

RHODE ISLAND

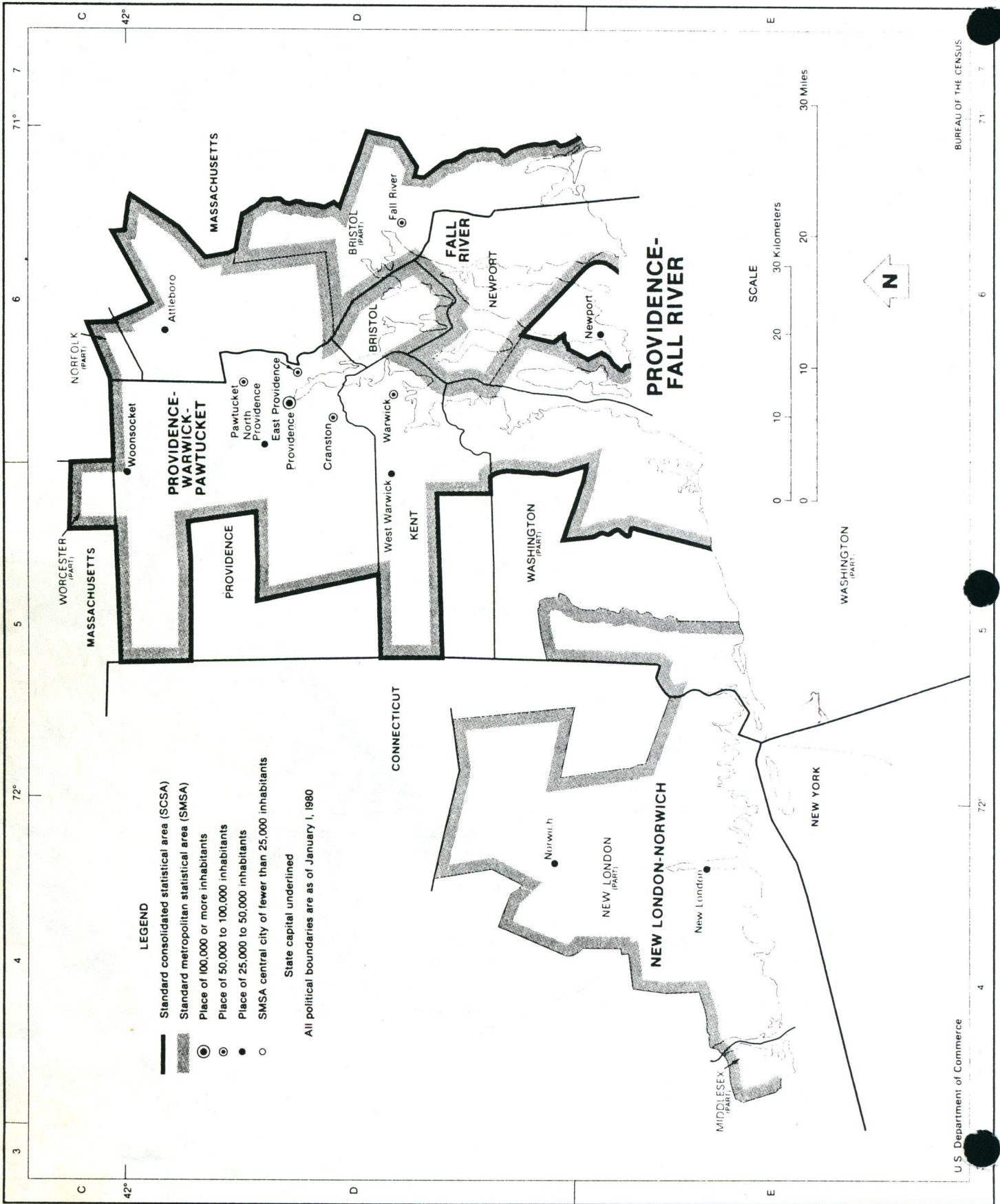


MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS

The primary divisions of the counties in Rhode Island are the cities and towns. There are no secondary divisions. The areas covered by the towns correspond to townships. The governing bodies of the towns are the town councils. These units perform various duties elsewhere commonly associated with county and municipal governments.

MUNICIPALITIES

The municipal governments in Rhode Island are the cities, which are located outside the area of any town, and, in addition to the usual municipal functions, also provide services commonly assigned in other States to county governments. The counties in Rhode Island are geographic subdivisions for the judicial administration of the State and have no associated governmental structure.



County	Map Ref
Bristol	D-6
Kent	D-5
Newport	D-6
Providence	D-5
Washington.....	E-5

