Subject: Public Comment: 4 - Los Angeles
From: Cameron Ruh <cameronruh@abcd.com>
Date: 7/15/2011 12:04 AM
To: redistricting

Message Body:
Please do not consider for even one single moment the comments from any elected official who claims to speak for anyone besides him/herself. All of us have one individual vote. I am ecstatic at the prospect of finally having a true representative for me. Jerry mandering will finally become a thing of the past. No longer will a district be cobbled together that makes sense only to those of one party or another. Please level the playing field. Your body alone has this power. And if it upsets the current powers that be then you are surely doing something right.
Sincerely,
Cameron J. Ruh

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This mail is sent via contact form on Citizens Redistricting Commission
July 12, 2011

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Sincerely,

Hoda Shawky
Hawthorne Resident
Small business owner

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"Whenever kindness touches something it beautifies it, and whenever it is removed, it disfigures it." (Prophet Muhammed, narrated by his beloved wife Aisha)
Hello,

I live in Valley Village, located in Los Angeles, California. I am very concerned that the new map proposed earlier this week will divide Valley Village into two parts. Please redraw the line so that it follows the 170 Freeway and keeps the 25,000 stakeholders in Valley Village in one congressional district.

Thank You,
Judy Baldwin
Commissioners,

I watched in shock today as a commissioner asserted that we, in Mid City do not go south. Well, in our community (lower Hancock Park), we certainly do go south... and definitely with much more frequency than we travel west to Westwood or Malibu. In fact travel to Malibu is a venture for special occasions.

Our community with its diverseness has experienced extensive growth with the construction of new multi unit bldgs. for rent and sale.

We shop in the Fox Hills, Hughes Center, LaDera Heights and Crenshaw area.
We visit the Exposition Park area including the museums (state and county), and attend many events at the Coliseum.
We worship in So LA, Culver City, Koreatown west, and West Adams areas.
We frequently dine along the LaBrea, Crenshaw, Western, Adams, Washington, and Venice corridors as well as the quaint areas of Leimert Park and Little Ethiopia.
Our cinema trips include Culver City and the new Baldwin Hills - Crenshaw theatres plus Fox Hills.

Needless to say, the "never go south" may apply to some, but not to the over 100 homes in our neighborhood block club. My neighbors asked that I send this message so consider it a message from all of us.

Please do not link us to the far west so that our paths of functioning and our communities of interest may be preserved.

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Jacquelyn Dupont-Walker
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Sincerely,

[Signature]

Elektra C.M. Krujac

[Address]
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La Crescenta, 9/21/14
Subject: COI: 1) Neighborhood School 2) Unified School District, 3) City of Pasadena 4) Pasadena City College 5) Zip Code

From: Martin Enriquez

Date: 7/15/2011 12:18 AM

To: "we draw the lines" <Martin A. C. Enriquez*Marquez

Pasadena, CA 91106

July 14, 2011
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Region IV, Los Angeles County: Altadena & Pasadena
Attention: Jeanne Raya & Connie Galambos Malloy

Dear Honorable Members of the Citizens Redistricting Commission:

They following person has the following COI’s in common:

317 Ramona Onate, zip code 91104, Longfellow, School, PUSD

1) City of Pasadena,
2) Longfellow Elementary School in Pasadena Unified School District or
3) Pasadena City College &
4) Zip Code 91104

Enclosed is a MAP for the boundaries of the ALL the Elementary Schools in Pasadena Unified School District. As published by Pasadena Unified School District on December, 2010.

Each Elementary School is its own COI at the most fundamental level: the neighborhood!

City boundaries should be respected.
Unified School districts should be respected.
Zip Codes are the domain of the United States Postal Service, a GSE. They are a Federal sanction of sub-units of geography. Therefore well under your jurisdiction to determine for your consideration.

In testimony COI’s are give the same weight as county lines.

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Martin A. C. Enriquez*Marquez

CC: Astrid Garcia(  )
Spanish speakers, Neighborhood School, Community College

Enclosures:
1) Pasadena Unified School District,
   Map of Elementary School Boundaries, December 2010
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Attachments:
317 Ramona Onate, zip code 91104, Longfellow, School, PUSD.pdf 409 KB
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NAME: Ramona Analt

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CITY OF RESIDENCE Pasadena

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SCHOOL

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SIGNATURE Ramona Analt

DATE 10-July-20011

CHICANO, HISPANIC, LATINO, MEXICAN AMERICAN
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