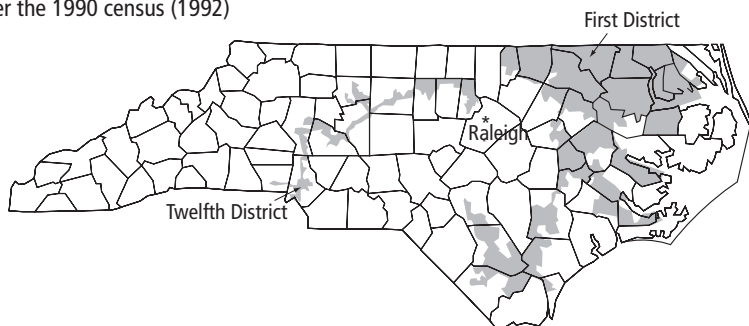
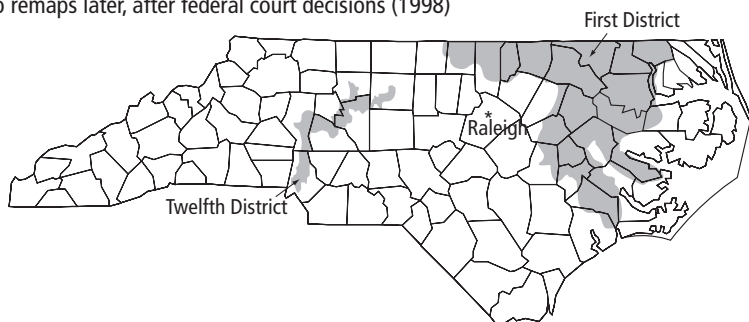


**FIGURE 3-2 Racial Gerrymandering in the 1990s and 2000s: North Carolina's First and Twelfth Congressional Districts**

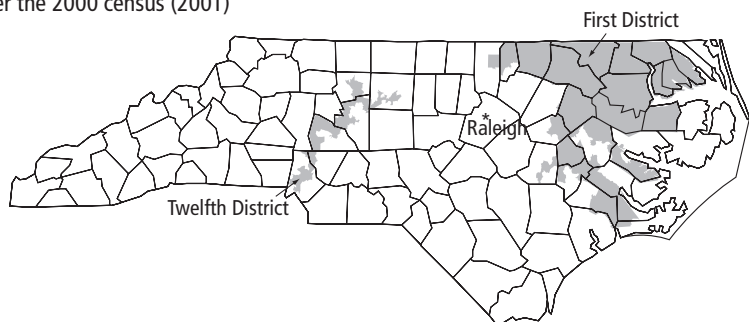
After the 1990 census (1992)



Two remaps later, after federal court decisions (1998)



After the 2000 census (2001)



Sources: *Congressional Districts in the 1990s: A Portrait of America* (Washington, DC: Congressional Quarterly, 1993), 548; *Congressional Districts in the 2000s: A Portrait of America* (Washington, DC: CQ Press, 2003), 673.

Note: North Carolina's First and Twelfth Congressional Districts were drawn to give the state its first black representatives in ninety-three years. First elected in 1992, the two African American representatives were subsequently reelected. Twenty years later, these two geographically equivalent districts were still electing blacks by overwhelming majorities.