

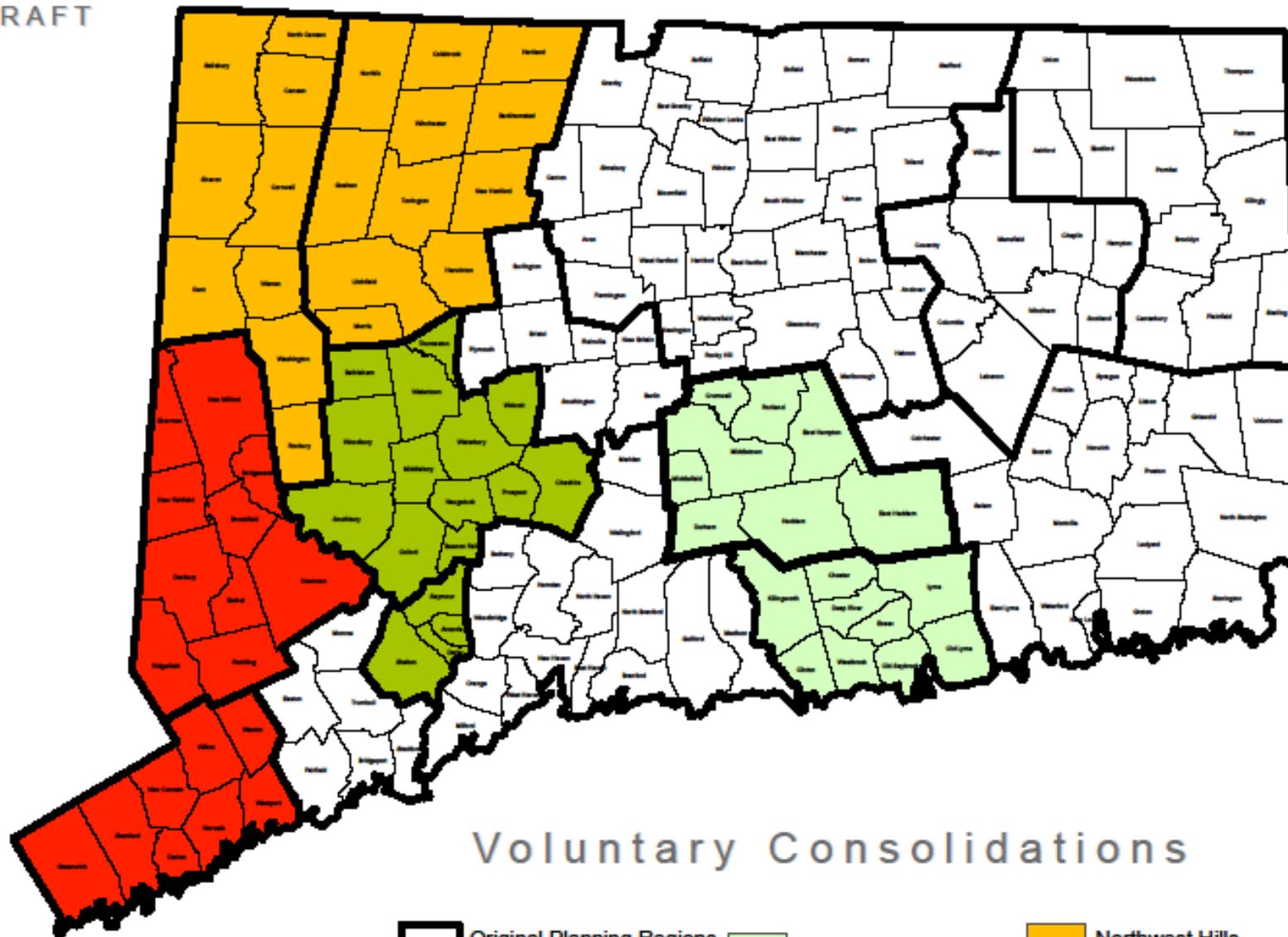
Setting Boundaries for Logical Planning Regions

