Eastmont School District

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Memorandum

To: Eastmont Board of Directors

From: Spencer Taylor, Executive Director of Elementary Education

Date: January 8th, 2021

Re: District Attendance Areas 3130-P Study Update

A community committee of 24 members has been studying our school attendance areas to provide the Board a recommendation to implement for the 2021-2022 school year. The committee is composed of Eastmont staff, Parents, and Community Leaders. These new attendance areas are needed as part of the Reconfiguration plan to change our grade levels to K-6th Grade Elementary Schools and 7-9th Grade Junior High Schools.

The goals of this committee are as follows:

- Balance school enrollment and demographics across the district as best possible.
- Maximize neighborhood walking schools.
- Maximize transportation efficiency.
- Minimize student disruption if possible.

Progress to date: The committee has met twice and has recommended two different sets of revisions to the attendance areas from the presented first draft. The committee has one more scheduled meeting on January 19th.

Supporting Documents:

- Committee Members (20-21)
- Proposed Timeline for Implementation
- Latest Draft Attendance Area Projected Enrollment by School
- Latest Draft Attendance Area Maps (zoomable electronic map)

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Attendance Area Study Committee (20-21)

Facilitator: Spencer Taylor, Executive Director of Elementary Ed., Eastmont School District

1. Maria Barnes, Parent, Clovis Point Intermediate School
2. Suzie Benson, Retired Community Member
3. Kurt Blanchard, Douglas County Fire District 2
4. Matt Charlton, Asst Superintendent of Secondary Ed, Eastmont School District
5. Ron Cridlebaugh, Chelan Douglas Regional Port Authority
6. Kristy Daley, Principal, Kenroy Elementary School
7. Tricia Donaldson, Teacher, Lee Elementary School
8. Shannon Duncan, Paraprofessional, Grant Elementary School
9. Melissa Gilbert, Parent, Cascade Elementary School
10. Cecelia Grant, Office Manager, Clovis Point Intermediate School,
11. Andrean Henn, Parent, Grant Elementary School
12. Tony Lisson, Town Toyota
13. Brittany McGee, Parent, Lee Elementary School
14. Kristi Meadows, Office Manager, Cascade Elementary School
15. Jayme Mitchell, Chelan County PUD
16. Adam Prater, Parent, Kenroy Elementary School
17. Irene Ramirez, Teacher, Rock Island Elementary School
18. Cara Smith, Parent, Rock Island Elementary School
19. Maddie Sones, Router, Eastmont Transportation Department
20. Hugh Theiler, Douglas County PUD
21. Diana Villalobos, Parent, Lee Elementary School
22. Tom Wachholder, City of East Wenatchee
23. Scott White, Douglas County Fire District 2

Proposed Attendance Areas Study and Realignment Timeline

Purpose:
To study attendance areas and make a recommendation to the School Board to best support our planned reconfiguration (K-6 & 7-9) and community population.

Goals:
- Balance school enrollment and demographics across the district as best possible.
- Maximize neighborhood walking schools.
- Maximize transportation efficiency.
- Minimize student disruption if possible.

Proposed Timeline:

December 2020	● Form a District Committee (Parents, Community Members, Teachers, Paraprofessional, Office Manager, & Admin)
December 2, 2020	● Share plan at Admin Leadership Team Meeting
December 8, 2020	● First District Attendance Area Committee Meeting
December 14, 2020	● Initial Report to the Board
January 25, 2021	● Board Meeting / Public meeting to view plans and give feedback. (Letters, social media, website, press release)
February 8, 2021	● Board Meeting Final Review and Approval
February 19, 2021	● New attendance area maps completed and published ● Procedure 3130-P updated ● Next school entered into Qmlativ SIS for each student ● Reports are run to review enrollment numbers
February 22, 2021	● Communication to the community about attendance area changes and phasing in of reconfiguration, including cancellation of all current choice effective at the end of this school year - Parents may reapply beginning March 1st for 21-22 ● Individual letters sent to each student K-7 that has the student name, assigned school, choice process, link to new attendance areas. (social media, website, press release)
March 1, 2021	● Kinder registration - students placed by new attendance areas
July 31, 2021	● Students moved up to new school in Qmlativ ● Transportation routes completed ● New start and end times for each school communicated
August 10, 2021	● Choice applications reviewed ● Transportation routes communicated
August 15, 2021	● Schools send out welcome letters to all students

