Redistricting Commission May 6, 2011 RE: Ventura County

## Dear Commissioners:

I have lived and owned my own business in Camarillo for over twenty years, and have been involved in many community organizations during that period of time. I am writing you to show my support for Camarillo to be aligned with the East Ventura County. There has been talk in our local paper of putting Camarillo with Oxnard; I oppose this because we do not share a community of interest with Oxnard. The people of Camarillo have been trying to unify our school district and break away from the Oxnard Union High School District for many years. The people of Oxnard have opposed this and very recently voted against the citizens wishes in Camarillo. In Camarillo, we voted overwhelmingly to unify our K-12 with our High School, but the voters in Oxnard voted against us.

I believe it would be in the best interest of Camarillo and Oxnard if we were in different Assembly and Senate Districts.

Thank you for your time and consideration of my request.

Sincerely,

Dave Fowble