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Subject: INETMAIL: Redistricting Public Input
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Affirm public info: I agree

Regarding: Senate

Message:

The maps as initially proposed confirm every expectation that the Legislature intends to draw districts at all levels that protect Republican incumbents at the expense of voters who make up the majority of the newly counted Texans, specifically people of color and urban voters. Even if your redistricting process is no longer subject to federal oversight, the public is watching and knows very well what you are up to. Please reconsider these districts that isolate and invalidate the choices of millions of Texans. Please do not adopt maps that disadvantage people of color. Please do the right thing and make these maps representative of the evolving population of Texas.

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