	Cascade		Lee		Kenroy		Grant		Clovis Pt		Rock Island	
	Enrollment	F/R %	Enrollment	F/R %	Enrollment	F/R %	Enrollment	F/R %	Enrollment	F/R %	Enrollment	F/R %
North Columbia	69	65%										
Eastmont Bypass	26	51%										
Wenatchi Landing	66	34%										
Cascade	127	44%										
19th, W Sunset	109	80%										
Fancher Hts	90	19%										
Fancher - Plateau Dr			20	37%								
Badger Mtn			10	38%								
Upper Fancher			85	20%								
Bonaventure	61	49%										
Lee			340	65%								
Ski View			16	24%								
Briarwood			58	36%								
WV Mall (Shared)			20	79%	30	79%	119	79%	50	79%		
Kenroy					445	63%						
Evergreen Memorial					70	45%						
Clovis Pt									243	48%		
Hwy 28 & Rl Rd											142	81%
Grant							343	53%				
Rl Rd & Grant Rd							34	60%				
Lyle to Nile									169	56%		
Highlander									29	59%		
Pangborn											11	33%
Rock Island											153	81%
Van Well & Data Ctrs											11	37%
Rl Bluff & Batterman											17	40%
Area Enrollment	548	49.2%	549	51.3%	545	55.7%	496	55.9%	491	50.7%	334	77.8%
Total Enrollment	548		549		545		496		491		334	
Enrollment Capacity	604		604		604		604		604		432	
Difference	56		55		59		108		113		98	

	Sterling Jr. High (Cascade, Lee, Kenroy - Evergreen Memorial & 10th St NE)						Eastmont Jr. High (Grant, Clovis Pt, Rock Island + Evergreen Memorial & 10th St NE)					
	Enrollment	676		**F/R Lunch**	52.08%		**Enrollment**	598		**F/R Lunch**	59.53%	

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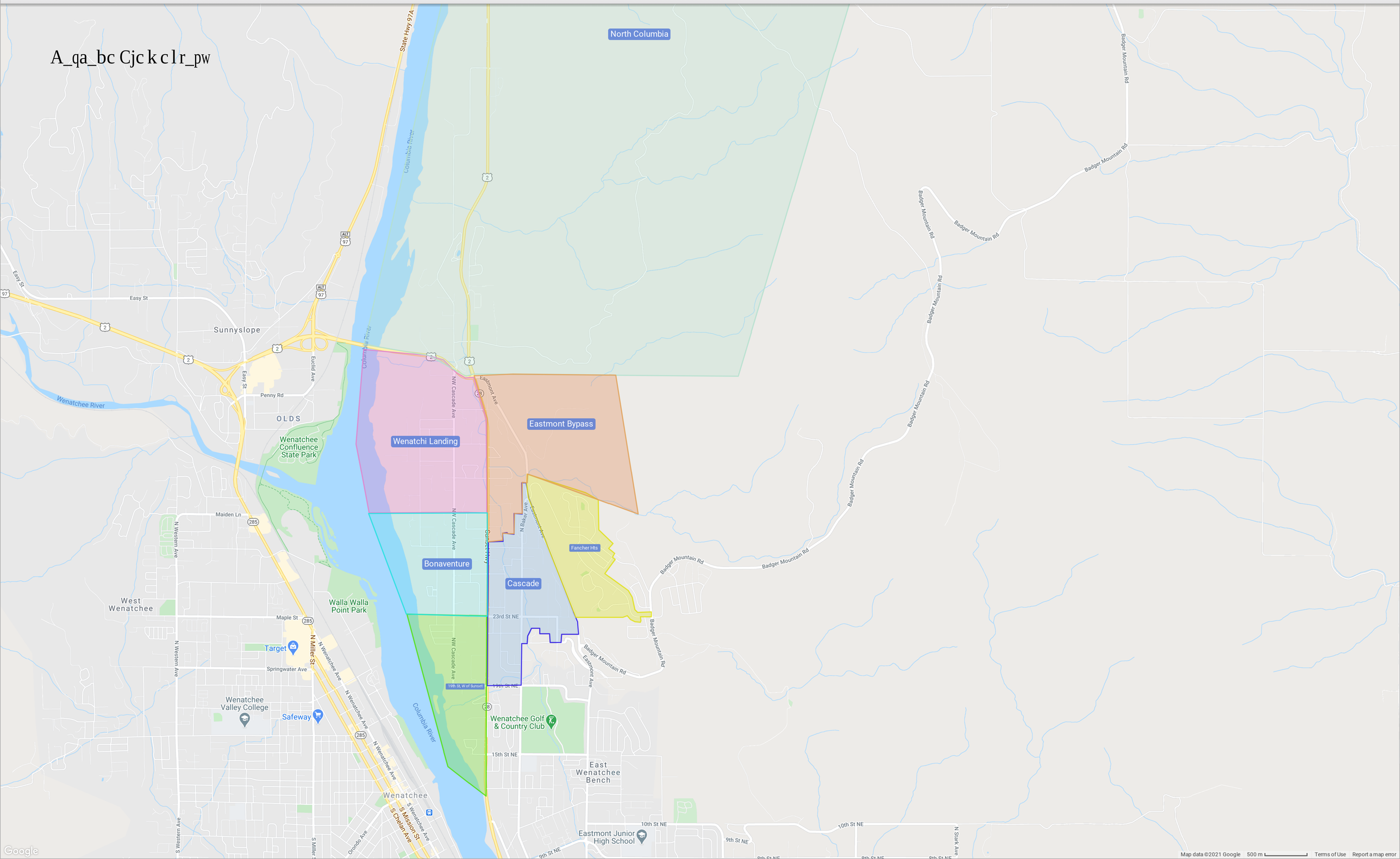

