

**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Marin

**From:** Bess Niemcewicz <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Tue, 2 Aug 2011 03:32:12 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Bess Niemcewicz <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Final Draft - Redistricting

Message Body:

One word covers it all - BIZARRE!

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Marin

**From:** Robert Sedor <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Mon, 1 Aug 2011 23:58:33 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Robert Sedor <[REDACTED]>

Subject: 6th congressional district makes no sense

Message Body:

One of the charges of the commission was to place communities with similar interests in the same district. Marin County has much more in common with Sonoma county than communities hundreds of miles away in Humboldt or Del Norte counties. Please reconsider the ill-advised boundaries for the 6th Congressional.

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Marin

**From:** Nikki Tureen <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Mon, 1 Aug 2011 23:45:30 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Nikki Tureen <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Strong objection to the redrawn district

Message Body:

Your plan to center this district on the coast throws together areas without any commonality on the basis of one simplistic idea. I live in San Rafael, a diverse urban community. I have much more in common with my neighbors in Santa Rosa and San Francisco, especially around issues of health care delivery, public safety, immigration, transportation, education, environment, etc., than with a resident of rural Trinity, Del Norte or Humboldt. No single representative is humanly capable of competently and responsibly representing what you're proposing - essentially a microcosm of the entire state of California contained in one district. This cockeyed district configuration may seem elegant in the abstract but in the real world, it will leave most of us citizens terribly and unfairly underserved in Congress.

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