From: **Chris Hamilton** Date: Tue, May 3, 2011 at 2:38 PM Subject: Redistricting To: votersfirstact@crc.ca.gov

I am writing to express concern over possible redistricting in the Antelope Valley.

First, our area is its own community of interests that crosses county lines--both Los Angeles and Kern Counties.

Secondly, 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.

Thirdly, 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.

The High Desert is our own unique area. For an expansive 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 agricultural, viticultural, water and air policy concerns.

Thank you for your time and attention to this correspondence.

Sincerely,

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