SUMNER COUNTY COMMISSION

355 N. Belvedere Drive
Gallatin, Tennessee 37066-5410

Commissioners

Terry Moss- 1

Terry Wright- 2

Mark Harrison- 3

Dillon Lamberth- 4

Darrell Rogers- 5

David Klein- 6

Danny Sullivan- 7

Baker Ring- 8

Mary Genung- 9

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Kevin Pomeroy- 11

Deborah Holmes- 12

Terri Boyt- 13

Jamie Teachenor- 14

J. Wes Wynne- 15

Jeremy Mansfield- 16

Robert B Brown III- 17

Don Schmit- 18

Shannon Burgdorf- 19

Merrol Hyde- 20

Jerry F. Becker- 21

Matthew Shoaf- 22

Tim Jones- 23

Chrissi S. Miller- 24

AGENDA
VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT AD-HOC COMMITTEE
5:30 P.M.
January 13, 2026
J. Wes Wynne, CHAIRMAN

VFD Ad-Hoc Committee:
J. Wes Wynne, Chairman
Chris Shoemaker, Vice Chairman
Ben Harris, Commissioner
David Klein, Commissioner
Scotty Bush, Chief
Chris Edgerton, Chief
Sam Thornton, Chief
Henry DeGroot, Citizen
Curtis Williams, Citizen

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Invocation**
3. **Approval of Agenda**
4. **Approval of Minutes from December 9, 2025 (Pages 2-3)**
5. **Recognition of the Public**
6. **Old Business**
   a. Funding Ideas for VFD's
7. **New Business**
   a. Study Session: Recruitment and Retaining Personnel (Maps attached)
   b. Review budget line items for equipment
8. **Adjournment**

MINUTES
VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT AD-HOC COMMITTEE
December 9, 2025

Present
J. Wes Wynne, Chairman
Chris Shoemaker, Vice Chairman
David Klein, Commissioner
Sam Thornton, Chief
Chris Edgerton, Chief
Henry DeGroot, Citizen
Curtis Williams, Citizen
Absent
Scotty Bush, Chief
Ben Harris, Commissioner

The Volunteer Fire Department Ad-Hoc Committee meeting was called to order by Chairman Wynne at approximately 5:32 p.m. in conference room 112.

Invocation
Commissioner Klein provided the invocation.

Approval of Agenda
Motion made by Chief Thornton, seconded by Commissioner Klein to accept the agenda. Motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Minutes
Motion made by Commissioner Klein, seconded by Mr. Williams, to accept the Minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

Recognition of the Public
Mr. Joe McLaughlin of 2238 Hwy 25, Cottontown was present to discuss the Comptroller Report and requirement for filing reports from each station. He also expressed his concerns regarding the expired equipment.

Old Business

a. **Funding Ideas for VFD's**
This item was deferred to the January 2026 meeting for discussion.

New Business

a. **Study Session – Establishing a baseline**
Chairman Wynne opened the discussion and asked the committee members to share their ideas to establishing a baseline for the VFD's. Discussions ensued to include retainment of personnel, equipment, reporting, training and budgets.

A motion was made by Mr. Shoemaker to add a comment section on the agenda, following New Business. This would allow the audience to ask questions after meeting discussions. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Klein. Discussion ensued. Following discussion, Chairman Wynne called for a vote. The motion failed with a vote of 3 in favor and 4 against.

The next meeting is scheduled for January 13, 2026 @ 5:30 p.m.

Adjournment

Motion made by Commissioner Klein to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Wynne, at approximately 6:55 p.m. Motion passed unanimously.

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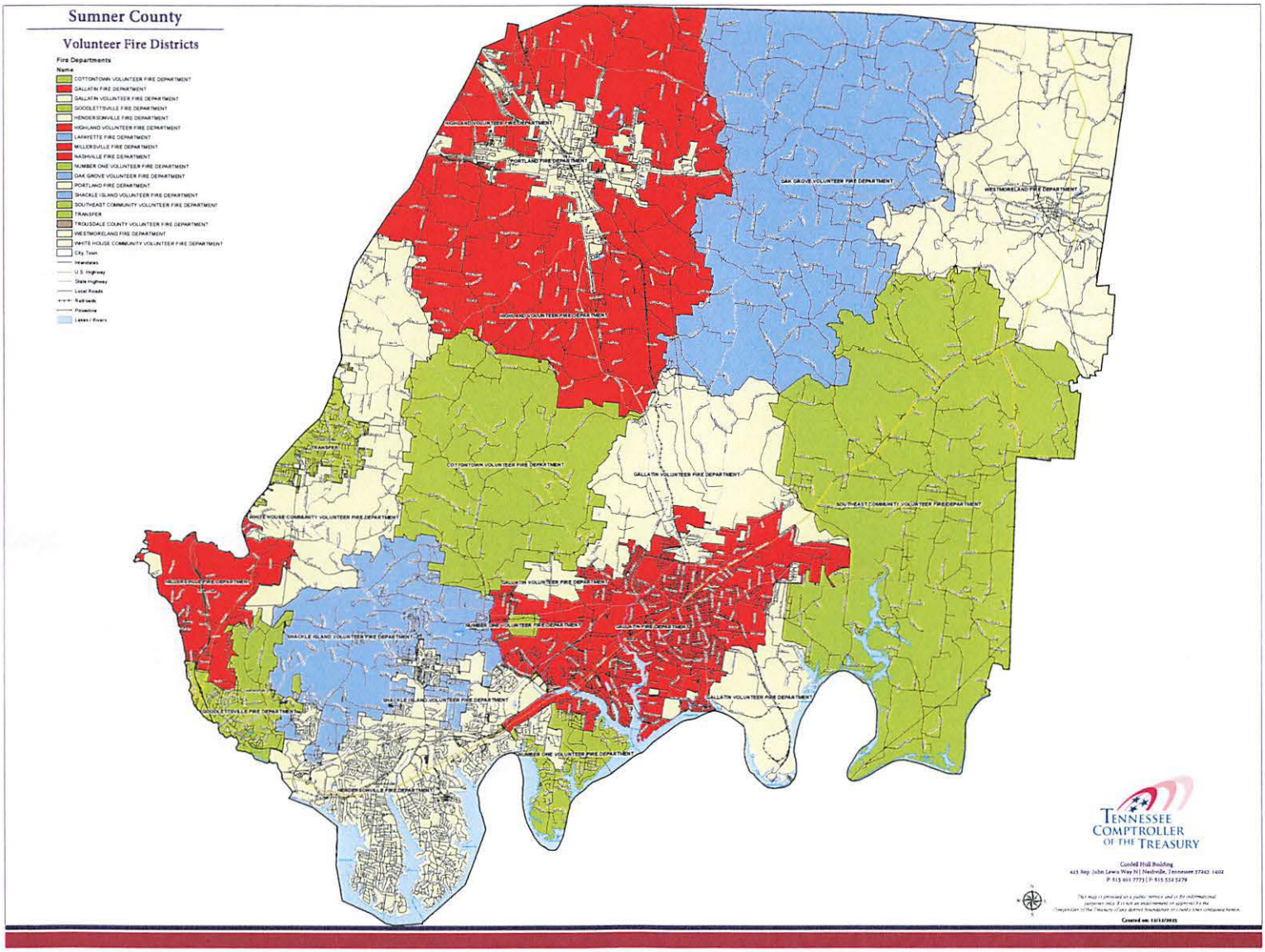
Volunteer Fire Districts



