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*Effective November 28, 2023, subsection 3(6) of the *Regulations Act* was replaced. (See subsection 3(5) of Chapter 54 of the Acts of 2022, *An Act to Amend Chapter 393 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Regulations Act*.)

N.S. Reg. 179/2026

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Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated July 30, 2026
made by the Nova Scotia Energy Board
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

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Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated August 4, 2026
made by the Nova Scotia Energy Board
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

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N.S. Reg. 181/2026

Made: August 4, 2026

Filed: August 4, 2026

Schedules of Fees and Allowances under Parts I and II of the Costs and Fees Act—amendment

Order in Council 2026-255 dated August 4, 2026
Amendment to regulations made by the Governor in Council
pursuant to subsection 2(1) of the *Costs and Fees Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Labour, Skills and Immigration and the Minister of Justice dated June 25, 2026, and pursuant to subsection 2(1) of Chapter 104 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Costs and Fees Act*, and upon notice of a fee increase having been presented

to the Clerk of the House of Assembly in accordance with Section 4 of Chapter 8 of the Acts of 2007, the *Fees Act*, is pleased to amend the schedules of fees and allowances under Parts I and II of the Act, incorporated into regulations in accordance with Section 15 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2004, the *Financial Measures (2004) Act*, to determine fees in respect of the Nova Scotia Nominee Program of the Department of Labour, Skills and Immigration, in the manner set forth in Schedule “A” attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation, effective on and after September 1, 2026.

Schedule “A”

**Amendment to the Schedules of Fees [and Allowances] under Parts I and II of the *Costs and Fees Act*
made by the Governor in Council under subsection 2(1) of
Chapter 104 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989,
the *Costs and Fees Act***

The schedules of fees and allowances under Parts I and II of the *Costs and Fees Act*, incorporated into regulations in accordance with Section 15 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2004, the *Financial Measures (2004) Act*, are amended by adding the following heading and items immediately before the heading “Fees to be taken at the Department of Natural Resources” under the heading “1. Departments” of the Schedule of Fees and Allowances under Part 1 of the Act:

Fees to be taken at the Department of Labour, Skills and Immigration

- (1) For application to an entrepreneur stream of the Nova Scotia Nominee Program. \$2000.00
- (2) For application to a worker stream of the Nova Scotia Nominee Program \$1000.00

N.S. Reg. 182/2026

Made: May 26, 2026

Approved: August 5, 2026

Filed: August 5, 2026

IWK Health Centre Corporate Bylaws—amendment

Order dated August 5, 2026

Amendment to regulations made by the IWK Health Centre
and approved by the Minister of Health and Wellness
pursuant to subsection 20(2) of the *Health Authorities Act*

**In the matter of subsection 20(2) of Chapter 32 of the Acts of 2014,
the *Health Authorities Act***

-and-

**In the matter of an amendment to the *IWK Health Centre Corporate Bylaws*
made by the Minister of Health and Wellness**

Order

I, Michelle Thompson, Minister of Health and Wellness for the Province of Nova Scotia, pursuant to subsection 20(2) of Chapter 32 of the Acts of 2014, the *Health Authorities Act*, hereby approve amendments made by the

IWK Health Centre to the *IWK Health Centre Corporate Bylaws*, N.S. Reg. 126/2016, made by order of the Minister of Health and Wellness dated June 21, 2016, in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule “A” effective on and after the date that this Order is made.

Dated and made at Halifax, Province of Nova Scotia, August 5, 2026.

sgd. *Brian Comer*

Minister Comer on behalf of Minister Thompson

Honourable Michelle Thompson

Minister of Health and Wellness

Schedule “A”

I certify that the IWK Health Centre, pursuant to Section 20 of Chapter 32 of the Acts of 2014, the *Health Authorities Act*, at its meeting on May 26, 2026, carried a motion to amend the *IWK Health Centre Corporate Bylaws*, N.S. Reg. 126/2016, made by the IWK Health Centre and approved by the Minister of Health and Wellness by order dated June 21, 2016, in the manner set forth in the attached, effective on and after the date they are approved by the Minister of Health and Wellness.

Signed at Halifax, Nova Scotia, on June 8, 2026.

IWK Health Centre Board of Directors

per: sgd. *Christopher Fowles*

name: Chris Fowles

title: Board Chair, IWK Board of Directors

**Amendment to the *IWK Health Centre Corporate Bylaws*
made by the IWK Health Centre under subsection 20(2)
of Chapter 32 of the Acts of 2014,
the *Health Authorities Act***

1 Subsection 4.3 of the *IWK Health Centre Corporate Bylaws*, N.S. Reg. 126/2016, made by Order of the Minister of Health and Wellness dated June 21, 2016, is amended by

(a) striking out “, Nominating and Human Resource” and substituting “and Risk”; and

(b) striking out “Ministry” and substituting “Departments”.

2 Subsection 12.1 of the bylaws is repealed and the following subsection substituted:

12.1 At the annual meeting of the Health Centre or the first regular meeting of the Board following the annual meeting of the Health Centre, the Board shall appoint the following standing committees:

12.1.1 Finance and Audit Committee. The Finance and Audit Committee shall assist the Board by reviewing financial statements, processes for presenting financial information, internal controls, audit processes, all financial compliance/regulatory reporting and such other activities set out in the *Health Authorities Act*. The mandate and related details regarding the committee are set out in the relevant terms of reference and shall be consistent with the Health Centre’s bylaws. Any changes to the terms of reference shall

require the approval of the Board;

- 12.1.2 Governance and Risk Committee. The Governance and Risk Committee shall assist the Board by ensuring good governance practices and risk-management processes are established and identifying and nominating persons to serve as directors. The mandate and related details regarding the committee are set out in the relevant terms of reference and shall be consistent with the Health Centre's bylaws. Any changes to the terms of reference shall require the approval of the Board;
- 12.1.3 Quality Committee. The Quality Committee shall assist the Board by maintaining and evaluating a quality-improvement and safety program, providing oversight to the human resource strategy and performance and such other activities set out in the *Health Authorities Act*. This Committee shall fulfill the requirements of the Hospital Standards Committee, as required pursuant to the *Hospital Insurance Regulations* enacted pursuant to the *Health Services and Insurance Act*, R.S.N.S. 1989, c. 197. The mandate and related details regarding the committee are set out in the relevant terms of reference and shall be consistent with the Health Centre's bylaws. Any changes to the terms of reference shall require the approval of the Board;
- 12.1.4 Infrastructure Committee. The Infrastructure Committee shall assist the Board by providing oversight to the management and development of the Health Centre's real property, capital equipment and physical infrastructure as well as the strategic aspects of information technology-based systems. The mandate and related details regarding the committee are set out in the relevant terms of reference and shall be consistent with the Health Centre's bylaws. Any changes to the terms of reference shall require approval of the Board;
- 12.1.5 Research Committee. The Research Committee shall assist the Board by providing oversight and advice on research strategy, assist in establishing and monitoring key performance indicators, providing feedback on the strengths and areas for development for IWK Research, receiving and approving external reviews of the research programs/centres housed and ensuring that policies and systemic processes are in place and working to assess and improve the scientific excellence at the IWK. The mandate and related details regarding the committee are set out in the relevant terms of reference and shall be consistent with the Health Centre's bylaws. Any changes to the terms of reference shall require approval of the Board;
- 12.1.6 Executive Committee. The Executive Committee shall provide support to the overall proceedings of the Board as well as to the President and CEO. The mandate and related details regarding the committee are set out in the relevant terms of reference and shall be consistent with the Health Centre's bylaws. Any changes to the terms of reference shall require approval of the Board;
- 12.1.7 such other standing committees as it may deem necessary for the proper governance of the Health Centre.

3 The bylaws are further amended by

- (a) striking out "his/her" wherever it appears and substituting "their";
- (b) striking out "his or her" wherever it appears and substituting "their"; and
- (c) striking out "him/herself" wherever it appears and substituting "themselves".