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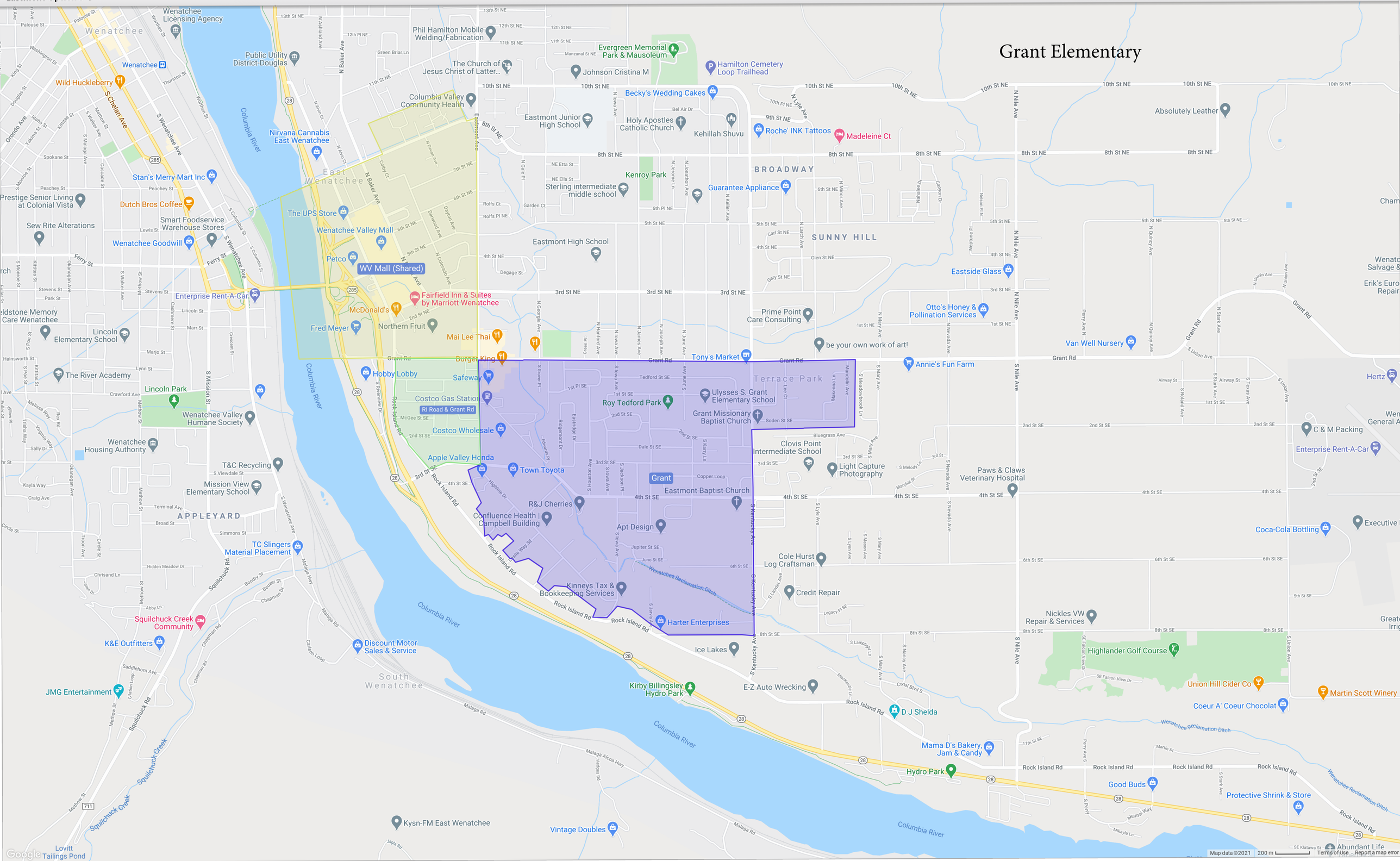

