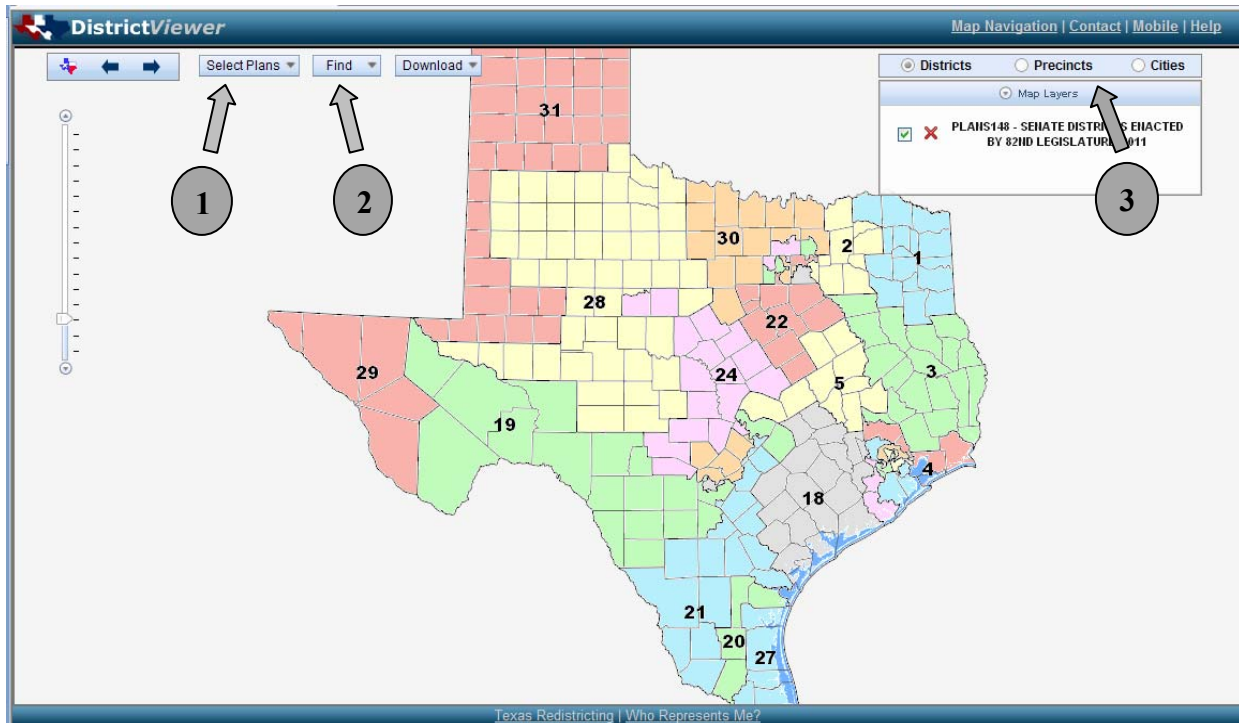


## Accessing DistrictViewer Maps

This card contains tips to help you work more effectively in DistrictViewer, an interactive web based application.

### Use DistrictViewer to see district maps and county election precincts

Use DistrictViewer to see the current and new district maps <http://gis1.tlc.state.tx.us/>. Overlay districts on top of precincts. Zoom in to see street names.



Feature	Description
<p><b>1</b> Select Plans menu</p>	<p>The <i>Select Plans</i> menu allows you to select a new base district plan and, if desired, an overlay district plan to display on the map. To select a new district plan to display, choose <b>Select Plans   Base Plan</b>.</p>
<p><b>2</b> Find menu</p>	<p>The Find feature allows you to zoom to a district, precinct, county, city, or address on the map. When a districts, precinct, county, or city is selected, the map zooms to the selected area. The selected area briefly displays in a darker color with a red boundary, then fades within five seconds.</p>
<p><b>3</b> Districts, Precincts, and Cities radio buttons</p>	<p>The <i>Districts</i>, <i>Precincts</i>, and <i>Cities</i> radio buttons allow you to choose which feature is shaded on the map.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Districts:</b> Select to display shaded districts on the map when a base plan is displayed.</li> <li>• <b>Precincts:</b> Select to display shaded precincts on the map.</li> <li>• <b>Cities:</b> Select to display shaded cities on the map at the higher zoom levels.</li> </ul>

### Compare two plans

- A base plan displays districts in various colors with district numbers and boundaries in black.
- An overlay plan displays district boundaries and numbers in red.

## Overlaying Districts on County Election Precincts

1. Choose **Select Plans | Base Plan**. The *Select Base Plan* dialog box displays.
  - Select a plan using one of the options below:
    - Select a plan from the list that displays. The current default category is the Court-Ordered Interim Plans. (Note, use All to locate SBOE districts).
    - Use the *Plan Type* drop-down list to filter for a specific plan type (e.g., *House, Senate*), then select a plan.
  - The selected plan displays on the map. The plan name and description display in the *Map Layers* pane.
2. Select the **Precincts** radio button.
  - Hover over the precincts radio button to see which precincts are currently in DistrictViewer.
  - Note that after the council has received all of the counties' precinct changes for an election cycle, the precinct layer will be updated.
3. **Zoom in** to see additional street detail.
4. **Toggle** the districts layer on and off by selecting the green check mark (check box )

## Navigating in the Map in DistrictViewer

- **Zoom in or out** by using one of the following methods:
  - Move the slider up or down the Slider Scale in the upper left corner.
  - Scroll the mouse wheel forward to zoom in.
  - Scroll the mouse wheel backwards to zoom out.
  - Double-click a location on the map to zoom in.
  - Press **SHIFT** and drag the mouse to zoom in to a specific area.
- **Pan or move** the map by using one of the following methods:
  - Click and hold the mouse and drag in any direction.
  - Use the arrow keys to move left, right, up, and down.
- Press **SHIFT** and click to **re-center** the map on a specific area.
- Click the **small State of Texas** button (upper left corner) to zoom out to a **full view** of the map.

## Clearing Plans from the Map in DistrictViewer

After viewing a plan, the plan(s) can be cleared from the map by either:

- Clicking the red **X** by a plan name in the *Map Layers* pane.
- Choosing **Select Plans | Clear Plans**. All plans are cleared from the map.