N.S. Reg. 183/2026

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Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated August 6, 2026
made by the Nova Scotia Energy Board
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

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N.S. Reg. 184/2026

Made: August 6, 2026

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Proclamation, S. 133(1), S.N.S. 2026, c. 3—S. 95 to 97 (re amendments to the *Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax Act*)

Order in Council 2026-258 dated August 6, 2026
Proclamation made by the Governor in Council
pursuant to subsection 133(1) of the
Financial Measures (2026) Act

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Finance and Treasury Board dated August 5, 2026, pursuant to subsection 133(1) of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, and subsection 3(7) of Chapter 235 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Interpretation Act*, is pleased to order and declare by proclamation that Sections 95 to 97 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, do come into force on and not before August 6, 2026.

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Canada
Province of Nova Scotia

Charles the Third, by the Grace of God King of Canada and His Other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth.

To all to whom these presents shall come, or whom the same may in any wise concern,

Greeting!

A Proclamation

Whereas in and by subsection 133(1) of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, it is enacted as follows:

- 133(1)** Clause 55(b), Sections 56, 57, 63, 65 to 70, 76 to 88 and 90 to 93, clause 94(b) and Sections 95 to 97, 102 and 104 come into force on such day as the Governor in Council orders and declares by proclamation.

And Whereas it is deemed expedient that Sections 95 to 97 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, do come into force on and not before August 6, 2026;

Now Know Ye That We, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of Nova Scotia, do by this Our Proclamation order and declare that Sections 95 to 97 of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 2026, the *Financial Measures (2026) Act*, do come into force on and not before August 6, 2026, of which all persons concerned are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

In Testimony Whereof We have caused these our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Nova Scotia to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Our Trusty and Well Beloved, Michael John Savage, Chancellor of Our Order of Nova Scotia, Lieutenant Governor in and of Our Province of Nova Scotia.

Given at Our Government House in the Halifax Regional Municipality, this 6th day of August in the year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty-six and in the Fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command:

**PROVINCIAL SECRETARY
ATTORNEY GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE**

N.S. Reg. 185/2026

Made: August 6, 2026

Filed: August 6, 2026

Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax Regulations—replacement

Order in Council 2026-259 dated August 6, 2026
Repeal of regulations and regulations made by the Governor in Council
pursuant to Section 27 of the *Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Finance and Treasury Board dated August 5, 2026, and pursuant to Section 27 of the Schedule to Chapter 4 of the Acts of 2022, the *Non-resident Deed Transfer [Tax] Act*, is pleased, effective on and after August 6, 2026, to

- (a) repeal the *Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 41/2023, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2023-48 dated February 21, 2023; and
- (b) make new regulations to support the effective administration of the non-resident deed transfer tax, in the form set forth in Schedule “A” attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation.

Schedule “A”

**Regulations Respecting Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax
made by the Governor in Council under Section 27
of the Schedule to Chapter 4 of the Acts of 2022,
the *Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax Act***

Citation

1 These regulations may be cited as the *Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax Regulations*.

Definitions

2 In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Non-resident Deed Transfer Tax Act*;

“Nova Scotia health card” means a health card issued by the Province to individuals insured under the *Health Services and Insurance Act*;

“parcel” means a parcel as defined in the *Land Registration Act*;

“transfer” means a transfer of residential property by deed or instrument.

Proof of residency in Province

3 A person may prove they are a resident of the Province by providing the following to the Administrator:

- (a) a Nova Scotia health card; or
- (b) both
 - (i) a Nova Scotia driver’s licence or an identification card issued by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles for identification purposes and bearing a photograph of the individual, and
 - (ii) another form of proof of residence that is acceptable to the Administrator.

Exemption for grantee who will become resident within 1 year

- 4** (1) A transfer to an individual grantee is exempt from the tax if the individual intends to become a resident of the Province within 1 year of the date the property is transferred and files an affidavit with the Administrator to that effect.
- (2) A grantee who claims an exemption from the tax under this Section must provide all of the following to the Administrator:
- (a) proof that they are a resident of the Province, no later than 1 year after the date the residential property is transferred to the grantee;
 - (b) their social insurance number, if required by the Administrator to verify the grantee’s residence status.
- (3) If proof is not provided under subsection (2) within the time required by that subsection, the Administrator
- (a) must assess the grantee for the tax and interest calculated in accordance with these

- regulations; and
- (b) may assess a penalty in accordance with these regulations.
- (4) A grantee who claims an exemption from the tax under this Section but will no longer become a resident of the Province within 1 year of the date the property was transferred
- (a) must notify the Administrator by filing the required form; and
- (b) may request an extension of the time period for a maximum of 1 additional year based on extenuating circumstances that have occurred since the time of the transfer, including any of the following:
- (i) illness of the grantee,
- (ii) death or illness of an immediate family member of the grantee,
- (iii) fire, flood or natural disaster,
- (iv) the grantee's employment transfer being delayed.
- (5) On receiving a request under clause (4)(b), the Administrator may, in the Administrator's sole discretion, do any of the following:
- (a) request additional information or documentation to support the request;
- (b) grant the extension, taking into account any extenuating circumstances that have been demonstrated by the grantee in their request;
- (c) deny the request.
- (6) A decision under clause (5)(c) may be appealed by the grantee to the Minister in accordance with Section 23 of the Act.

Exemptions for spousal transfers

5 A transfer between any of the following is exempt from the tax:

- (a) spouses or common law partners;
- (b) former spouses or common law partners, if the transfer is for the purpose of division of marital or jointly held assets.

Exemptions for transfers to trusts

6 A transfer made to or from a trust in any of the following ways is exempt from the tax:

- (a) from an individual to a trust of which the individual is the sole beneficiary, if the trust is 1 of the following:
- (i) an alter ego trust as defined in subsection 248(1) of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada),
- (ii) a trust with similar requirements to a trust in subclause (i) for an individual who is a non-resident of Canada;

- (b) from an individual to a trust if the individual and their spouse or common-law partner are the only beneficiaries, if the trust is 1 of the following:
 - (i) a joint spousal or common-law partner trust as defined in subsection 248(1) of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada),
 - (ii) a trust having similar requirements to a trust in subclause (i) for an individual who is a non-resident of Canada;
- (c) to or from a trust if there is no change in beneficial ownership of the residential property.

Exemption for transfers from deceased grantor or their estate

7 A transfer involving a deceased grantor or their estate that is made in any of the following ways is exempt from the tax:

- (a) from an executor to a beneficiary under a will, including to a spousal trust;
- (b) from an administrator of an estate to a person entitled to the estate under the *Intestate Succession Act* or the intestacy laws of another jurisdiction;
- (c) to the grantor's child, grandchild, parent or sibling, if the deed is registered after the grantor's death.

Exemption for transfers to and from foreclosing mortgagees

8 A transfer involving a foreclosing mortgagee that is made in any of the following ways is exempt from the tax:

- (a) to a foreclosing mortgagee;
- (b) from a foreclosing mortgagee to a mortgage insurer.

Exemptions for corrections to deed

9 A deed that meets all of the following is exempt from the tax:

- (a) it only confirms, corrects, modifies or supplements a deed previously given;
- (b) there is no consideration for the transfer beyond 1 dollar;
- (c) it does not include more residential property than the deed previously given.

Exemptions in other situations

- 10 (1)** A transfer to His Majesty the King in right of Canada or an agency of or corporation owned by His Majesty the King in right of Canada is exempt from the tax.
- (2)** A transfer pursuant to an agreement of purchase and sale entered into before April 1, 2022, is exempt from the tax.
- (3)** A transfer to a registered charity is exempt from the tax if the residential property is not to be used for any commercial, industrial or other business purpose and an officer of the grantee makes and files a declaration with the Administrator to that effect.

