

Connecticut

Atlas of Historical County Boundaries

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Connecticut Colony

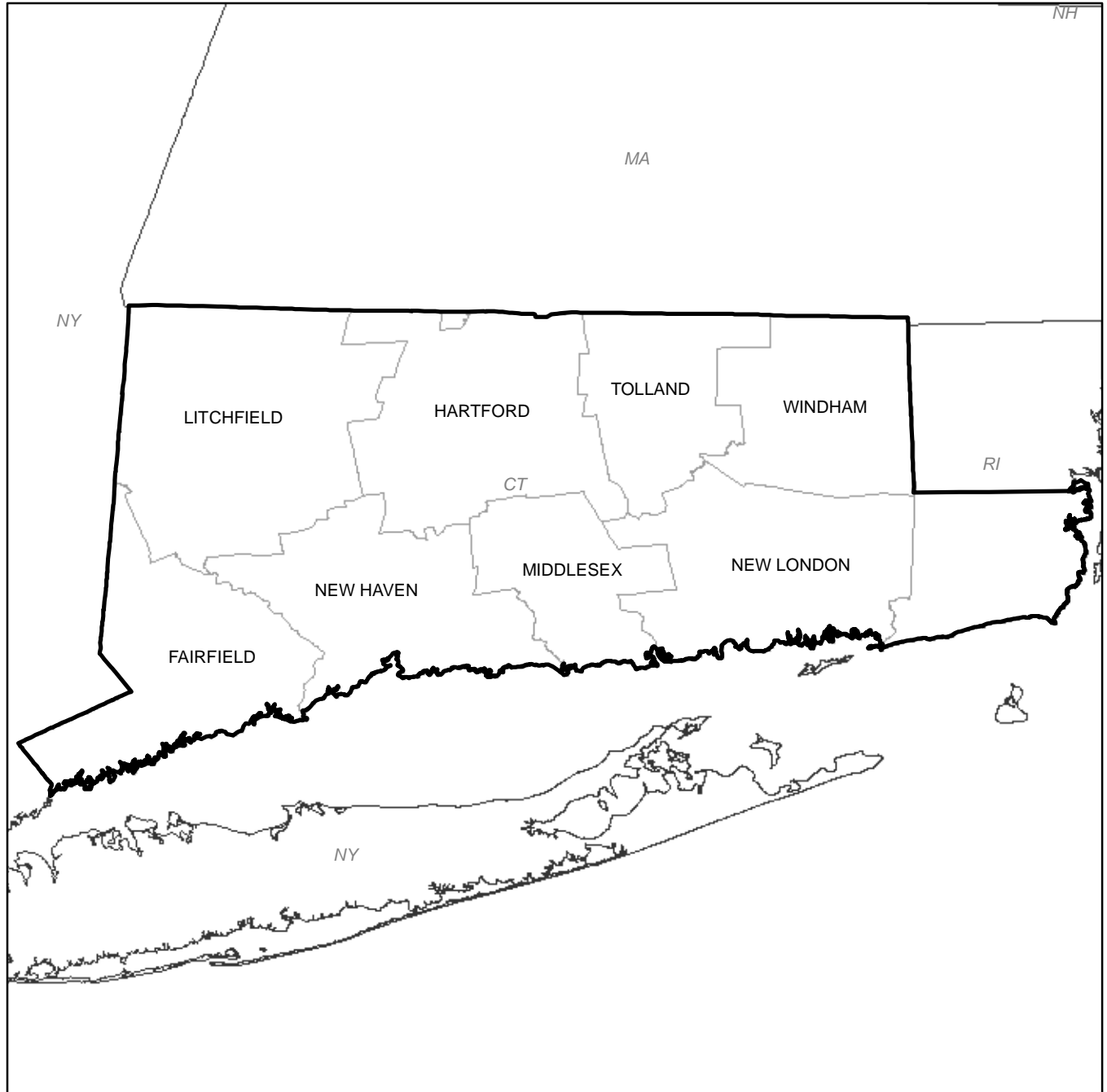
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4/23/1662 - 4/7/1665

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King Charles II granted Connecticut a charter as a self-governing corporate colony with an eastern boundary at Narragansett Bay. R.I. did not concede its claim to area between the Pawcatuck R. and Narragansett Bay, but Conn. took control of the area.

5,376 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 32; Swindler, 2:135-136)





Connecticut Colony

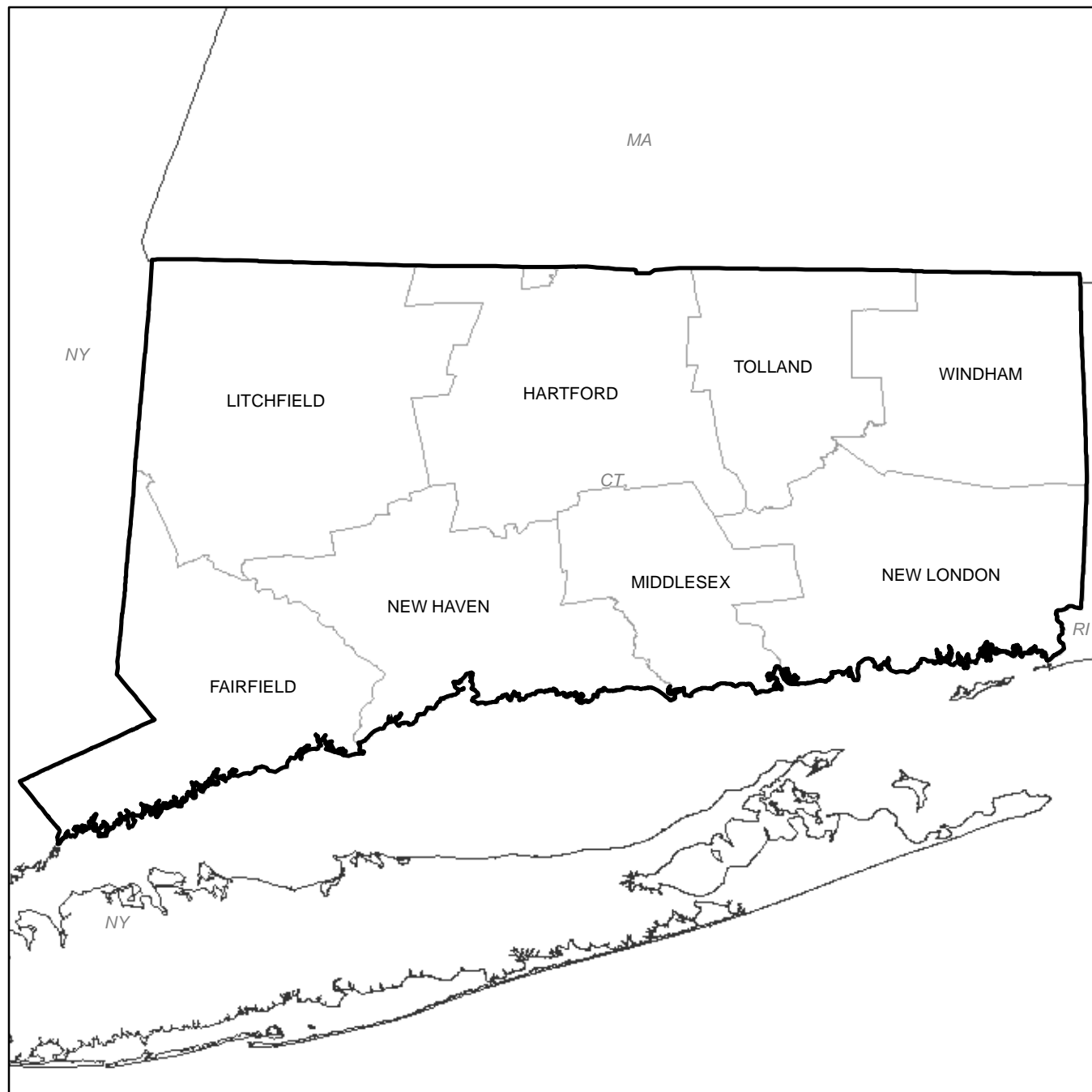
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Royal commissioners decided dispute over the Narragansett Country by dismissing Mass. claim, putting Conn. claim in abeyance, and giving R. I. temp. authority. Conn. claim to area not abandoned until boundary settlement of 12 May 1703.

4,982 sq. mi.

(Arnold, 1:315; James, 86-87; Potter, 178, 181)





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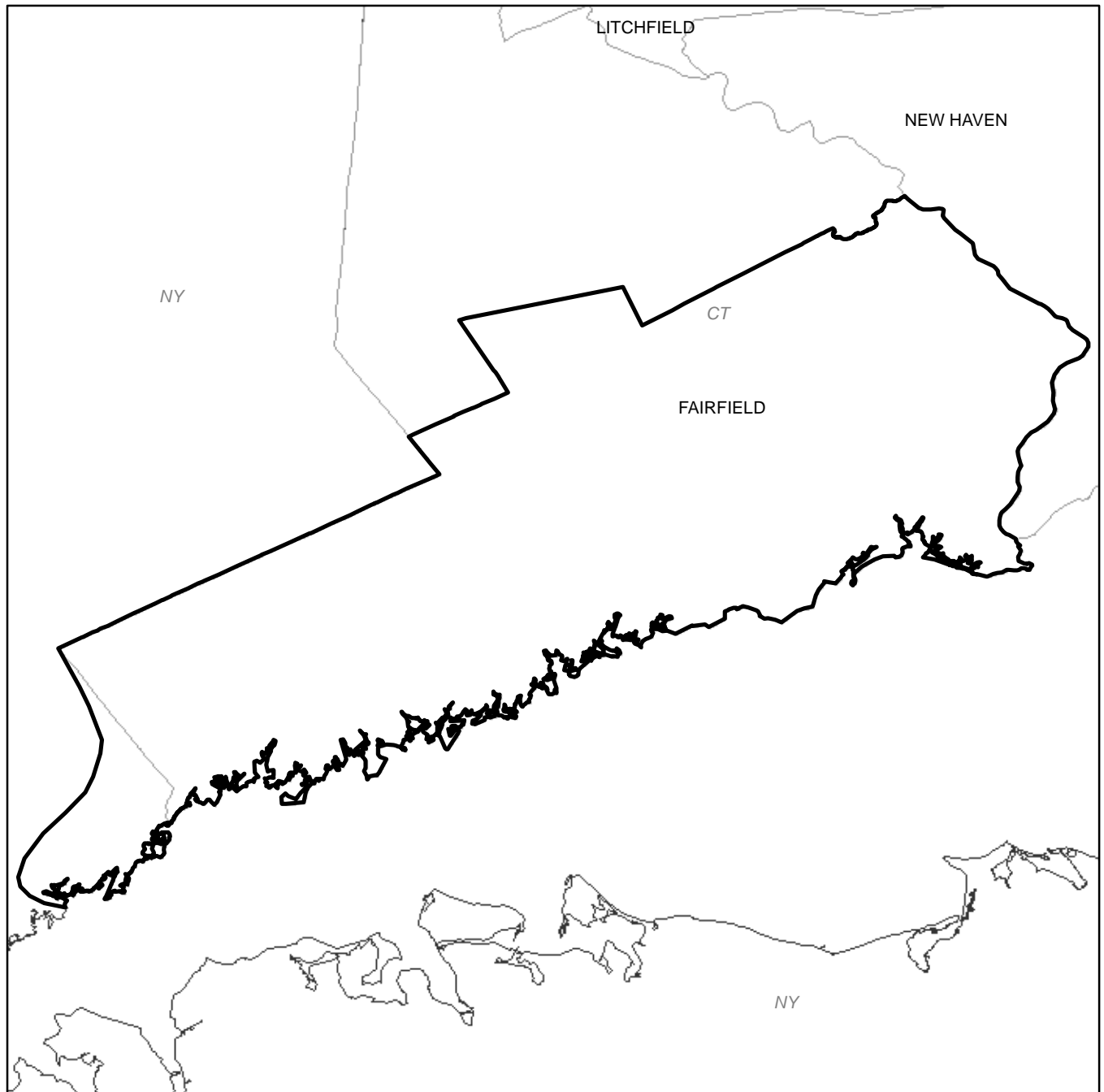
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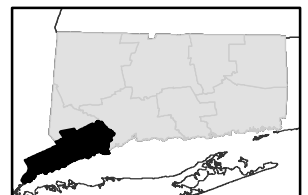
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FAIRFIELD created by the Colony of Connecticut as one of four original counties; part of its western limit was not clearly defined, but included part of New York (town of Rye).

437 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:34-35)





FAIRFIELD

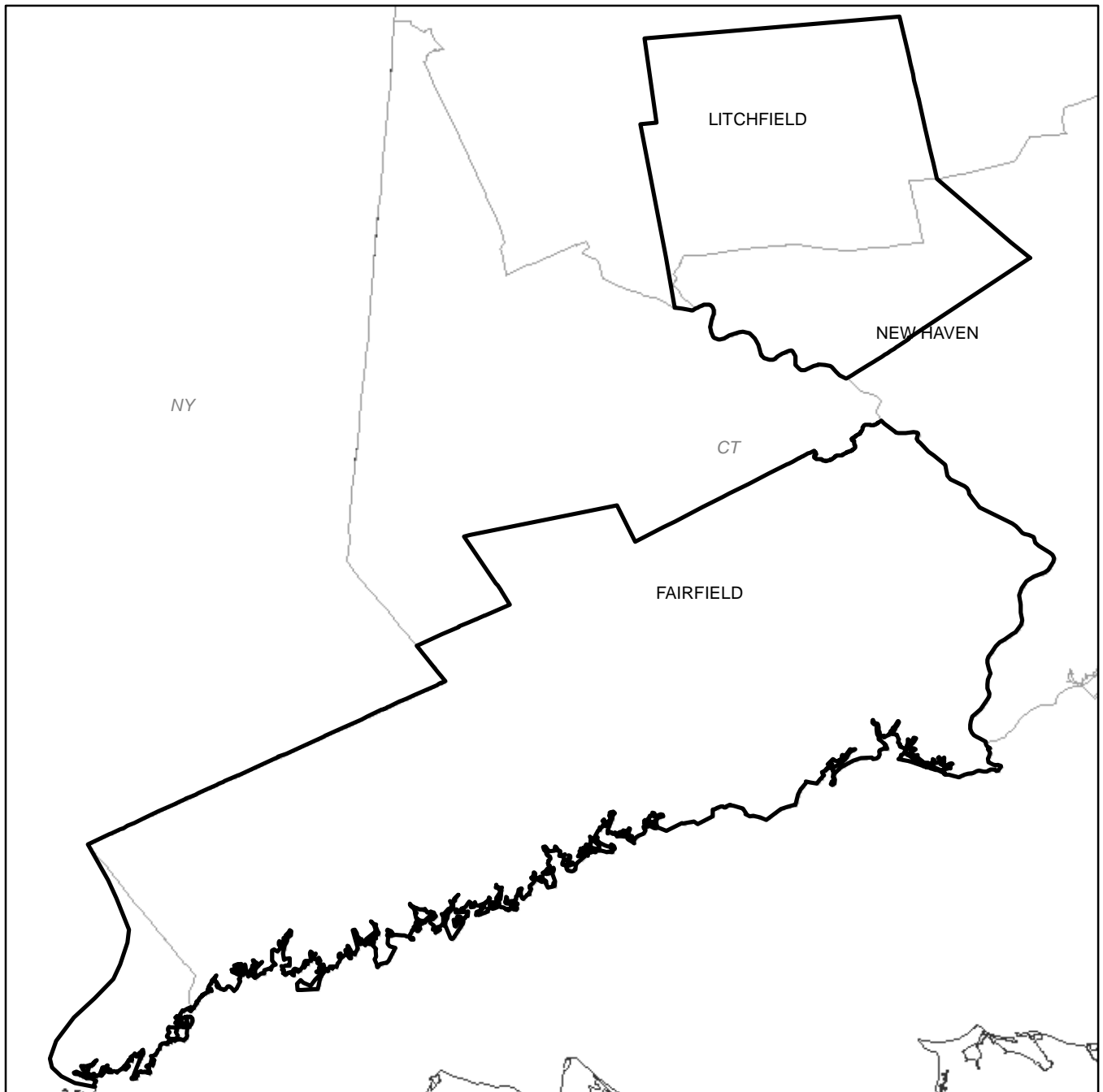
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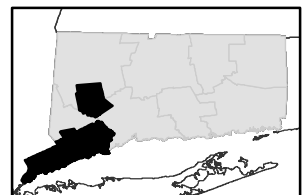
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FAIRFIELD gained town of Woodbury from Non-County Area 2.

593 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:253)





FAIRFIELD

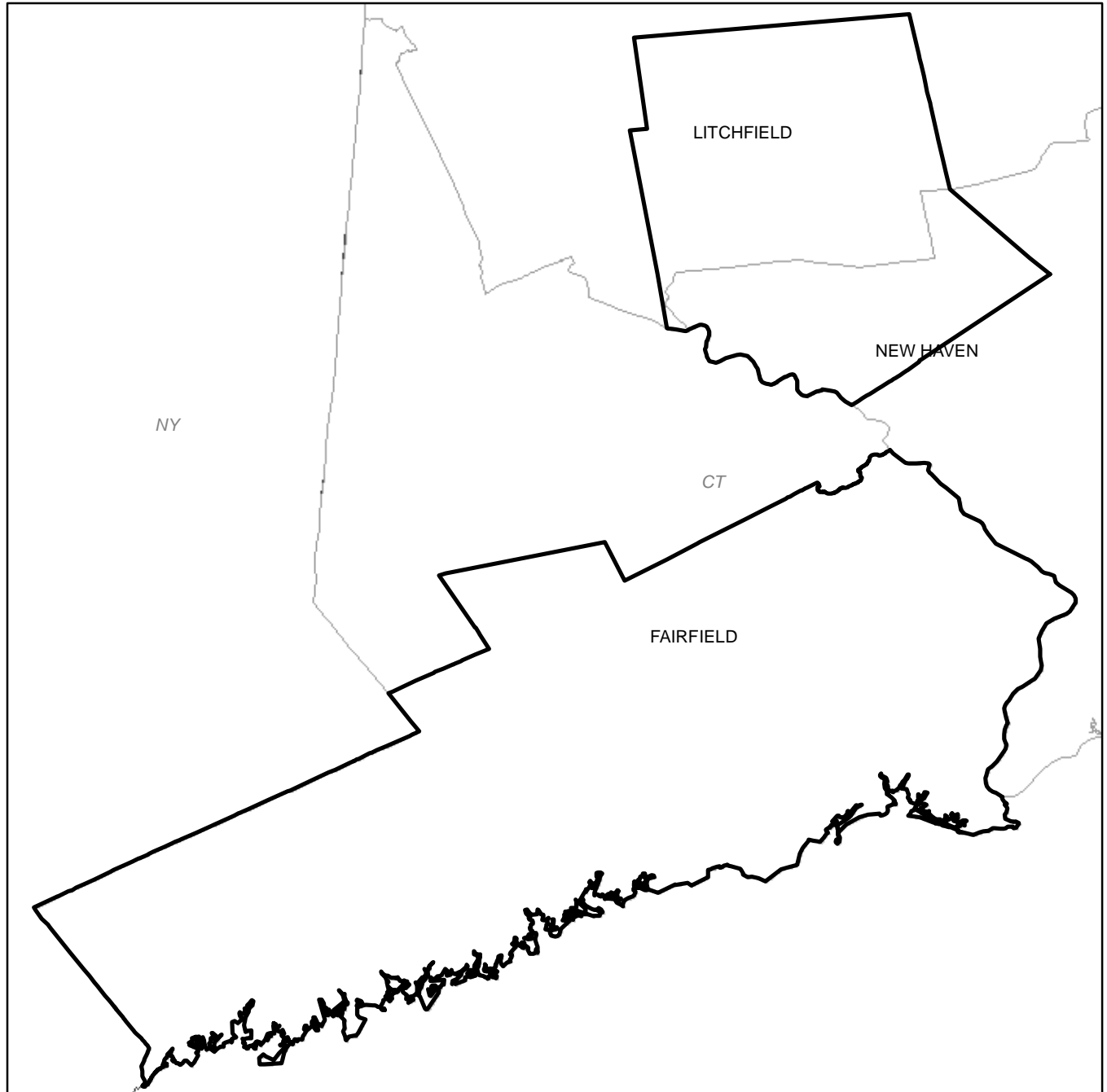
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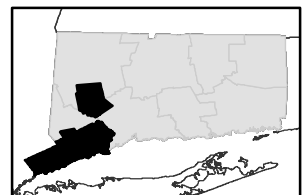
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FAIRFIELD lost to WESTCHESTER (N.Y.) when the provincial boundary between Connecticut and New York was adjusted and the town of Rye reverted to New York.

571 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 73-74; Van Zandt, 72-73)





FAIRFIELD

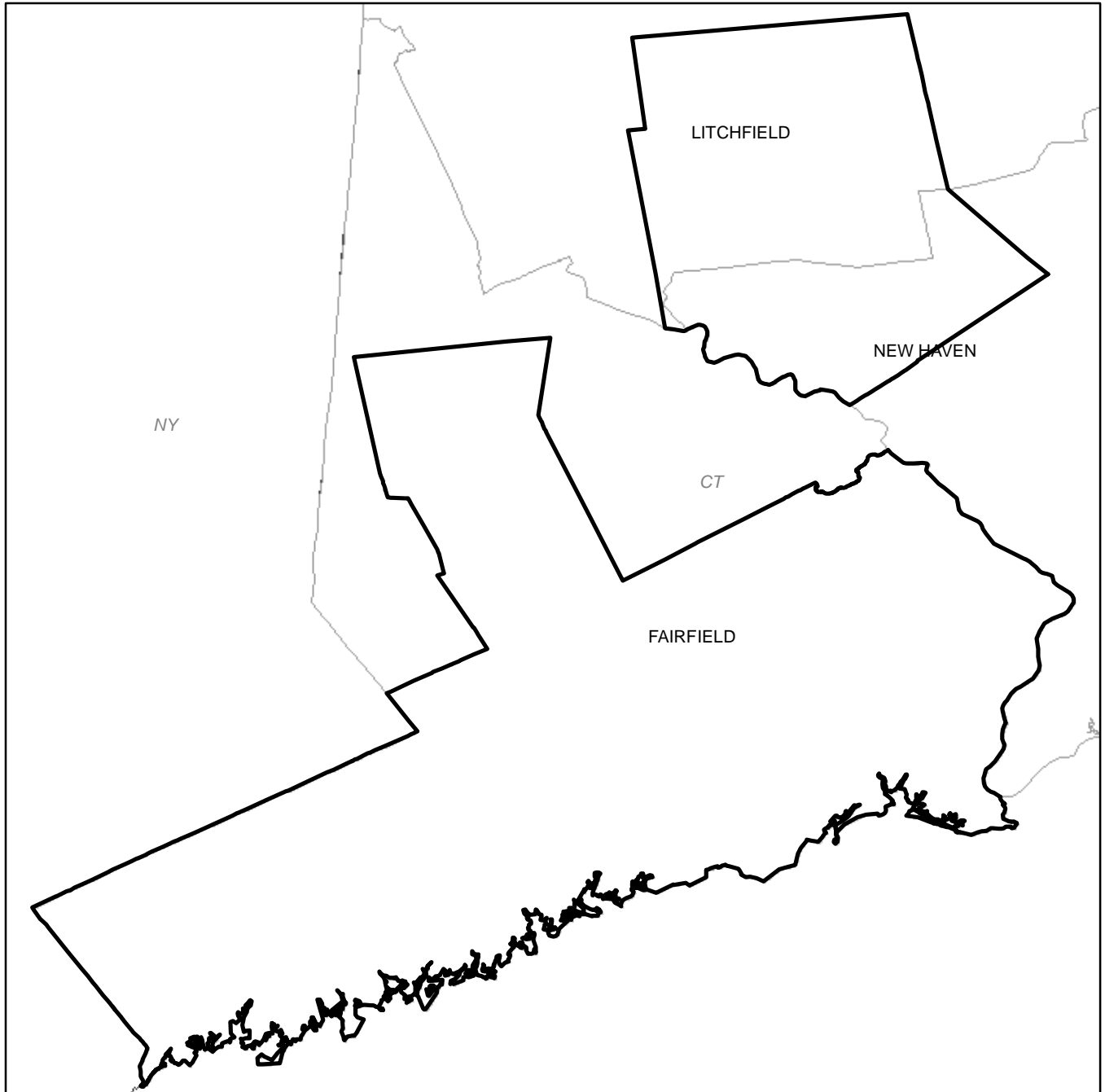
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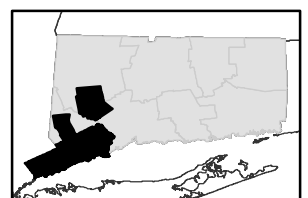
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FAIRFIELD gained town of Danbury from Non-County Area 2.

626 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 3:240)





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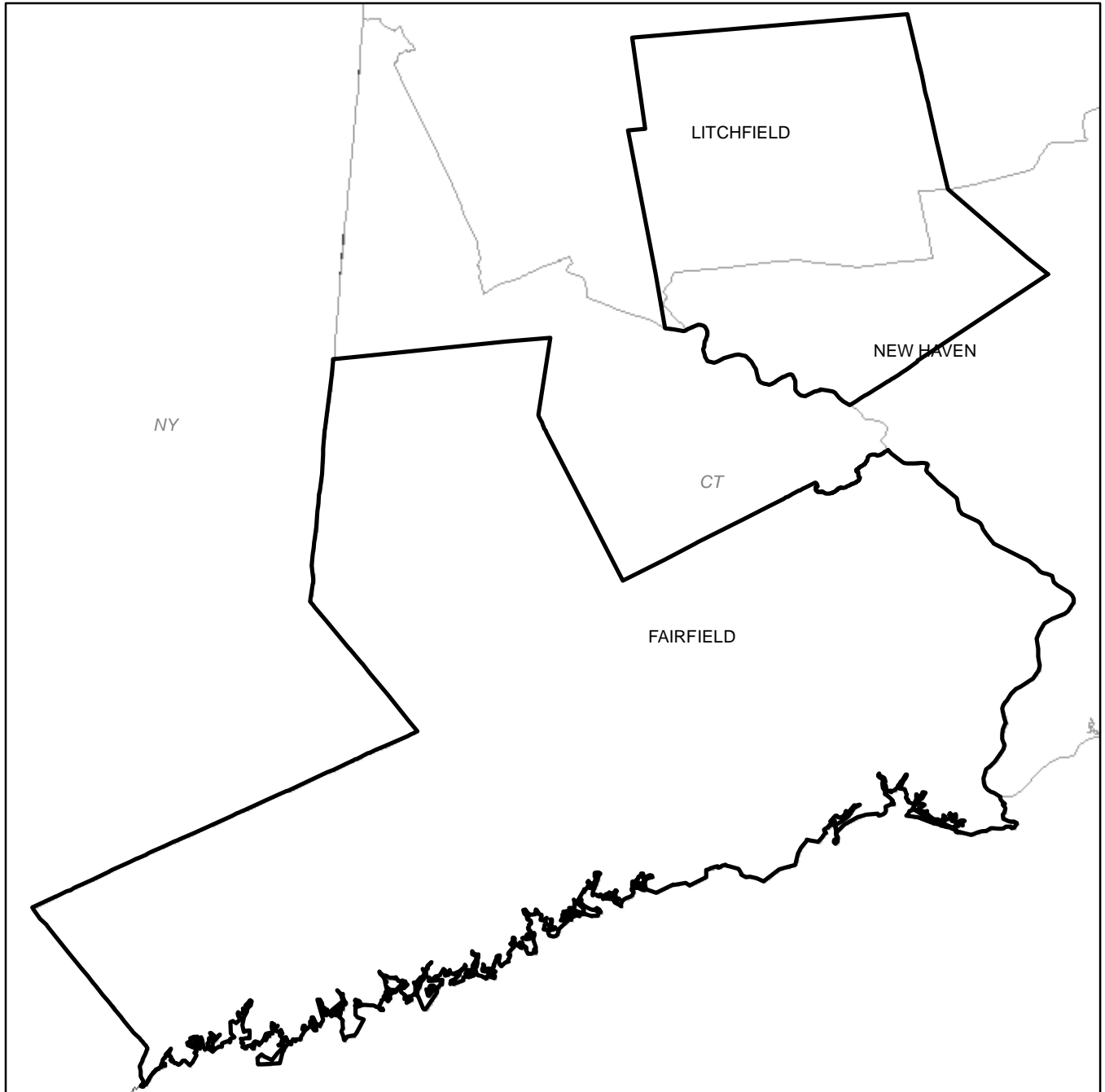
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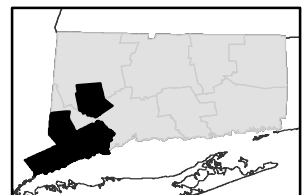
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FAIRFIELD gained town of Ridgefield from Non-County Area 2.

667 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:120-122)





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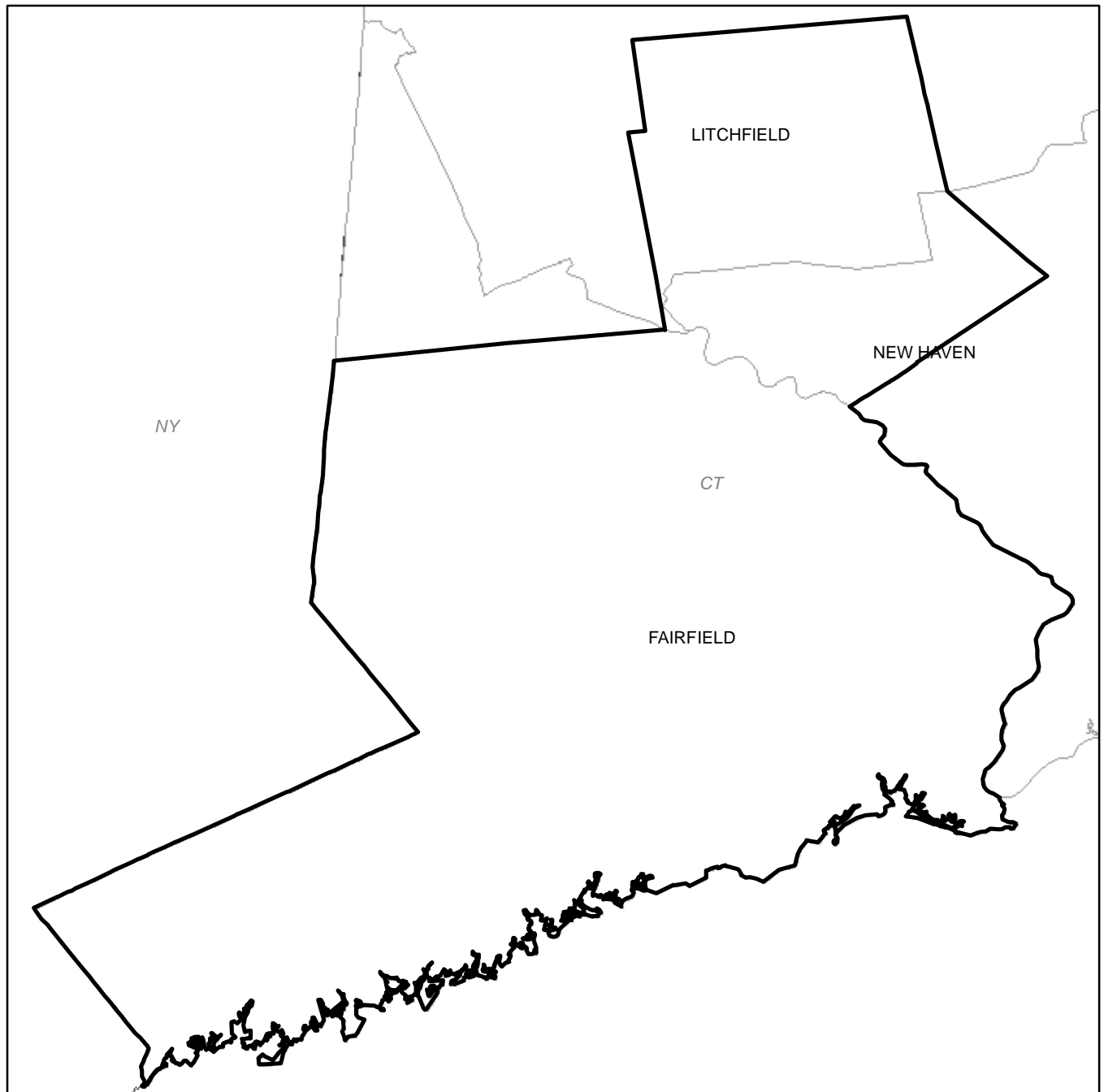
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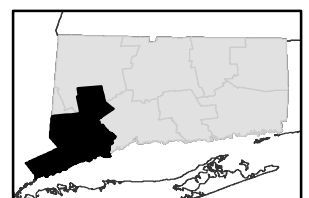
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FAIRFIELD gained town of Newtown from Non-County Area 6. Non-County Area 6 eliminated.

743 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:469-470)





FAIRFIELD

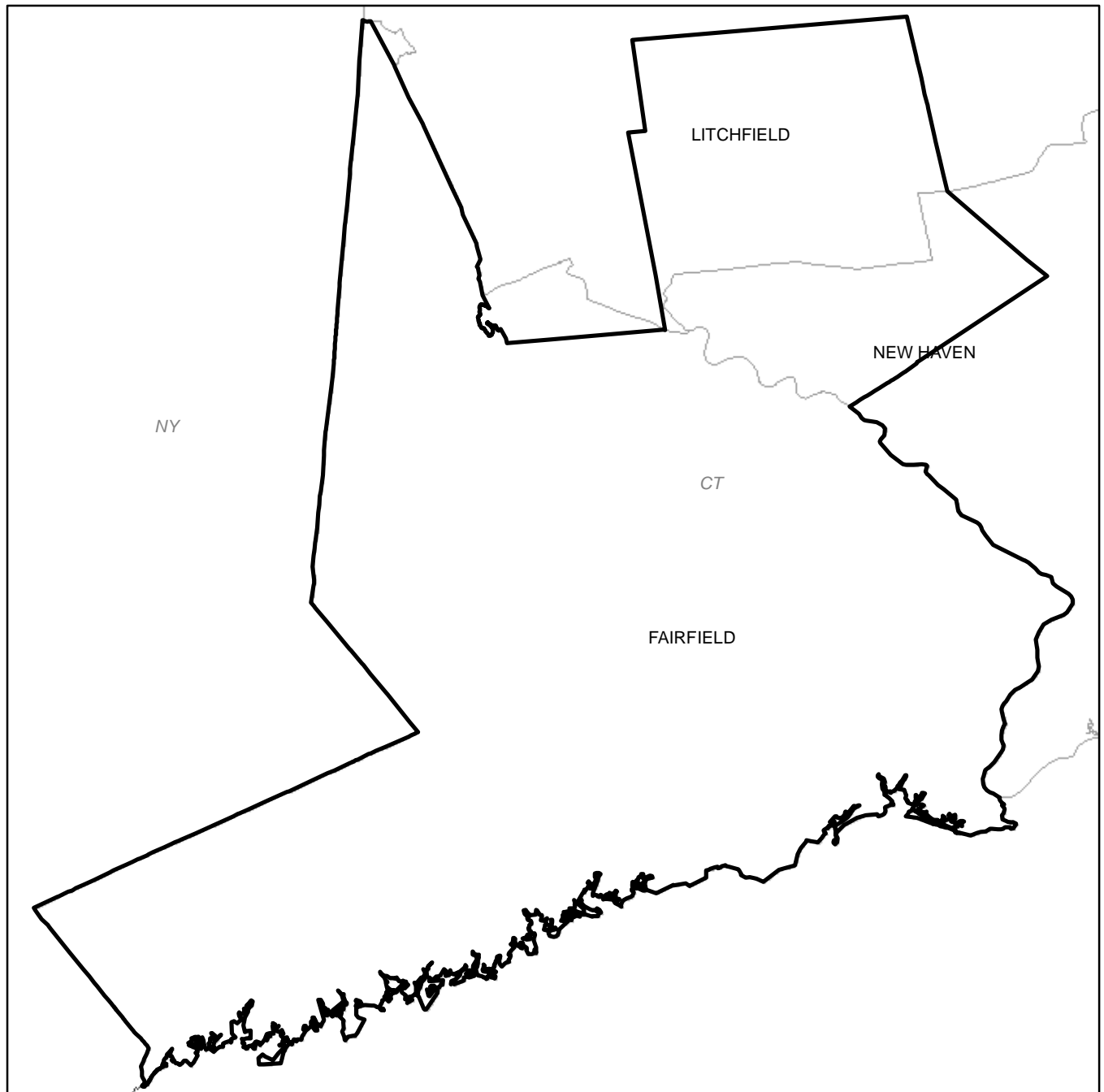
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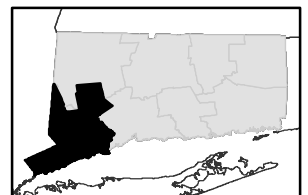
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FAIRFIELD gained town of New Fairfield from Non-County Area 2. Non-County Area 2 eliminated.

789 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:214)





FAIRFIELD

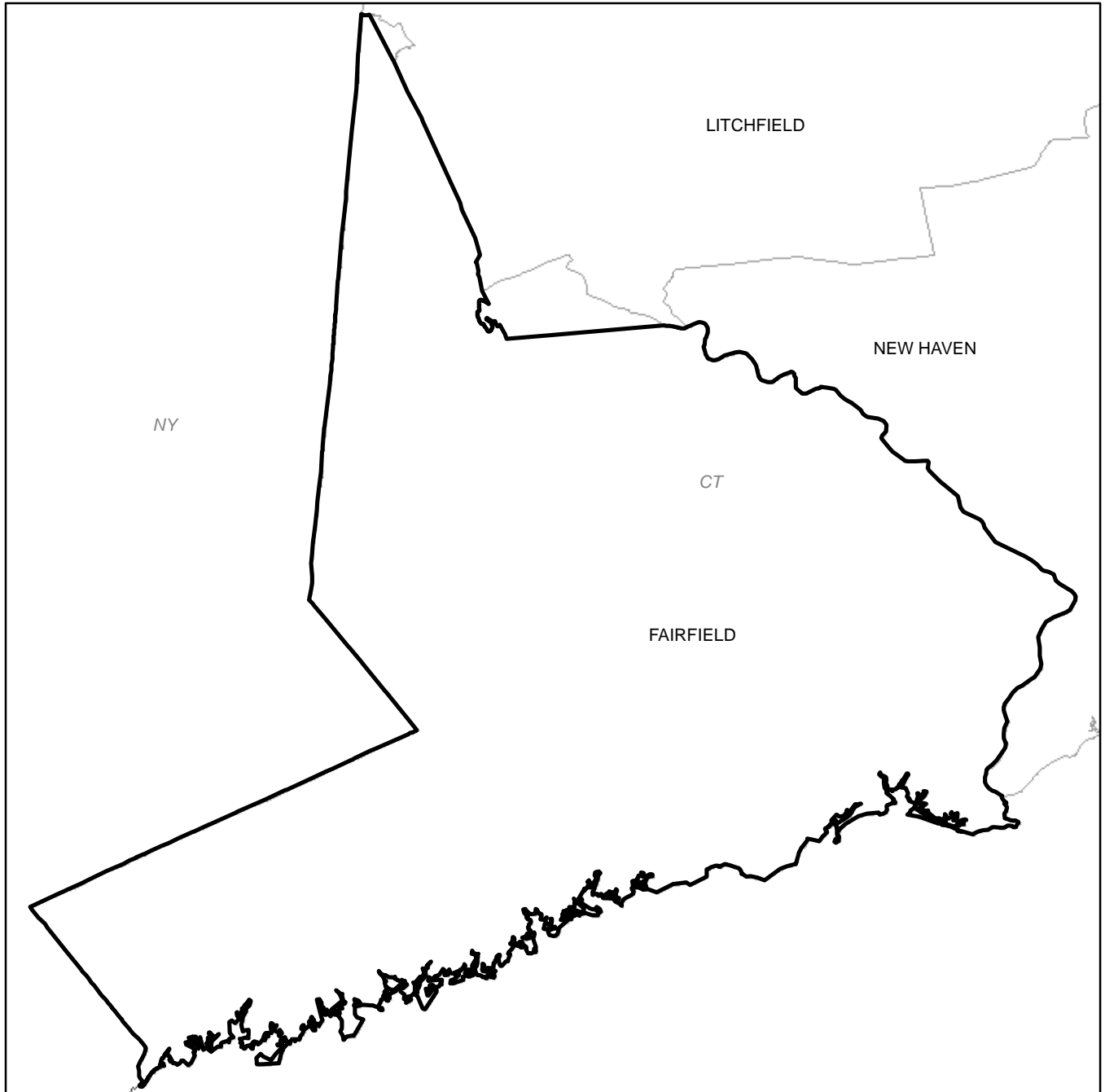
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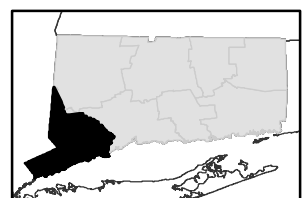
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FAIRFIELD lost to creation of LITCHFIELD.

633 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 10:56-58)





FAIRFIELD

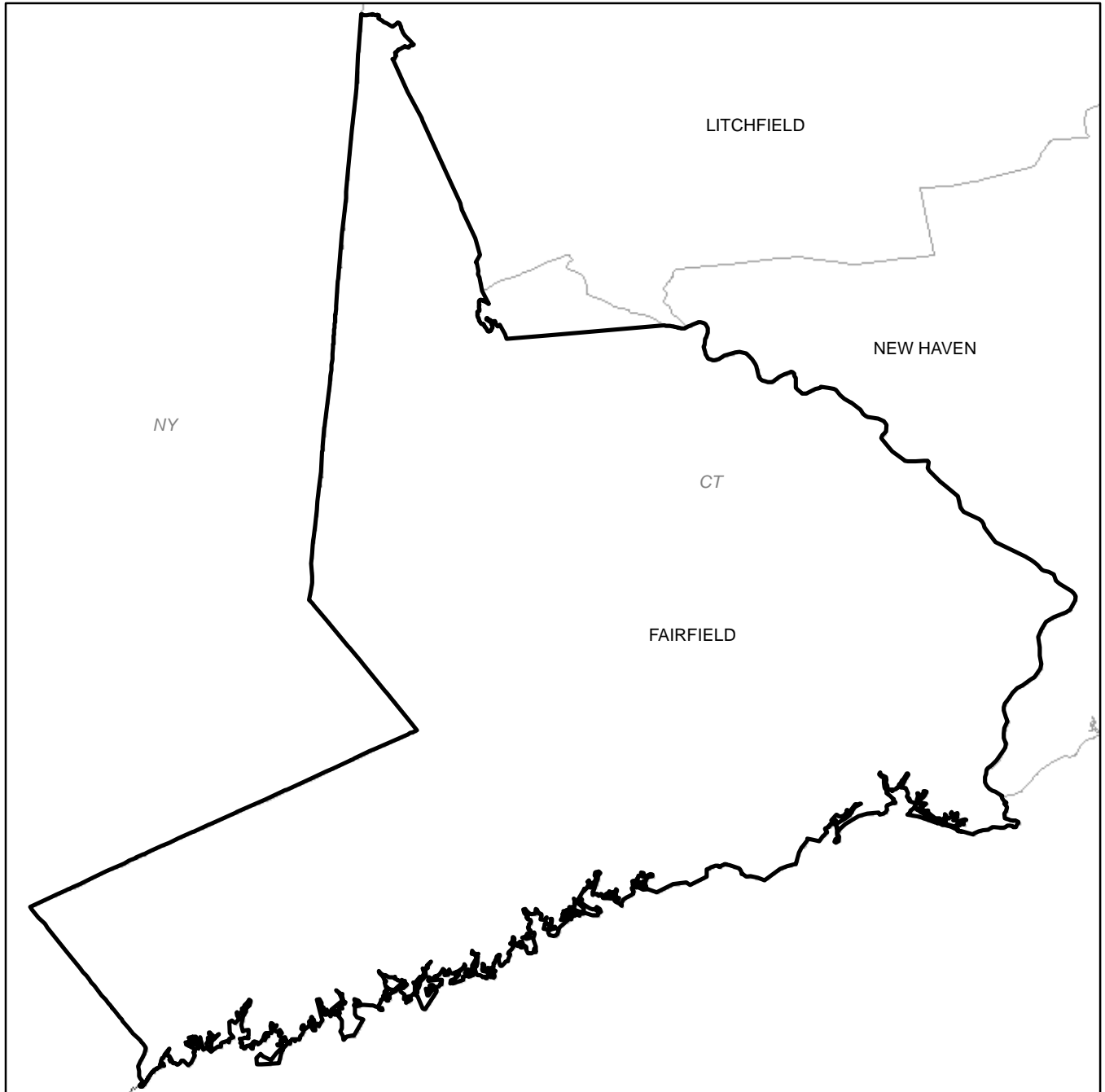
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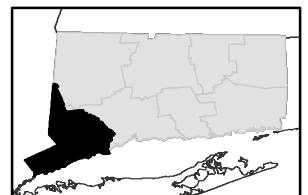
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FAIRFIELD gained small area from LITCHFIELD.

634 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 10:274-275)





FAIRFIELD

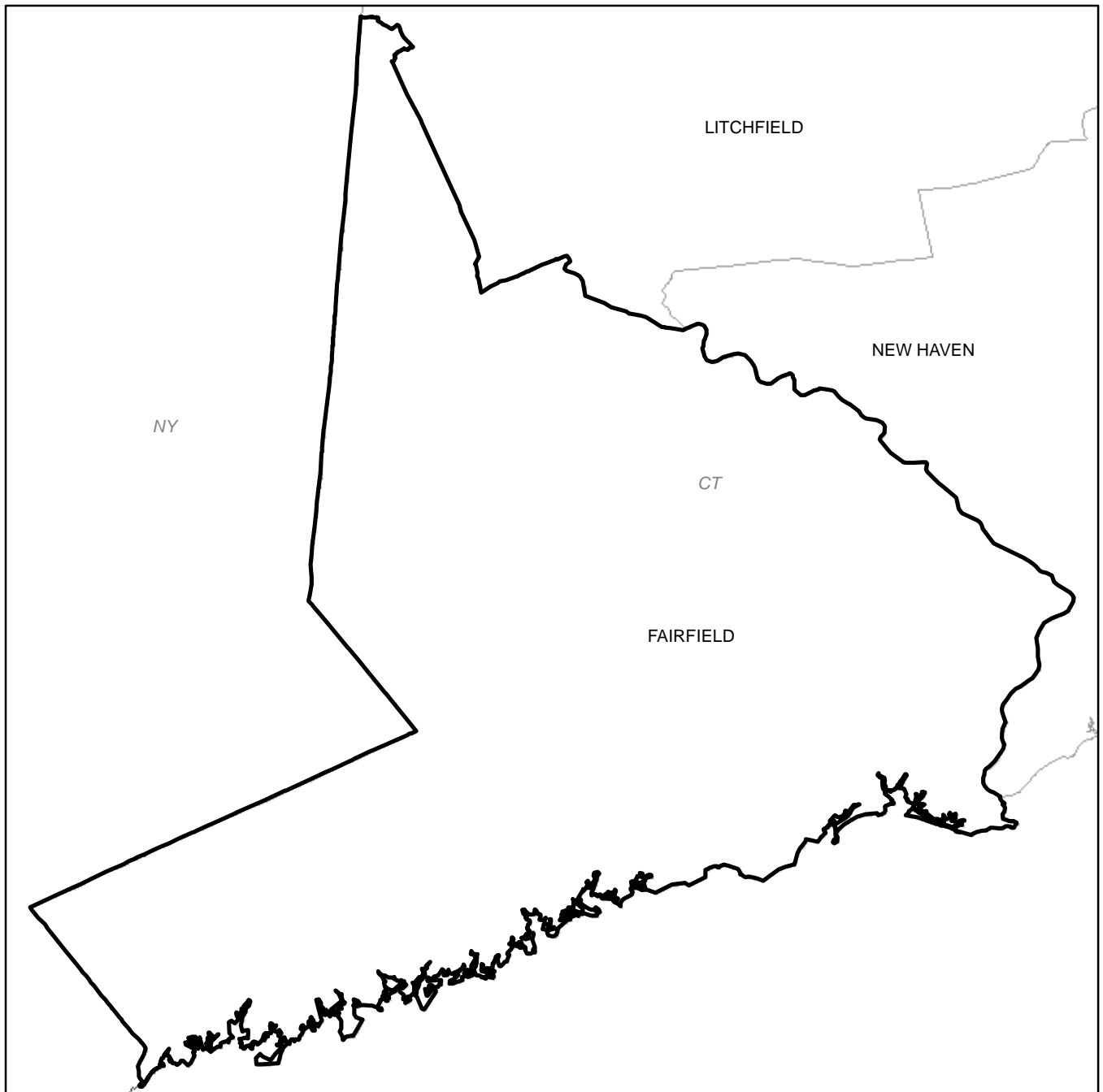
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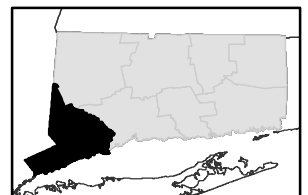
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FAIRFIELD gained from LITCHFIELD when town of Brookfield created from Danbury, Newtown, and New Milford.

645 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:410)





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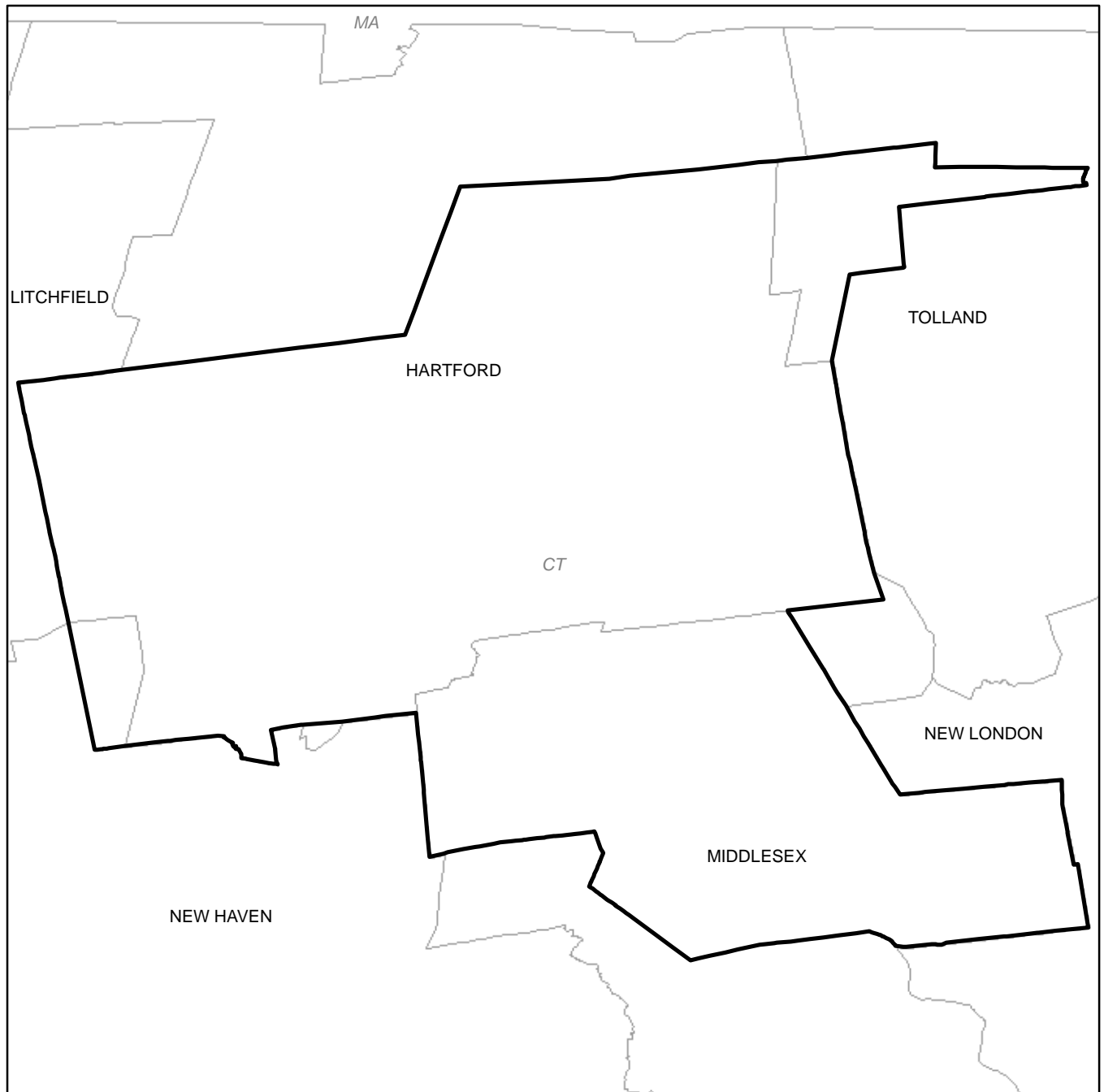
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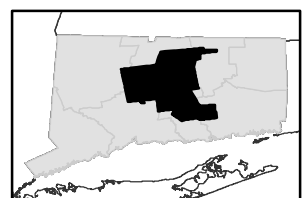
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776 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:34-35)





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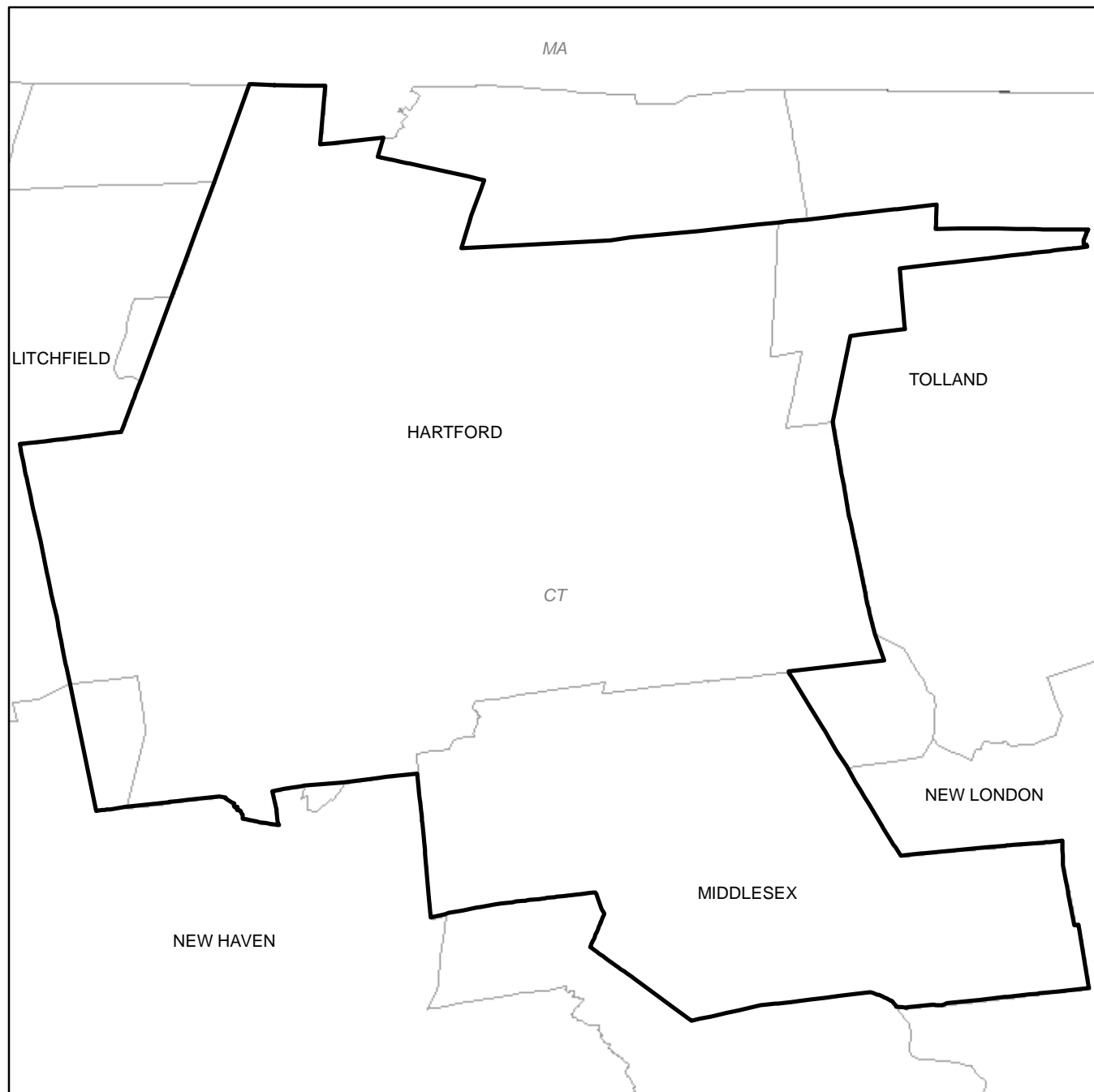
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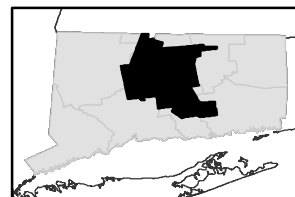
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HARTFORD gained town of Simsbury from Non-County Area 2.

895 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:127)





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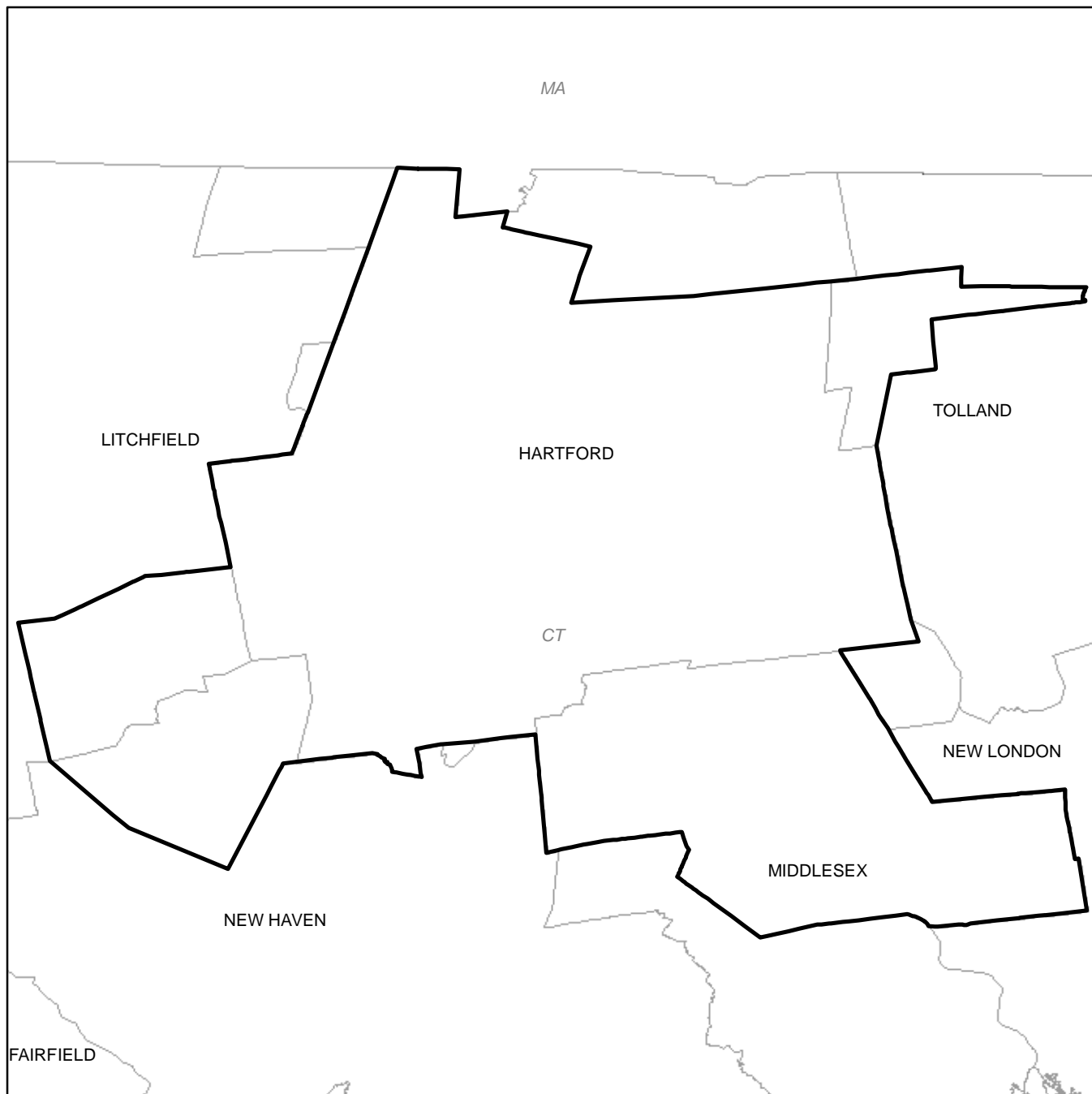
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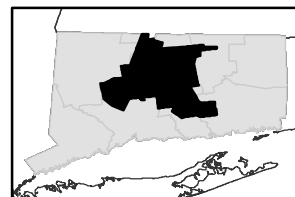
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HARTFORD gained town of Waterbury from Non-County Area 2.

1,017 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 3:197)





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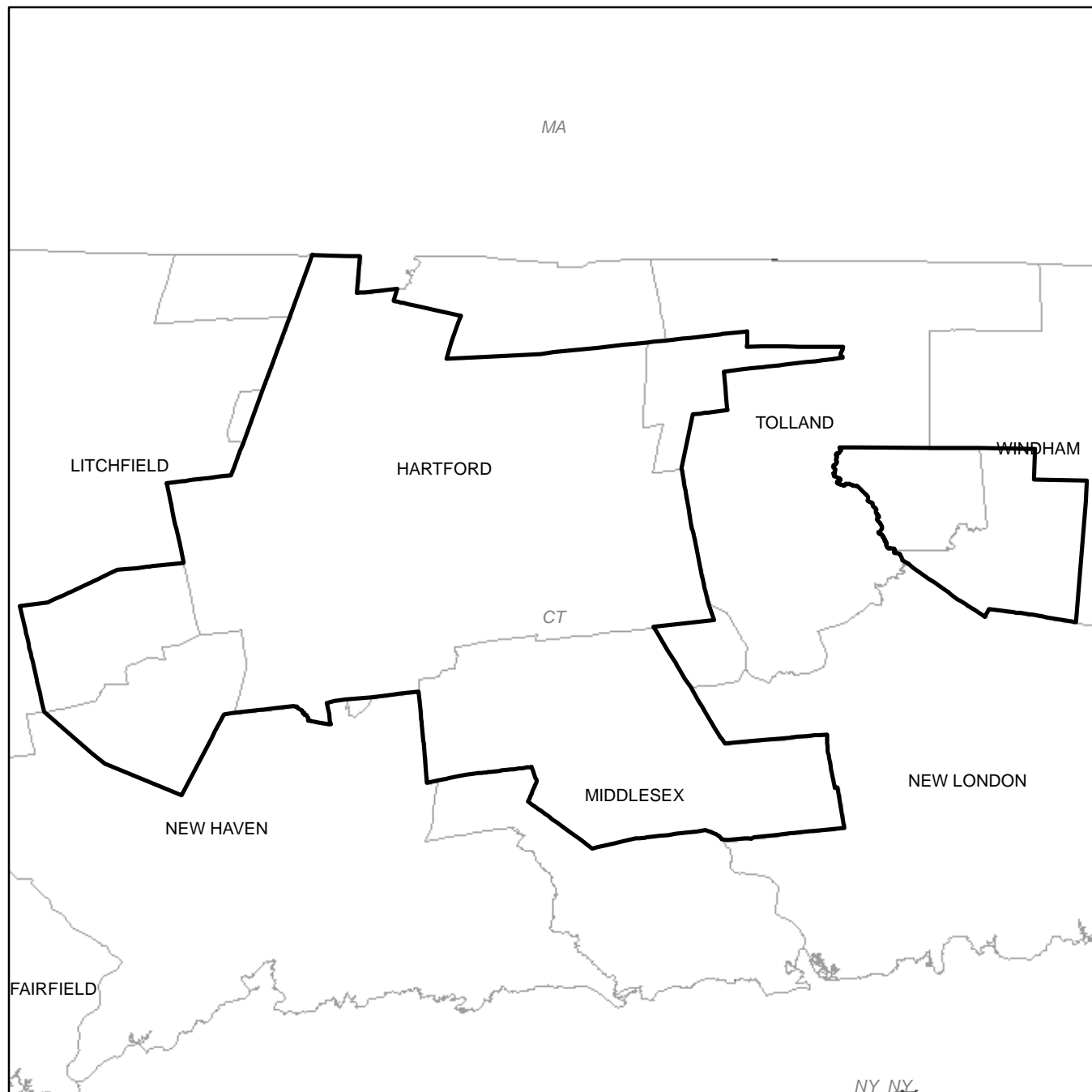
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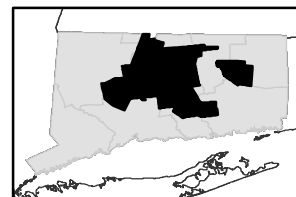
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HARTFORD gained town of Windham from Non-County Area 1.

