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Subject: Redistricting to benefit women and children

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Hello, Commission,

My name is Lizabeth McNabb. I live in Costa Mesa with my husband and ten year old daughter. My concern during this redistricting process is to see a rise in the representation of women in elected government positions.

There are currently 17 women in the US Senate and 76 women in the US House of Representatives (one of whom was recently shot in the head.) Having only 17% female representation is hurting our nation greatly. Men care about war, money, sex and power. Women care about children, families, education, and the poor. Women and children continually get short shrift because we are not at the table to voice our concerns. We need to maintain the one district in Orange County that is willing to elect a woman to Congress.

Think about your Mothers, your spouses, your sisters and your daughters when you draw these new boundaries. We deserve so much better.

Thank you,

Lizabeth McNabb

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