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Citizens Redistricting Commission

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Dear Redistricting Commission:

I have lived in Cypress almost all of my life. Cypress is a small city next to Los Alamitos Race Track. It borders Anaheim, Bona Park, La Palma, Hawaiian Gardens and Los Alamitos. It is an area that we Orange County residents call North Orange County.

I live in the 40th district of California. For the last 30 years this district has been a safe seat for Republican Candidates. This district is clearly gerrymandered. I am a democrat; I have been one all my life. I've lived in Orange County and Cypress for over 40 years. It has changed. People in this community have changed. Cypress has a very big middle class. Yet year after year Republican candidates win this district in elections.

I am requesting that you take a look at District 40. Reassess its constituency, its economic base, the way it has been gerrymandered and make this district a more fairer, honest reflection of the people who live in this community. This

district shouldn't be an easy give away to one particular party. It should be a dynamic district where everyone who votes feels their vote mattered and it wasn't wasted because the district they live in has been gerrymandering.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Rogers J. Johnson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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