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The Ventura County Taxpayers Association strongly supports the mapping criteria established in the Voters First Act and encourages the commission to give strong consideration to the idea of a Ventura County centric Senate district and the 2 associated Assembly districts. Ventura County's population is very close to the size of a Senate district. Centering the Senatorial District on the county would meet the established mapping criteria that the districts be geographically contiguous, maximize the criteria that the integrity of any city, county, city and county, neighborhood shall be respected, and meet the criteria of geographic compactness. It is recognized that there will be some need for extending across boundaries but a senate district as described will be an optimum solution for this area and create the best possible means for effective representation of its residents.

Respectfully -

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