1,137 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:123-124)





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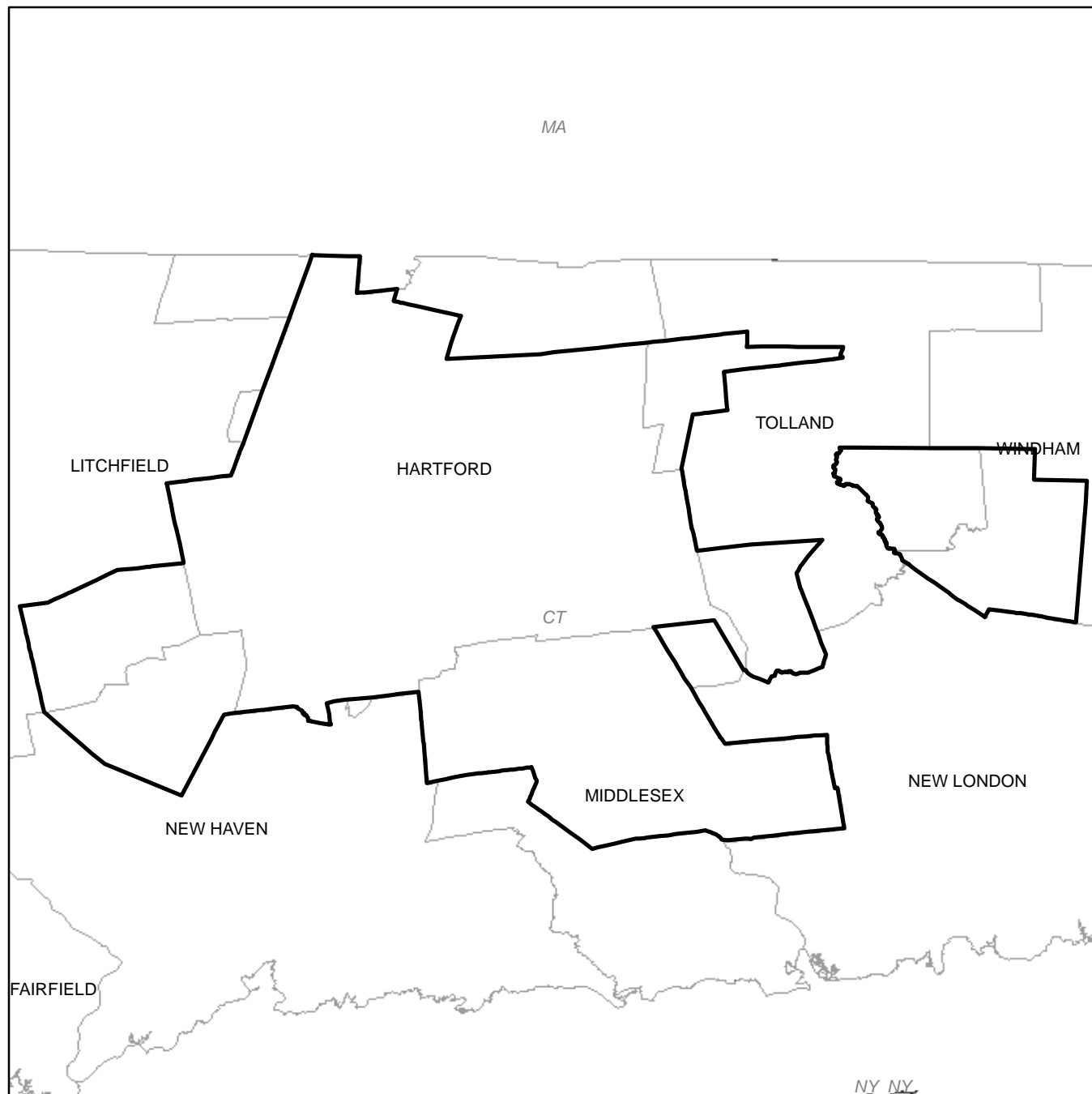
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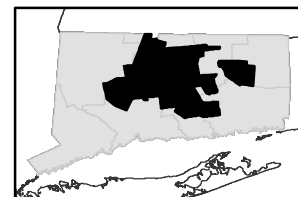
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HARTFORD gained town of Hebron from Non-County Area 1.

1,186 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:64)





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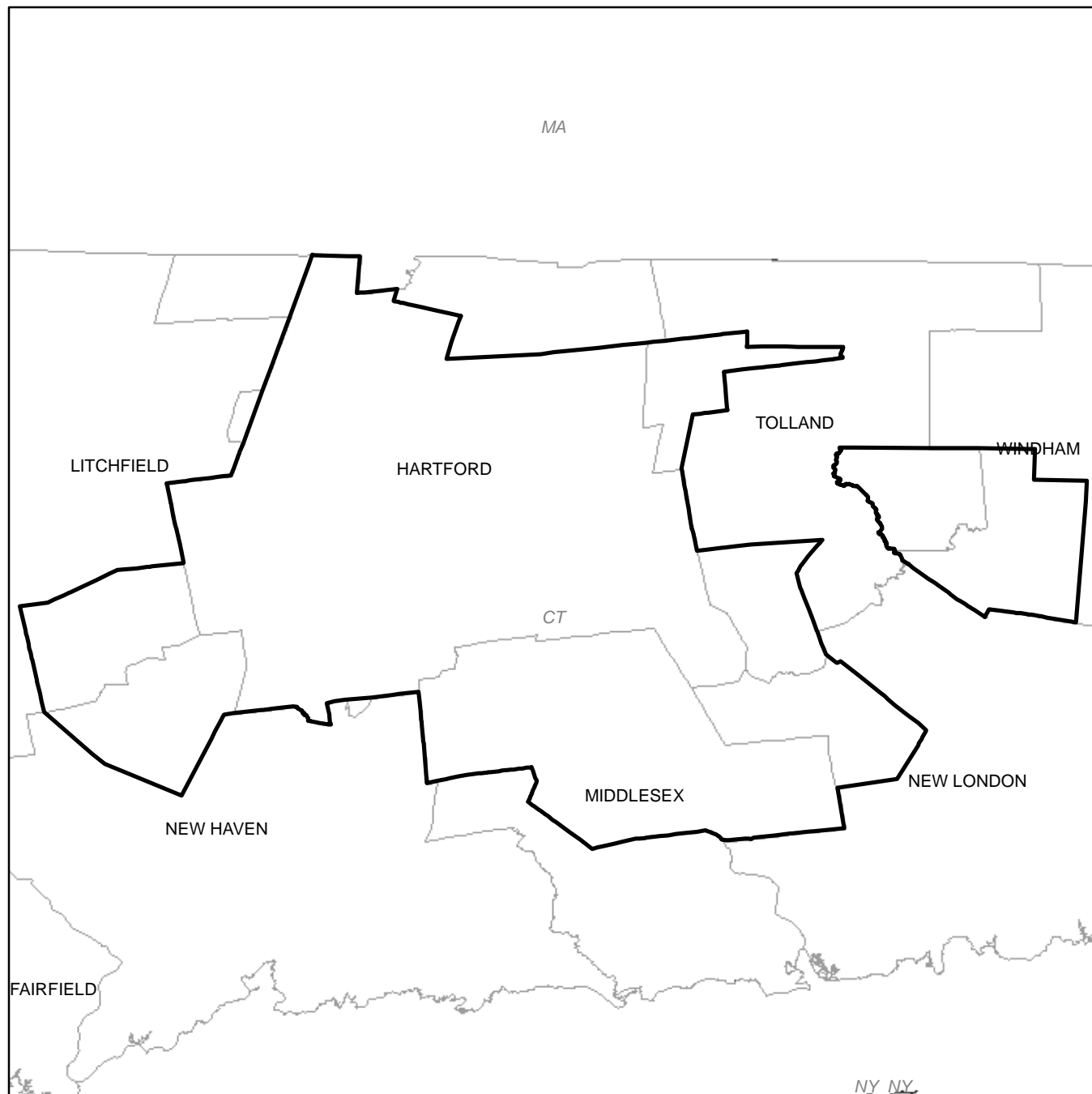
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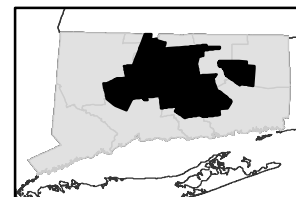
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HARTFORD gained town of Colchester from NEW LONDON.

1,264 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:80-81)





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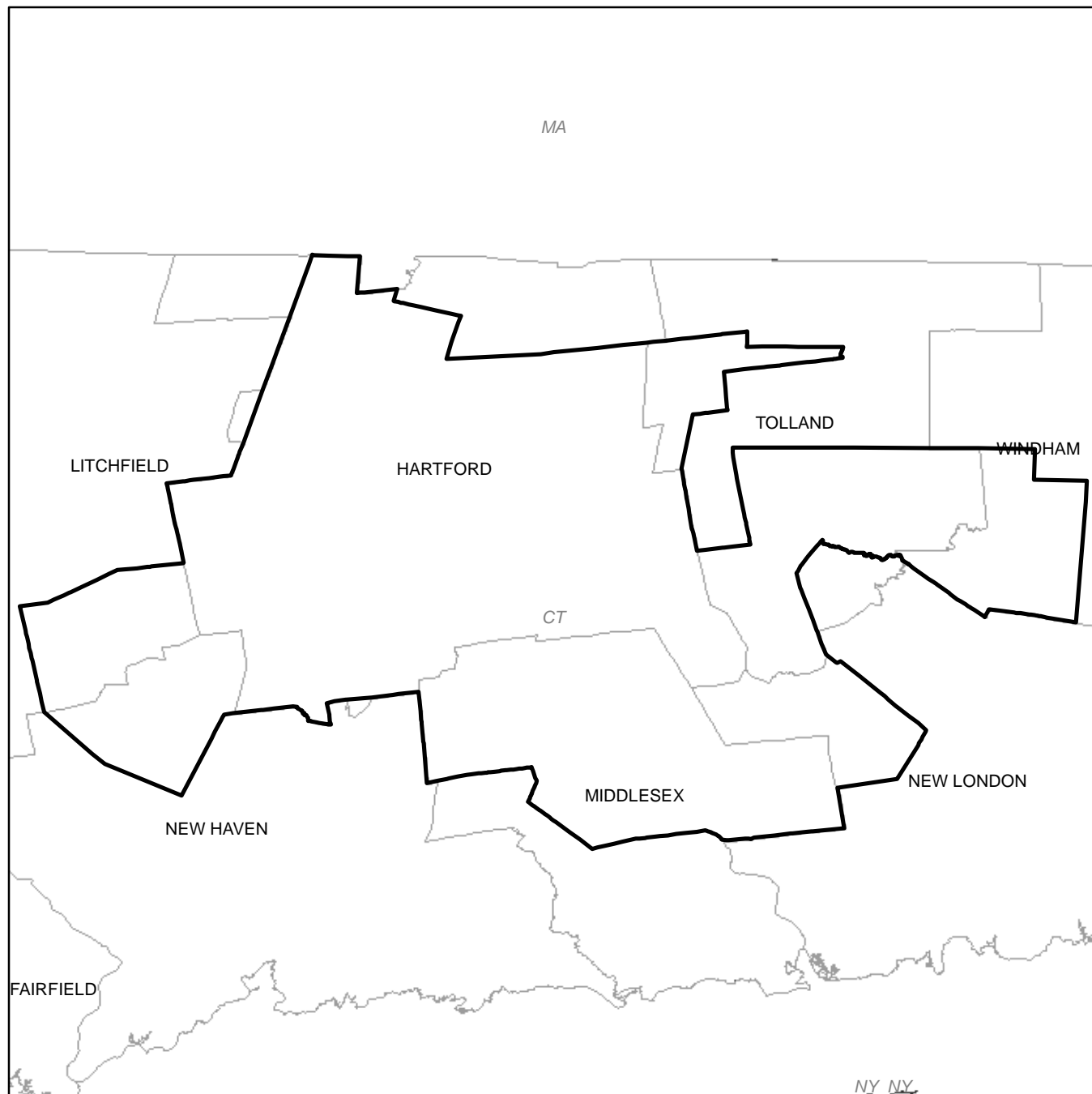
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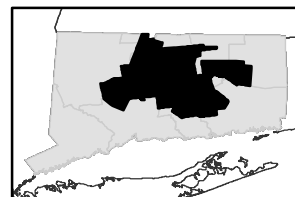
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HARTFORD gained town of Coventry from Non-County Area 1.

1,311 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:321-322)





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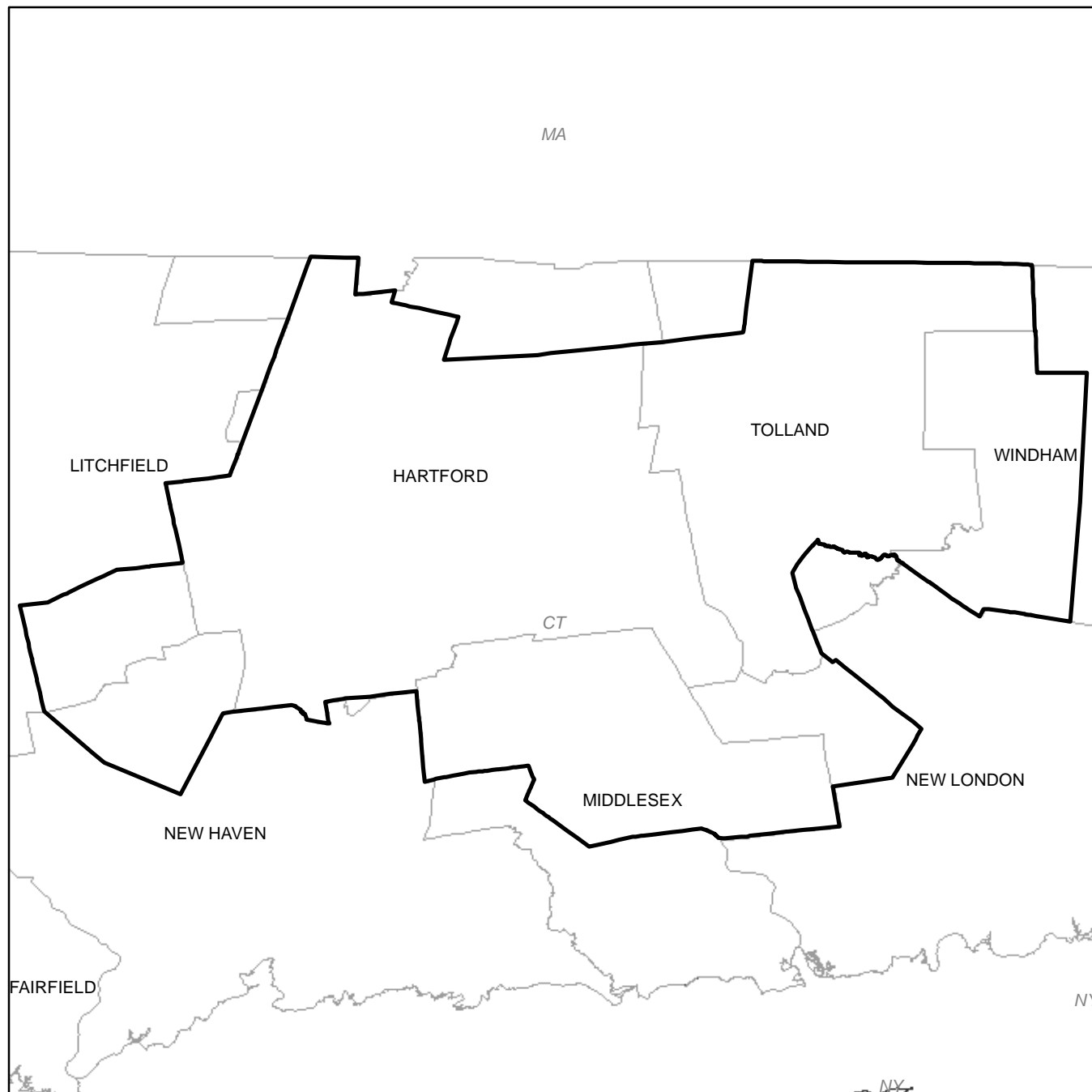
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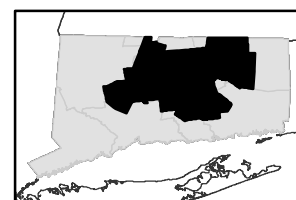
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HARTFORD gained from Non-County Area 1. Non-County Area 1 eliminated.

1,573 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:427)





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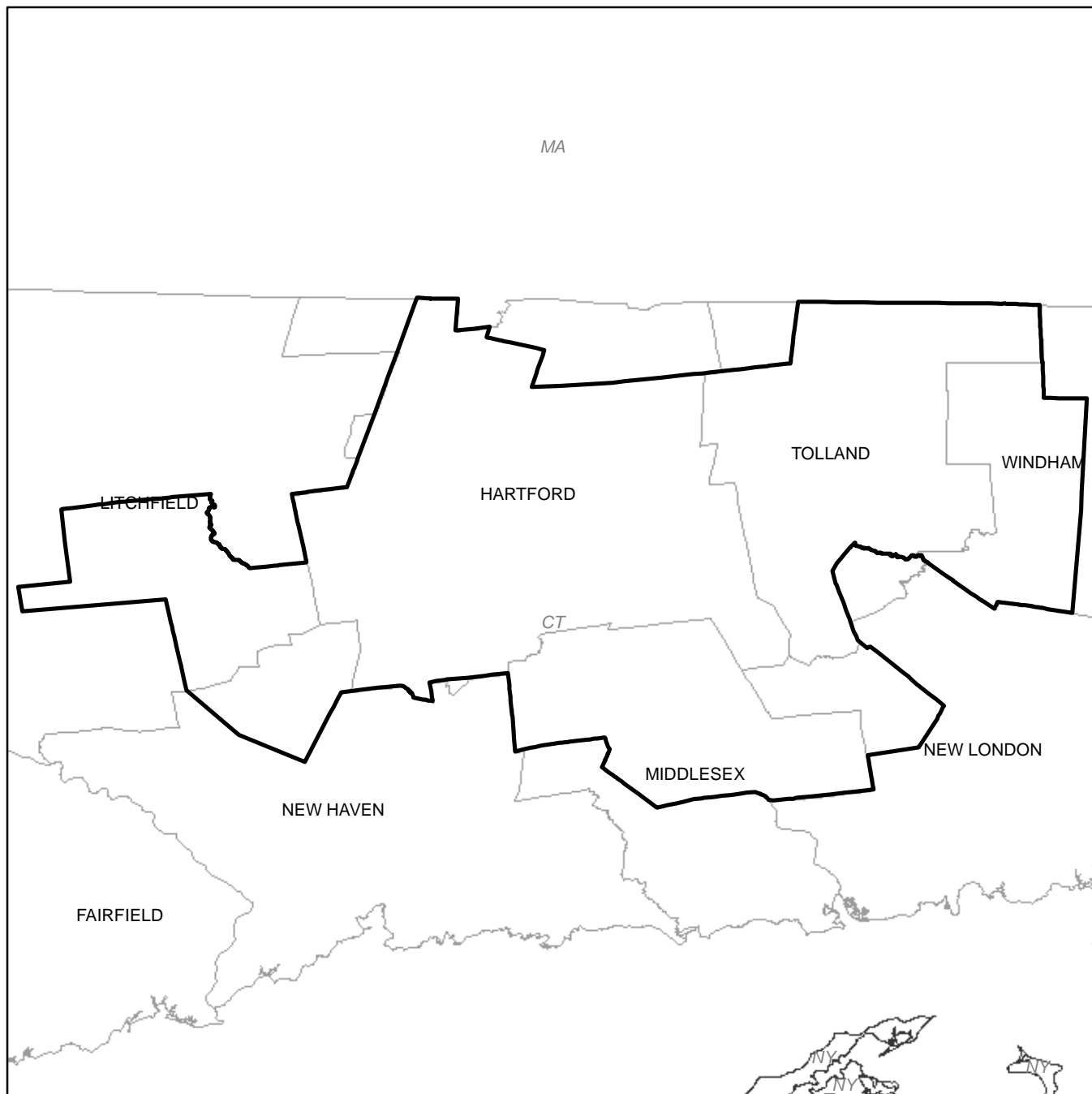
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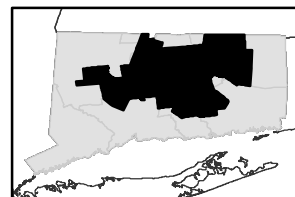
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HARTFORD gained town of Litchfield from Non-County Area 2.

1,661 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 6:339)





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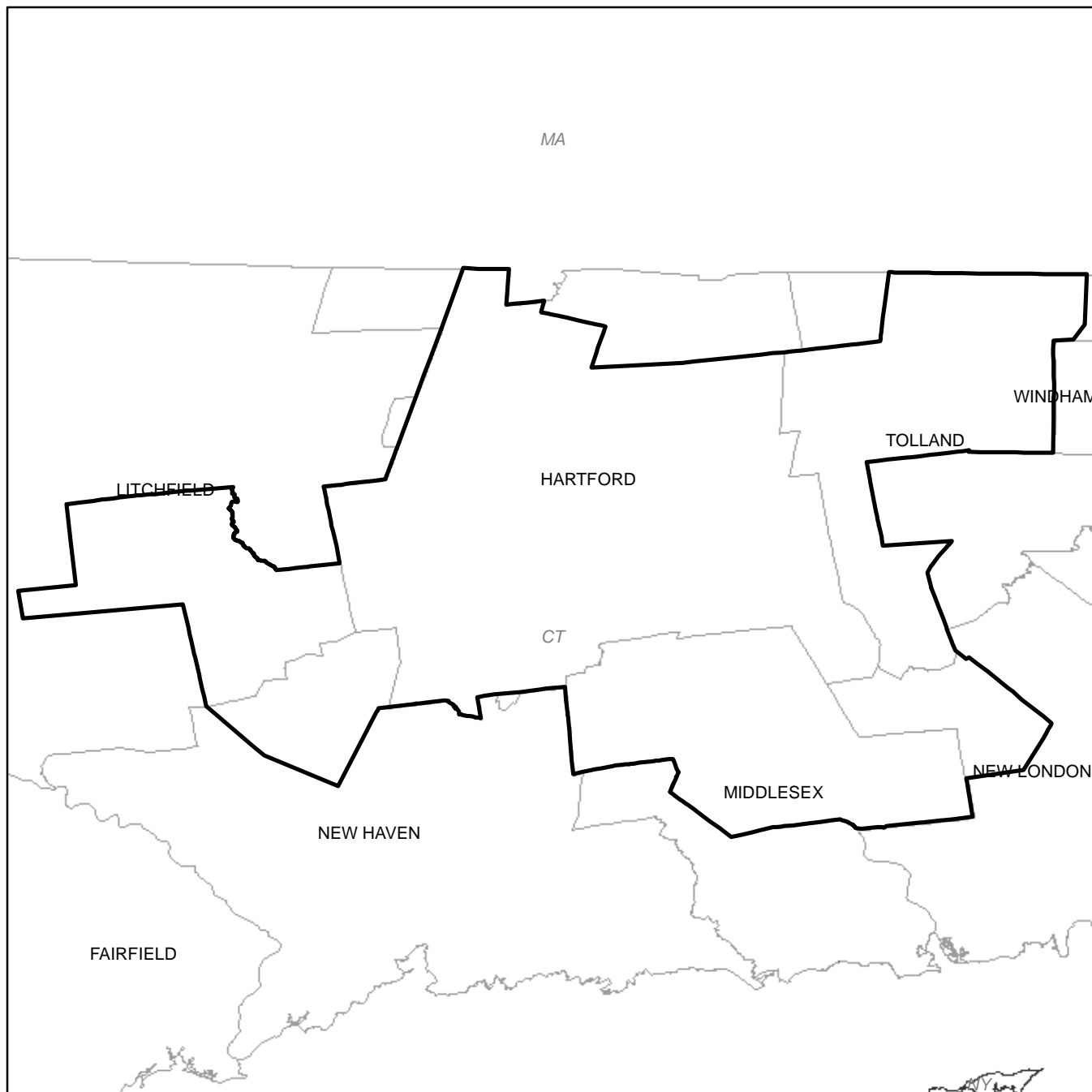
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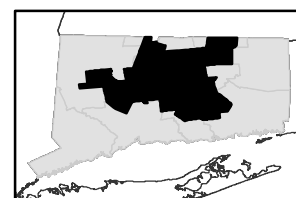
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HARTFORD lost to creation of WINDHAM.

1,401 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:11-13)





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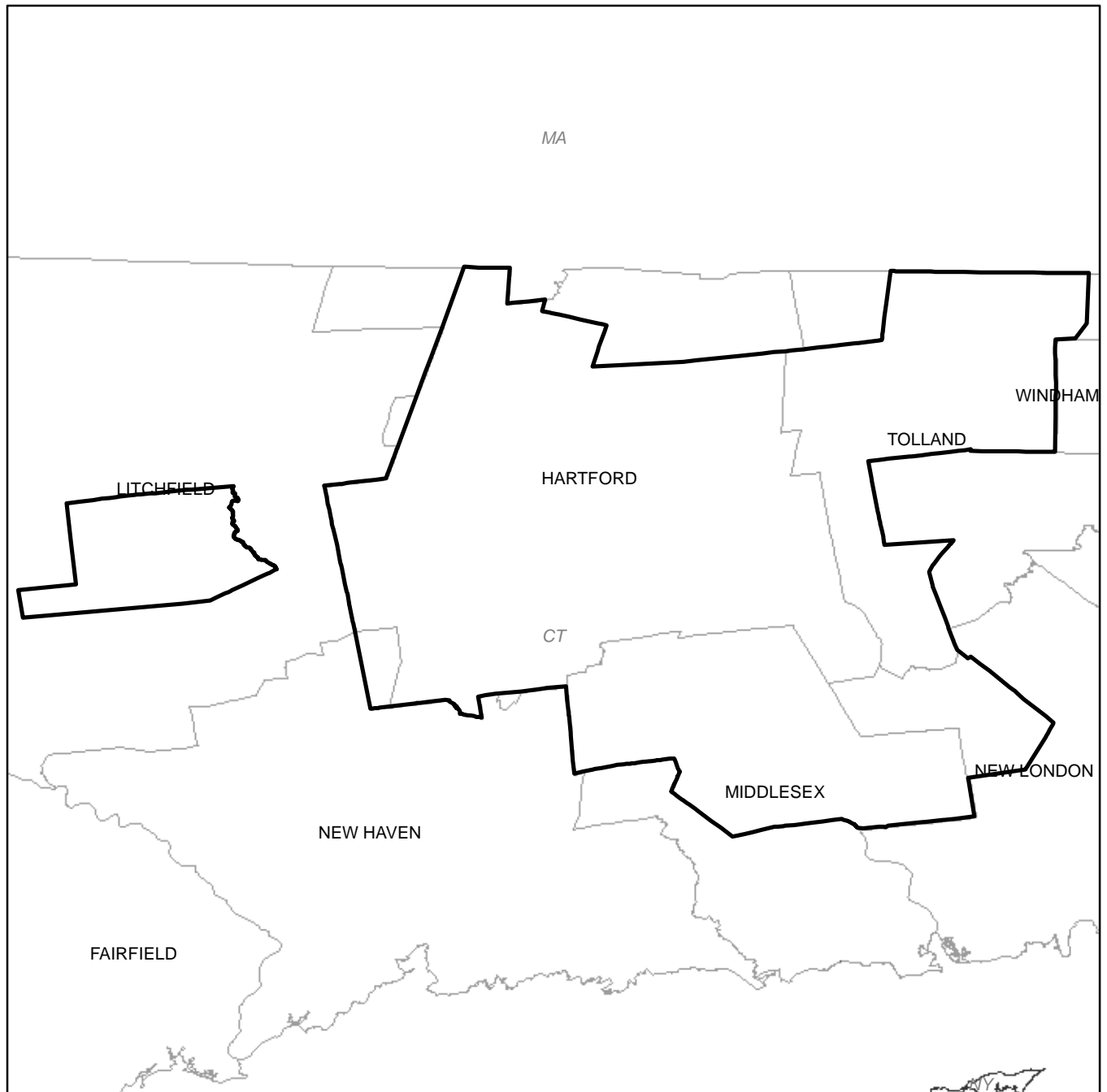
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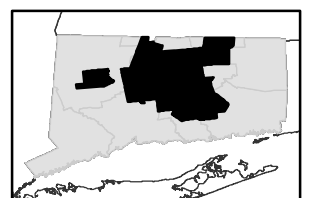
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HARTFORD lost the town of Waterbury to NEW HAVEN.

1,279 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:168)





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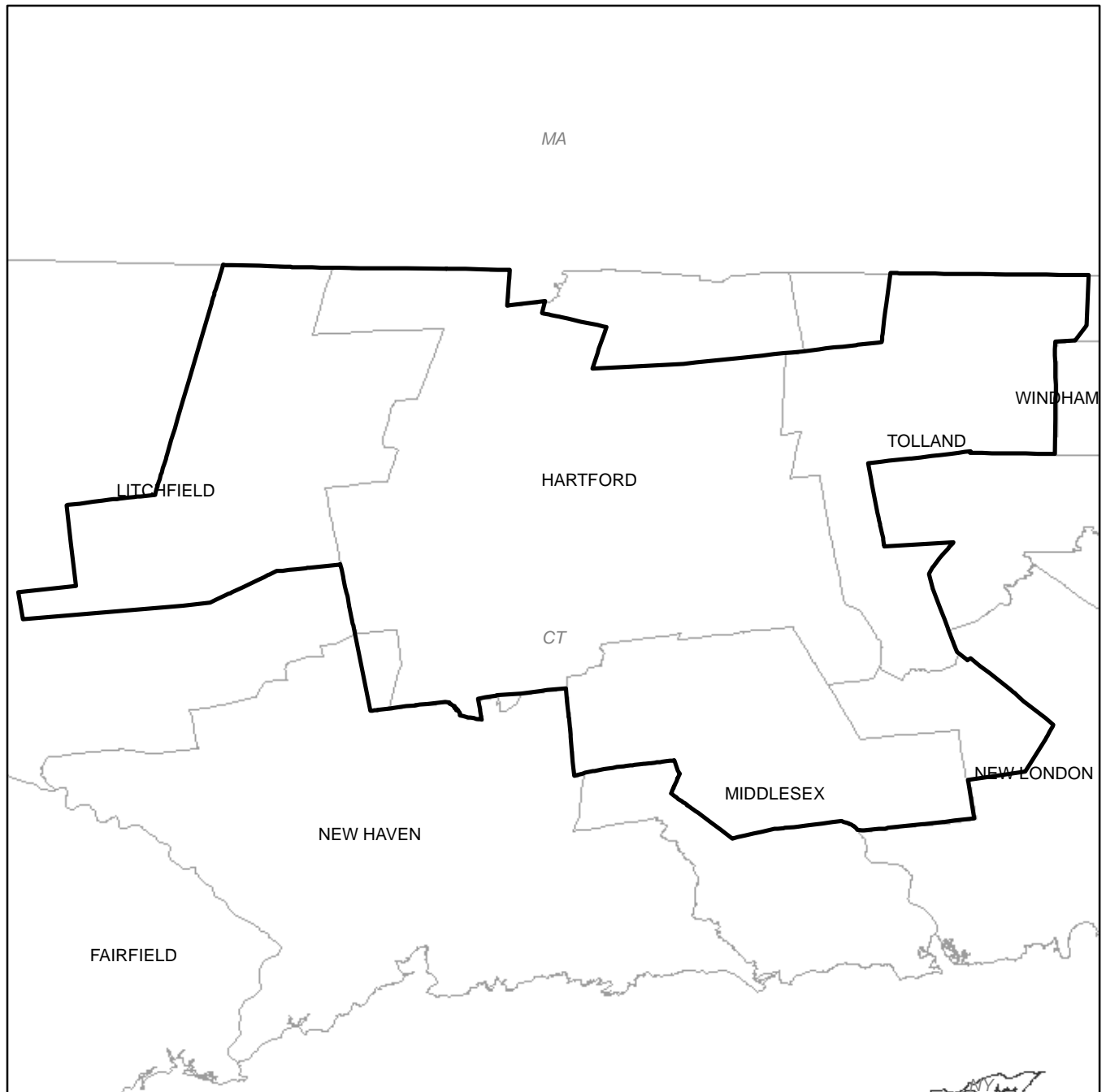
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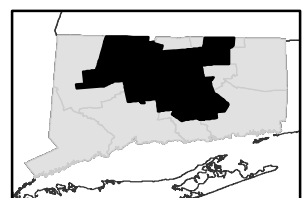
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HARTFORD gained the towns of Barkhamsted, Colebrook, Hartland, Harwinton, New Hartford, Torrington, and Winchester from NEW HAVEN.

1,530 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:272, 387-390, 445-449)





HARTFORD

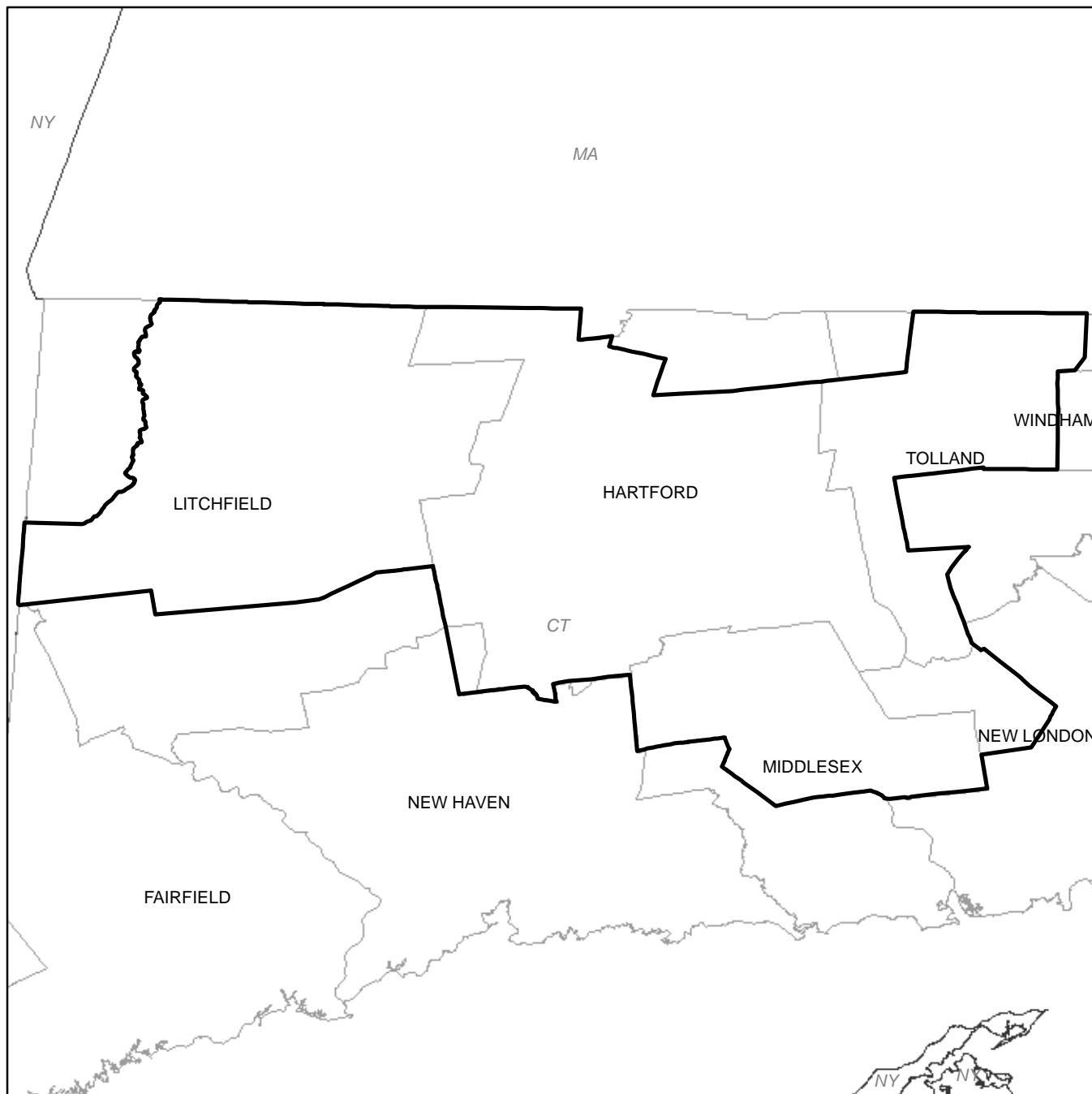
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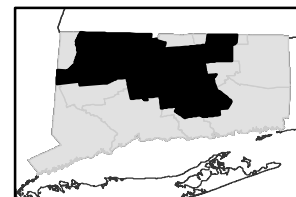
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HARTFORD gained towns of Canaan, Cornwall, Goshen, Kent, and Norfolk from NEW HAVEN.

1,797 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 8:169-171)





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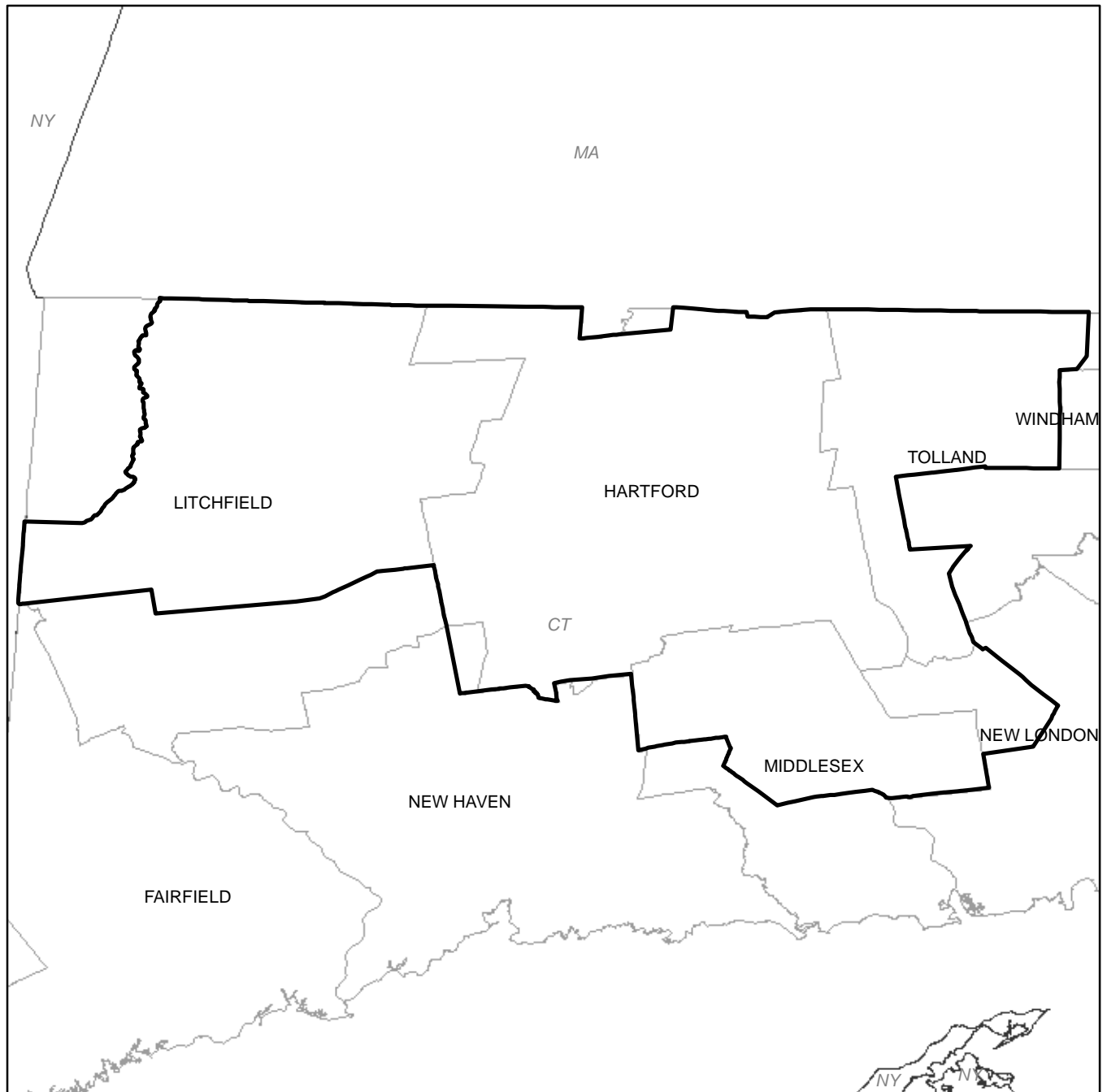
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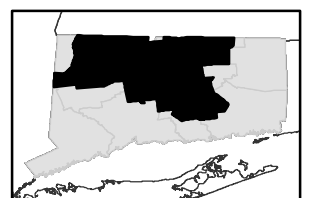
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HARTFORD gained all of Non-County Area 7 [the towns of Enfield, Somers, and Suffield], in accordance with the May 1749 annexation from Massachusetts.

1,902 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 9:476)





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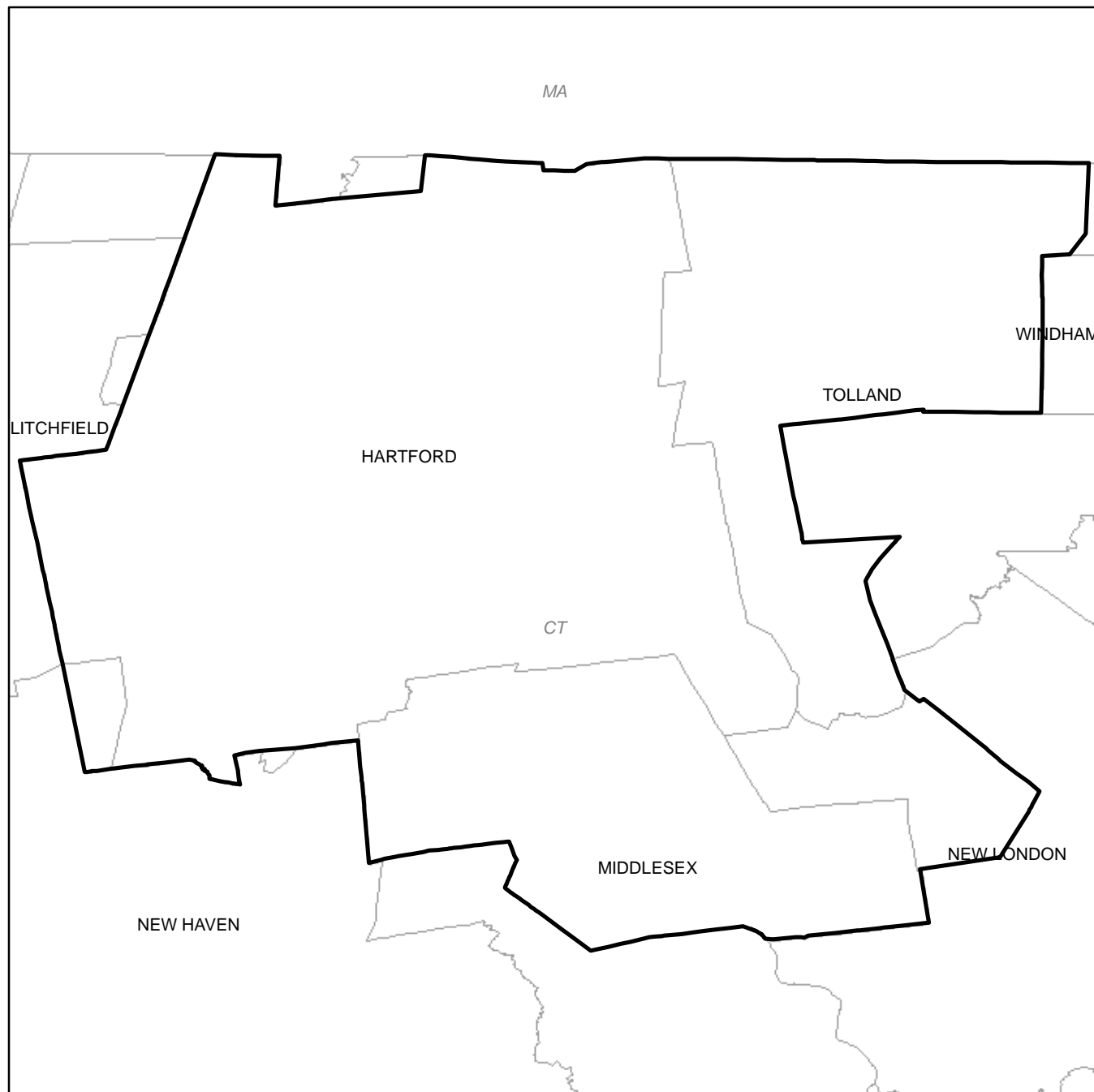
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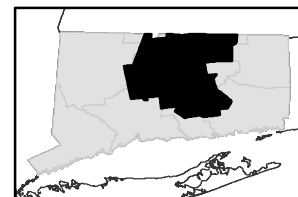
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HARTFORD lost to creation of LITCHFIELD.

1,295 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 10:56-58)





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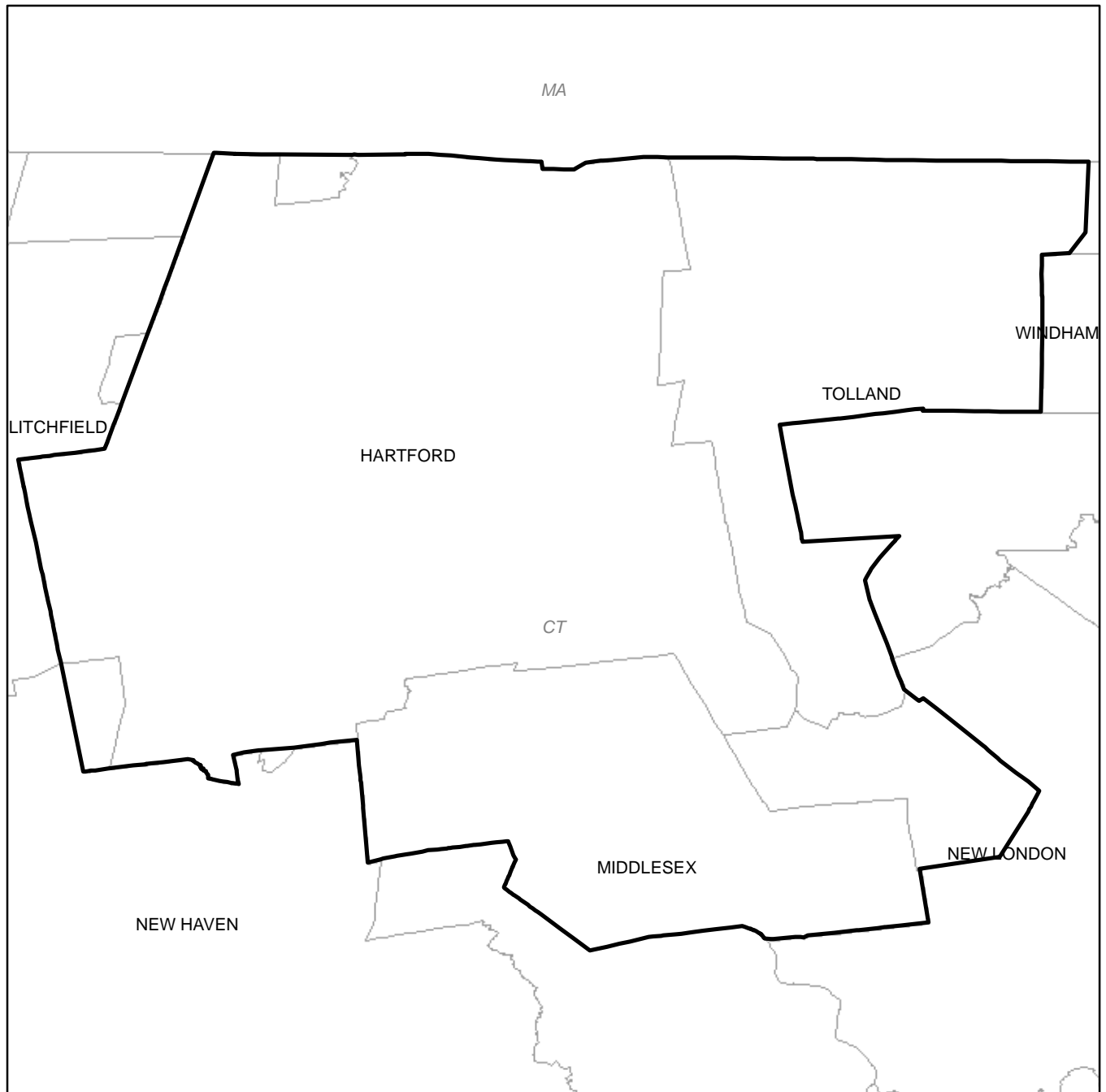
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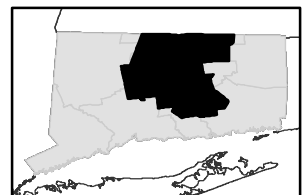
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In 1774, HARTFORD gained from HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) when Connecticut unilaterally took over a small part of the town of Southwick (Mass.), that extended south of the 1713 provincial boundary. HARTFORD included a small area of Massachusetts.

1,308 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 65; Hooker, 25)





HARTFORD

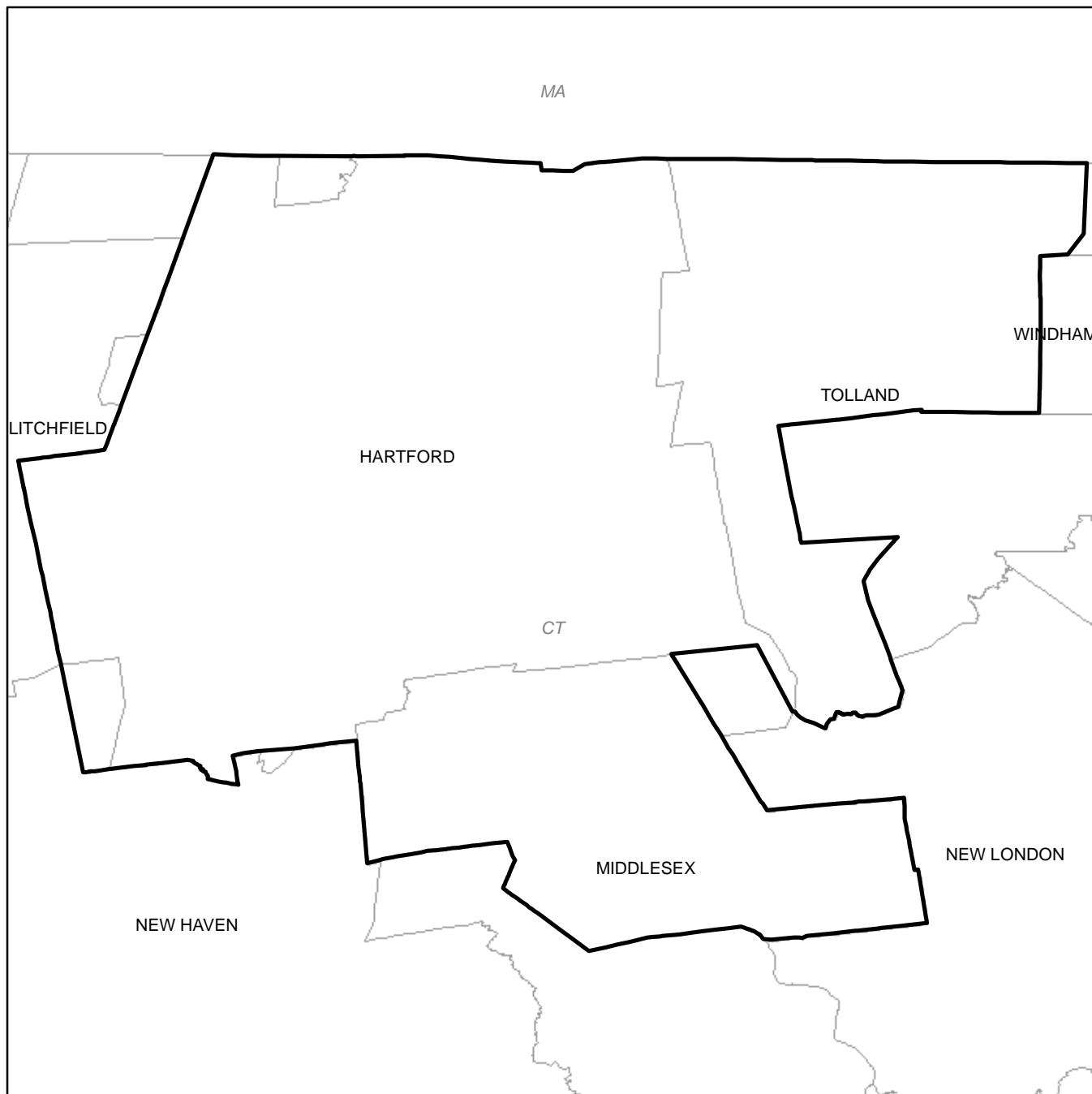
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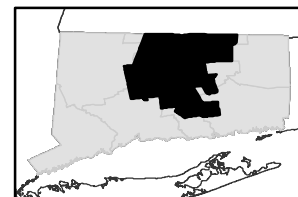
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HARTFORD lost the town of Colchester to NEW LONDON.

1,230 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 5:220, 281, 378, 384)





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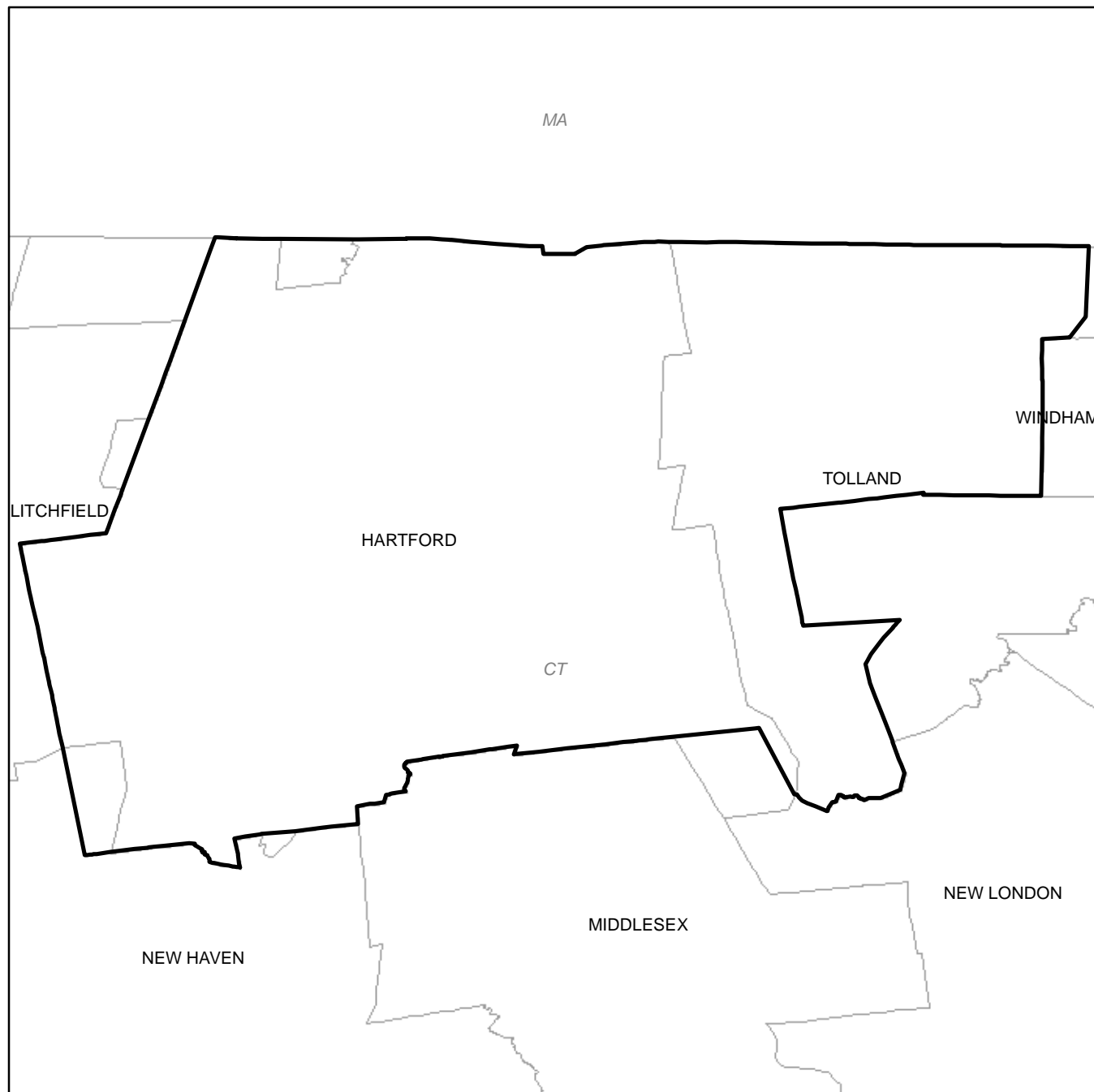
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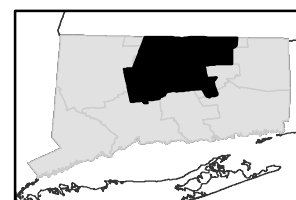
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HARTFORD lost to creation of MIDDLESEX.

997 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:10-11)





HARTFORD

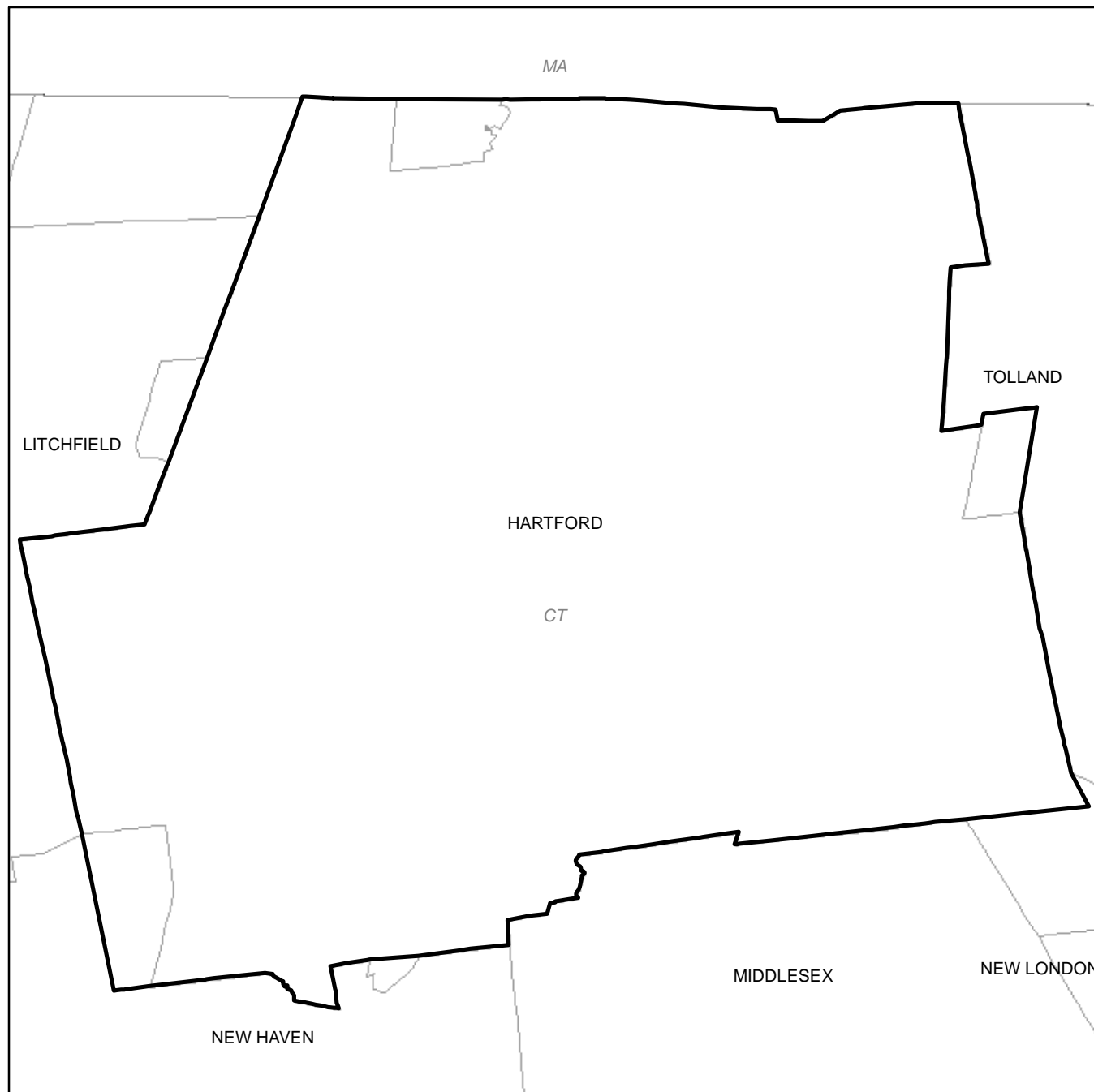
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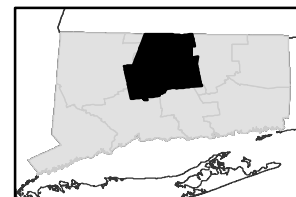
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HARTFORD lost to creation of TOLLAND.

