

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** tran ngyn <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 1:09 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: tran ngyn <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Cypress, westminister and fountain valley

Message Body:

Honorable Commissioners,

I was so happy to hear that you are considering linking cypress with westminster and garden grove. I teach English as a Second Language and can validate that in fact there is a large community of interest of vietnamese ESL learners throughout these cities and fountain valley/garden grove. In a recent study of orange county school districts (<http://www.fullerton.edu/cdr/profilesv13n3.pdf>) it is discovered that cypress, westminster and fountain valley have the largest percent increase in english language learners. This requires extra school services and cooperative city efforts to help meet the educational needs of these people. We have had no voice in state government and beg the commission to hear our please, on behalf of thousands who can not write you in english, to give us a unified voice in california. Please accept the idea to place us together in the senate.

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**Subject:** Redistricting Input from Fullerton

**From:** "Pamela C. Keller" <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 1:21 PM

**To:** <[REDACTED]>

Please see my comments attached.

Thank you!

Pam Keller  
Fullerton, CA

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July 23, 2011

Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Esteemed Commissioners:

My name is Pam Keller and I am a former City Council Member for the City of Fullerton. I live in Fullerton, CA and work in Fullerton, CA.

I respectfully urge the Commission to keep Santa Ana AND the flatlands of Anaheim (west of the 57 fwy, south of the 91 fwy) together when drawing Congressional, State Senate, and State Assembly districts. If other areas are needed to reach the required population counts, please add in other adjacent, similar areas including:

- South Fullerton (south of Chapman Avenue and including Fullerton College)
- East Garden Grove (east of Brookhurst or Euclid Ave. if Brookhurst is not possible)
- Southwest Orange (west of the 55 fwy and including Chapman University)

There are numerous reasons I believe a community of interest would be served by this action. Similarities within the geography of interest, for example, include the following:

- Large sections of Anaheim along with large sections of Fullerton, Buena Park, Cypress, Stanton, Garden Grove, and Orange have 20-80% renter population, similar to those cities, where as the rest of Anaheim (closer to the 91 Freeway), Villa Park, North Tustin have fewer than 20% renters (MALDEF, Orange County Percentage Rented of Occupied Housing Units Map, 2010)
- Santa Ana River Watershed is shared by Santa Ana, Anaheim, Fullerton, and East Garden Grove...
  - Cities need to implement programs to reduce dependence on imported water, increase water use efficiency, water storage, and water use (Presentation by the Bren School of Environmental Science & Management University of California, Santa Barbara, No Date)
- OCTA's Bus #57/47 join Santa Ana, Anaheim, Fullerton, providing transportation to workers and students in these cities to major employment sites: Disneyland, Hotels around the Disneyland area, the Block of Orange, The Angel's Stadium, Santa Ana College, and CSUF.

In short, I am concerned about the first draft Commission maps because Santa Ana and the Anaheim "flats" are not paired in the Assembly, Senate, and Congressional maps despite their many similarities. The Commission's Congressional maps divide Anaheim's traditionally

working class neighborhoods across two districts, instead pairing them with much more affluent areas in our county. In addition, Santa Ana and Anaheim do NOT have strong similarities with Fountain Valley, Westminster, and West Garden Grove yet these areas are linked to Santa Ana in your First Draft Maps. The Commission's State Senate map that includes Santa Ana does NOT include Anaheim, but the "flats" of Anaheim is the only adjacent area that is similar enough to justify pairing with Santa Ana. The Commission's Assembly map that includes Santa Ana includes Northeast Orange – an area that is very different than Santa Ana and has very different representation needs. In addition, the Assembly maps disperse Latino voters from Santa Ana and Anaheim into several districts and, thus, weaken the Latino electorate's voice, opportunity to elect candidates of choice, and ability to hold elected leaders accountable.

Thank you for your consideration of my request.

Sincerely,

Pam Keller

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Todd Stevenson <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 1:47 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**From:** Todd Stevenson <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Anaheim's Platinum Triangle

Message Body:

Please place the Platinum Triangle of Anaheim into a north OC district. The Platinum Triangle is a district of Anaheim surrounding the city's two major sports venues, the Honda Center and Angel Stadium of Anaheim. This triangle offers mixed use urban living with easy access to dining, shopping, and entertainment. It is a premier orange county downtown district that directly competes with Santa Ana's downtown district. Both cities are the largest in Orange County and often battle for resources and representation. It is in BOTH cities interest to be seperated and left whole for all the residence of those respected cities. These two opposing downtown districts supply jobs, and are vital to our cities struggling economies and each repsective cities health. Please respect the needs of ALL of the citizens of anaheim and santa ana and give them unified and whole voices in the state senate.

