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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

To the Members of the Texas House and Senate:

My name is Tracie Jae. I am a lifelong Houstonian, civic strategist, and proud voter in Texas's 9th Congressional District. I write in firm opposition to the proposed redistricting efforts targeting TX-09 and urge you to reject this attempt to dismantle one of the most representative districts in the state.

This is not just redistricting—it's political redrawing that places power over people. And I am one of those people.

TX-09 isn't a puzzle piece to be shifted for convenience. It's home. It's made up of neighbors who've weathered storms—literally and figuratively—together. It includes new Americans, working families, seniors, young voters, renters, homeowners, and entrepreneurs who reflect the rich cultural and economic diversity of Houston.

Congressman Al Green has represented this district with unwavering commitment, delivering real support in real time. From pandemic relief to disaster recovery, he's been there—present, accessible, and accountable. I've seen it firsthand. To redraw these lines now is to cut away at years of progress, stability, and trust.

Our community has already experienced the fragmentation that comes from being split across multiple districts. It weakens our collective voice and sows confusion at the ballot box. These proposed changes would further divide voters and dilute our ability to advocate for shared needs and priorities.

Let's call this what it is: an attempt to sideline historically underrepresented communities in a moment when their voices are gaining power. That's not democracy. That's disenfranchisement by design.

We cannot keep treating representation like a zero-sum game. Districts should reflect the people who live in them—not the politics surrounding them. As a voter in TX-09, I am not asking for special treatment. I am demanding fair treatment. Communities like mine should not be redrawn out of relevance.

I urge you to preserve the integrity of TX-09. Reject this map. Reject this moment as a setback. Protect the people of Houston who are working every day to build, recover, and participate in a democracy that sees them.

Respectfully,

Tracie Jae

Voter – TX Congressional District 9

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