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**Subject:** Please Keep Us Together

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**From:** [REDACTED]

**To:** [REDACTED]

May 24, 2011

Dear Redistricting Commissioners,

Thank you for taking the time to consider this request.

Having have lived in Simi Valley for 35 years I have seen our City grow and prosper into the great City it is today.

Over the years we have considered the Cities of Camarillo, Moorpark, Thousand Oaks and the Conejo Valley to be a part of our Community due to their close proximity to Simi Valley. We are neighbors to these cities and share many of the same interests.

As a past Lt. Govenor of Kiwanis International, Division 42 I was responsible for the Kiwanis Clubs in the above mentioned cities. We share projects and have similar goals to benefit all the citizens in these cities. We attend and assist in many of the same community events, such as Simi Valley Days and Conejo Valley days. We are united and should not be separated into different districts.

When deciding where to draw the districts, please keep Camarillo, Moorpark, the Conejo Valley, and Simi Valley intact.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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