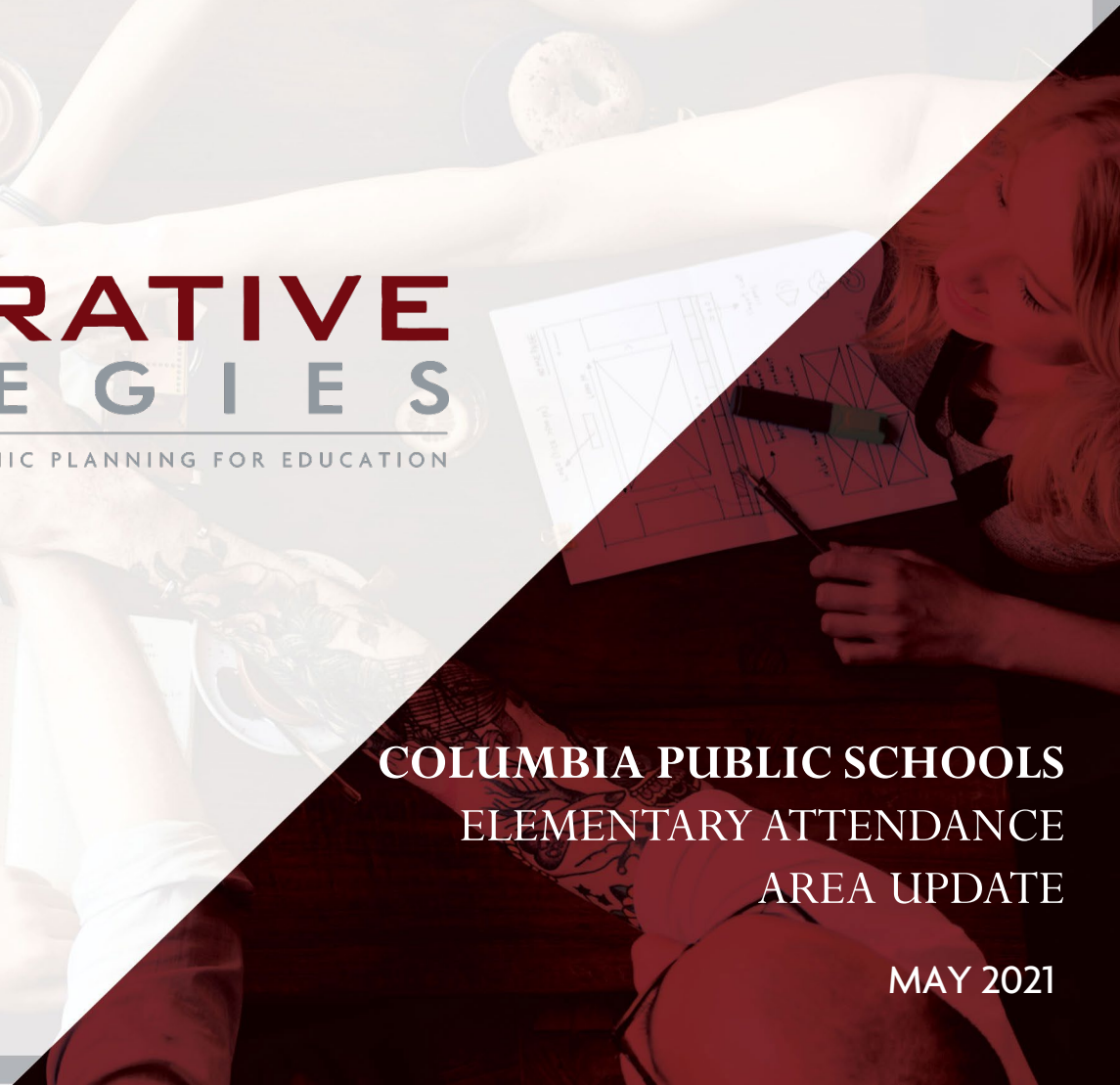
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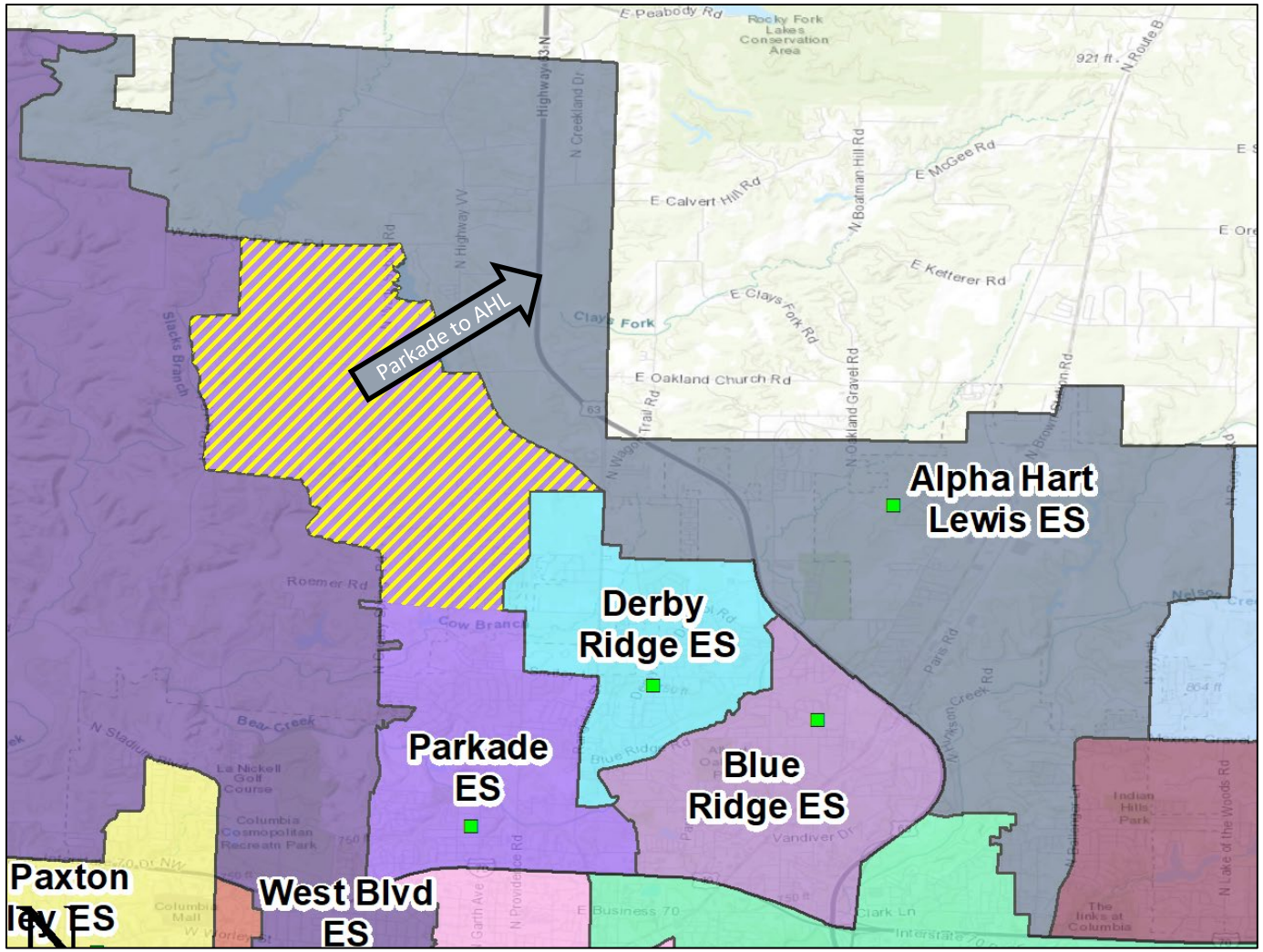
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ELEMENTARY ATTENDANCE AREA UPDATE

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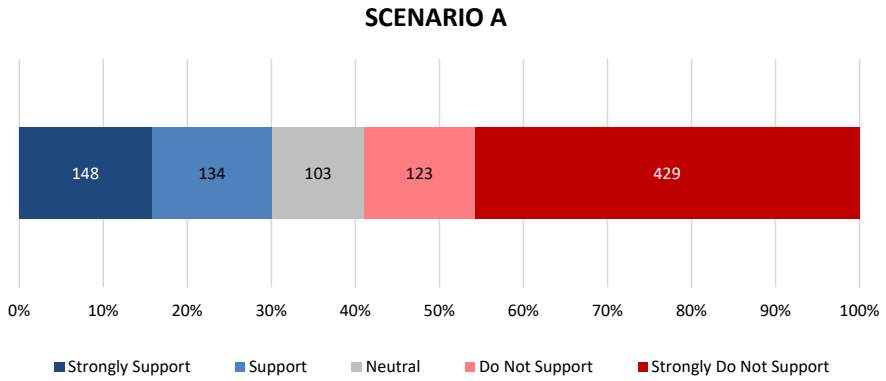
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RELIEF TO PARKADE



Feedback Summary:

