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Citizens Redistricting Commission

Juniper Hills is a rural community in the foothills along the north slope of the San Gabriel Mountains. We have about 400 homes with a population of around 700. The new census will give us a better indication. The Angeles National Forest is our "backyard." We are bounded by the recently established Pleasant View Ridge Wilderness to the south.

The nearest communities to the south are Monrovia, Duarte, and Glendora; which are about 23 miles "as the crow flies" through the Angeles National Forest. One would have to drive 85 miles from our community to the see Senator Bob Huff of the 29th District, who represents 25% of our community. (If the Station Fire had not destroyed the Angeles Crest Highway, the route would still be 65 miles.)

As a "Community of Interest," the Juniper Hills Town Council is requesting that the Redistricting Committee consider a revising our southern boundary line using the Angeles Crest Highway (Hwy 2), which is about half way between the two communities. This will provide a more even representation for our community.

We are not the only community affected by the boundary for the 29th, so if you make the change we have requested, please look at Wrightwood and ask them what the best boundary would be for them, as Hwy 2 goes separates part of their community.

We have included a map of Juniper Hills, which can also be found on our Community web site, www.juniperhills-ca.org.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this important matter.

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