Boundary Change Criteria

State law_requires that the plan for redrawn Board Director boundaries be consistent with the following criteria:

- Each internal director, council, or commissioner district shall be as nearly equal in population.
- Each district shall be as compact as possible.
- Each district shall consist of geographically contiguous area.
- Population data may not be used for purposes of favoring or disfavoring any racial group or political party.
- To the extent feasible, the district boundaries shall coincide with existing recognized natural boundaries.
- To the extent possible, the district boundaries shall preserve existing communities of related and mutual interest.