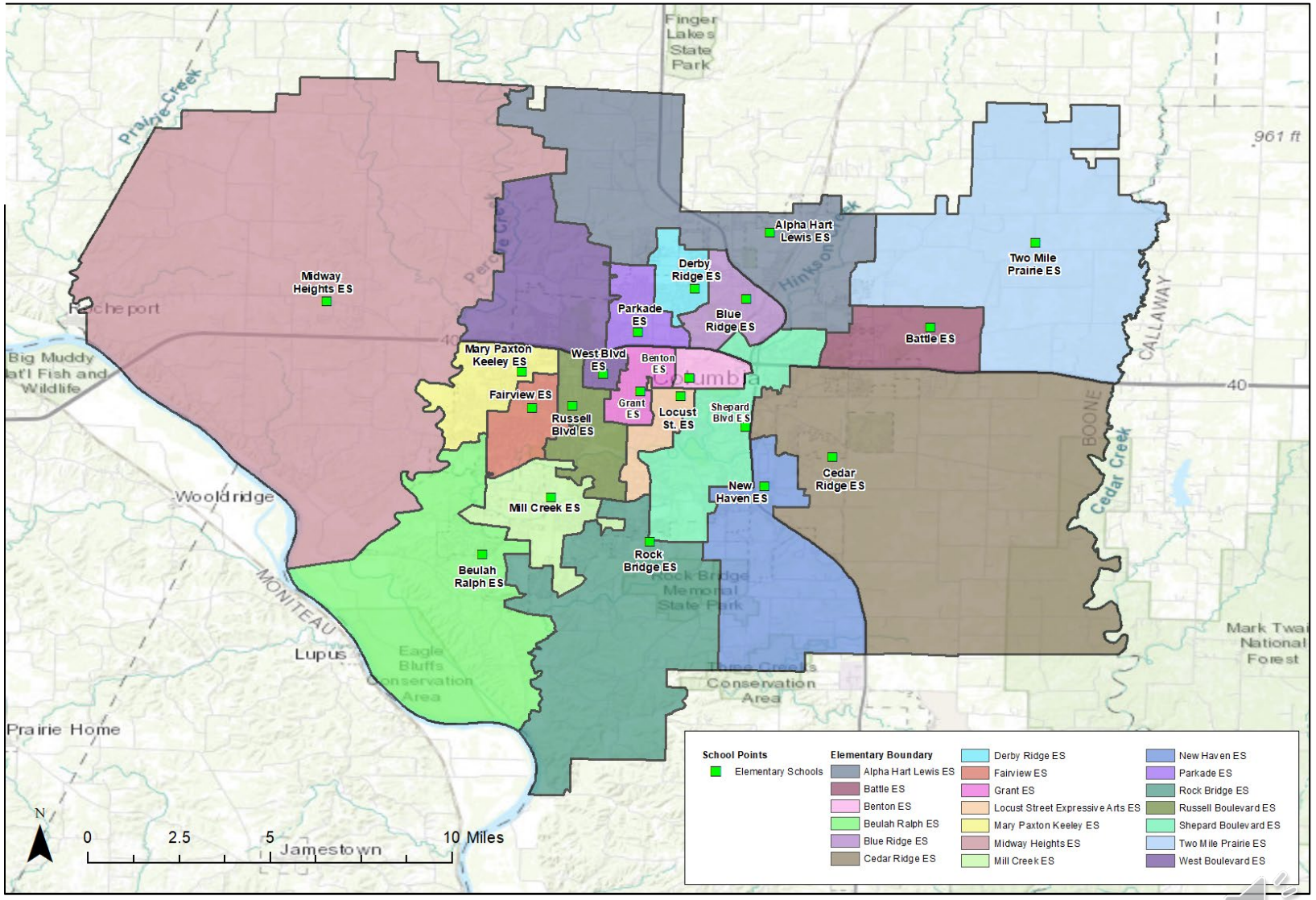
- Some respondents have said that this move makes sense, especially for those impacted on the northernmost portion of the current Parkade attendance area
- Some respondents would prefer to stay at Parkade Elementary
- Some appreciate the increase feeder % to West MS (currently only 4% of Alpha Hart Lewis ES students are slated to attend West MS)
- There is concern regarding the 96% utilization at Alpha Hart Lewis ES

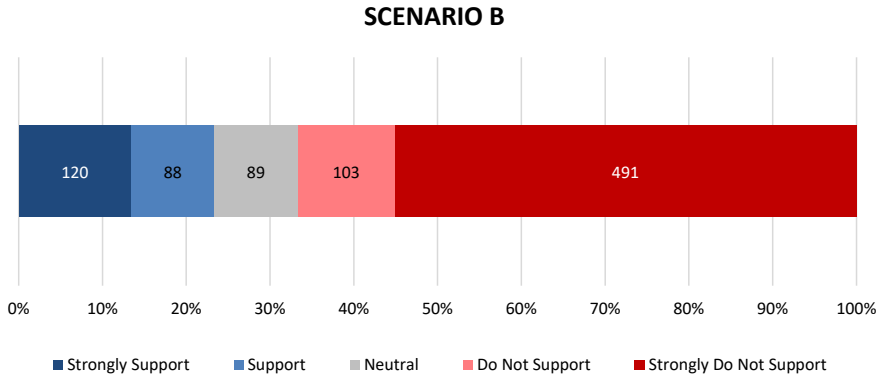


▶ SCENARIO A

PHASE III

SCENARIO A PHASE III				
School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	553	85%	59%
Battle ES	450	427	95%	55%
Benton ES	260	111	43%	72%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	536	82%	23%
Blue Ridge ES	500	432	86%	60%
Cedar Ridge ES	650	610	94%	40%
Derby Ridge ES	556	483	87%	62%
Fairview ES	550	495	90%	25%
Grant ES	375	352	94%	59%
Locust Street Expressive Arts ES	250	129	52%	55%
Mary Paxton Keeley ES	723	655	91%	23%
Midway Heights ES	295	255	86%	28%
Mill Creek ES	673	603	90%	21%
New Haven ES	293	267	91%	52%
Parkade ES	478	393	82%	49%
Rock Bridge ES	650	538	83%	21%
Russell Boulevard ES	650	546	84%	36%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	613	94%	60%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
West Boulevard ES	438	380	87%	46%
TOTAL	**9,938**	**8,545**	**86%**	**42%**

