

Subject: gerrymandering

From: Garold Sessions <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 20:00:29 -0700 (PDT)

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

Dear Redistricting Committee,

In view of your commission to establish new congressional and state legislative district boundaries for the upcoming 2012 election and your pledge to establish these new districts so as to create new boundaries that are fair and competitive and do not belong to any one party, we strongly suggest that the following actions be taken:

- * Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional and Assembly District.
- * The South Bay should be Westchester South, only.
- * El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district.

We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together; this is very important to us. It is not about party, ideology or agenda. It is about us and our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

We thank you for your support. Please put an end to this improper gerrymandering practice by acting now.

Sincerely,

Garold and Pauline Sessions

[REDACTED]
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266
[REDACTED]

Subject: No redistricting -- No gerrymandering

From: Linal Harada <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 10:27:13 -0700 (PDT)

To: [REDACTED]

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district.

This is our community. Our personal lives, business interests, economic activity and everything else are intertwined with our neighbors and our community.

Shame on you for this shady proposal!

Linal (Harada) Miller

[REDACTED]

Torrance, CA 90502

Subject: Re: boundaries

From: Pauline <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 12:03:38 -0700

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

To whom it may concern:

Please don't change boundaries randomly, no need for so doing.

Please put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District) and the South Bay should be Westchester south only.

Also, El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district.

Thank you for your attention.

Pauline Maxwell

Subject: Redistricting

From: Gena LaRee <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 09:03:24 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

To whom it may concern:

It has been brought to my attention district lines are being redrawn. My voting voice can only be heard if the lines are fairly drawn and those who stand with me on the issues can vote together. Our communities must be permitted to stand together.

In light of this, I am requesting that Torrance be added back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District). The South Bay should be Westchester and south of that only. The cities that share commonality and should be together are: El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,
Gena Gauthier

Subject: redistricting

From: "Jean" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 10:13:28 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

I disagree with the redistricting you have proposed. Torrance should be in the 36th district and South Bay should be Westchester south only.

Respectfully, Marcia Buchanan

Subject: Redistricting

From: teal s <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 12:21:07 -0700 (PDT)

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

Redistricting was supposed to alleviate the politics. I live in Gardena and am tired of all of the "poor" communities being lumped together to form a district.

The suggested boundaries do not represent the interests of the South Bay of which Gardena is a part of. Last I check Torrance was quite a large community in the South Bay so why is it getting bypassed as the lines are being drawn from San Pedro/Palos Verdes Peninsula continuing through other Beach Cities and finally taking a long, meandering trip up to the northern part of LA County.

This is insanity. It makes no sense. And it puts the districts back in the hands of career politicians. Frankly, this will be one of the worst gerrymandered districts in the state!

The suggested boundaries do not represent the interests of the South Bay. It looks strikingly similar to the often-ridiculed CA-23. We voted for this Commission to create lines that make sense, not ones that divide our community.

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

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Teal Spivey

Subject: Redistricting

From: Gayle Barney <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 12:38:37 -0700 (PDT)

To: [REDACTED]

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly Distict)
- The South Bay should be Westchester South only

Gayle Barney

[REDACTED]
Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274

Subject: Redistricting

From: [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:53:55 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

Hello,

I am requesting that keep the South Bay together by putting Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District). The South Bay should be Westchester south only. El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district. I strongly oppose to this gerrymandering. This is very important to me. I would like to have a representative who lives in my community who can represent me.

Sincerely,
Donna Takaki

[REDACTED]

Subject: Redistricting

From: "Arthur Smith" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 22:39:41 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

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Please consider the above in any plans to change district lines.

thank You

Arthur/ Odette Smith

RPV, Ca

Subject: South Bay District
From: Tom Patton [REDACTED]
Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 09:36:24 -0700 (PDT)
To: [REDACTED]

Redistricting Commission,

In the proposal you are presenting for redistricting we are asking you to put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District), The South Bay should be Westchester south only!

El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district.

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We are strongly opposed to what you are proposing (gerrymandering) and want a district with commonality.

We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together. This is very important to us. It's not about party or ideology. It's about our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

Thomas & Kathleen Patton

[REDACTED]

Torrance, Ca. 90503

Subject: 36th Congressional District and Assembly District:

From: Steve Wolcott <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 08:11:06 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

Redistricting Commission,

Please,

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

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This is our community. Our personal lives, business interests, economic activity and everything else are intertwined with our neighbors and our community.

The Commission is waiting for public comment. Let's tell them exactly what we think. Let them know that you are strongly opposed to this gerrymandering and want a district with commonality.

We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together. This is very important to us. It's not about party or ideology. It's about our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

Yours truly,

Steve Wolcott

[REDACTED], Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

Subject: DISTRICT 36

From: Anita P <[REDACTED]>

Date: Thu, 21 Jul 2011 15:54:08 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

To whom it may concern (Redistricting committee):

As a resident of the southbay, District 36, I am asking for the following, as you consider redrawing communities lines.

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district.

This is our community. Our personal lives, business interests, economic activity and everything else are intertwined with our neighbors and our community and schools.

