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To the Redistricting Commission:

As a resident of the S. Mission Hills neighborhood in San Diego, I ask that you maintain the important network of neighborhoods connected to my community within the same legislative district boundary. These neighborhoods include: Bankers Hill, Little Italy, Hillcrest, North Park, Normal Heights and Mission Bay. While I live in Mission Hills, I see these neighborhoods as just extensions of my community since I have business meetings with individuals in these neighborhoods, I frequent Mission Bay park on weekends, and I frequent restaurants in all of these neighborhoods. My network of friends live in these communities and I access government resources (such as the DMV), within these boundaries. I believe my legislator should be familiar with not only the unique needs of each of these communities, but importantly, understand how individuals who live and work within these neighborhoods interact with one another.

For these reasons, I request the Commission to ensure that these neighborhoods continue to be connected in the same legislative district.

Thank you.

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