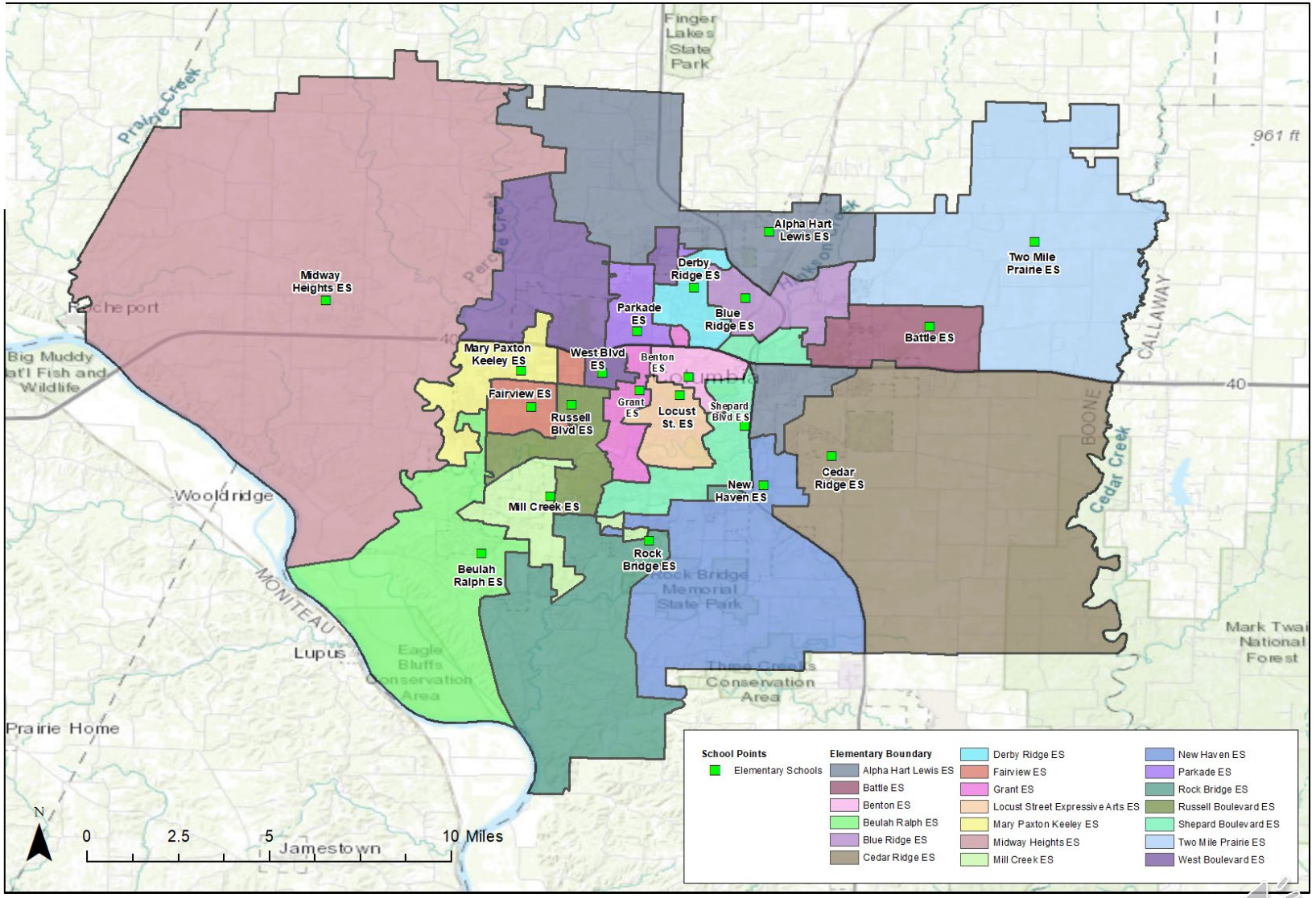


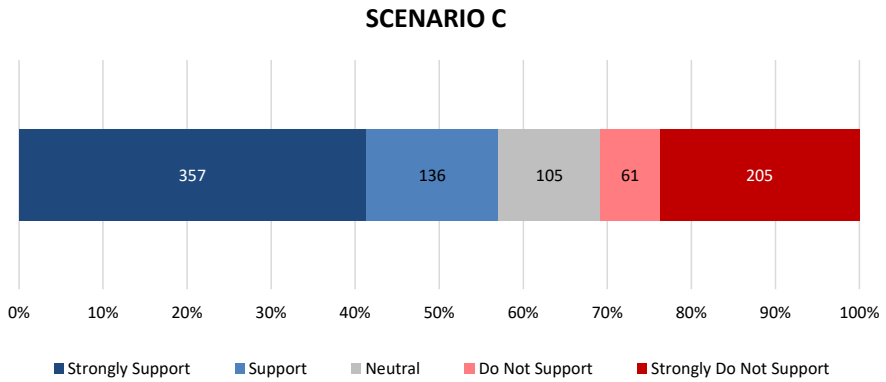


▶ SCENARIO B

PHASE III

SCENARIO B PHASE III				
School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	573	88%	59%
Battle ES	450	421	94%	55%
Benton ES	260	134	52%	67%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	584	90%	30%
Blue Ridge ES	500	444	89%	54%
Cedar Ridge ES	650	598	92%	44%
Derby Ridge ES	556	503	90%	59%
Fairview ES	550	513	93%	33%
Grant ES	375	355	95%	54%
Locust Street Expressive Arts ES	250	111	44%	59%
Mary Paxton Keeley ES	723	643	89%	25%
Midway Heights ES	295	255	86%	28%
Mill Creek ES	673	560	83%	30%
New Haven ES	293	265	90%	43%
Parkade ES	478	411	86%	51%
Rock Bridge ES	650	587	90%	18%
Russell Boulevard ES	650	534	82%	23%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	503	77%	49%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
West Boulevard ES	438	384	88%	61%
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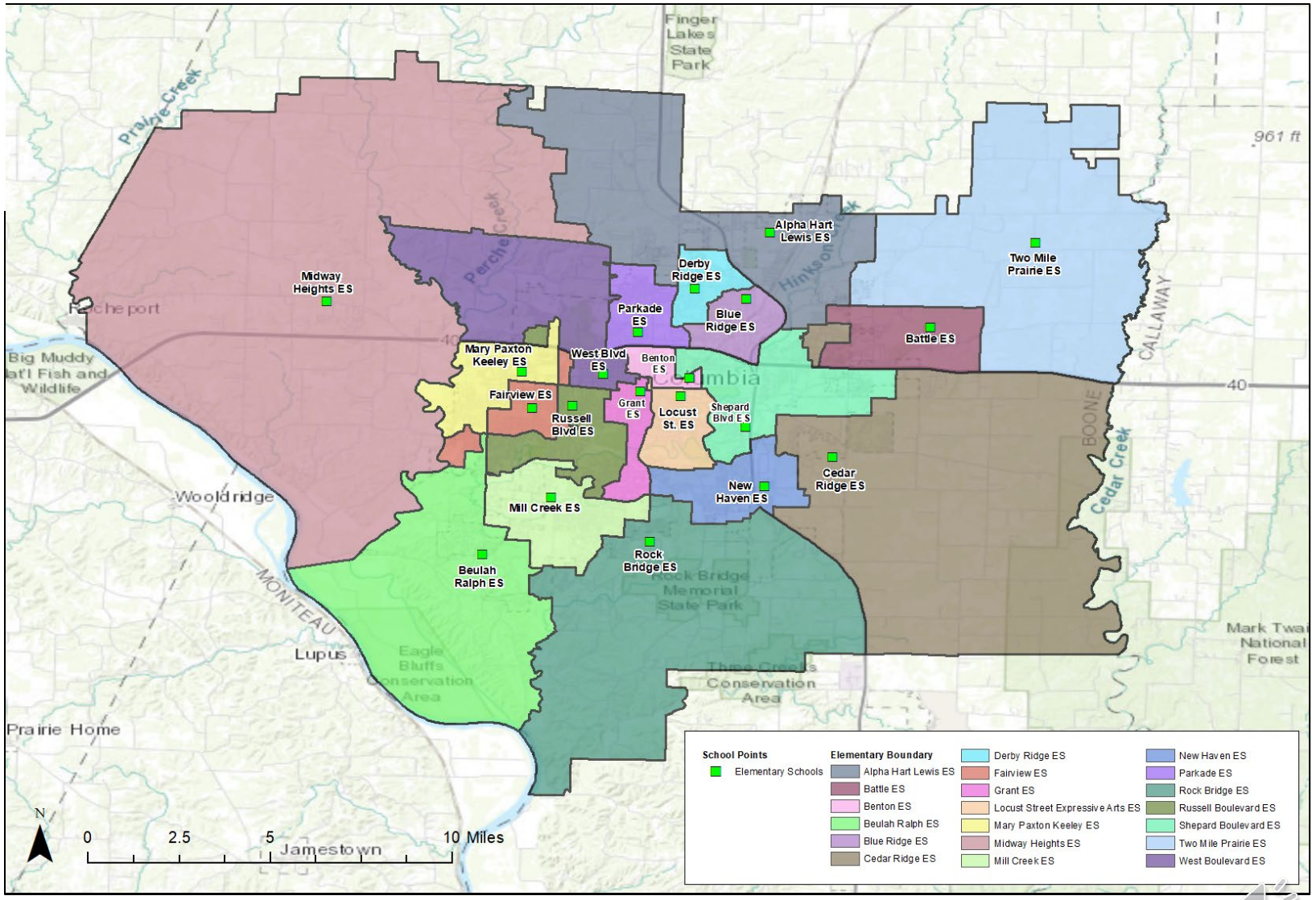


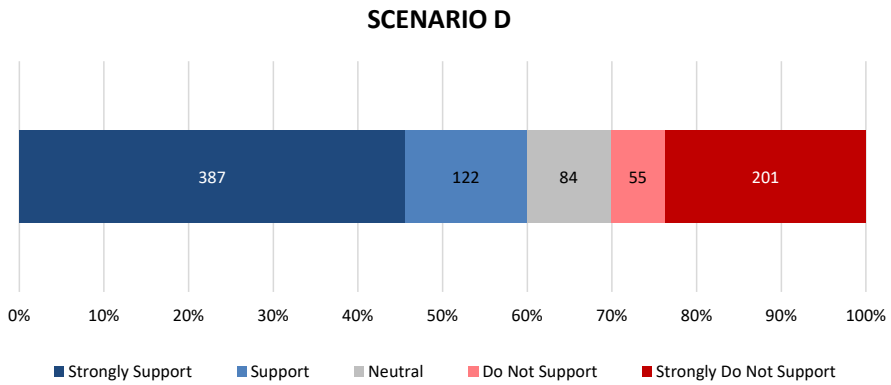


▶ SCENARIO C

PHASE III

SCENARIO C PHASE III				
School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	556	86%	61%
Battle ES	450	387	86%	51%
Benton ES	260	134	52%	81%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	582	90%	19%
Blue Ridge ES	500	414	83%	68%
Cedar Ridge ES	650	613	94%	50%
Derby Ridge ES	556	460	83%	60%
Fairview ES	550	512	93%	29%
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Locust Street Expressive Arts ES	250	97	39%	59%
Mary Paxton Keeley ES	723	640	89%	31%
Midway Heights ES	295	249	84%	29%
Mill Creek ES	673	619	92%	19%
New Haven ES	293	258	88%	55%
Parkade ES	478	440	92%	46%
Rock Bridge ES	650	554	85%	31%
Russell Boulevard ES	650	584	90%	25%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	560	86%	52%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
West Boulevard ES	438	383	87%	56%
TOTAL	**9,938**	**8,545**	**86%**	**42%**