Application for refund of deed transfer tax

11 (1) An application may be made to the Administrator for a refund of the tax in any of the following

circumstances:

- (a) for a person,
 - (i) extraordinary circumstances, [or]
 - (ii) the tax or a portion of the tax was paid in error;
 - (b) for an individual, they paid the tax in respect of a residential property and became a resident of the Province within 1 year of the date they acquired the property.
- (2) An individual who applies for a refund of the tax under subsection (1)(b) must provide the following to the Administrator:
- (a) proof that they are a resident of the Province;
 - (b) their social insurance number, if required by the Administrator to verify the grantee's residence status.
- (3) An application for a refund under this Section must be made no later than 2 years after the date the person acquired the residential property.
- (4) If the Administrator is satisfied that the applicant meets the conditions in subsection (1), the Administrator must refund the tax or a portion of the tax.

Refund after appeal

- 12 The Administrator must refund the tax or a portion of the tax in accordance with any decision of the Minister to change an assessment or determination regarding the applicability of the tax as a result of an appeal made under the Act.

Issue of refund by Administrator

- 13 A refund of tax required under these regulations must be issued by the Administrator to the following:
- (a) the grantee or grantees in accordance with their ownership interest in the property;
 - (b) the designated grantee, if the grantees have consented to a designated grantee to represent all grantees in a transaction;
 - (c) the legal representative, if the grantees have consented to the payment of the refund being made to their legal representative.

Prorating tax

- 14 (1) If only a portion of a parcel is being transferred, the applicable tax rate in Section 4 of the Act is applied to the greater of the following:
- (a) the sale price;
 - (b) the assessed value attributable to the portion of the parcel being transferred, as determined under subsection (2).
- (2) The assessed value attributable to a portion of a parcel referred to in subsection (1) is determined by 1 of the following methods:

- (a) by prorating the assessed value of the parcel on the basis of the percentage of the total area of the parcel transferred;
- (b) if the amount determined under clause (a) does not reasonably reflect the assessed value attributable to the portion of the parcel being transferred, the amount determined by the following formula:

$$AV_{\text{portion}} = AV_{\text{total}} \times (FMV_{\text{portion}} \div FMV_{\text{total}})$$

in which

AV_{portion} = the assessed value attributable to the portion of the parcel being transferred

AV_{total} = the assessed value of the entire parcel

FMV_{portion} = the appraised fair market value of the portion of the parcel being transferred

FMV_{total} = the appraised fair market value of the entire parcel

- (3) If the Administrator determines that tax remitted for a portion of a parcel under this Section should have been calculated under the alternate method set out in clause (2)(a) or (b) for a more reasonable reflection of the assessed value of the portion of the parcel being transferred, the Administrator may select the alternate method to determine the tax and issue an assessment for any difference.
- (4) The appraised fair market value referred to in clause (2)(b) must be calculated by a real estate appraiser registered under the *Real Estate Appraisers Act*.
- (5) The cost of an appraisal must be paid by the grantee.

Assessments

- 15** The Administrator must send any tax assessment the Administrator makes under the Act or these regulations to the grantee and the grantee must pay the assessed amounts by the due date shown on the tax assessment.

Interest on unpaid tax

- 16** (1) The rate of interest to be applied to unpaid tax is 1% of the unpaid amount per month until it is paid.
- (2) Interest charges are calculated starting on the date of the transfer that attracted the tax.
- (3) The Administrator may at any time waive all or part of any interest payable under the Act or these regulations.

Administrative penalties

- 17** (1) The penalty that may be assessed by the Administrator is as follows:
- (a) 20% of the tax; or
 - (b) 100% of the tax, if the grantee knowingly, or under circumstances amounting to gross negligence, made or participated in, assented to or acquiesced in the making of a false statement or an omission in any document filed or provided under the Act or these regulations.
- (2) The Administrator may waive all or part of any penalty that is or may be charged under the Act or these regulations.

Requirement to provide records

- 18 (1)** A person must provide the Administrator with all records that the Administrator requires and considers necessary to determine compliance with the Act or these regulations.
- (2)** In a written notice to the person, the Administrator may
- (a)** specify the form, manner and time in which the records referred to in subsection (1) must be provided; and
 - (b)** require the records to be provided in English or an English translation of the records that is verified in a manner satisfactory to the Administrator.

Use of information by Administrator

- 19** The Administrator may use any information collected under the Act and these regulations for the purpose of analyzing and reviewing the tax from a policy perspective.

N.S. Reg. 186/2026

Made: August 11, 2026

Filed: August 11, 2026

Polling District Order: Municipality of the County of Antigonish

Order dated August 11, 2026

made by the Nova Scotia Regulatory and Appeals Board
pursuant to Section 369 of the *Municipal Government Act***Order****M12644****Nova Scotia Regulatory and Appeals Board****In the matter of the *Municipal Government Act*****- and -**

In the matter of an application by the **Municipality of the County of Antigonish** to confirm the number of councillors and to alter the boundaries of polling districts

Before: Jennifer L. Nicholson, CPA, CA, Panel Chair
Bruce H. Fisher, MPA, CPA, Member

Order

The Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board (NSUARB) directed the Municipality of the County of Antigonish to file an application by December 31, 2025, about the number and boundaries of polling districts, subject to the Municipality completing a boundary review study and public consultation.

The Municipality filed its application on December 16, 2025, which was considered by the Nova Scotia Regulatory and Appeals Board (the NSUARB's successor) in a hearing on June 3, 2026, and its decision was issued on July 15, 2026.

The Board approves the application and orders that:

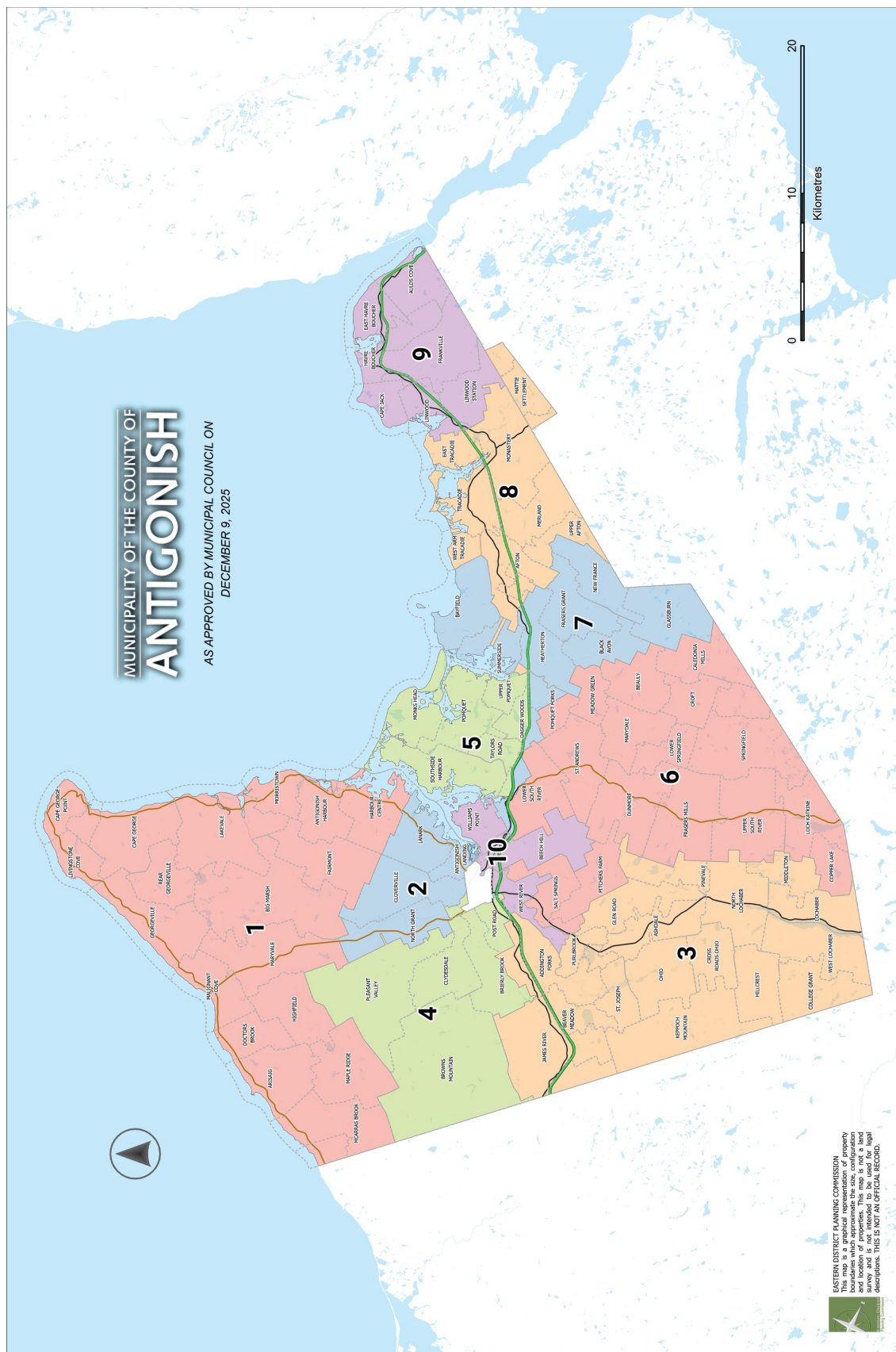
1. The number of polling districts for the Municipality is set at 10;
2. The number of councillors is set at 10;
3. The boundaries of the polling districts are approved as outlined on the digital maps attached to this Order; and
4. All provisions of the *Municipal Government Act* and the *Municipal Elections Act* and any other acts of the Province of Nova Scotia applying to the preparation for and holding of the regular election of councillors of the Municipality in the year 2028 will be complied with as if the above-noted changes had been made on the first day of March 2028, but for all other purposes, such changes shall take effect on the first day of the first meeting of the Council after the election of councillors for the year 2028.