717 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:93)





HARTFORD

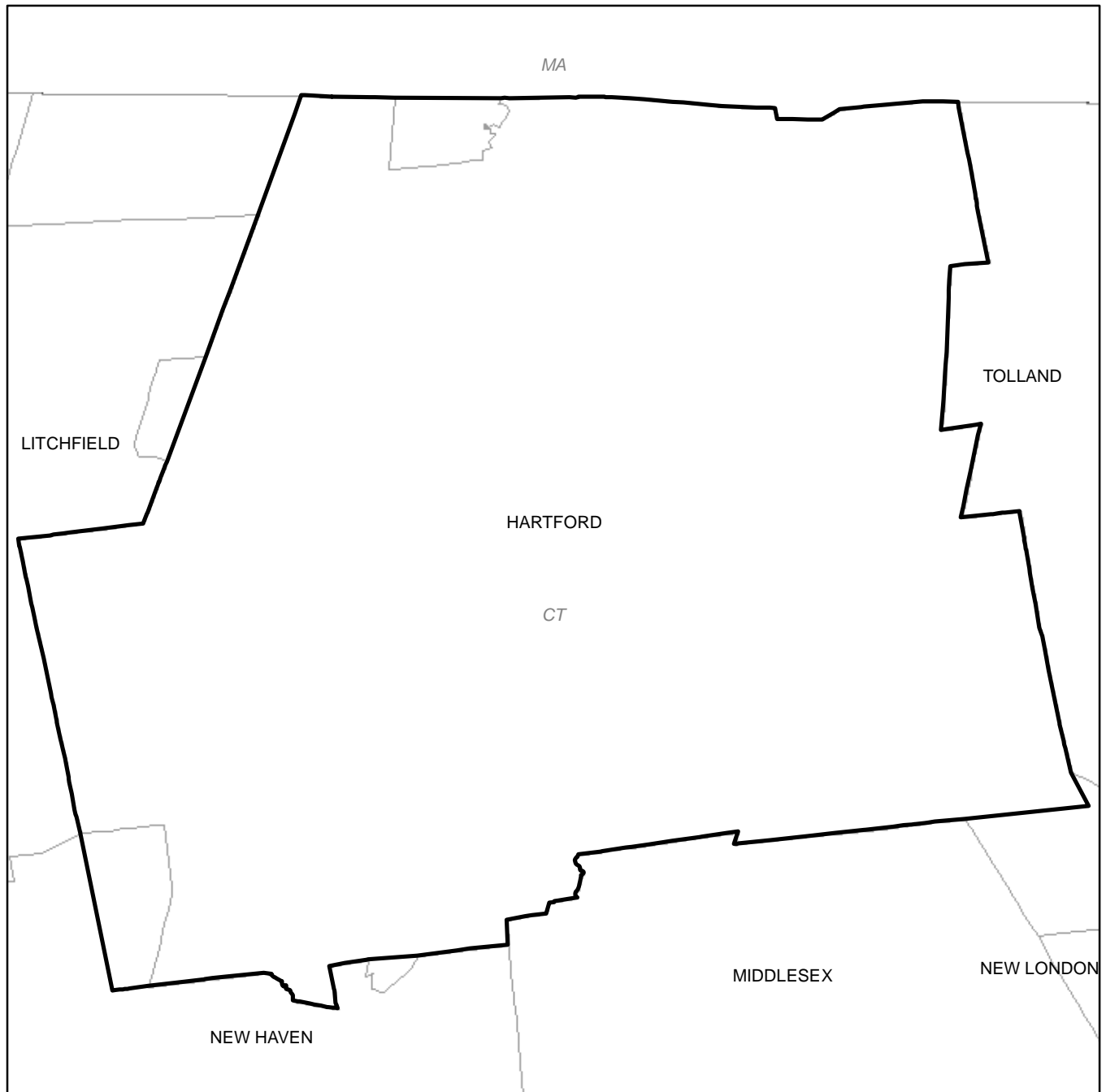
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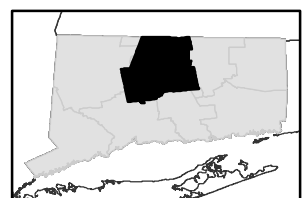
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HARTFORD lost to TOLLAND when town of Bolton gained from East Windsor.

711 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 7:62)





HARTFORD

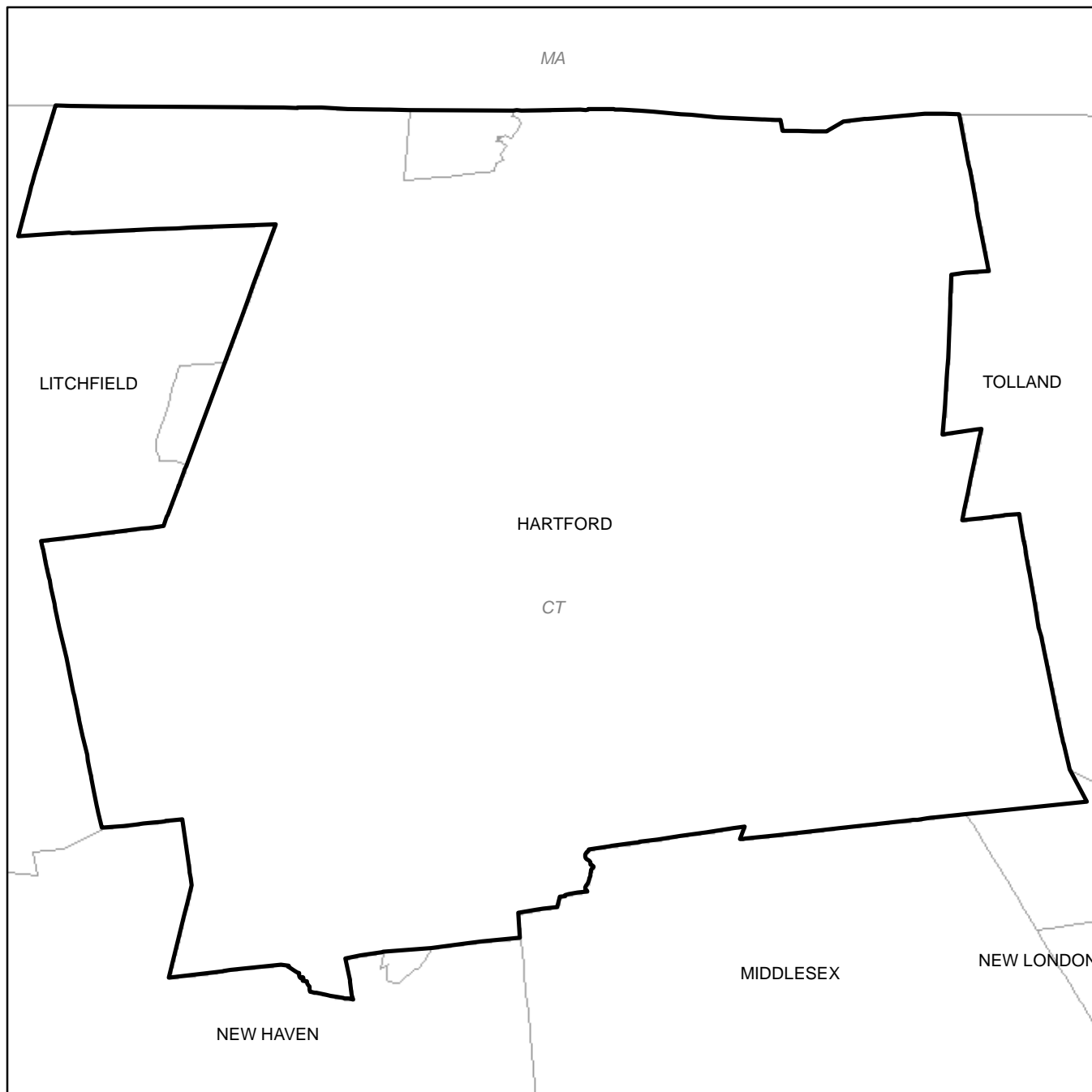
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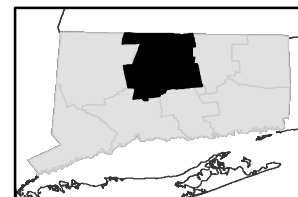
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HARTFORD gained town of Hartland from LITCHFIELD, lost to NEW HAVEN when town of Wolcott was created from Southington and Waterbury.

734 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 8:372-373)





HARTFORD

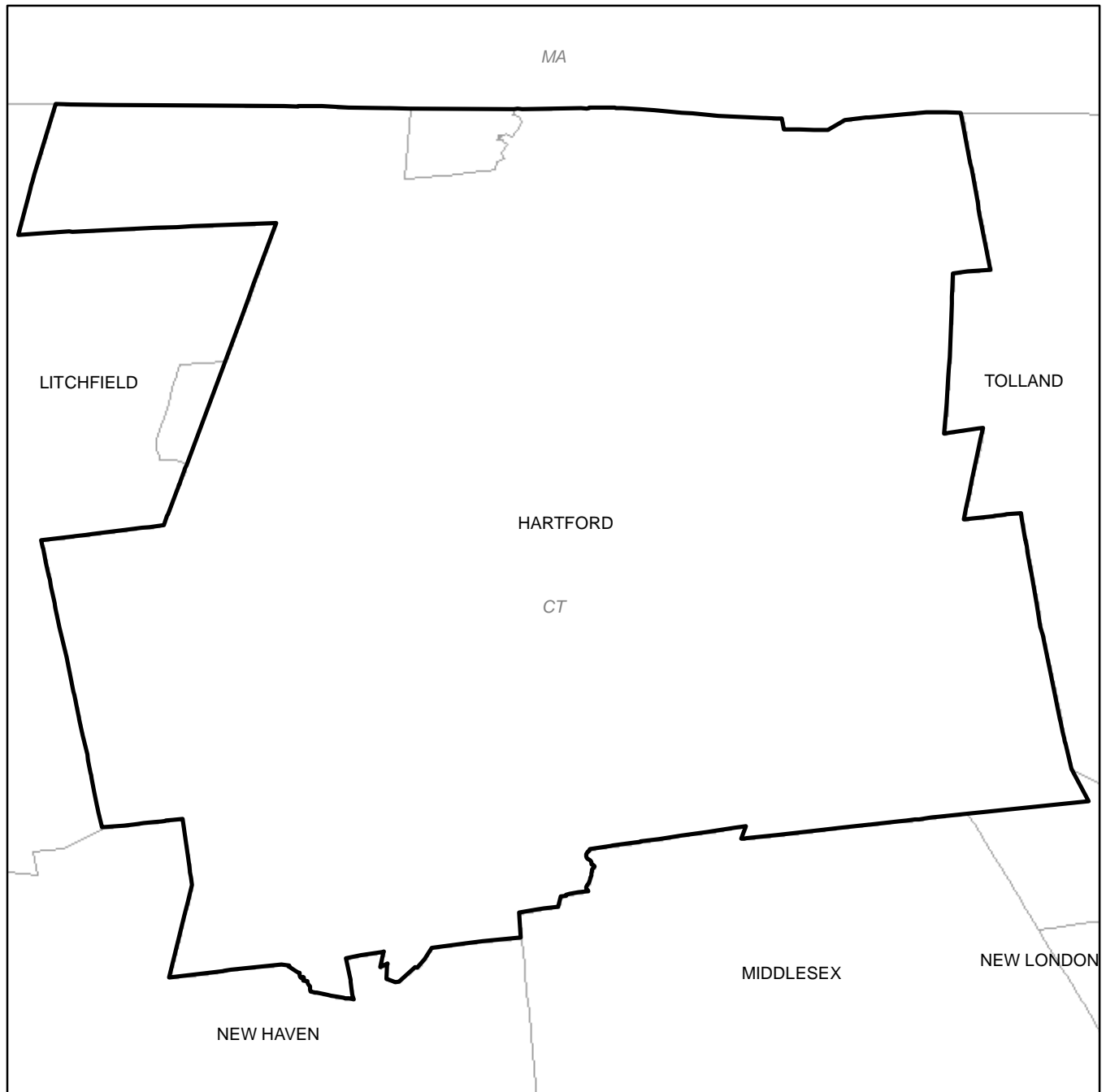
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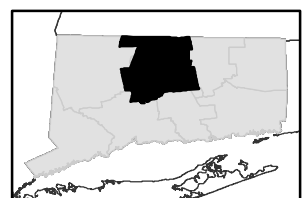
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HARTFORD gained from NEW HAVEN when town of Berlin gained from Wallingford.

735 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 9:284-285)





HARTFORD

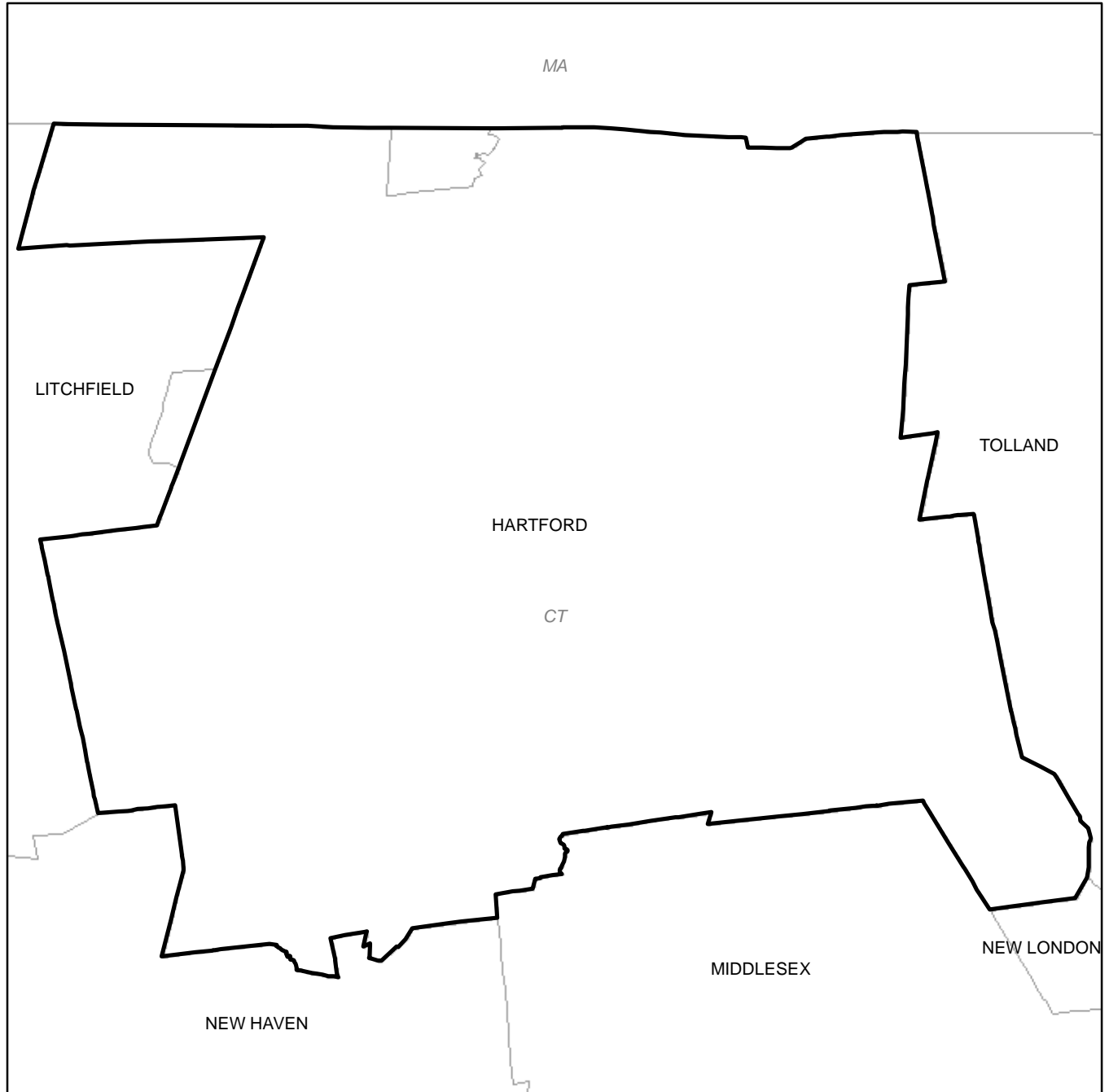
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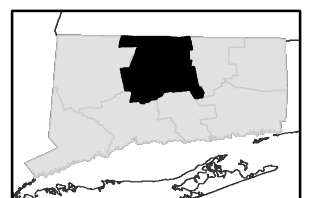
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HARTFORD gained from NEW LONDON and TOLLAND when town of Marlborough was created from Colchester, Glastonbury, and Hebron.

753 sq. mi.

(Conn. Spec. Acts 1803, 2:1157-1158)





HARTFORD

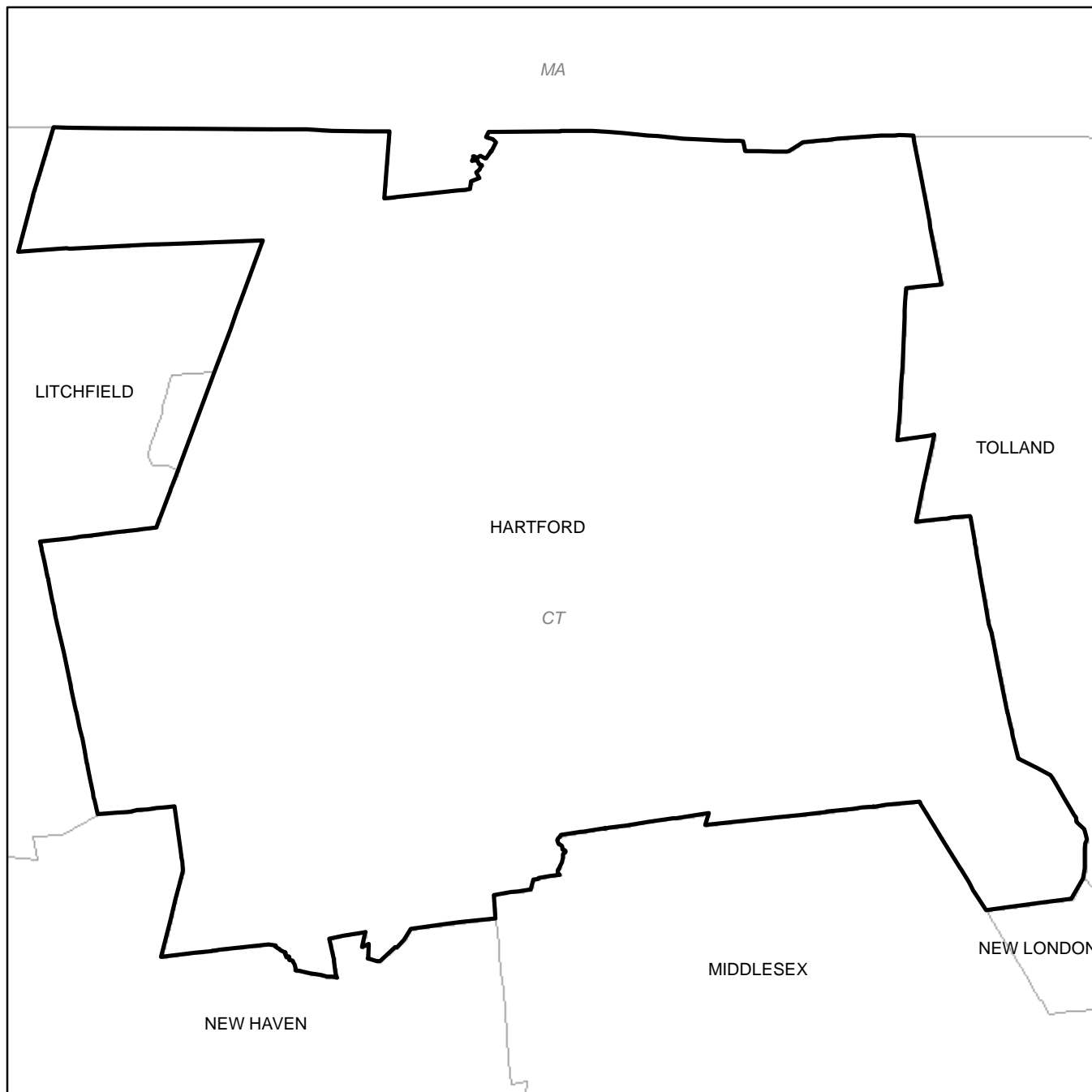
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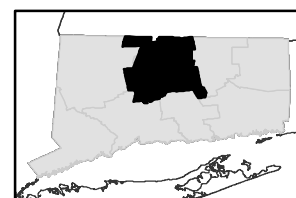
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In 1804 HARTFORD lost part of the town of Southwick (the "Southwick Jog") to HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) when state boundary was adjusted.

746 sq. mi.

(Hooker, 25-26; Van Zandt, 69)





HARTFORD

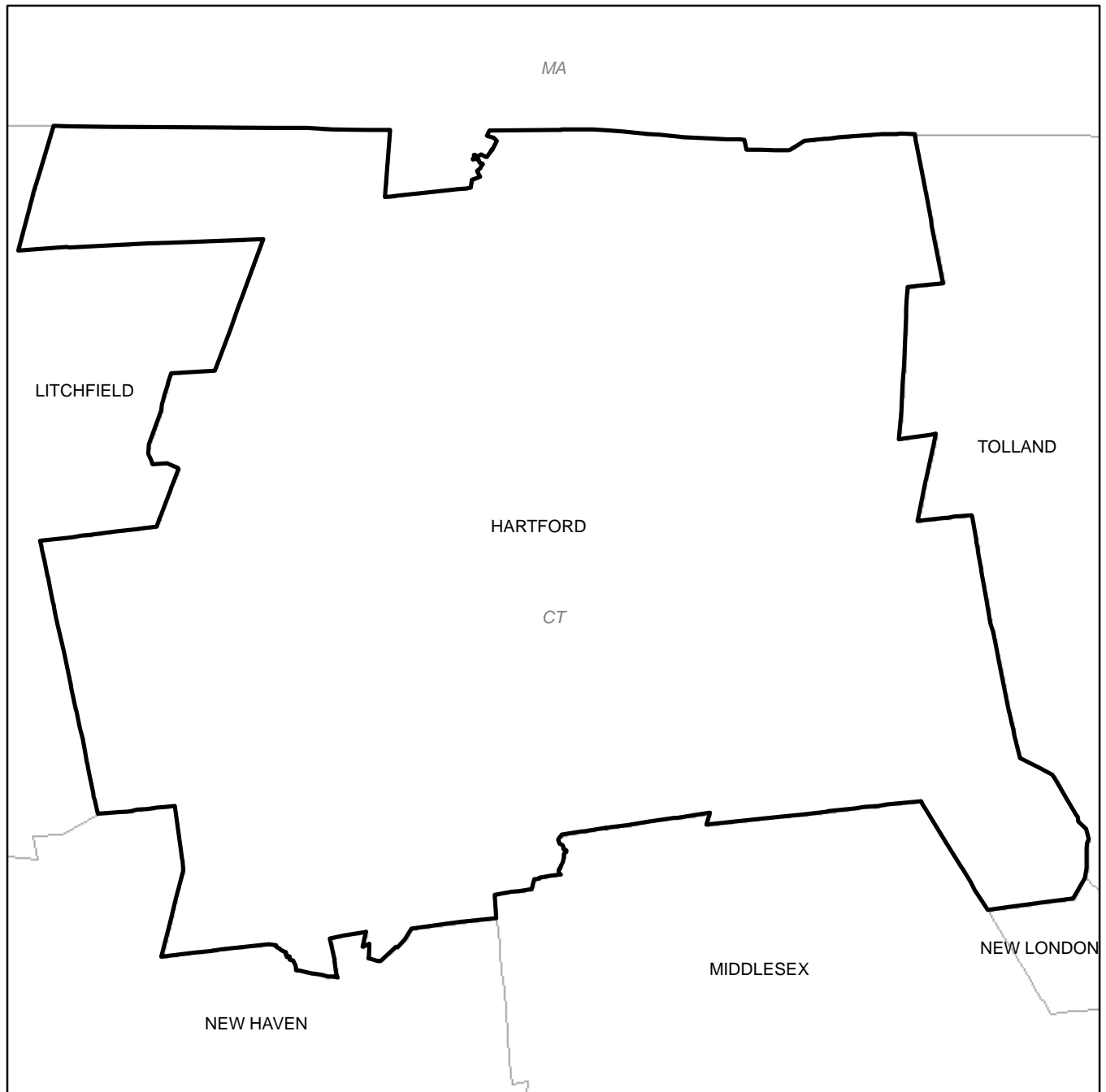
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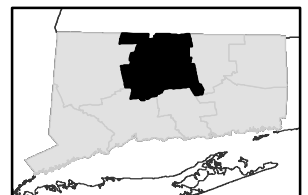
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HARTFORD gained from LITCHFIELD when town of Canton was created from New Hartford and Simsbury.

751 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1806, p. 721)





LITCHFIELD

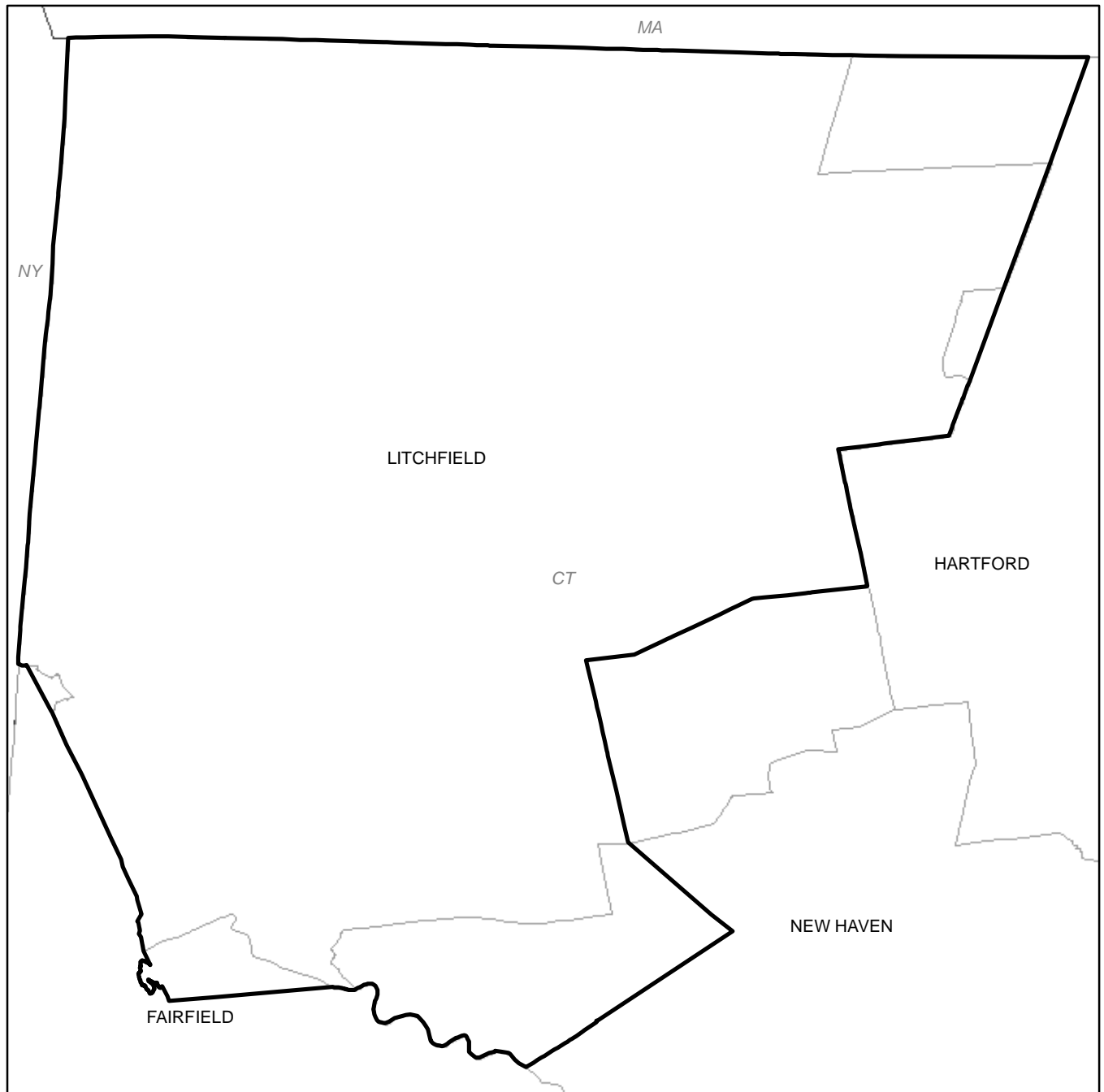
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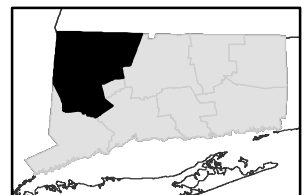
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LITCHFIELD created from FAIRFIELD, HARTFORD, and NEW HAVEN.

988 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 10:56-58)





LITCHFIELD

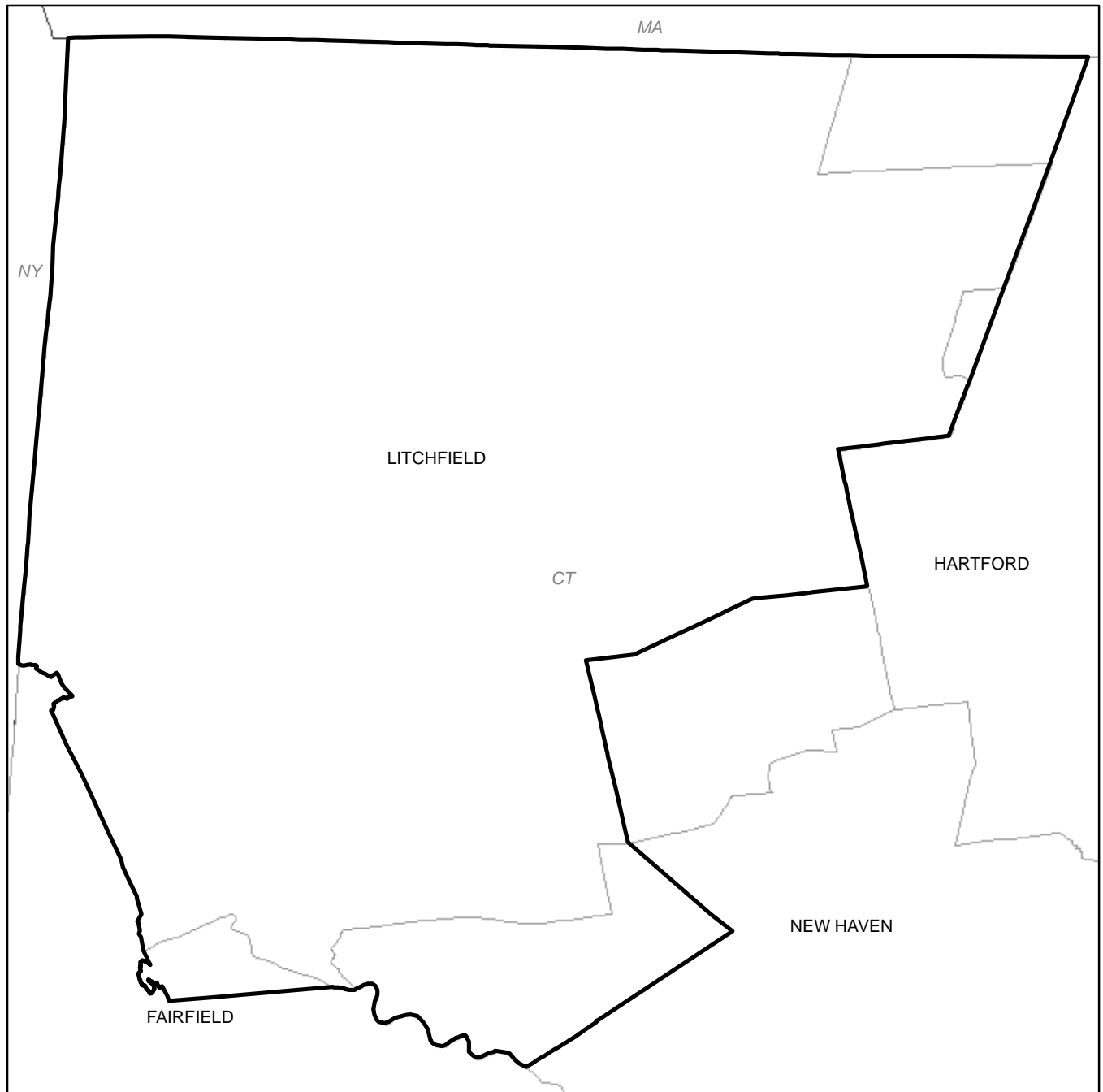
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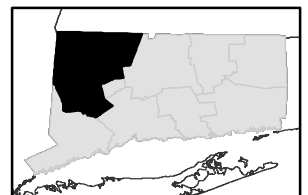
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LITCHFIELD lost small area to FAIRFIELD.

987 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 10:274-275)





LITCHFIELD

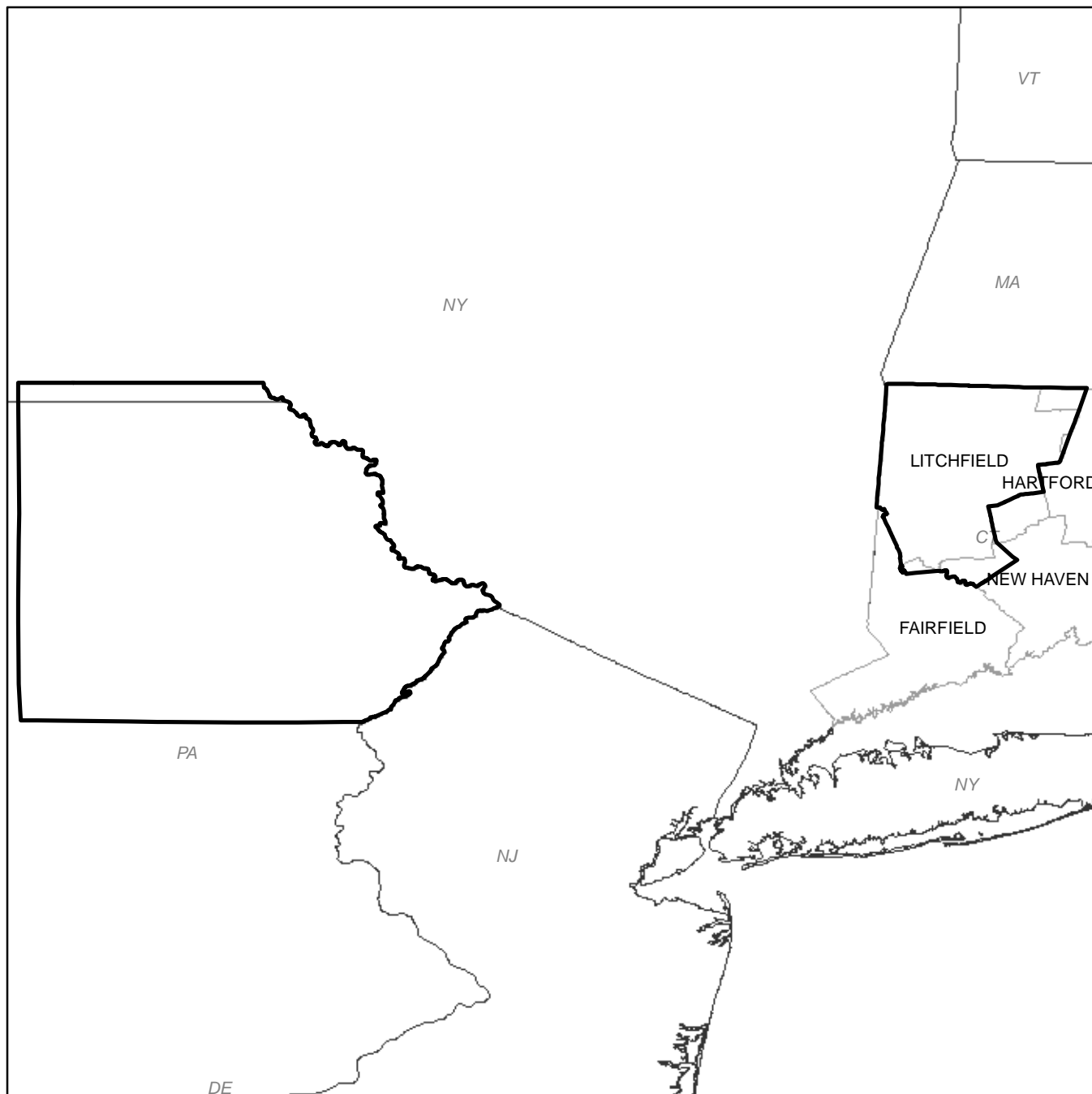
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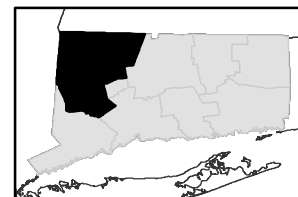
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LITCHFIELD gained town of Westmoreland, a town created by Connecticut in northeastern Pennsylvania and a narrow strip of New York. Connecticut claimed the area based on its 1662 charter.

5,359 sq. mi.

(Cappon, Petchenik, and Long, 17, 92; Conn. Col. Recs., 13:427, 14:218)





LITCHFIELD

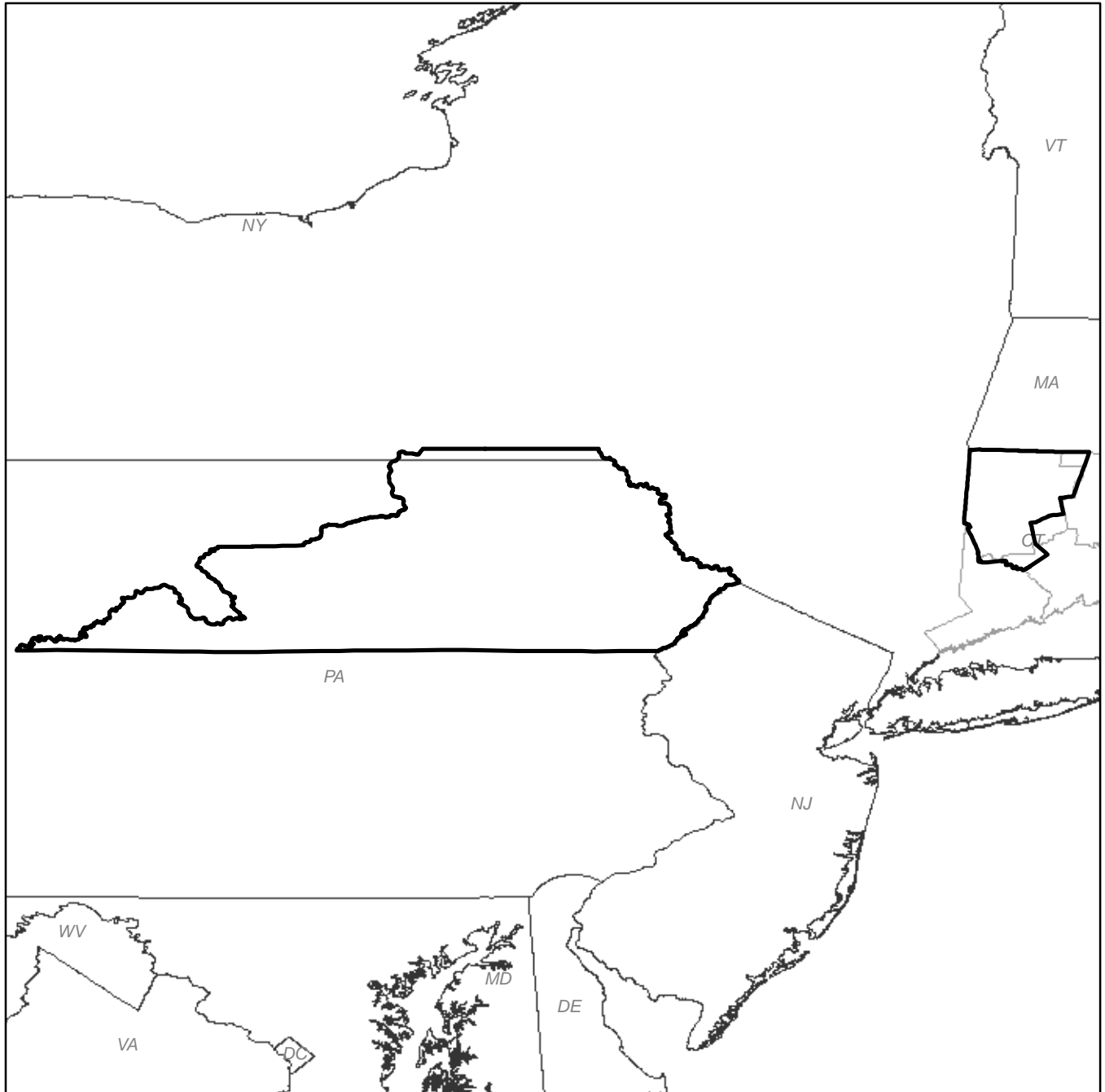
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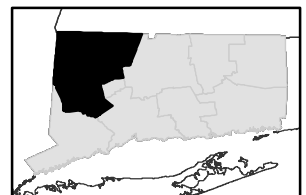
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LITCHFIELD gained territory in Pennsylvania and New York when Connecticut enlarged the town of Westmoreland to the Fort Stanwix Indian Treaty line.

9,131 sq. mi.

(Cappon, Petchenik, and Long, 17, 92; Conn. Col. Recs., 15:13)





LITCHFIELD

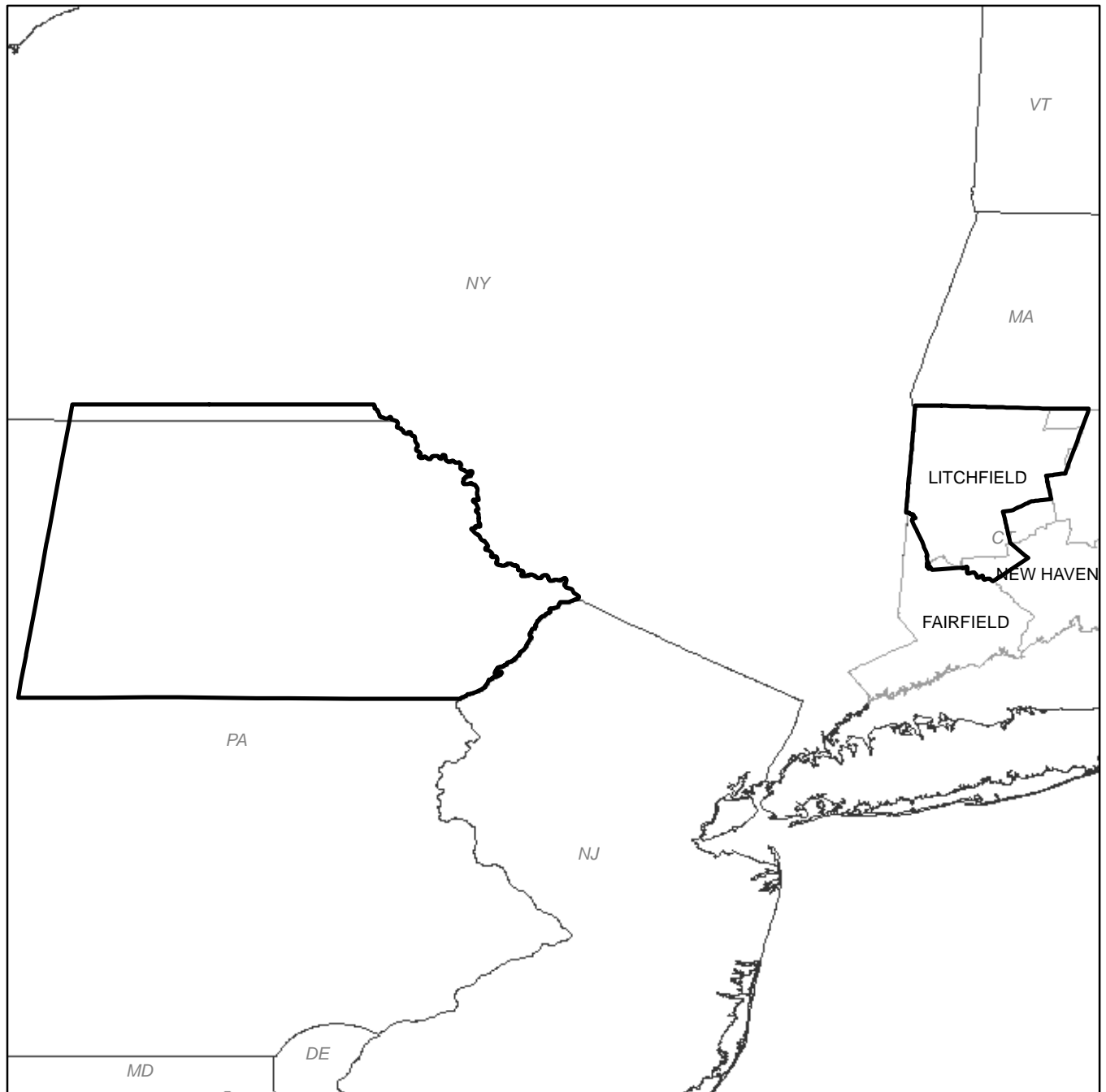
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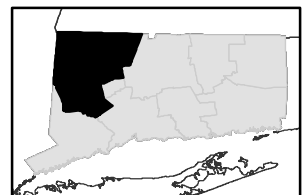
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LITCHFIELD gained territory from New York and exchanged territory with Pennsylvania when Connecticut reduced the area of the town of Westmoreland.

6,930 sq. mi.

(Cappon, Petchenik, and Long, 17, 92; Conn. Col. Recs., 15:197-198)





LITCHFIELD

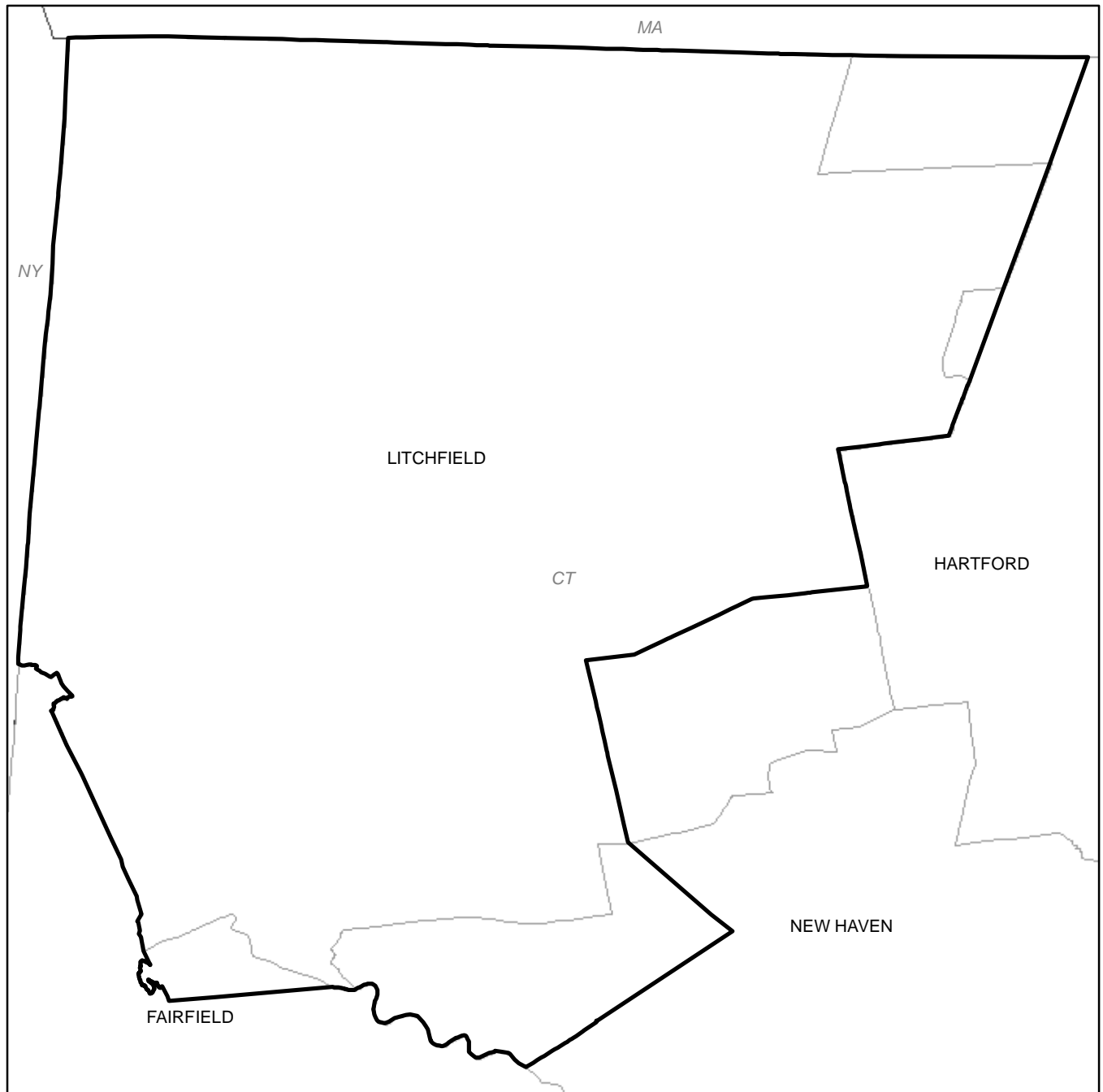
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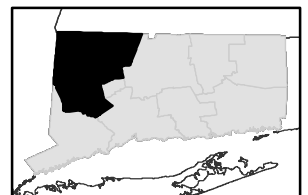
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LITCHFIELD lost all territory in Pennsylvania and New York to creation of WESTMORELAND (extinct).

987 sq. mi.

(Cappon, Petchenik, and Long, 17, 92; Conn. St. Recs. 1:7)





LITCHFIELD

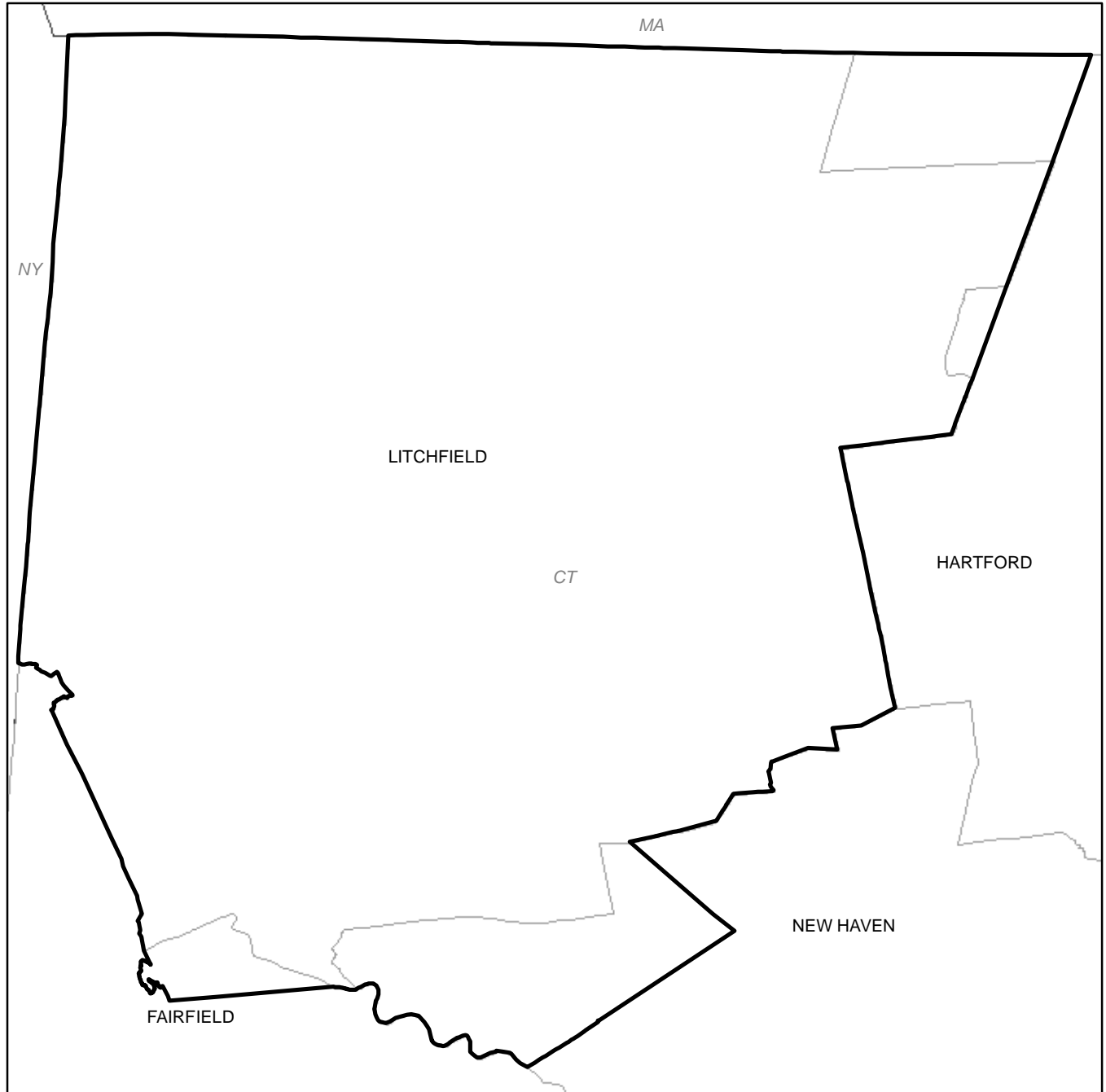
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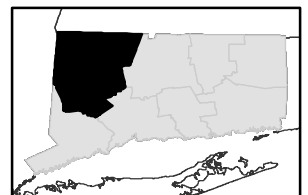
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LITCHFIELD gained from NEW HAVEN when the town of Watertown was created from Waterbury.

1,051 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 3:73-75)





LITCHFIELD

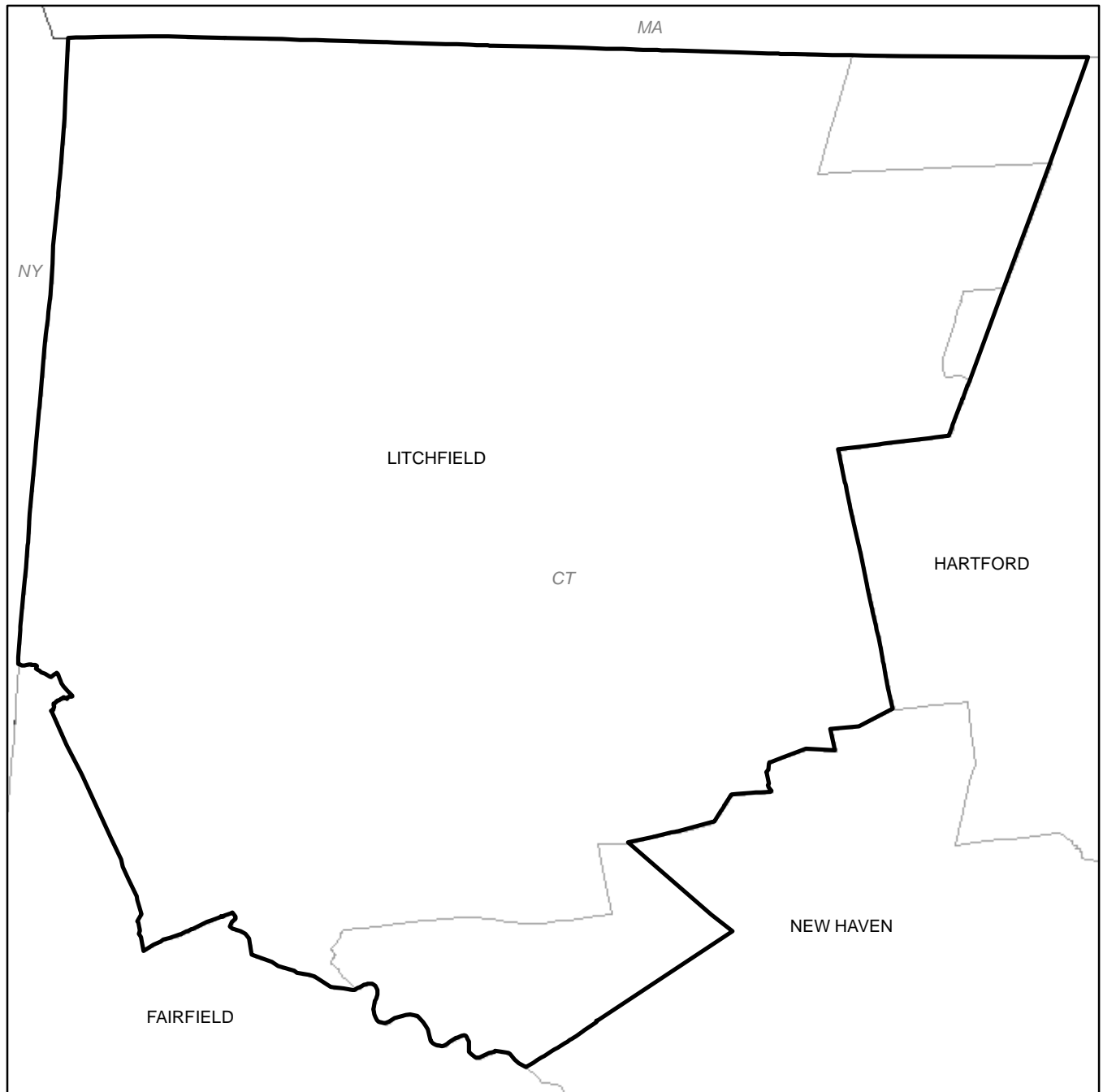
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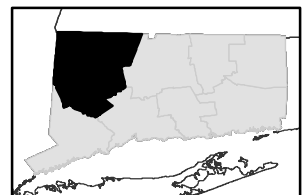
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LITCHFIELD lost to FAIRFIELD when town of Brookfield was created from Danbury, Newtown, and New Milford.

1,040 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:410)





LITCHFIELD

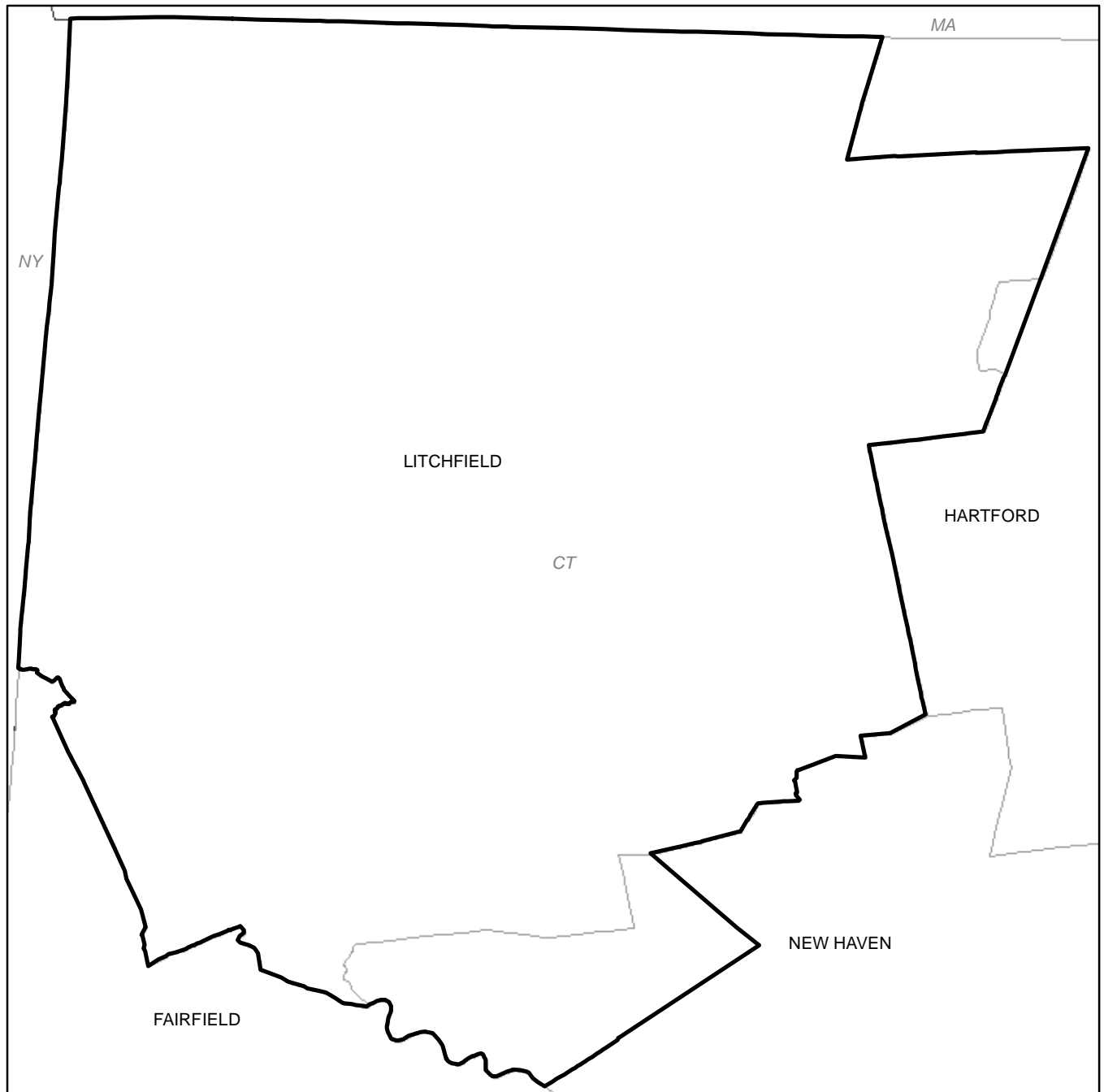
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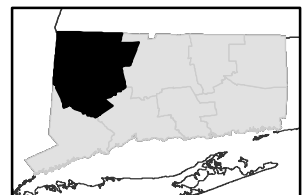
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LITCHFIELD lost the town of Hartland to HARTFORD.

