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Regarding: Senate

Message:

It concerns me very much when our elected state representatives and senators cannot work together to draw district lines in an equitable manner. Texas' state motto is "Friendship". Yet all I see are people trying to get POWER. I don't even believe the state legislature is a representative body of the ethnicity of people in Texas. District lines should be drawn to represent the population EQUALLY, according to where they live. However, the map that I saw looked like the worse jigsaw puzzle I've ever seen. You were trying to divide the urban areas to make them have less representation. Your gerrymandering is terrible and very obvious.

I believe a committee for redistricting should have the same number of Republicans and Democrats--working together to redistrict our state. If you can't do that--then you should not be elected to represent our state. Work together for the good of Texas, not the good of your political party.

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