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**From:** Kelly Gates <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 2:10 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**From:** Kelly Gates <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Huntington Beach

Message Body:

PLEASE DO NOT DIVIDE HUNTINGTON BEACH!!!!

I live in North Huntington Beach (92647) and I am concerned that the Commission is actually considering dividing Huntington Beach into North/South such that North HB will not be considered part of the "coastal" district.

Huntington Beach IS COASTAL. In addition, I understand that the proposed "coastal" district (including the proposed "south" HB) will include Costa Mesa ?!?!?!? This makes no sense and as a resident of "north HB" I am concerned and a bit put off that the Commission would think its in the best interest of northern HB residence to be represented by an Assemblyperson who is from Garden Grove or some other non-coastal area.

It makes no sense to carve up a coastal city—Surf City, for that matter!—to force a NON-coastal city into the district. The former proposal of Costa Mesa (undivided) in the West OC district, and HB (undivided) in the coastal was perfect.

PLEASE leave HB whole (to be represented by one Assemblyperson) and not include Costa Mesa in the coastal seat at the expense of dividing a major city (HB).

Thank you,

Kelly Gates  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Michael Gates <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 2:13 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

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Subject: Dividing Huntington Beach

Message Body:

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Please leave HB whole and part of "coastal" district.

Put Costa Mesa back in HB's neighboring district.

Thank you,

Michael Gates  
[REDACTED]

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**Subject:** To: Commissioners; Re: SENATE District in OC

**From:** Zeke Hernandez <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 2:18 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] Lonn Leitch <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED]

## *League of United Latin American Citizens*

### **Santa Ana LULAC Council #147**

Established: National - 1929 | Santa Ana - 1946

*Orange County LULAC District #1*

[REDACTED] Santa Ana, CA 92702-1810

July 22, 2011

RE: DISTRICT BOUNDARIES

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[REDACTED], Santa Ana, CA 92702  
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**Subject:** Redistricting

**From:** "Verna J." [REDACTED]

**Date:** 7/23/2011 2:36 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

This is to let you know I am **against** your efforts at redistricting the Central OC Senate District area of Santa Ana, Anaheim, Stanton, Buena Park, east Garden Grove, and south Fullerton.

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Stephanie and Derek Olin <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 3:08 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Stephanie and Derek Olin <[REDACTED]>

Subject: redistricting of Huntington Beach

Message Body:

Our household is vehemently opposed to having Huntington Beach  
redistrict...NO!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! NO!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!NO!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Sincerely,

Derek and Stephanie Olin

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JUL 23 2011

July 15, 2011

Per \_\_\_\_\_

Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Ste. 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Commission Members:

As a resident in the City of La Habra, located in Orange County, I am strongly opposed to the Commission's plans to place La Habra in Senate and Assembly Districts comprised solely of Los Angeles County cities. La Habra does not share with Los Angeles County communities the same community identity, history, characteristics and relationships, which directly correlate to our vision for the future of La Habra. Rather, is more closely aligned with north Orange County cities, which rely on Orange County-based educational institutions, the Orange County Transportation Authority, the Municipal Water District of Orange County and many other organizations.

Specifically, the City of La Habra should be placed in the DB-YL (Diamond Bar-Yorba Linda) Senate District and either the DBRYL (Diamond Bar Yorba Linda) or ANAFULL (Anaheim Fullerton) Assembly District. The present map visualizations place La Habra in the Los Angeles-Covina Senate District and the Whittier-Norwalk Assembly District. To be the only Orange County city in districts with all Los Angeles County cities is unacceptable as it will compromise La Habra's representation in public affairs at the State Legislative level.

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I urge you to reconsider the placement of La Habra in the proposed district and realign the City with its other north Orange County communities of interest.