1,005 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 8:372-373)





LITCHFIELD

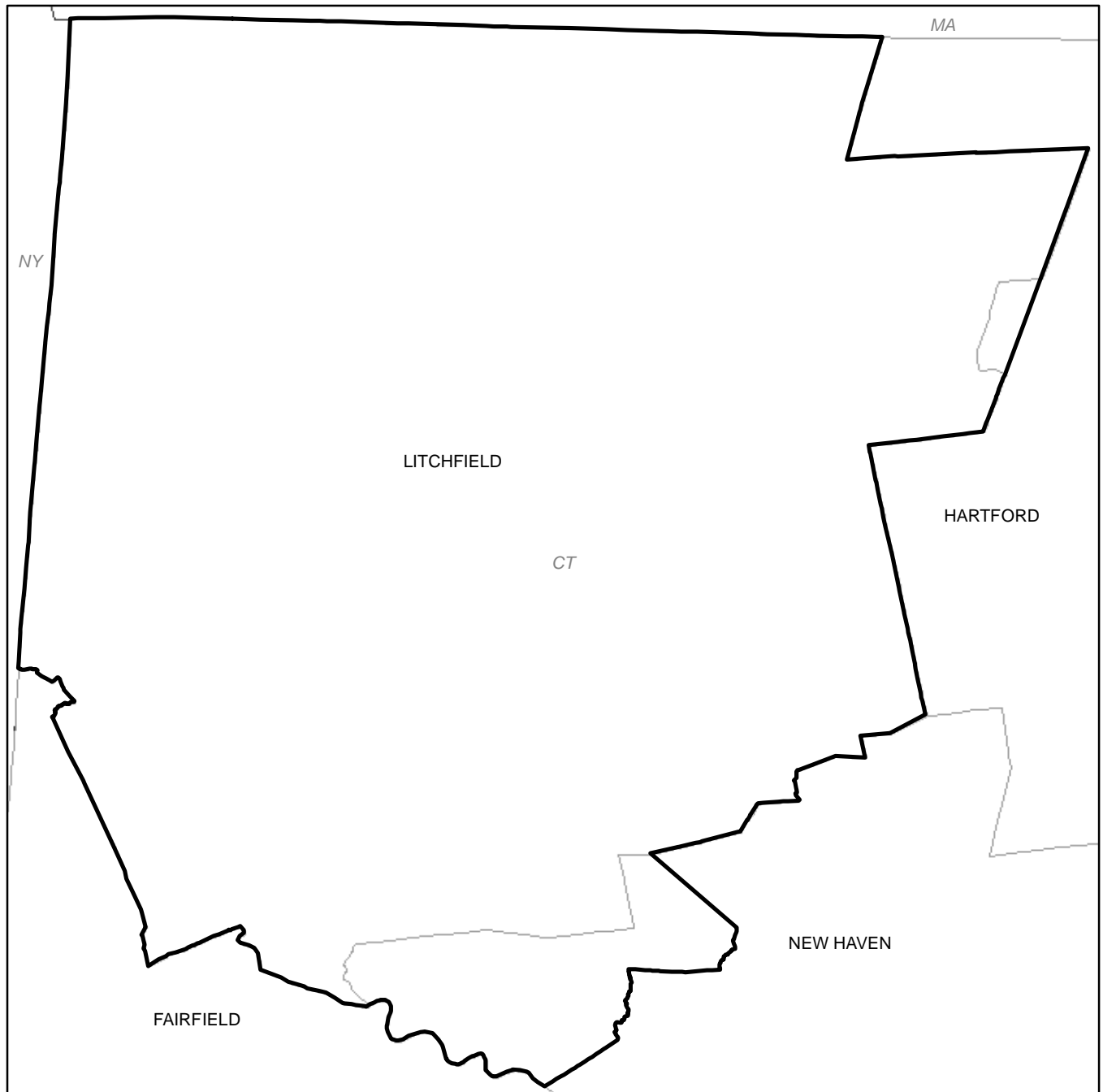
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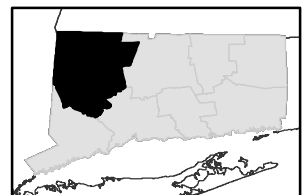
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LITCHFIELD lost to NEW HAVEN when the town of Oxford was created from Derby and Southbury.

1,001 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 9:311-313)





LITCHFIELD

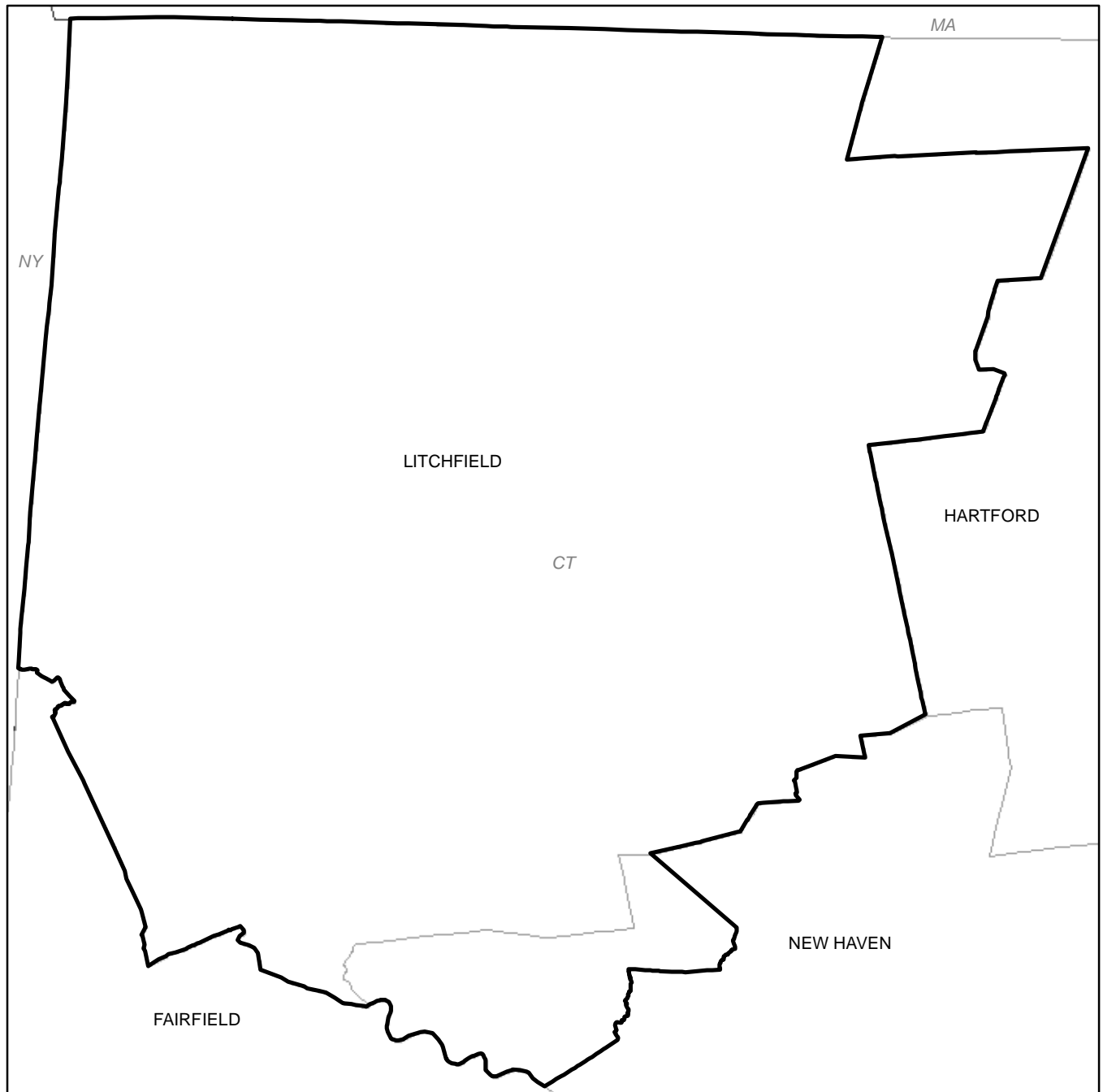
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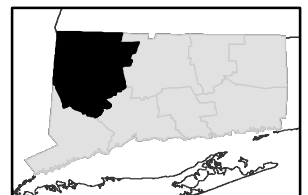
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LITCHFIELD lost to HARTFORD when the town of Canton was created from New Hartford and Simsbury.

996 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1806, p. 721)





LITCHFIELD

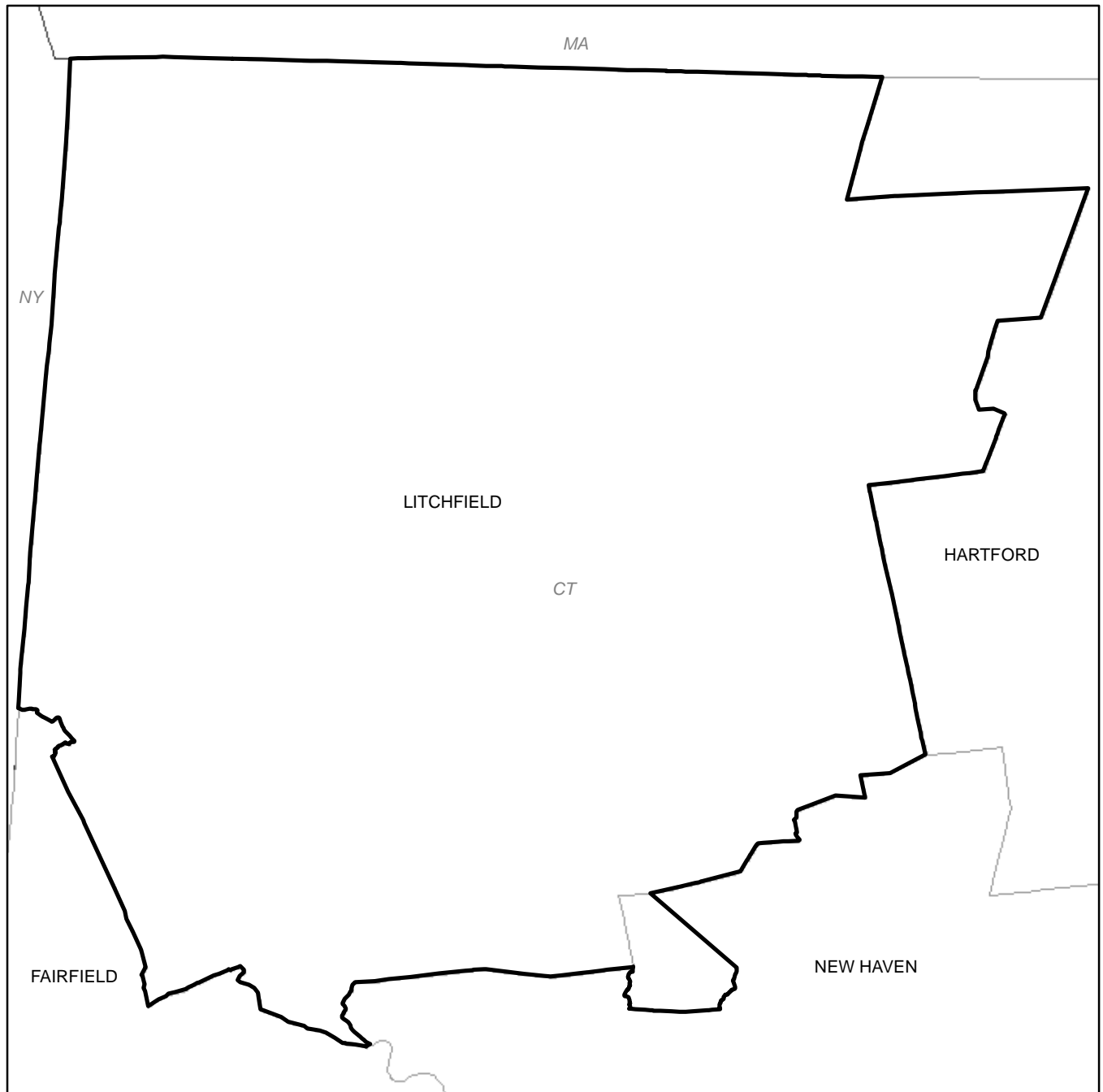
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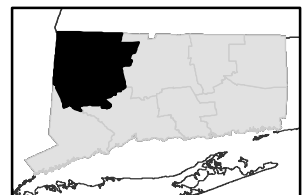
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LITCHFIELD lost the town of Southbury to NEW HAVEN.

956 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1807, p. 771)





LITCHFIELD

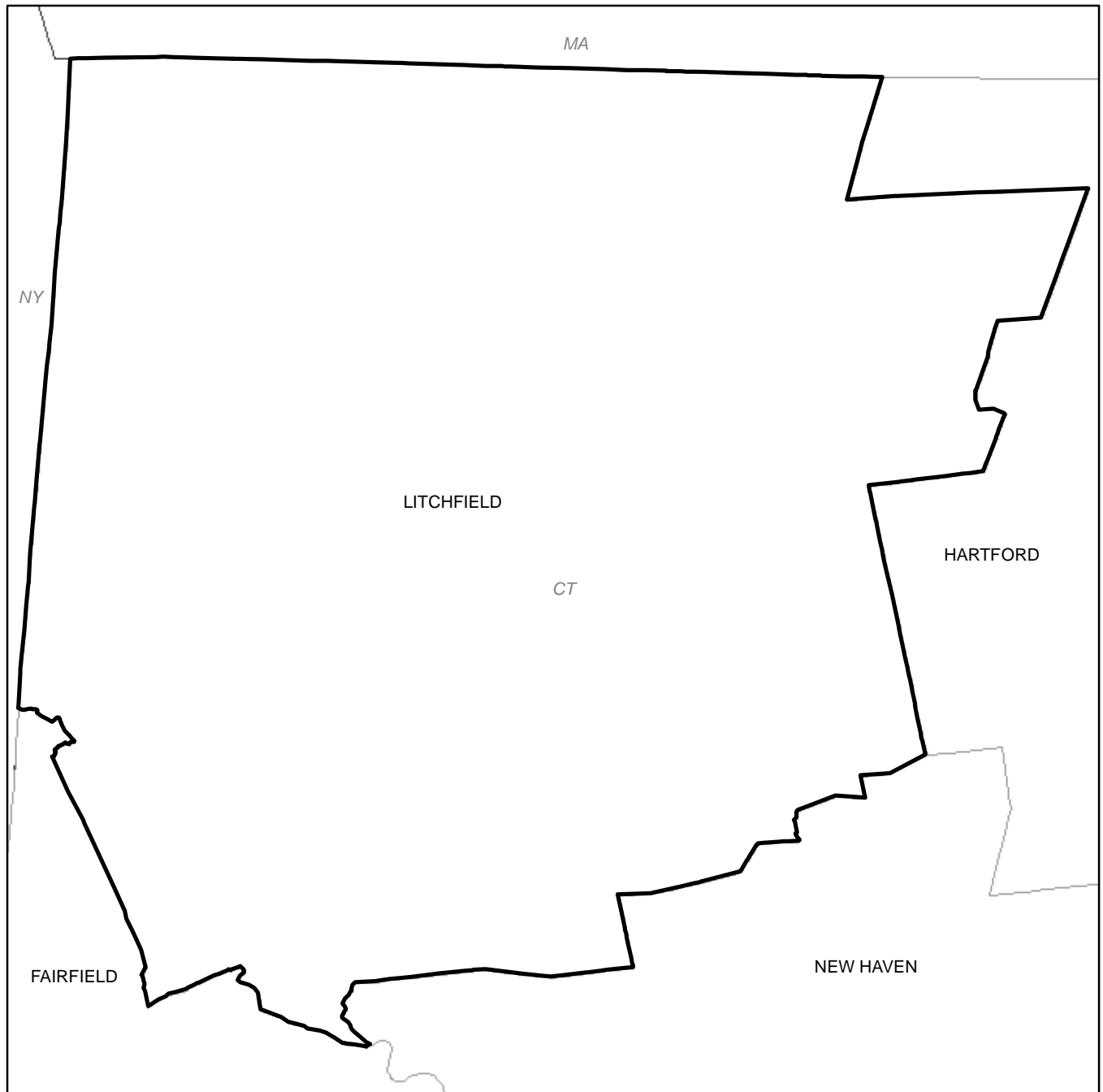
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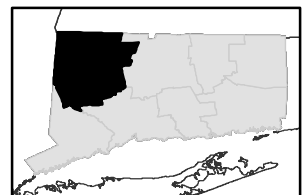
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LITCHFIELD lost to NEW HAVEN when town of Middlebury was created from Southbury, Waterbury, and Woodbury.

945 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1807, p. 800; Conn. Pub. Acts 1808, p. 815)





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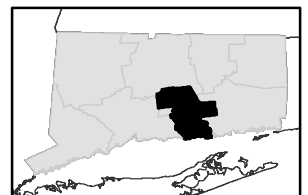
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MIDDLESEX created from HARTFORD and NEW LONDON.

361 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:10-11)





MIDDLESEX

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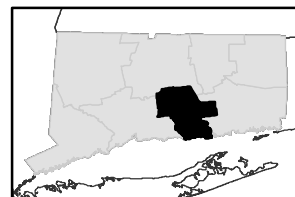
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MIDDLESEX gained town of Durham from NEW HAVEN.

385 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 9:351)





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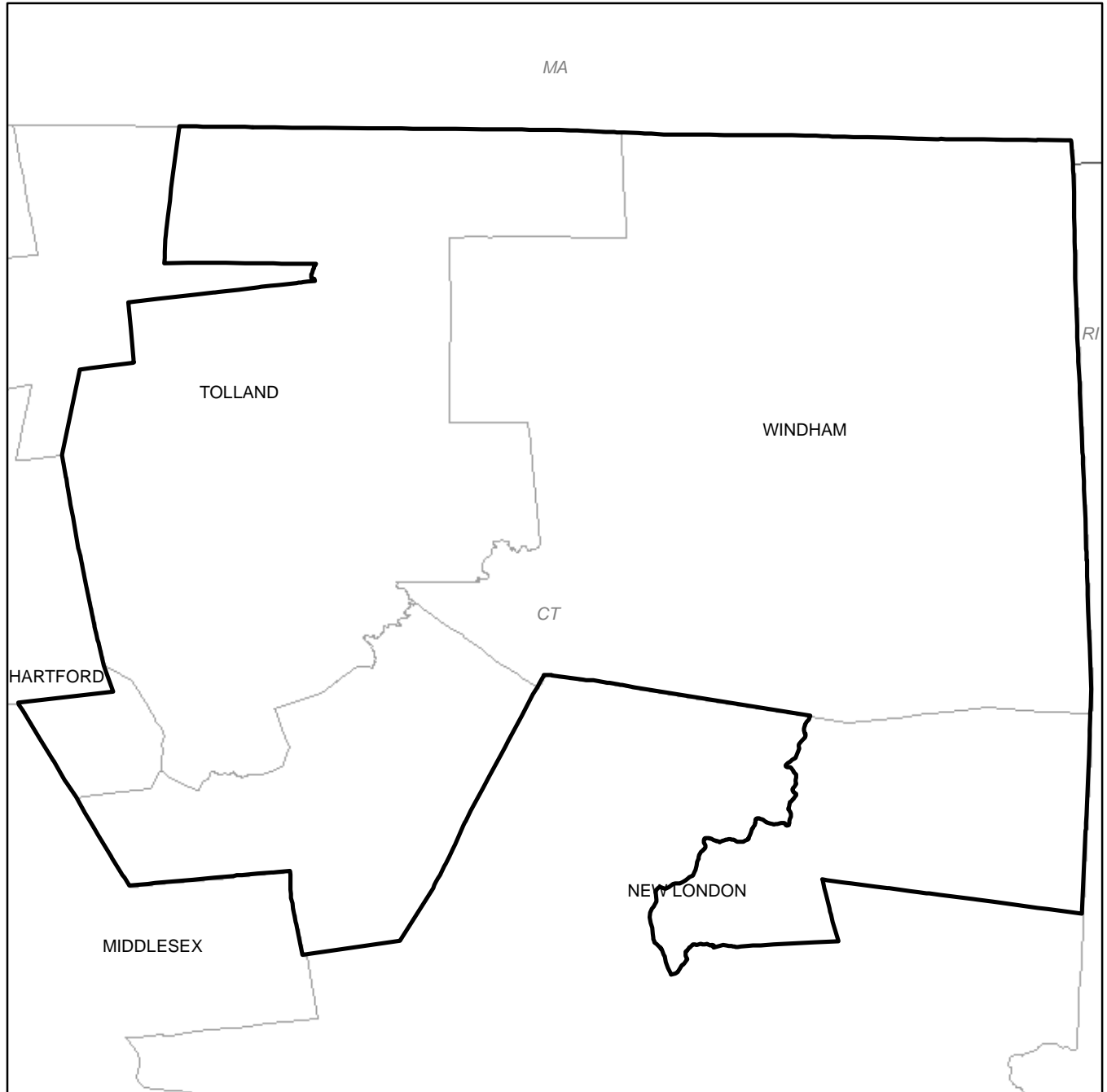
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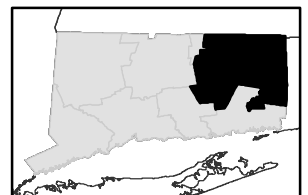
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Non-County Area 1 created when the Colony of Connecticut created four original counties.

1,116 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:34-35)





Non-County Area 1

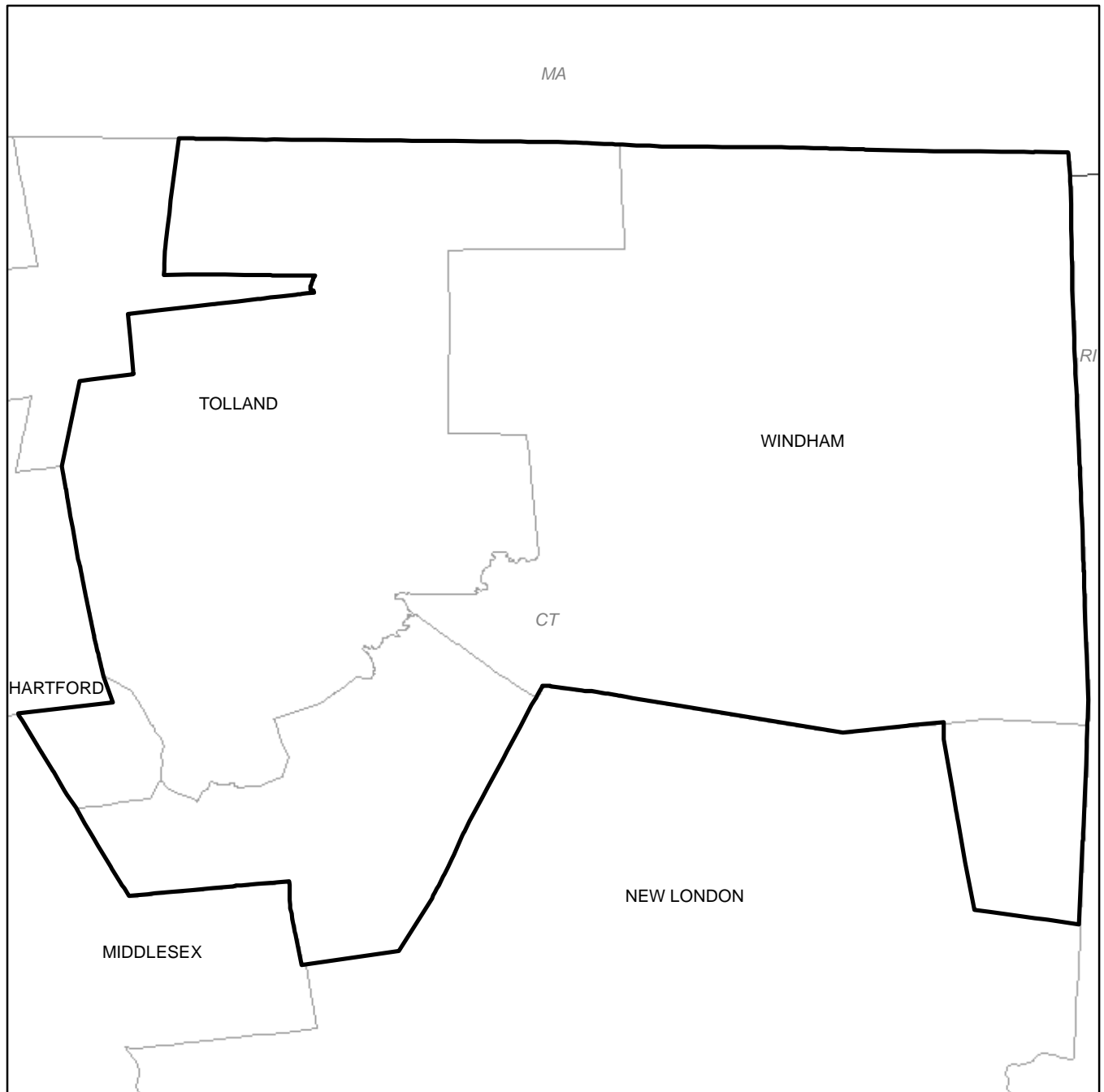
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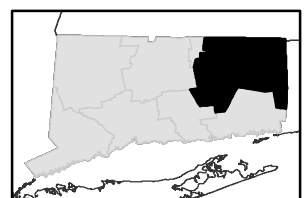
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Non-County Area 1 lost town of Preston to NEW LONDON.

1,045 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 3:240)



Version 3

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The map displays the proposed route for the Tolland and Windham Expressway, highlighted in a thick black line. The route begins in the north, near the Massachusetts (MA) border, and extends southward through Tolland and Windham. It then turns eastward, passing near Hartford, and continues south through Middlesex and New London, eventually reaching the Rhode Island (RI) border. The map also shows the Connecticut (CT) border with Massachusetts (MA) to the north and Rhode Island (RI) to the east. Other labeled areas include TOLLAND, WINDHAM, HARTFORD, MIDDLESEX, and NEW LONDON.

984 sq. mi.



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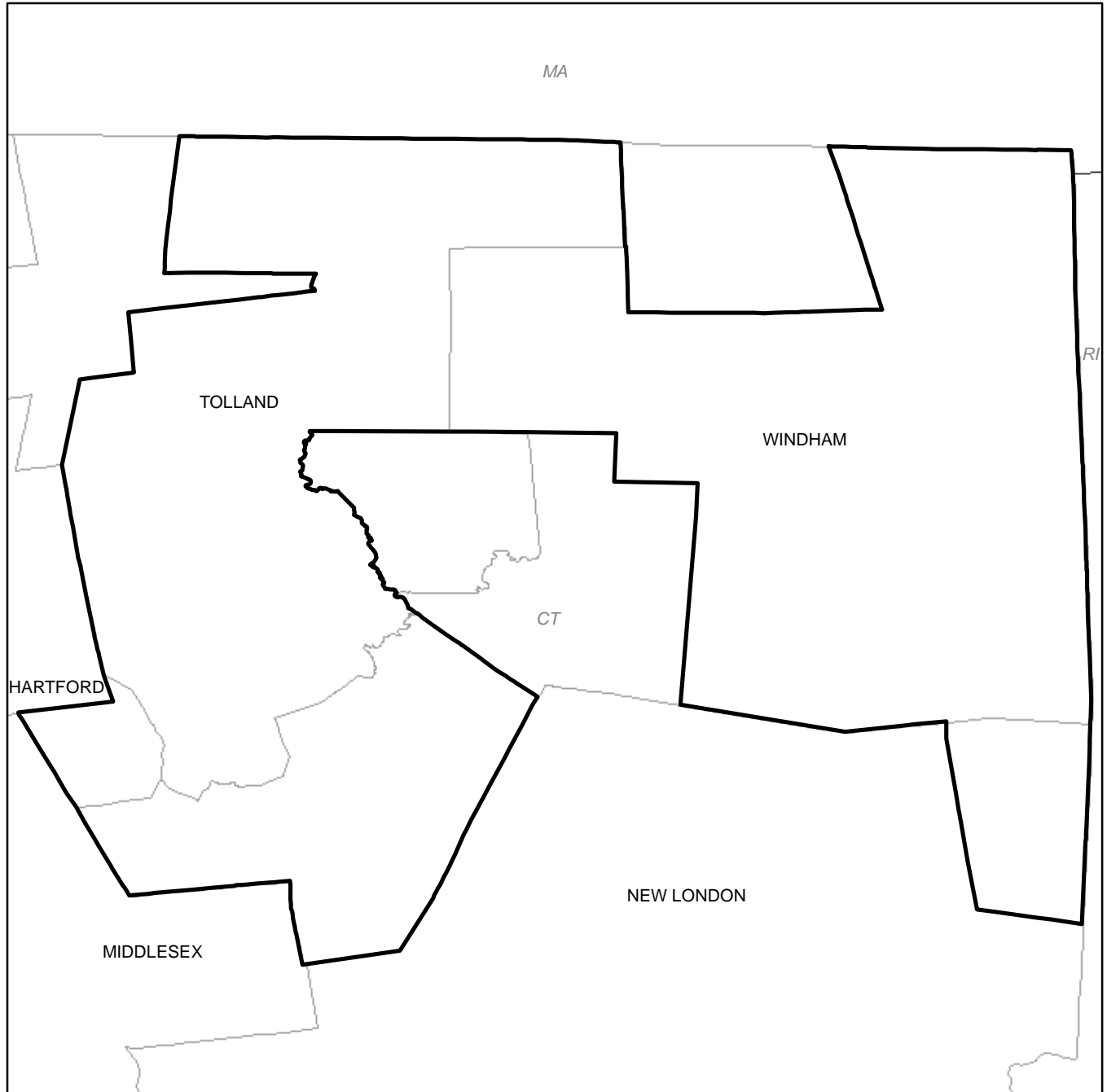
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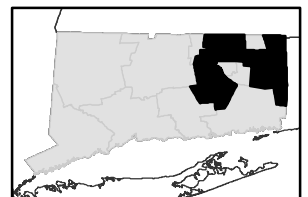
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Non-County Area 1 lost town of Windham to HARTFORD.

864 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:123-124)





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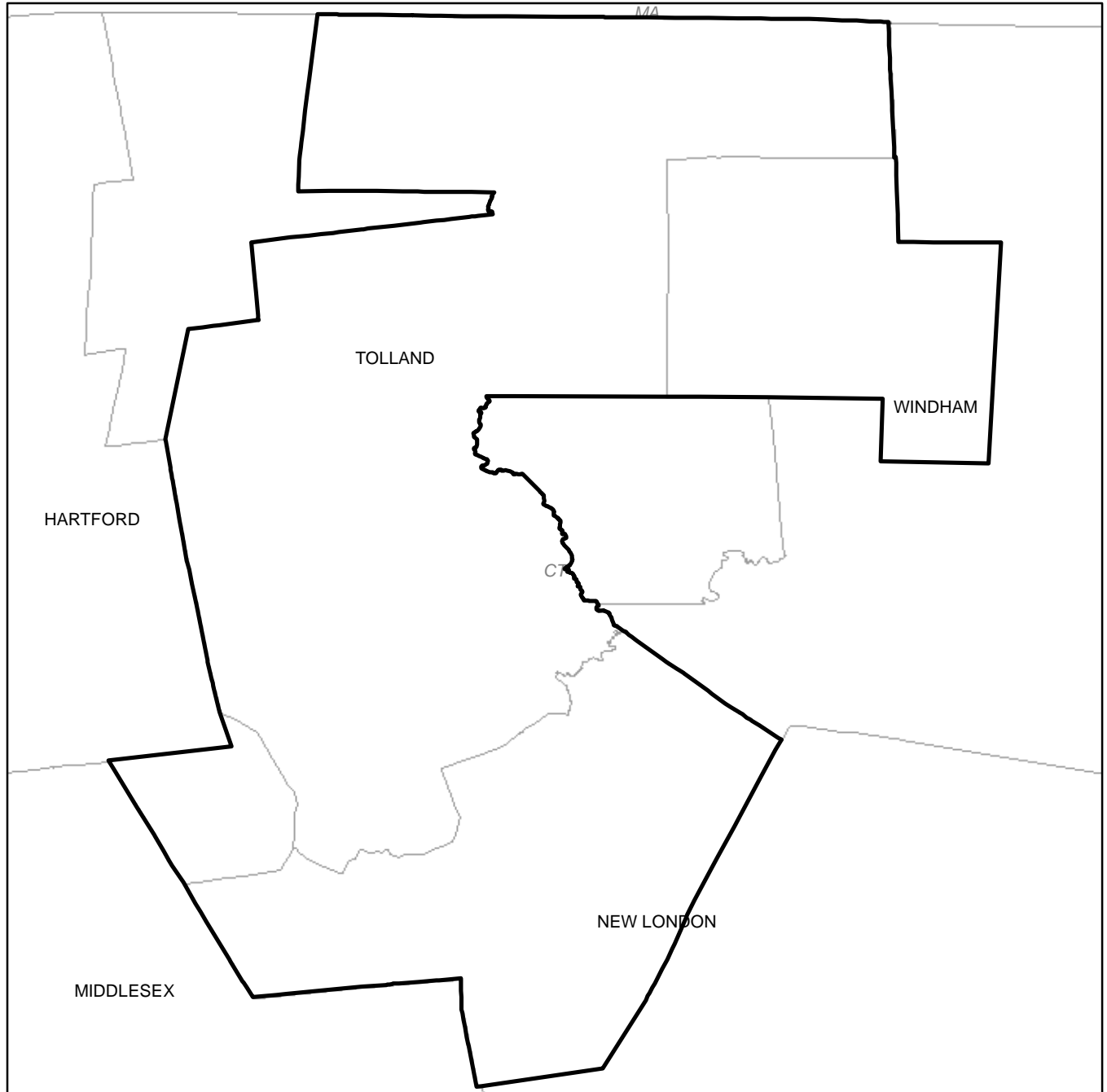
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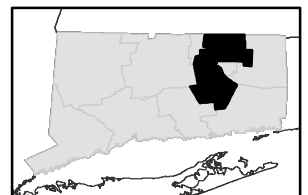
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Non-County Area 1 lost the Quinebaug River Valley to NEW LONDON, and lost to creation of Non-County Area 5.

513 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:226)





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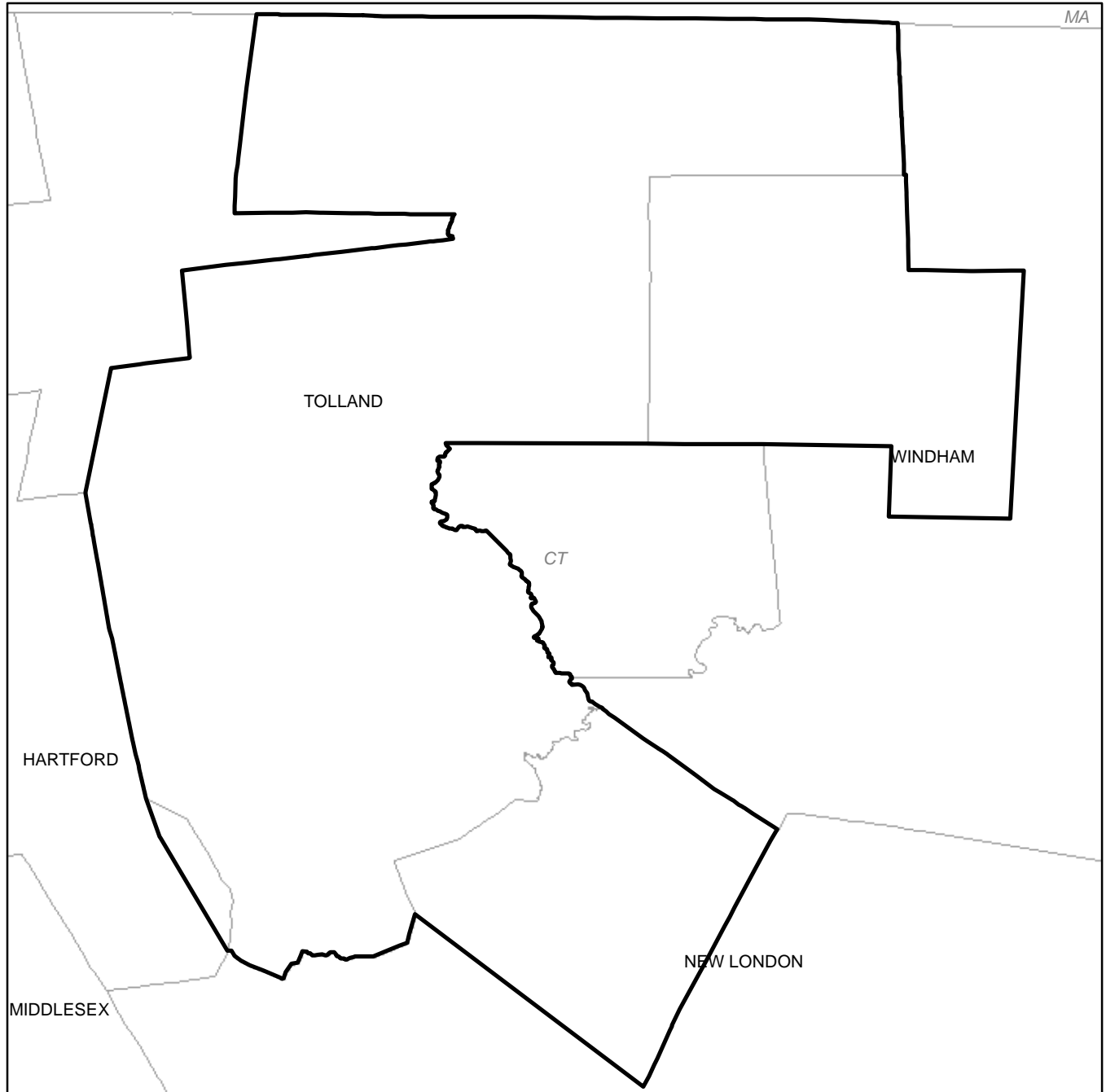
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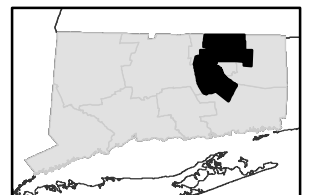
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Non-County Area 1 lost the town of Colchester to NEW LONDON.

436 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:298)





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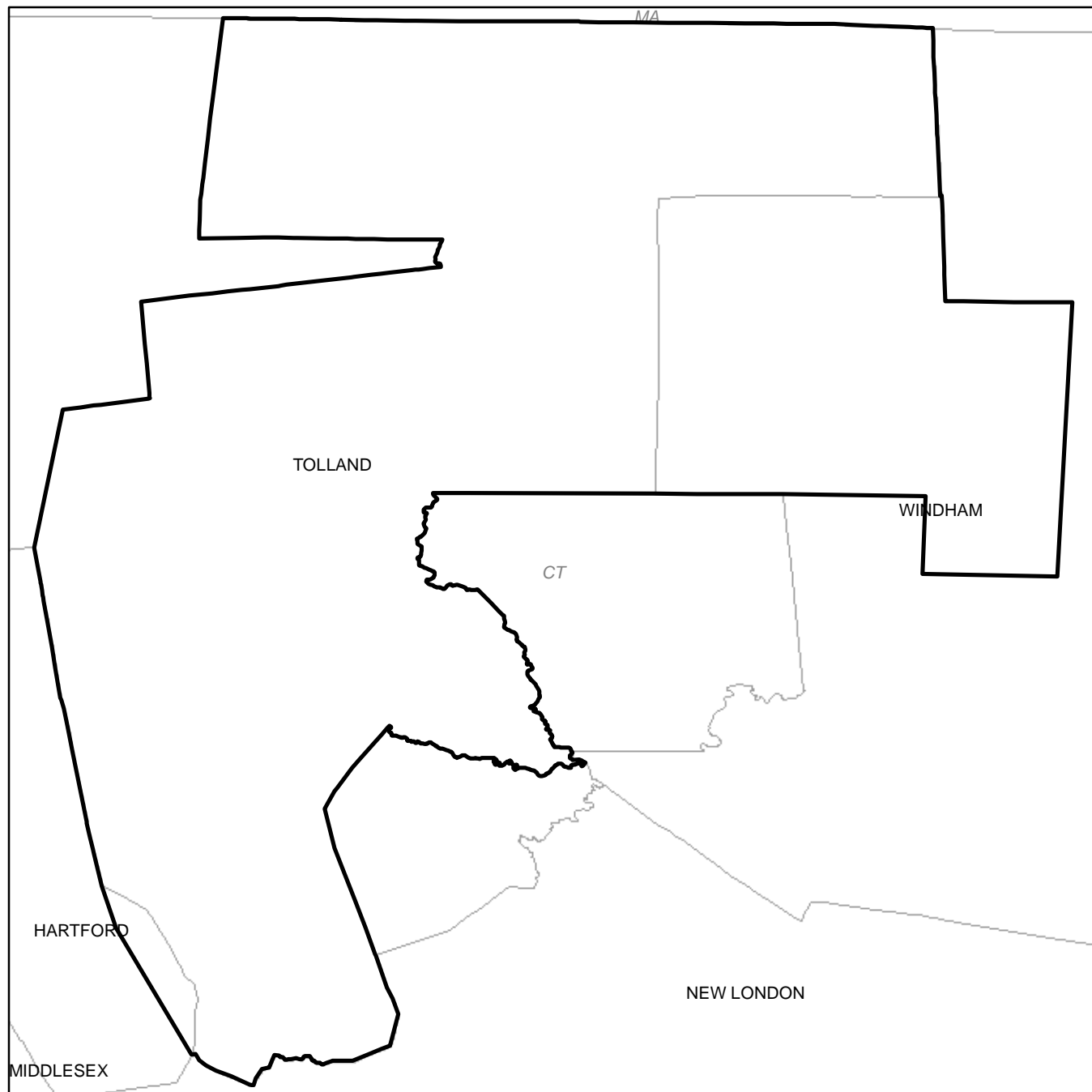
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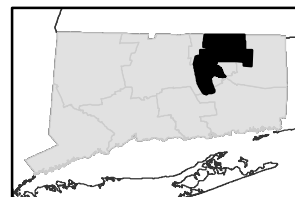
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Non-County Area 1 lost the town of Lebanon to NEW LONDON.

358 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:334)





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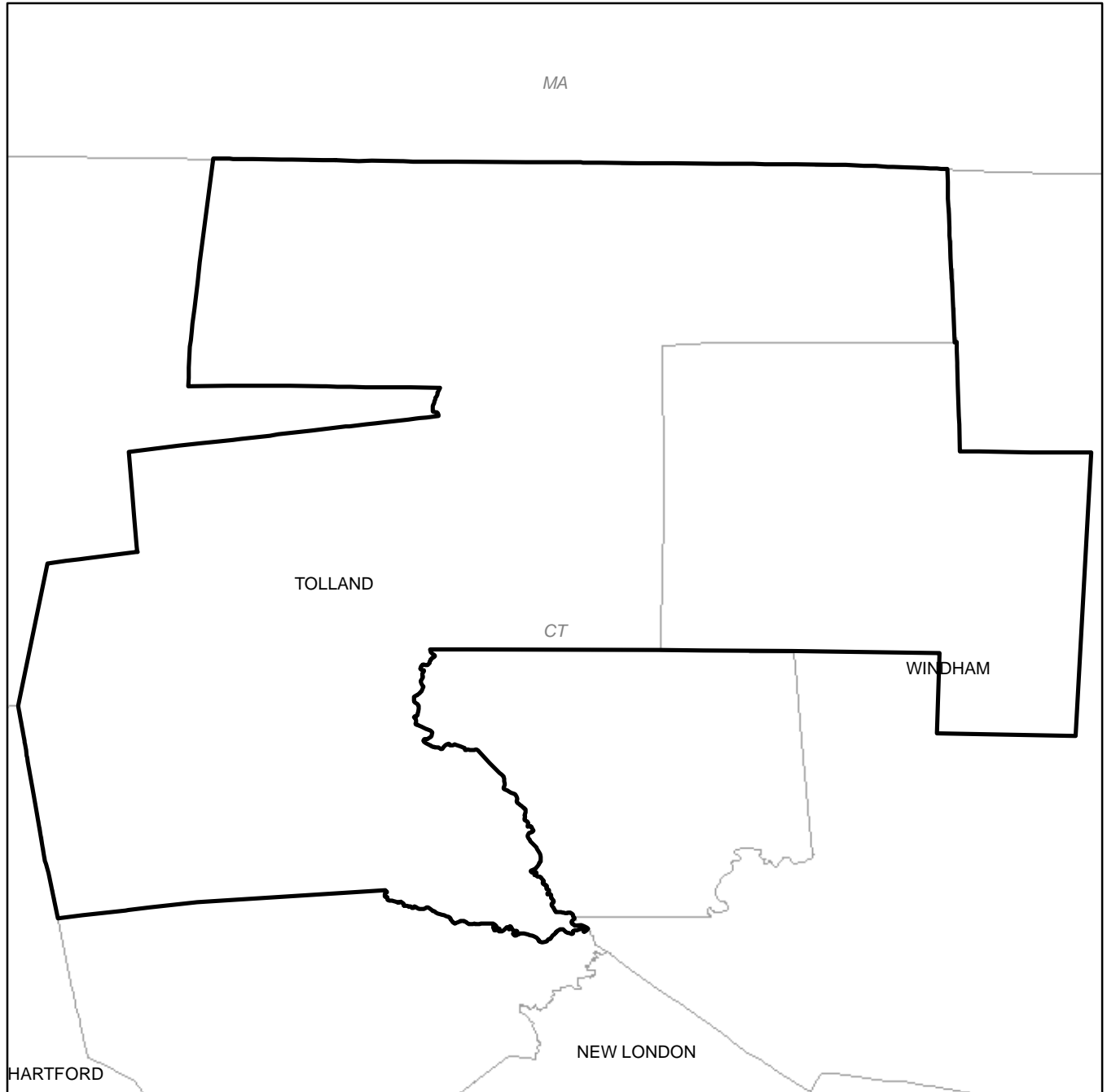
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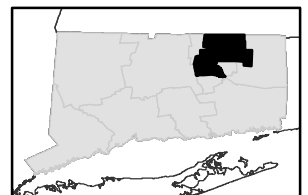
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Non-County Area 1 lost town of Hebron to HARTFORD.

309 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:64)





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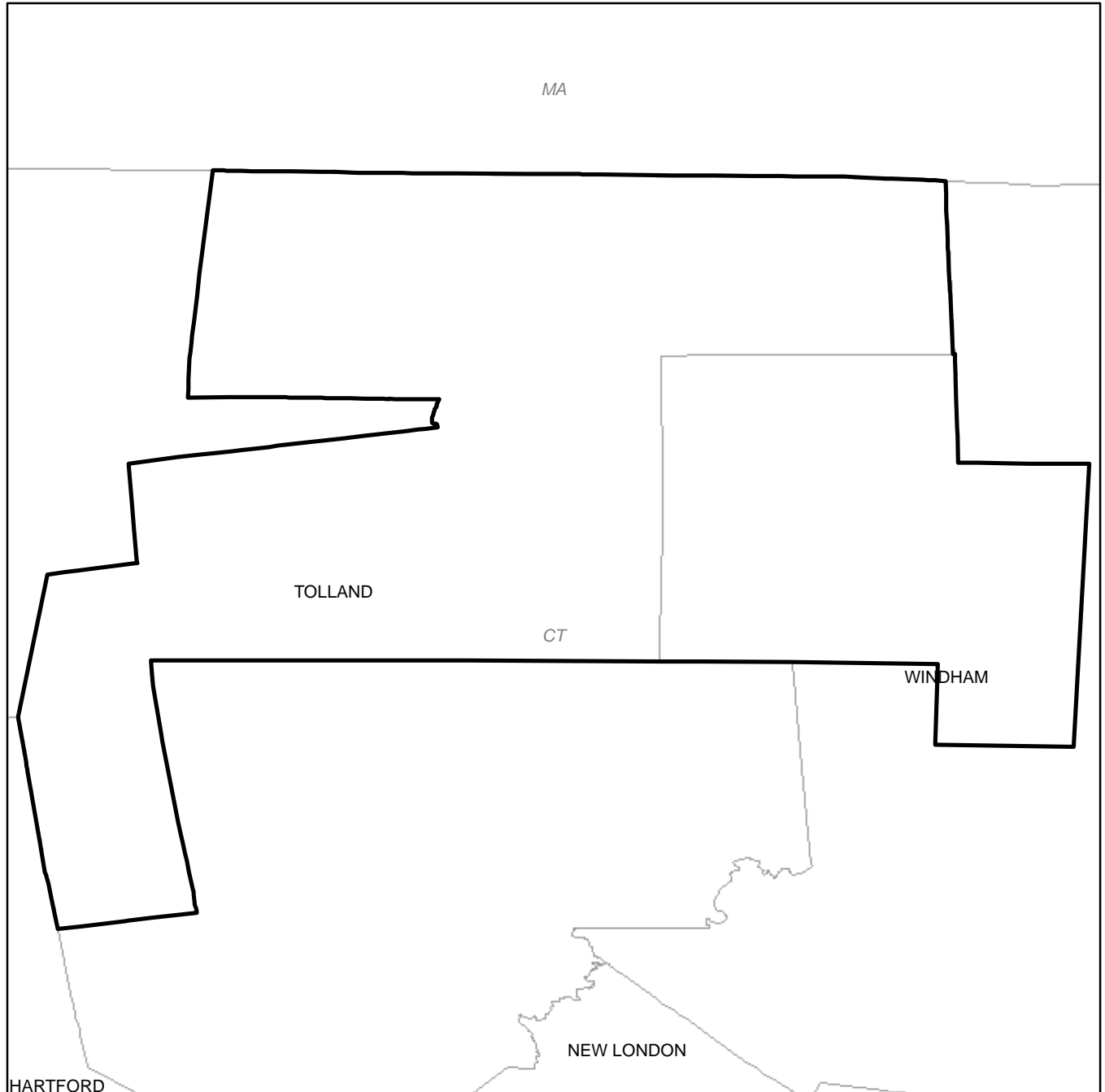
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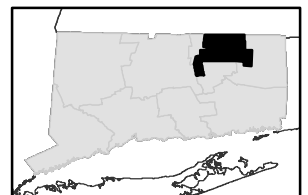
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Non-County Area 1 lost town of Coventry to HARTFORD.

262 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:321-322)





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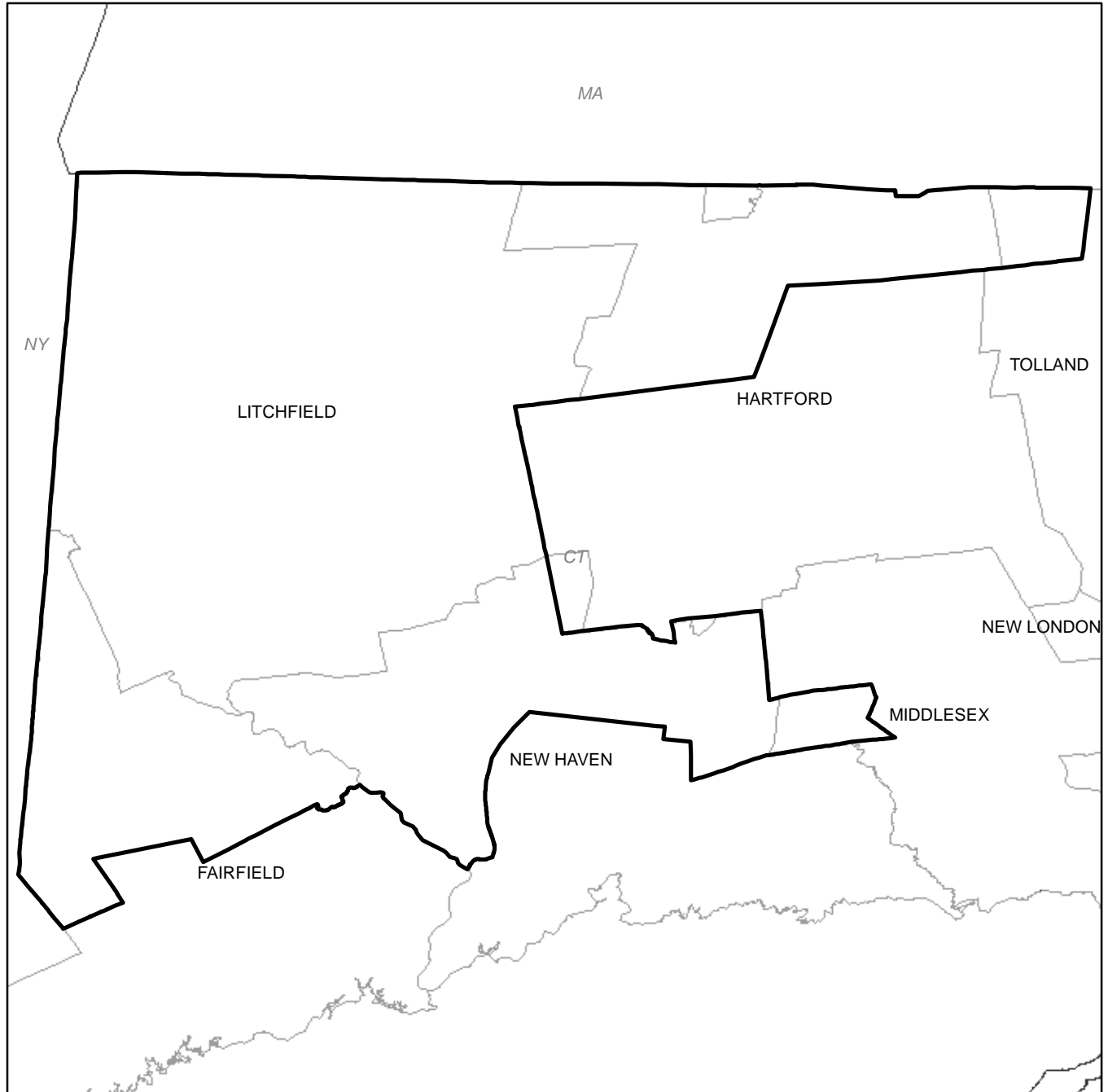
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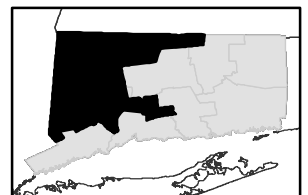
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Non-County Area 2 created when the Colony of Connecticut created four original counties.

1,768 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:34-35)





Non-County Area 2

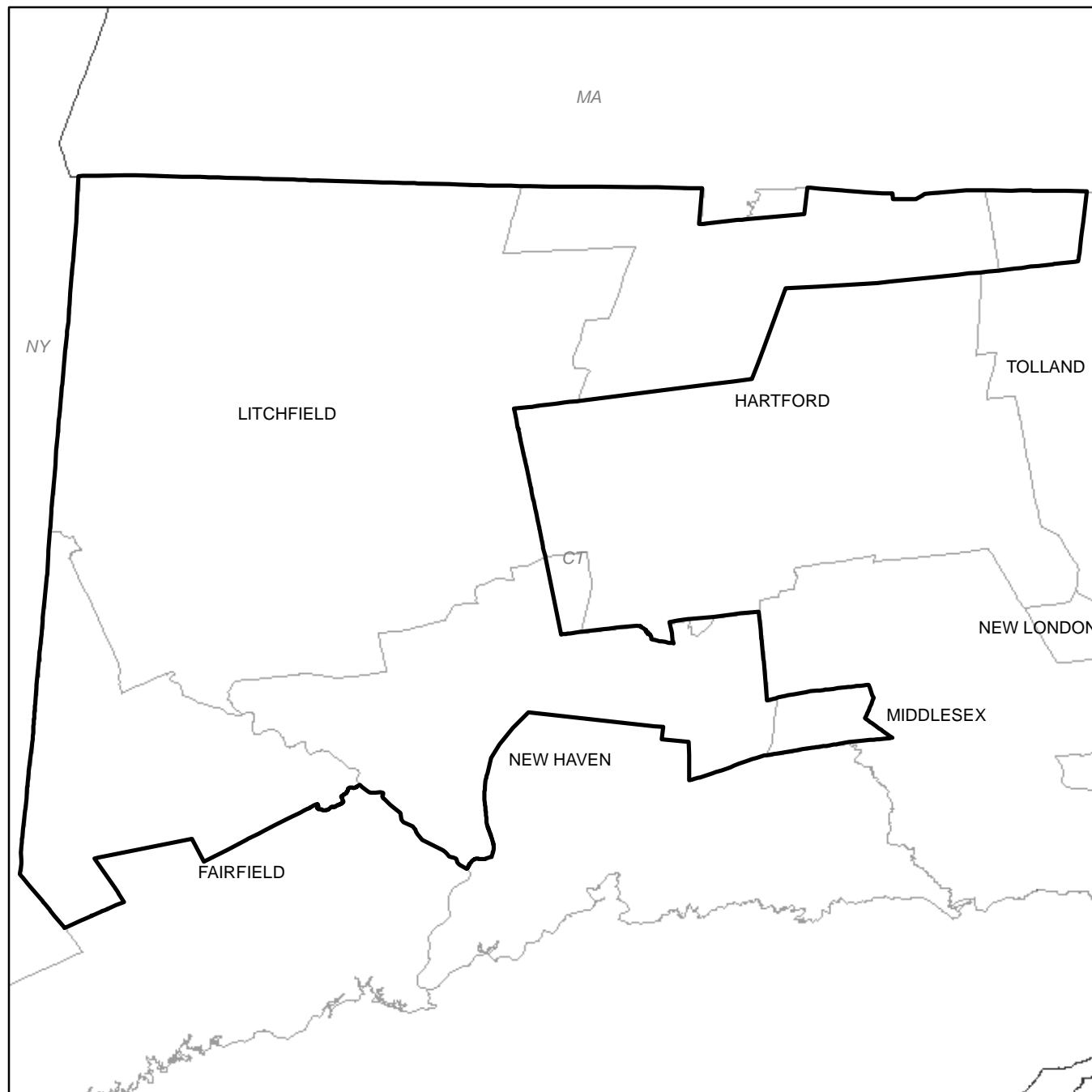
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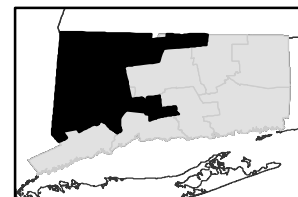
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Non-County Area 2 lost to HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) when town of Westfield (now Southwick, Mass.) was created from town of Springfield. Part of Westfield extended into Conn., the result of disagreement over the line between Conn. and Mass.

1,755 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 53-58; Mass. Recs., vol. 4, pt. 2:432)





Non-County Area 2

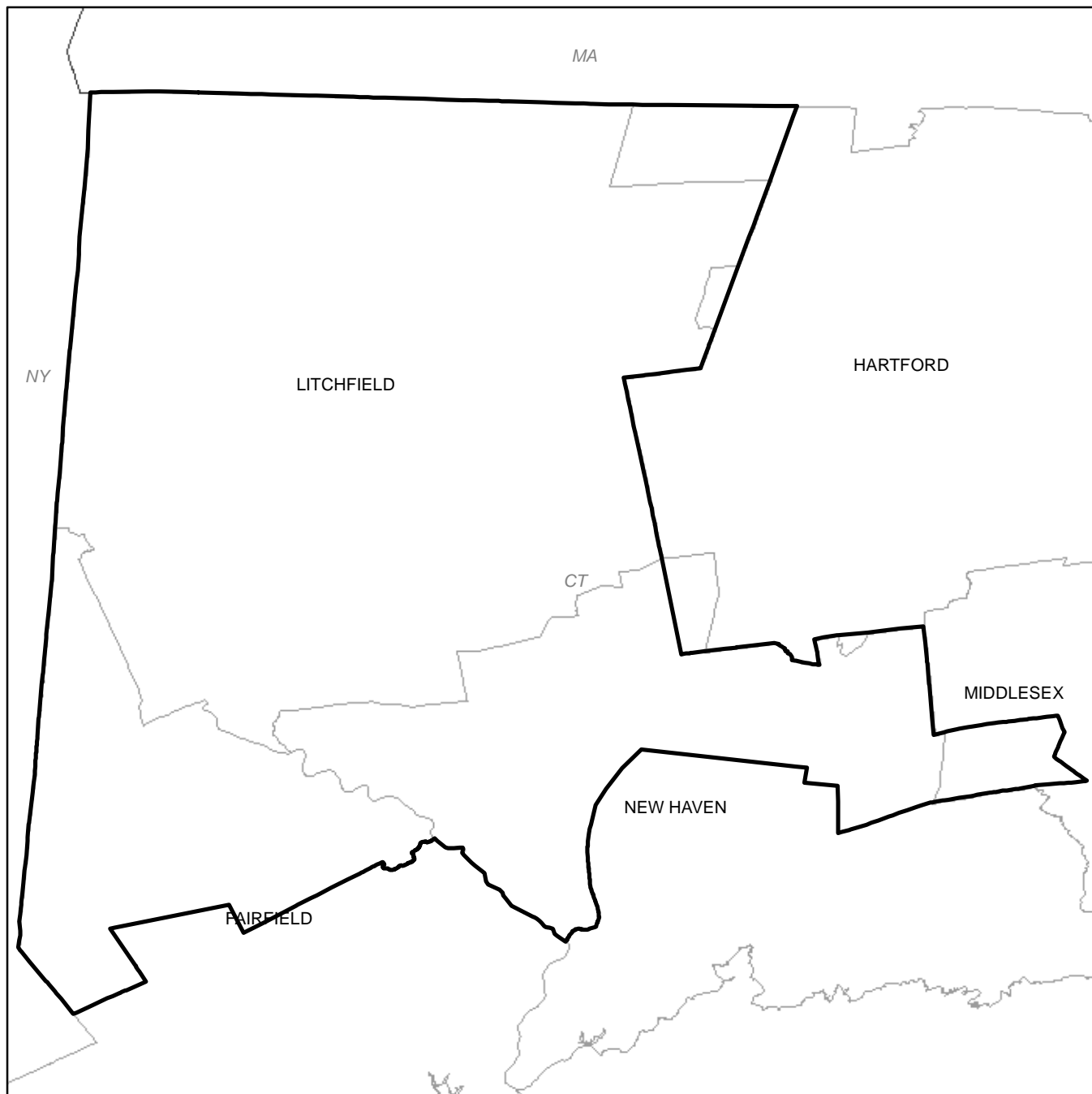
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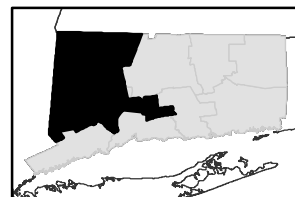
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Simsbury to HARTFORD, and lost to creation of Non-County Area 3.

1,531 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:127)





Non-County Area 2

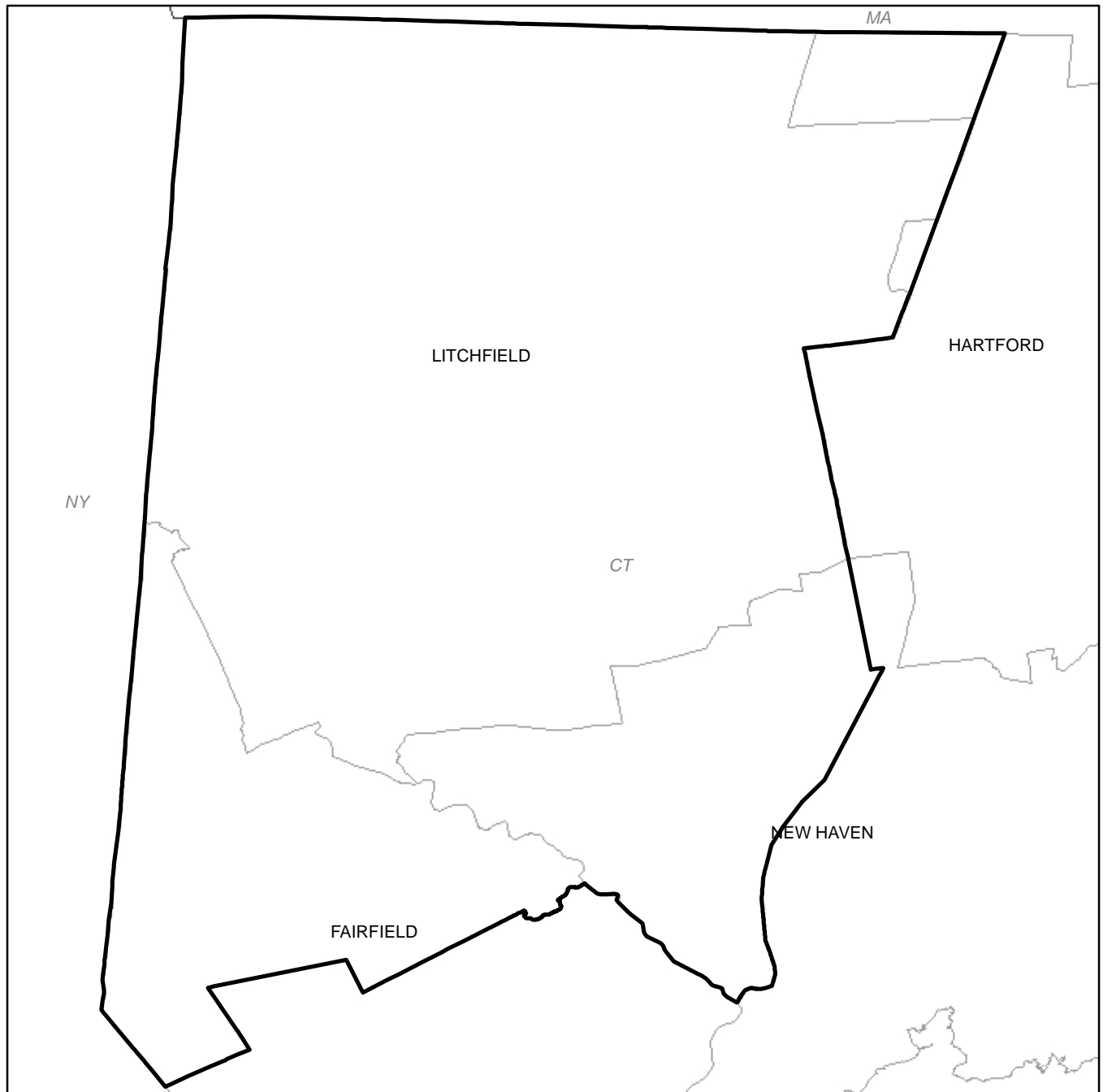
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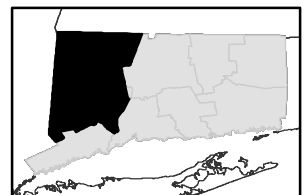
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Wallingford to NEW HAVEN, and lost to creation of Non-County Area 4.