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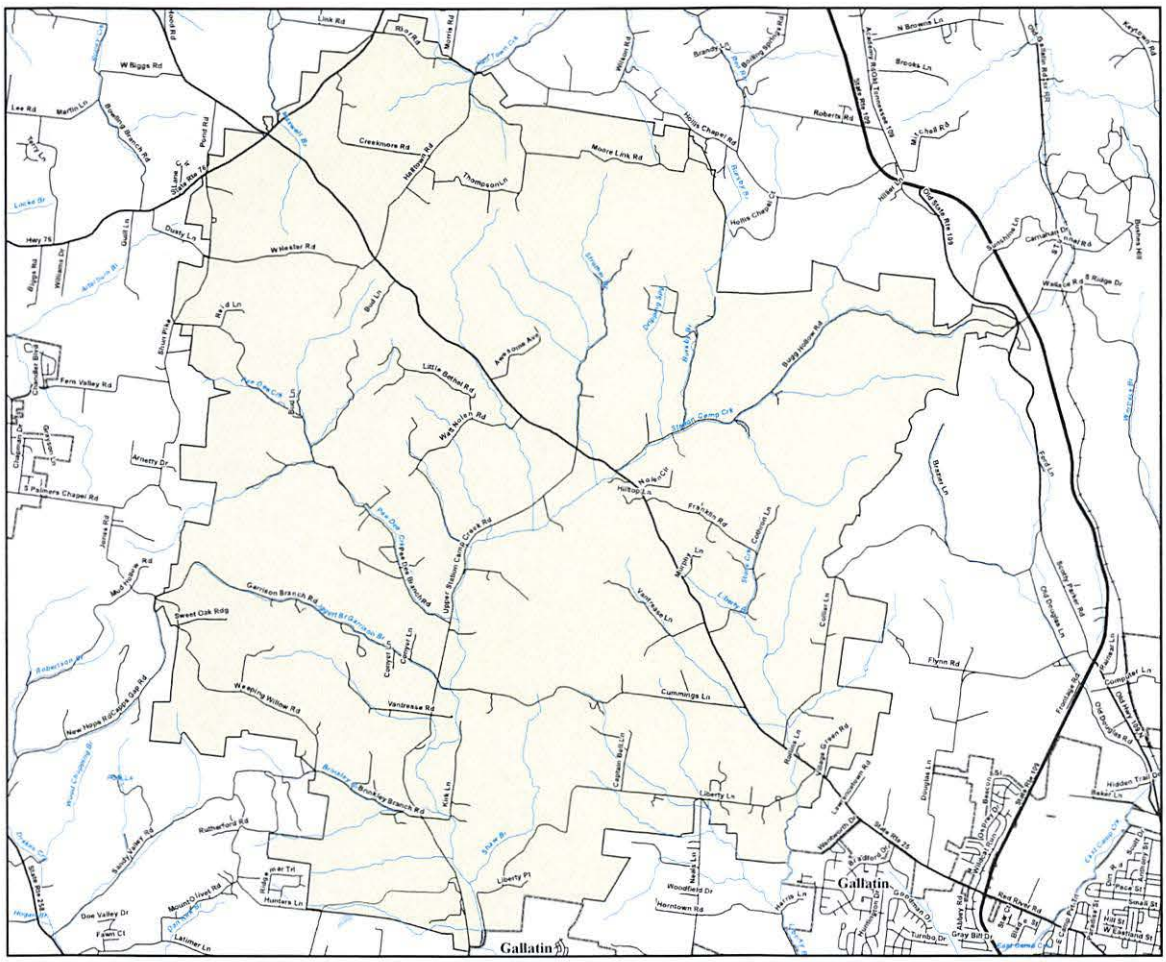

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COTTONTOWN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	3,571
TOTAL POPULATION 18	2,747
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	1,653

Interstates
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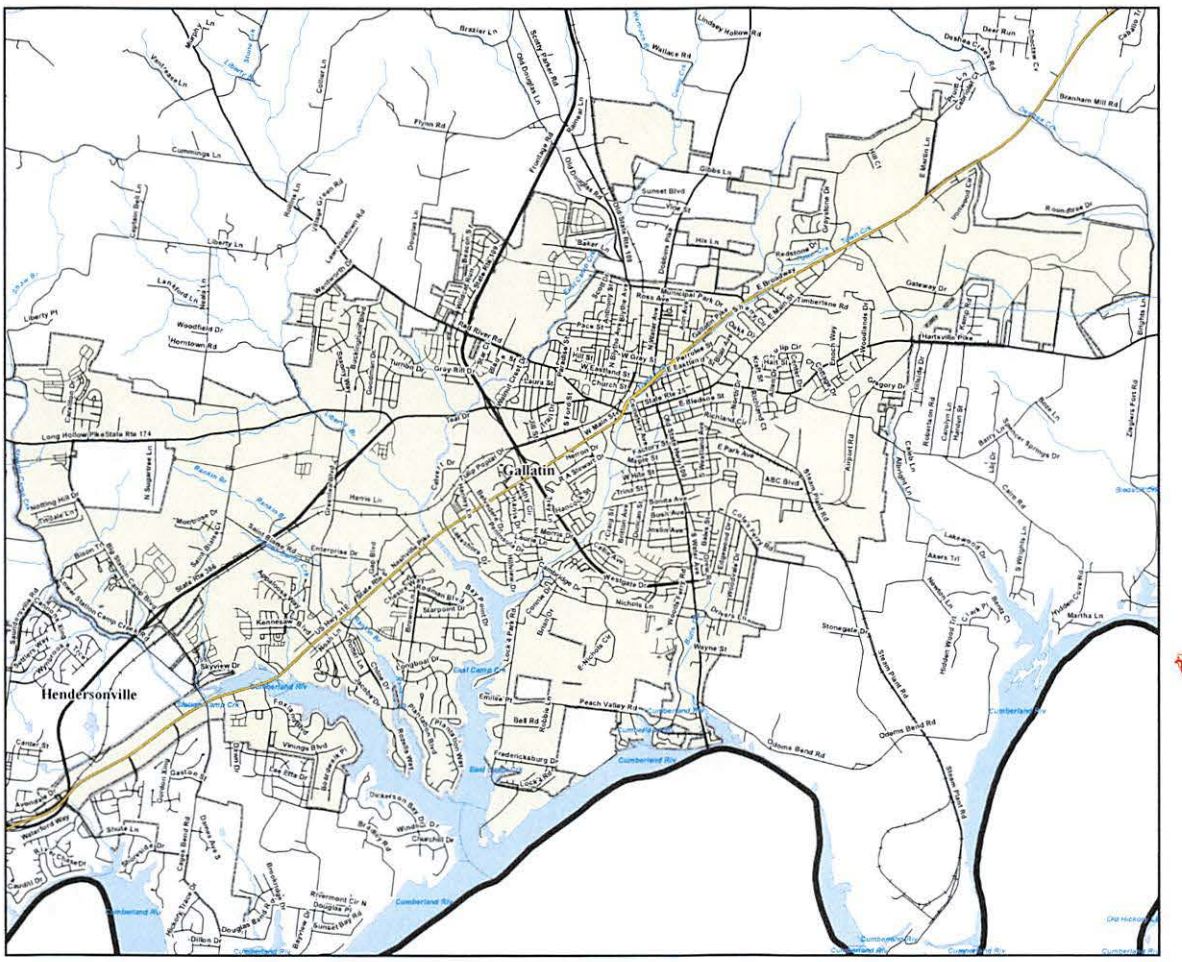

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GALLATIN
FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	44,960
TOTAL POPULATION 18	34,452
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	28,689

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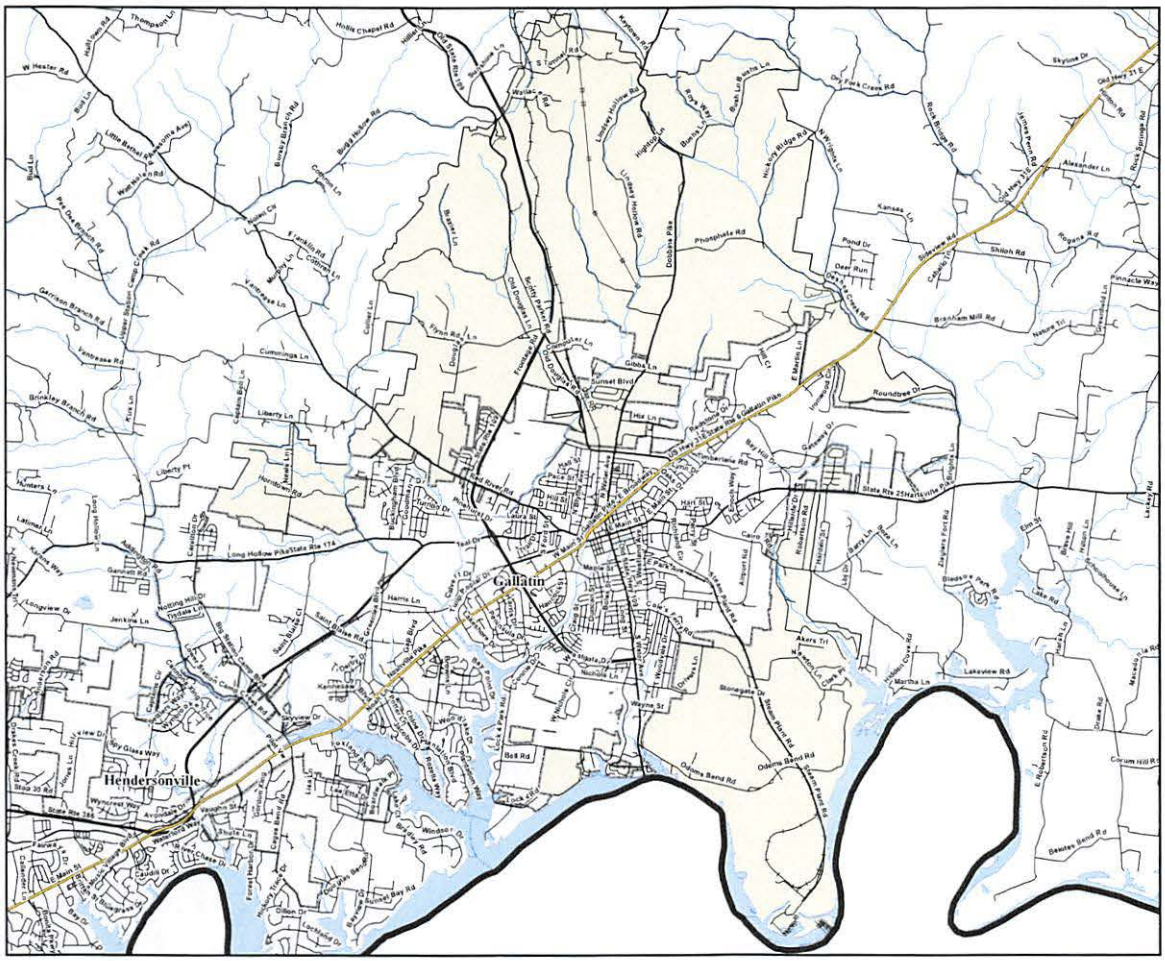