Sincerely,

T. S. Stewart

[Redacted]

La Habra, California 90631

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DATE: July 14, 2011

JUL 23 2011

Per \_\_\_\_\_

Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Ste. 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

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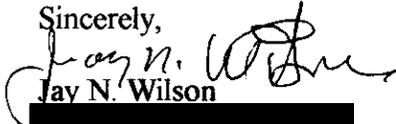
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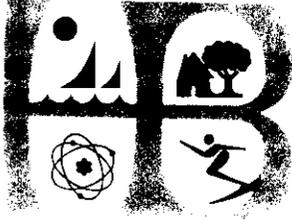
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Sincerely,

  
Jay N. Wilson[REDACTED]  
La Habra, CA. 90631



# City of Huntington Beach



CALIFORNIA 92648

Devin Dwyer  
City Council Member

July 20, 2011

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Per \_\_\_\_\_

The Honorable Gabino Aguirre  
Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Commissioner Aguirre:

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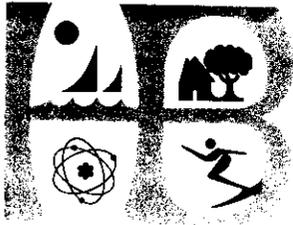
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Sincerely,

Devin Dwyer  
City Council Member





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Devin Dwyer  
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The Honorable Angelo Ancheta  
Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Commissioner Ancheta:

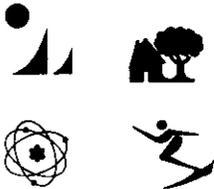
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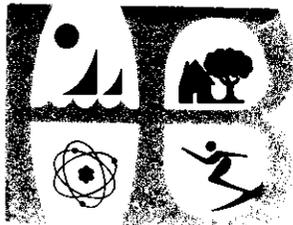
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Devin Dwyer  
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The Honorable Michelle R. DiGuilio  
Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

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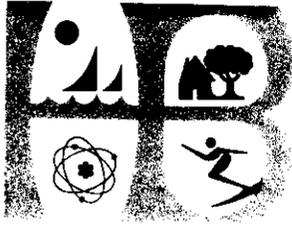
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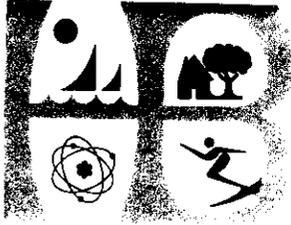
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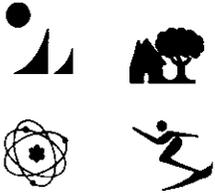
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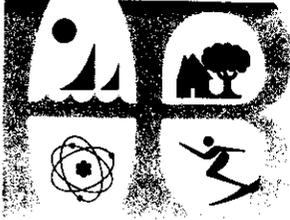
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As you move forward with final modifications to these district lines, please continue to respect these longstanding communities of interest.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Devin Dwyer  
City Council Member



# City of Huntington Beach

CALIFORNIA 92648

Devin Dwyer  
City Council Member

July 20, 2011

The Honorable Vincent P. Barabba  
Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Commissioner Barabba:

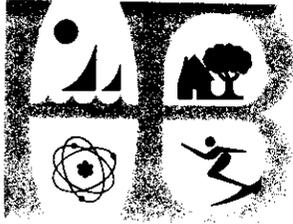
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# City of Huntington Beach

CALIFORNIA 92648

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July 20, 2011

The Honorable Cynthia Dai  
Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Commissioner Dai:

I'm a longtime Huntington Beach resident and I support the latest Southern California Congress map that places Huntington Beach with the coast and with Fountain Valley and Costa Mesa, not with Irvine or Long Beach.

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Thank you for your consideration.

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City Council Member

**Subject:** redistricting

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Date:** 7/23/2011 12:09 AM

**To:** [REDACTED]

The choice that puts Irvine with communities with common issues is the best because having a common representative to speak for us on these issues will help us attack problems such as transit . (For example Seal Beach belongs elsewhere - nothing in common with Irvine.)

Thank you for your hard work.

Carol Liittschwager

[REDACTED] Irvine, 92603

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** aurora esquivel <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 3:10 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: aurora esquivel <[REDACTED]>

Subject: redistricting

Message Body:

These redistricting efforts are outrageous and should not be allowed to take place. We need to protect our citizens and their votes in future elections. This is simply a political ploy that should not be allowed to happen.

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This mail is sent via contact form on Citizens Redistricting Commission

**Subject:** the latest Orange County congressional map

**From:** "gb" <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 4:43 PM

**To:** <[REDACTED]>

**CC:** <[REDACTED]> <[REDACTED]> <[REDACTED]>

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Dear Commissioners,

We support the latest Orange County congressional map that links Costa Mesa with Fountain Valley, Huntington Beach and Newport Beach, not Irvine. We do not have a similar community of interest with Irvine.

