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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

Disinguished Members of the Senate Special Committee

I am writing today to make my concerns known about mid-decade redistricting and the proposed map with new district boundaries. I oppose this action at this time.

Historically, Texas has adjusted the district maps after a US Census with much success. The request from the federal level is short sighted and unsettling. With a majority already enjoyed by the Republicans in both chambers and the top 2 offices all the way down line to local officials, where is the threat from the Democratic Party? Why force our state wide neighbors to be used as national pawns to ease federal concerns? The promise of our Texas Constitution and our US Constitution is that we are afforded free and fair elections. Moving the boundaries mid-decade sends the message that our votes are null and void, a foregone assumption instead of choice. The Texas Voters should be trusted to make their representation choices. It has worked for the Republicans in the past and present.

Please focus on disaster relief for our hill country neighbors who are and will be suffering for quite some time. Use this time in session to help the residents of Texas because our under-voting age Texans need your focus and support.

I ask that you trust the voters who elected you far more than the bullying that requires giving in to federal pressure.

Thank you for your service and consideration.

Kali Smith

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