# By the Numbers: Custer County

A comparison of Custer County in five proposed redistricting plans

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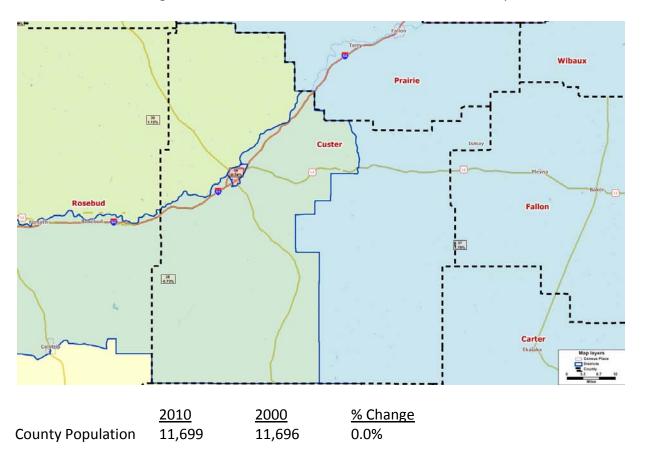
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## **Communities Plan**

Theme: Integrates Montana communities of interest within multiple criteria



Proposed Districts: 4 total

Proposed District Number	Total Population	Deviation*	# of People in District from Custer County
30	10,008	1.15%	596
37	10,070	1.78%	195
38	9,822	-0.73%	1,048
39	9,860	-0.34%	9,860

<sup>\*</sup>Ideal house district size after 2010 Census: 9,894 people

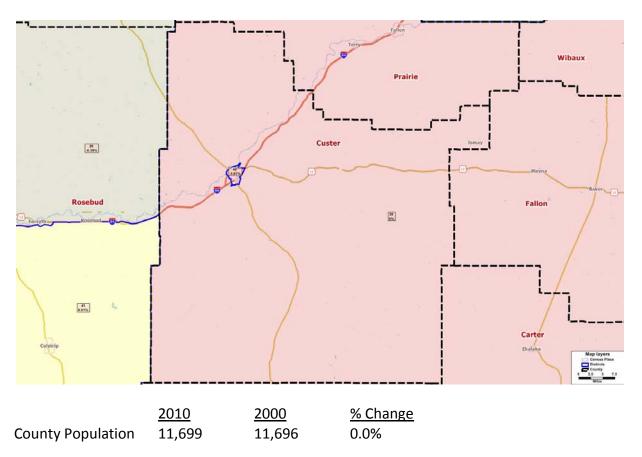
#### Other counties included in proposed house district (# of people)

- 30 Fergus (5,432), Garfield (1,206), McCone (1,734), Petroleum (494), Rosebud (546)
- 37 Carter (1,160), Fallon (2,890), Powder River (814), Prairie (1,179), Richland (2,815), Wibaux (1,017)
- 38 Rosebud (4,059), Treasure (718), Yellowstone (3,997)
- 39 None



## **Deviation Plan**

Theme: Emphasize the criterion on relative population equality between the districts



Proposed Districts: 2 total

Proposed District Number	Total Population	Deviation*	# of People in District from Custer County
39	9,894	0.00%	1,905
40	9,794	-1.01%	9,794

<sup>\*</sup>Ideal house district size after 2010 Census: 9,894 people

## Other counties included in proposed house district (# of people)

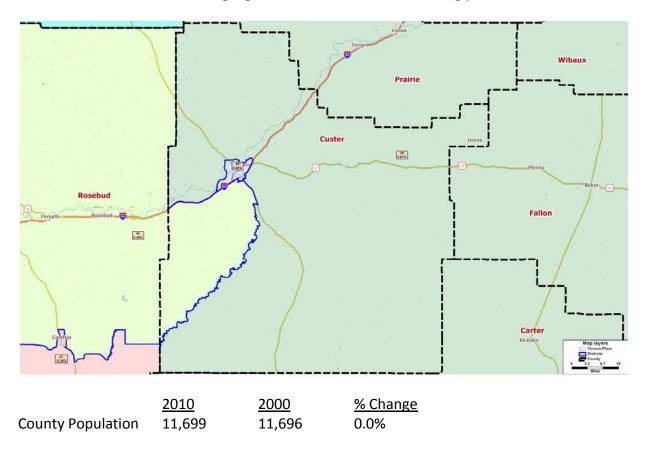
39 - Carter (1,160), Fallon (2,890), Powder River (1,743), Prairie (1,179), Wibaux (1,017)