It is a master planned inland city that has much more in common with places like Lake Forest, Mission Viejo and Tustin, than it does with our city. Thank you for keeping these communities of interest together. Please do not make any changes that would disrupt the community of interest that you have respected with our neighboring cities that are included in the most recent social congress map.

Sincerely,  
Greg Baker

[REDACTED]  
Costa mesa, ca. 92626

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Alexis alden <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 5:44 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Alexis alden <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Keep HB together

Message Body:

This is urging assemblyman nd congressman NoT to redistrict Huntington beach and redwar the lines. This would affect our home Values and also interfere with our voting.

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Jorge Torres <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 6:43 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Jorge Torres <[REDACTED]>

Subject: 34th Senate District

Message Body:

I appreciate your efforts to keep all of Santa Ana & the Flatland's of Anaheim together. Furthermore, it would be important to please keep Santa Ana, Anaheim, Stanton, Buena Park and East Garden Grove, south Fullerton together.

CONGRESSIONAL MAP:

(RECOMMENDATION) LESS of the city of Orange (make Main St the boundary) and ADD more of Garden Grove up to Euclid St AND southern Fullerton up to Chapman Ave. These areas have more in common with the working class immigrant communities of Santa Ana and Anaheim.

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\* Your current visuals putting Santa Ana with part of Huntington Beach and Seal Beach are terrible and we do not share a community of interest with those two cities.

Jorge Torres

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**Subject:** Redistricting in Orange County

**From:** Marcia Morrell <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 6:57 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**CC:** [REDACTED]

Dear Commissioners,

I want to thank you for your hard work and your countless hours you have spent trying to get the Congressional district boundaries in Orange County just right. You are on the right track! Thank you for keeping communities of interest together. I support your congressional map configuration that puts Huntington Beach with Newport Beach, Costa Mesa, Fountain Valley and other coastal cities.

Please keep Huntington Beach where it is in your current congressional map, please keep us together with like communities of interest that care about beach and coastal protection.

Sincerely,

Marcia Morrell

[REDACTED]  
Huntington Beach, CA 92646

**Subject:** Redistricting Orange County

**From:** Marcia Morrell <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 7:00 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**CC:** [REDACTED]

Dear Commissioners,

We support the latest Orange County congressional map that reunites Huntington Beach with Fountain Valley and the Little Saigon community of interest, while still keeping us with Newport Beach and Costa Mesa. All of these cities share a community of interest that has shaped the cultural fabric of coastal and west Orange County. Thank you for respecting this and not lumping us in a district with Irvine, a master planned community that has different interests from us. Please do not make any changes that would split up Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley, Costa Mesa and Newport, as you finalize the congressional district lines.

Sincerely,

Frank Morrell

[REDACTED]

Huntington Beach, CA 92646

**Subject:** Redistricting

**From:** "Glorria Morrison" <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 7:02 PM

**To:** <[REDACTED]>

I would like to thank you for your service to our state and the long hours you have put into this process of a fair redistricting. You are definitely on the right track with the congressional map.

As a resident of the City of Fountain Valley, I ask that you please do not change the congressional maps. I support keeping Fountain Valley with our like-minded neighbors in Costa Mesa and Huntington Beach for the following reasons:

1. Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley and Westminster share the Huntington Beach Union High School District.
2. Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley, Westminster, Costa Mesa and Newport Beach share the Coast Community College District
3. Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley and Westminster are in the same OC Fire Mutual Aid Region
4. Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley and Westminster are in the same OC Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Region
5. Huntington Beach and Fountain Valley Fire Departments operate almost as one Fire Department and have taken down city boundaries and respond to each other's emergency calls.
6. Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley, Westminster, Costa Mesa and Newport Beach are all in the Orange County Operational Area for emergency response planning and response.
7. These 5 cities do terrorism planning together
8. When a disaster strikes, Orange County cities are required to work together in the recovery operations with Cal EMA and FEMA.

It is important that our city be politically attached to areas that we have much in common with. We have absolutely nothing in common with Long Beach or Irvine.

Thanks for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Glorria Morrison

[REDACTED]

Fountain Valley, CA 92708

Retired Emergency Manager, City of Huntington Beach

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**Subject:** Redistricting

**From:** "Glorria Morrison" <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 7:10 PM

**To:** <[REDACTED]>

I would like to thank you for your service to our state and the long hours you have put into this process of a fair redistricting. You are definitely on the right track with the congressional map.