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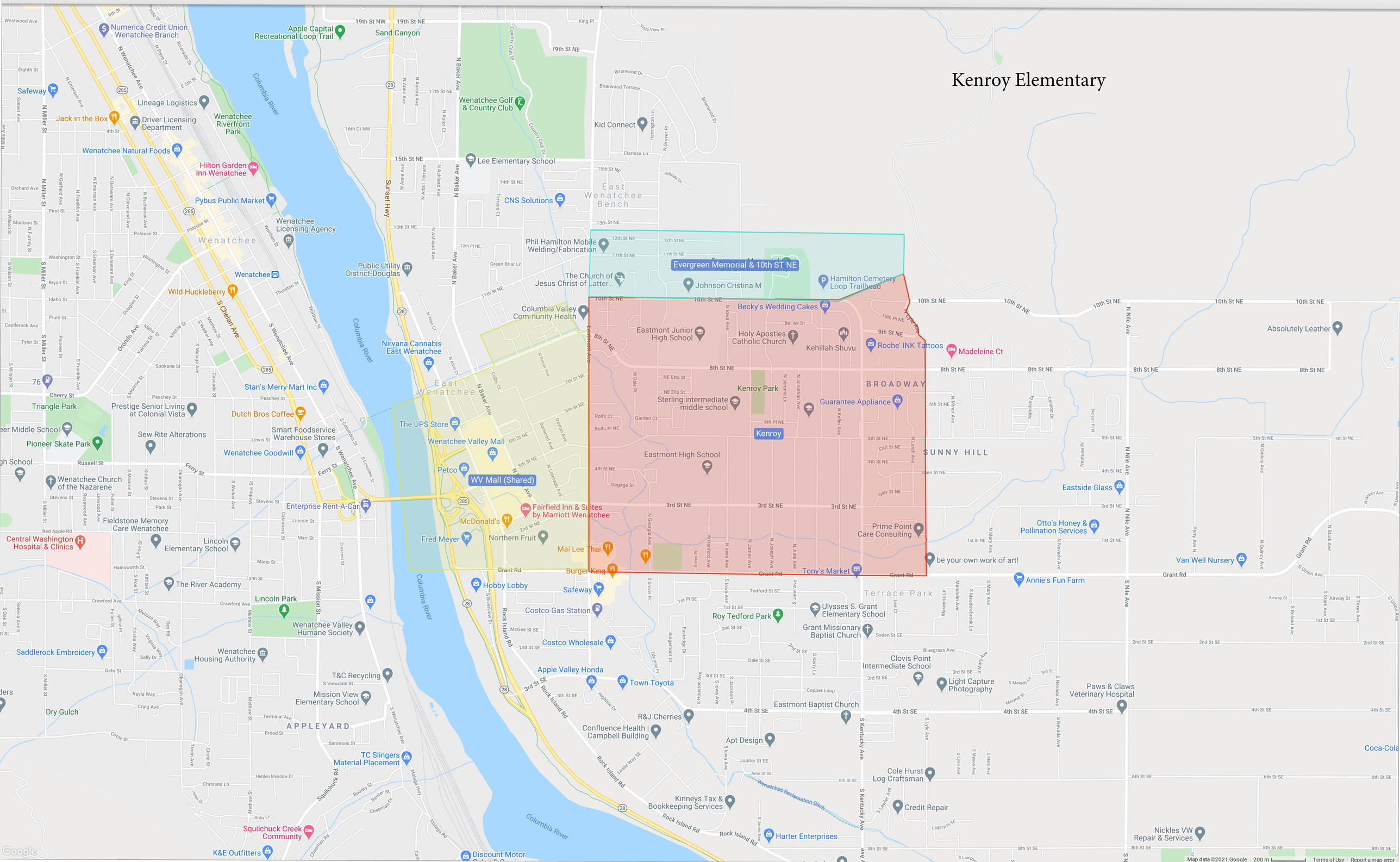

