Subject: REDISTRICTING LINES FOR THE SANTA CLARITA VALLEY

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I live in the Santa Clarita Valley. Even though I'm 2 miles outside of the Santa Clarita city limits in San Francisquito Canyon , I'm in the County of Los Angeles - I'm still part of the community that I depend on for all of my services, including issues that affect the ENTIRE valley. Because of my zip code (91390) I'm frequently lumped together in areas where any community is - over 30 - 40 miles away, such as car insurance, medical facilities (which I have to fight to re-assign me to the local area here in Santa Clarita).

Santa Clarita is a very unique community - one of the few areas in California for our size, that actually work together as one unit, always going through the same L. A. County Supervisor (Michael D. Antonovich) for our battles against development (I live in one of the equestrian canyons), as well as depending on the Santa Clarita City Hall for the amenities that I depend on as a member of the Santa Clarita Valley.

The Santa Clarita Valley as a whole, is on the same page. Dividing it up into new redistricting lines would split the cohesiveness of the community, as well as potentially create "lines" in the sand if one districts changes/decisions conflict with the other district.

Please, leave ALL of our district as it is. It works for us.

Thank you,

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