**WE SUPPORT HAVING FOUNTAIN VALLEY INCLUDED IN THE ORANGE COUNTY DISTRICT WITH THE CITIES OF HUNTINGTON BEACH, WESTMINSTER, COSTA MESA AND NEWPORT BEACH. THESE ARE THE CITIES WE HAVE THE MOST IN COMMON WITH.**

As a resident of the City of Fountain Valley, I ask that you please do not change the congressional maps. I support keeping Fountain Valley with our like-minded neighbors in Huntington Beach, Westminster, Costa Mesa and Newport Beach for the following reasons:

1. Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley and Westminster students all attend the Huntington Beach Union High School District.
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7. These 5 cities do terrorism planning together
8. When a disaster strikes, Orange County cities are required to work together (State Law) in the recovery operations with Cal EMA and FEMA. We will need our elected representative to support our recovery operations by dealing with State and Federal agencies on our behalf.

It is important that our city be politically attached to areas that we have much in common with. We have absolutely nothing in common with Long Beach.

Thanks for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Lloyd and Glorria Morrison

[REDACTED]

Fountain Valley, CA 92708

Retired Emergency Manager, City of Huntington Beach

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**Subject:** Please keep these communities together

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Date:** 7/23/2011 8:01 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

I am writing to strongly urge you to keep the communities of Santa Ana, Anaheim, Stanton, Buena Park, East Garden Grove, and South Fullerton together. As a Santa Ana resident, and as somebody who knows many residents of the other cities and communities I mentioned, I believe the best thing for these communities is to keep them in the same district. Thank you.

Carl Weibel  
Santa Ana, CA



**Subject:** last minute fix submitted by United Latinos Vote

**From:** "Robert J. Apodaca" <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 12:18 AM

**To:** CRC <[REDACTED]>

I wish I could call you. Your deliberation on Orange County Senate Districts is so very important to the success or failure of your effort. All you have discussed would be solved by Santa Ana, West Anaheim, Garden Grove, Westminster and Stanton. Everything south and west goes with coastal district; Tustin, Orange and Anaheim Hills go into Fullerton District. No City splits except the clean split of Anaheim. All the COI's together.

Robert J. Apodaca  
United Latinos Vote

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Robert J. Apodaca

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**Subject:** REDSTRUCTING

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Date:** 7/23/2011 9:48 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**CC:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioners:

Thank you for all you've done to help with a citizens'-led effort toward our redistricting process. As a Fountain Valley resident I am pleased by the changes you made with my city's placement in the congressional district. As a longtime resident of this city, I strongly feel that Fountain Valley's sister cities Costa Mesa and Huntington Beach are integral to our city's community of interest. While we share a bond with Little Saigon, we are not a central Orange County city. We feel more of a cultural bond with the coastal cities of Orange County. So I am glad to see you tied both Little Saigon and coastal Orange County into one Congressional district because Fountain Valley lies between them and has a strong affinity toward both.

As you finalize the Congressional districts tomorrow I hope you keep this in mind and keep these communities of interest intact.

Thank you and all the Best,

Peggy Kane

[REDACTED]

Fountain Valley

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Megan Aguirre <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 9:55 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Megan Aguirre <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Do not split up Huntington Beach

Message Body:

Please do not change Huntington Beach's borders! Please leave Huntington Beach the beautiful city it is!!

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Janet Nguyen <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 11:18 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Janet Nguyen <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Little Saigon

Message Body:

Dear Commissioners,

Please support Commissioner Ward or Option 2 to protect the community of interest of the Vietnamese American community in Orange County.

Orange County has the largest residents of Vietnamese outside of Vietnam. The recent census has also shown an increase in the Vietnamese Americans in Orange County.

By supporting Commissioner Ward or Option 2, you will protect the Vietnamese American community of interest and give them a voice in the State Senate.

Respectfully,

JANET NGUYEN

Supervisor, First District

Orange County Board of Supervisors

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Dear Commissioners,

I support the latest Orange County congressional map that links Costa Mesa with Fountain Valley, Huntington Beach and Newport Beach.

I do not believe that Costa Mesa should be linked with Irvine. We do not have a similar community of interest. Irvine is a master planned city that has much more in common with places like Lake Forest, Mission Viejo and Tustin.