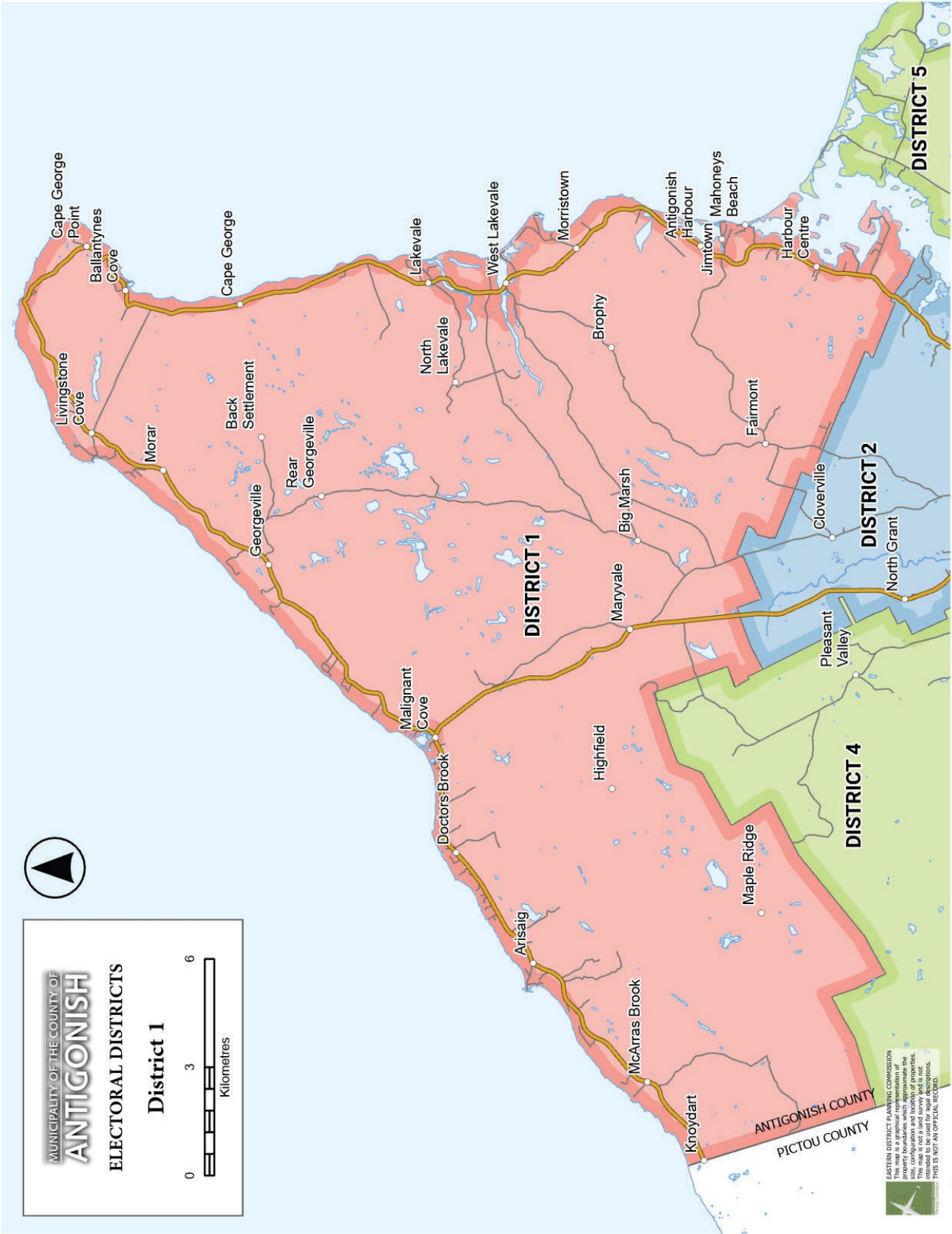
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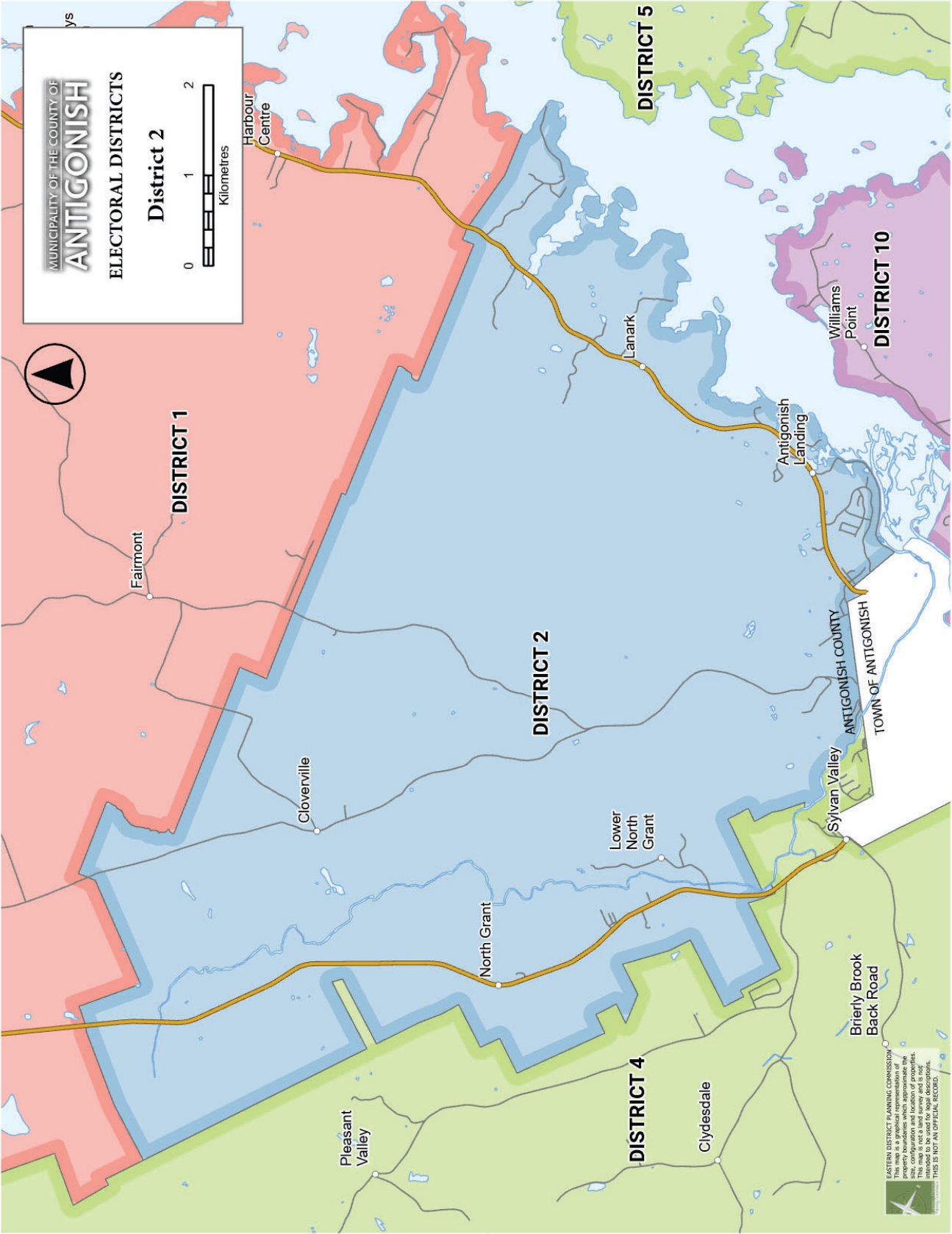
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Clerk of the Board