I understand it is possible to ask what is important to us as a community. I am strongly opposed to this gerrymandering and want a district with commonality.

We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together. This is very important to us. It's not about party. It's about our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

Thank you for your support. I consider this improper. The community is defined as those that shop and go to school in the area, therefore re-drawing lines and separating me from my neighbors should not happen.

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Anita Pattillo,

Real Estate Broker

Merchant Banker

Credit Repair Consultant



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"Protecting Our Children"

Subject: Thank you for your support. Let's put an end to this improper gerrymandering practice by acting now.

From: Patricia <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 08:23:16 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

Redistricting Commission:

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The Commission is waiting for public comment. Let's tell them exactly what we think. Let them know that you are strongly opposed to this gerrymandering and want a district with commonality.

We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together. This is very important to us. **It's not about party or ideology.** It's about our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

Thank you for your support. Let's put an end to this improper gerrymandering practice by acting now.

Subject: 36th district and redistricting

From: Rod & Lori Garcia <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 12:57:18 -0700 (PDT)

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

To whom this may concern:

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. We strongly oppose this gerrymandering and want a district with commonality.

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Love, Health & Joy Always,
Rod & Lori Garcia
Harbor Christian Center
Couples Ministries

From: Joyce Randolph [REDACTED]

Date: Thu, 21 Jul 2011 14:43:07 -0700 (PDT)

To: [REDACTED]

CC: [REDACTED]

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district.

This is our community. Our personal lives, business interests, economic activity and everything else are intertwined with our neighbors and our community. Thank you. Please stop playing politics and do the "right" thing.

Joyce Randolph
PVE

Subject: 36th District in the South Bay area (& proposed new boundaries)

From: "Nancy Madden" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 04:54:14 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

Dear Redistricting Commission,

I am writing you as a concerned voter with regards to the following request (You have asked for our for public comment).

I are strongly opposed to gerrymandering that has been proposed--I want a district with commonality:

- **Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)**
- **The South Bay should be Westchester south only**
- **El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district.**

This is our community. Our personal lives, business interests, economic activity and everything else are intertwined with our neighbors and our community. We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together. This is very important to us. It's not about party or ideology. It's about our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

Best Regards,

Daniel Madden

[REDACTED]
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

Subject: 36th District

From: "Janell Hopper" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 14:51:23 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

Redistricting Commission:

I have just learned of the new proposed boundries of the 36th district, and I am quite shocked. It was my belief that the purpose of your commission was to minimize the unfair and political practices of gerrymandering our districts but rather create districts that are fair, competitive and reflect the the constituents in that district. Your current proposal to create a beach district and divide the South Bay is unacceptable. I am asking you to put Torrance back in the 36th district. The South Bay should be Westchester and south only. We deserve accurate representation.

Respectfully,
Janell Hopper

Subject:

From: "Marie" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 07:12:52 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

Gentle people,

Please do what you were selected to do: draw fair and just districts; don't fool around. Here is what you have to do:

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

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Marie Martinelli

Subject: District 36

From: Donna Carrico <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 20:25:06 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

Please put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional and Assembly District. The South Bay should consist of Westchester south only. These districts should represent communities, not meander all over the place.

Thank you,

--

Donna Carrico (06fmt)

Registered Rep, WGS Inc.

Investment Advisor Representative, IAI

[REDACTED]
Torrance, Ca 90248

[REDACTED] Torrance Branch Office

[REDACTED] Torrance Branch Fax

[REDACTED] (Best way to reach)

Subject: District 36

From: karen yoder <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 21:47:45 -0700 (PDT)

To: [REDACTED]

Please put Torrance back into District 36. Also, district 36 should be cities that are south of Westchester. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Karen Yoder
Redondo Beach

Subject: Gerrymandering

From: Migdalia Roehl <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 09:22:22 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Redistricting Commission:

I heard about the new proposed boundaries. As Torrance citizen and a faithful voter, I'll tell you what I think. El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district. This is our community. Our personal lives, business interests, economic activity and everything else are intertwined with our neighbors and our community. So would you please:

- Put Torrance back in the 36th Congressional District (and Assembly District)
- The South Bay should be Westchester south only

I am strongly opposed to this gerrymandering and I want a district with commonality. We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together. This is very important to us. It's not about party or ideology. It's about our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

Please put an end to this improper gerrymandering practice now.

Sincerely yours,

Migdalia Roehl

[REDACTED]
Torrance CA 90501

Subject: gerrymandering

From: Migdalia Roehl <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 09:22:26 -0700

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Redistricting Commission:

I heard about the new proposed boundaries. As Torrance citizen and a faithful voter, I tell you what I think. El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Hawthorne, and Gardena belong in the same district. This is our community. Our personal lives, business interests, economic activity and everything else are intertwined with our neighbors and our community.

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I am strongly opposed to this gerrymandering and I want a district with commonality. We in the South Bay ask that you keep us together. This is very important to us. It's not about party or ideology. It's about our neighbors and having a representative who lives in our community and can actually represent us.

Please put an end to this improper gerrymandering practice now.

Migdalia Roehl

[REDACTED]
Torrance CA 90501