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GALLATIN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	5,451
TOTAL POPULATION 18	4,194
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	2,598

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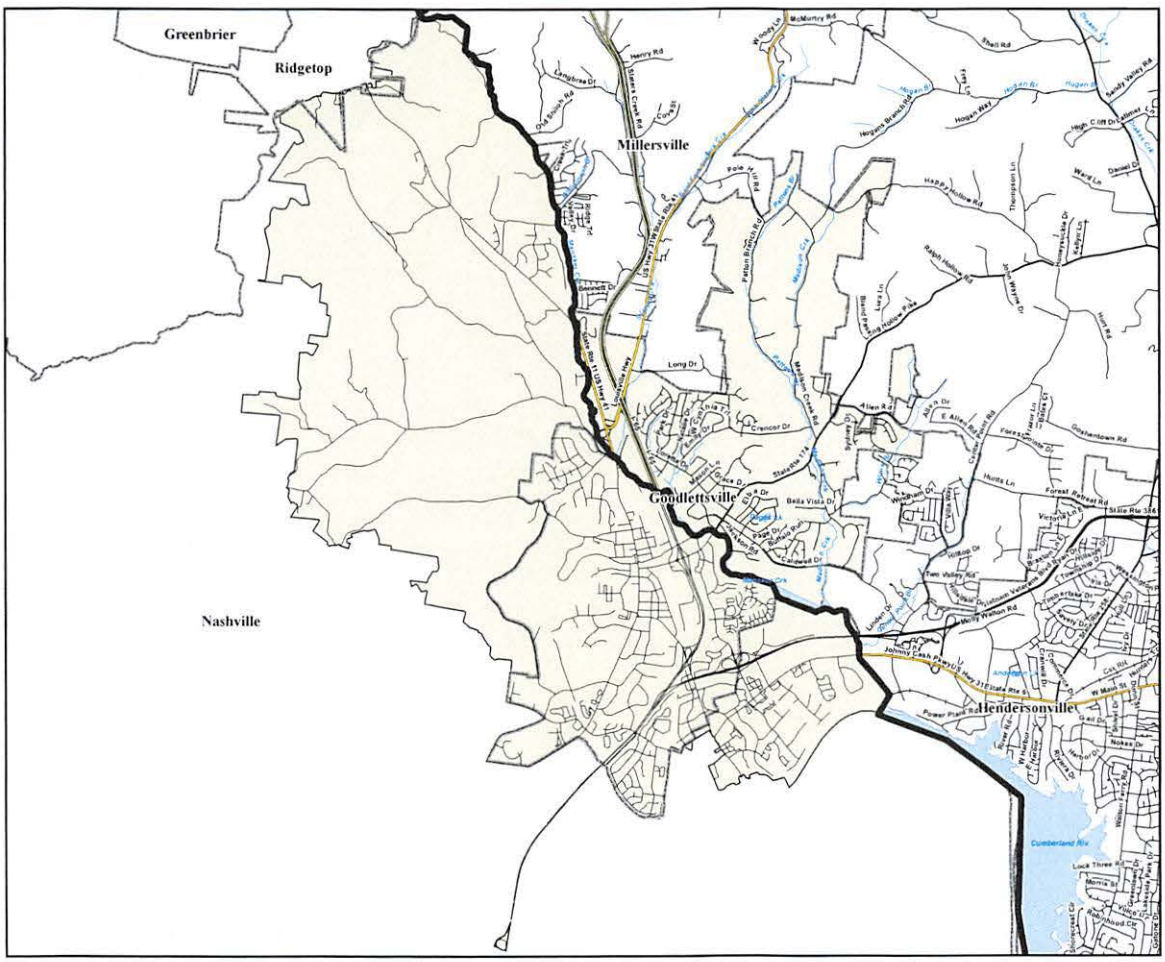

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GOODLETTSVILLE
FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	6,413
TOTAL POPULATION 18	5,052
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	12,363

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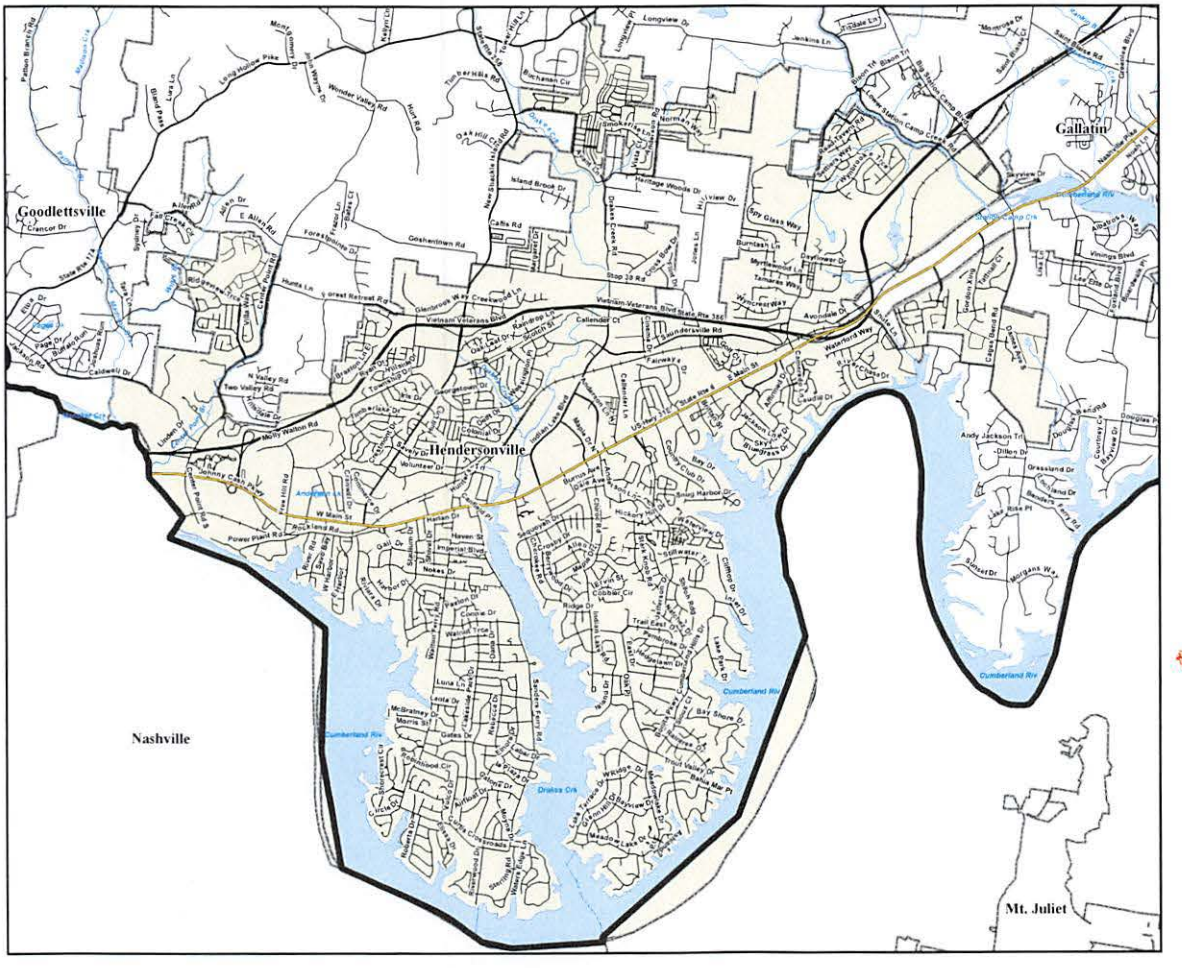

