## House District 26
### By the Numbers:

**SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)**
- No. of Individuals Receiving SNAP: 12,469
- Monthly SNAP Amount Distributed: $1,470,700
- No. of SNAP Retailers: 68

**Cash Assistance**
- Total Recipients*: 295
- Total Monthly Distribution*: $34,372

*Combined Family Independence Temporary Assistance & Kinship Care Subsidy Programs

**TOPS (Taylor Opportunity Program for Students)**
- No. of Students Receiving TOPS: 283
- Honors: 66
- Performance: 69
- Opportunity: 141
- Tech: 7

**EITC (Earned Income Tax Credit)**
- No. of Households Receiving EITC: 6,613
- Percent of Tax Filers Receiving EITC: 37.5%
- State EITC Refunds*: $923,489

*Estimated at 5 percent of federal credit, using 2014 tax data

**Medicaid**
- Medicaid Enrollment (Expansion): 6,821
- Medicaid Enrollment (Non-Expansion): 21,304

Source: Louisiana State Agencies
All data is the most recent available at time of publication, ranging from 2014 to 2018
Demographics

Population: 41,927
No. of Households: 15,417

Racial Distribution
- White: 26%
- Black: 67%
- Other: 7%

Economy

Median Household Income: $27,289
Poverty Rates:
  - Overall: 30.4%
  - Children: 41%
  - Seniors: 21%
Median Value of Owner-Occupied Housing: $98,000

Education

Minimum Level of Educational Attainment
- No Degree: 21%
- High School: 40%
- Some College: 25%
- Bachelor's: 10%
- Post-Grad: 5%

Public School Enrollment
- Rapides: 23,404

Source: American Community Survey (ACS) 2016 5-year, Louisiana Department of Education
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