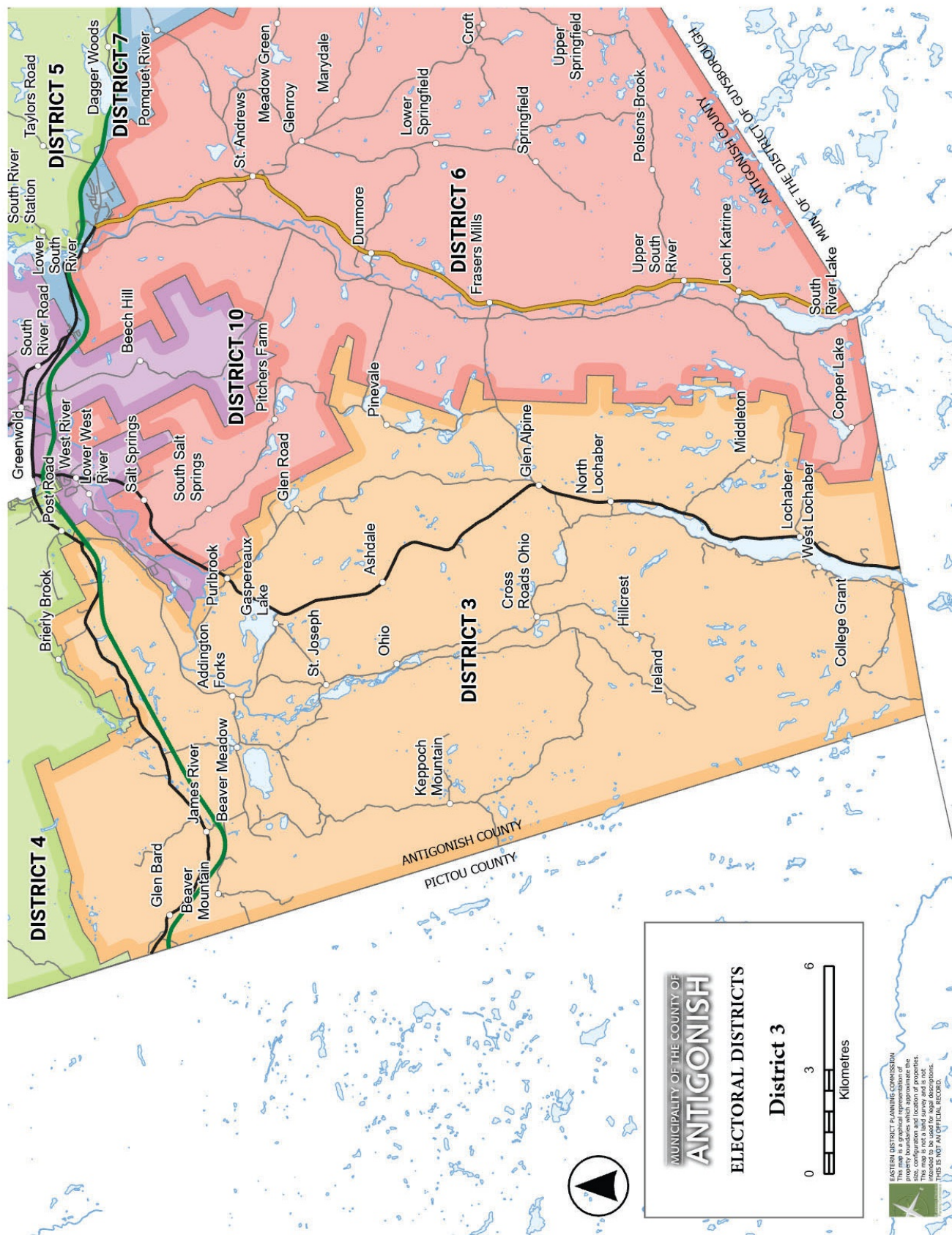
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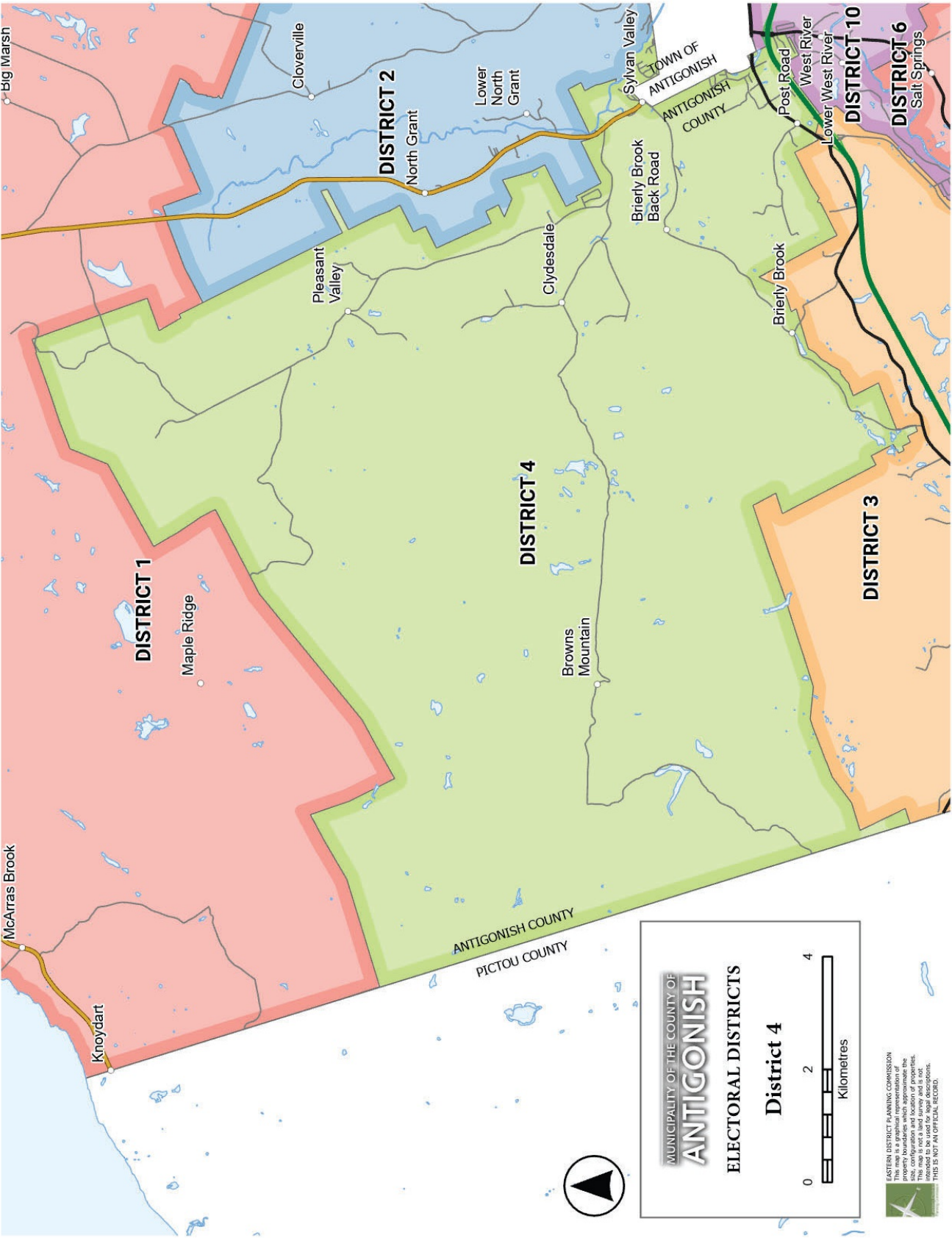