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HENDERSONVILLE
FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	61,809
TOTAL POPULATION 18	47,099
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	29,750

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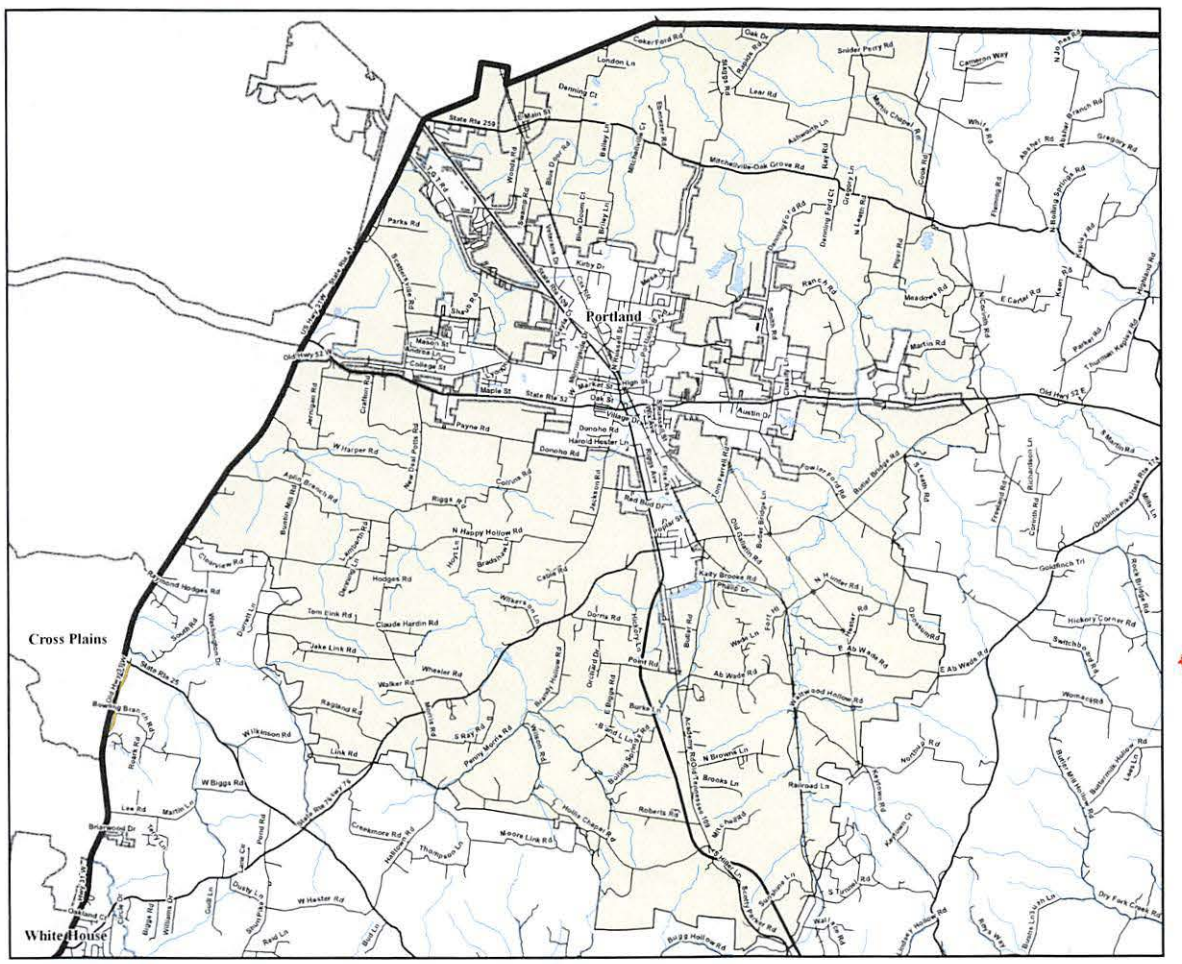

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HIGHLAND VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	9,557
TOTAL POPULATION 18	7,296
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	4,578

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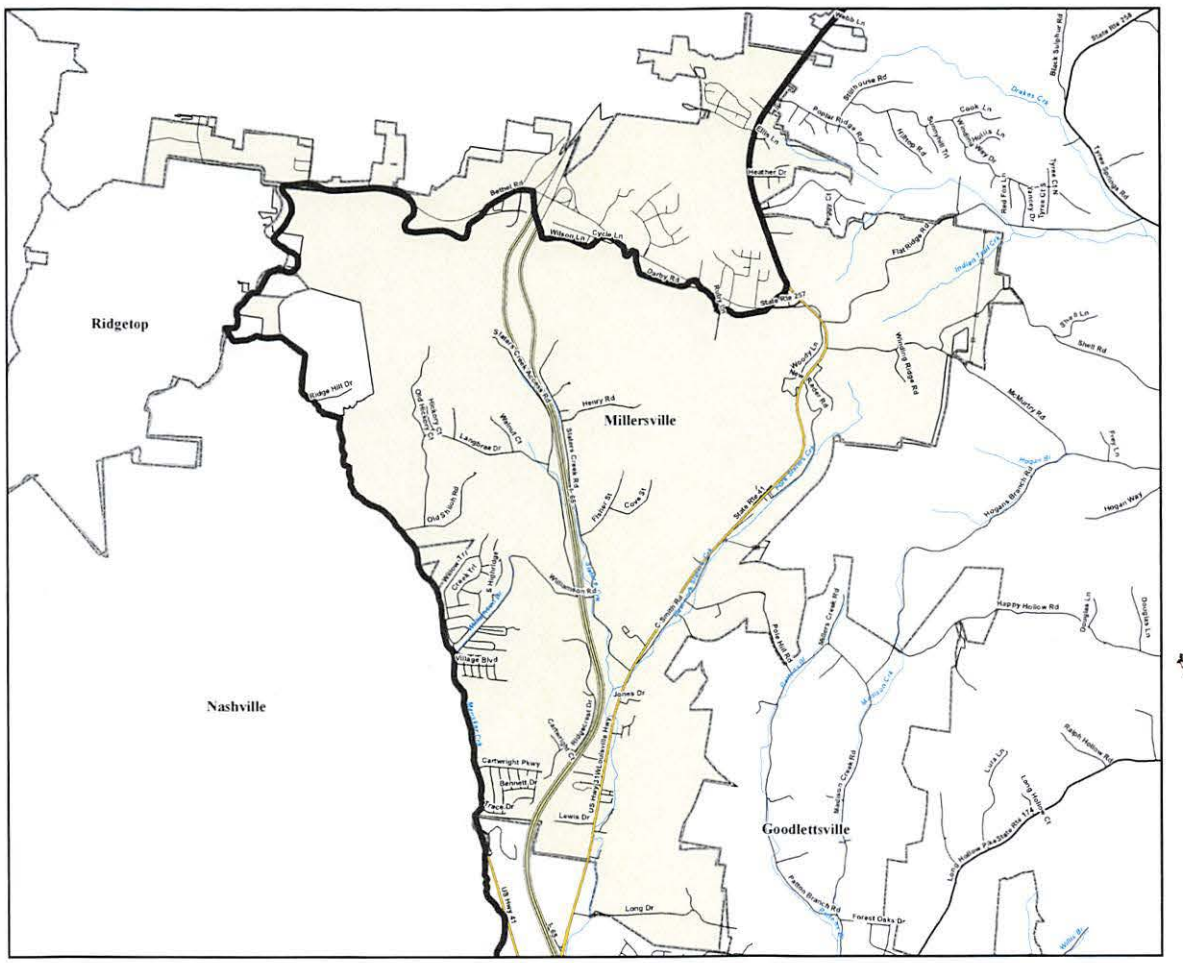
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Lewis Dr
James Dr
Long Dr
Forest Oaks Dr
Patton Branch Rd
Lone Hollow Parkway
Lone Hollow Pl
Long Hollow Ct
Ralph Hollow Rd
Happy Hollow Rd
Douglas Ln
Hogan Way
Hogans Branch Rd
McMurry Rd
Shell Rd
Fox Ln
Winding Ridge Rd
Fall Creek Rd
Mallory Creek Rd
Mallory Creek
Indian Trail Creek
Drakes Cr
Fire Ridge Rd
Reese Rd
Wilson Ln
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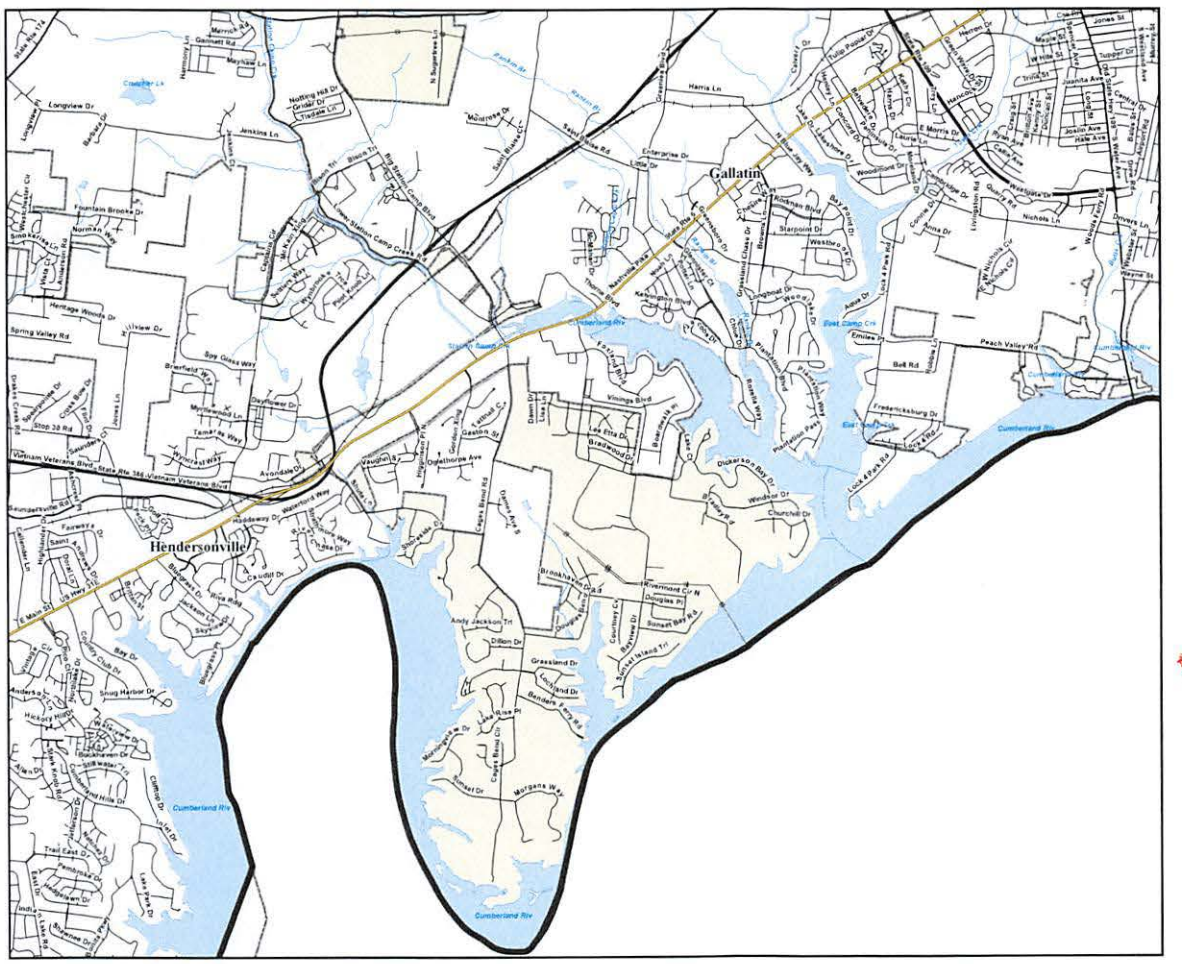

