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From:Kit and Rebecca ≤

To:<u>≤</u>

Hello,

I am a long time resident of Humboldt County and own a significant business here. I am writing to let you know that the coastal counties must be kept together for districting and not lumped with counties to the east. Humboldt County has much in common with coastal Del Norte and Mendocino counties, but little in common with Trinity or Siskiyou counties, and virtually nothing in common with Shasta county (Redding).

The fact that your committee did not even offer a forum north of Santa Rosa nor west of Redding would lead me to believe that you either have a poor grasp of the unique characteristics and needs of the northwest part of the state, or that you do not believe the region is important enough for serious consideration. Either would be a mistake that would affect our lives here in a very negative way.

Please keep me informed of progress in your process.

Kit Mann

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