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Voluntary Consolidations

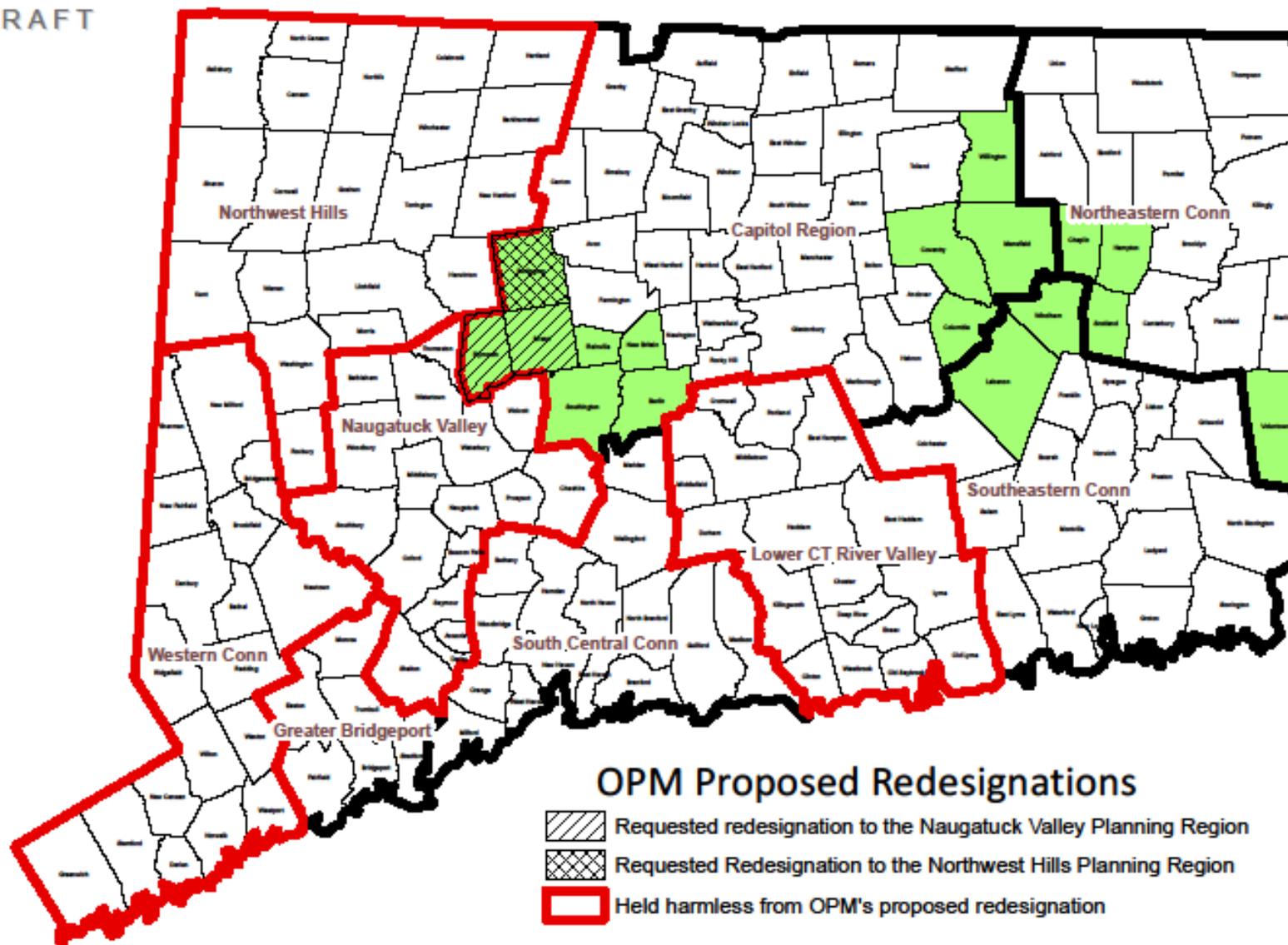
-  Original Planning Regions
-  Lower CT River Valley
-  Northwest Hills
-  Naugatuck Valley
-  Western CT