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NUMBER ONE VOLUNTEER
FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	4,297
TOTAL POPULATION 18	3,368
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	1,779

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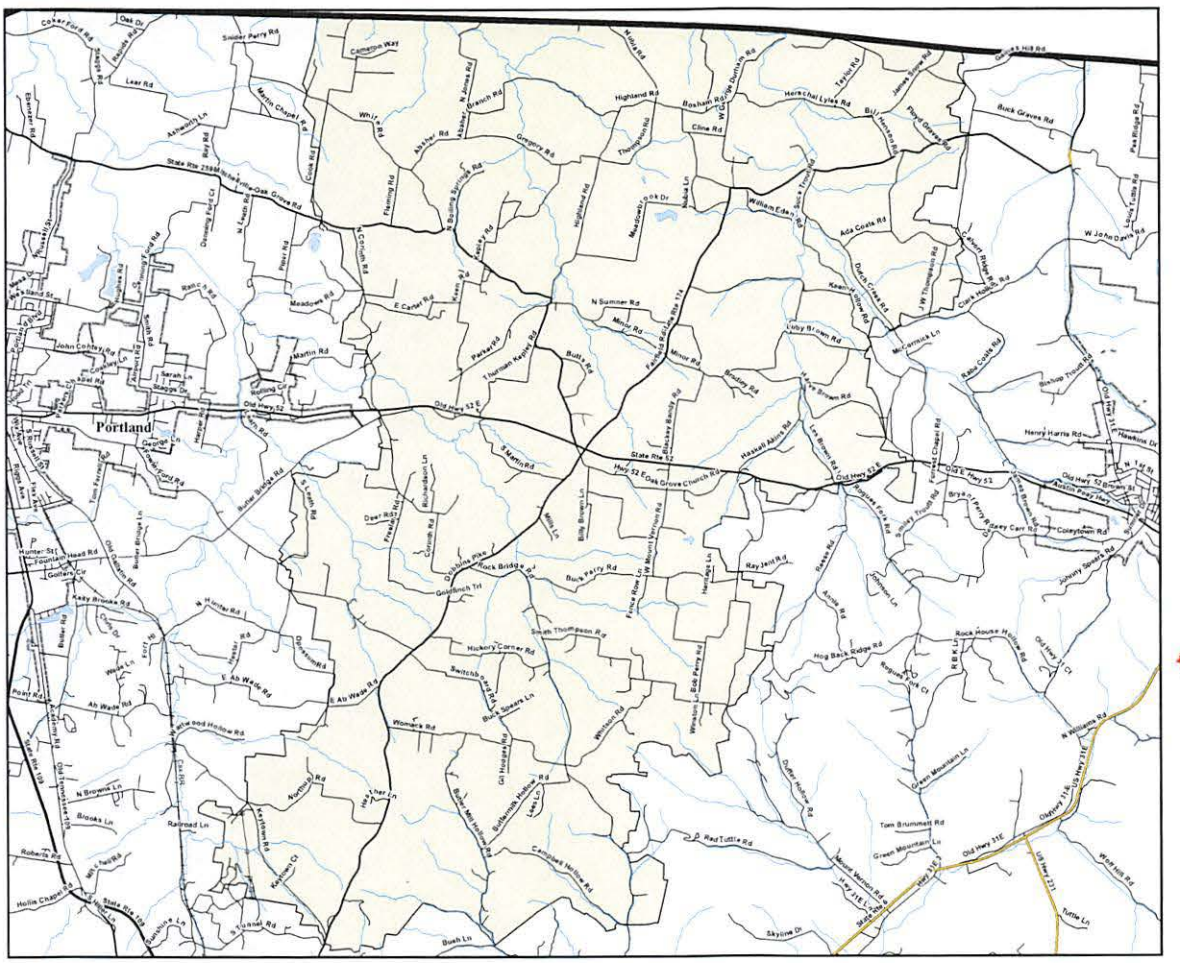

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OAK GROVE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	6,224
TOTAL POPULATION 18	4,872
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	3,377

