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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, December 13, 2010 5:54 PM
To: Voters First Act
Subject: Re: Gina Simas, candidate for CA Citizens' Redistricting Commission

Dear Sirs,

My name is Zofia Luksic and I am a long time resident of Santa Monica, CA. I would like you to reconsider your current recommendations by putting Ms. Simas back on the slate for one of the remaining positions on the CA Citizens' Redistricting Commission.

I have known Ms. Simas for approximately 2.5 years. We met while I was volunteering for a national Japanese Chin dog rescue after she placed an application to adopt one of the dogs. After meeting with her personally and doing reference checks, I felt she was a great candidate to adopt and she did adopt an older dog who couldn't have gone to a more diligent, caring owner. Since then, not only has she become someone to whom I can go when help is needed with a rescue dog, but she has also become a friend to whom I can turn for advice and know I will get a straight-forward, impartial opinion.

Over the last years, I have found Ms. Simas to be an active, committed member of the Santa Monica community. Everything she does, she does with gusto and gives her all. She is highly intelligent, grasps situations quickly, offers solutions and follows through on all her commitments. She interacts well with people from a wide variety of backgrounds and I believe would show the impartiality that is so important for a position on this Commission.

I think Ms. Simas would be a wonderful asset to the Commission being formed and hope you will reconsider by keeping her as one of the candidates still in the running.

Thank you for your time.

12/14/2010

Sincerely,
Zofia Luksic
So. CA Japanese Chin Rescue