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Regarding: Congressional

Message: Greetings,

I 'm writing today to oppose the poorly considered choice to redraw Congressional maps. This move was made in response to a Republican wish list and a newly politicized Justice Department. The maps that are currently in service, and that are still awaiting judicial review, were ostensibly laid out in a way that is "color blind." While any even cursory look at the convoluted and tortured map that was produced in 2021 testifies to the lie in that assertion, if law makers have stated that such was done properly, as they have, then they cannot now expect to have a reversal on that position be viewed as credible.

Furthermore, my understanding is that there are currently no maps for the proposed redistricting available. Therefore, it is unreasonable for our legislators to take up debate upon hypothetical maps without any ability to judge whether or not such might be acceptable or not. If the intent is to seek public trust in this process I can assure you that such trust in our legislators is lacking, especially when the impetus for this action is clearly not justice or an equitable distribution to reflect the cultural makeup of the great state of Texas, but rather a drive to maintain power in the hands of a declining percentage of individuals.

Accordingly, I oppose the redistricting proposal and hope that you will do the same. Please spend your time much more fruitfully helping the victims of the recent flood and taking steps to ensure that loss of life will be mitigated or greatly reduced in the future.

That is a much more appropriate use of your time and effort if you would serve with honor, rather than wasting your time on this partisan effort.

Thank you.