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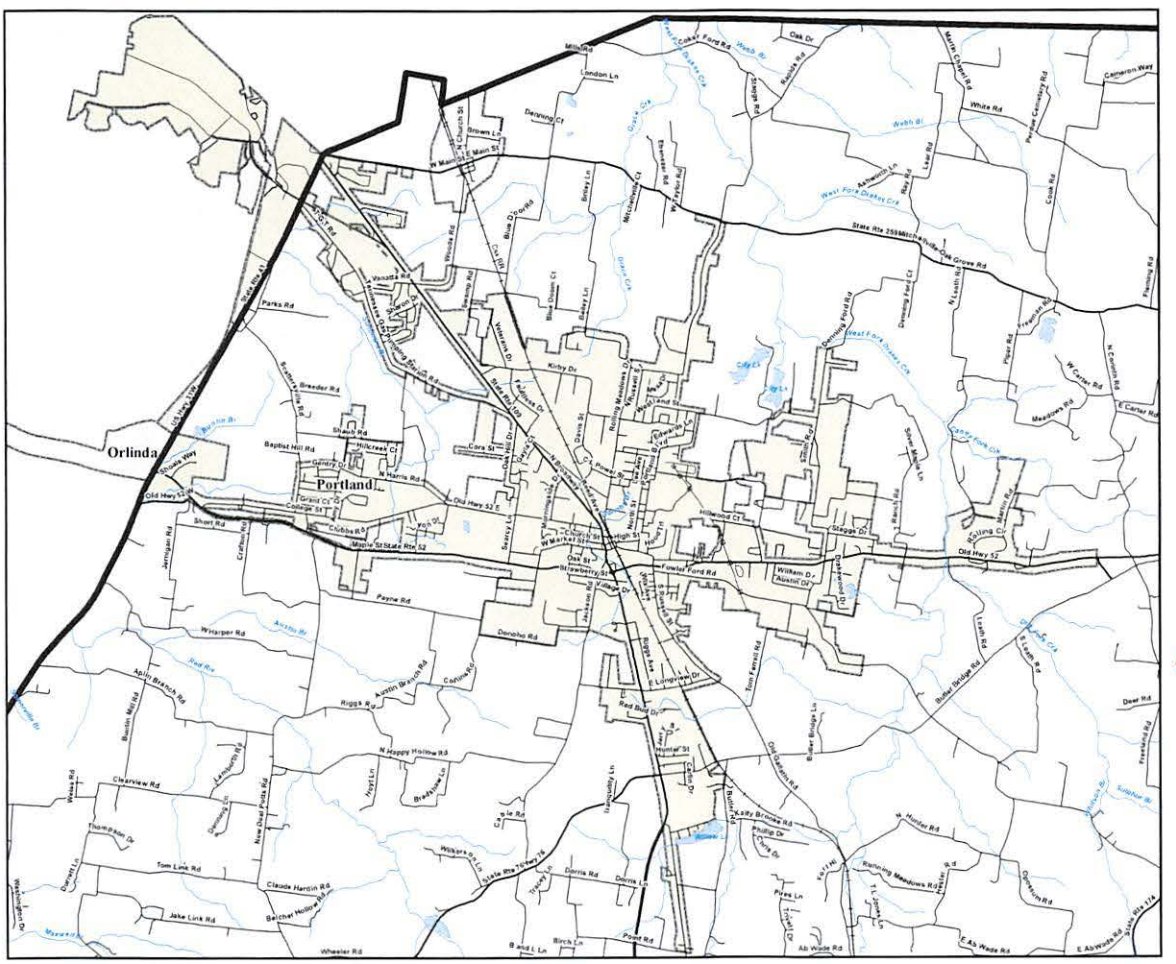

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PORTLAND
FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	12,960
TOTAL POPULATION 18	9,480
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	6,105

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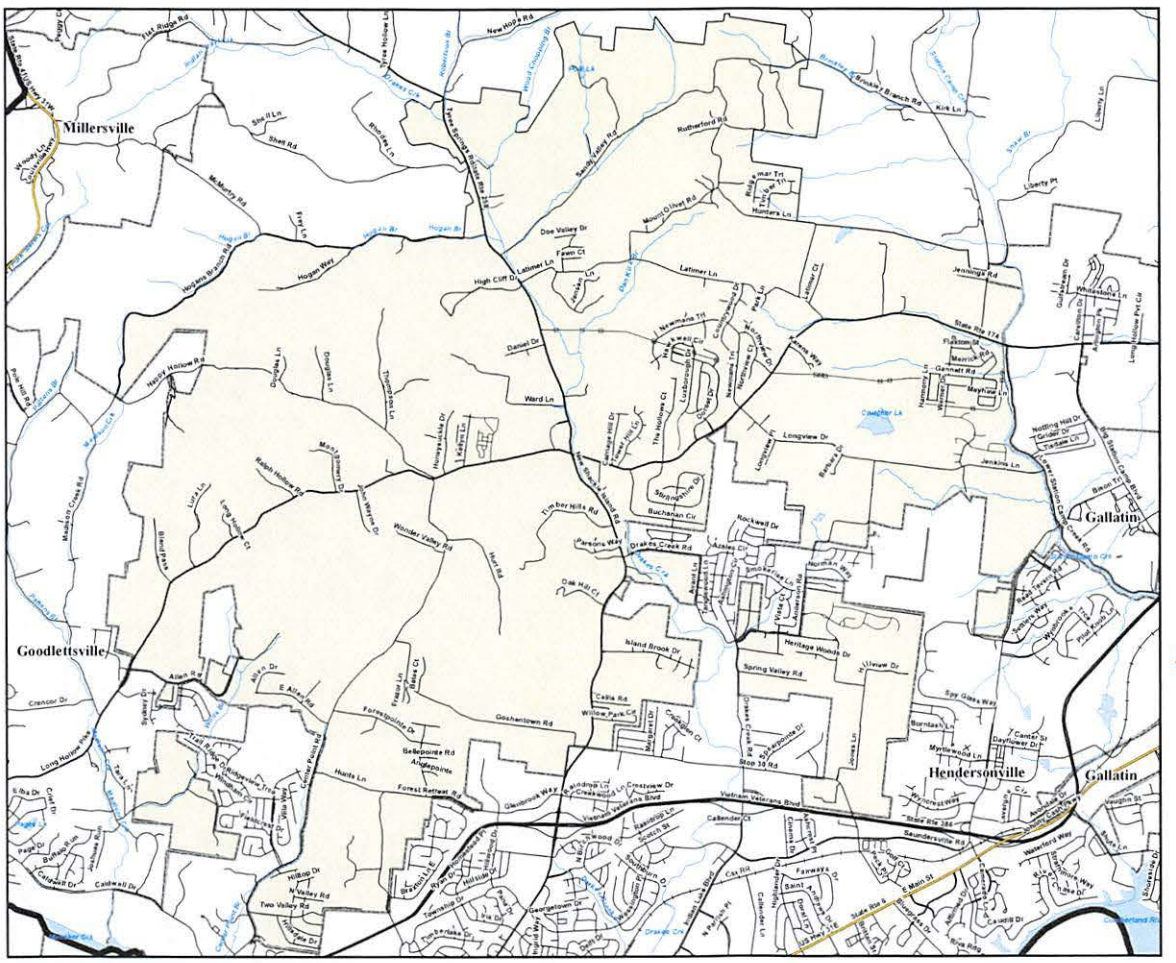

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SHACKLE ISLAND VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	10,062
TOTAL POPULATION 18	7,456
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	4,195

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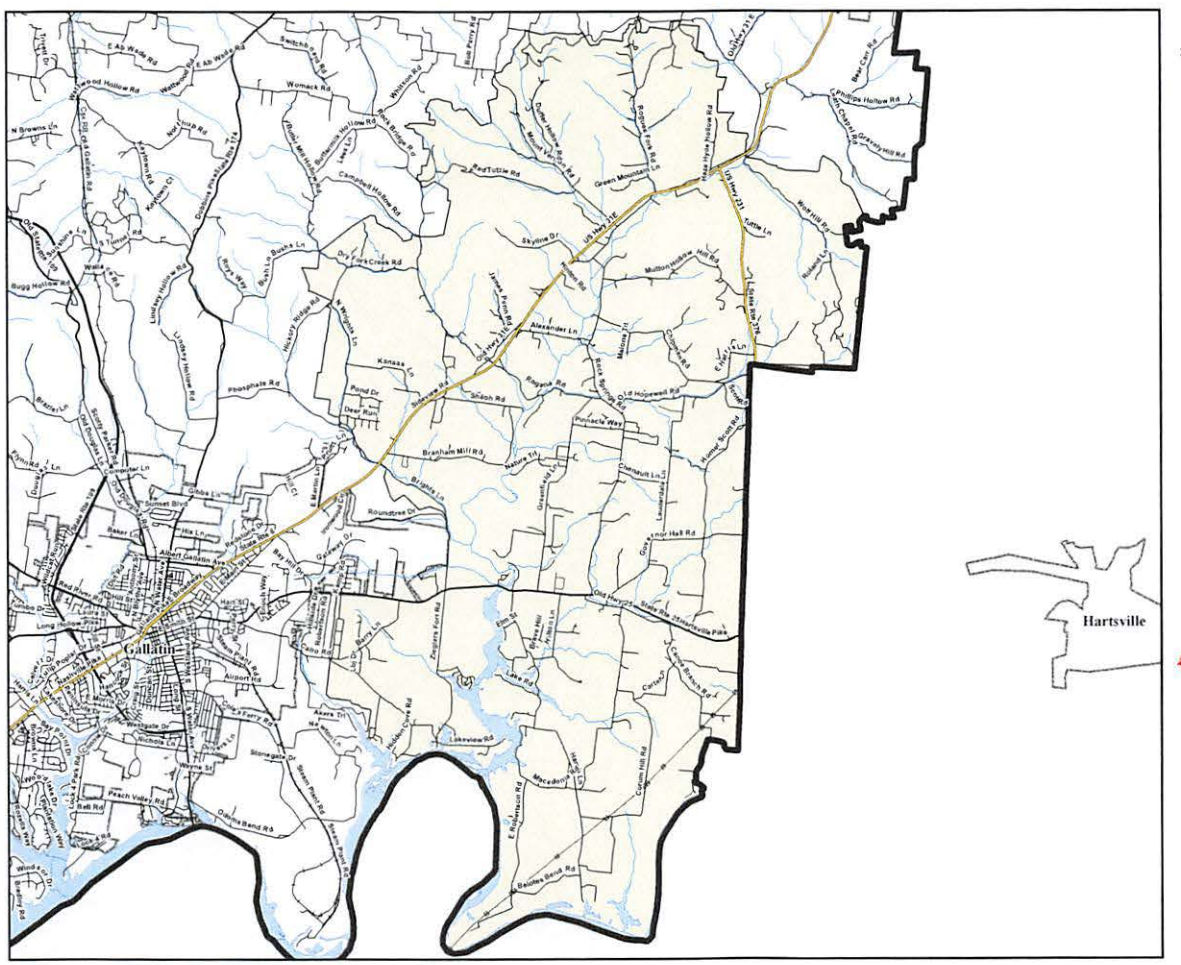