1,403 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:152)





Non-County Area 2

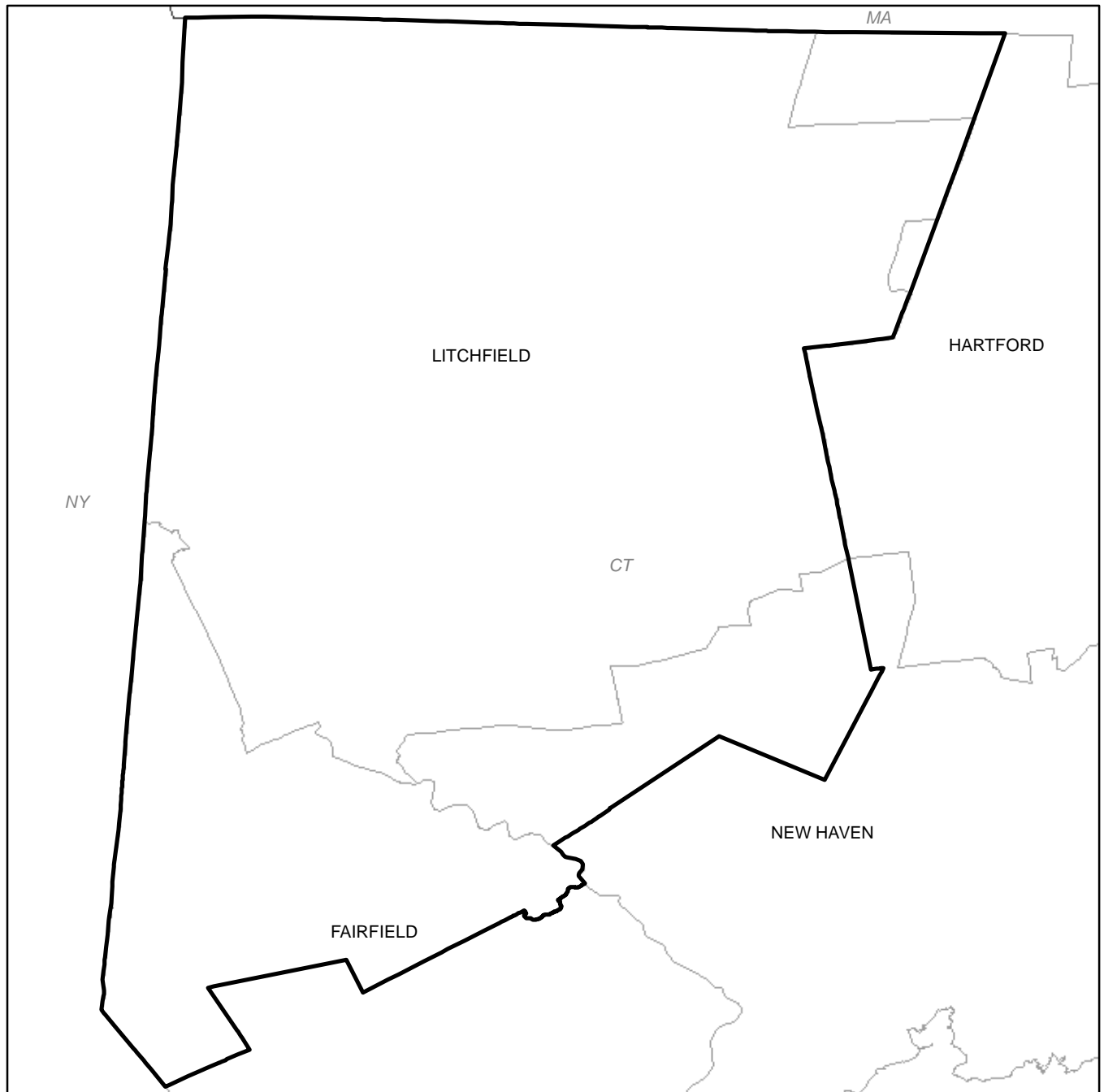
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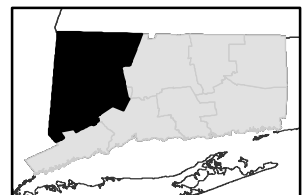
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Derby to NEW HAVEN.

1,329 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:248-249)





Non-County Area 2

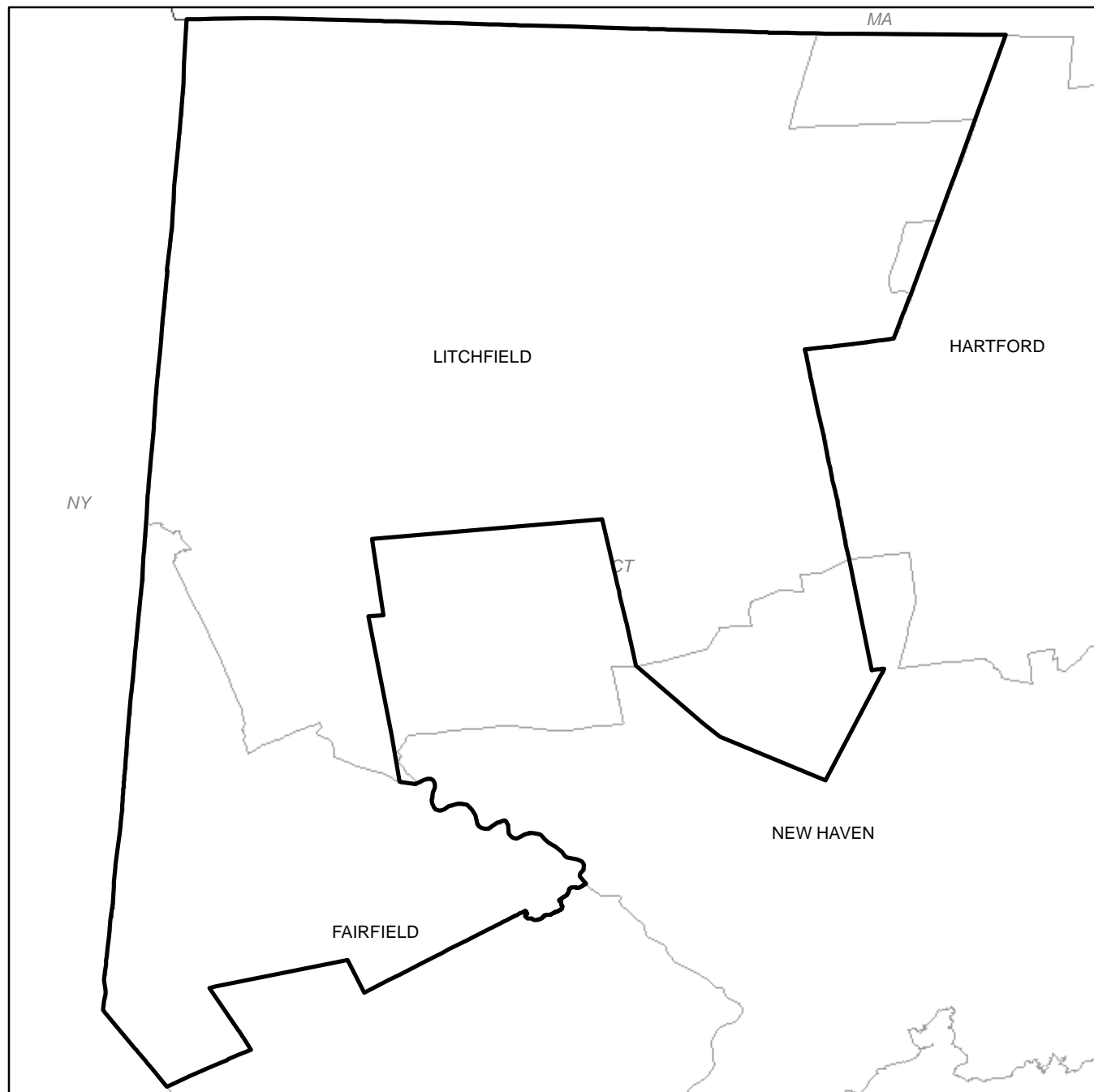
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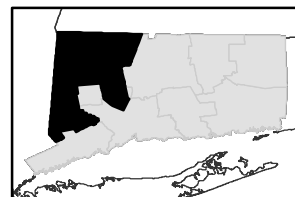
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Woodbury to FAIRFIELD.

1,172 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:253)





Non-County Area 2

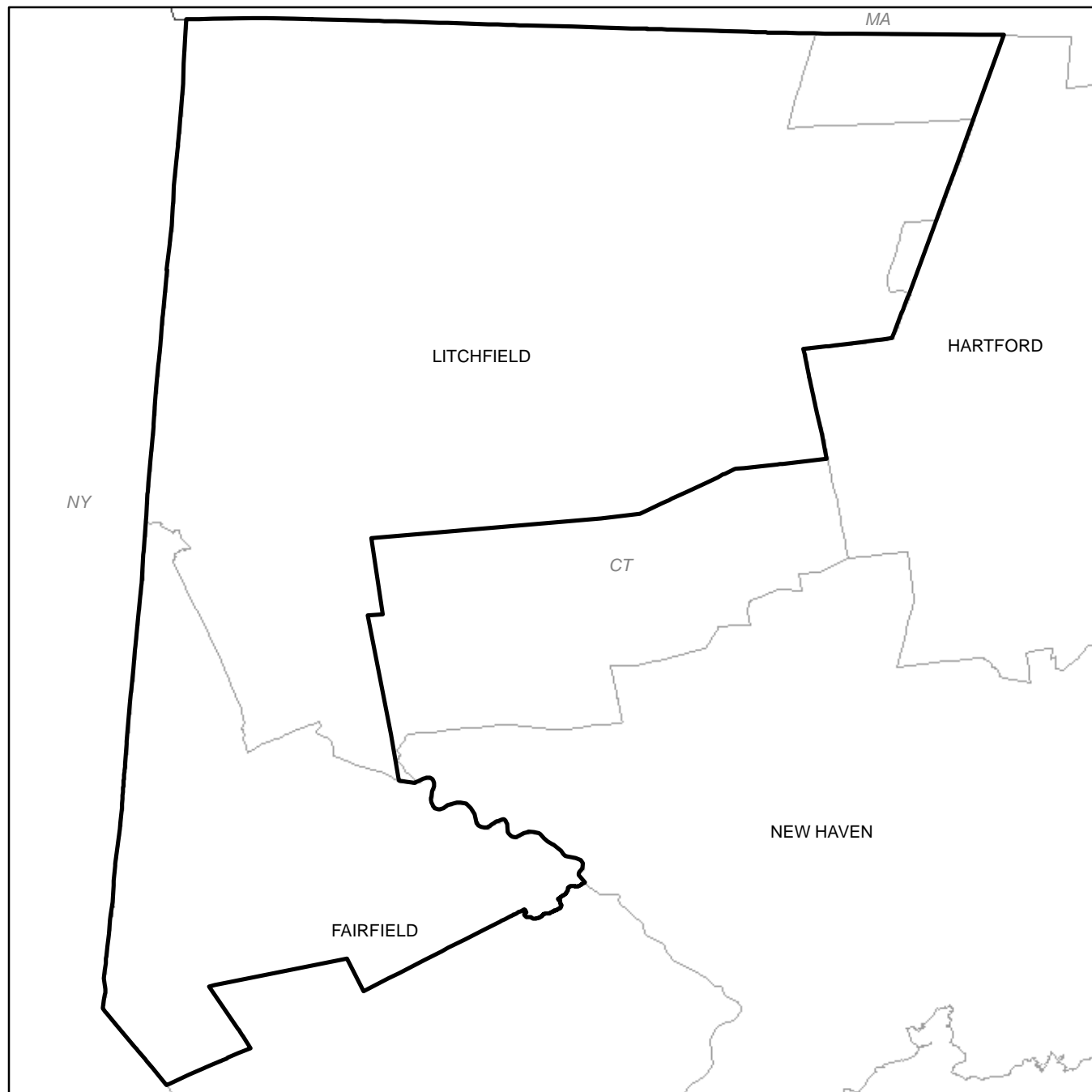
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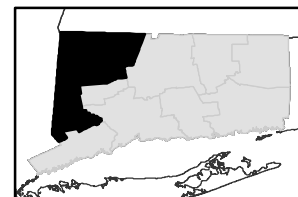
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Waterbury to HARTFORD.

1,050 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 3:197)





Non-County Area 2

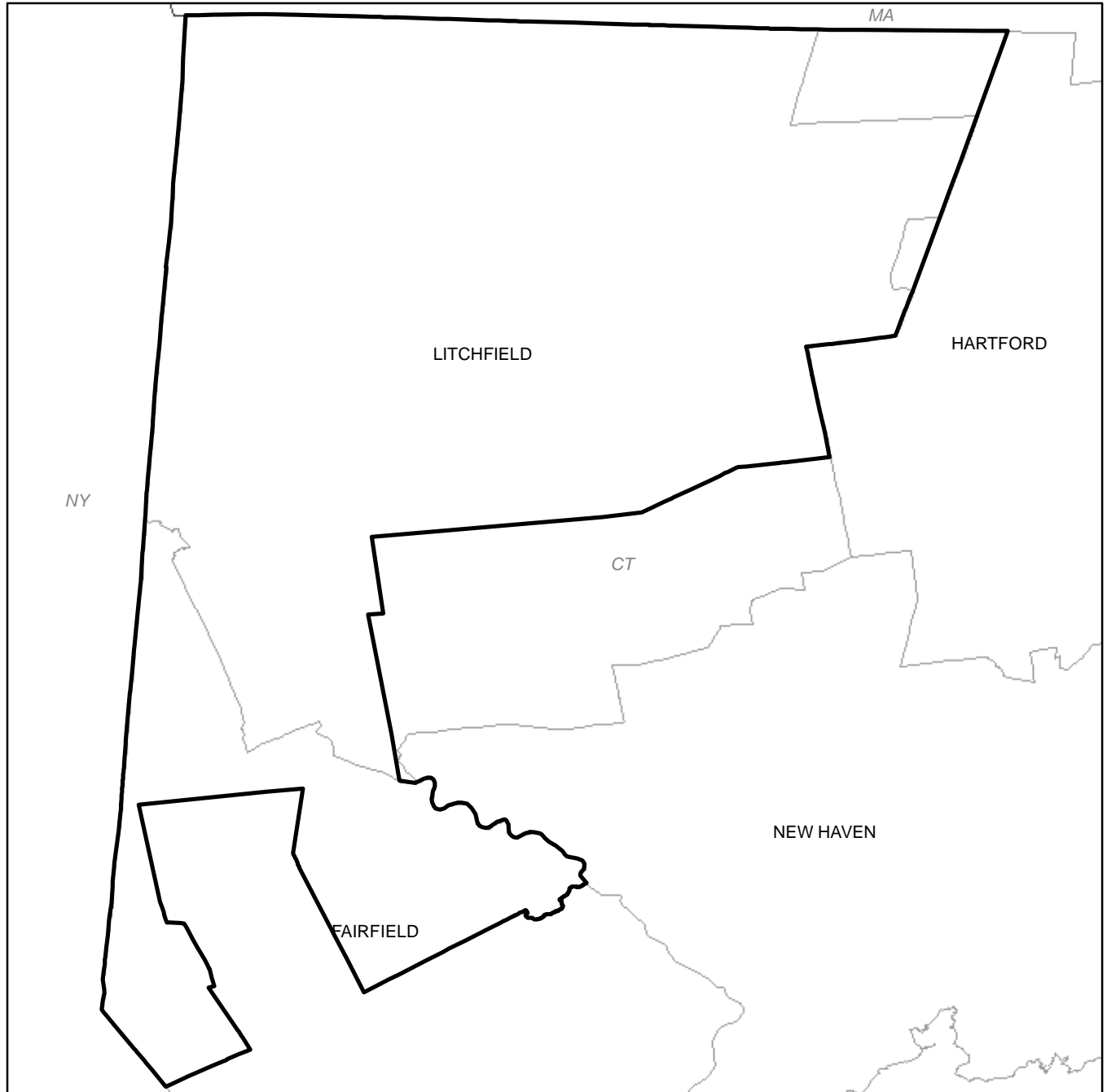
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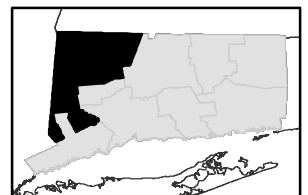
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Danbury to FAIRFIELD.

995 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 3:240)





Non-County Area 2

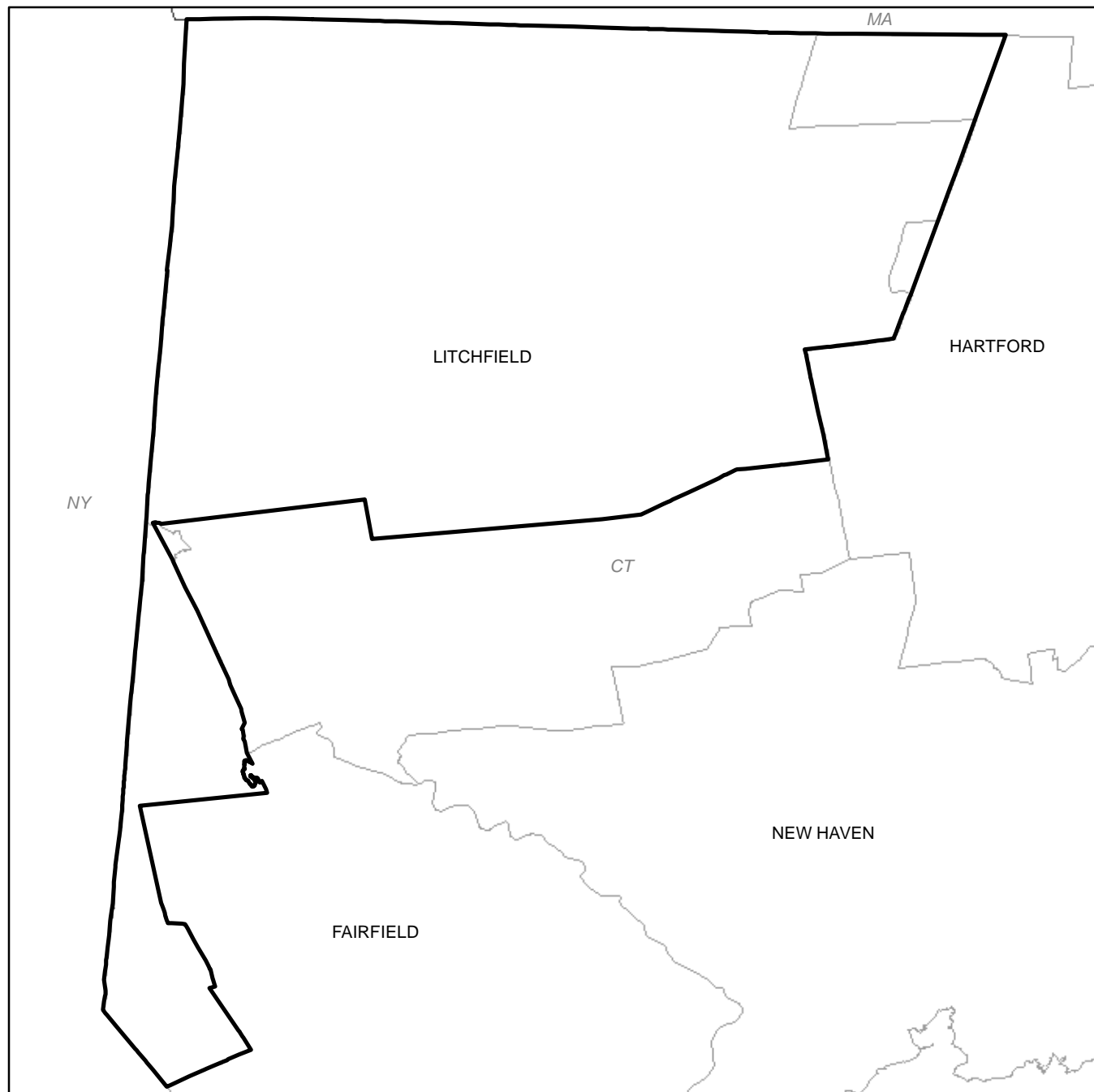
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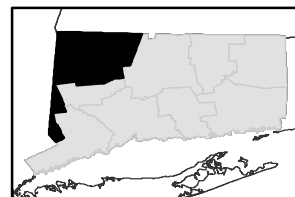
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of New Milford to NEW HAVEN, and lost to creation of Non-County Area 6.

821 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:10)





Non-County Area 2

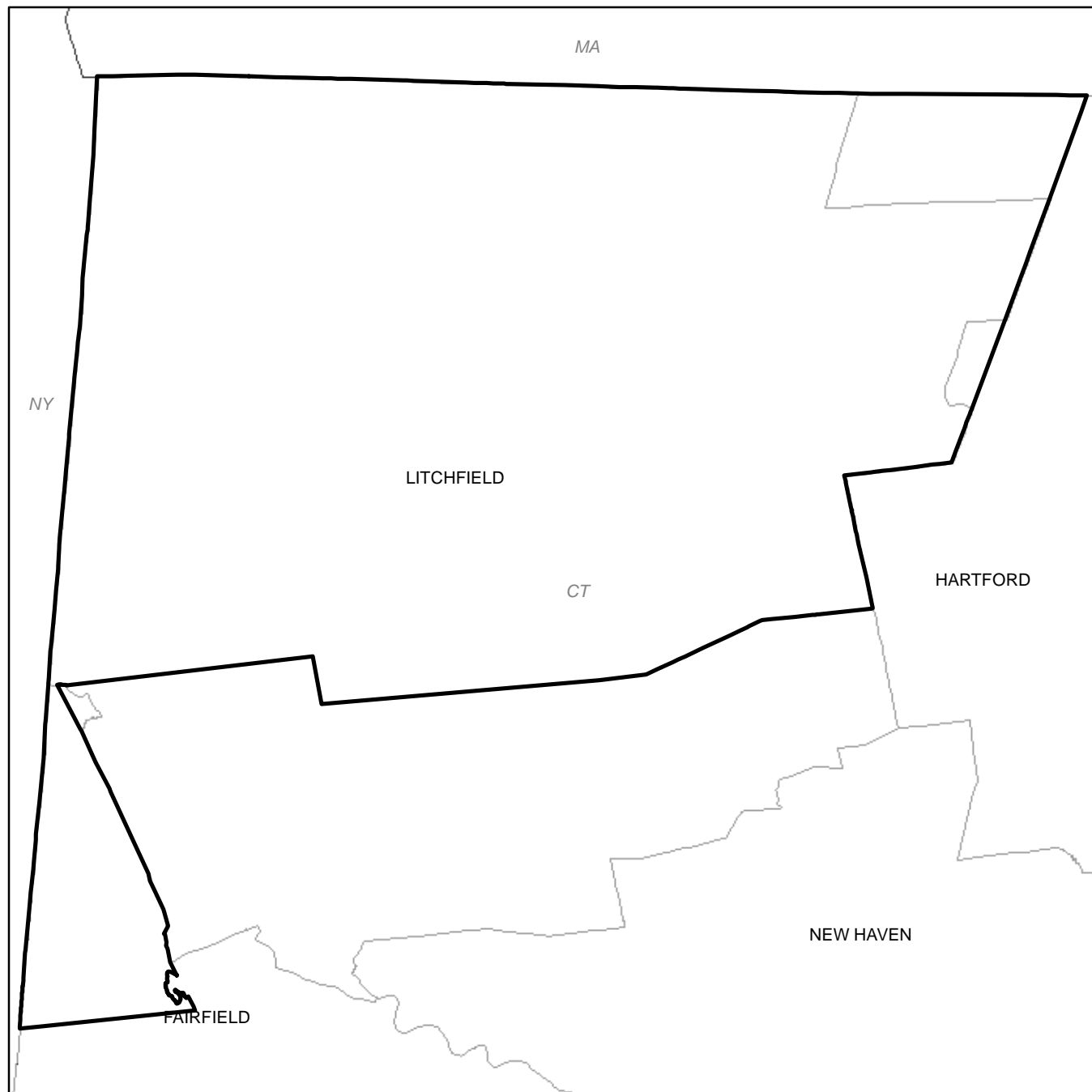
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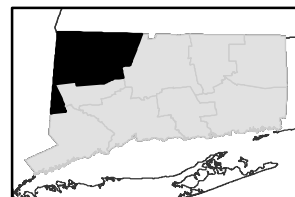
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Ridgefield to FAIRFIELD.

780 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:120-122)





Non-County Area 2

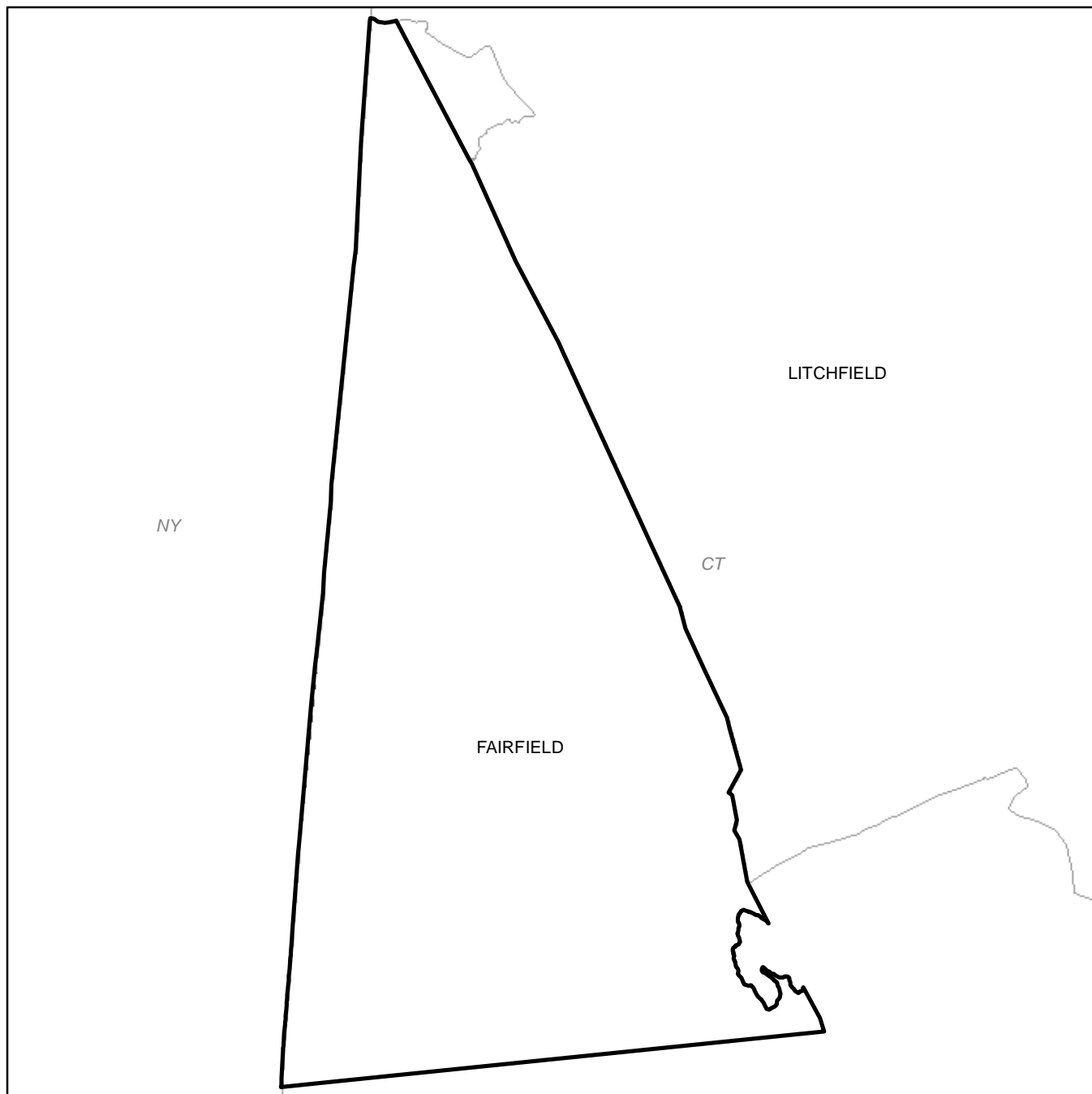
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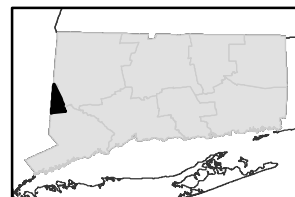
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Non-County Area 2 lost town of Litchfield to HARTFORD, and lost to NEW HAVEN.

46 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 6:339)





Non-County Area 3

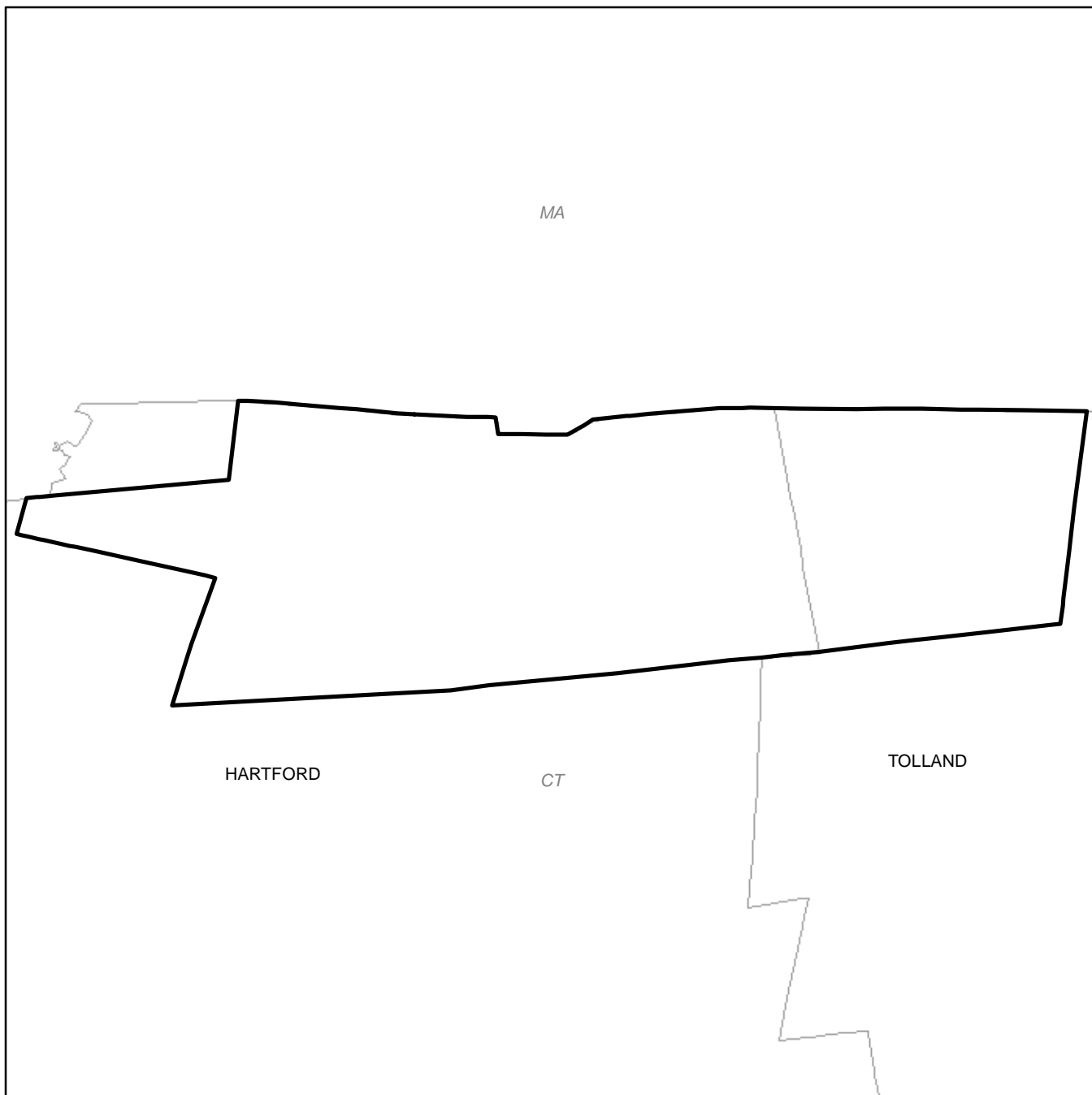
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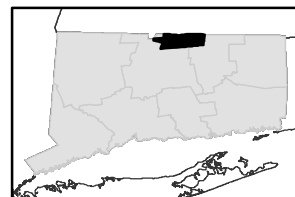
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Non-County Area 3 created from Non-County Area 2.

105 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:127)





Non-County Area 3

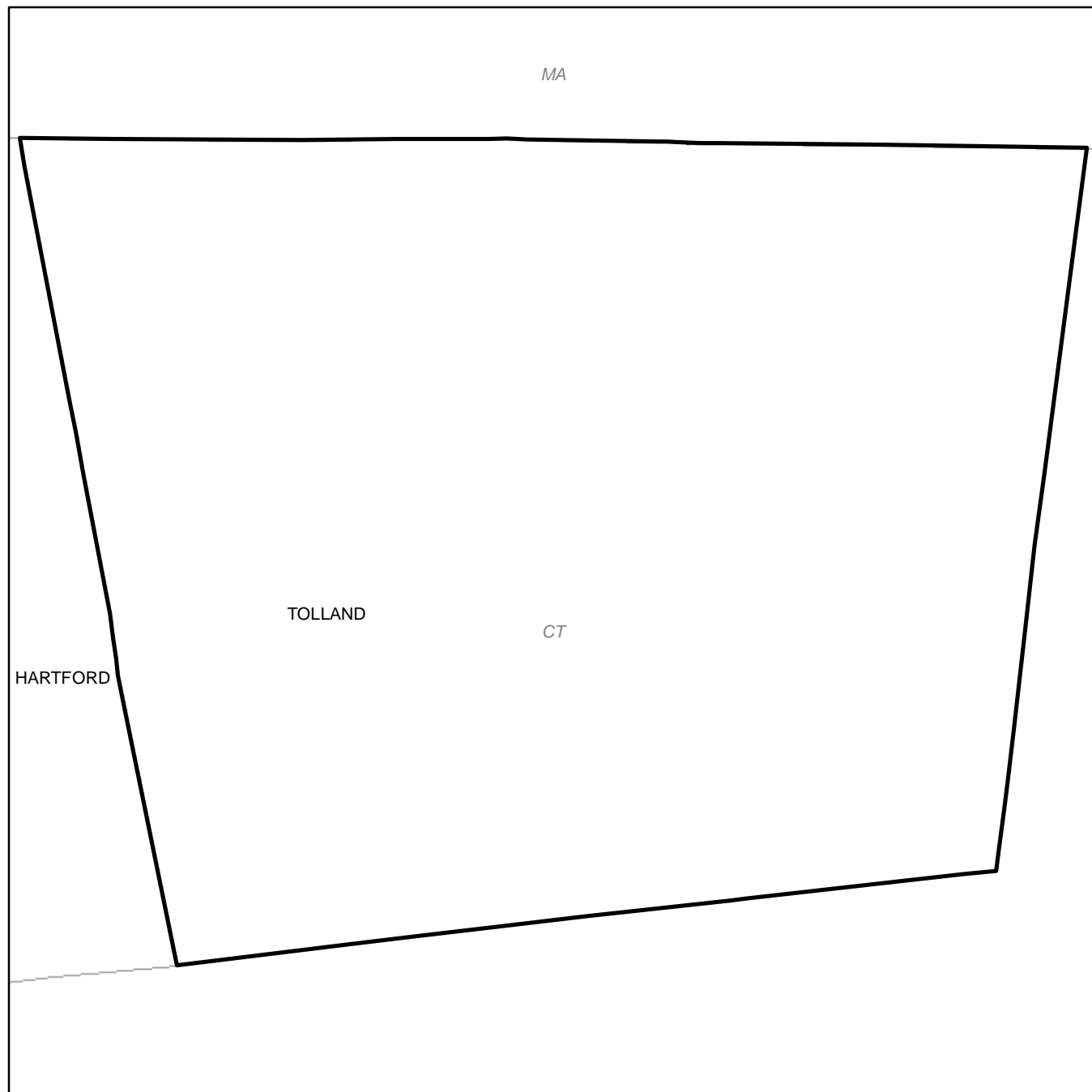
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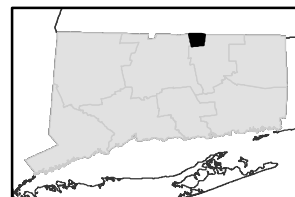
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Non-County Area 3 lost to HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) when town of Suffield created. Suffield was entirely within present Conn., the result of uncertain geographic knowledge and disagreement over the boundary between the colonies.

29 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 53-58; Mass. Recs., 5:13)





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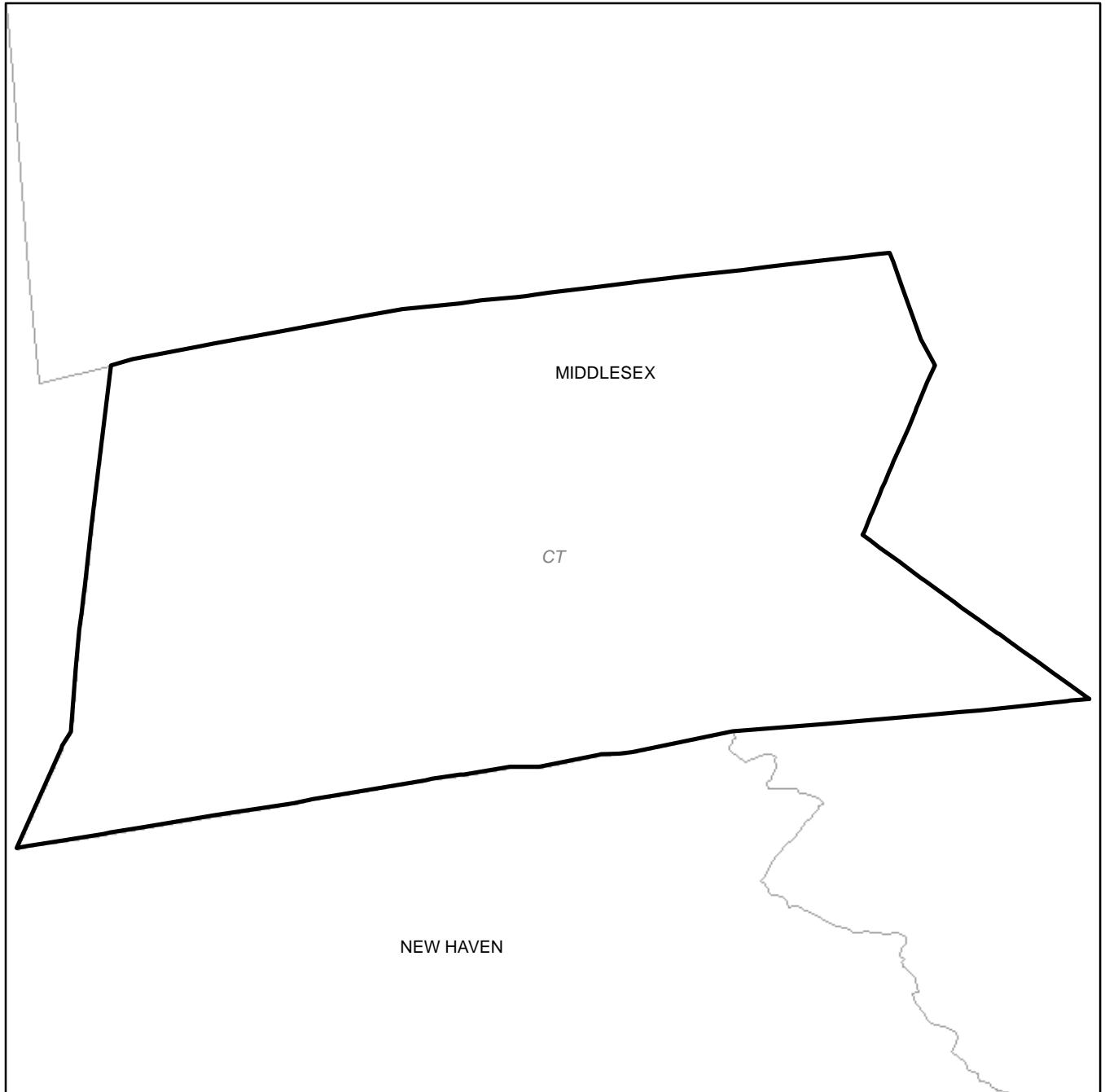
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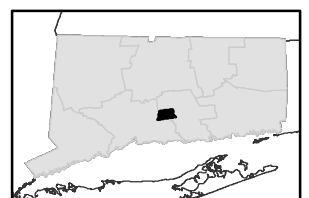
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Non-County Area 4 created from Non-County Area 2.

24 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:152)





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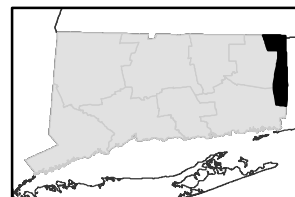
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Non-County Area 5 created from Non-County Area 1.

168 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:226)





Non-County Area 6

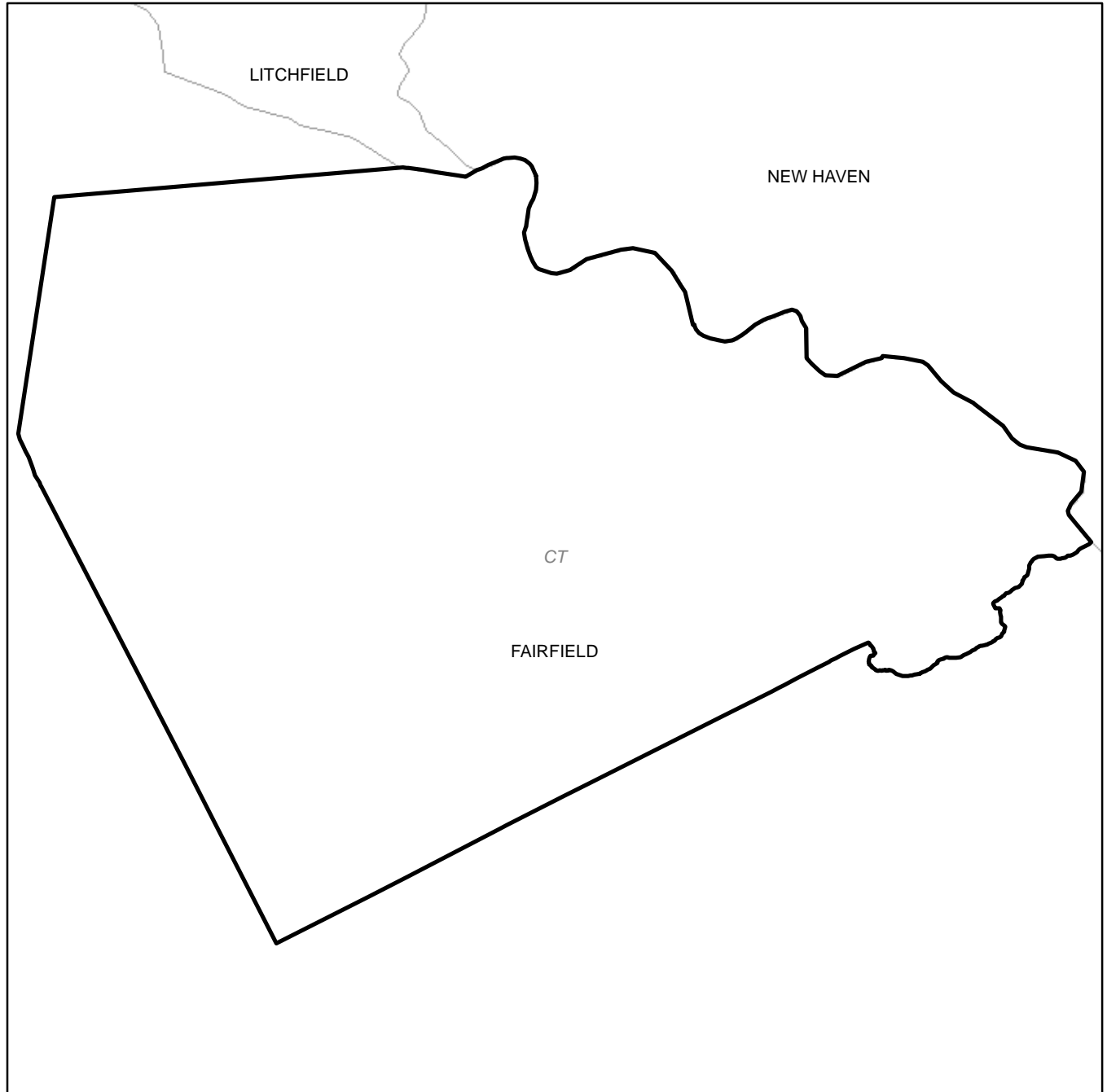
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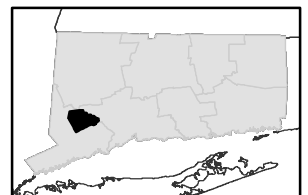
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Non-County Area 6 created from Non-County Area 2.

76 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:10)





Non-County Area 7

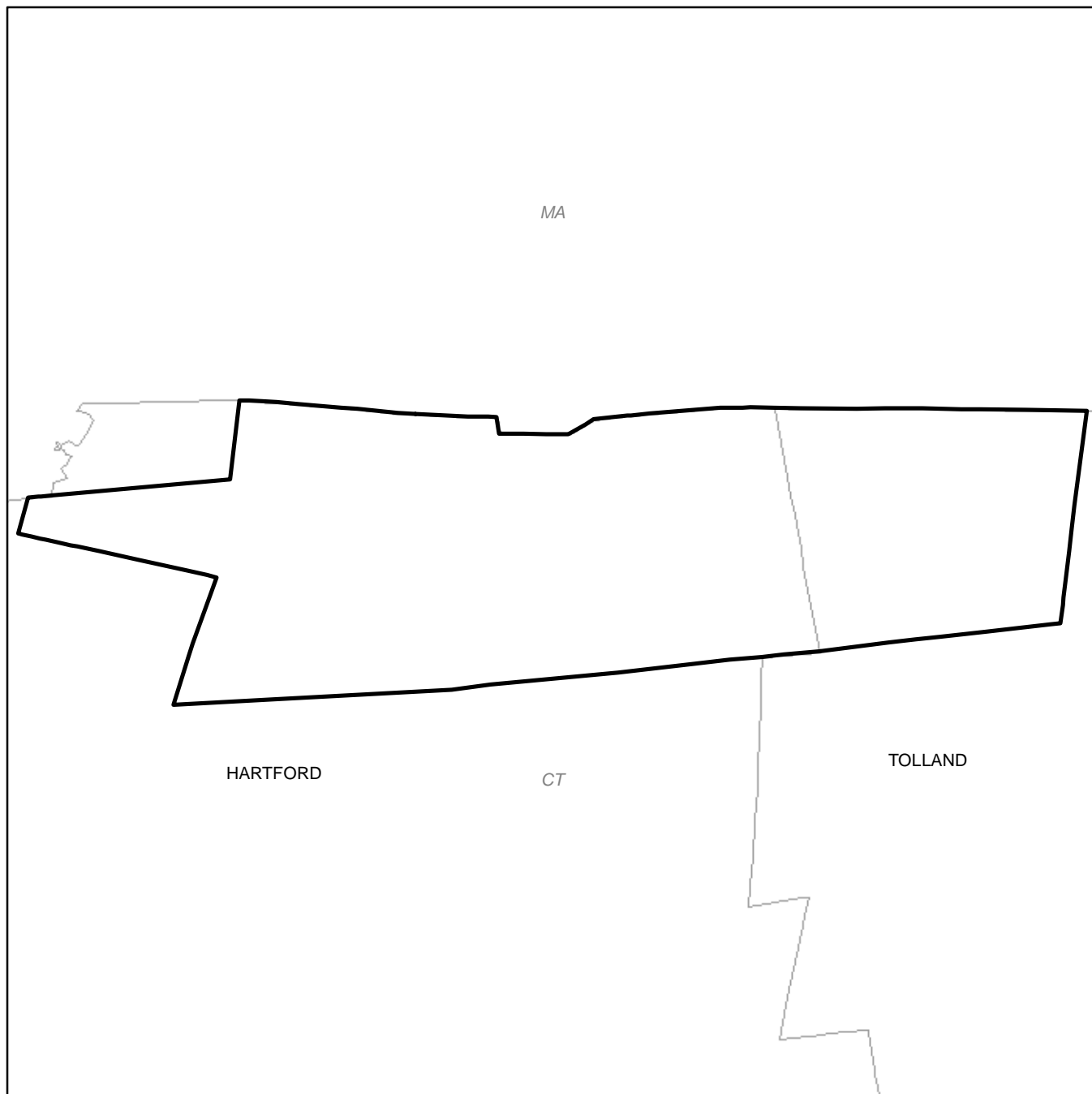
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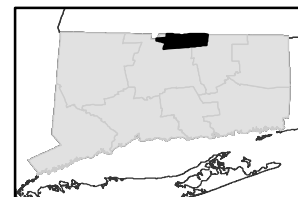
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In May 1749, Connecticut gained the towns of Enfield, Somers and Suffield from HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) when Conn. responded to the towns' request for annexation. The area was outside of any county jurisdiction until 12 Oct 1749 when it became part of HARTFORD.

105 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 62; Hooker, 22, 26)



Version 1

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A map of Windham County, Vermont, outlined in black. The county is situated in the northern part of the state. To its north is the state of Massachusetts (labeled *MA*). To its east is the state of Connecticut (labeled *CT*). To its west is the town of Tolland in Connecticut (labeled *TOLLAND*). The county's name, **WINDHAM**, is printed in the center of the county area.

62 sq. mi.

A map of the state of Connecticut with its county boundaries outlined. A small black rectangle is located in the northeast corner of the state, indicating the location of the study area.



NEW HAVEN

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5/10/1666 - 5/10/1671

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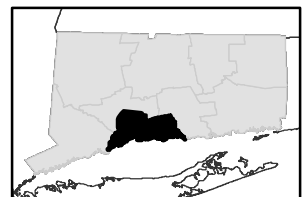
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NEW HAVEN created by the Colony of Connecticut as one of four original counties.

317 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:34-35)





NEW HAVEN

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5/11/1671 - 5/12/1675

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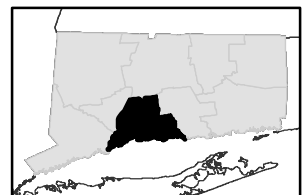
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NEW HAVEN gained town of Wallingford from Non-County Area 2.

421 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:152)





NEW HAVEN

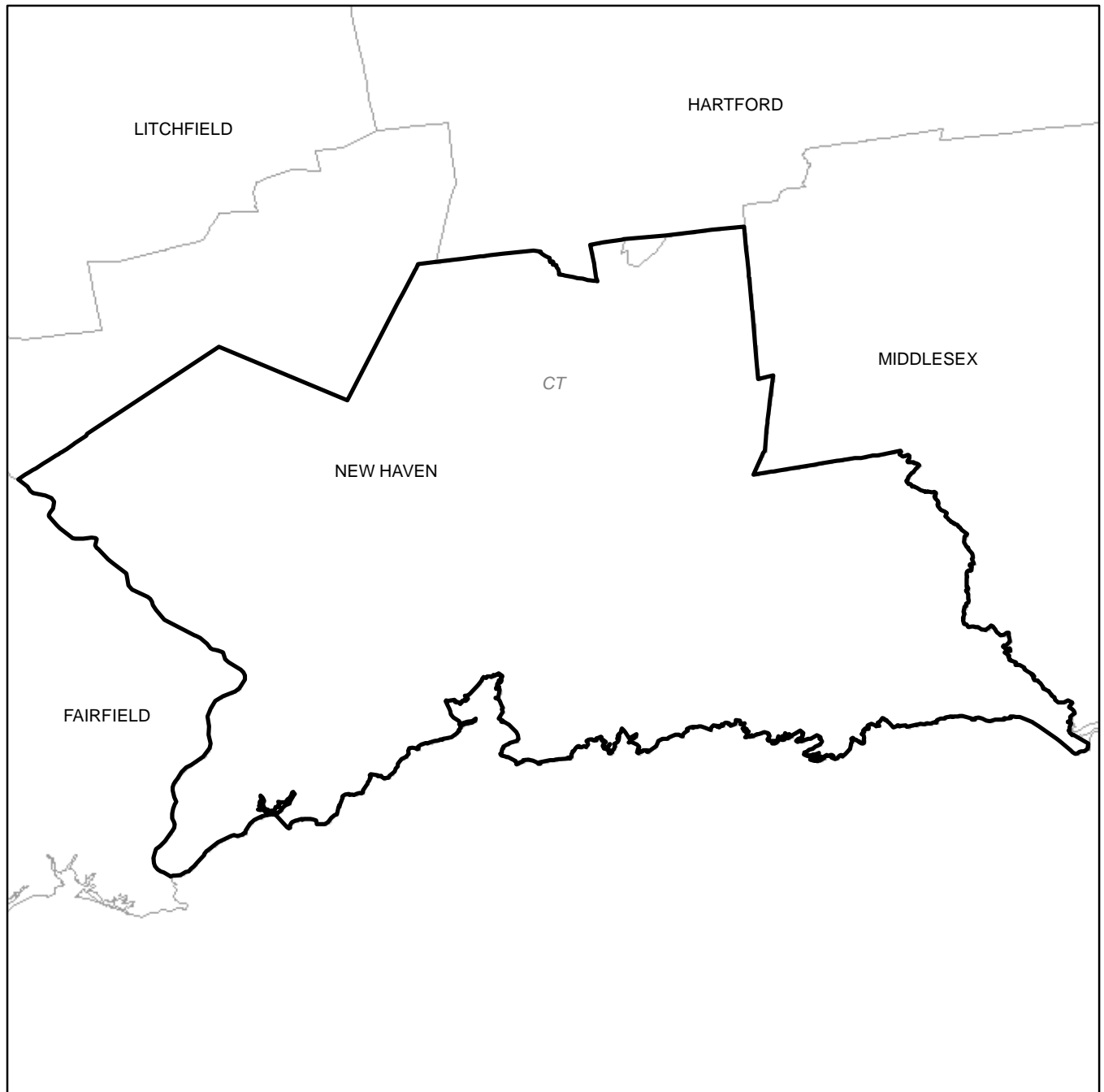
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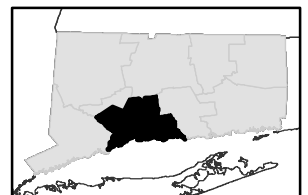
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NEW HAVEN gained town of Derby from Non-County Area 2.

495 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:248-249)





NEW HAVEN

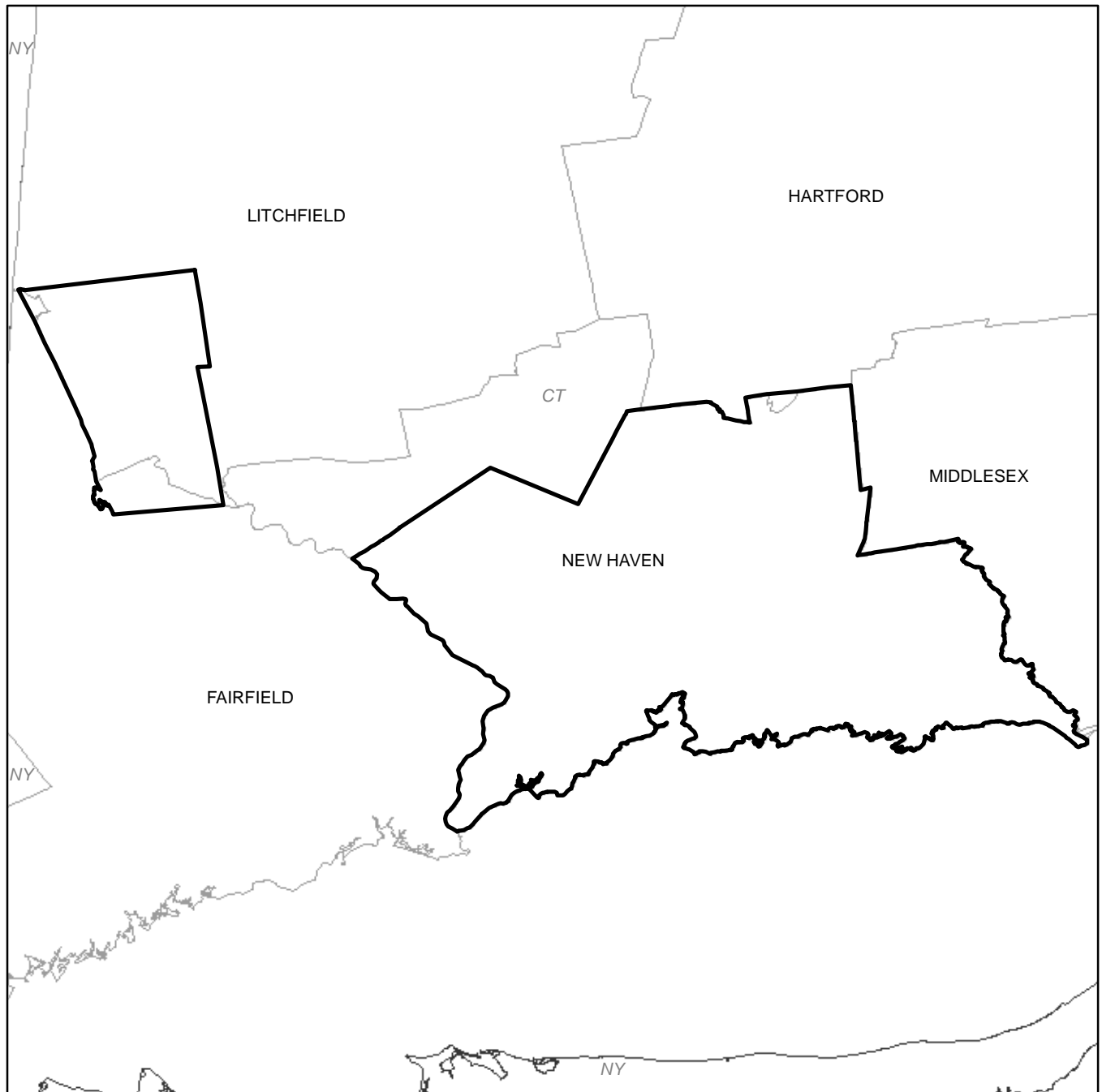
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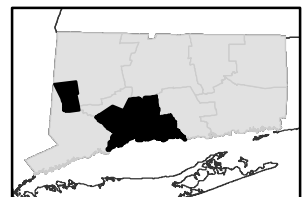
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NEW HAVEN gained town of New Milford from Non-County Area 2.

593 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:10)





NEW HAVEN

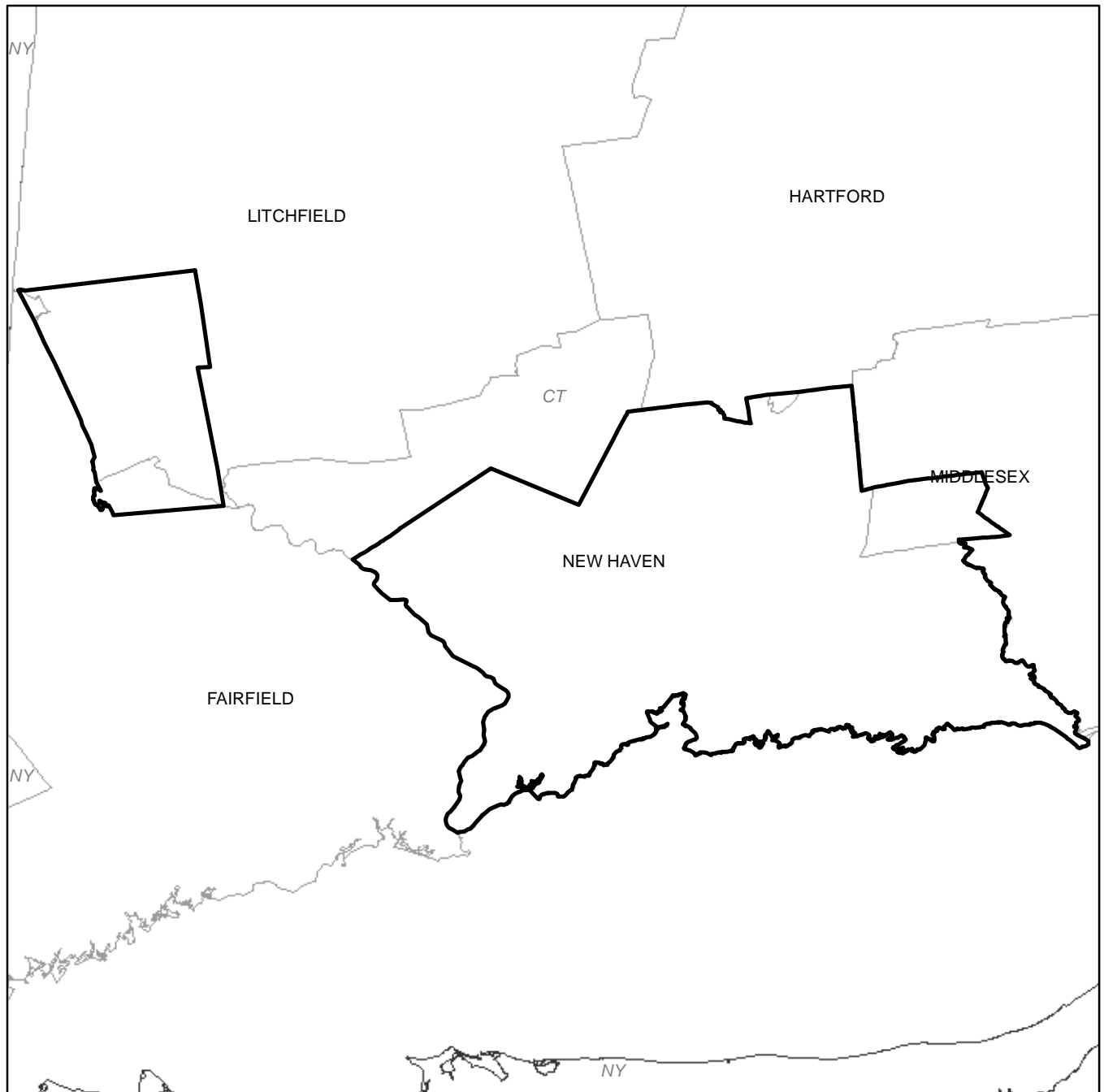
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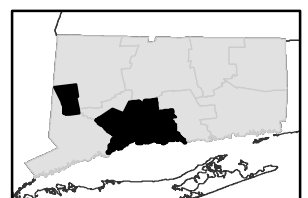
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NEW HAVEN gained town of Durham from Non-County Area 4. Non-County Area 4 eliminated.