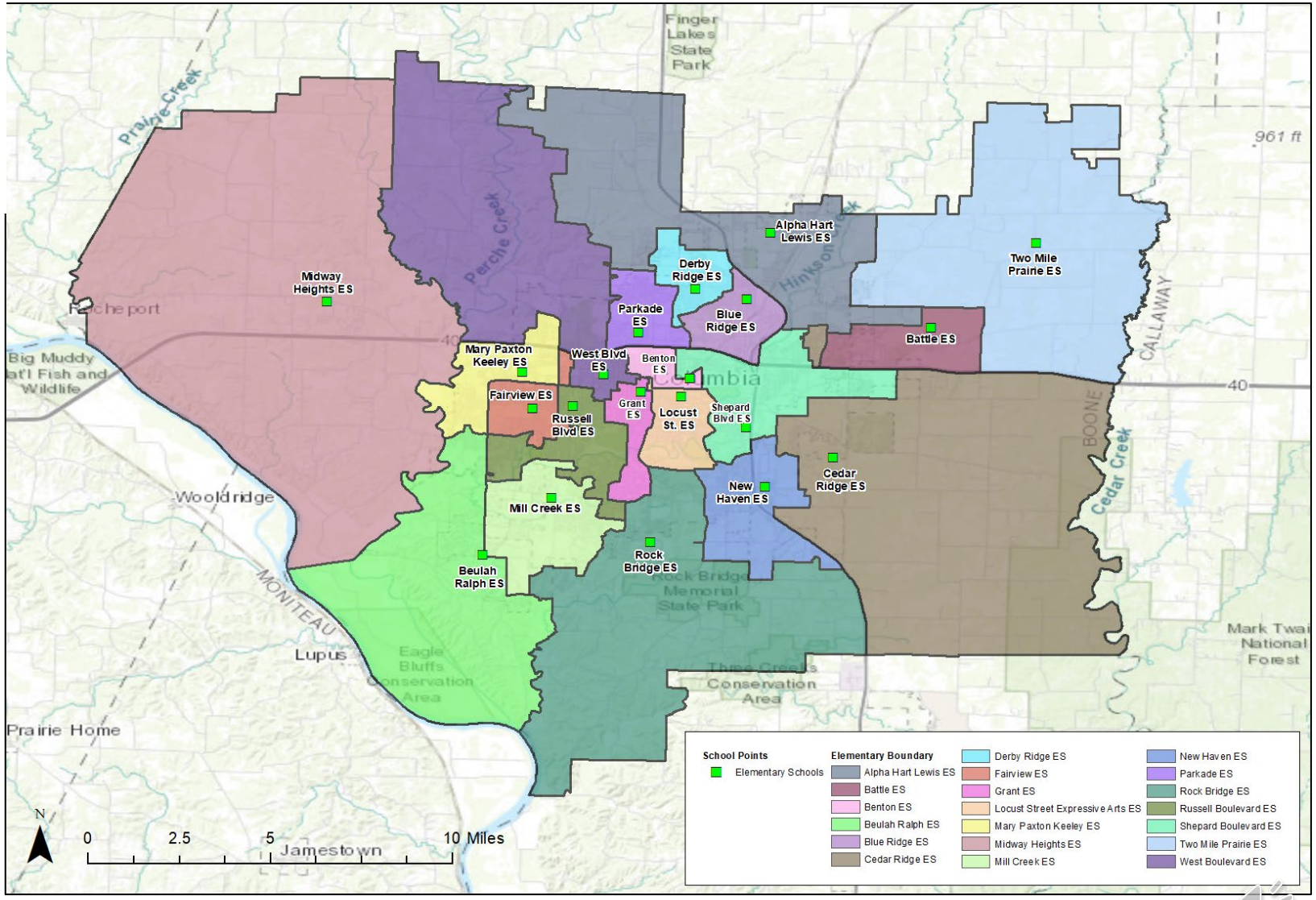




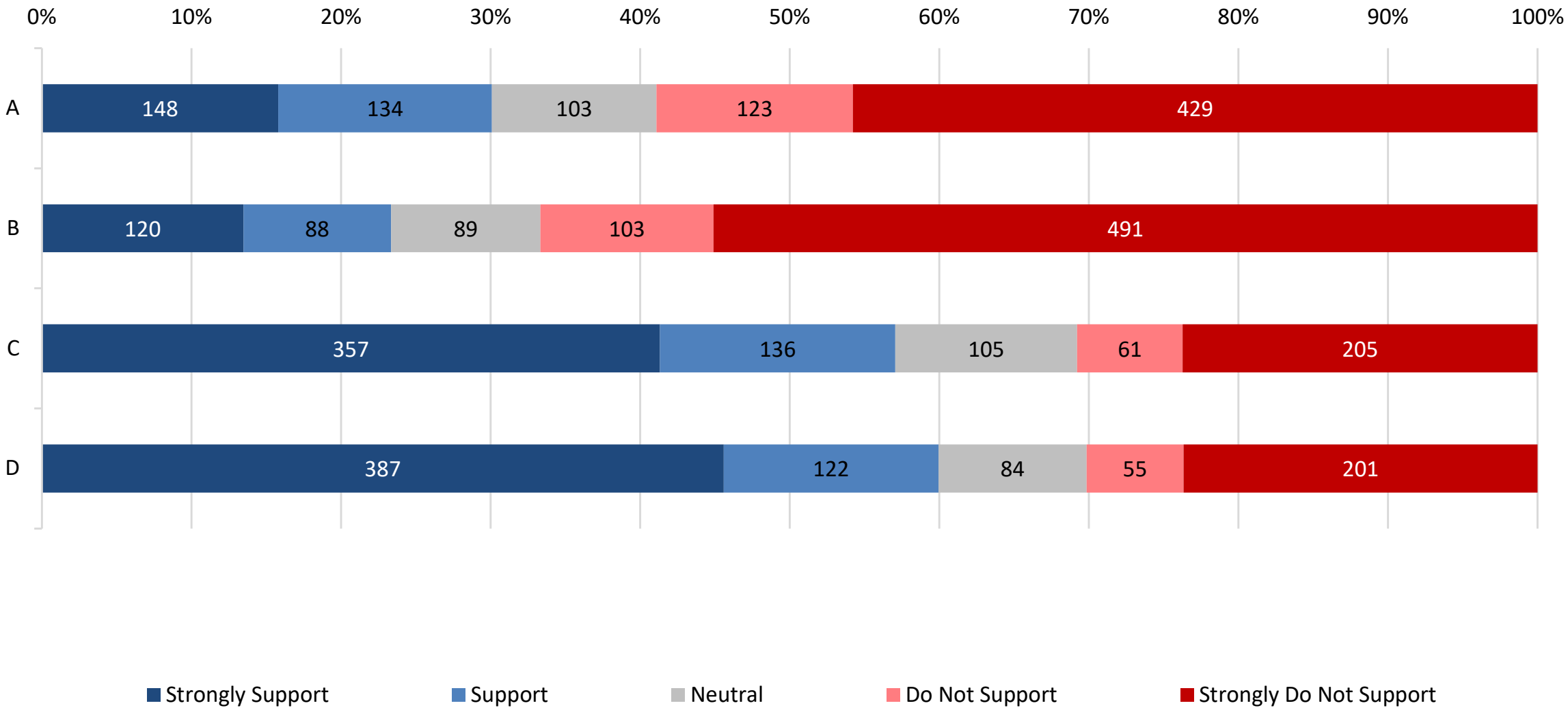
▶ SCENARIO D

PHASE III

SCENARIO D PHASE III				
School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	558	86%	58%
Battle ES	450	417	93%	56%
Benton ES	260	134	52%	81%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	601	92%	22%
Blue Ridge ES	500	462	92%	66%
Cedar Ridge ES	650	519	80%	46%
Derby Ridge ES	556	479	86%	62%
Fairview ES	550	506	92%	28%
Grant ES	375	333	89%	36%
Locust Street Expressive Arts ES	250	97	39%	59%
Mary Paxton Keeley ES	723	683	94%	32%
Midway Heights ES	295	227	77%	28%
Mill Creek ES	673	638	95%	15%
New Haven ES	293	268	91%	55%
Parkade ES	478	440	92%	46%
Rock Bridge ES	650	567	87%	30%
Russell Boulevard ES	650	551	85%	25%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	555	85%	52%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
West Boulevard ES	438	343	78%	60%
TOTAL	**9,938**	**8,545**	**86%**	**42%**



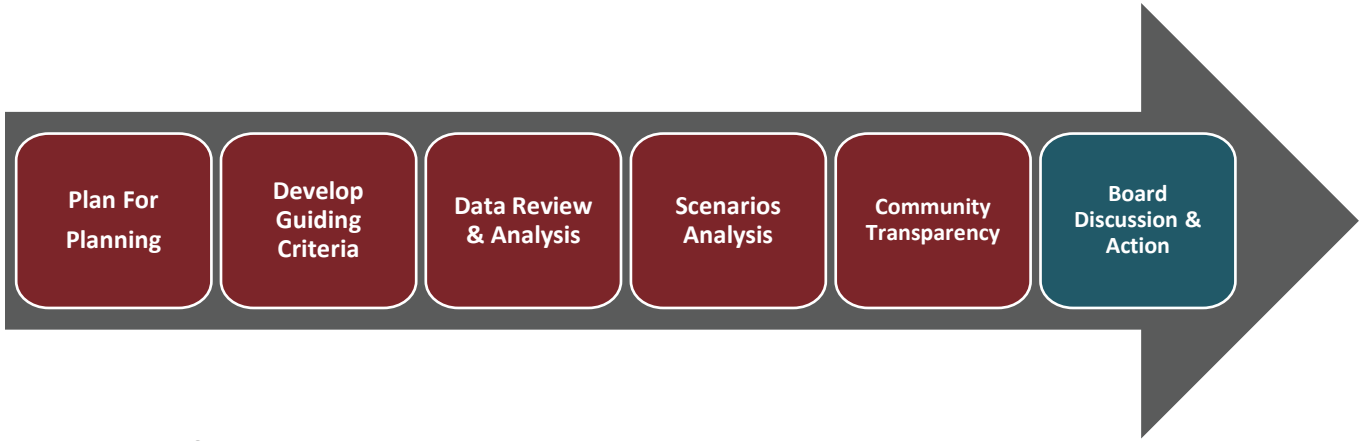
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REVISED SCENARIOS