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SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	7,792
TOTAL POPULATION 18	6,058
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	4,082

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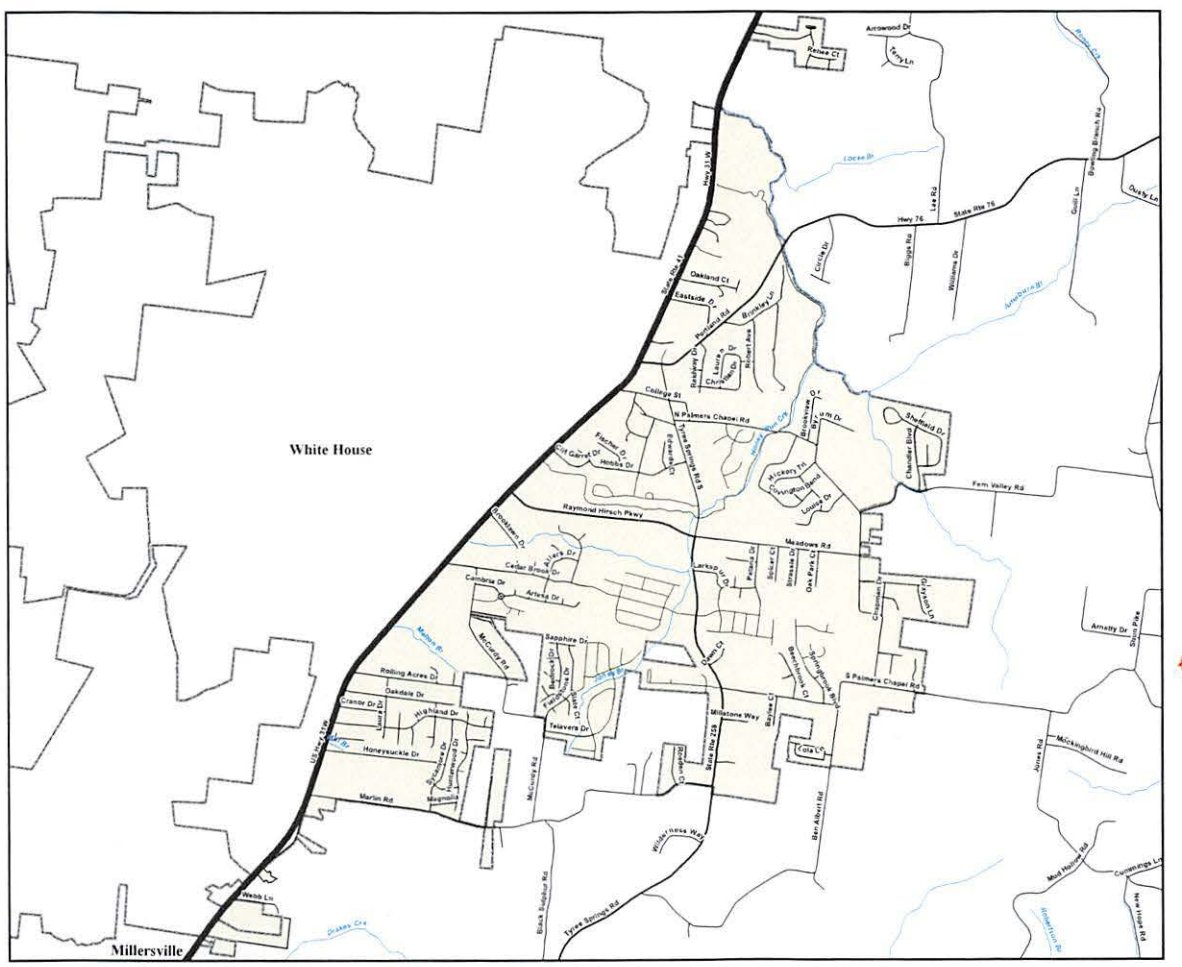

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TRANSFER
FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	6,428
TOTAL POPULATION 18	4,861
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	3,665

- Interstates
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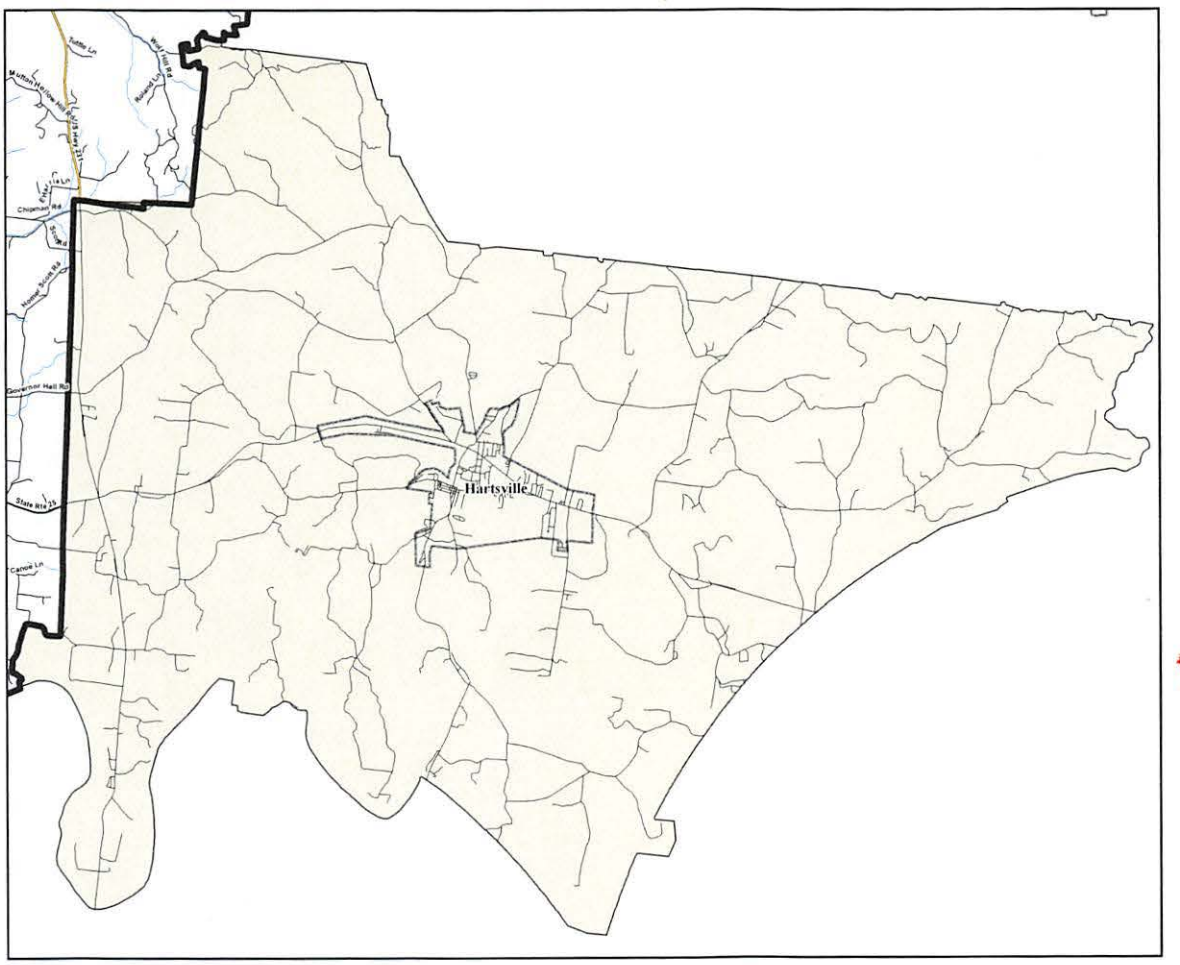

