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Subject: INETMAIL: Redistricting Public Input
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Regarding: Senate

Message:

The proposed Senate map, once again, decreases the number of competitive senate seats, ignores the growth and influence of communities of color, and forms districts based on consolidating power.

I care about really important issues like Medicaid expansion, gun violence, and the pandemic that is killing thousands of Texans. These issues don't get addressed because we are busy having special sessions about such things as who can play on high school sports teams. I want solutions to our problems and so do most Texans. These maps only solidify our divisions and leave us unable to address the real problems Texans face.

Please draw maps that are fair, competitive and represent all Texans. Please work to end map manipulation and gerrymandering.

I believe in Democracy and that the people should decide election outcomes, not politicians.

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