617 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:51)





NEW HAVEN

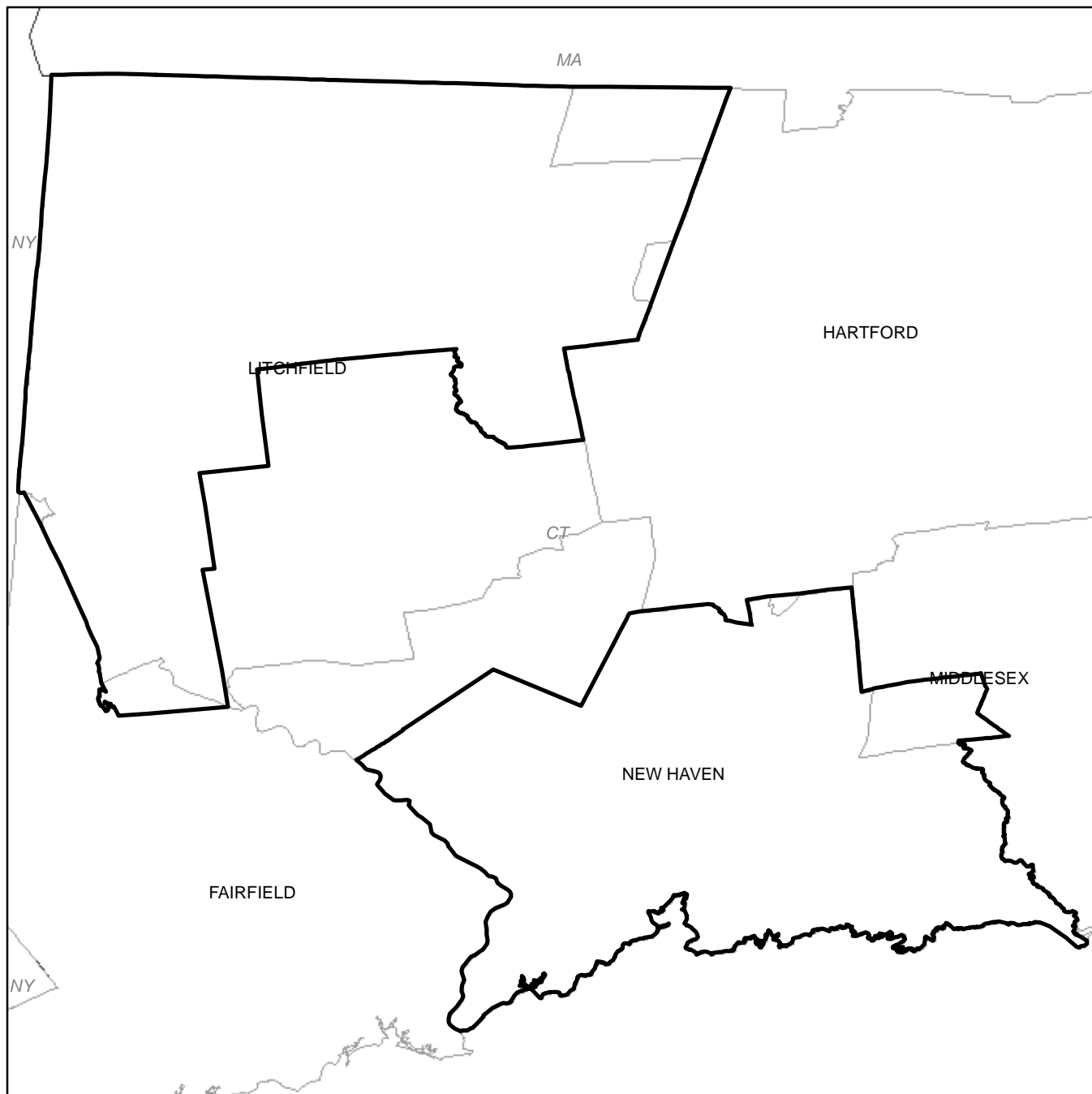
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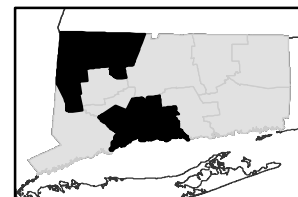
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NEW HAVEN gained from Non-County Area 2.

1,262 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 6:339)





NEW HAVEN

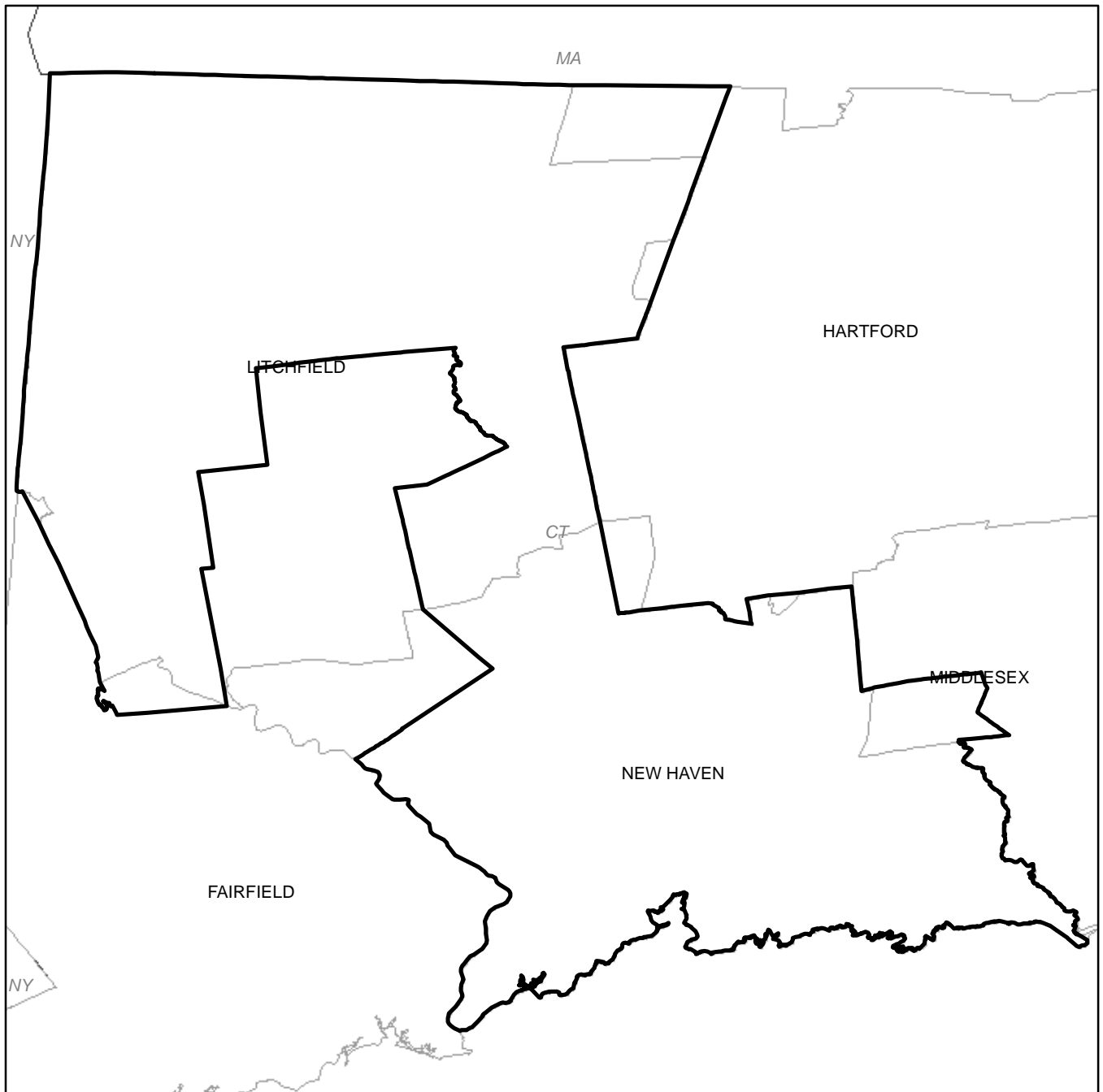
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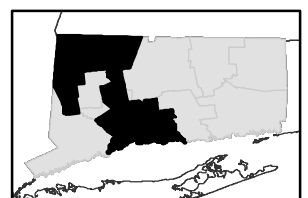
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NEW HAVEN gained town of Waterbury from HARTFORD.

1,384 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:168)





NEW HAVEN

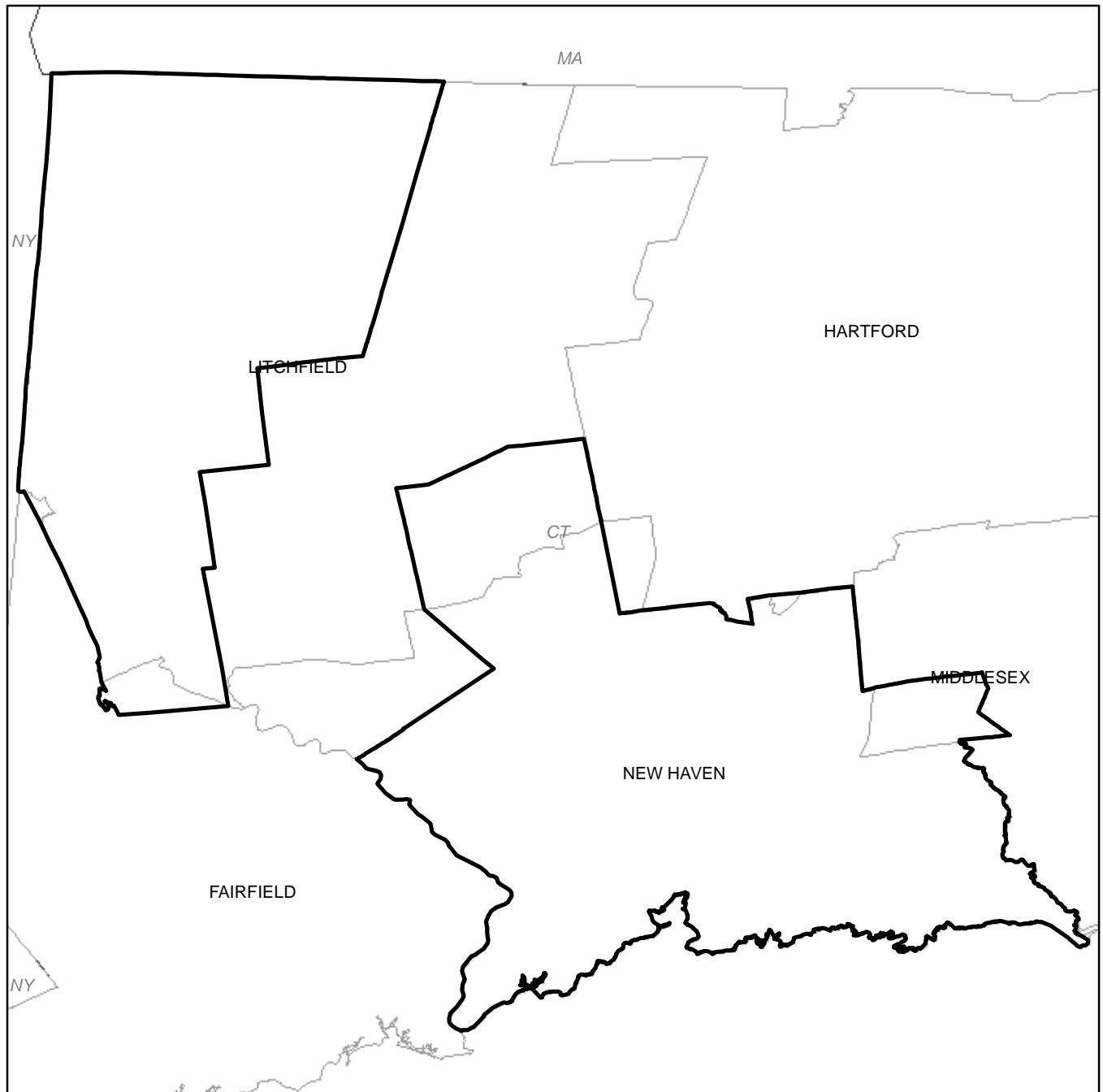
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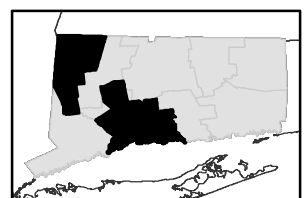
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NEW HAVEN lost the towns of Barkhamsted, Colebrook, Hartland, Harwinton, New Hartford, Torrington, and Winchester to HARTFORD.

1,133 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:272, 387-390, 445-449)





NEW HAVEN

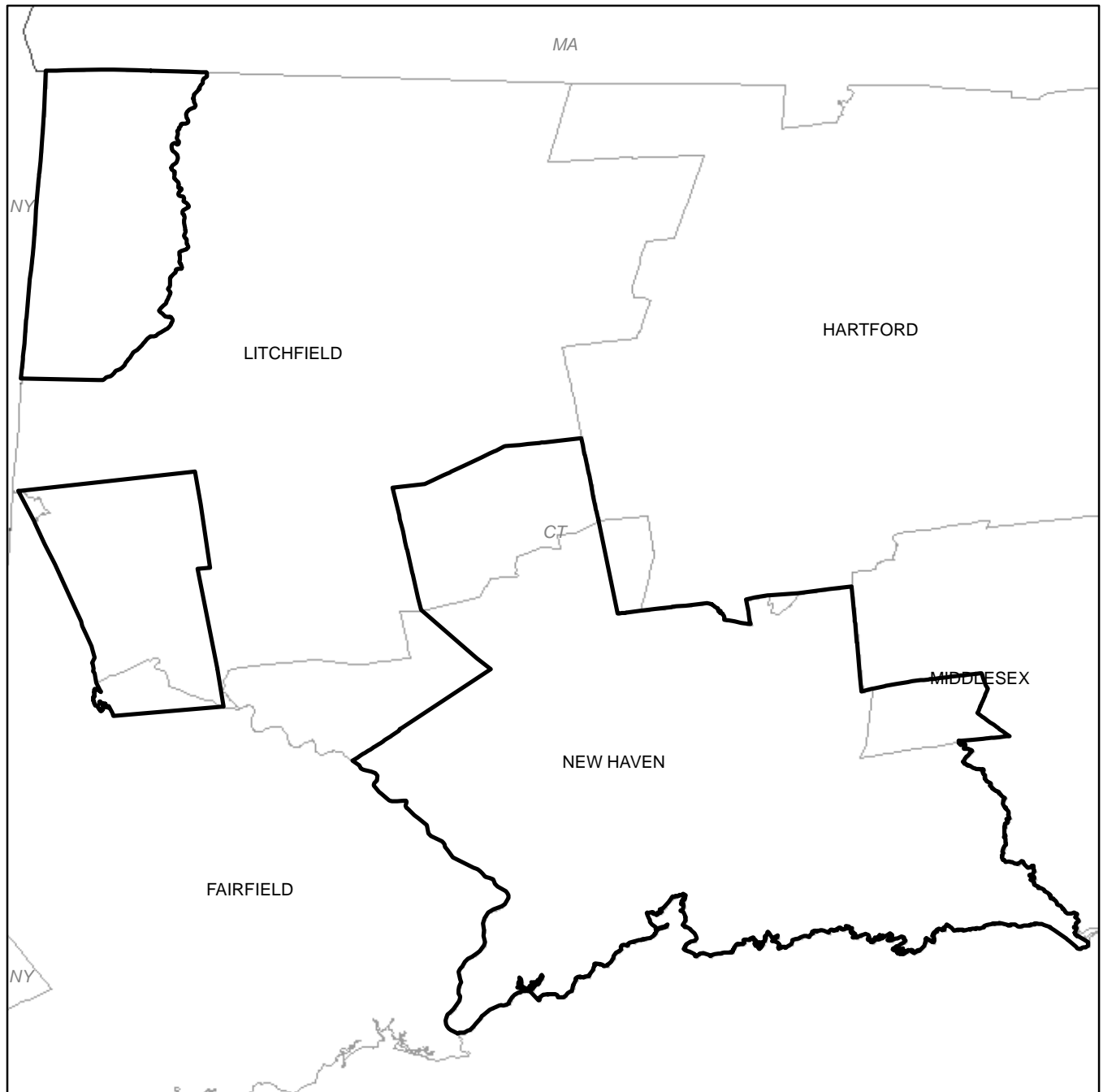
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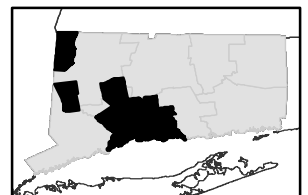
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NEW HAVEN lost the towns of Canaan, Cornwall, Goshen, Kent, and Norfolk to HARTFORD.

866 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 8:169-171)





NEW HAVEN

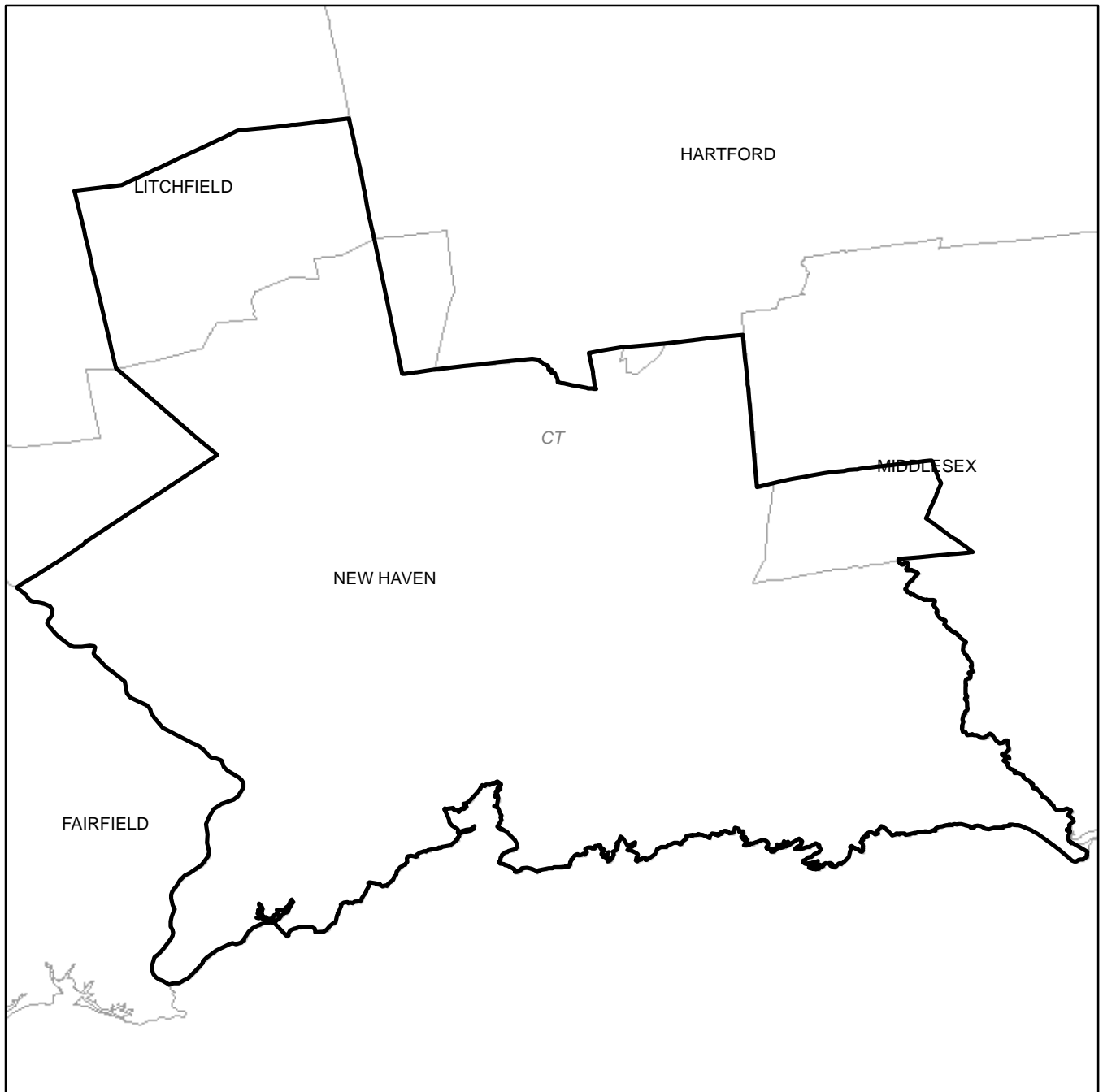
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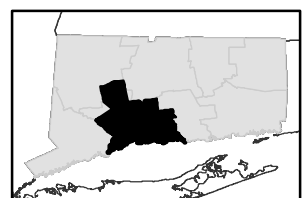
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NEW HAVEN lost to creation of LITCHFIELD.

641 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 10:56-58)





NEW HAVEN

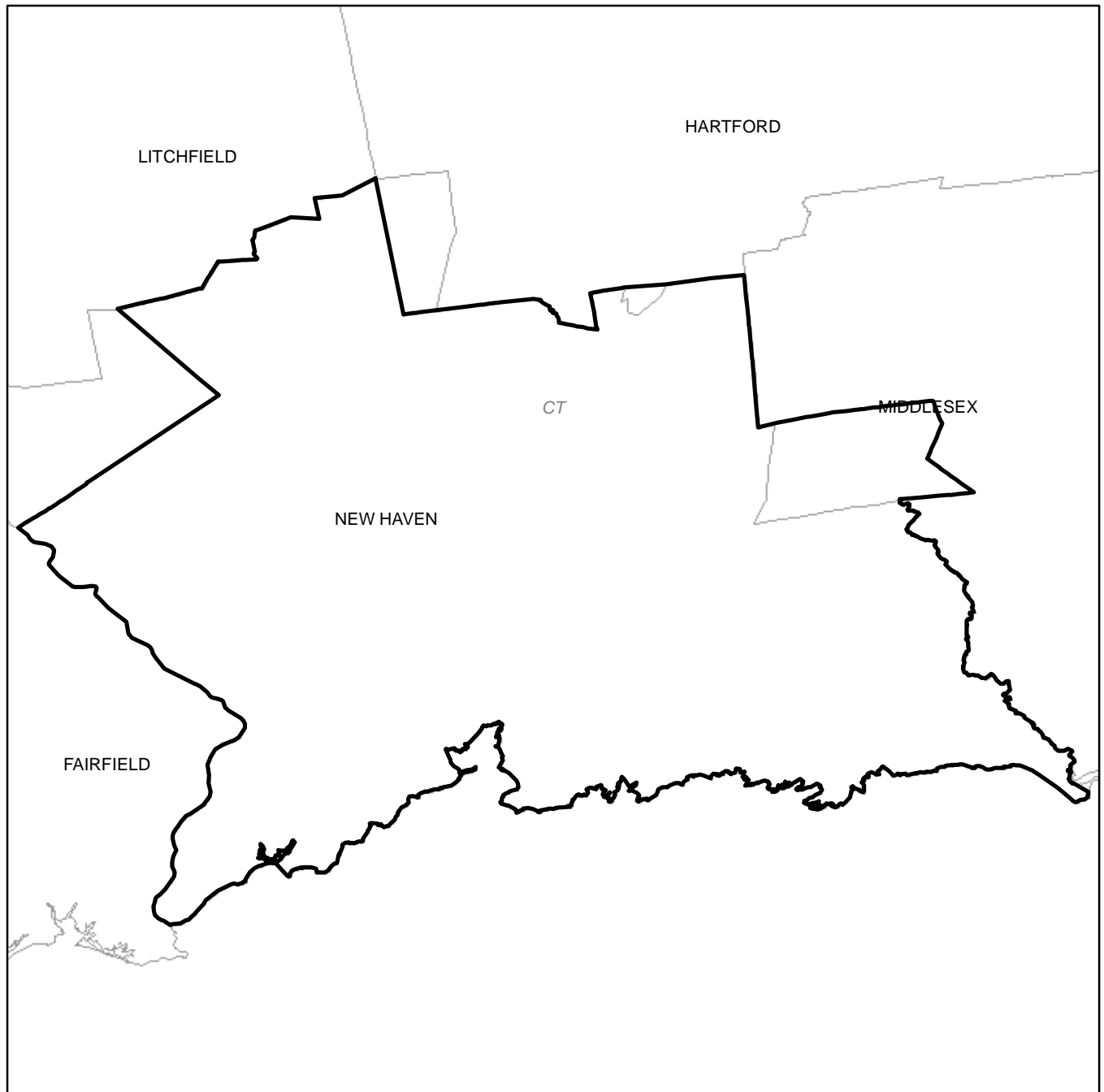
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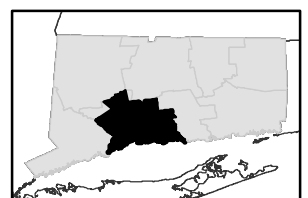
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NEW HAVEN lost to LITCHFIELD when the town of Watertown was created from Waterbury.

577 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 3:73-75)





NEW HAVEN

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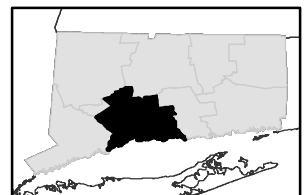
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NEW HAVEN gained from HARTFORD when the town of Wolcott was created from Southington and Waterbury.

588 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 8:372-373)





NEW HAVEN

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10/11/1798 - 5/8/1799

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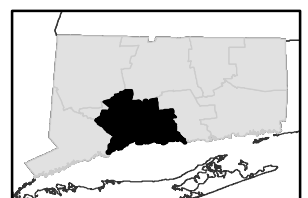
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NEW HAVEN gained from LITCHFIELD when the town of Oxford was created from Derby and Southbury, and lost to HARTFORD when town of Wallingford lost to Berlin.

592 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 9:284-285, 311-313)





NEW HAVEN

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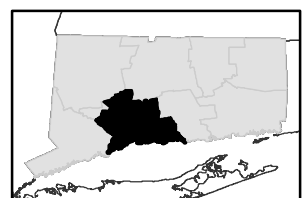
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NEW HAVEN lost the town of Durham to MIDDLESEX.

568 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 9:351)





NEW HAVEN

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5/14/1807 - 10/7/1807

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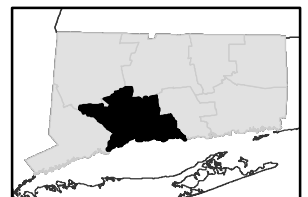
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NEW HAVEN gained the town of Southbury from LITCHFIELD.

608 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1807, p. 771)





NEW HAVEN

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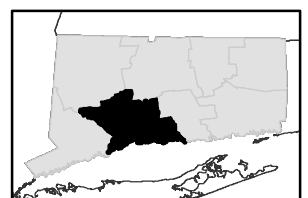
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NEW HAVEN gained from LITCHFIELD when town of Middlebury was created from Southbury, Waterbury, and Woodbury.

620 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1807, p. 800; Conn. Pub. Acts 1808, p. 815)





NEW LONDON

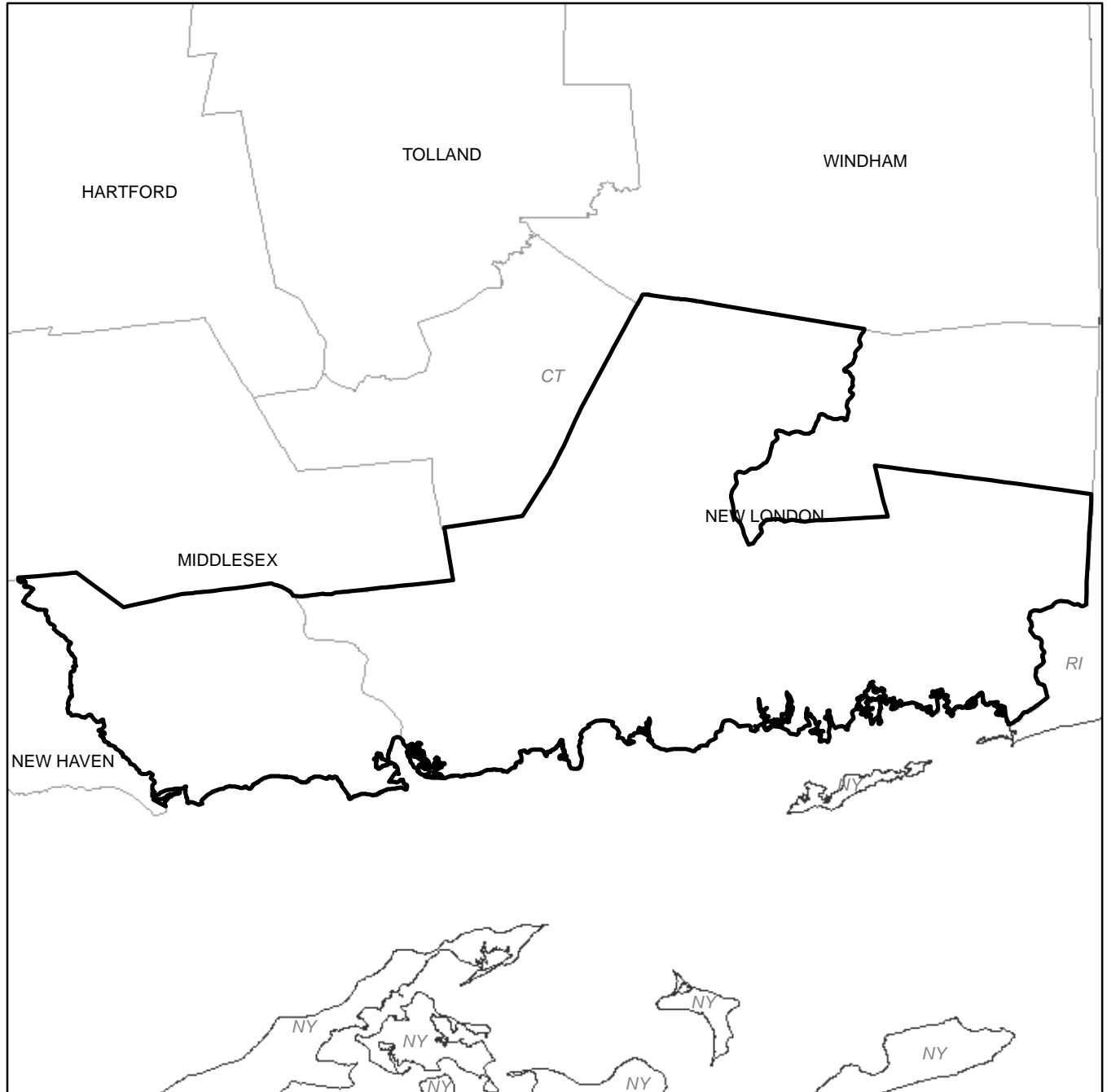
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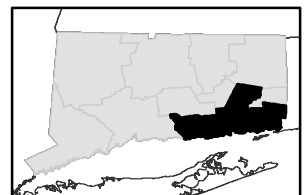
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NEW LONDON created by Colony of Connecticut as one of four original counties.

591 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 2:34-35)





NEW LONDON

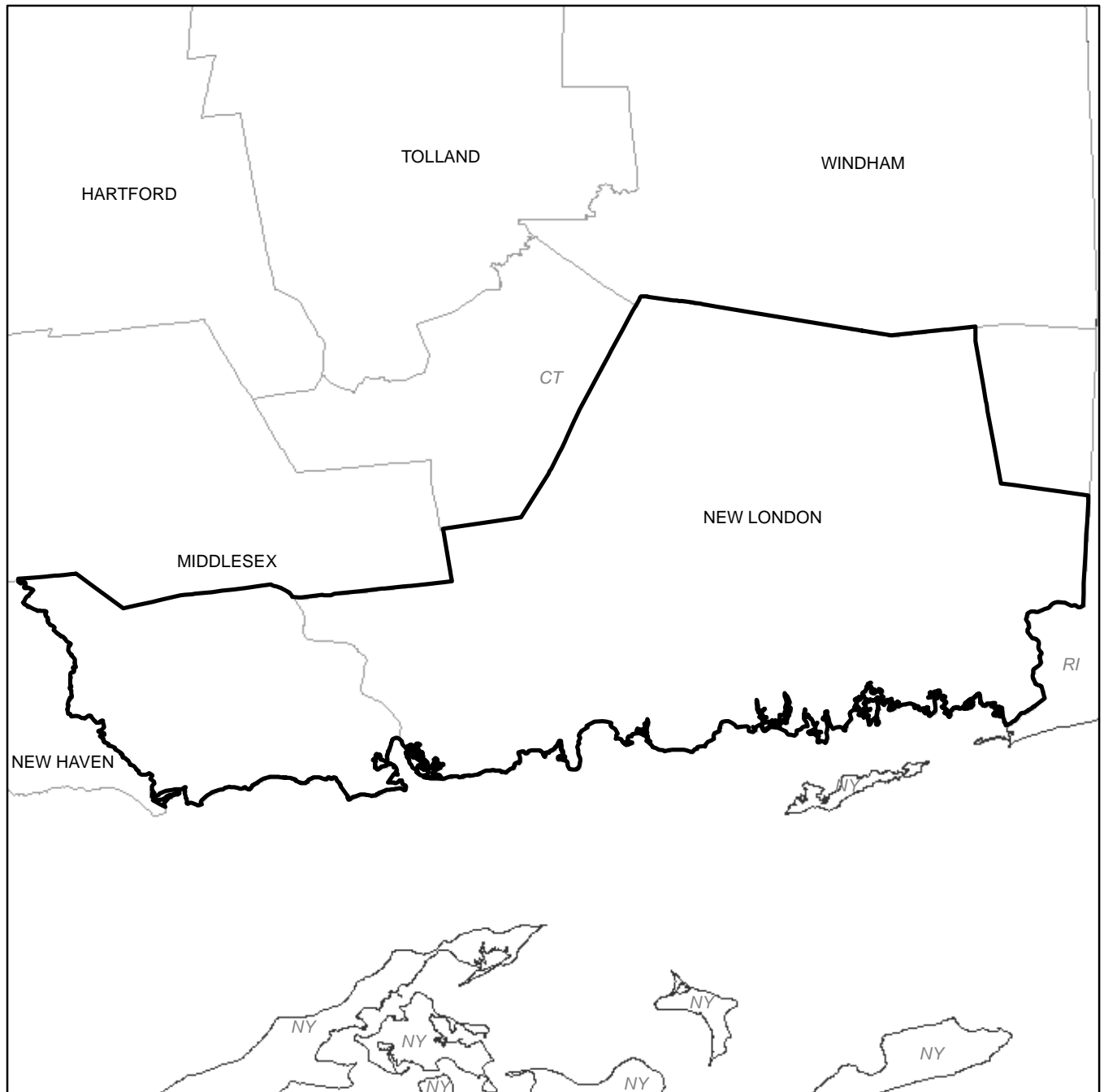
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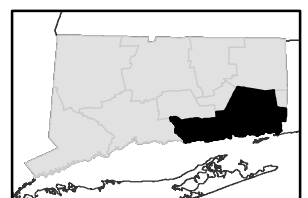
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NEW LONDON gained the town of Preston from Non-County Area 1.

662 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 3:240)





NEW LONDON

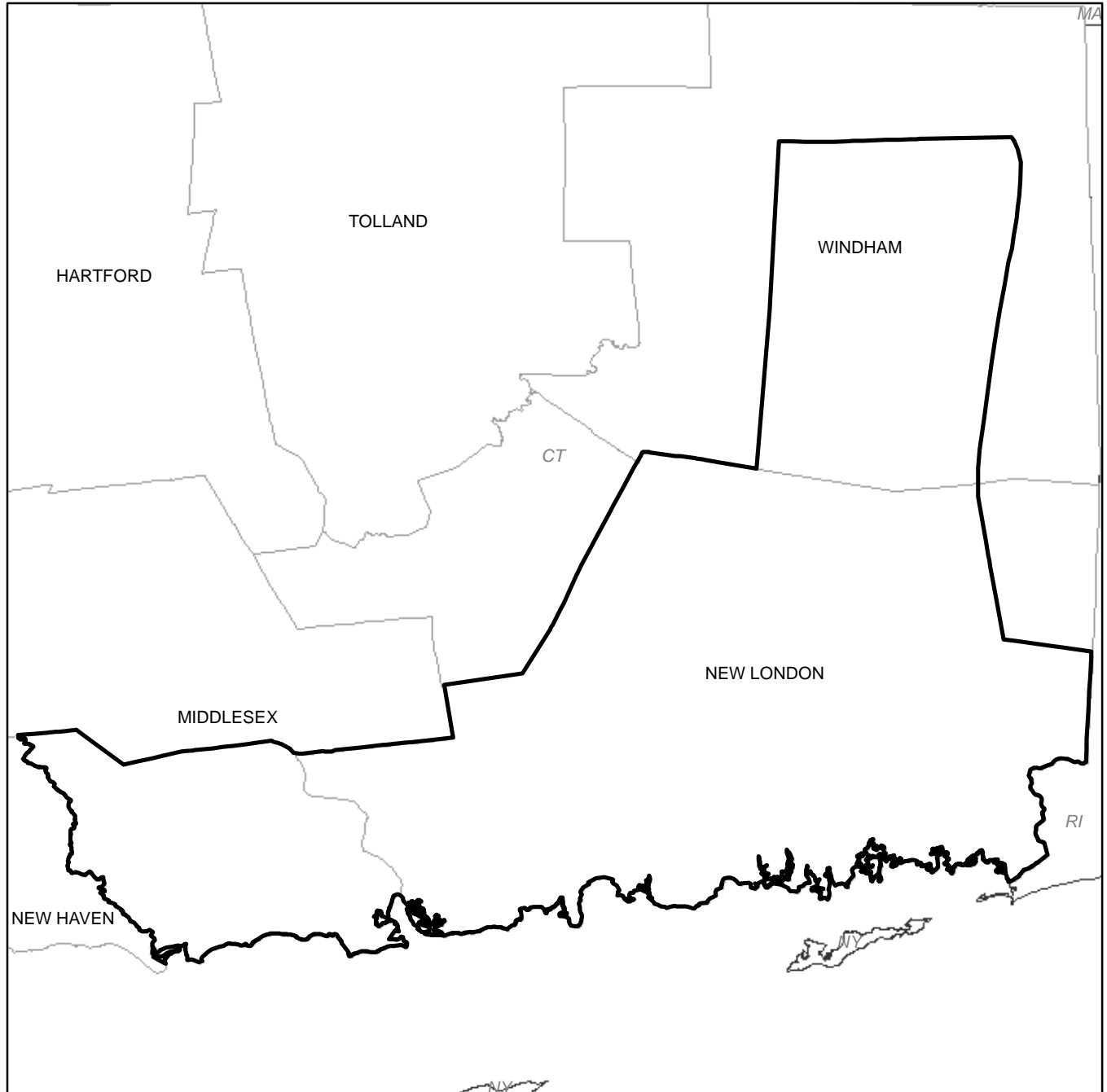
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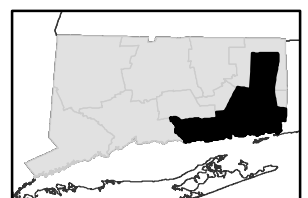
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NEW LONDON gained the Quinebaug River Valley from Non-County Area 1.

844 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:226)





NEW LONDON

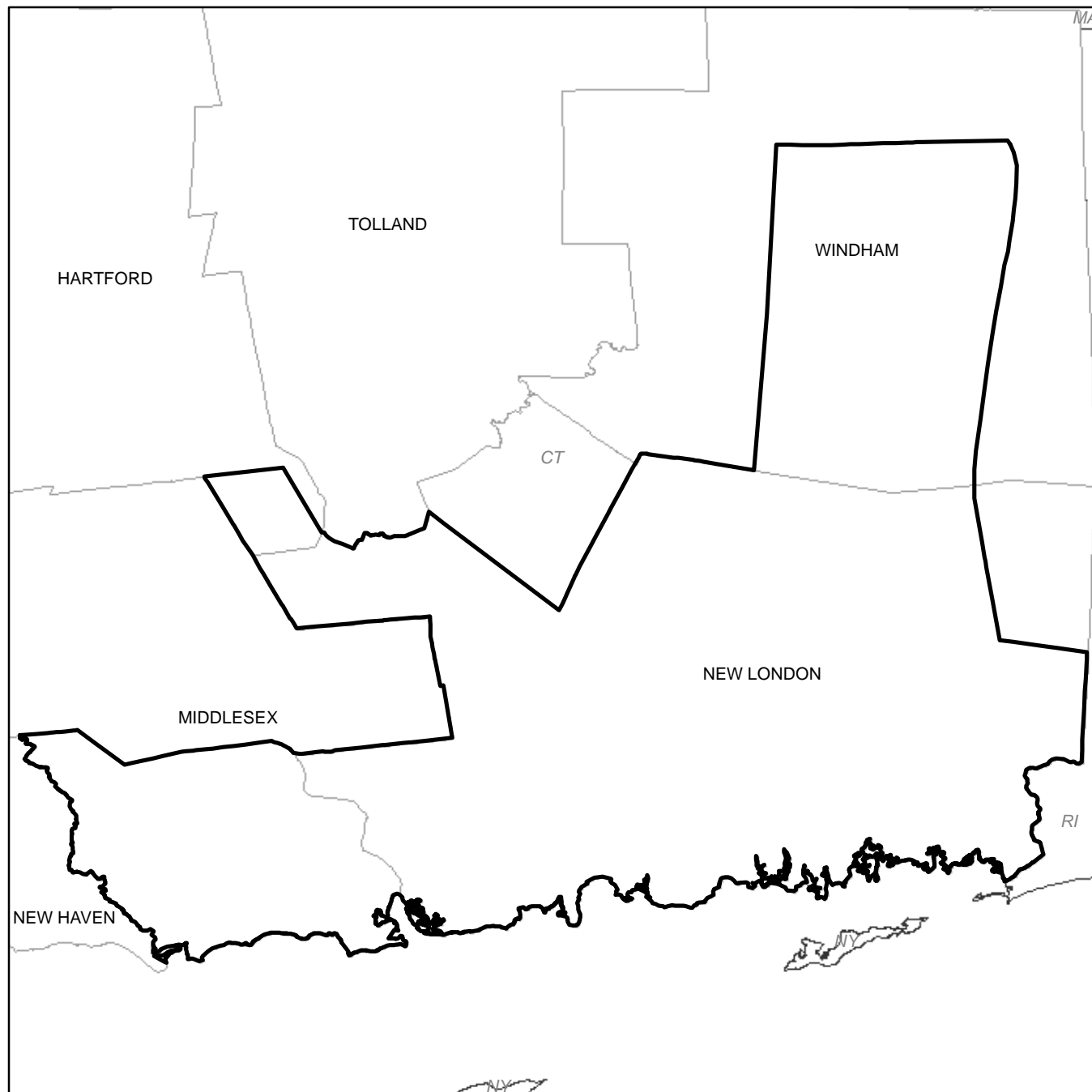
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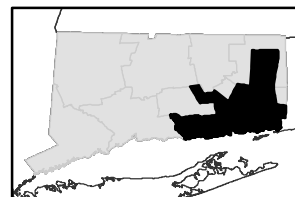
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NEW LONDON gained the town of Colchester from Non-County Area 1.

922 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:298)





NEW LONDON

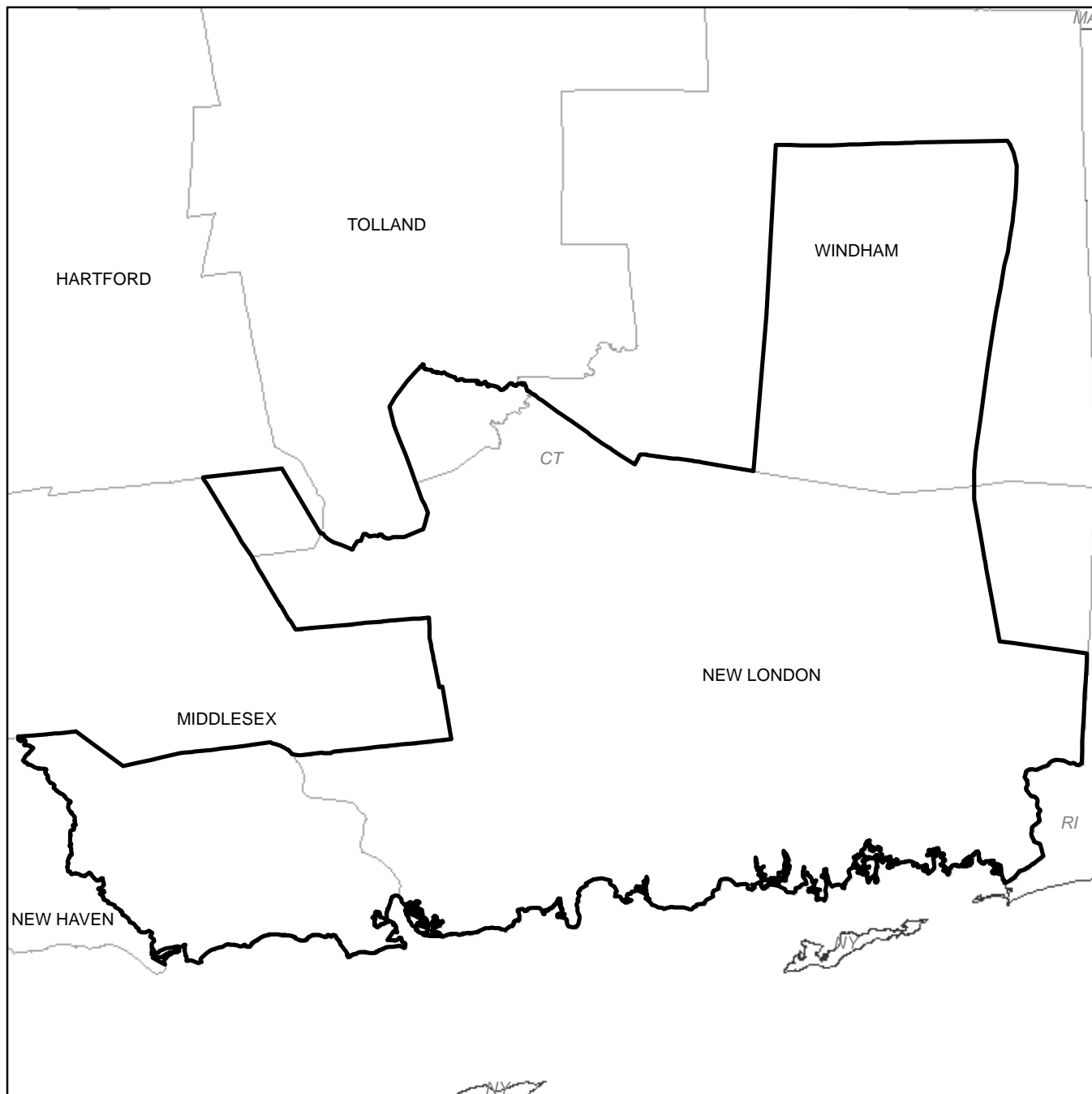
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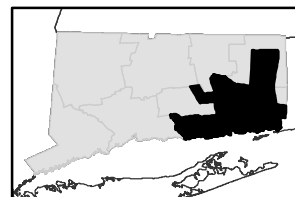
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NEW LONDON gained the town of Lebanon from Non-County Area 1.

999 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 4:334)





NEW LONDON

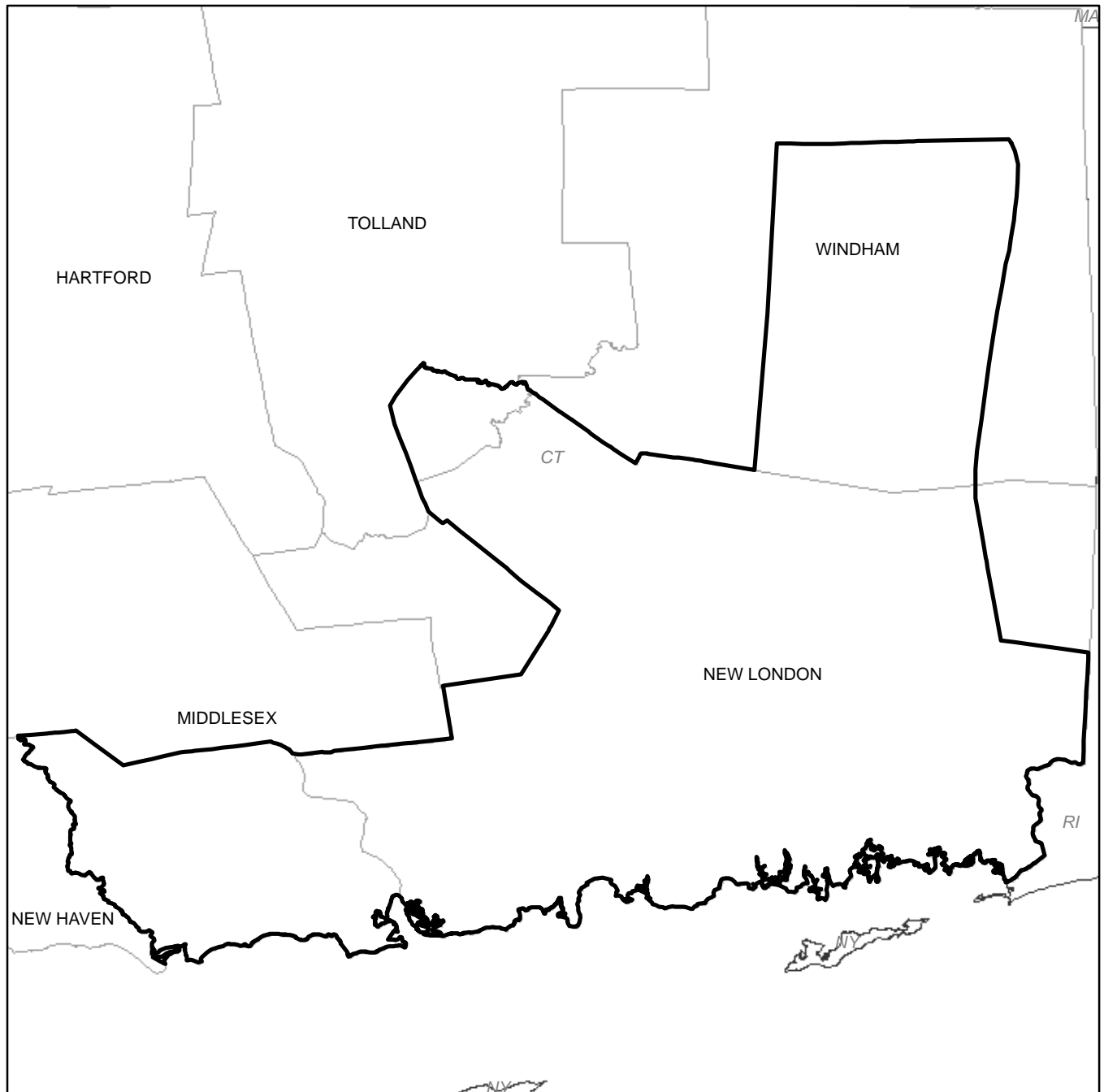
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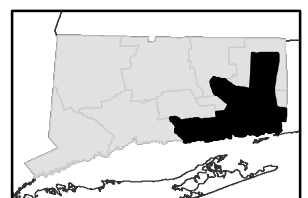
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NEW LONDON lost the town of Colchester to HARTFORD.

922 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 5:80-81)





NEW LONDON

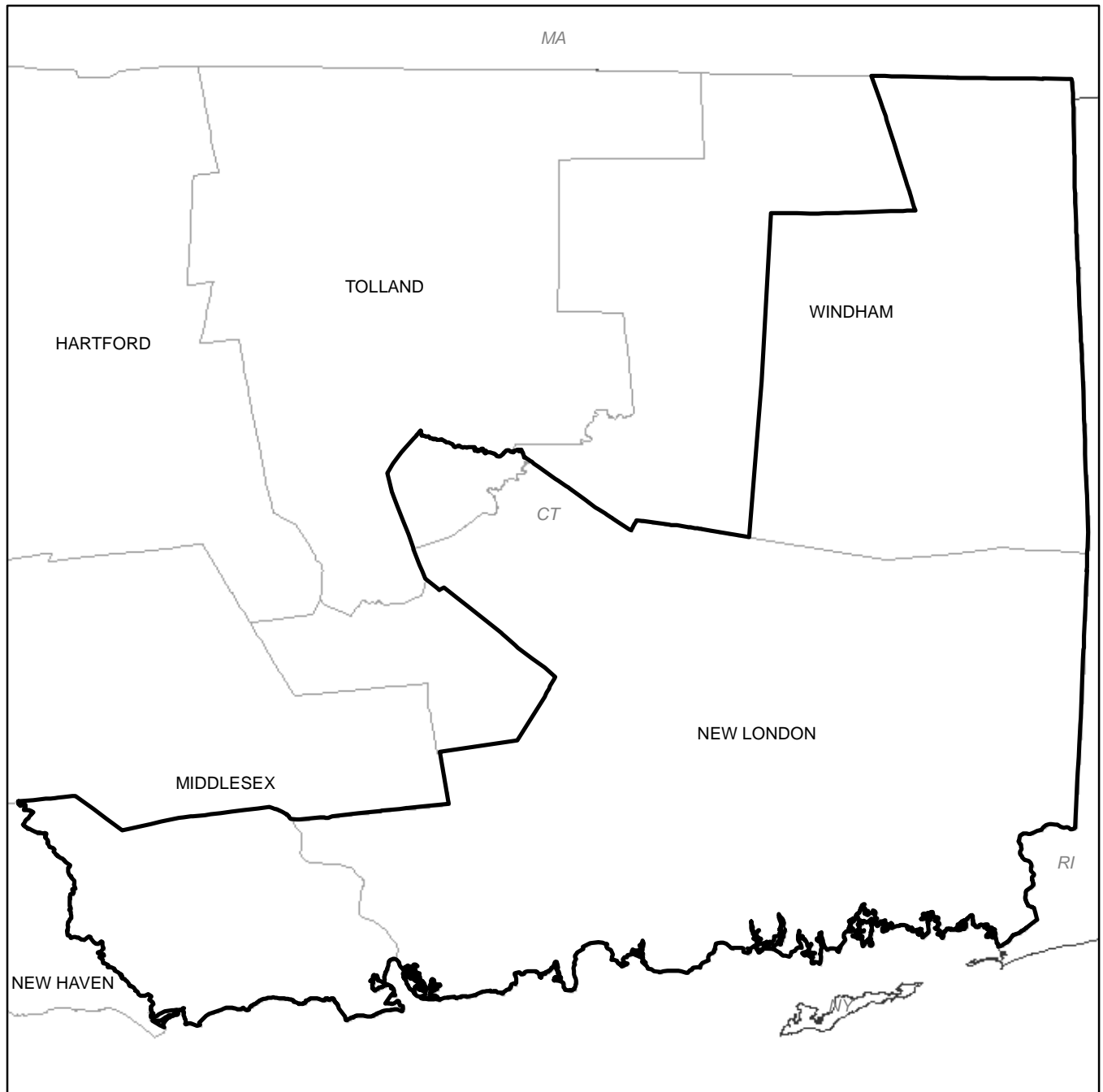
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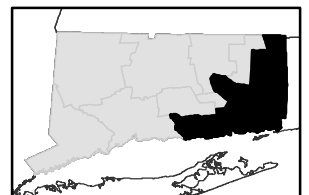
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NEW LONDON gained from Non-County Area 5. Non-County Area 5 eliminated.

1,090 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 6:6-7)





NEW LONDON

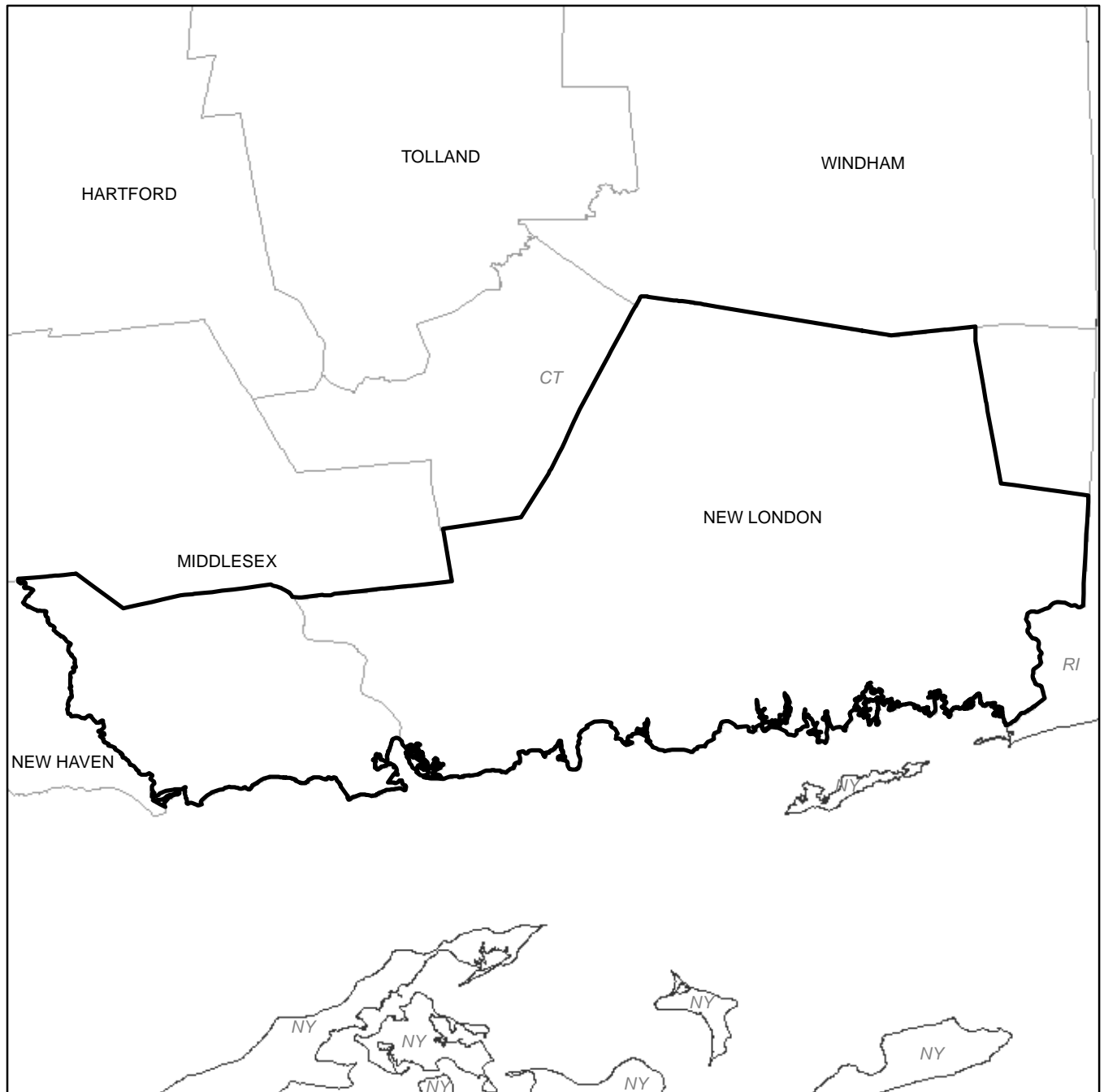
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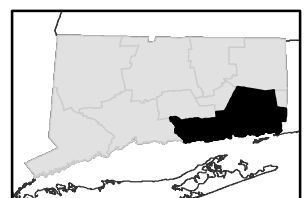
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NEW LONDON lost to creation of WINDHAM.

662 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:11-13)





NEW LONDON

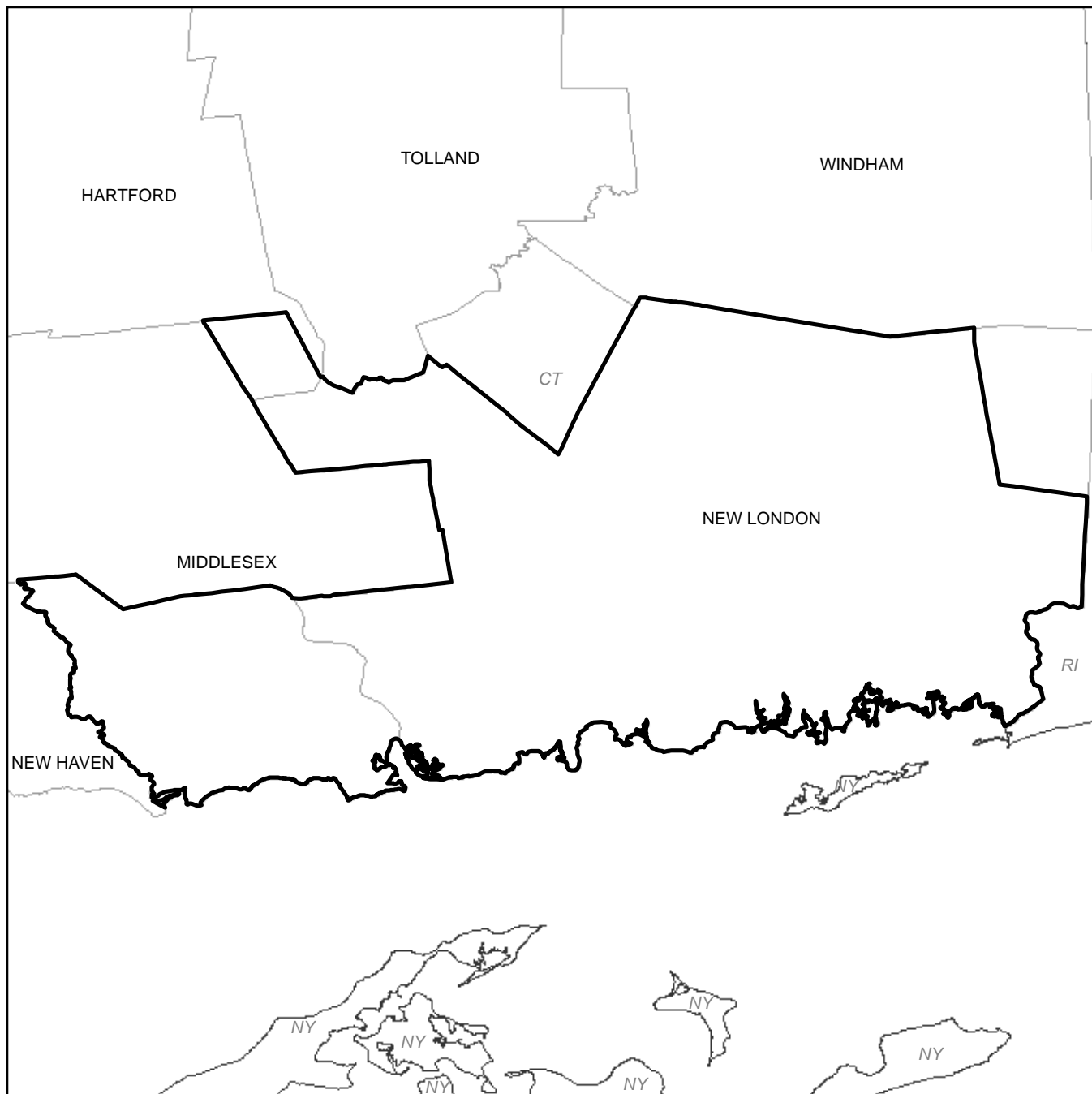
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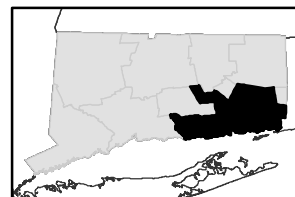
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NEW LONDON gained town of Colchester from HARTFORD.

