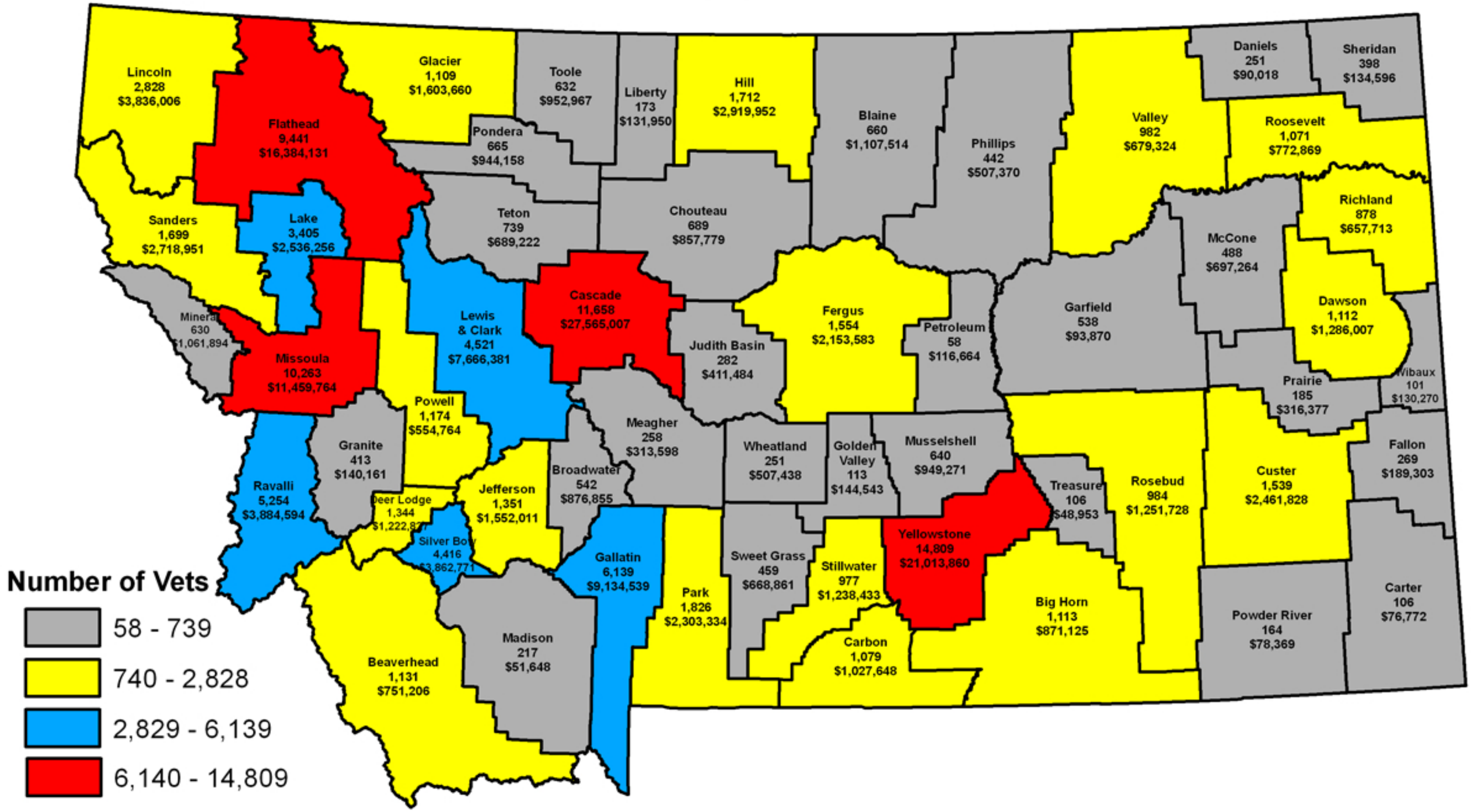
Population of Veterans and Federal Veterans' Payments FY 2010



Source: Veterans Affairs Division, Department of Military Affairs

Montana has the second largest population of veterans per capita in the country. The total population is 105,838 as shown in the chart. The above chart also shows the federal benefits claimed by the veterans in each county in FY 2010. Veterans receive a wide spectrum of benefits from the federal Veteran's Administration and the state of Montana. Federal benefits include: referral services, health care, service-connected disability compensation, pensions, insurance, education and training, burial and survivor benefits, and home loans. The state of Montana also provides referral services, health care, college tuition waivers, employment services, vehicle registration waivers, property tax waivers, home loans, and hunting license fee waivers.