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- All survey responses, focus group feedback, emails, and community open house conversations have been compiled into a results report
- CS and CPS staff have read through the entire document
- 2 revised scenarios have been created, based on the feedback received
- No new areas have been impacted

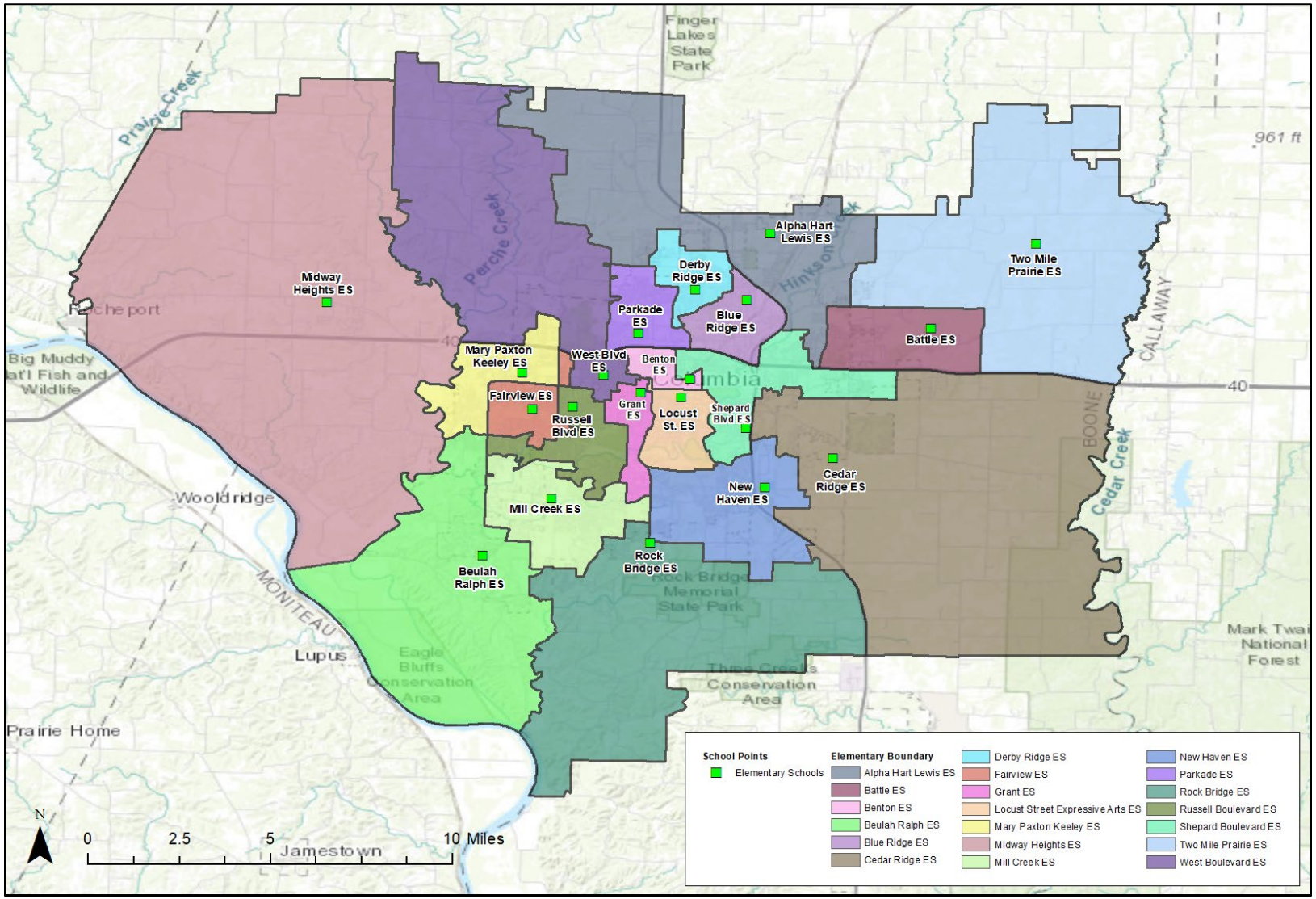
▶ PHASE 1

RELIEF TO PARKADE

Parkade Elementary

- Currently at 130% capacity
- Slated to be 142% by 2024
- **Phase 1 to take effect in Fall of 2021**
- Impacts Parkade ES & Alpha Hart Lewis ES

PHASE I				
School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	626	96%	64%
Battle ES	450	486	108%	54%
Benton ES	260	134	52%	81%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	696	107%	20%
Blue Ridge ES	500	462	92%	66%
Cedar Ridge ES	650	447	69%	39%
Derby Ridge ES	556	479	86%	62%
Fairview ES	550	506	92%	28%
Grant ES	375	285	76%	40%
Locust Street Expressive Arts ES	250	97	39%	59%
Mary Paxton Keeley ES	723	683	94%	32%
Midway Heights ES	295	231	78%	28%
Mill Creek ES	673	714	106%	18%
New Haven ES	293	296	101%	54%
Parkade ES	478	440	92%	46%
Rock Bridge ES	650	487	75%	27%
Russell Boulevard ES	482	451	94%	25%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	519	80%	52%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
West Boulevard ES	438	339	77%	60%
TOTAL	9,770	8,545	89%	42%

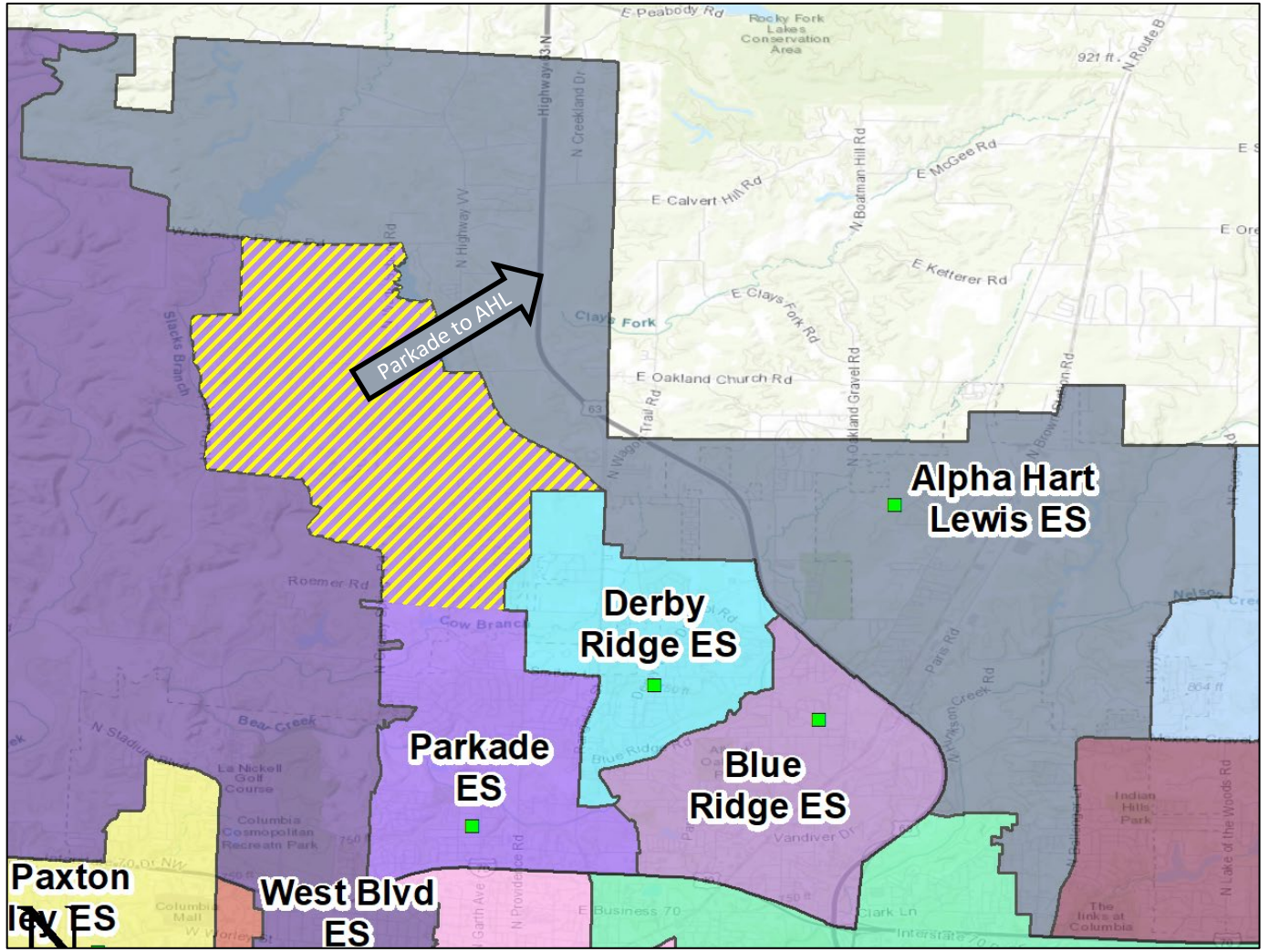


▶ PHASE 1

RELIEF TO PARKADE

If all 5th grade students remain at their current school:

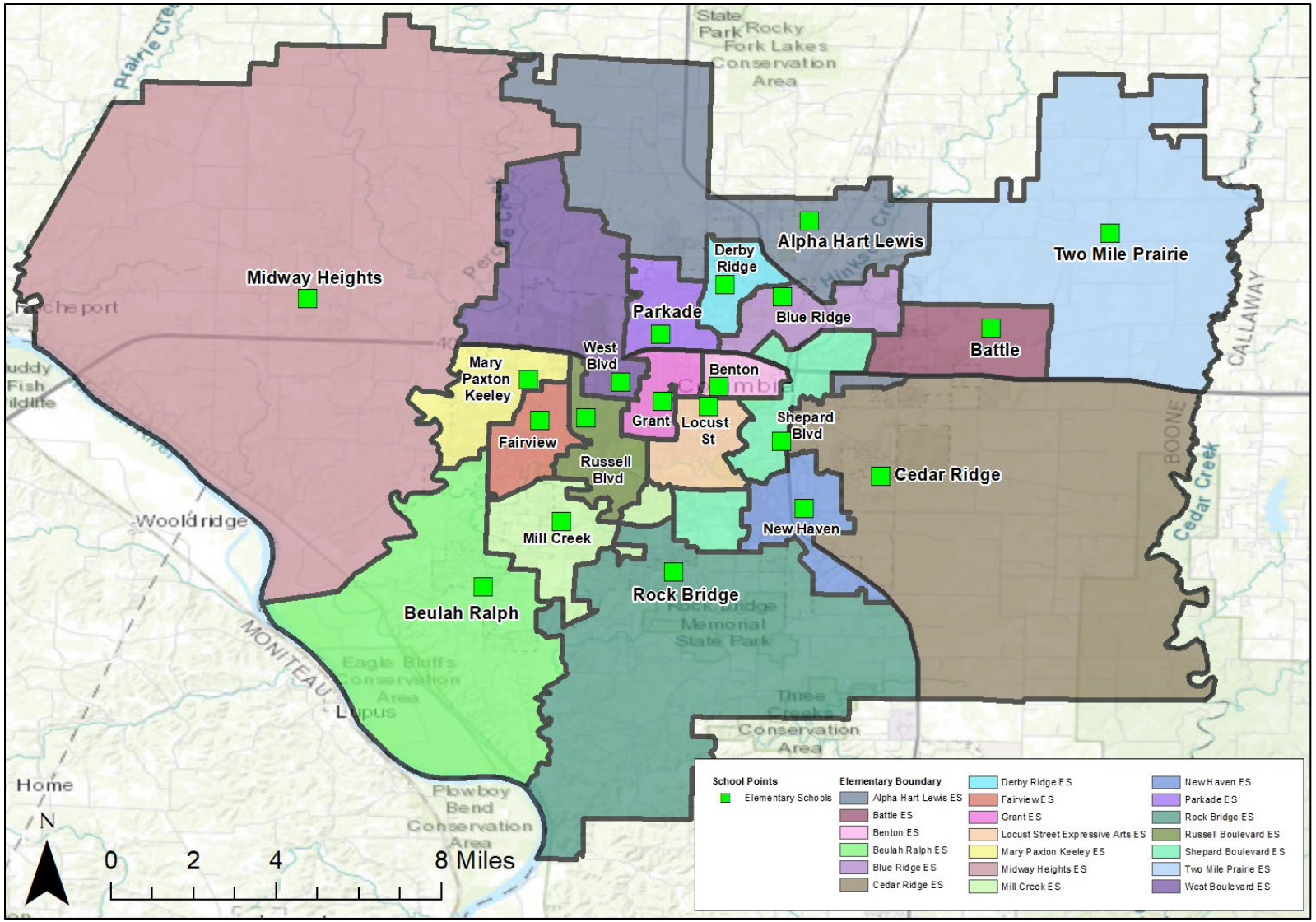
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School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	597	92%	65%
Battle ES	450	486	108%	54%
Benton ES	260	134	52%	81%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	696	107%	20%
Blue Ridge ES	500	462	92%	66%
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Parkade ES	478	469	98%	47%
Rock Bridge ES	502	487	97%	27%
Russell Boulevard ES	482	451	94%	25%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	519	80%	52%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
West Boulevard ES	438	339	77%	60%
TOTAL	9,622	8,545	89%	42%



▶ REVISED SCENARIO 1

PHASE II – 2022-23

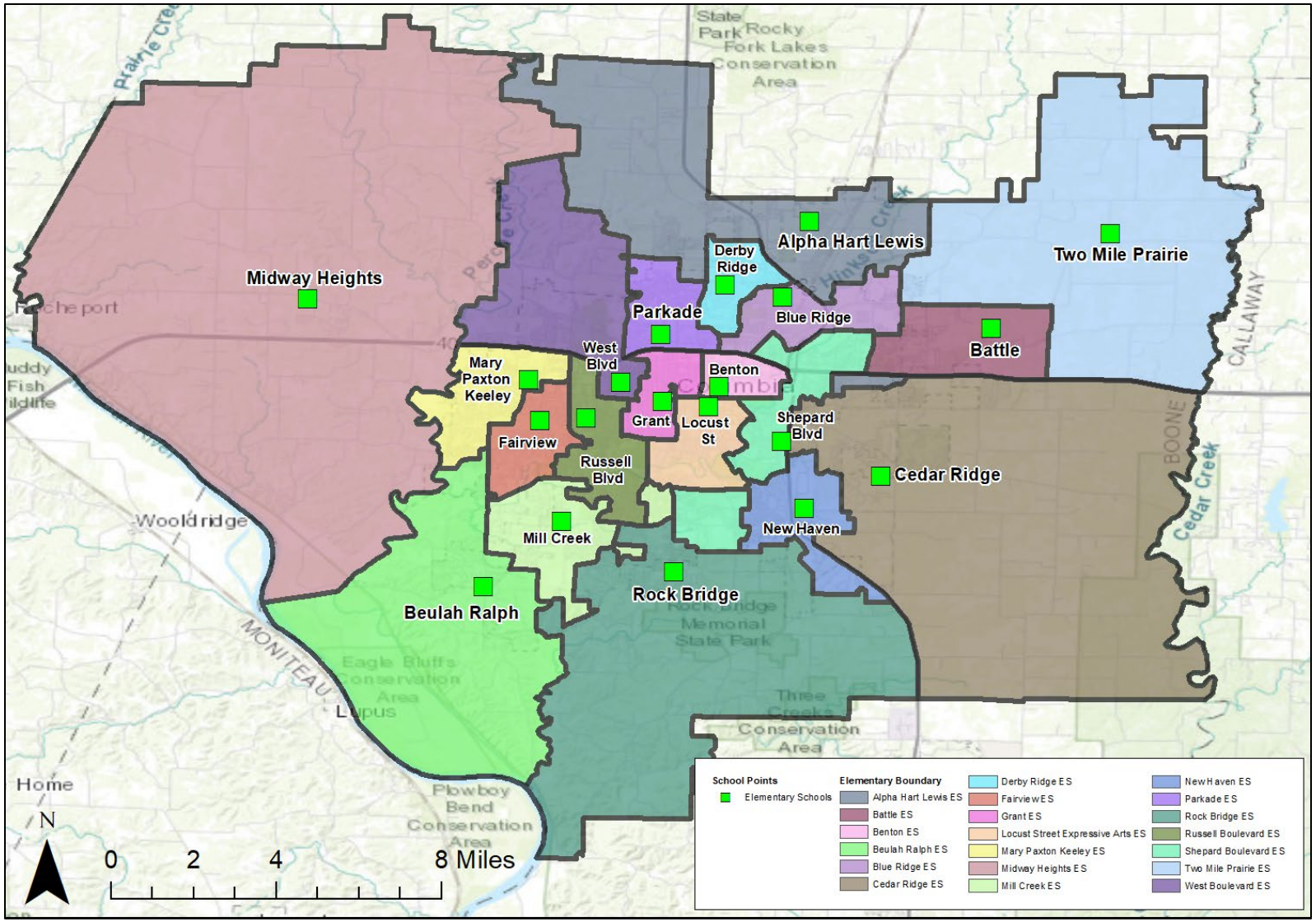
REVISED SCENARIO 1 - Phase II				
School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	564	87%	61%
Battle ES	450	427	95%	55%
Benton ES	260	111	43%	72%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	609	94%	21%
Blue Ridge ES	500	432	86%	60%
Cedar Ridge ES	650	560	86%	41%
Derby Ridge ES	556	475	85%	60%
Fairview ES	550	495	90%	25%
Grant ES	375	352	94%	59%
Locust Street Expressive Arts ES	250	98	39%	62%
Mary Paxton Keeley ES	723	655	91%	23%
Midway Heights ES	295	255	86%	28%
Mill Creek ES	673	674	100%	23%
New Haven ES	293	250	85%	56%
Parkade ES	478	440	92%	46%
Rock Bridge ES	650	578	89%	23%
Russell Boulevard ES	650	454	70%	34%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	528	81%	62%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
West Boulevard ES	438	421	96%	50%
TOTAL	**9,938**	**8,545**	**86%**	**42%**