740 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 5:220, 281, 378, 384)





NEW LONDON

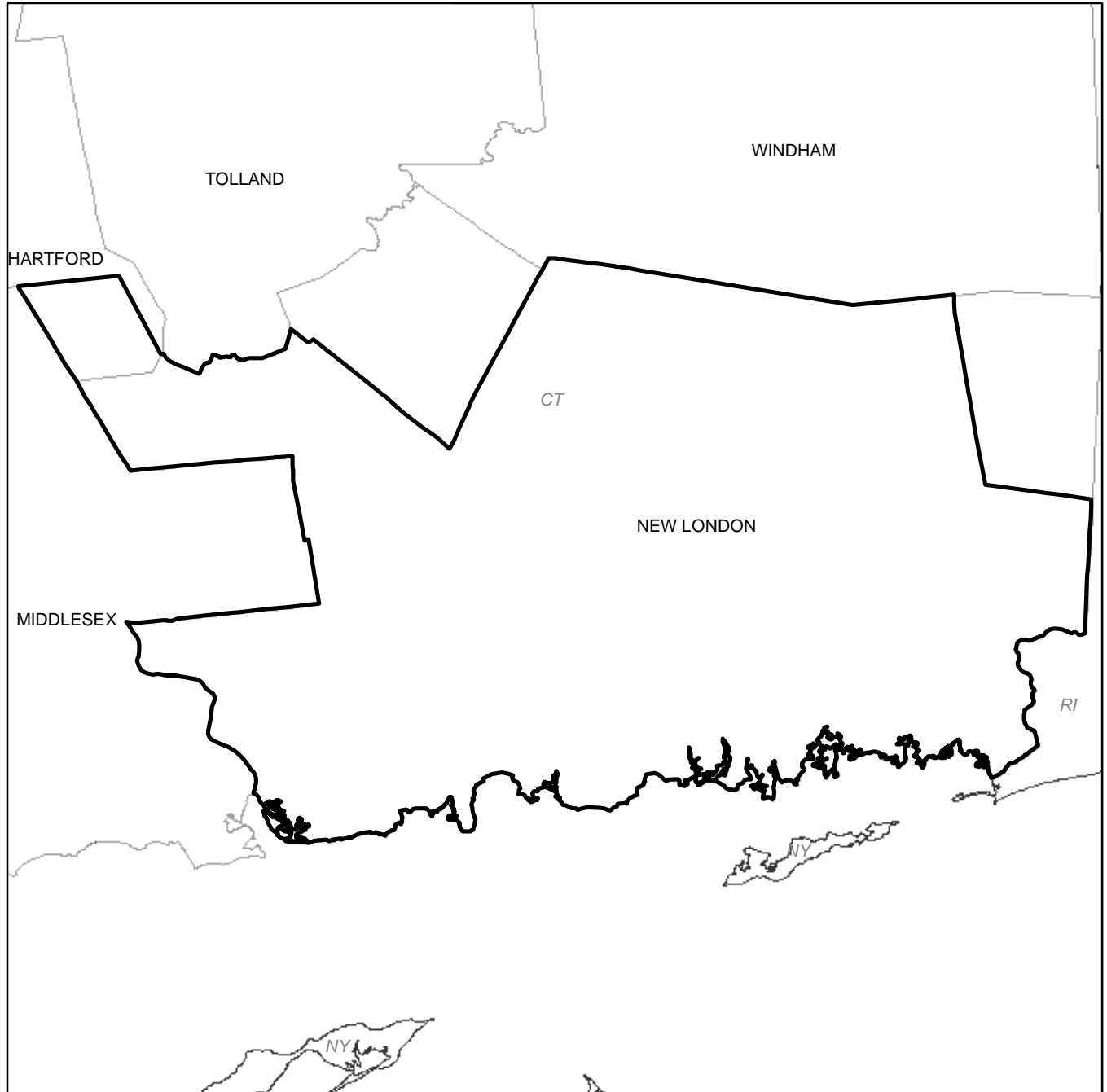
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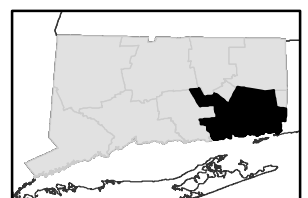
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NEW LONDON lost to creation of MIDDLESEX.

612 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:10-11)





NEW LONDON

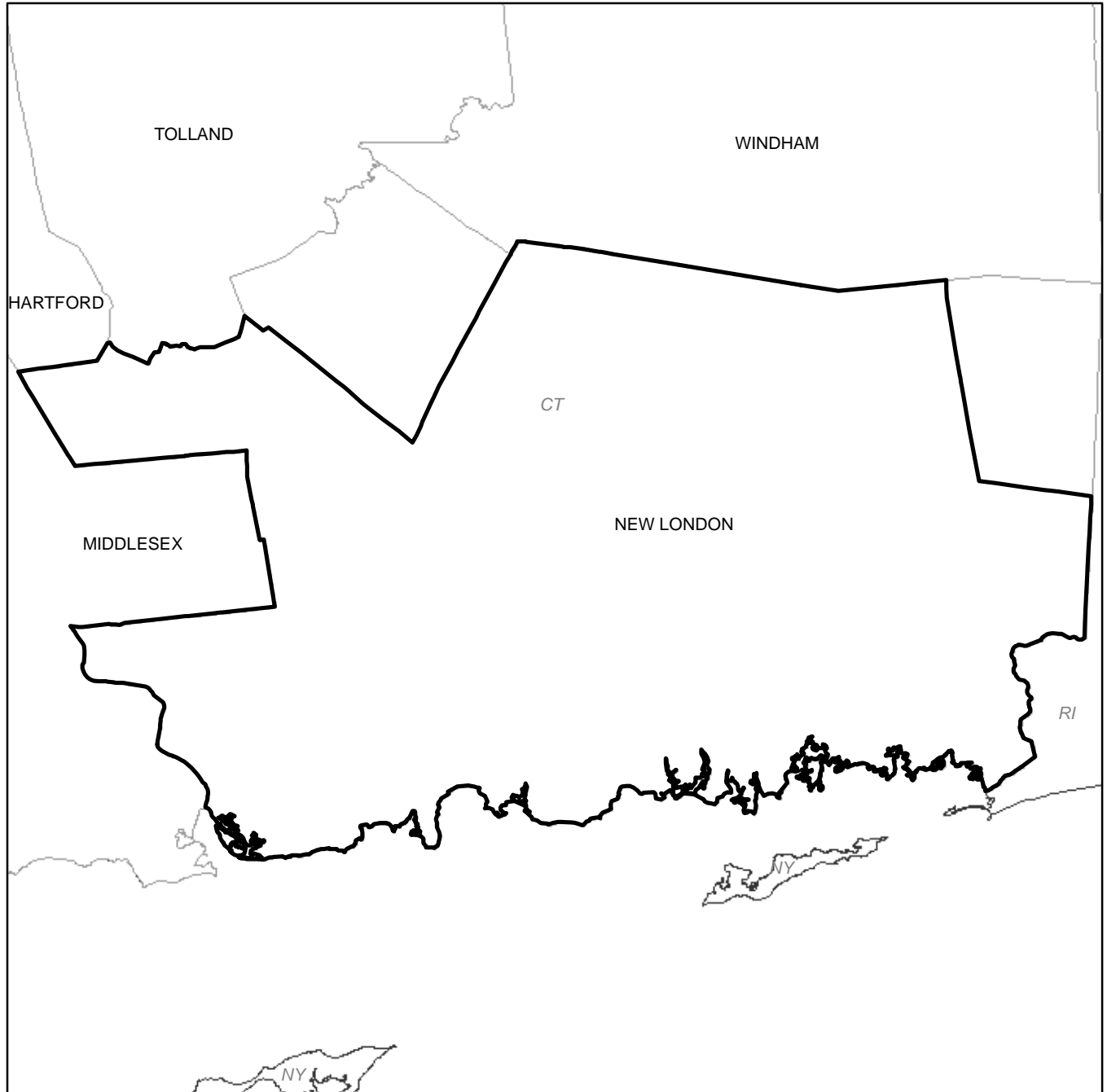
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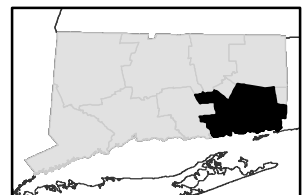
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NEW LONDON lost to HARTFORD when the town of Marlborough was created from Colchester, Glastonbury, and Hebron.

597 sq. mi.

(Conn. Spec. Acts 1803, 2:1157-1158)





NEW LONDON

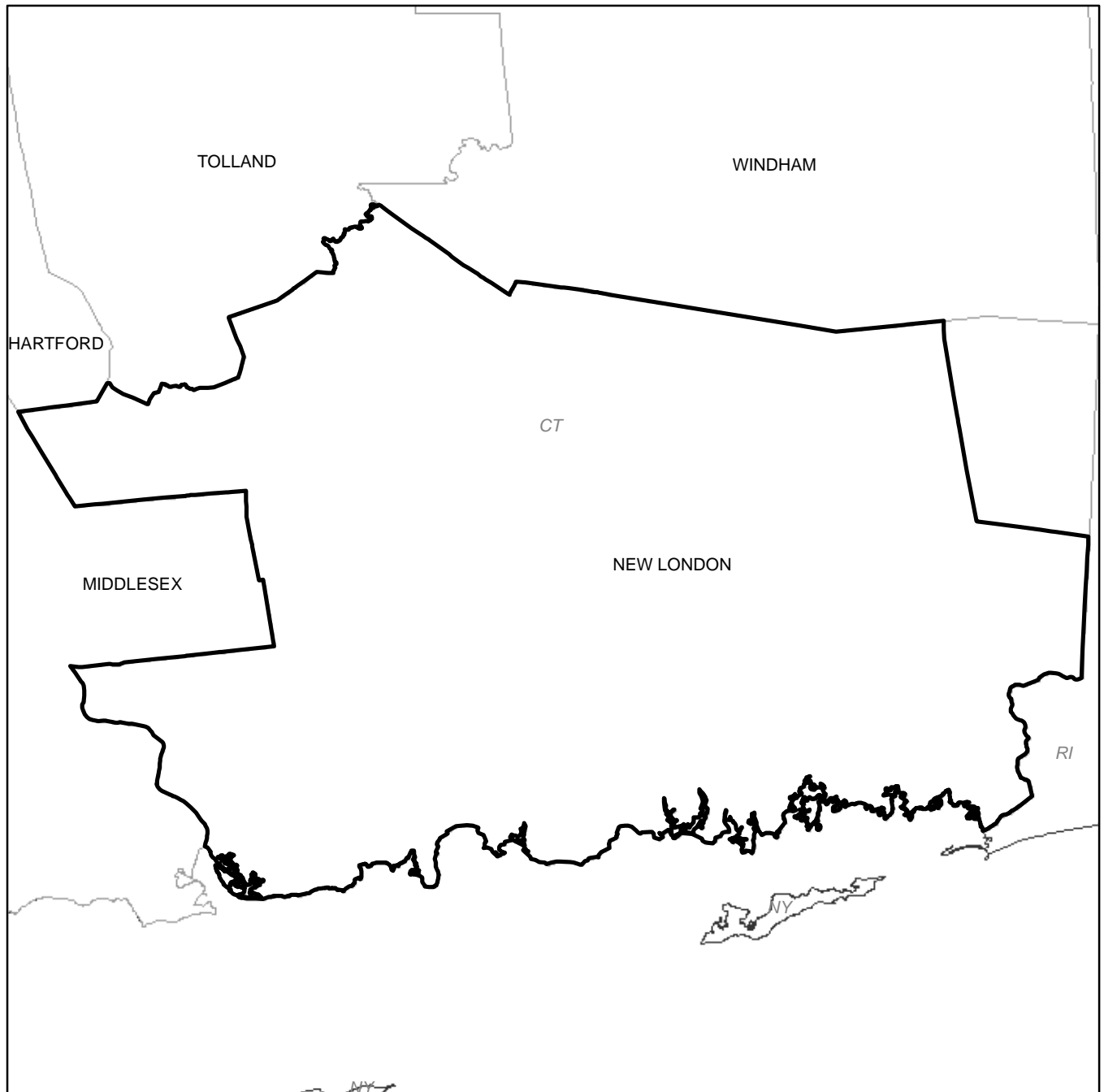
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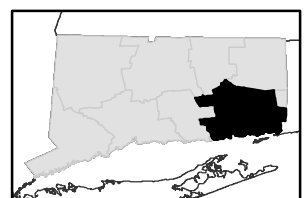
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NEW LONDON gained the town of Lebanon from WINDHAM.

652 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1824, ch. 8/p. 47)





NEW LONDON

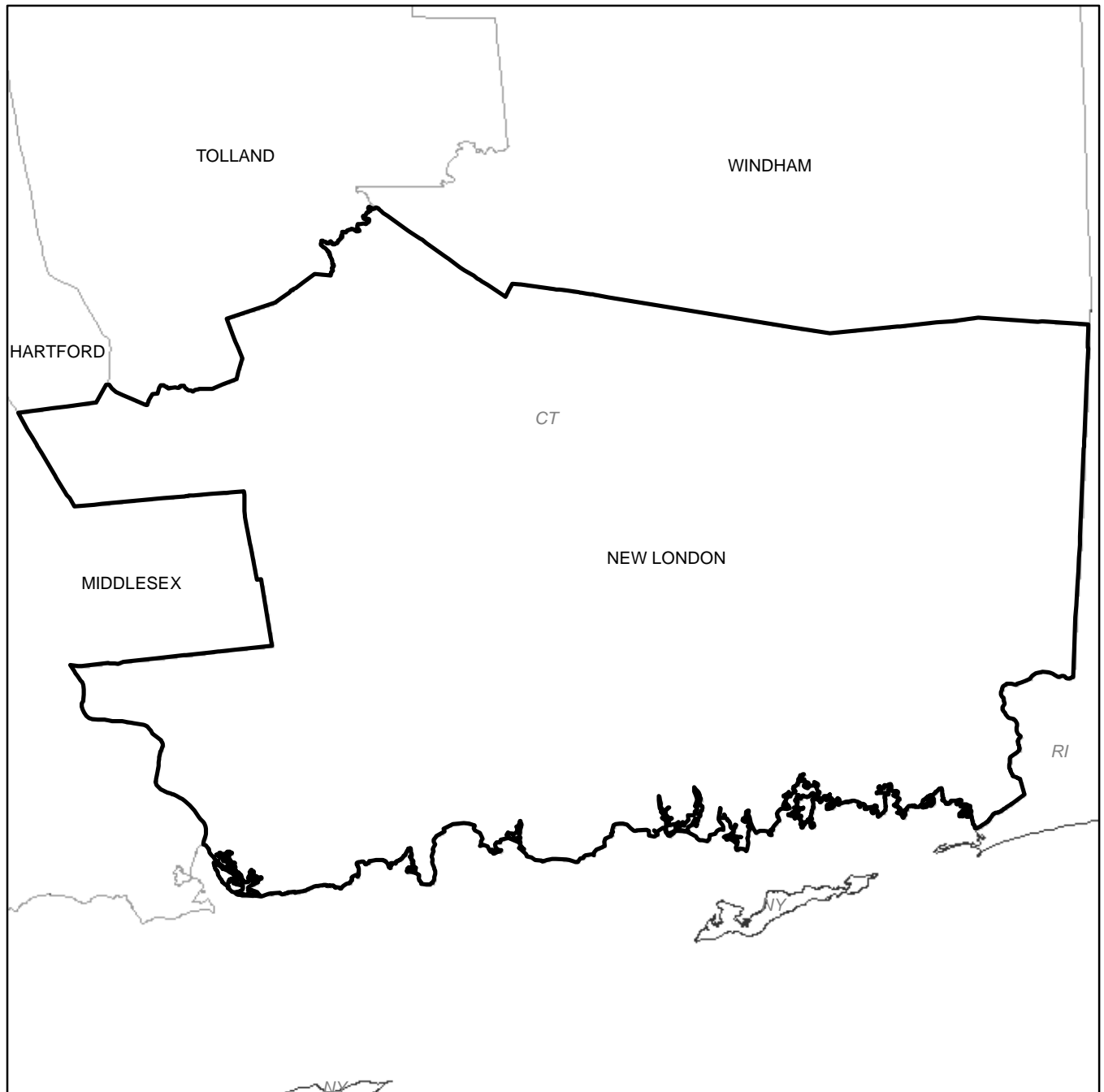
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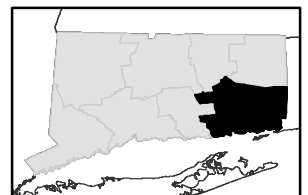
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NEW LONDON gained the town of Voluntown from WINDHAM.

692 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1881, ch. 28, sec. 1/p. 16)





TOLLAND

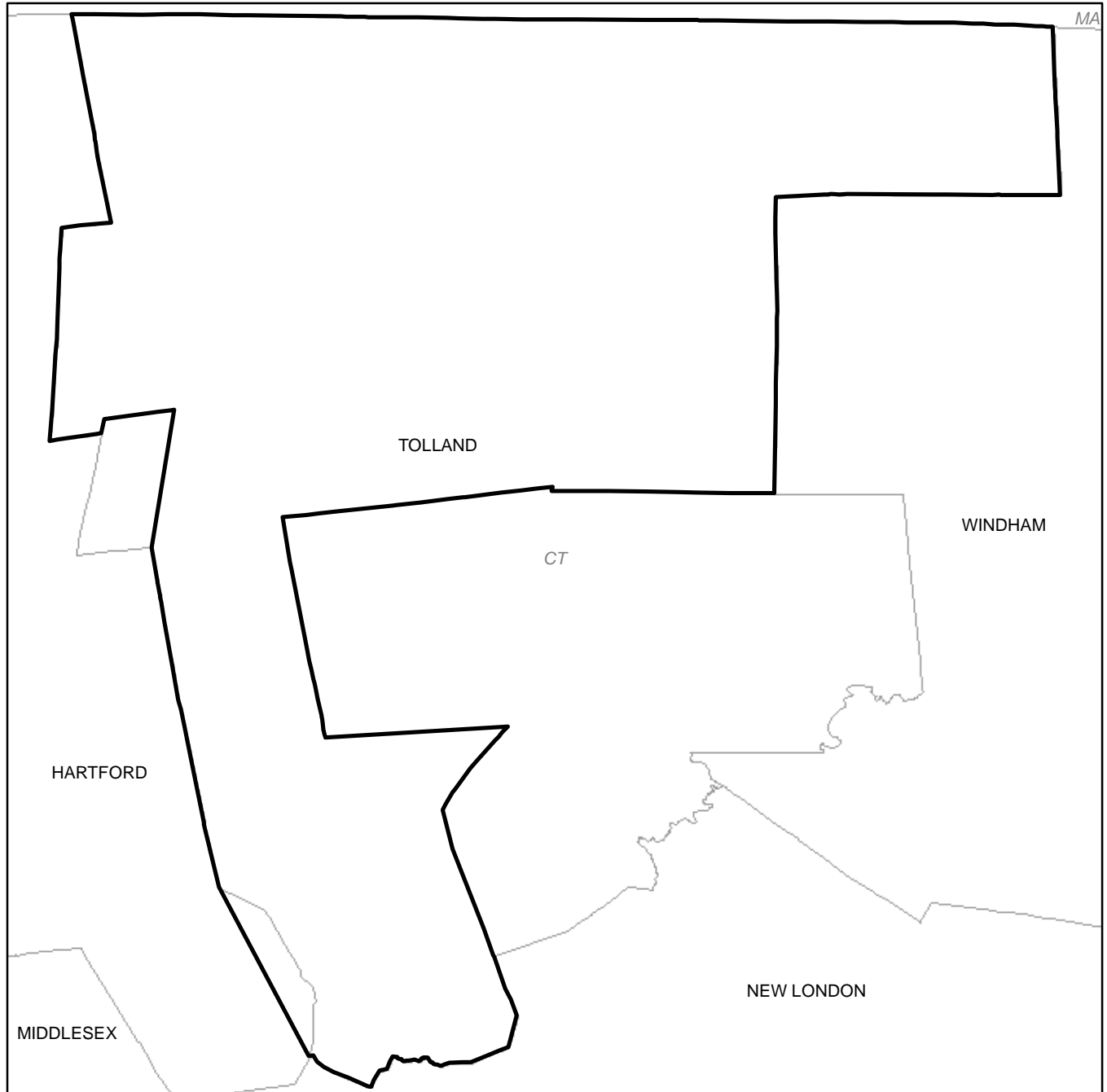
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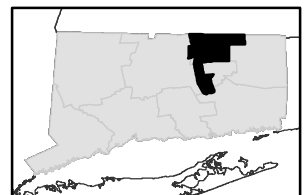
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TOLLAND created from HARTFORD and WINDHAM.

301 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:93)





TOLLAND

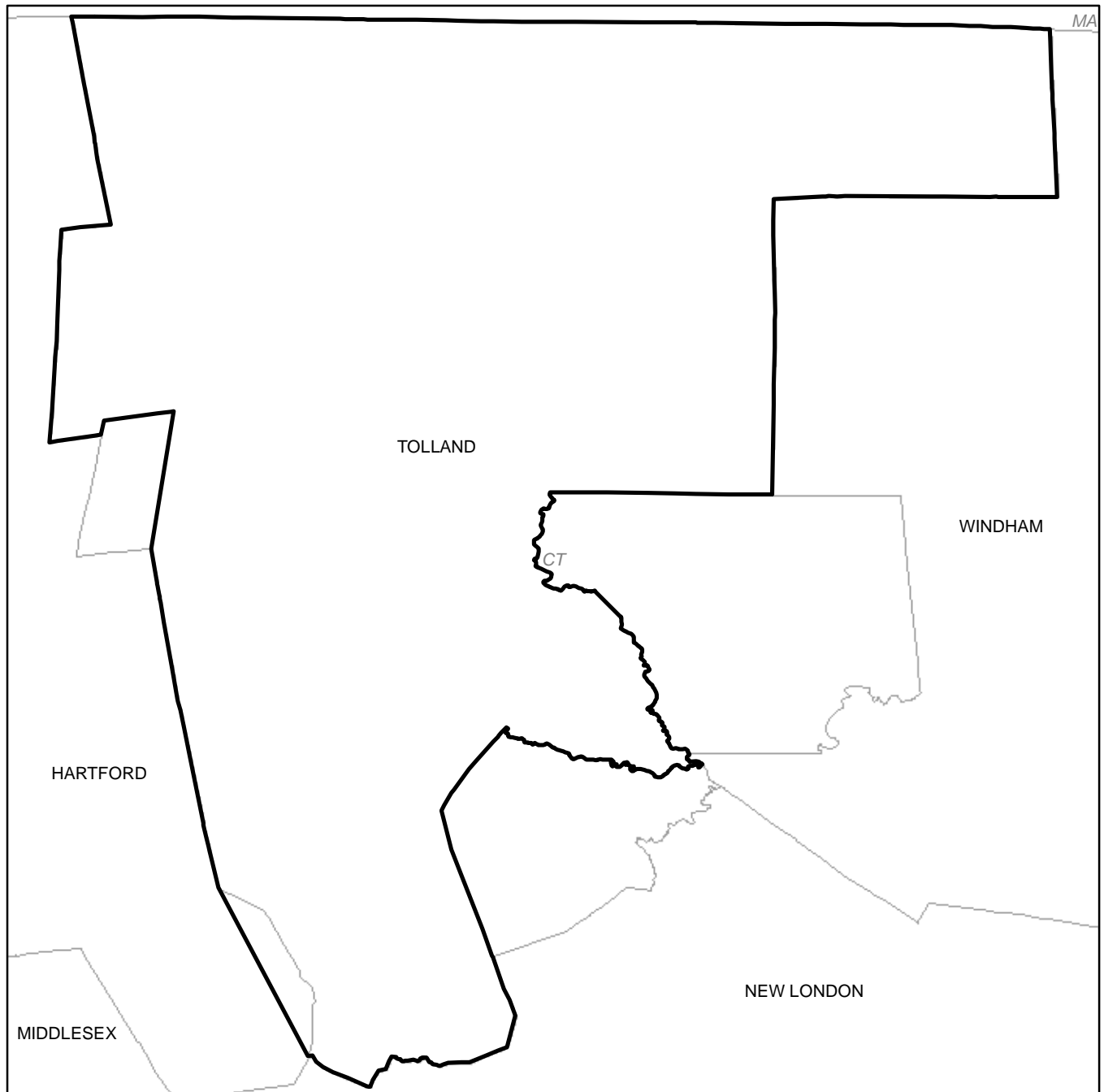
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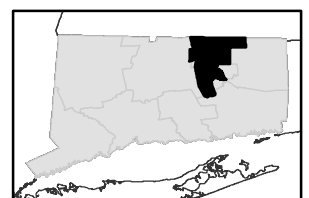
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TOLLAND gained the town of Coventry from WINDHAM.

346 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:154)





TOLLAND

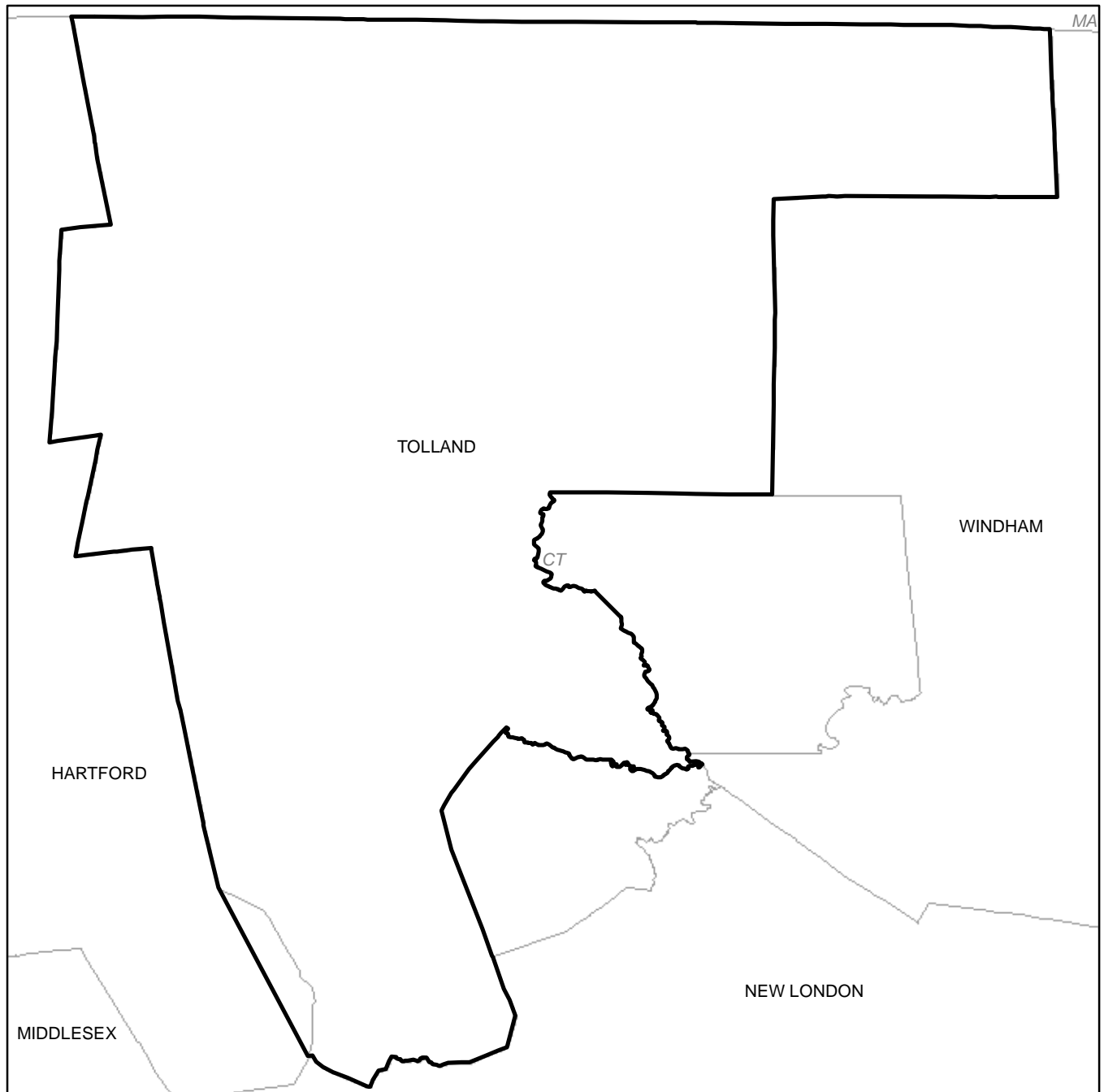
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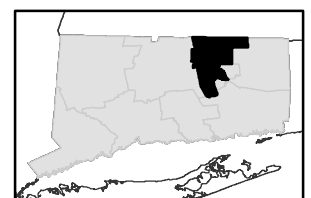
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TOLLAND gained from HARTFORD when the town of Bolton gained from East Windsor.

352 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 7:62)





TOLLAND

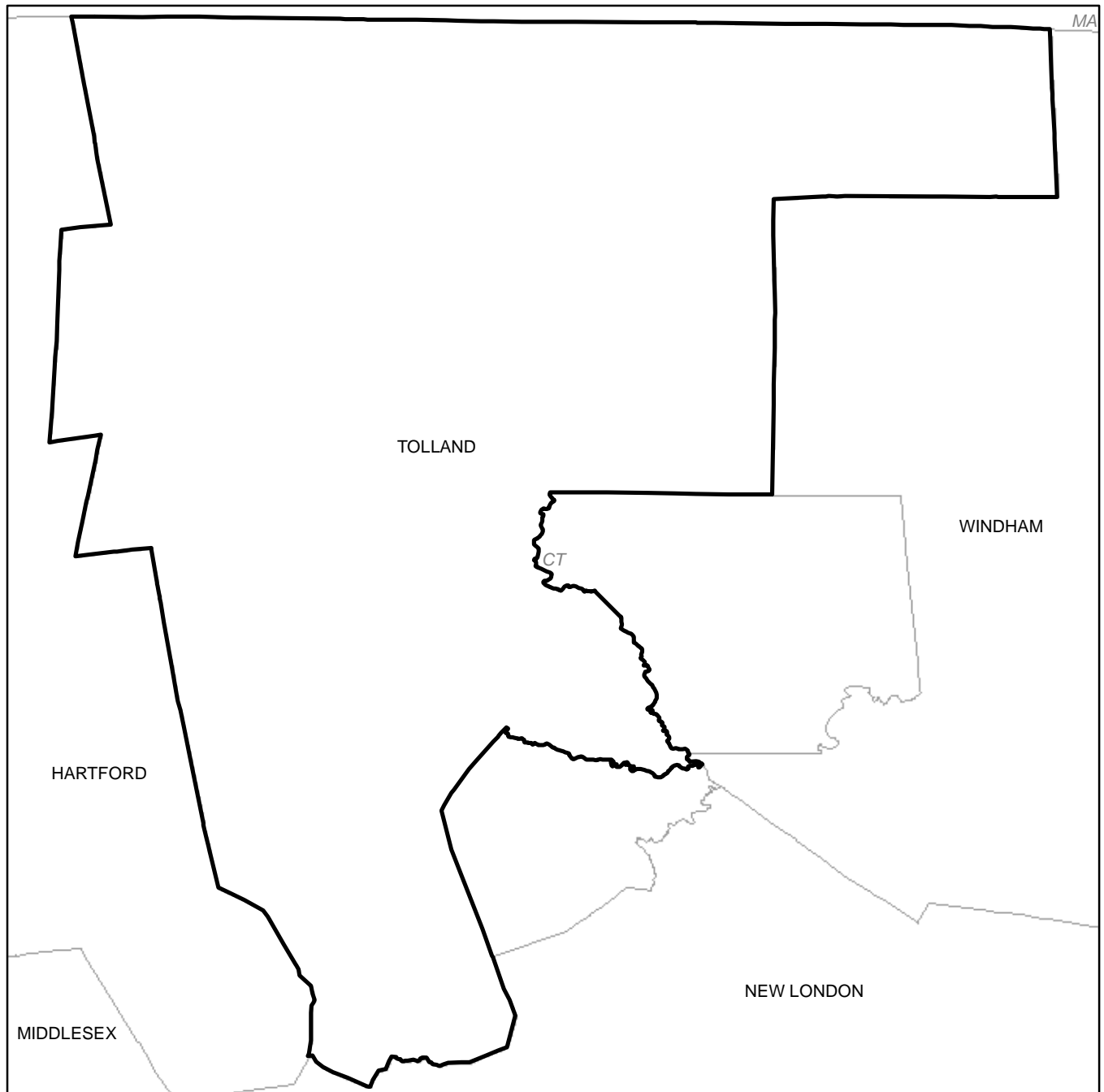
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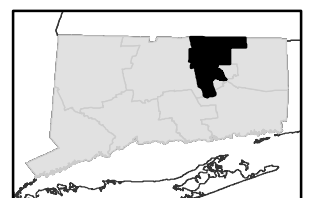
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TOLLAND lost to HARTFORD when the town of Marlborough was created from Colchester, Glastonbury, and Hebron.

350 sq. mi.

(Conn. Spec. Acts 1803, 2:1157-1158)





TOLLAND

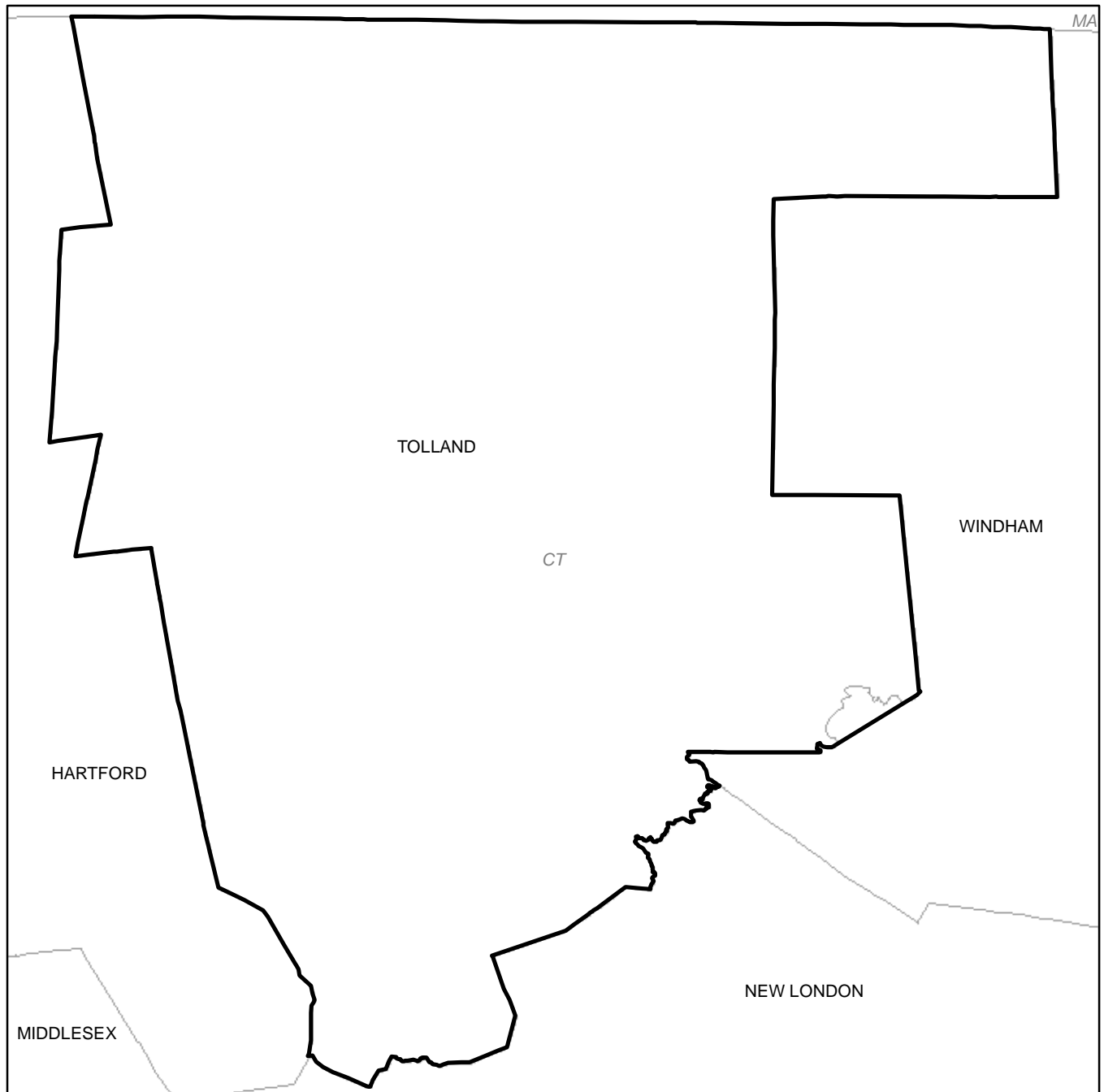
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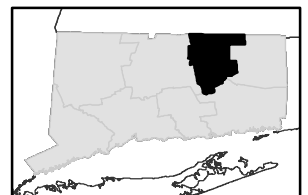
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TOLLAND gained the towns of Columbia and Mansfield from WINDHAM.

418 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1827, ch. 20-21/pp. 157-158)





TOLLAND

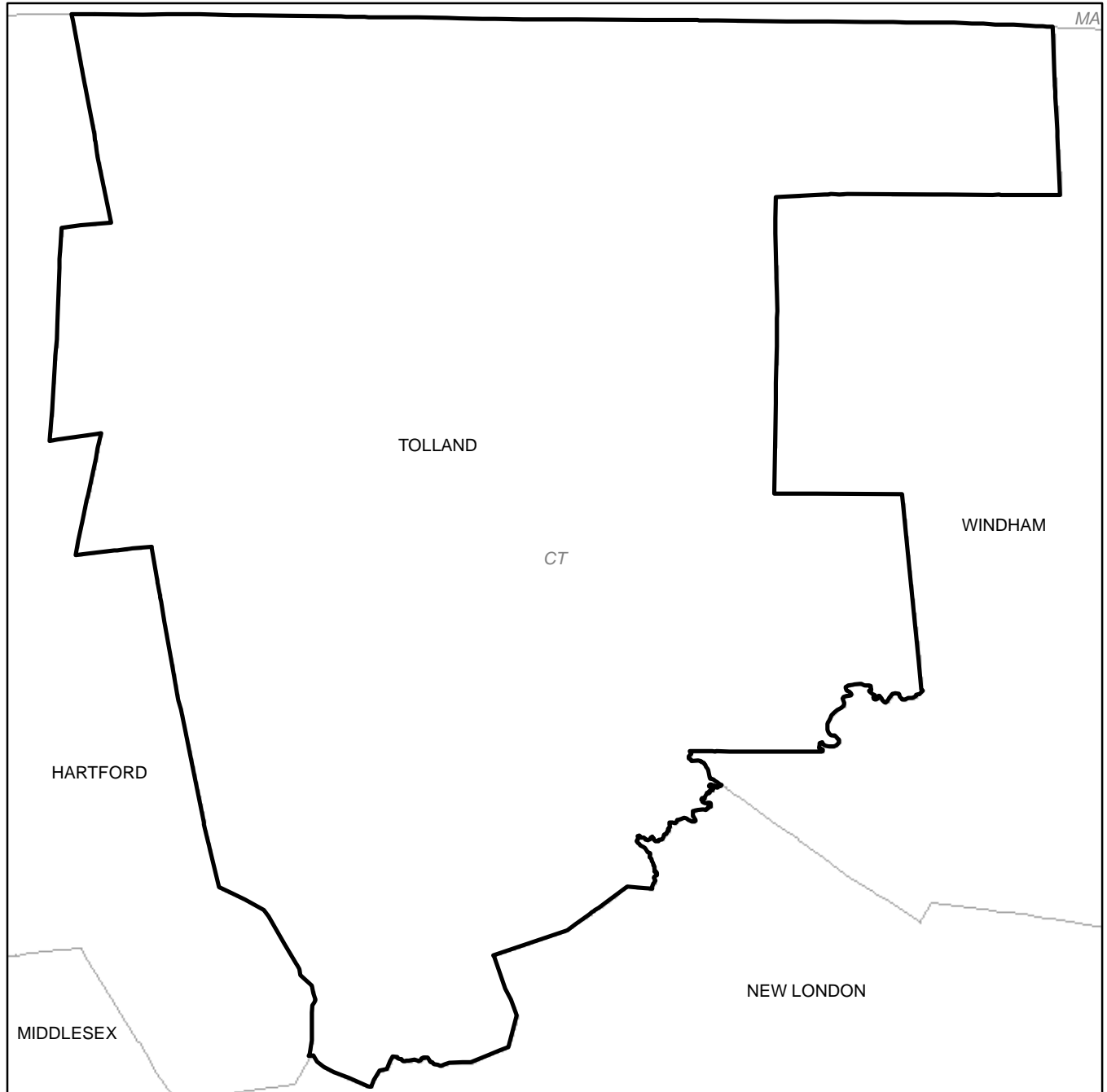
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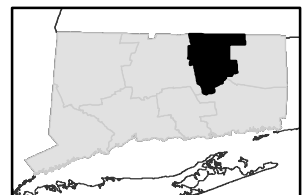
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TOLLAND lost to WINDHAM when the town of Windham gained from Mansfield

417 sq. mi.

(Conn. Spec. Acts 1885, no. 122, sec. 1/p. 117)





WESTMORELAND (extinct)

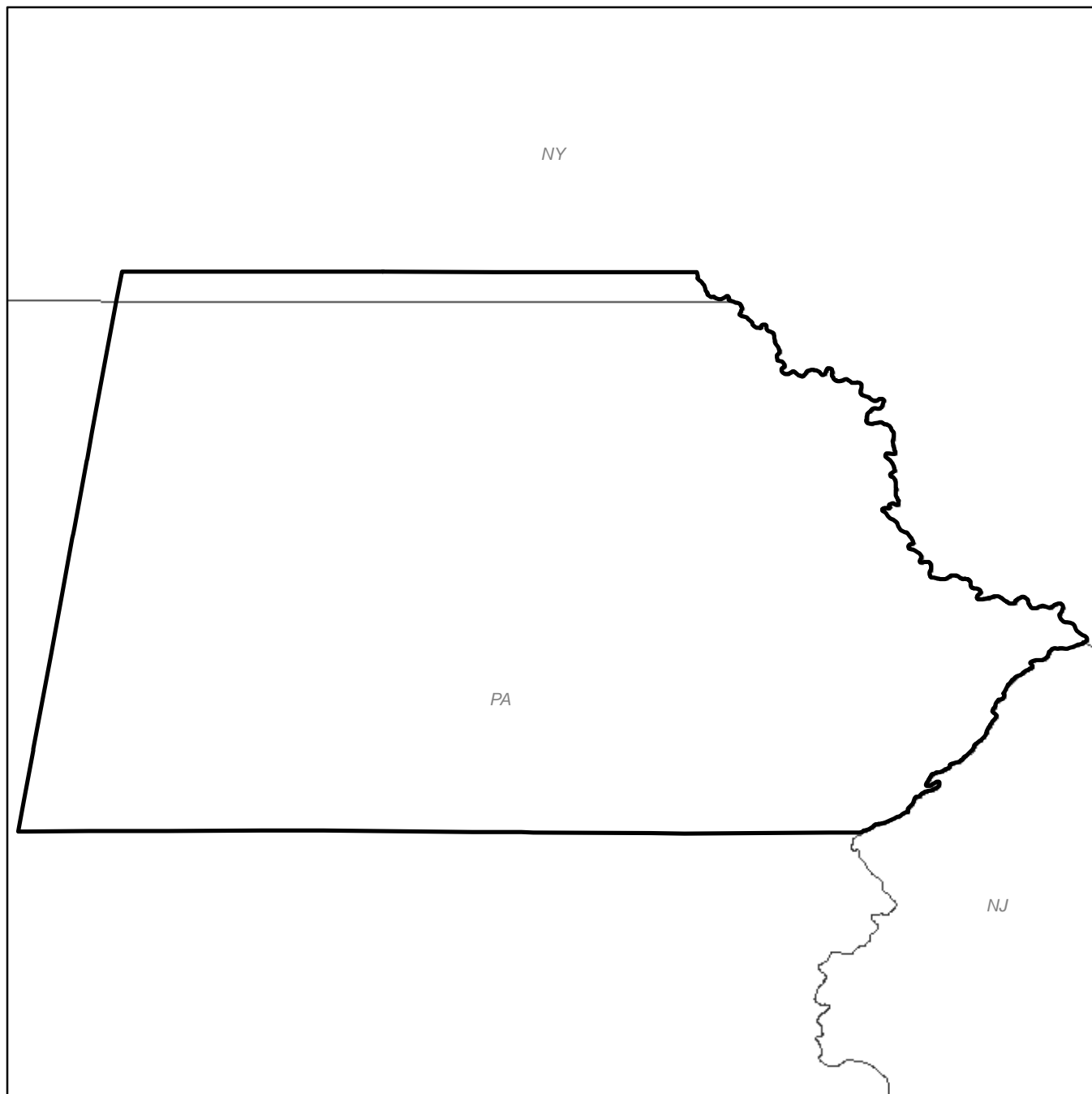
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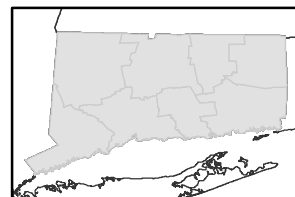
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WESTMORELAND (extinct) created from LITCHFIELD when Connecticut removed the town of Westmoreland from LITCHFIELD and made it "a distinct County;" WESTMORELAND was located entirely within Pennsylvania and a narrow strip of New York about 3 miles wide.

5,943 sq. mi.

(Cappon, Petchenik, and Long, 17, 92; Conn. St. Recs. 1:7)





WINDHAM

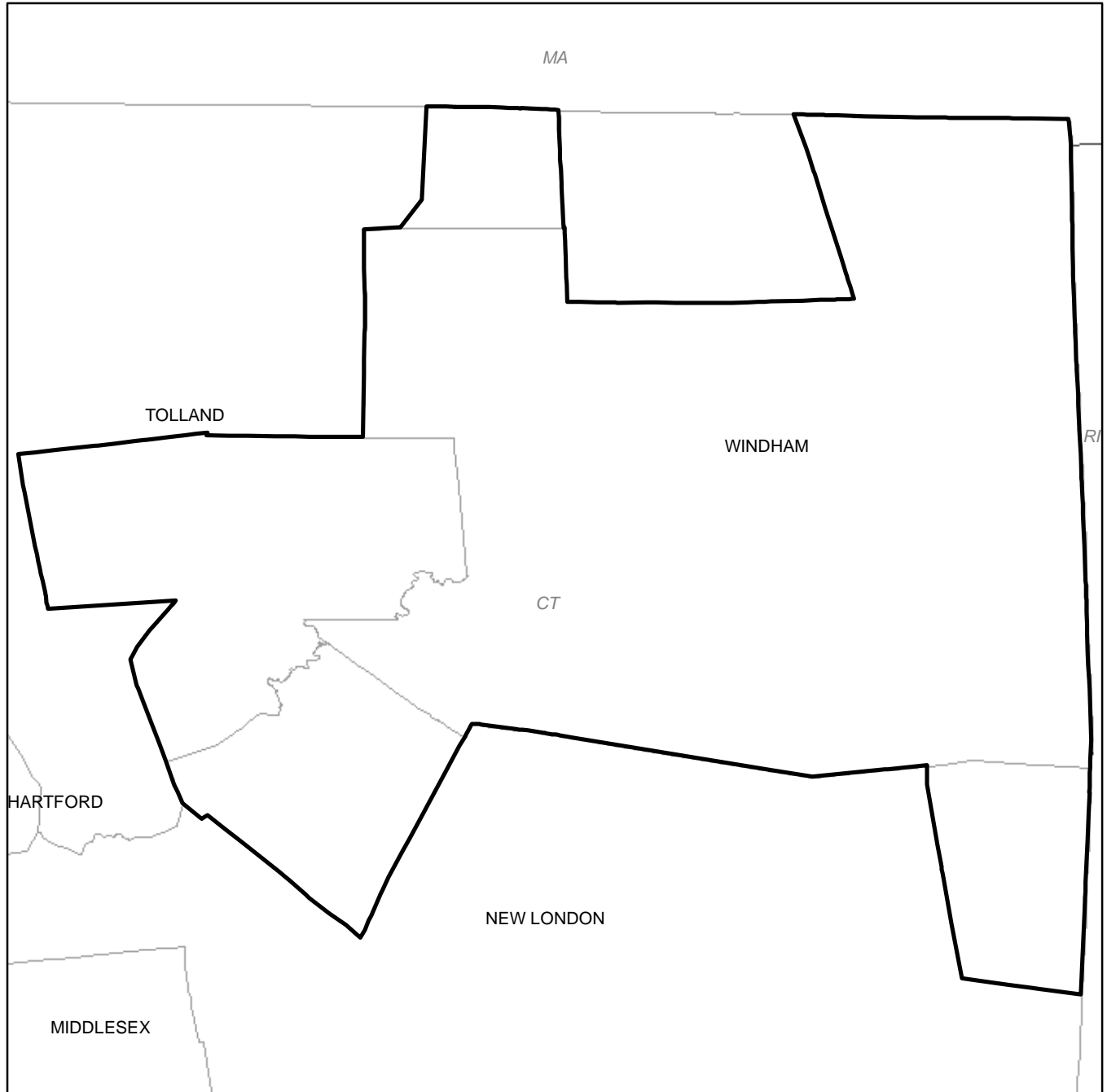
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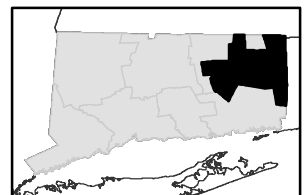
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WINDHAM created from HARTFORD and NEW LONDON.

688 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 7:11-13)





WINDHAM

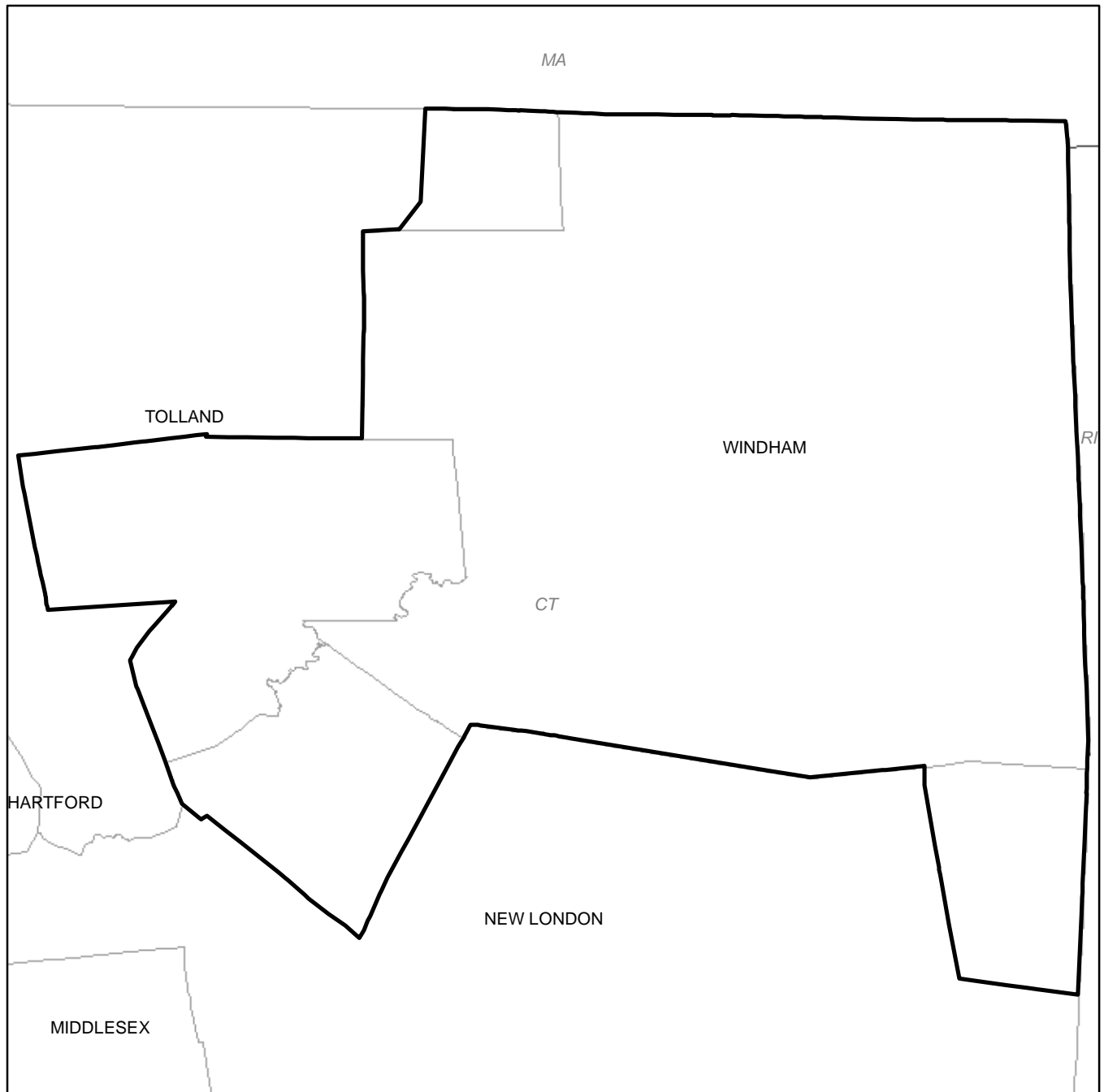
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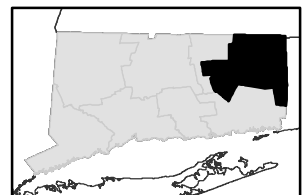
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WINDHAM gained all of Non-County Area 8 [the town of Woodstock], in accordance with the May 1749 annexation from Massachusetts.

750 sq. mi.

(Conn. Col. Recs., 9:476)





WINDHAM

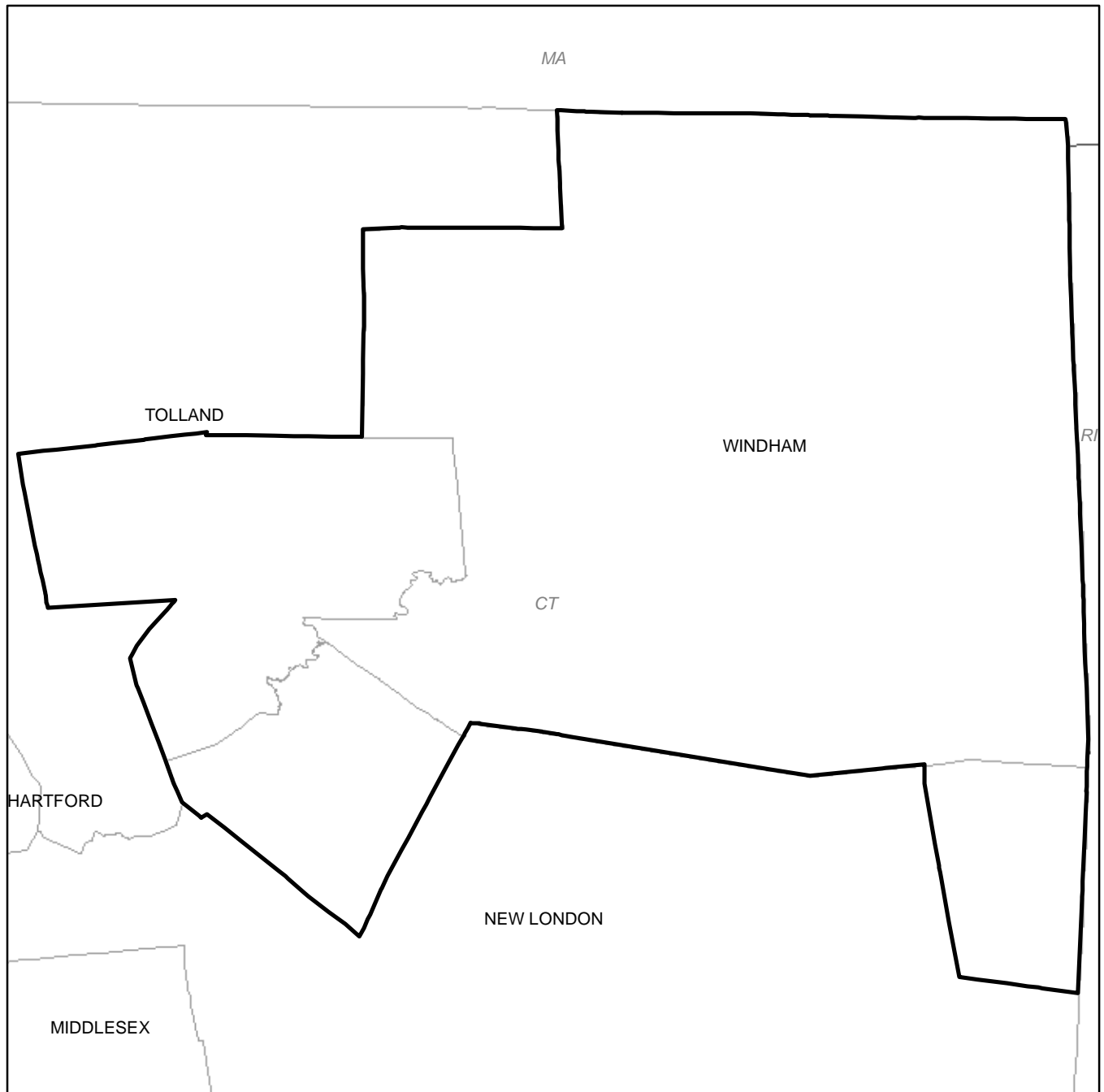
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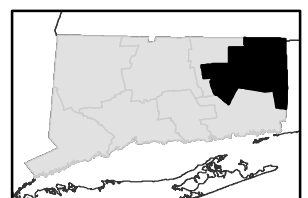
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WINDHAM lost to creation of TOLLAND.

729 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:93)





WINDHAM

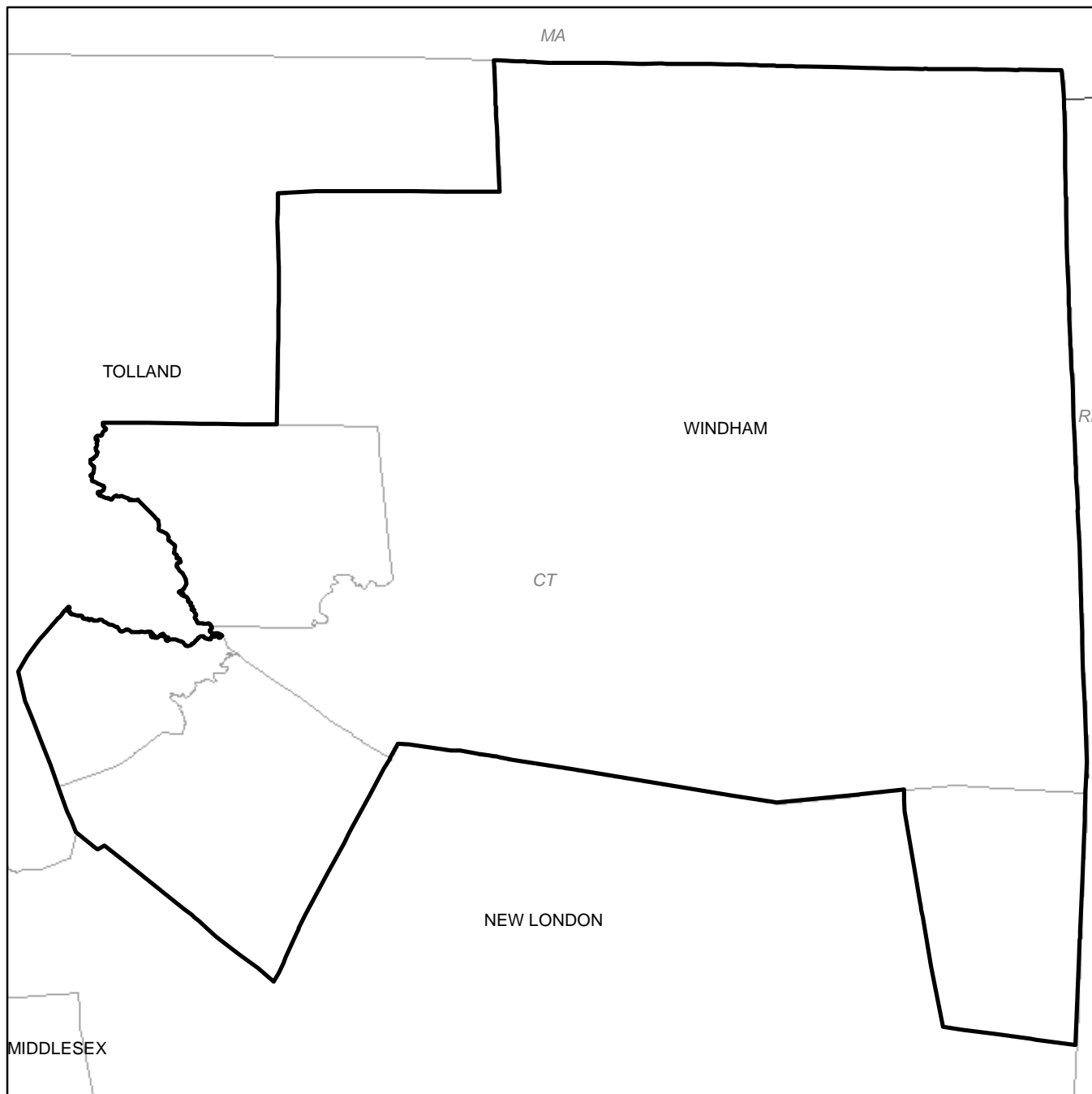
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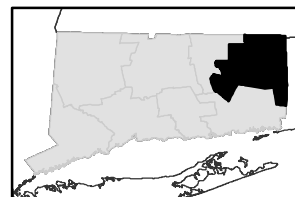
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WINDHAM lost the town of Coventry to TOLLAND.

684 sq. mi.

