

**Subject:** NO REDISTRICTING OF RICHMOND!!!

**From:** Dolores Neese <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 2 Jul 2011 16:09:58 -0700

**To:** [REDACTED]

We want a UNITED Richmond!!!!!! Please do not destroy it!!!

Dolores Neese  
Richmond resident

**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Contra Costa

**From:** Dolores Neese <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 2 Jul 2011 23:07:39 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Dolores Neese <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting of Richmond

Message Body:

No dividing Richmond!!! We citizens want a UNITED Richmond!!!! What is the problem? Why are you contemplating dividing Richmond??? What is your motive?? NO NO NO!!!!

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Contra Costa

**From:** "Rev, Deborah J. Butler" <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 2 Jul 2011 22:19:27 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Rev, Deborah J. Butler <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting and Representation

Message Body:

I have two major concerns regarding the proposed realignment in West Contra Costa County.

First, I understand the City of Richmond would be divided between two representatives. This would be a terrible move. With the pressing issues of poverty, violence, health and community development that Richmond faces, it would be devastating not to have one person concerned with the whole area, especially since a portion of Richmond would necessarily receive less attention from Congresswoman Lee since the larger city of Oakland is also in her district.

The other issue of concern is that while Congresswoman Lee is a fine representative, Congressman Miller has long-term experience with the people and issues in our area. In light of the very real challenges faced by the people of Richmond and surrounding areas, particularly in these difficult economic times, we need the help of a representative with George Miller's knowledge of our area.

I am the Pastor of Hope Lutheran Church in El Sobrante (an unincorporated area that intertwines with the City of Richmond) and I have seen first-hand the needs of our community, and I ask that district boundaries be drawn to allow us to remain united and represented by Congressman Miller.

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Contra Costa

**From:** Susan Meeter <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 2 Jul 2011 21:14:29 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Susan Meeter <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Richmond redistricting

Message Body:

I am very concerned that the current proposal divides Richmond between two districts. As it stands the proposal violates the principle of maintaining the integrity of cities and undermines our attempts to unify diverse neighborhoods in Richmond. I urge you to correct this serious error.

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**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Contra Costa

**From:** Susan Druding <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sat, 2 Jul 2011 20:09:03 +0000

**To:** [REDACTED]

From: Susan Druding <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Do not divide Richmond into 2 districts!

Message Body:

As a Richmond resident and a business owner in Richmond - we are strongly against the proposal to divide Richmond between two different districts!

This is not the way to bring community and city unity!

Susan Druding  
Richmond 94801  
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