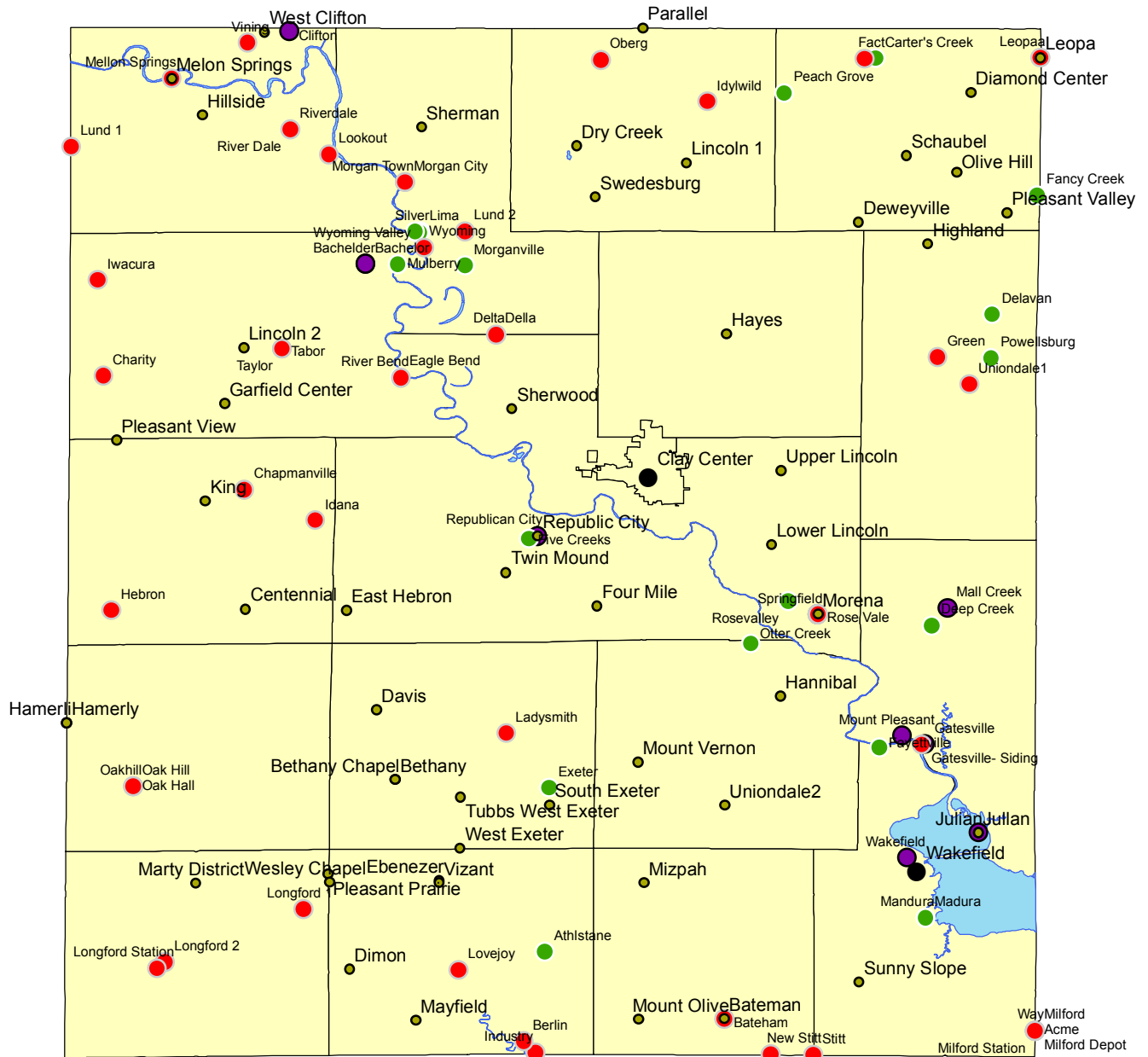


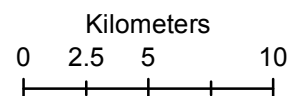
Ghost Towns of Clay County, Kansas

Settlement Patterns of Clay County, Kansas, 1855 to 1960



Clay County Town Founding by Era

- 1855 to 1864 (Kansas-Nebraska Act, Kansas Opened for Settlement)
- 1865 to 1872 (Civil War Ended)
- 1873 to 1900 (Railroads Entered Clay County)
- Communities (Not a Traditional Town)
- **2011 (Viable Towns In Clay County, Kansas)**



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