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To: Senate Redistricting

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Regarding: Senate

Message:

My name is Sandra Silverman and I am representing myself in my comments to you in this email.

I live in Grapevine, which is in the middle between Ft. Worth and Dallas. My neighborhood is close to many schools , where a large percent of

the students speak English, Spanish and various languages from Asia.

I worry how divided we are as a country. Gerrymandering and map manipulation only make the problem worse. I am worried about the abusive

treatment of black and brown citizens in this state!

I also am worried about gun violence. Let's stop focusing on which bathroom should be used. Let us take care of the disabled and the veteran!

I ask the committee to draw up maps that are fair and represent all Texans. It is shameful that Black and Latino communities voices have been

marginalized at the ballot box . It's time for Texas to do better for all its citizens!!

Thank you,

Sandra Silverman