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From: Doris Bruce

Subject: Keeping Ridgecrest, CA and China Lake Naval Base in Kern Co.

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To: <[REDACTED]>

This email is to express the need for our community of Ridgecrest, CA to maintain our current boundaries for Congressional and state districts so that our representation is kept together with the rest of Kern County. Our community depends on ties in business, economics, health care, specialty treatments, education, recreation and rural alliances with Kern County.

Ridgecrest is adjacent to China Lake Naval Base, a research facility whose work force resides in our community and the surrounding valley. The China Lake Naval Base is an important component of a military research corridor that shares air space with and does joint missions with the neighboring base at Edwards Air Force Base-also located in Kern County.

Ridgecrest is a rural community that is located in a county that is mostly rural. The vast majority of people who move here have done so in order to get away from the metropolises and urban interests. We have much more in common with the representatives from Kern County.

Sincerely
Doris M. Bruce
Ridgecrest, CA