

**Subject:** My Testimony to California's Citizen's Redistricting Commission

**From:** Hugo Mora <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Mon, 23 May 2011 16:48:43 -0700

**To:** [REDACTED]

May, 23 2011

Dear Commissioners:

My name is Hugo Rafael Mora, and I am from South San Francisco in San Mateo County. Please note that my community extends from San Francisco down to the peninsula.

I am submitting this comment on behalf of low income, socio-economically disadvantaged communities to request that our communities stay intact. My community depends on many social services for us to sustain a healthy and prosperous life. Our community struggles for a proper education and economic opportunity. We need to be protected from racism and structural racism that makes it much more difficult to get out of the extremely tough situations we encounter. Our community has been ravaged by the prison industrial complex, our deteriorating public k-12 education system, unfair tax laws, the lack of health insurance, the rate of liquor stores, gangs, drugs, and much more.

My community in South San Francisco is very similar to the Mission, Excelsior, Hunters Point, Bay View, and Tenderloin districts of San Francisco. We are also similar to East Palo Alto, East Side Redwood City, East Side San Mateo, Daly City and San Bruno areas.

We are very different from the Castro, Sunset, Marina and many other affluent districts of San Francisco that tend to reside on the west sides of the peninsula. My community is not similar to the more affluent cities of Brisbane, Burlingame, Hillsdale area of San Mateo, Hillsborough, Foster City, Atherton, Half Moon Bay, Palo Alto, and Milbrae.

I hope that you all will consider my testimony about socio-economically disadvantaged communities from which I was raised and of which I am part when redrawing our district lines.

Thank you very much for your consideration,

Hugo Rafael Mora.

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From: **Matt Cucuzza** <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Fri, May 20, 2011 at 12:41 PM  
Subject: Presentation by Carole Groom at Oakland Public Comment Hearing May 21 (Saturday)  
To: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>

Hello,

I would like to submit this PowerPoint presentation that Carole Groom plans on giving tomorrow at the hearing in Oakland. Carole is the President of the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors. She will also be bringing hard copies of the presentation outline and the files on a usb flash drive.

Thanks,

Matt Cucuzza

Matthew D. Cucuzza  
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**Subject:** Public Comment: Redistricting San Mateo County

**From:** kristina KIEHL <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Mon, 23 May 2011 23:15:32 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: kristina KIEHL <[REDACTED]>  
Subject: Redistricting San Mateo County

Message Body:

Dear Commissioners,

I live and work in San Mateo County. I have raised a family, owned a business and have been an active in the community for decades. I've read that you might draw lines by county and I think you should consider keeping the north part of San Mateo County from the City of San Mateo north in the same congressional district as parts of the west and southern parts San Francisco County. These communities are residential with mostly small businesses and retail and they have nothing in common with the south end of San Mateo County.

You should be aware that the San Francisco International Airport is located in northern San Mateo County but that it is owned and operated by the City and County of San Francisco. Having a federal legislator who has both San Mateo County and San Francisco County in their congressional district is critical to making sure those of us who live near this large airport have a voice about how the airport operates. If we don't have a legislator who represents both areas then the City and County of San Francisco will do whatever the will of their constituents without regard to constituents in San Mateo County. Many San Mateo County workers are employed by the San Francisco Airport as well and as one of the largest employers in San Mateo County we need to have a representative who can has a seat at the table with the federal government who represents both counties.

The Bay Area is one of the finest places to live, work and raise a family and I hope the Commission thinks long and hard before making any dramatic changes to the congressional district lines.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Kristina Kiehl

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