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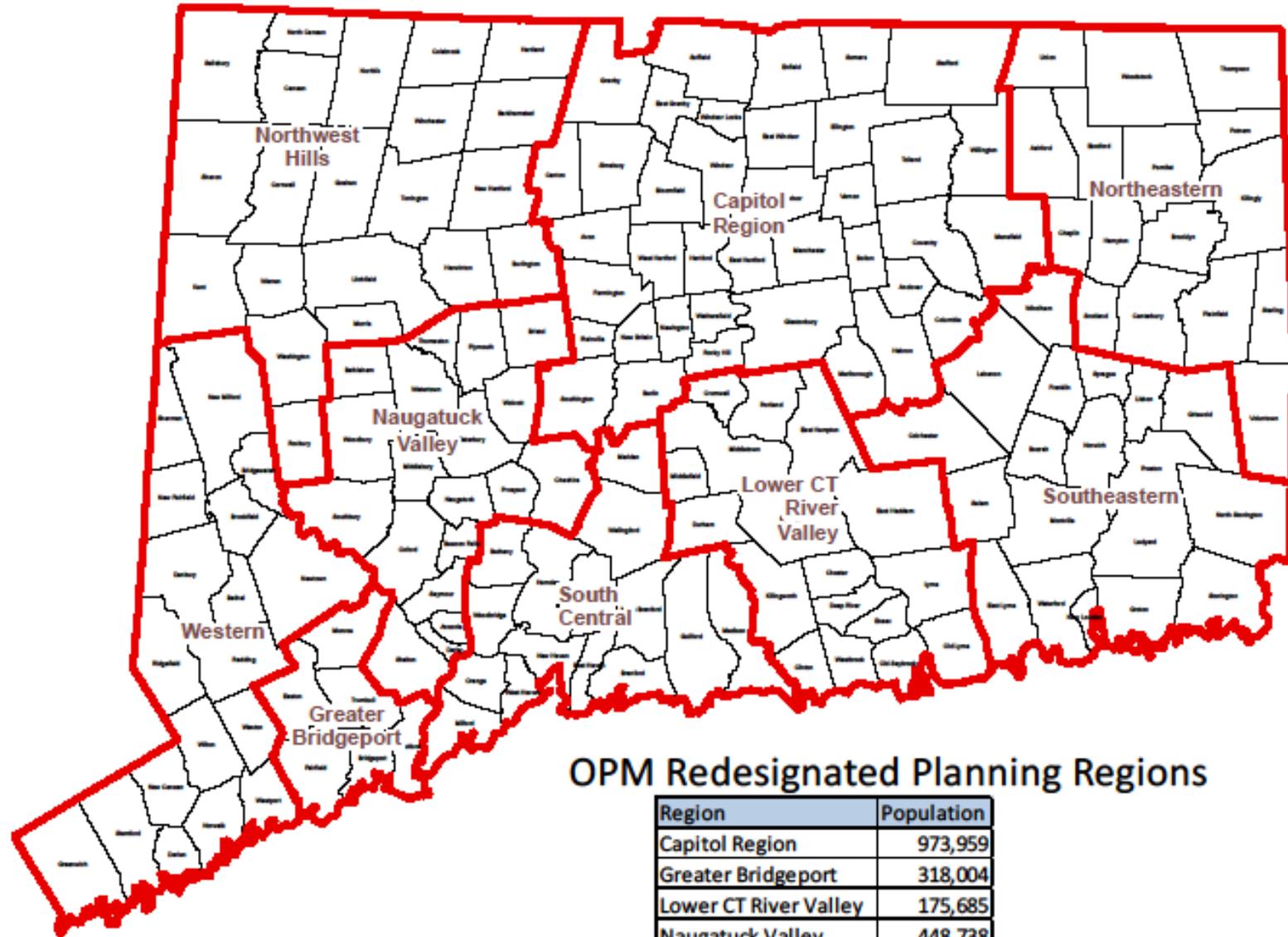
OPM Proposed Redesignations

-  Requested redesignation to the Naugatuck Valley Planning Region
-  Requested Redesignation to the Northwest Hills Planning Region
-  Held harmless from OPM's proposed redesignation

NOTE:
Since the Northwest Hills and Naugatuck Valley Planning Regions are held harmless from OPM's proposed redesignation, OPM could not accommodate the requests of Burlington, Bristol, and Plymouth. It is anticipated that these municipalities will petition the Secretary of OPM for redesignation utilizing the appeals process afforded to them.

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OPM Redesignated Planning Regions

Region	Population
Capitol Region	973,959
Greater Bridgeport	318,004
Lower CT River Valley	175,685
Naugatuck Valley	448,738
Northeastern	96,617
Northwest Hills	115,247
South Central	570,001
Southeastern	286,711
Western	589,135