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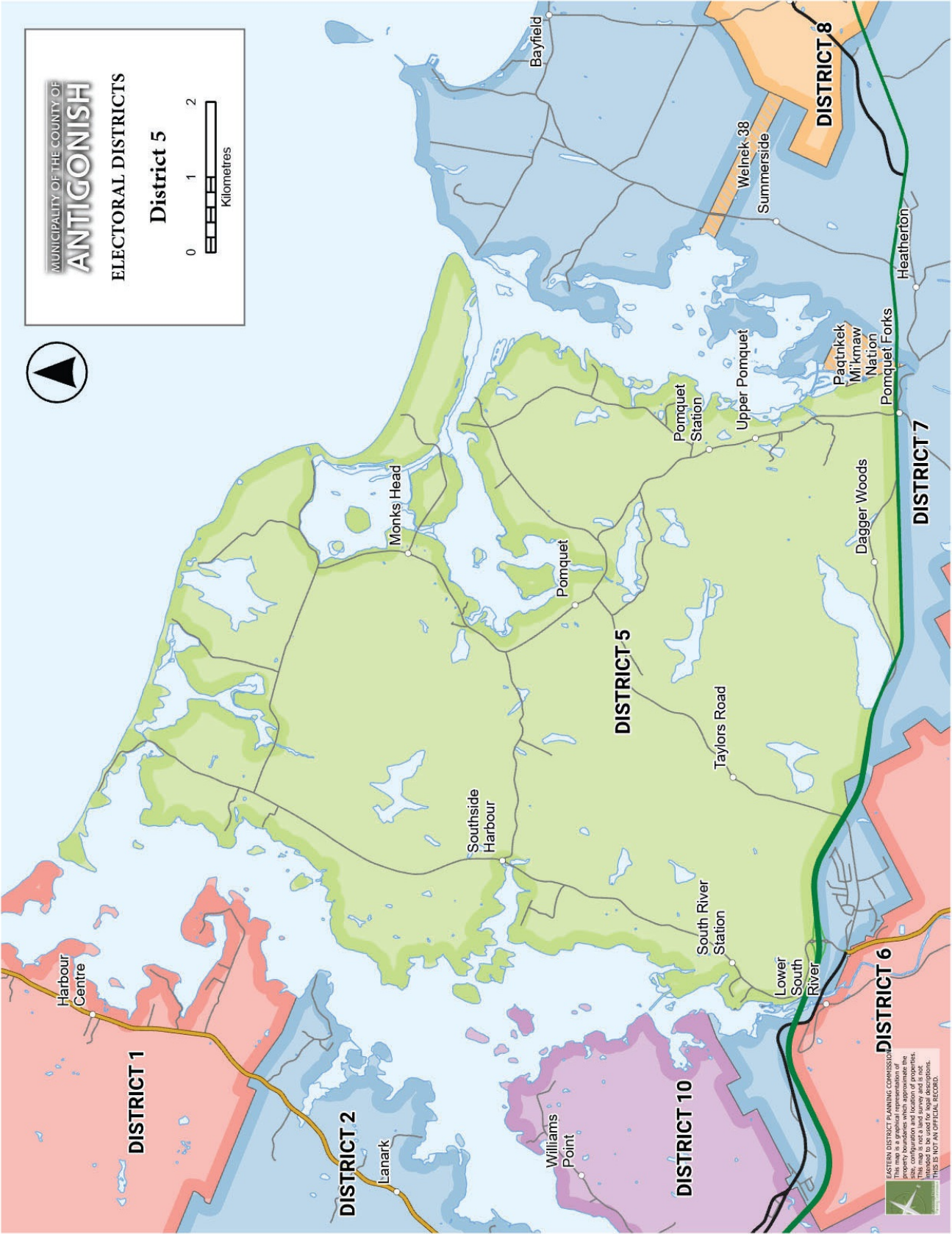