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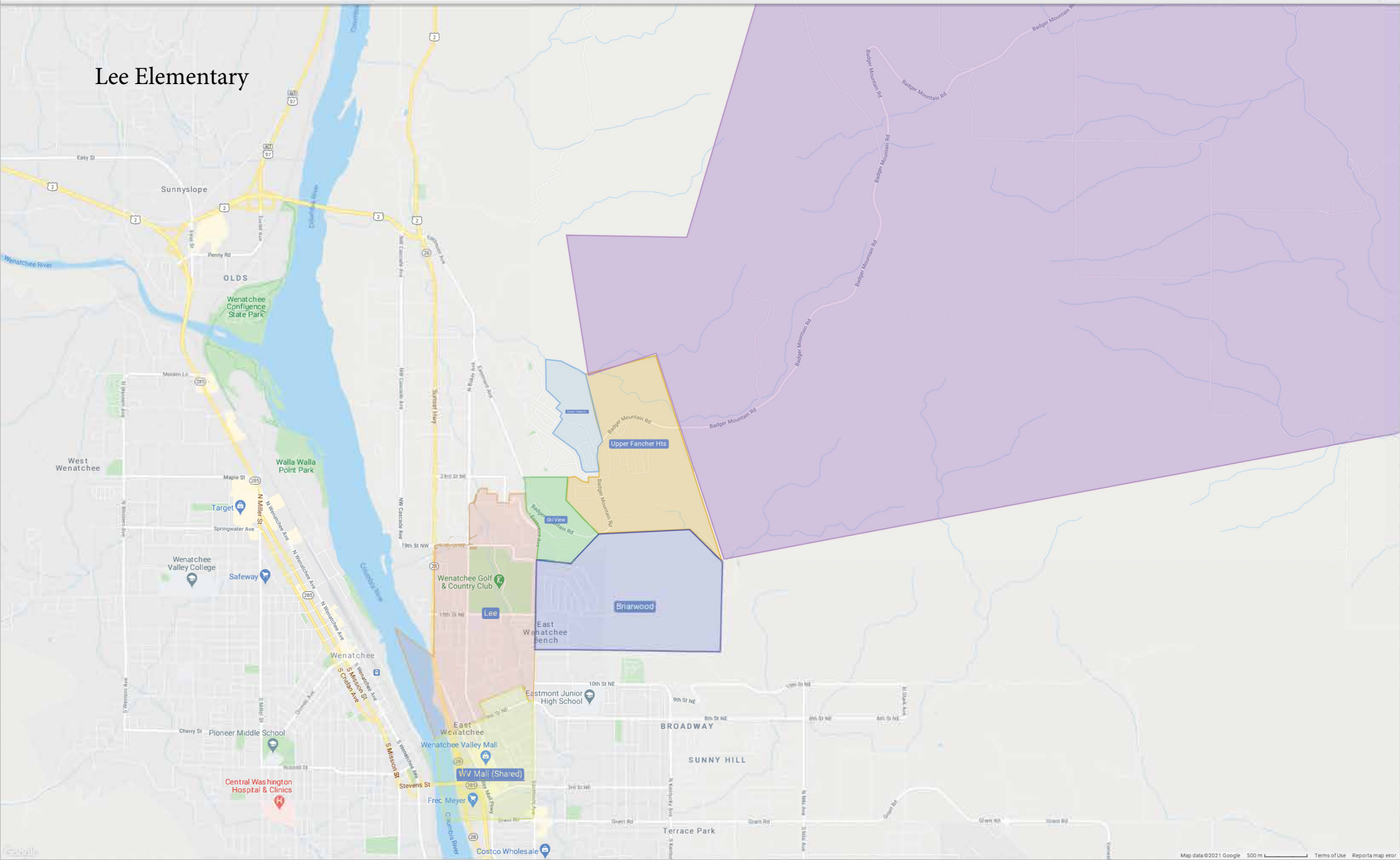
Lee Elementary



