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## Message:

It is very important for that the new maps NOT HAVE GERRYMANDERED districts. The maps MUST comply with the VOTING RIGHTS ACT and not have packing and fracking of minority communities.

Districts generated for urban counties should not be split and combined with rural counties. Urban county residents have different needs and priorities than rural county residents. As a large city dweller I know that by combining urban counties with rural counties, that my vote, and the votes of my fellow city communities are getting diluted by rural voters, and this is DEFINITELY NOT A DEMOCRATICALLY GENERATED MAP!!

Maps must be generated to give all voters the opportunity to ensure that there votes will count, this map generation process I've seen to date lead voters to a realization that VOTING IS A SHAM, as our politicians are selecting the voters they want, rather than having the voters choose their candidates.

The maps must provide FAIRNESS,or the result is POLITICIAN INDUCED VOTER SUPPRESSION!!