Thank you for keeping Costa Mesa, Fountain Valley, Huntington Beach and Newport Beach together. Please do not make any changes to the most recent Southern California congress map.

Sincerely,

Gilbert Friese

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Costa Mesa, CA 92626



# CITY OF FOUNTAIN VALLEY

CITY HALL [REDACTED] FOUNTAIN VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 92708

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July 21, 2011

**Mayor:**  
Steve A. Nagel

**Mayor Pro Tem:**  
John J. Collins

**Council Members:**  
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Michael Vo  
Larry R. Crandall

**City Manager:**  
Raymond H. Kromer

**City Attorney:**  
Alan R. Burns

Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154-A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**RE: Redistricting/Public Input Hearings**

To whom it may concern:

Regarding the Citizens Redistricting Commission hearings and proposed Congressional Redistricting Maps, I would like to state as a resident of Fountain Valley, that our city -Fountain Valley-does not share a "Community of Interest" with the City of Irvine.

We do however share a "Community of Interest" with the Cities of with Huntington Beach and Costa Mesa for the following reasons:

- 1.) We share the same Orange County Sanitation District with Huntington Beach.
- 2.) We share many of the same School Districts with Huntington Beach.
- 3.) We share many of the same Cultural and Community Service Clubs (Rotary, Kiwanis, etc.) with Huntington Beach.
- 4.) We share many of the same sports leagues and teams with Huntington Beach.
- 5.) Shopping (more likely to shop in Westminster and Huntington Beach Malls and South Coast Plaza in Costa Mesa than shopping in Irvine).

For this reason we ask that we are included in upcoming redistricting maps with the Cities of Cities of with Huntington Beach, Westminster and Costa Mesa.

Please do not include our city with Irvine.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Mark McCurdy  
Fountain Valley City Council

REGION 3 : ORANGE



City of Brea

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Citizens Redistricting Commission  
901 P Street, Suite 154-A  
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**Subject: Board of Equalization District Lines for the City of Brea and Orange County**

Dear Citizen Redistricting Commissioners,

The City of Brea encourages the Citizen Redistricting Commission to protect Orange County's unique business needs by supporting the first draft of the maps for the Board of Equalization (BOE), which ensures that Orange County remains with San Diego County in any future BOE District.

Under the current visualization, Orange County is combined with Los Angeles County. The City opposes this proposal for two reasons. First, San Diego and Orange County have traditionally been together in the same BOE seat. Small business owners in Brea and around the County are already familiar with the staff in this district office, and, in turn, BOE district staff members understand the region's business interests. Second, adjustments could be made to the current Los Angeles District, removing Orange County and extending the LA District to other areas of Los Angeles; thus, promoting each region's unique interests by providing clear and fair representation.

Thank you for your consideration of these comments.

Sincerely,

Tim O'Donnell  
City Manager

City Council

Roy Moore  
Mayor

Don Schweitzer  
Mayor Pro Tem

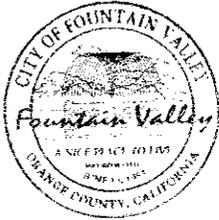
Ron Garcia  
Council Member

Brett Murdock  
Council Member

Marty Simonoff  
Council Member

Civic & Cultural Center

Brea, California 92821-5732



# CITY OF FOUNTAIN VALLEY

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July 21, 2011

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**RE: Redistricting/Public Input Hearings**

To whom it may concern:

As a member of the Fountain Valley City Council and longtime Fountain Valley resident, I am pleased that the latest congressional map visualizations put Fountain Valley with Huntington Beach and Costa Mesa and not linking us with Santa Ana, while still keeping the Little Saigon community of interest intact with Fountain Valley.

Thank you for respecting these vital communities of interest. Please don't make any changes that would disrupt these communities of interest.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Mark McCurdy  
Fountain Valley City Council

From: **Steve** <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Fri, Jul 22, 2011 at 8:44 PM  
Subject: FW: Support for current redistricting map  
To: [REDACTED]

I am a resident of Irvine and support the current social congress map. Previous maps wrongly placed Irvine with the coast. Thank you for respecting longstanding south county communities of interest: Irvine belongs with south county cities like Tustin, Lake Forest and Mission Viejo, not coastal cities like Huntington Beach, Newport Beach and Seal Beach.