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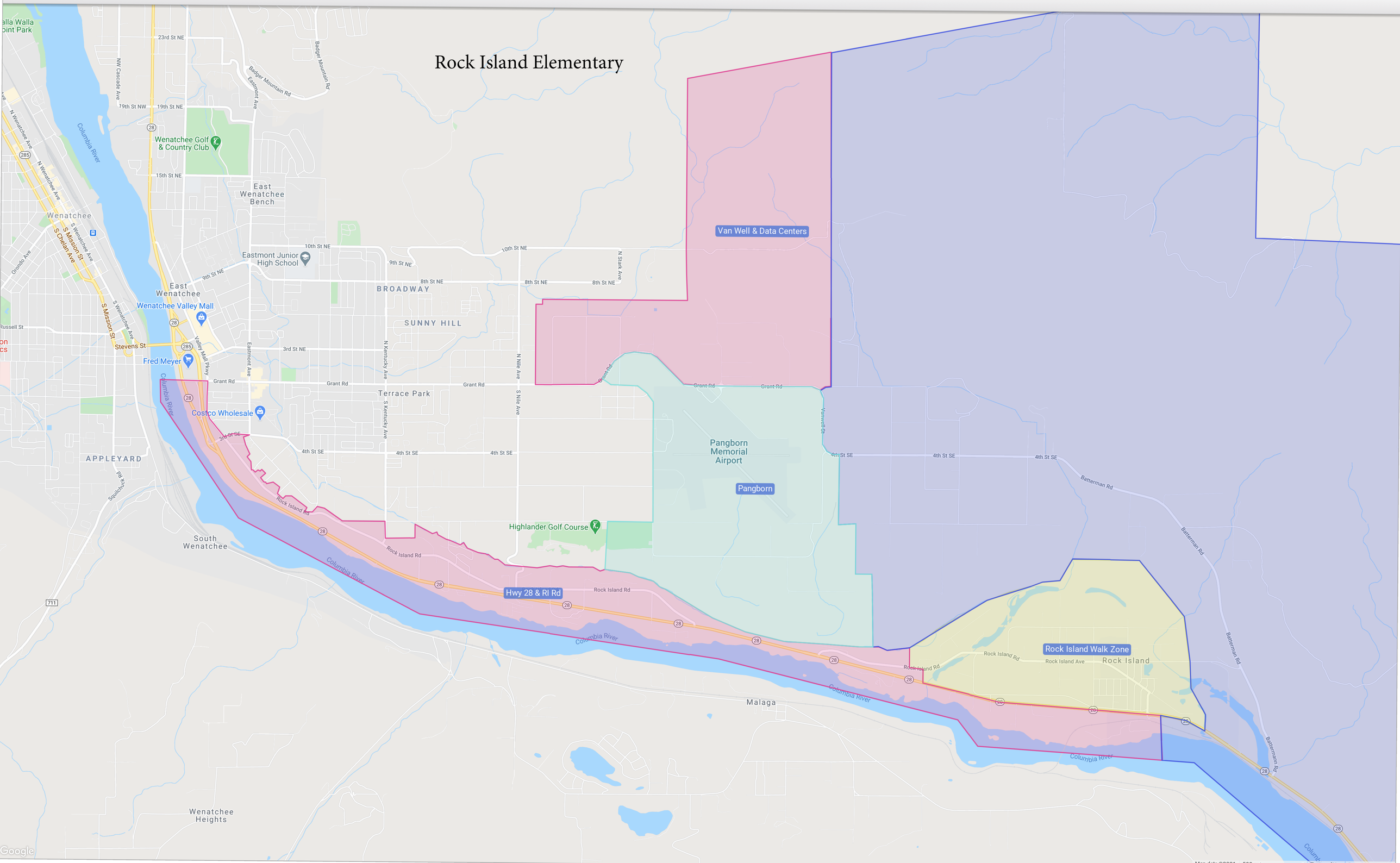