(Conn. St. Recs., 6:154)





WINDHAM

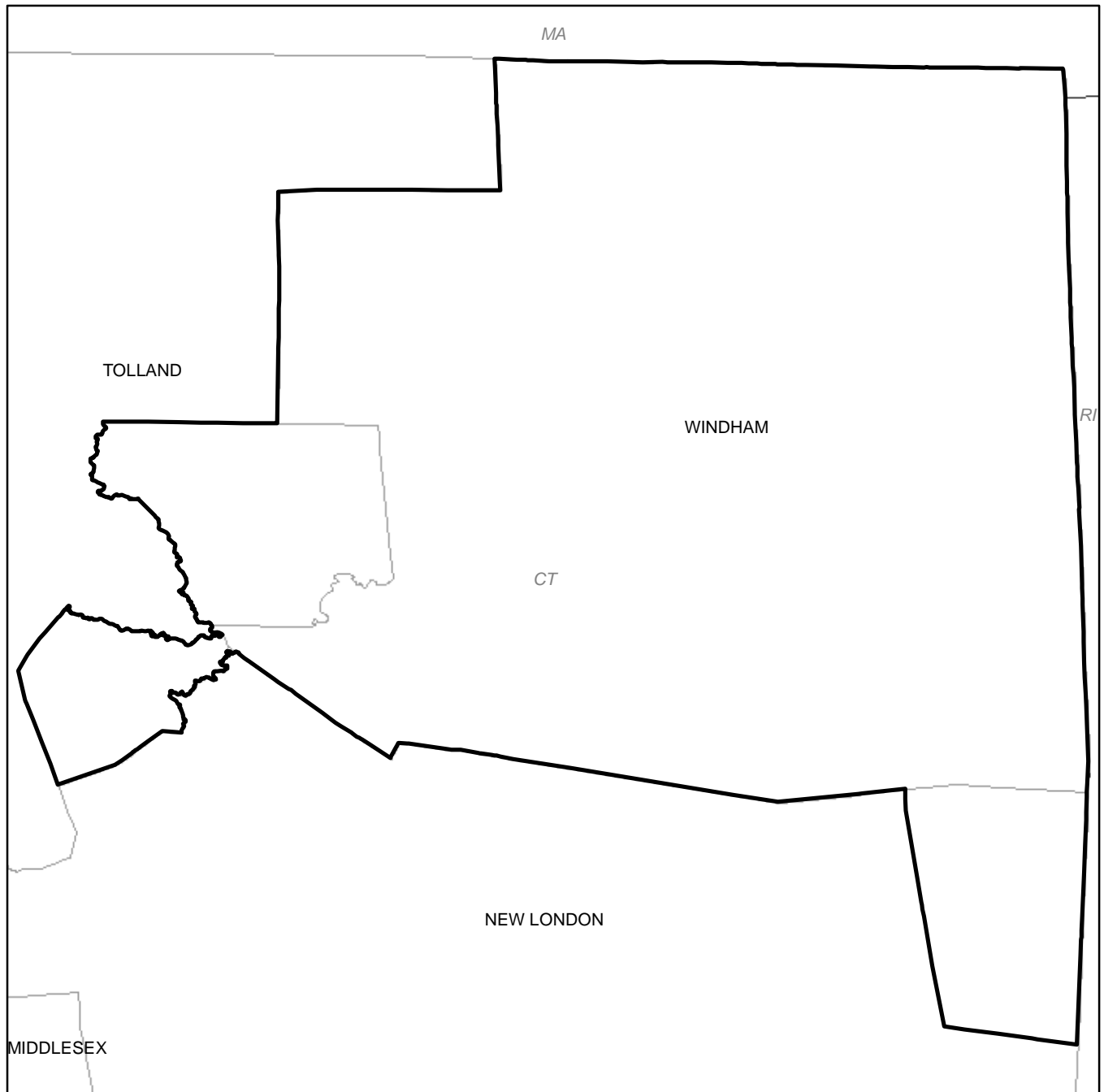
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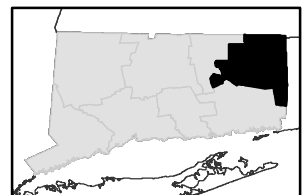
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WINDHAM lost the town of Lebanon to NEW LONDON.

629 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1824, ch. 8/p. 47)





WINDHAM

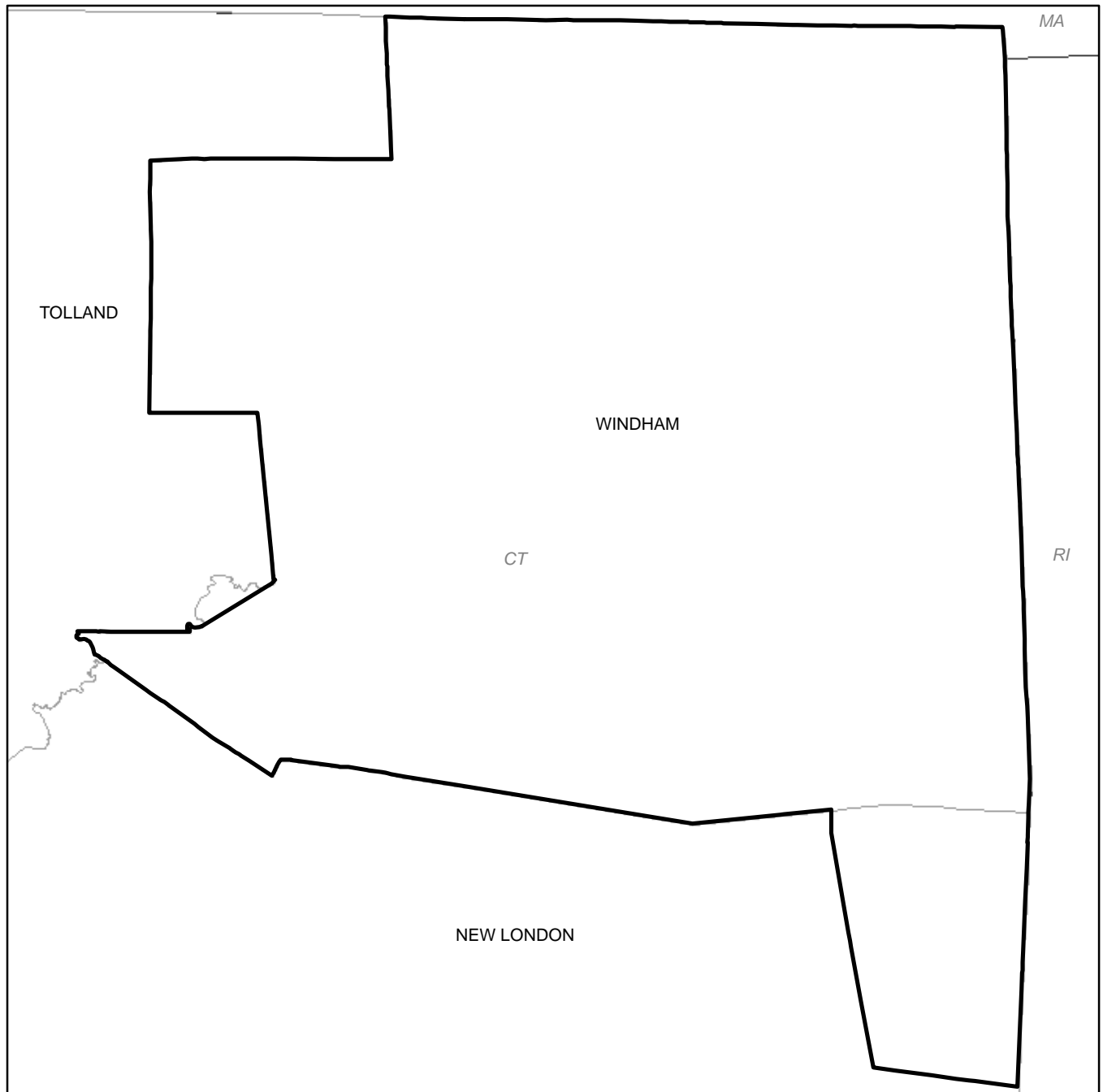
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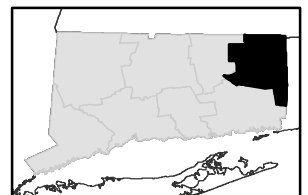
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WINDHAM lost the towns of Columbia and Mansfield to TOLLAND.

560 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1827, ch. 20-21/pp. 157-158)





WINDHAM

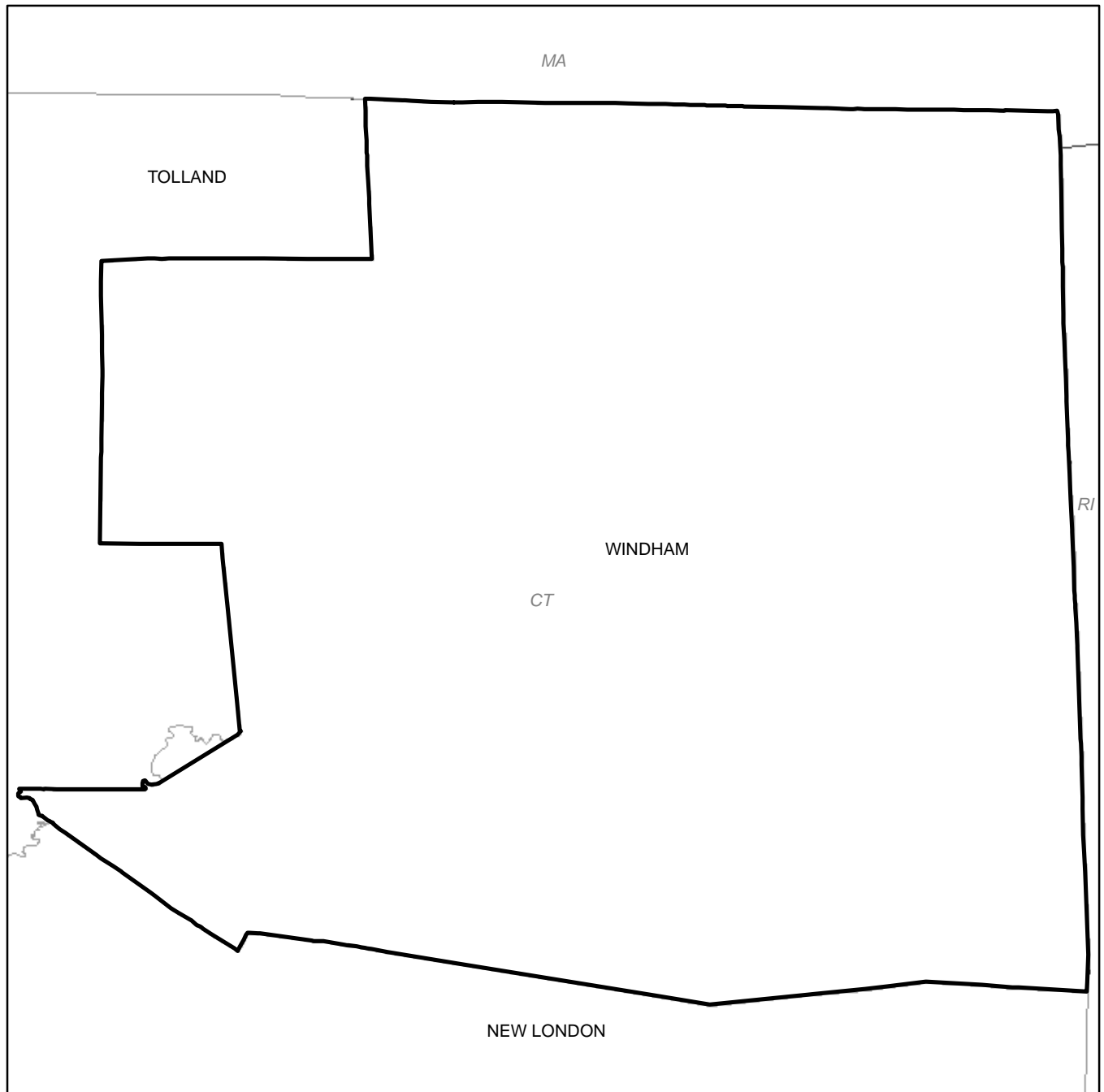
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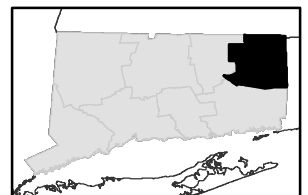
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WINDHAM lost the town of Voluntown to NEW LONDON.

520 sq. mi.

(Conn. Pub. Acts 1881, ch. 28, sec. 1/p. 16)





WINDHAM

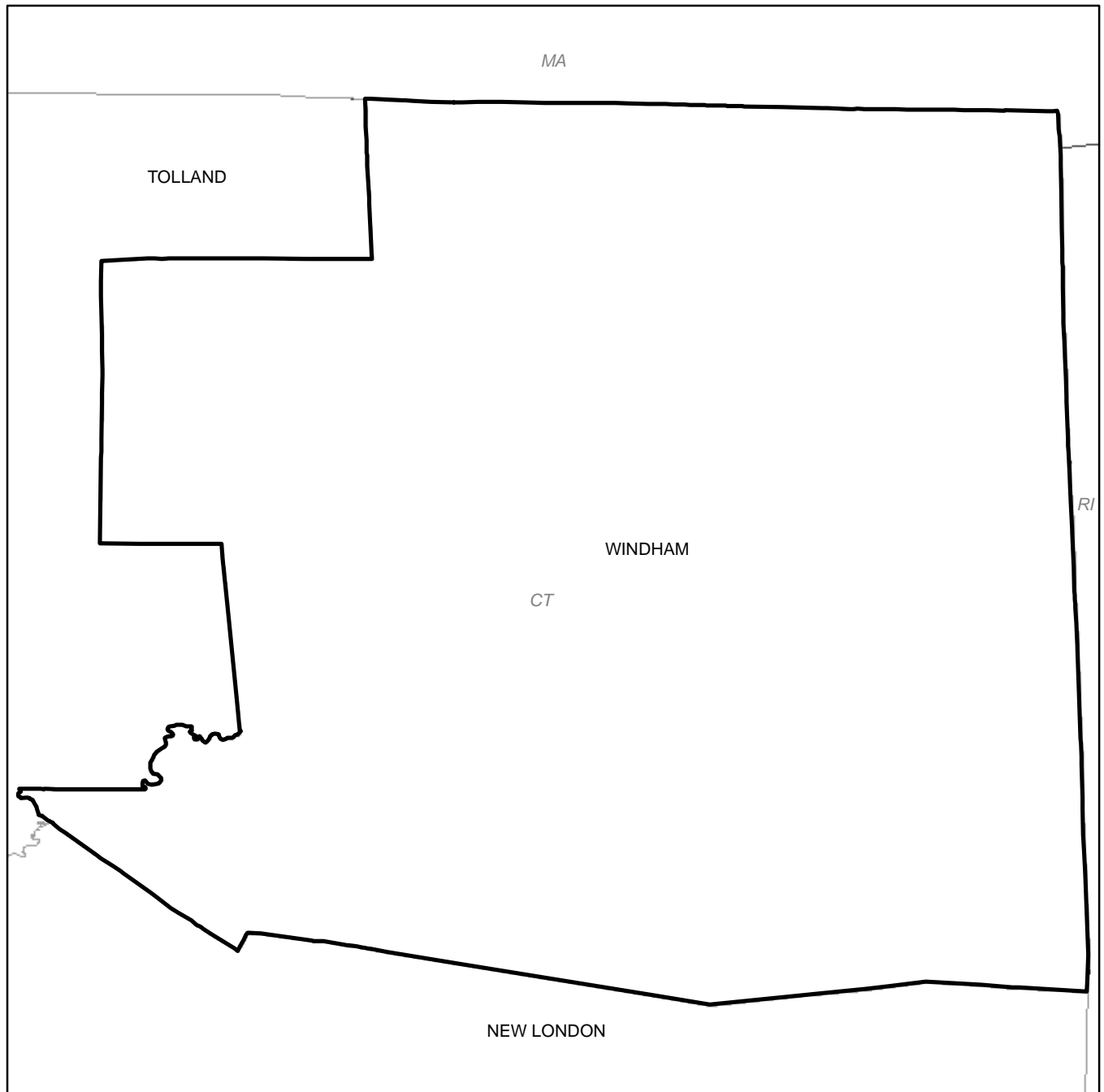
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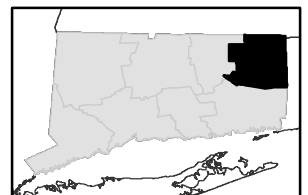
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WINDHAM gained from TOLLAND when the town of Windham gained from Mansfield

521 sq. mi.

(Conn. Spec. Acts 1885, no. 122, sec. 1/p. 117)





Western Reserve

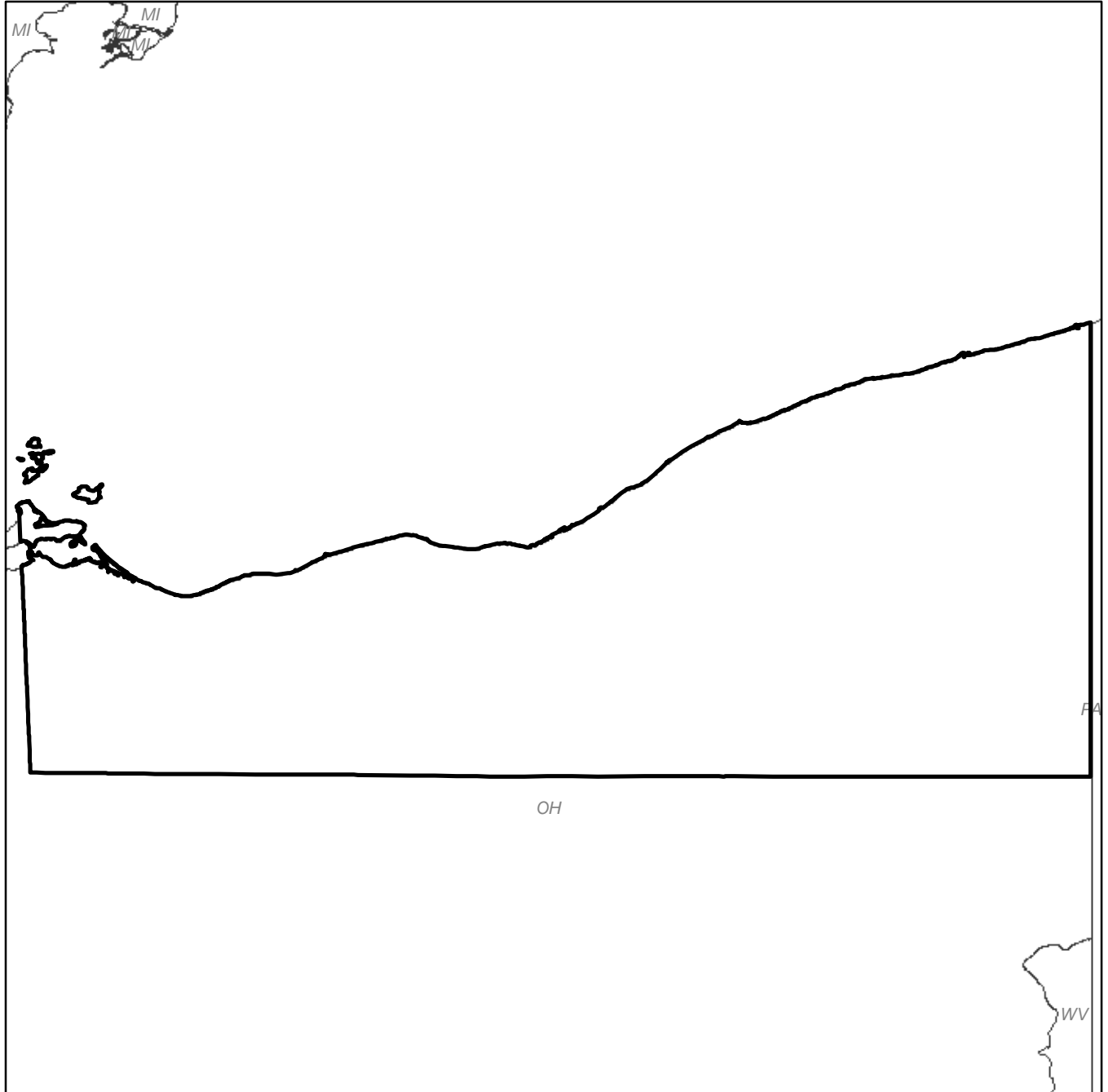
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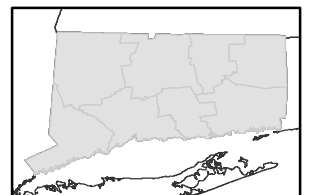
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The U.S. accepted Connecticut's cession of lands north and west of Pennsylvania and the Ohio River, except for a tract (Western Reserve) lying north of 41 deg. N. Lat. (Conn. Southern line) & extending 120 mi. west of Penn.

5,324 sq. mi.

(Terr. Papers U.S., 2:24 n. 62)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

Version 1

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5/19/1669 - 6/2/1674

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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) gained from Non-County Area 2 in Connecticut when town of Westfield (now Southwick, Mass.) was created from town of Springfield. Part of Westfield extended into Conn., the result of disagreement over the line between Conn. and Mass.

2,985 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 53-58; Mass. Recs., vol. 4, pt. 2:432)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

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6/3/1674 - 5/15/1683

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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) gained from Non-County Area 3 in Connecticut when town of Suffield created. Suffield was entirely within present Conn., the result of uncertain geographic knowledge and disagreement over the boundary between the colonies.

3,061 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 53-58; Mass. Recs., 5:13)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

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5/16/1683 - 7/9/1731

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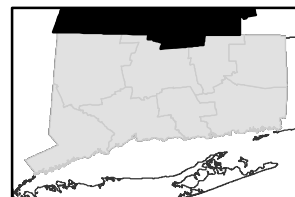
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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) gained from Non-County Area 3 in Connecticut when town of Enfield was created. Most of Enfield was in present Conn., the result of uncertain geographic knowledge and disagreement over the boundary between the colonies. NCA 3 eliminated.

3,090 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 53-58; Mass. Recs., 5:410-411)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

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7/10/1731 - 1/15/1742

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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) lost to creation of WORCESTER (Mass.).

2,992 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 2, ch. 8 [1730-1731], sec. 1/p. 584)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

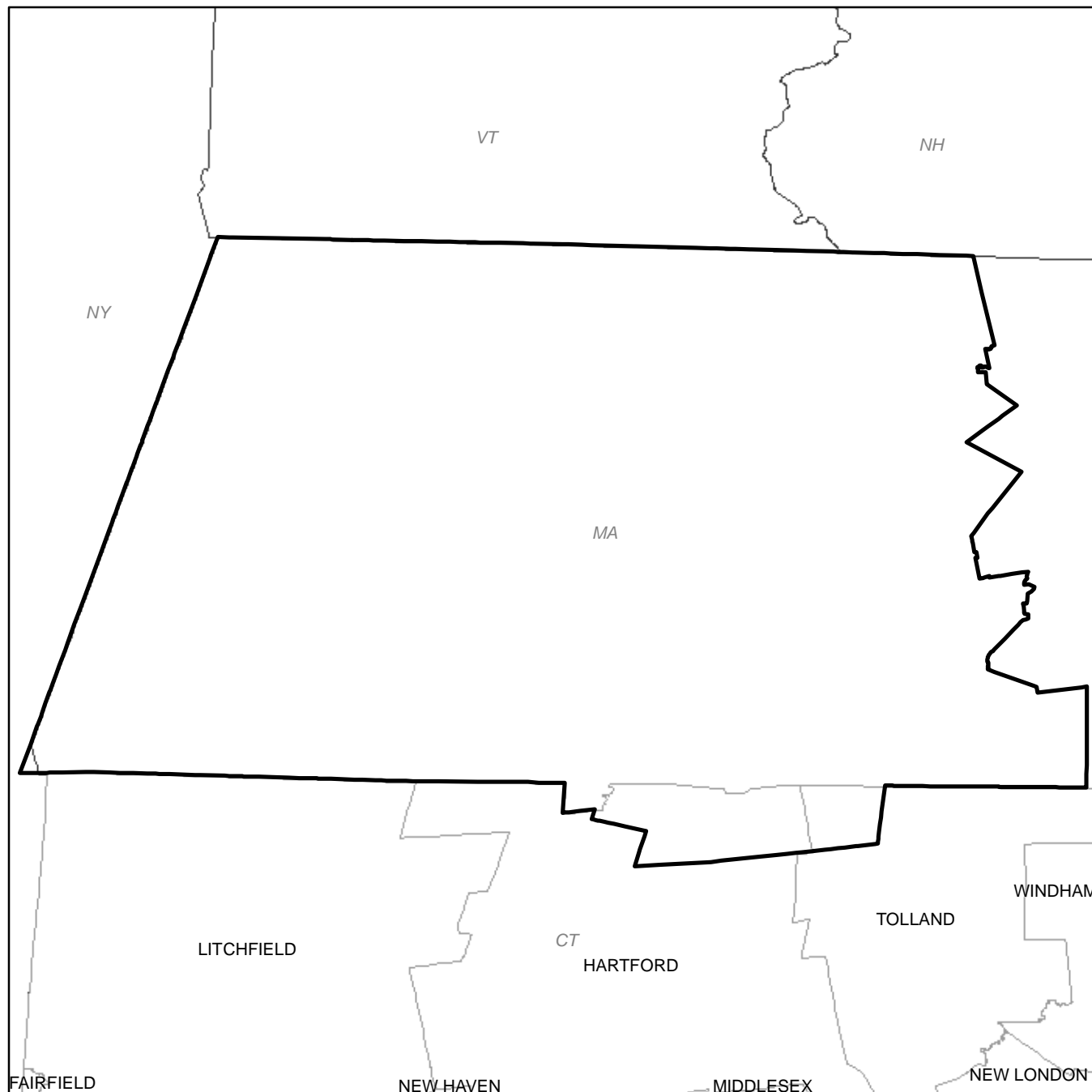
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1/16/1742 - 5/30/1749

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[16 Jan 1741/1742] HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) lost to WORCESTER (Mass.) when town of Western (Now Warren) created from Brookfield, Brimfield, and Kingsfield. Area within Connecticut was unchanged.

2,981 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 2, ch. 17 [1741-1742], sec. 2/p. 1088)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

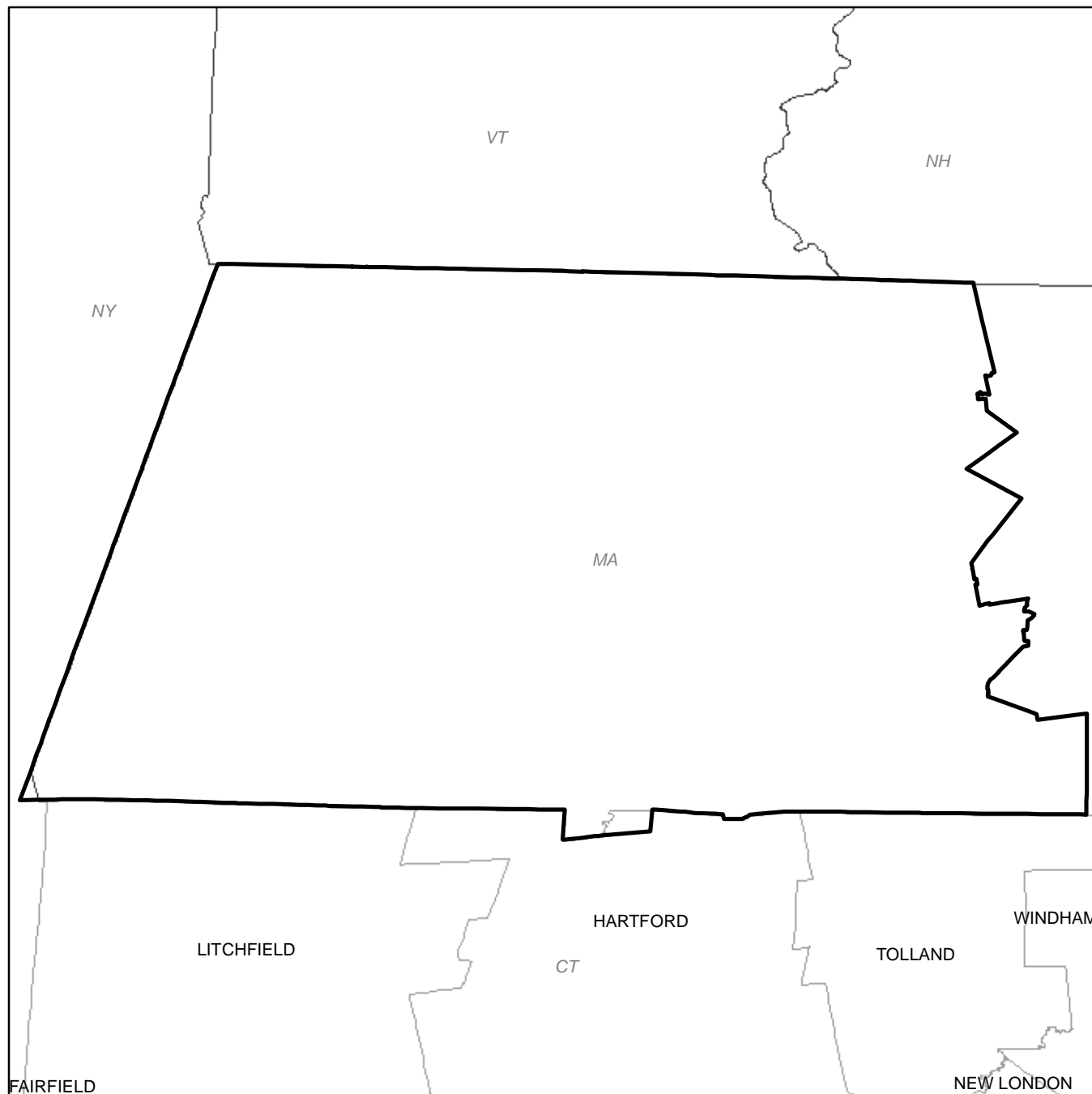
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5/31/1749 - 6/29/1761

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In May 1749, HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) lost the towns of Enfield, Somers and Suffield to Connecticut when Conn. responded to the towns' request for annexation and extended jurisdiction over the area south of the 1713 provincial line.

2,876 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 62; Hooker, 22, 26)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

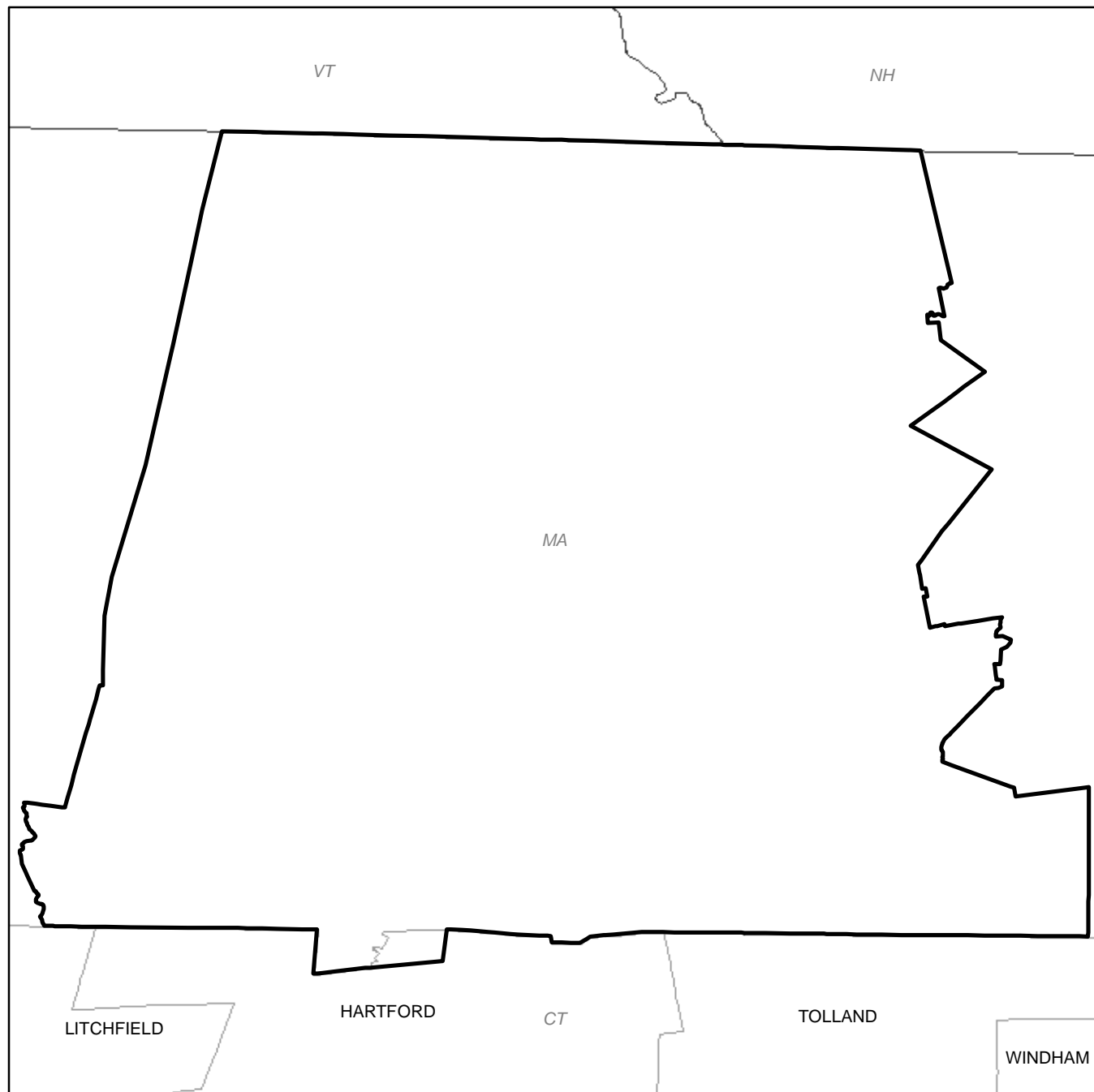
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6/30/1761 - 1/4/1764

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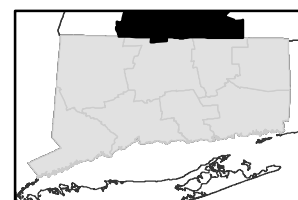
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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) lost to creation of BERKSHIRE (Mass.).

1,855 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 4, ch. 33 [1760-1761], sec. 1/p. 432)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

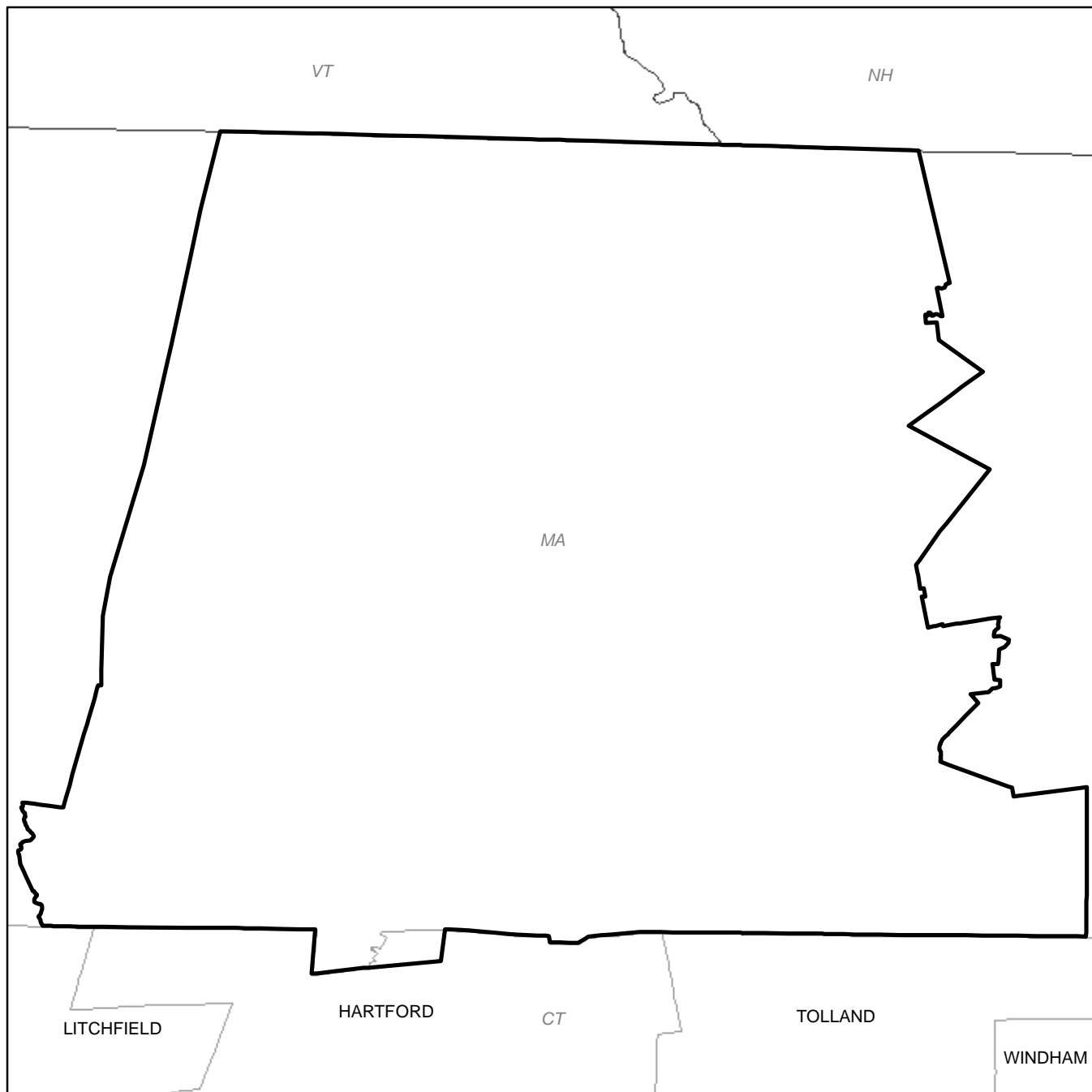
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1/5/1764 - 2/4/1765

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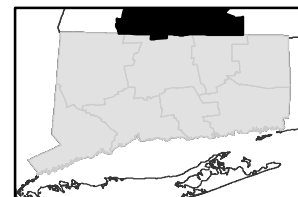
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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) lost small area to WORCESTER (Mass.) when town of Western (now Warren) gained from town of Palmer. Area within Connecticut was unchanged.

1,855 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 17, ch. 14 [1764-1765], sec. 1/p. 516)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

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2/5/1765 - 6/29/1768

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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) gained small area from WORCESTER (Mass.) when town of Greenwich gained from Hardwick. Area within present Connecticut was unchanged.

1,855 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 17, ch. 218 [1764-1765]/p. 603)





HAMPSHIRE (Mass.)

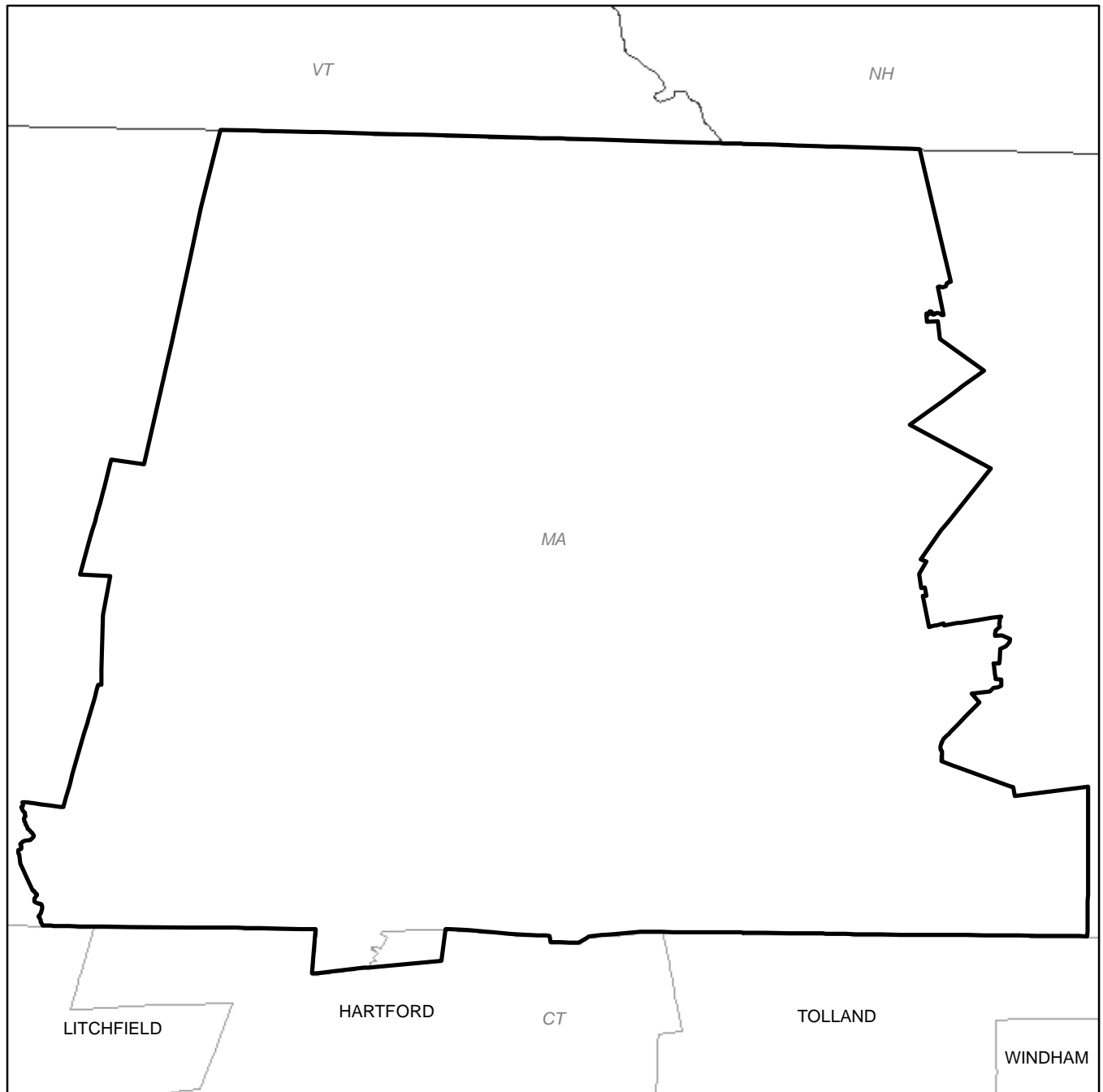
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6/30/1768 - 12/30/1774

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HAMPSHIRE (Mass.) gained from BERKSHIRE (Mass.) when town of Worthington created from Plantation # 3. Area within present Connecticut was unchanged.

1,865 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 4, ch. 16 [1768], sec. 1/p. 1028)





SUFFOLK (Mass.)

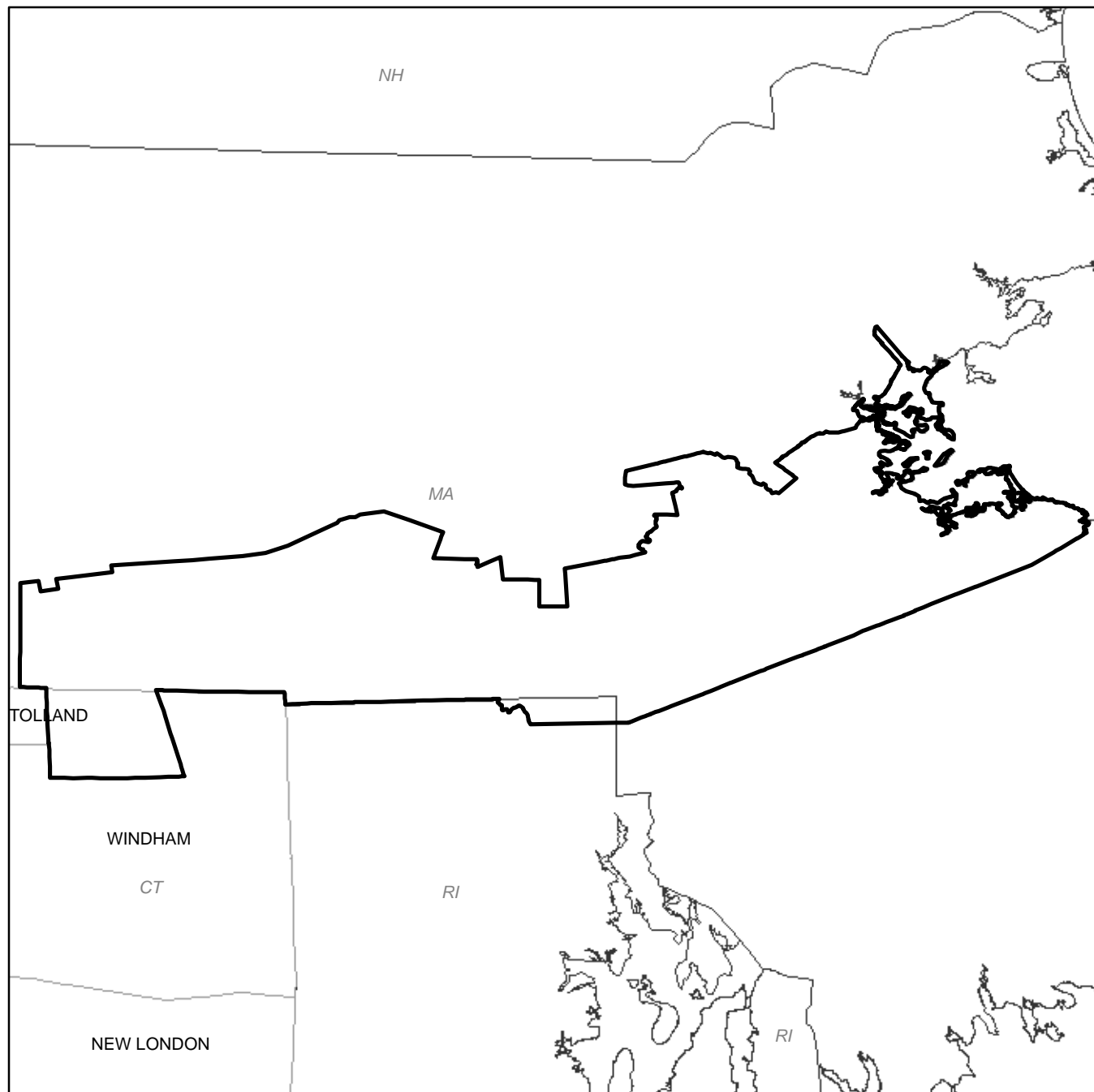
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3/15/1690 - 7/9/1731

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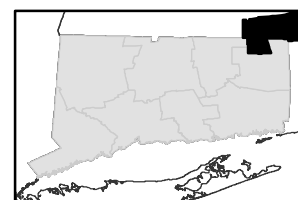
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[15 Mar 1689/1690] SUFFOLK (Mass.) gained from Non-County Area 1 when Mass. created town of Woodstock. Woodstock lay almost entirely within present Conn., the result of uncertain geographic knowledge and disagreement over the line between the colonies.

978 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 53-58; Bowen, Woodstock, 1:31)





WORCESTER (Mass.)

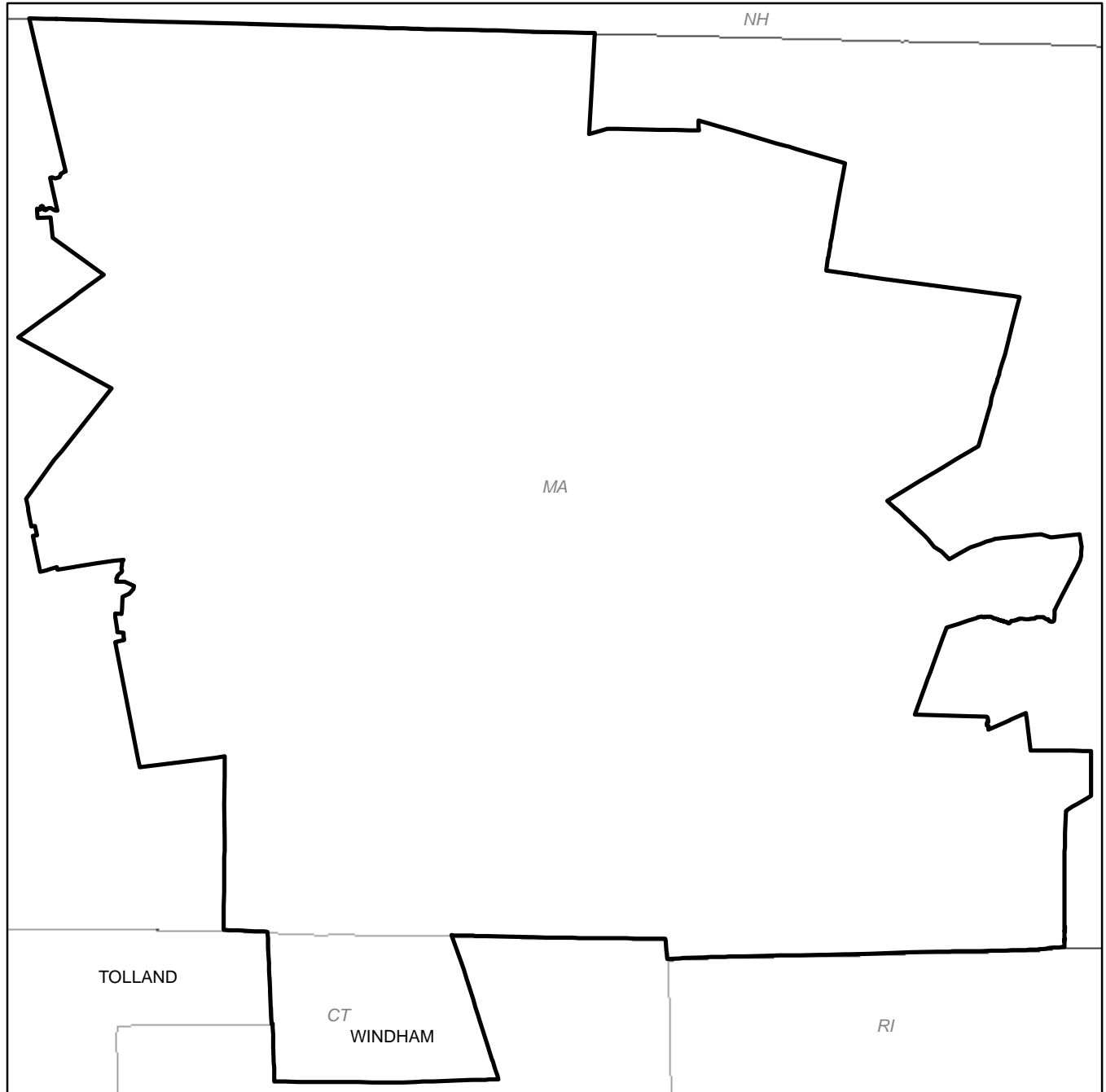
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7/10/1731 - 6/28/1732

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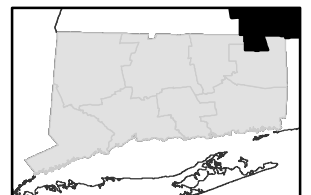
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WORCESTER (Mass.) created from HAMPSHIRE (Mass.), MIDDLESEX (Mass.), and SUFFOLK (Mass.). WORCESTER (Mass.) included the town of Woodstock within present Connecticut.

1,605 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 2, ch. 8 [1730-1731], sec. 1/p. 584)





WORCESTER (Mass.)

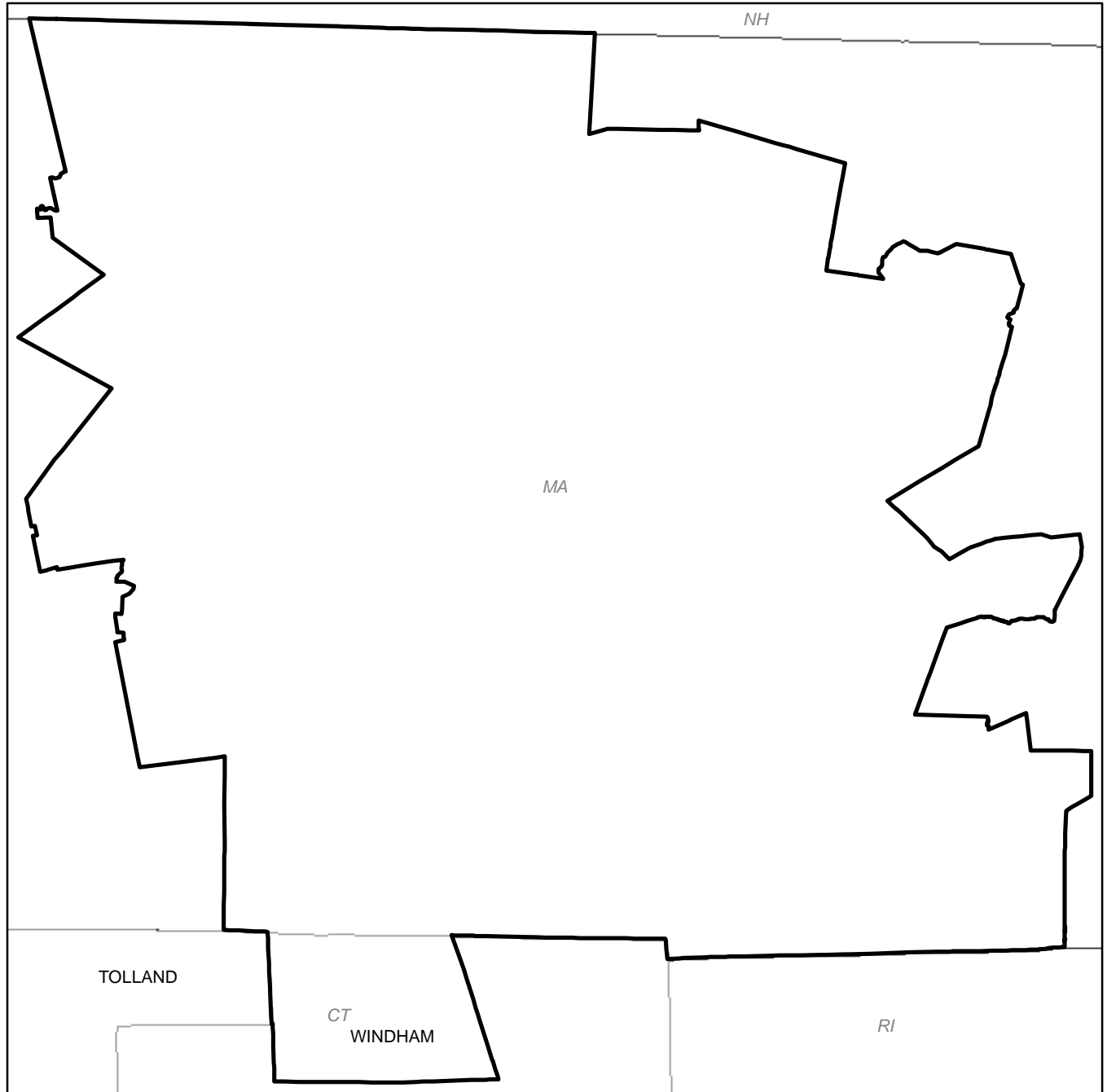
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6/29/1732 - 6/13/1735

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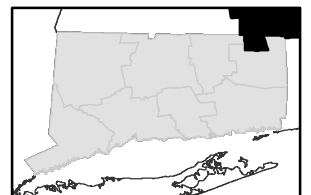
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WORCESTER (Mass.) exchanged with MIDDLESEX (Mass.) when town of Harvard created from Groton, Lancaster, and Stow.

1,615 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 2, ch. 4 [1732-1733], sec. 1/p. 644)





WORCESTER (Mass.)

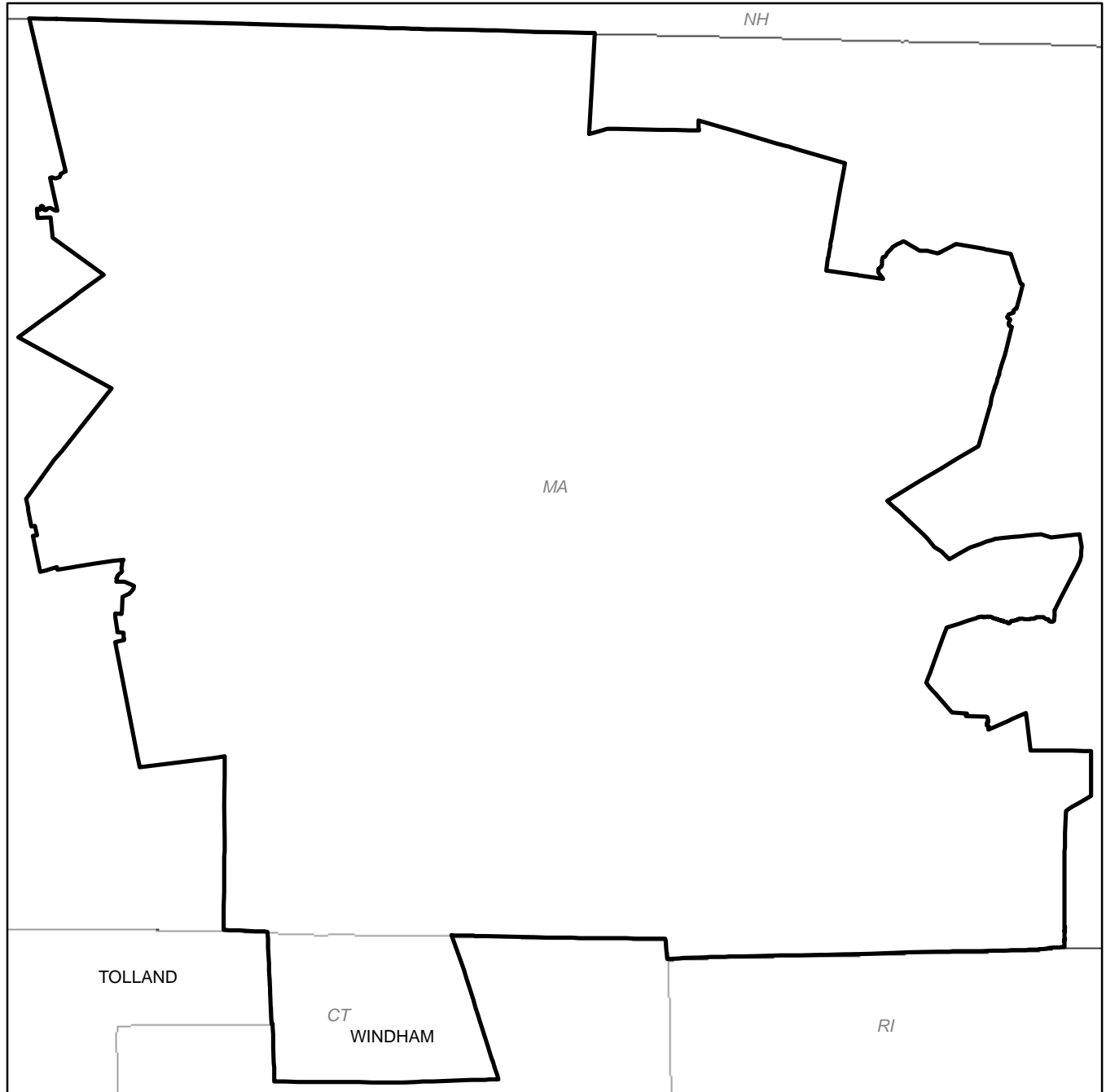
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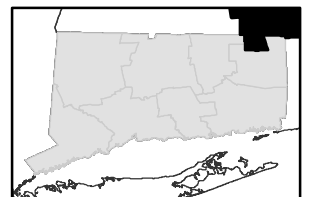
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WORCESTER (Mass.) gained small area from MIDDLESEX (Mass.) when town of Upton created from Hopkinton.

1,617 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 2, ch. 11 [1735-1736], sec. 1/p. 764)





WORCESTER (Mass.)

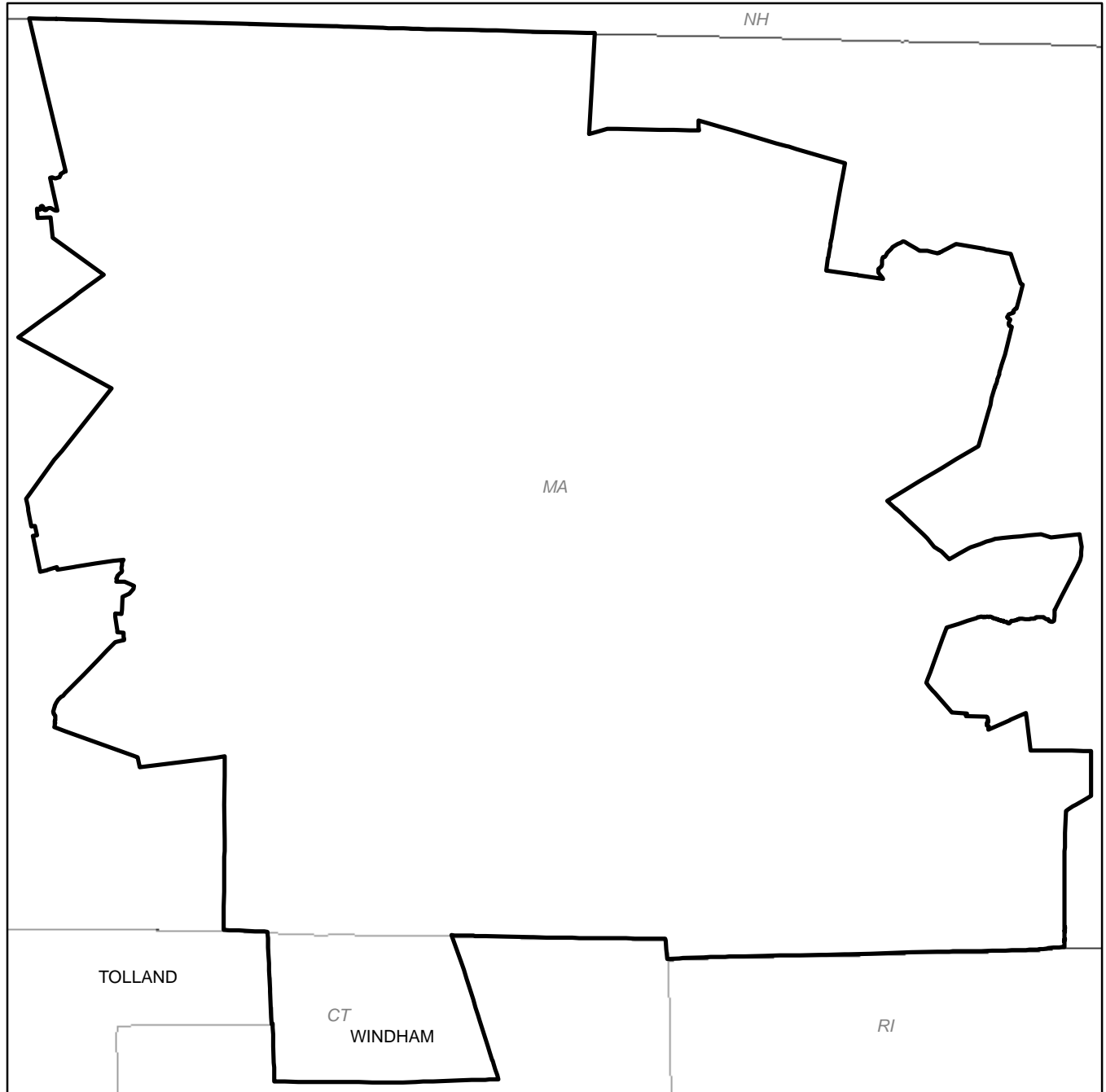
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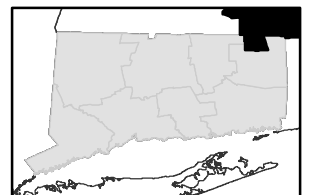
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1,627 sq. mi.

(Mass. Col. Acts, vol. 2, ch. 17 [1741-1742], sec. 2/p. 1088)





Narragansett Country

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4/23/1662 - 4/7/1665

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King Charles II granted Connecticut a charter as a self-governing corporate colony, with an eastern boundary at Narragansett Bay, overlapping part of the R.I. patent. R.I. did not concede its claim to the territory, but Conn. took control of the area.

394 sq. mi.

(Bowen, Disputes, 32; Swindler, 2:135-136)

