Vulnerable Republican Congressional Districts

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Greenpeace as an organization is very interested in limiting drilling in US shale basins. This map displays Republican congressional districts that touch a US shale basin. Increased vulnerability (more wells/square mile) is symbolized by darkening shades of red. The five most vulnerable districts are under the jurisdiction of Mike Coffman (CO), Steve Scalise (LA), John Culberson (TX), Charles Boustany, Jr. (LA), and Michael Burgess (TX). These congressional districts would benefit most from Greenpeace's lobbying efforts.

Vulnerability (wells per sq mi)



Wells (EPA ECHO Database)

US Shale Basins





