



Figure 29: *Single Closest School assignment, Con-Opt, no transfers.* This is what would happen if PPS ditched its hard boundaries and simply assigned every student to her single closest school (by driving distance). It doesn't look very different from the previous picture: the sections are all out of balance, and each school's population is still a distinct, isolated blob of color. On the plus side, travel distances are minimized, and no one has to spend any time or money arguing about the boundaries!