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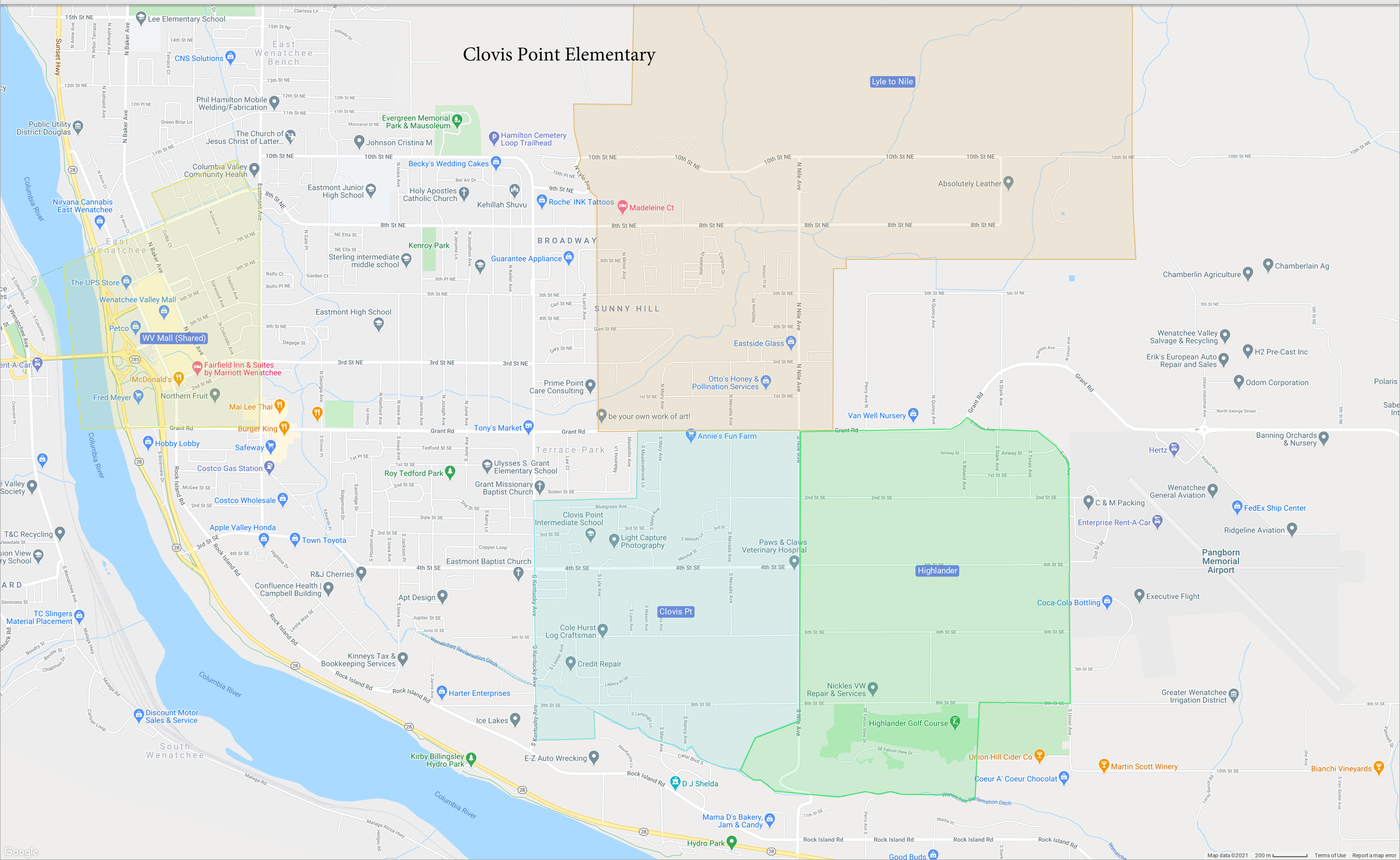

