

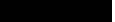


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Message:

“The purpose of life is not just to be happy. It is to be useful, to be honorable, to be compassionate, to have it make some difference that you have lived and lived well. - R.W.E.” If there’s a small part of you (the special committee) that feels that this redistricting is not honorable, please speak up. I’m sure that this will not affect you like it will us (the soon to be unrepresented). I believe everyone in this committee is undermining Texans. How many incidents, overnight laws, and arrests have to happen before Texans give up? If a group of people are not represented at all, what do they have to lose? What will stop them? Nothing... I hope you realize that this will exacerbate the divisive climate this country already has.

I strongly oppose any attempts to redraw legislative districts in a way that undermines fair representation. The practice of illegal gerrymandering poses a direct threat to the integrity of our democracy and to the foundational principle that every Texan’s voice and vote should count equally. These manipulations erode public trust in our government and strip power away from the very people elected officials are supposed to serve.

I call on each member of the Texas Legislature and the redistricting committees to reject any maps or proposals that defy the decisions made by constituents at the ballot box. Our representatives have a duty to serve with integrity.

I urge this body to prioritize individuality, fairness, and accountability throughout this process and to commit to maps that reflect the true makeup and will of the people of Texas. Anything less is not only an injustice, it’s unconstitutional. Texas belongs to all of us, not just to

those in power.

“We must scrupulously guard the civil rights and civil liberties of all citizens, whatever their background. We must remember that any oppression, any injustice, any hatred is a wedge designed to attack our civilization. “ - Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