▶ REVISED SCENARIO 1

PHASE III – 2023-24

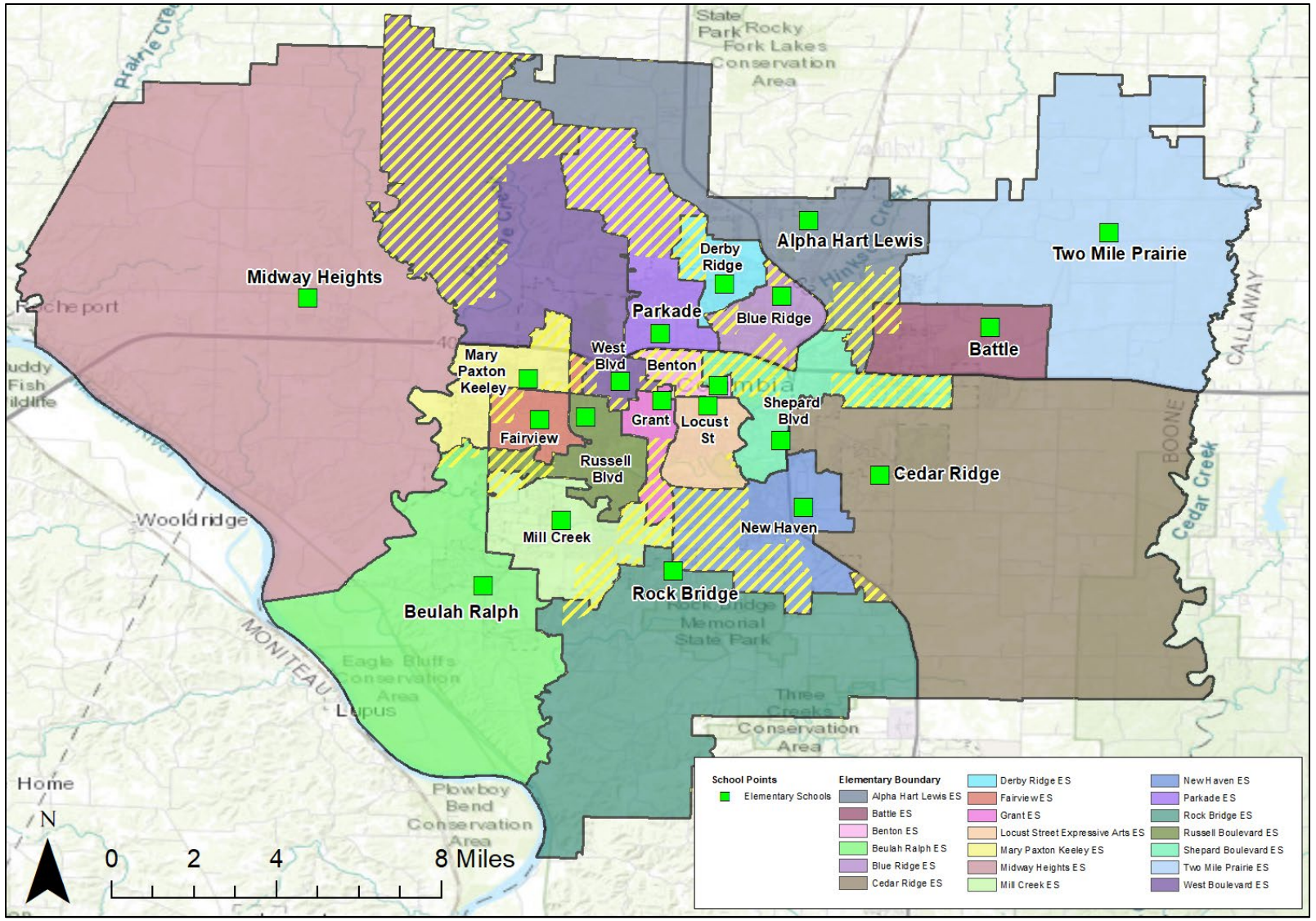
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▶ REVISED SCENARIO 1

CHANGE AREAS

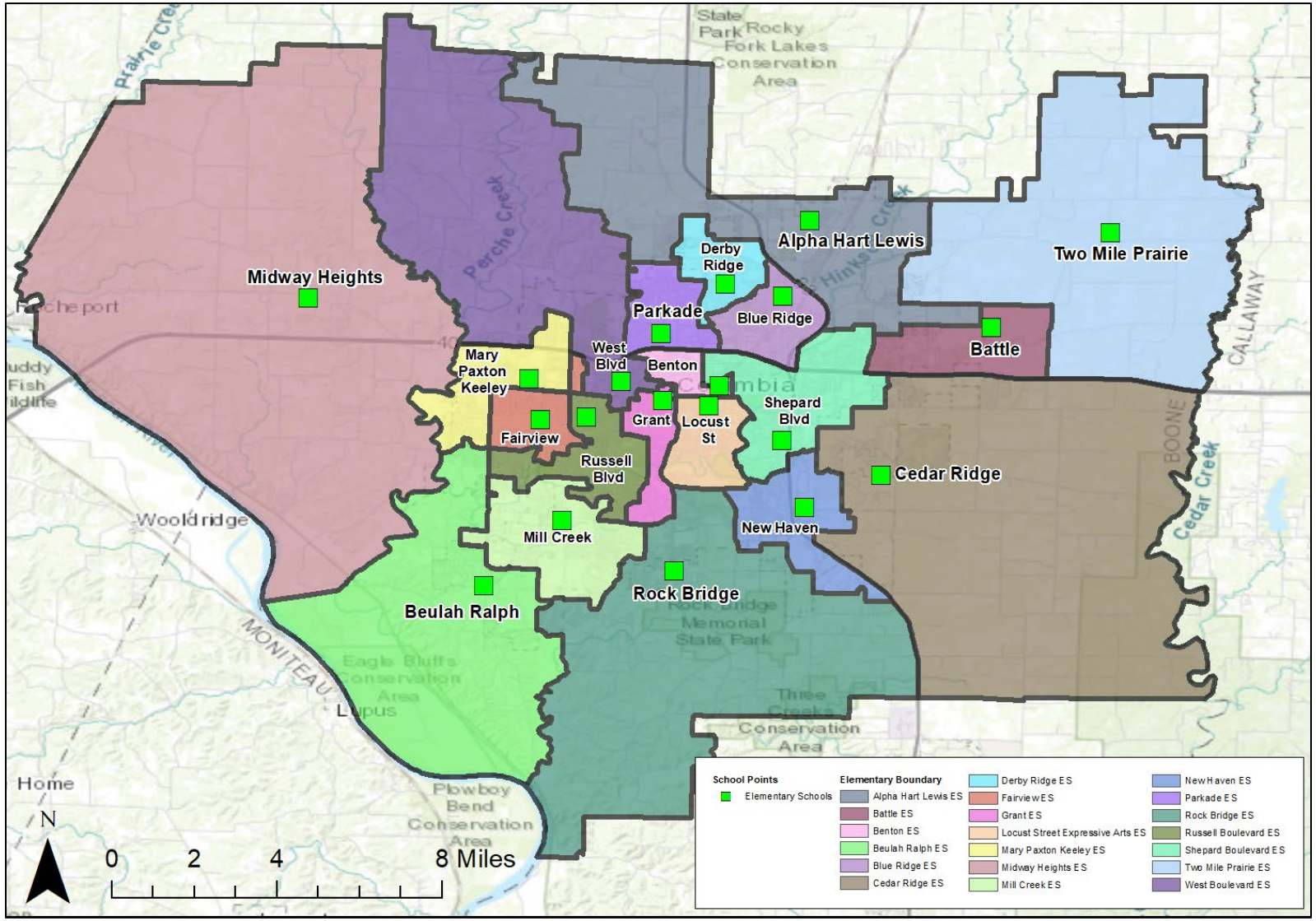
- No new areas are impacted; some areas may be assigned to a school that was not within the first round of scenarios
- Any school at 60% or more low SES is left slightly under-utilized (in the 80%'s)
- Alpha Hart Lewis, Mill Creek, Shepard Blvd have islands
- Growth around Gans Rd pointed to Rock Bridge (instead of New Haven)
- Areas with potential growth (Rock Bridge, Cedar Ridge, Midway Heights) have some space available
- 2,213 K-5 students moved = 26%
  - 1,846 K-4 students



