

**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Greg Sowards <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 18 Jun 2011 20:35:56 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

**From:** Greg Sowards <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Corrected Redistricting Comments

Message Body:

I have closely reviewed the new districts in my area as presented and I'm especially pleased with the 29th SENATE (corrected) District. The diversity that is demonstrated with the new boundaries better allows a cross section of representation of both cultural and socio-economic issues. Spreading representation thin, which would include a wider area, does not best represent the citizens in the district. Although tightening the boundaries may be viewed by some as "Gerrymandering" it must be noted that much thought is obviously demonstrated in the consideration of the factors mentioned above.

Regarding the 72nd Assembly district I'm extremely disappointed. As a resident of Placentia, I feel strongly that splitting Placentia from the surrounding cities of Anaheim, Brea and Fullerton is highly detrimental to many issues such as California State University, Fullerton and transportation issues such as the renovation of railroad grade crossings, which is currently underway, which those cities have been collaborating on for decades. Placentia should not be split, under any circumstances.

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Heidi wills <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sun, 19 Jun 2011 00:38:42 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Heidi wills <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting

Message Body:

I am a resident of rossmoor, California and I strongly oppose redistricting our city into long beach. Rossmoor should stay with ed Royce. Thank you

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Karen Gardner <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 18 Jun 2011 19:02:41 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Karen Gardner <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Resdistricting-Ed Royce

Message Body:

I am very much opposed to you districting our community, Rossmoor and Los Alamitos, out of Rep. Ed Royce's district. Mr. Royce has been an expert representative of our area and know it well. Long Beach has not interest or history of dealing with this community and will not represent our best interests. Mr. Royce has and will and I want our district to remain under his representation.

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**From:** Greg Sowards <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 18 Jun 2011 17:38:20 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Greg Sowards <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Curt Castagna <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 18 Jun 2011 19:48:36 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Curt Castagna <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting Rossmoor into Long Beach

Message Body:

I am opposed to any move to redistrict Los Alamitos/Rossmoor into the Long Beach District since we NO community of interest with the proposed Long Beach district.

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Mayor Carolyn Cavecche <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sun, 19 Jun 2011 02:39:55 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Mayor Carolyn Cavecche <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Central/North Orange County lines

Message Body:

I was speaker #74 at the 6/18 public hearing in Fullerton. I was not able to make all my intended remarks during my two minutes.

-Please keep the City of Orange whole. When small and medium cities are broken up and attached to a larger city we lose our representation. Our reps are more likely to address the needs of the larger block of voters. Under the current maps part of Orange is attached in an AD with Santa Ana (Santana) the other part of Orange is attached in an AD with Irvine (Tust)

At the very least, if Orange is going to have to be split into two AD's, please place us in one Senate District. under the first draft we are in two different Senate Districts spanning from the LA/Long Beach Border all the way down into South Orange County and the San Diego Border.

-In regards to the CD's. If you feel the need to connect Anaheim and Santa Ana, and I am fine with what you now in the first draft, please have a majority of the bridge connecting the two cities consist of East Garden Grove with the Orange border being no further east then the Santa Ana River/or 57 (Orange) Freeway. NOT West of the 55 Fwy. A city of medium size like Orange should not have large areas of the city be cut into two CD's.

-If you are going to completely redo the State District maps to accommodate testimony received today, Orange would fit very nicely into what is currently SD- DBYLA. I have sent info to that regard previously.

-Lastly, you have room to increase the deviation numbers. Trying to keep them so close to 1% might be what is causing some of the problems of split cities.

Thank you very much for all the work you are doing! It is historic and unappreciated work.

Best to you all.

Mayor Carolyn Cavecche, City of Orange

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 3 - Orange

**From:** Rosa Leung <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sun, 19 Jun 2011 04:48:37 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Rosa Leung <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Opposition to redistricting Rossmoor

Message Body:

I am oppose to having Laura Richardson as my rep since I did not vote for her and wish to have Ed Royce as my rep. Furthermore, I don't understand why Rossmoor should be reassigned to Long Beach since Rossmoor is in Orange County and Long Beach in Los Angeles County. The issue that Rossmoor face as a community is very different from Long Beach and therefore, I am oppose to the proposal to redistrict Rossmoor with Long Beach.

Sincerely,

Dr. Rosa Leung

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