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**Subject:** Public Comment: 8 - Marin**Date:** Thu, 14 Jul 2011 04:45:38 +0000**From:** Joan Brownstein <[REDACTED]>**To:** [REDACTED]From: Joan Brownstein <[REDACTED]>  
Subject: congressional and senate districts

Message Body:

Thank you for doing the hard work, I appreciate that every time you move one area, you affect other areas that need to be adjusted as well.

I have lived both in San Francisco (till 1965) and Marin for most of my life. I believe Marin has become more urban than many who live here would like to believe. With that in mind, Marin has more in common with San Francisco than Mendocino north. I believe it was State Senator Peter Behr who said that it was next to impossible to represent the environmental interests in Marin at the same time as the lumber and fishing interests of the northern counties. People in Marin go to San Francisco for their medical care, their cultural events, their shopping, and their jobs. The same applies between Marin and Sonoma counties. The northern coast is not an integral part of the lives of most people in Marin. Please take that into consideration, listen to Representative Woolsey and remember what State Senator Peter Behr thought of such an extended district.

Sincerely yours,

Joan Brownstein.

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