▶ REVISED SCENARIO 2

PHASE II – 2022-23

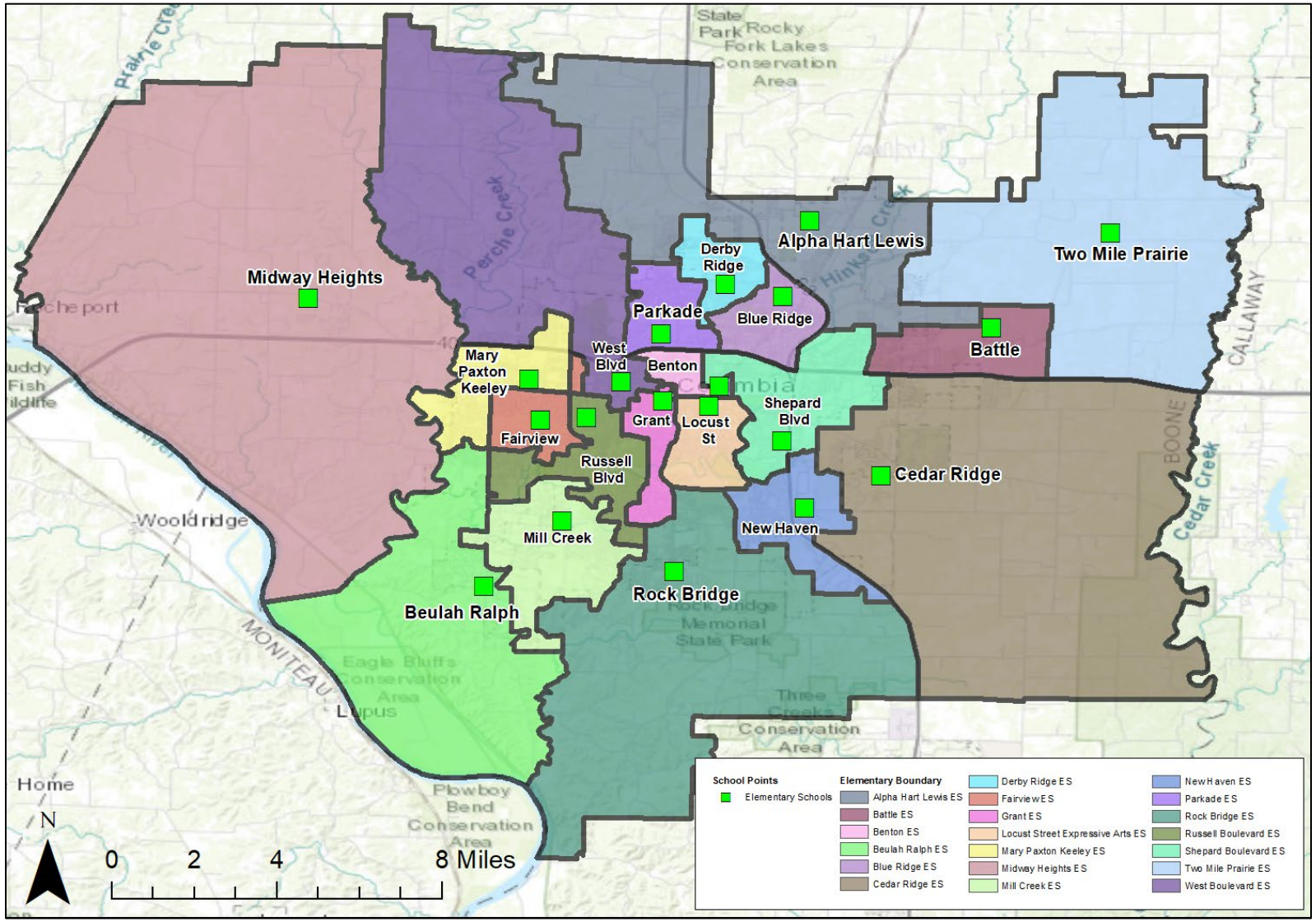
REVISED SCENARIO 2 - Phase II				
School	Capacity (No Trailers)	Live-In Enrollment	Utilization	Low SES %
Alpha Hart Lewis ES	650	558	86%	58%
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Benton ES	260	134	52%	81%
Beulah Ralph ES	650	636	98%	21%
Blue Ridge ES	500	462	92%	66%
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Mary Paxton Keeley ES	723	683	94%	32%
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Parkade ES	478	440	92%	46%
Rock Bridge ES	650	573	88%	30%
Russell Boulevard ES	650	468	72%	25%
Shepard Boulevard ES	652	554	85%	59%
Two Mile Prairie ES	195	167	86%	34%
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▶ REVISED SCENARIO 2

PHASE III – 2023-24

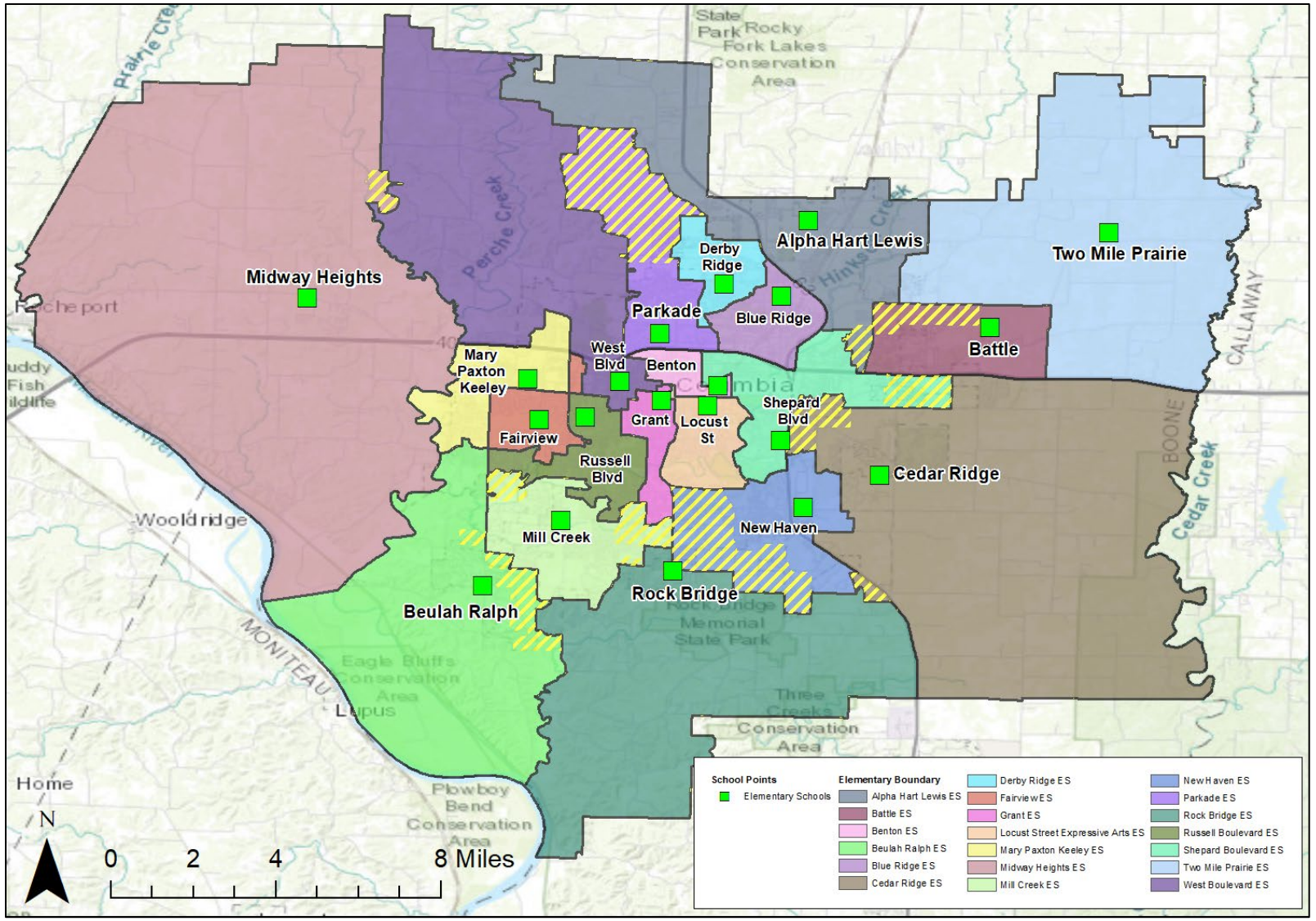
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CHANGE AREAS

- No new areas are impacted; some areas may be assigned to a school that was not within the first round of scenarios
- Most schools at 60% or more low SES is left slightly under-utilized (in the 80%'s)
- No islands (Fairview north of Broadway is connected)
- Growth around Gans Rd pointed to Rock Bridge (instead of New Haven)
- Areas with potential growth (Rock Bridge, Cedar Ridge, Midway Heights) have some space available
- 916 K-5 students moved = 11%
  - 736 K-4 students



▶ NEXT STEPS

- **Action on Phase I, impacting Alpha Hart Lewis Elementary and Parkade Elementary; to be implemented in the fall of 2021**

- A school locator is available online for community members to see their attendance area in each revised scenario

- Board action during June 14th meeting

