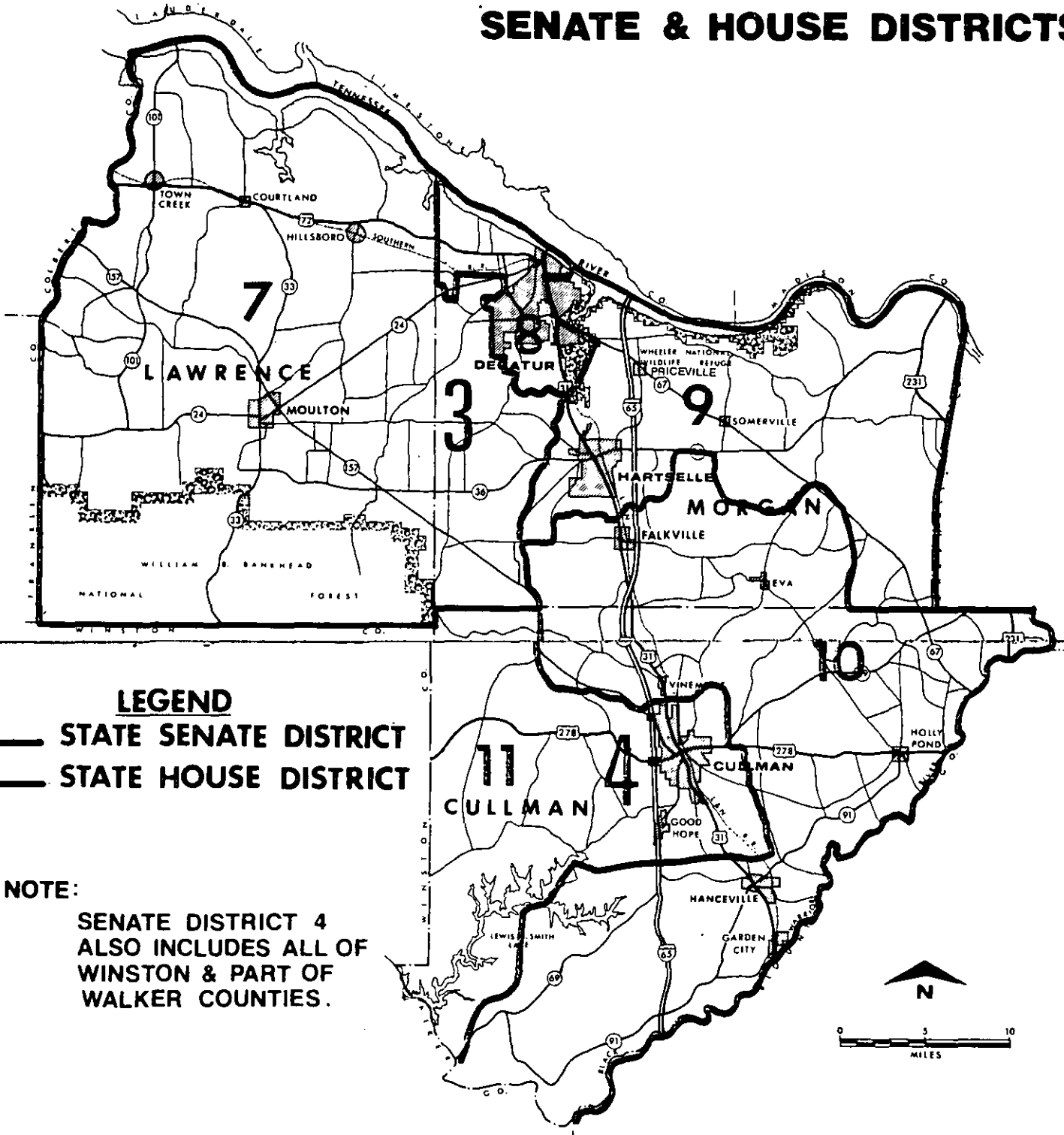


LEGEND

-  PRECINCT
-  VOTING CENTER BOUNDARY
-  VOTING CENTERS

SENATE & HOUSE DISTRICTS

MAPS BY NORTH CENTRAL ALABAMA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS



LEGEND

- STATE SENATE DISTRICT
- STATE HOUSE DISTRICT

NOTE:

SENATE DISTRICT 4
ALSO INCLUDES ALL OF
WINSTON & PART OF
WALKER COUNTIES.