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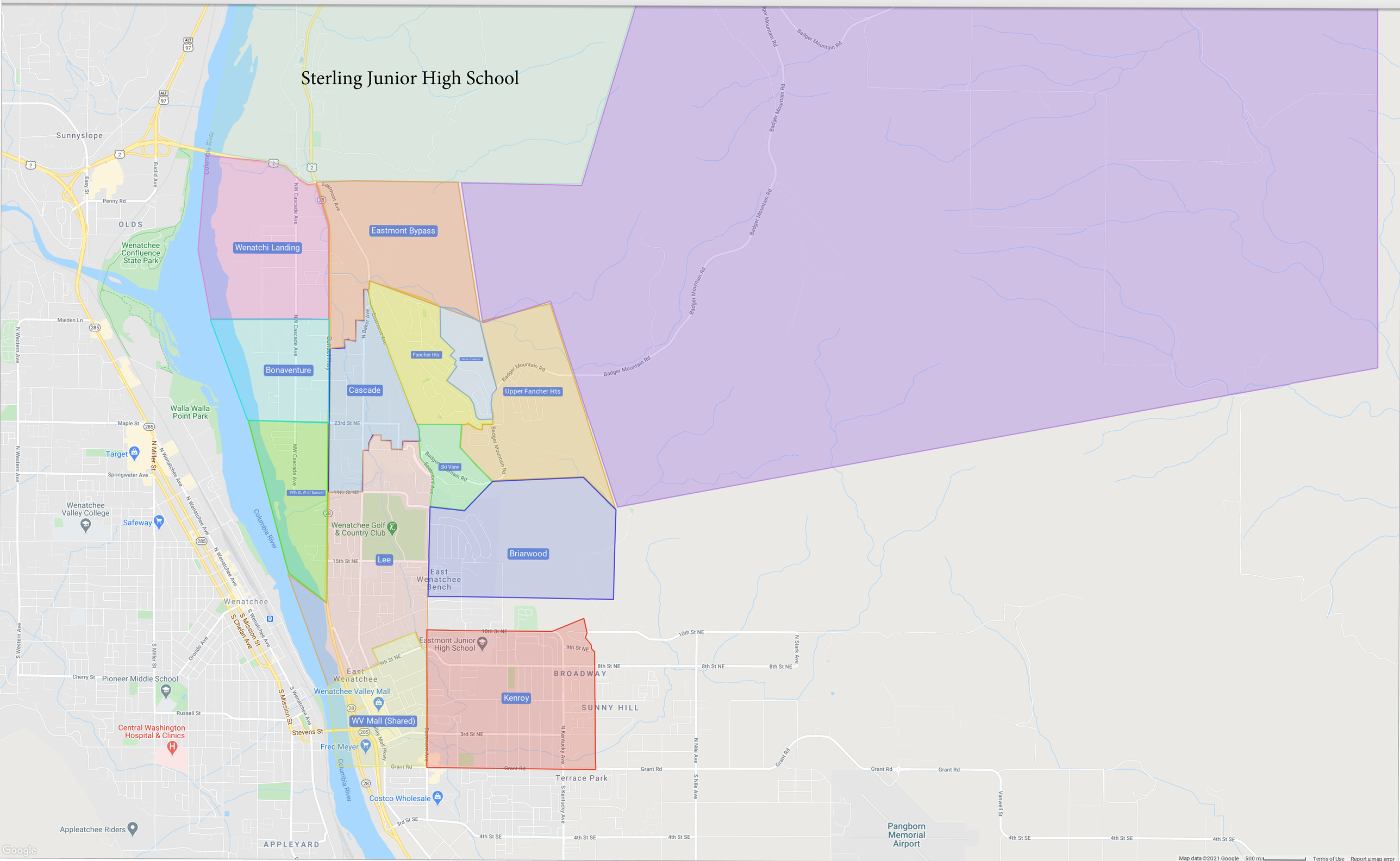
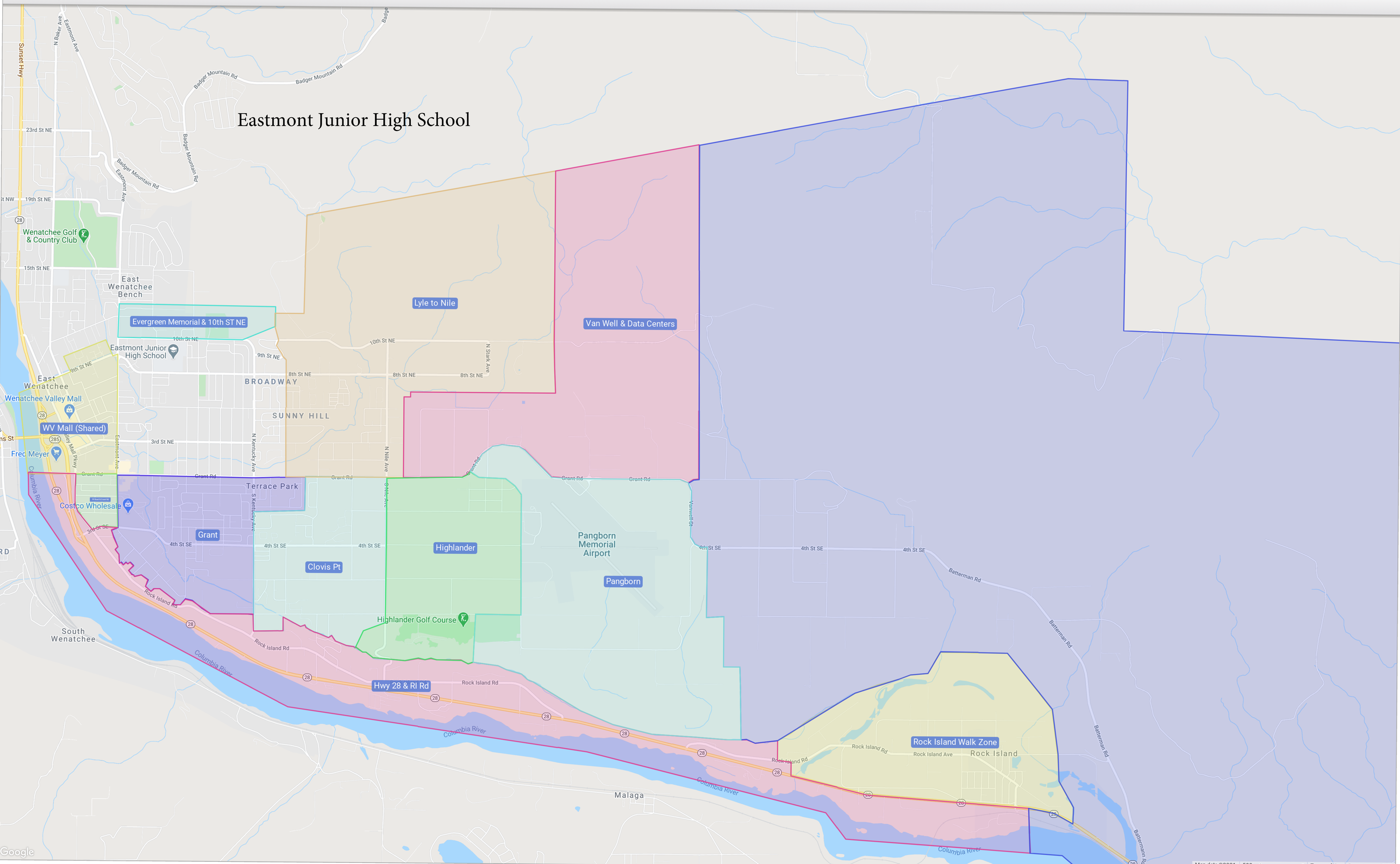
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