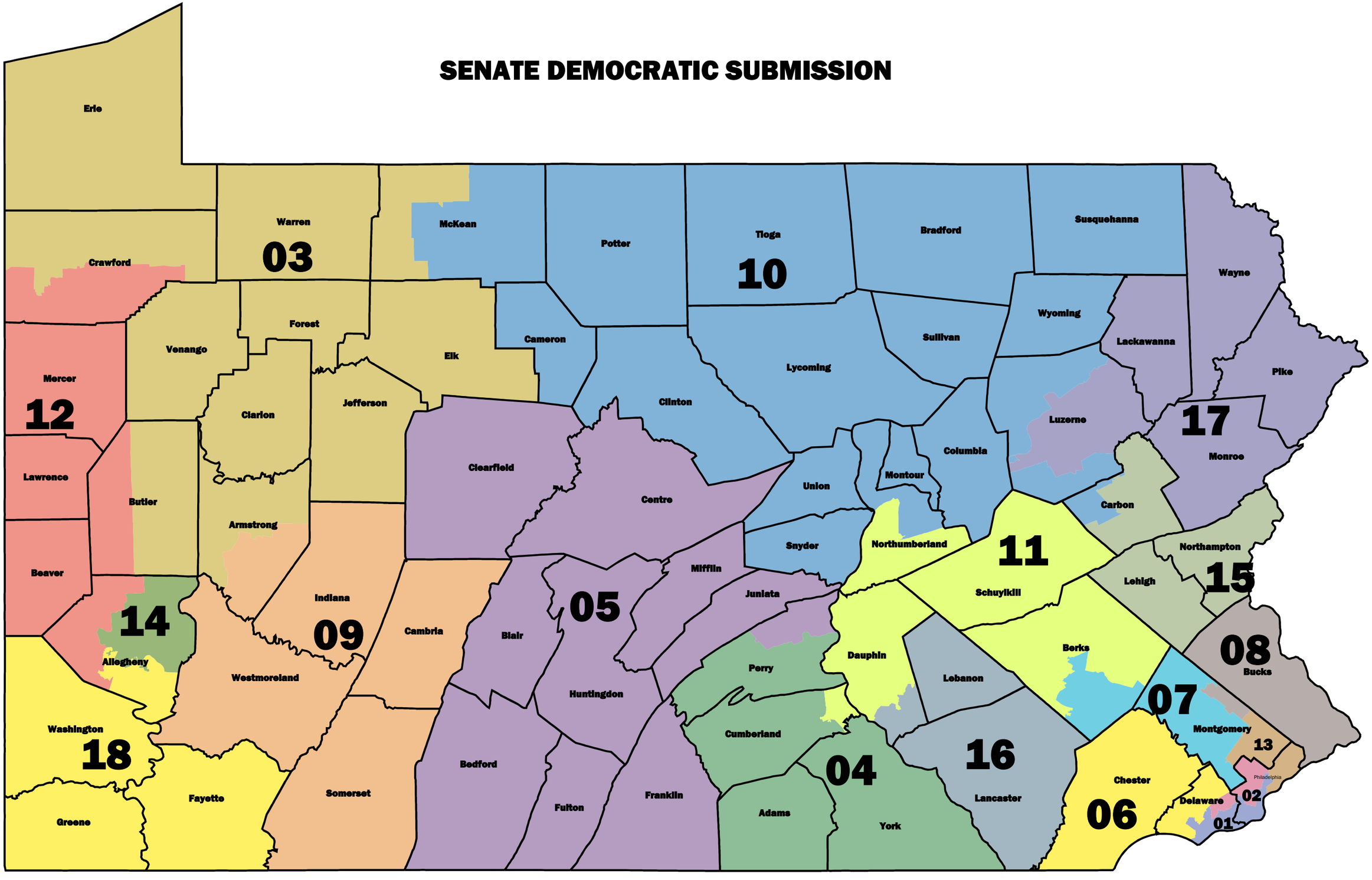SENATE DEMOCRATIC SUBMISSION