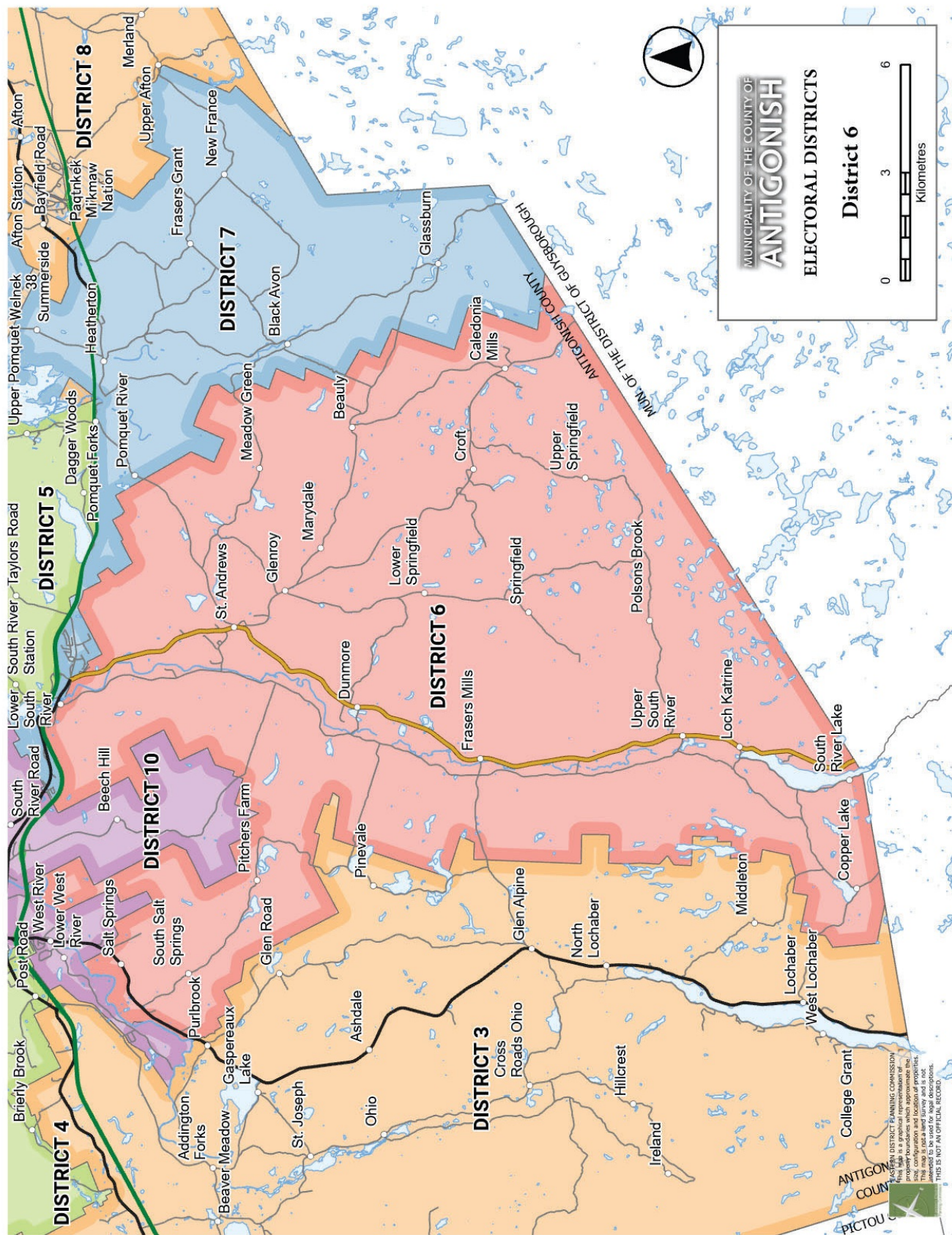


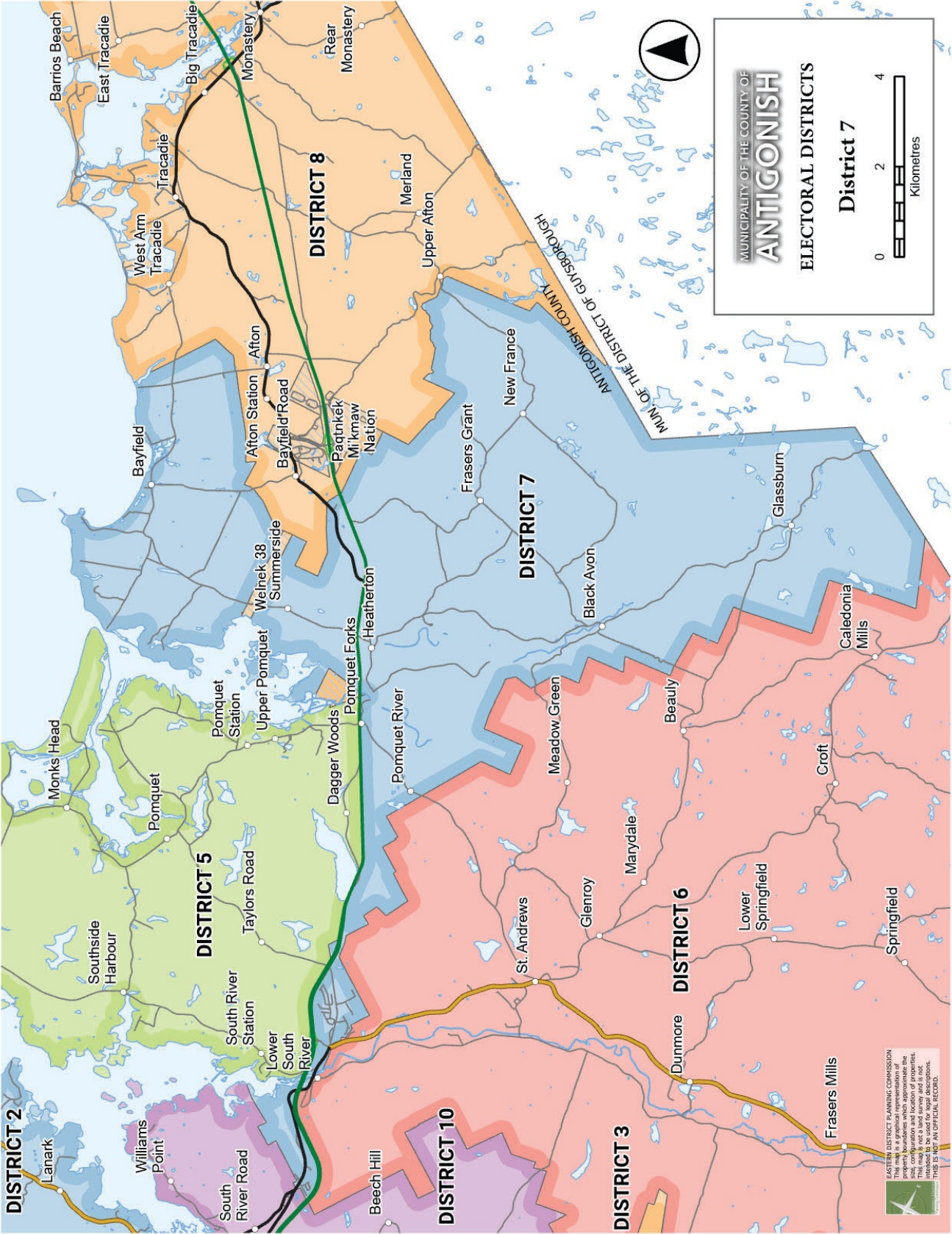


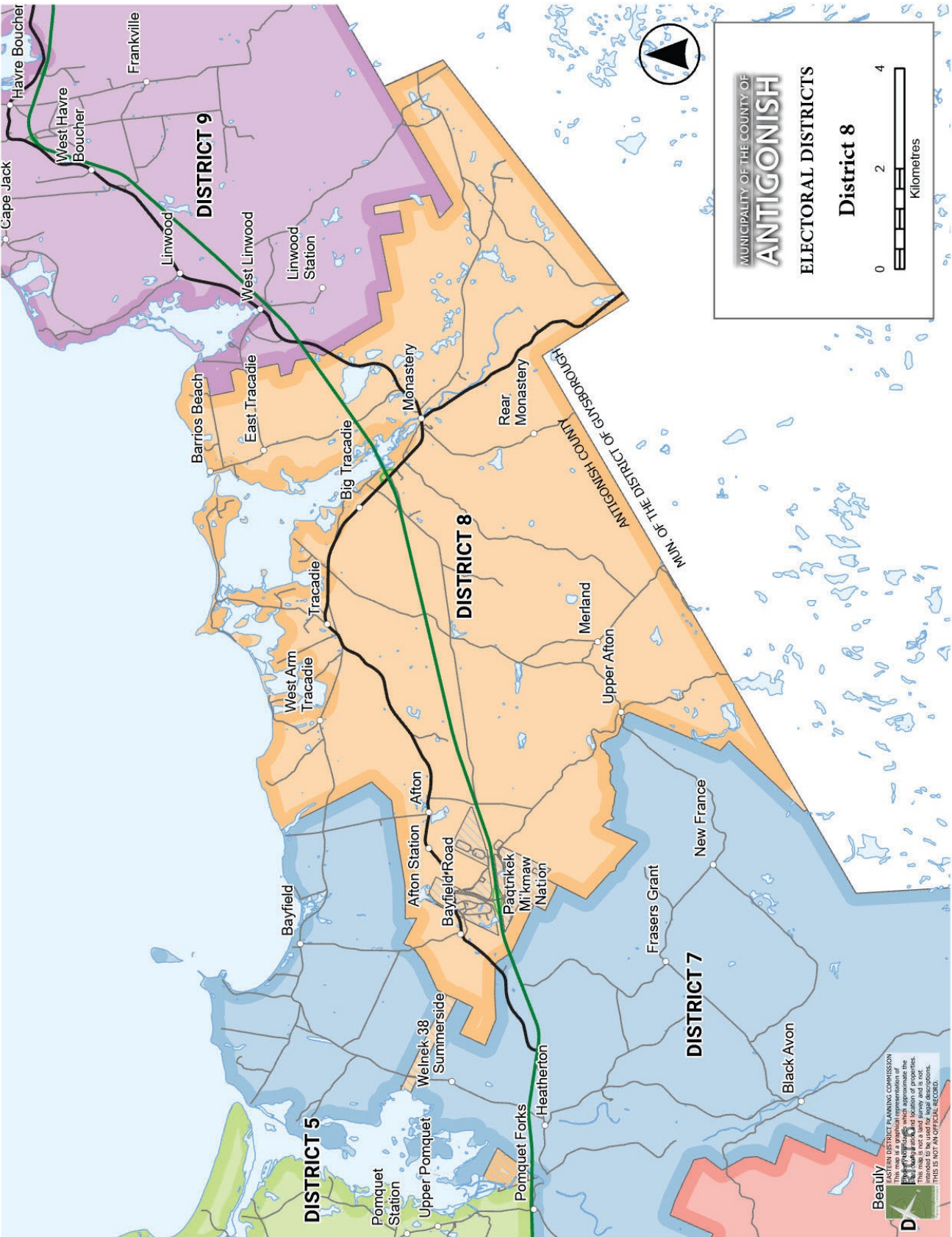