40 - None



# **Existing Plan**

Theme: Use the existing legislative district lines as a starting point for new lines



Proposed Districts: 3 total

Proposed District Number	Total Population	Deviation*	# of People in District from Custer County
39	9,974	0.81%	1,550
40	9,979	0.86%	9,979
43	9,932	0.38%	170

<sup>\*</sup>Ideal house district size after 2010 Census: 9,894 people

#### Other counties included in proposed house district (# of people)

39 – Carter (1,160), Dawson (731), Fallon (2,890), Powder River (1,447), Prairie (1,179), Wibaux (1,017)

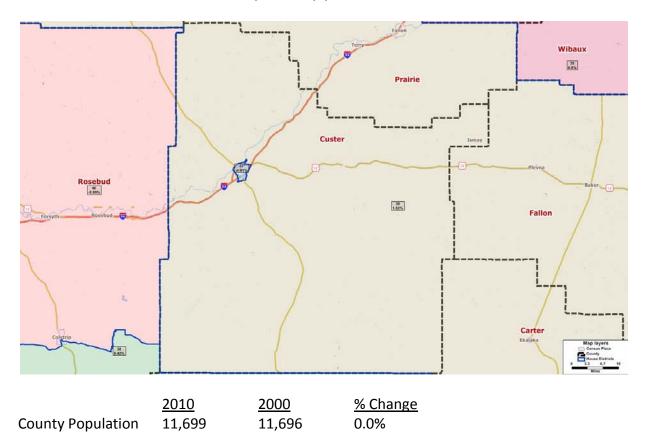
40 - None

43 – Rosebud (3,215), Treasure (718), Yellowstone (5,829)



## **Subdivision Plan**

Theme: Attempt to keep political subdivisions intact



Proposed Districts: 2 total

Proposed District Number	Total Population	Deviation*	# of People in District from Custer County
36	10,074	1.82%	1,905
37	9,794	-1.01%	9,794

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## Other counties included in proposed house district (# of people)

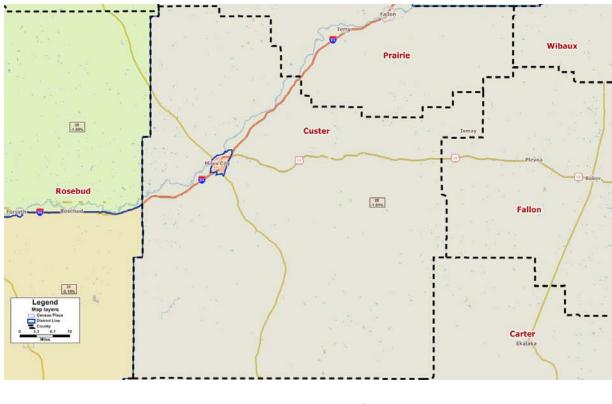
36 - Carter (1,160), Fallon (2,890), Garfield (1,206), McCone (1,734), Prairie (1,179)

37 - None



## **Urban Rural Plan**

Theme: Emphasize clear lines between population centers and rural areas



 2010
 2000
 % Change

 County Population
 11,699
 11,696
 0.0%

Proposed Districts: 2 total

Proposed District Number	Total Population	Deviation*	# of People in District from Custer County
28	9,794	-1.01%	1,805
29	9,894	0.00%	9,894

<sup>\*</sup>Ideal house district size after 2010 Census: 9,894 people

#### Other counties included in proposed house district (# of people)

28 - Carter (1,160), Fallon (2,890), Powder River (1,743), Prairie (1,179), Wibaux (1,017)

29 - None