STATE LEGISLATORS REPRESENTING MORGAN COUNTY 1978-82:

Sen. Charles B. Martin
Senate District #3
1716 Camellia Dr., S.W.
Decatur, AL 35601

Sen. Finis St. John
Senate District #4
P.O. Drawer K
Cullman, AL 35055

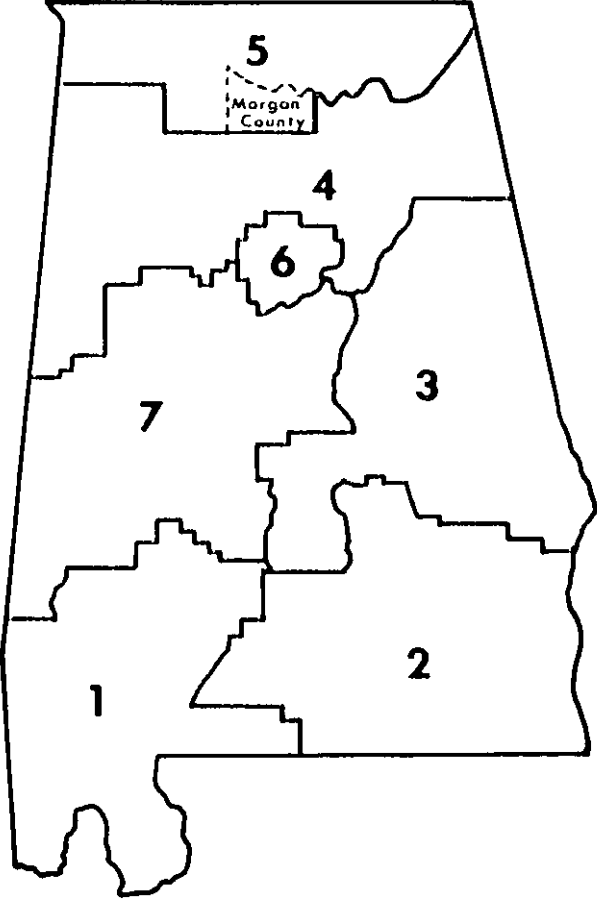
Rep. Sam Letson
House District #7
Rt. 3, Box 156B
Moulton, AL 35650

Rep. Bob Patton
House District #8
P.O. Box 786
Decatur, AL 35602

Rep. Tommy Ed Roberts
House District #9
P.O. Box 1298
Hartselle, AL 35640

Rep. Steve Cooley
House District #10
P.O. Box 1186
Cullman, AL 35055

**UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICTS**



When you register you are qualified to vote in any federal, state, county, or municipal election held in the precinct in which your reside.

Morgan County is divided into 37 voting precincts. If you move within the county, notify the Board of Registrars of your new address by mail, phone, or in person. It is illegal to vote in a precinct in which you do not reside.

There is no party registration in Alabama. A primary election is held for the purpose of enabling the parties to select their candidates for the general election. The ballots for both major parties will appear on the same voting machine and the voter will be required to declare his political party preference to the polling officials who will lock the voting machine to permit voting for that party only. During the general election, the voter may split his ticket.

IMPORTANT

• CODE OF ALABAMA, 1975, SECTION 17-7-13: "AT ALL ELECTIONS BY THE PEOPLE OF THIS STATE THE ELECTOR MUST VOTE IN THE COUNTY AND PRECINCT OF HIS RESIDENCE AND NOWHERE ELSE AND MUST HAVE REGISTERED AS PROVIDED IN THIS TITLE; AND, IF ANY ELECTOR ATTEMPTS TO VOTE IN ANY PRECINCT OTHER THAN THAT OF HIS RESIDENCE, HIS VOTE MUST BE REJECTED."

• IF YOU MOVE, OR HAVE A CHANGE OF ADDRESS, YOU MUST NOTIFY THE MORGAN COUNTY BOARD OF REGISTRARS, EITHER BY TELEPHONE, 350-9600 EXT. 244, OR BY MAIL.

CLIP AND MAIL

NAME AS ON POLLS: _____
Last First Middle or Maiden

CORRECT NAME TO: _____
Last First Middle or Maiden

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

OLD ADDRESS: _____
Street or Route City Zip

NEW ADDRESS: _____
Street or Route City Zip

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____
Important (Confidential)

DATE _____
Signature

MAIL TO:

MORGAN COUNTY BOARD OF REGISTRARS
MORGAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE
P. O. BOX 668
DECATUR, AL 35602