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TROUSDALE COUNTY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	1
TOTAL POPULATION 18	1
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	6,039

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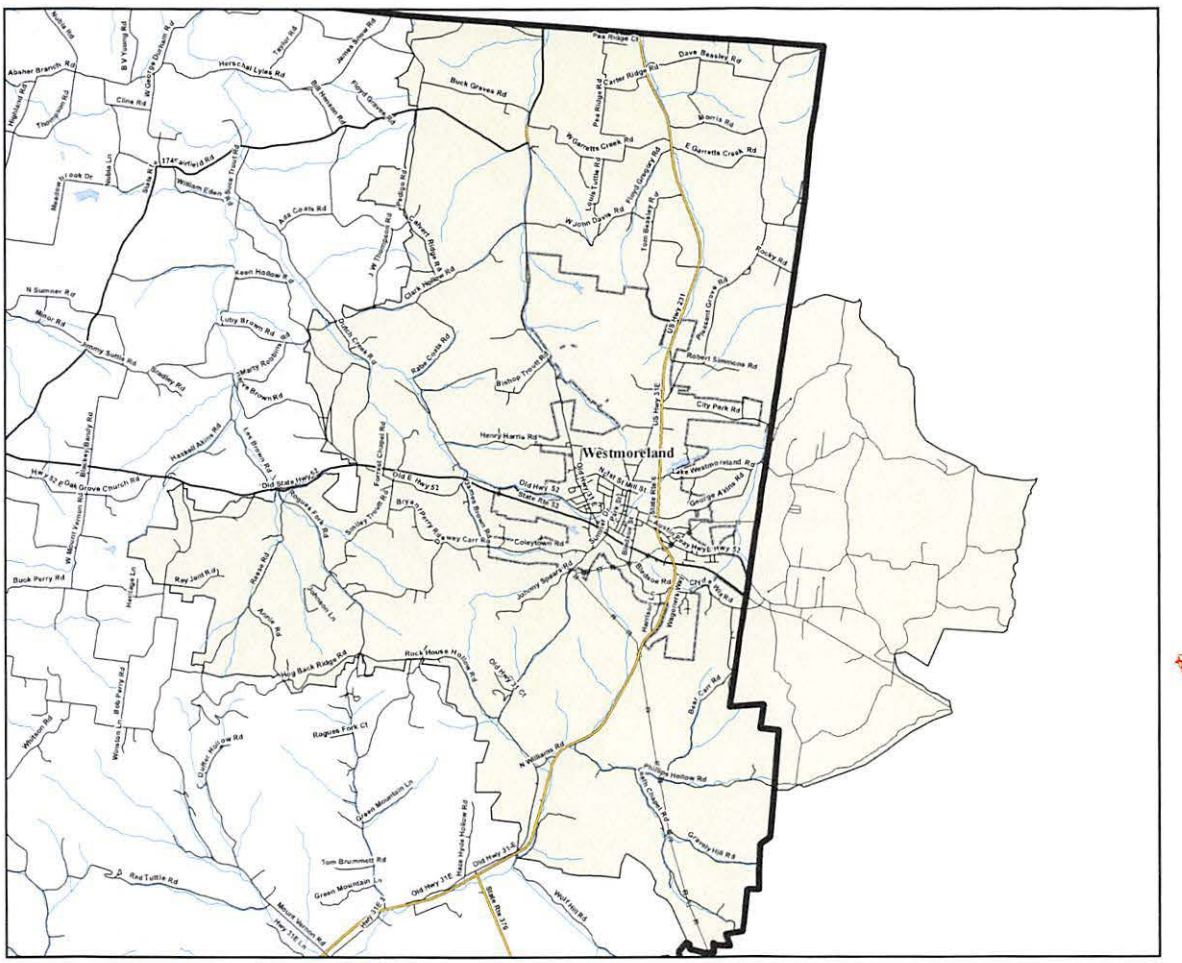

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WESTMORELAND
FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	5,861
TOTAL POPULATION 18	4,390
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	4,165

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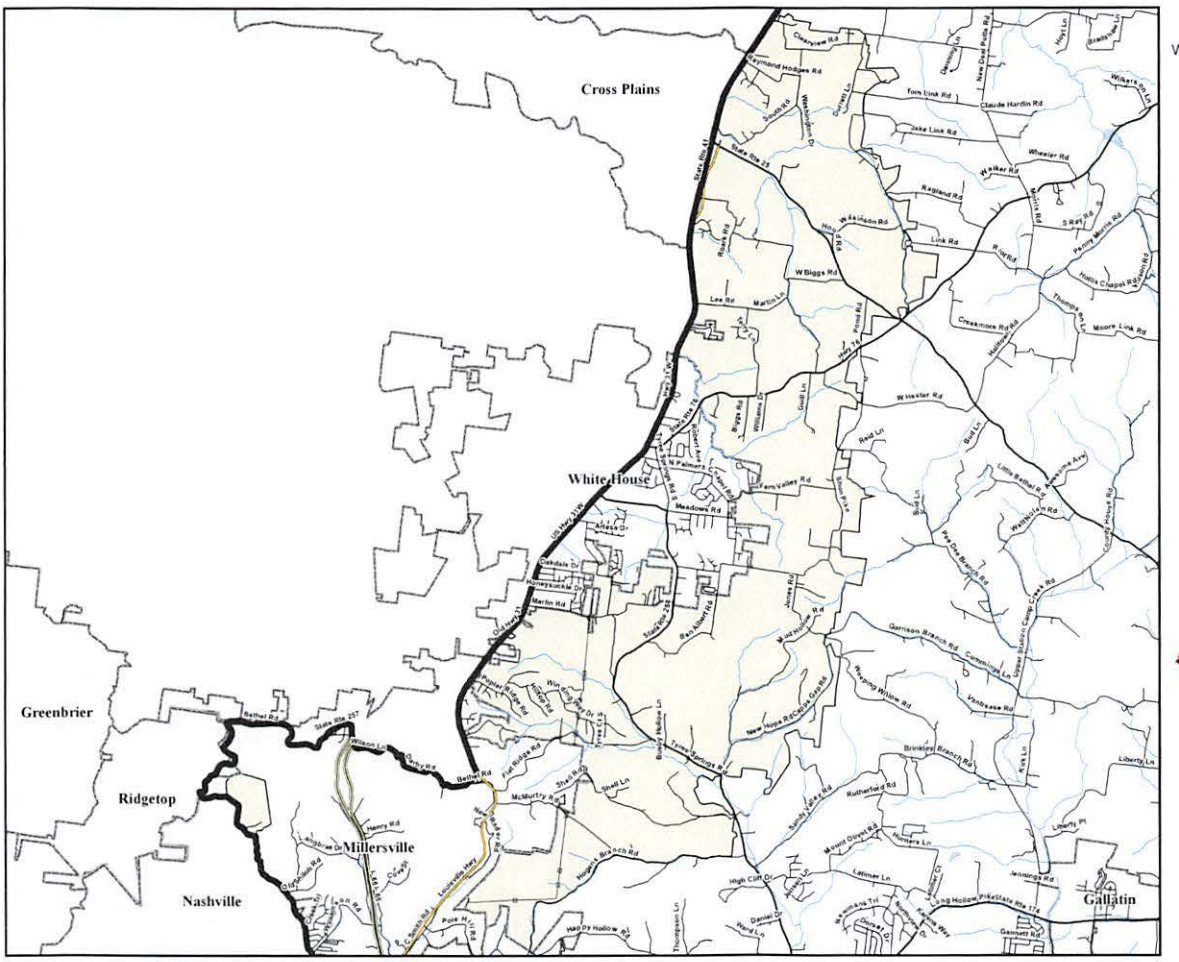

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WHITE HOUSE COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

TOTAL POPULATION	5,966
TOTAL POPULATION 18	4,611
NUMBER OF ADDRESSES	2,497

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