Irvine and Tustin naturally interact because of the traffic ease on Jamboree and neighboring geography versus the traffic difficulties between Irvine and Newport. We have nothing in common with coastal areas like Huntington Beach and Newport Beach. Both of those cities strongly supported an airport at El Toro, which was not in the best interest of Irvine residents. Please continue to keep Irvine in a district of like-minded south county cities like Tustin, Mission Viejo and Lake Forest, not Huntington Beach, Newport Beach or any part of coastal OC.

*Steve Reynolds*

[REDACTED]

*Irvine, CA*



**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Gerry Schmidt <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 10:17 AM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Gerry Schmidt <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Anaheim WHOLE

Message Body:

Please keep anaheim whole! I have a family of 3 the youngest of which is 16. 38 years we've been in Anaheim and at no point have we ever been called the 'flatlands'. I have read this in the paper and heard it in your deliberations. Anaheim is the hub of Orange County. In size and populations it rules orange county. A minority section of Anaheim flows into some hills shared with yorba linda, orange, corona, placentia and chino hills. This is not a mountain range. Anaheim is not 2 cities divided. We all share and pay tax for fire, police and a battered public school system. We have unique transportation issues and that affect the city, not just half of it. Please do not miss seeing the city through the hills. KEEP ANAHEIM WHOLE whenever possible. Thank you for your hard work.

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** ANGELINA MADRID <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 12:00 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: ANGELINA MADRID <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Senate Maps: OC

Message Body:

I appreciate your efforts to keep all of Santa Ana & the Flatland's of Anaheim together. Furthermore, it would be important to please keep Santa Ana, Anaheim, Stanton, Buena Park and East Garden Grove, south Fullerton together.

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME.

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**Subject:** Proposed July 14th Map

**From:** Reyna Lopez <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 12:33 PM

**To:** "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>

My name is Reyna Lopez and I am a Santa Ana resident that was just notified that the Map that was proposed on July 14th now has been changed.

Now in the current proposal Santa Ana has been added in the map with Huntington and Seal Beach. This is a TERRIBLE IDEA. The map that was proposed on July 14th had Santa Ana where it belongs, with the rest of Orange County which we are an important part of. That map should be kept.

I live on the North side of Flower and am a involved member of my community, and involve myself with the movements in my city. Please do our residents the service and keep the proposed July 14th map, that is where Santa Ana belongs after all.

Thank you for your effort and service;

Reyna R. Lopez

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** leland wilson <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 12:48 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: leland wilson <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Anaheim and fullerton whole

Message Body:

As a life long Fullertonian Im proud of our historical role in the founding of Orange County . I've served on many commissions(local&regional), co-founded the Jobs Development Council and served as mayor and councilmember. As co-owner of a hair salon with my mother(Magdalena Masciel) and a realtor since I was 18 I am keenly aware and concerned with the needs and issues that face us because housing is a major foundation to every community. So, I always want the best for every city.

It is my belief that Anaheim shares a unique and similar role and history with Fullerton and North Orange County .

We are connected by an agricultural past. Our cities developed and grew at similar times together. Our residents migrated from the older homes in the flat lands to the hills of North Orange County . The evidence is the similar pattern in the age of the housing stock.

Our hill areas contain everything from apts/condos to mansions that house residents from our work force to business owners.

The Tourism in Anaheim directly correlates to Fullerton 's historical downtown. Anaheim 's Tourists and residents LOVE OUR downtown because Anaheim unfortunately razed their downtown. Also, we share the 91FWY corridor of warehouses and industry whose business owners and employees primarily come from Fullerton and Anaheim . This has created a close bond between city governments.

Fullerton's public safety departments already collaborate together with Anaheim and we are also working on a plan to actually merge some of activities within our public safety services.

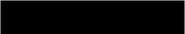
Garden Grove, Cypress , Stanton and Westminster developed together as exhibited by the similar age of their housing stock built mostly in the late 60's and 70's.

I encourage you to keep these cities together as I've described.

Sincerely,

Leland C Wilson  
Prudential CA Realty/ Southern Cal Funding

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Fax

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Benny Diaz <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** 7/23/2011 1:00 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Benny Diaz <[REDACTED]>

Subject: GARDEN GROVE

Message Body:

In the 34th Senatorial District why did we need to include Seal Beach. Please Commissioners, keep keep Santa Ana, Anaheim, Stanton, Buena Park and, east Garden Grove, south Fullerton together.

Thank You,

Benny Diaz, State Director  
California LULAC

[REDACTED]  
Garden Grove, CA 92840  
[REDACTED]

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