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In regards to your redistricting efforts:

I live in Palmdale in the Antelope Valley and believe that our community ought to be kept intact. If not, we could be carved into Los Angeles or Bakersfield based districts, denying our valley its own voice.

1. The High Desert is its own community of interest that crosses county lines.
2. The High Desert is our own unique area. For a huge district like the Board of Equalization, we are much more like the Central Valley than we are like the rest of Los Angeles due to our agriculture, viticulture, water and air policy needs.
- 3 There should be one Assembly District covering the Antelope Valley/East Kern area of the High Desert, bounded by the Tehachapi Mountains and the San Gabriel Mountains that includes Palmdale, Lancaster, Rosamond, Mojave, Boron and California City.
4. There should be one Assembly District covering the Victor Valley portion of the High Desert that includes all of northern San Bernardino County including Victorville, Hesperia, Adelanto, Apple Valley and Barstow.
5. Those two High Desert Assembly districts should be nested for one High Desert Senate seat.

Please take these points into careful consideration before making a decision that will have a huge impact on many, many people, families and businesses.

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