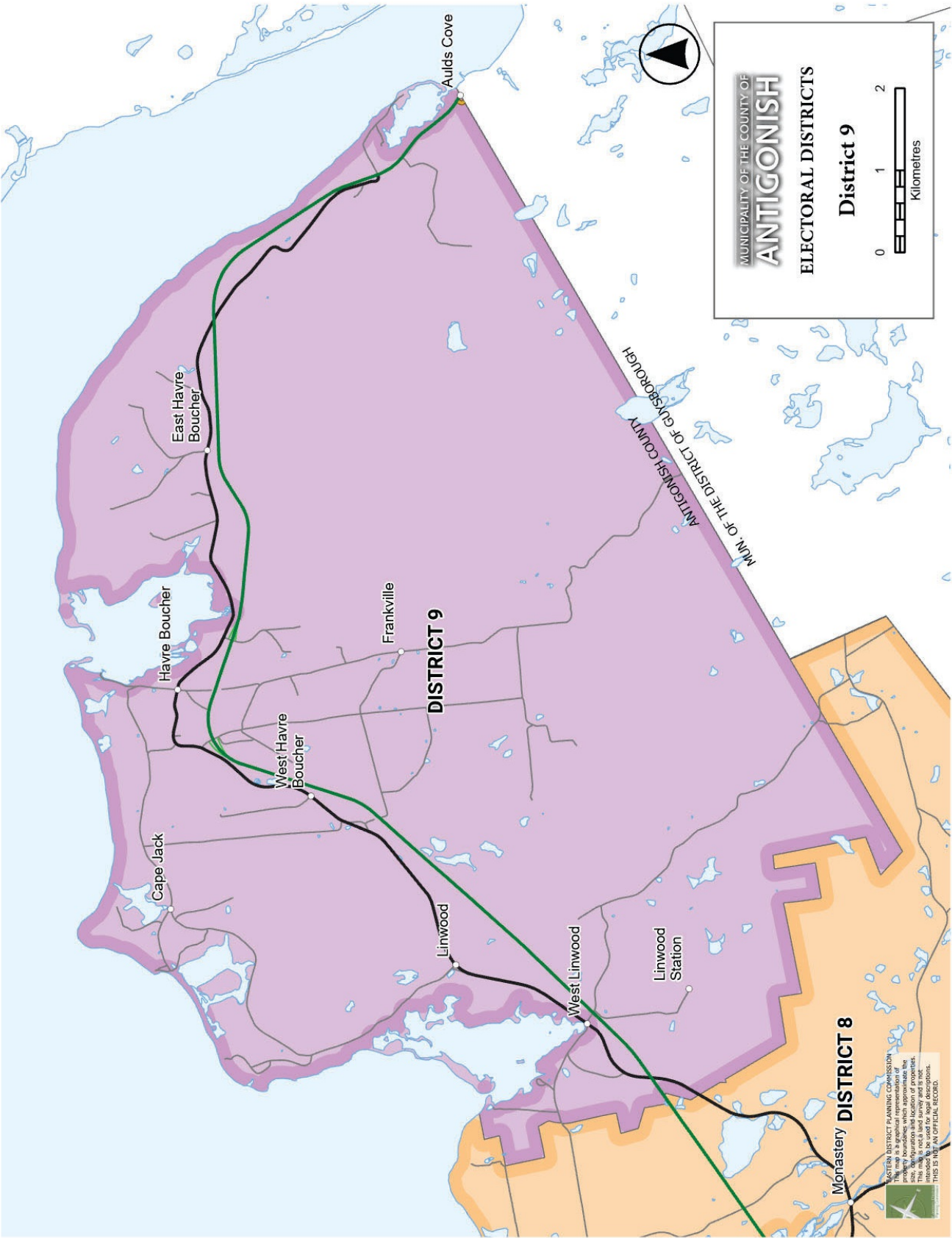


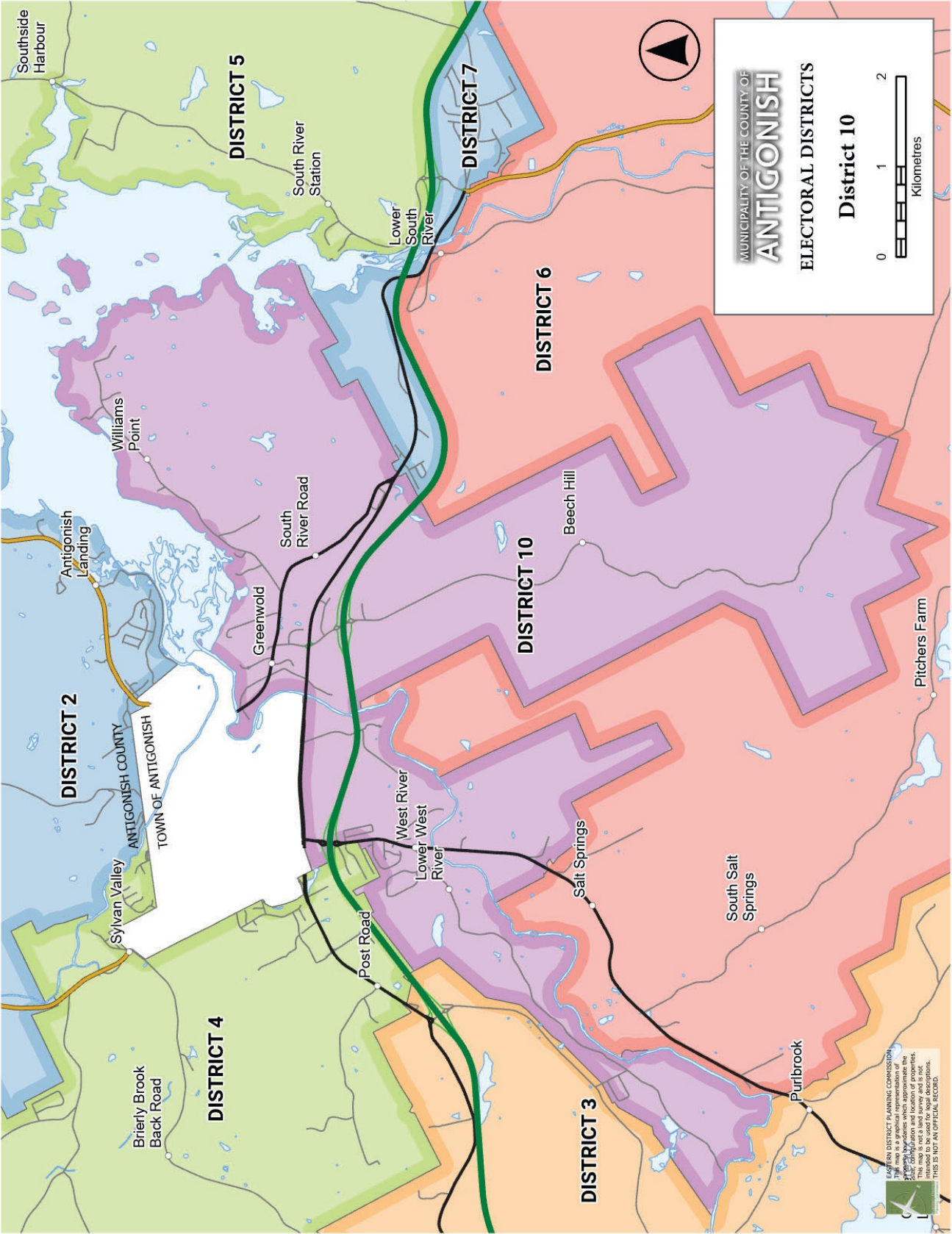












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