

Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Rand Jacobs <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 15:00:45 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Rand Jacobs <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks Redistricting Concerns

Message Body:

My name is Rand Jacobs and I'm currently on the boards of the Fair Oaks Recreation and Park District and Fair Oaks Chamber of Commerce. I'm also the current Honorary Mayor of Fair Oaks. My family has lived in Fair Oaks for 30 years and my children attended local schools. My business has been based in Fair Oaks for 22 years.

Please keep Fair Oaks in the Eastern Sacramento County District. We have more in common with Carmichael, Citrus Heights and Rancho Cordova than Roseville, Rocklin, Loomis and Lincoln.

We are served by no Placer County agencies. We also share common interests with American River Parkway communities. The Commission drew a Congressional district, keeping Fair Oaks with the rest of Sacramento County. Apparently, they feel this is our "community of interest". I would hope you feel the same.

Sincerely,
Rand K. Jacobs

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Barbara Ruttan [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 15:38:01 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Barbara Ruttan <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks Redistricting

Message Body:

I've lived in Fair Oaks nearly a decade and in Sac over 20 years. Fair Oaks is very unique suburb which is why I'm raising my family here. Out of all the region, we have the very least in common with Placer County. My daughters attend Carnegie and Pershing in high achievement programs. We are very active in local sports and neighborhood concerns. Our daily lives center around the American River Parkway and it's neighbors, not Placer Co. Placer Co holds no interest in our San Juan Unified School districts and our "village" of Fair Oaks. Our voice will never be heard should this move forward. Please reconsider.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Julie Ansel <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 15:51:42 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Julie Ansel <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Placer vs Sac County

Message Body:

Please do not place Fair Oaks in Placer County! I have lived here for 9 years. I have nothing to do with Placer county. This makes no sense for us. We have nothing in common with Placer. Our issues are very different.

Fair Oaks has much more in common with its neighboring communities of Carmichael, Citrus Heights, and Rancho Cordova. We are not in a "community of interest" with Roseville, Rocklin, Loomis and Lincoln.

Fair Oaks is represented by the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, and served by the San Juan School District and SMUD. We are served by no Placer County agencies.

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From: christina francisco - klosowski [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 15:52:31 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: christina francisco - klosowski <[REDACTED]>

Subject: re-districting Fair Oaks

Message Body:

I am voicing my opposition with the decision to include Fair Oaks into Placer County and out if Sacramento Coyntry. This does not serve the residents of Fair Oaks! I am frankly dismayed why this decision was made and it smacks of a total disregard to our community interests/prioities. Please reconsider!

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From: Don Troutman <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 15:59:41 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Don Troutman <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistrict of Fair Oaks

Message Body:

Please do not put Fair Oaks with the Placer County Assembly District. I have lived and conducted business in the Fair Oaks/Orangevale area for over 25 years. I have nothing in common with Placer County and feel like I am connected to Rancho Cordova, Citrus Height and Carmichael. I work a lot with the county and the assembly in my business and I feel if we are with placer county will harm my ability to conduct my business.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Maggie Cox <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:07:22 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Maggie Cox <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Assembly seat

Message Body:

Commission Members:

As a resident of Fair Oaks since 1976, I strongly differ in opinions from those in Placer County. We have been represented WELL for years in the Assembly by neighbors who share our less radical views. We do not border Placer County, are in the same school district as neighboring Carmichael - we are different than residents of Lincoln, Rocklin, etc. We, therefore, deserve to be lumped with others with similar outlooks, philosophies and interests.

Please reconsider the boundaries and again put Fair Oaks in a district that EXCLUDES Placer County.

Thank you!

PS My late husband, Dave Cox, would join me in expressing these sentiments I'm sure.

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From: Melanie Gow <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:07:31 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Melanie Gow <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Eastern Sacramento County Assembly District

Message Body:

I have lived in the Fair Oaks community for over 12 years, and I oppose the change to Assembly district lines. Fair Oaks is represented by the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, and served by the San Juan School District and SMUD. We are served by no Placer County agencies. Fair Oaks also has have more in common with our neighboring communities of Carmichael & Citrus Heights, and those of the American River Parkway. Please do not allow Fair Oaks to part of the redistrict into Placer County.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Geneva Pardell <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:20:48 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Geneva Pardell <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting/Assembly District Lines for Fair Oaks, CA

Message Body:

I was recently informed of the intention to change the assignment of the Community of Fair Oaks' Assembly Seat. Apparently we are slated to be assigned to a Placer County seat which makes no sense to the residents of this community. We have nothing in common with the needs, concerns and desires of Placer county residents, and receive all public services from agencies that originate in Sacramento County. I have been a resident of Fair Oaks for the past 12 years and my children attend middle and high school here. I am a home owner, tax payer and concerned resident. I urge you to move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County Assembly seat.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Geneva Pardell

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Randi Mills <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:21:06 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Randi Mills <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Move Fair Oaks back into Sacramento Co. Assembly

Message Body:

I am a 10 year resident of Fair Oaks, very active in the community and my children attend Legette Elementary and Carnegie Middle School. We enjoy our sense of community and the greater surrounding Sacramento County communities of Citrus Heights and Carmichael, but do not find ourselves aligned with the Placer County communities of Roseville, Rocklin, Loomis and Lincoln. I am writing to URGE you to move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County Assembly seat which will provide more closely aligned representation for our community.

Thank you

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Axel Larson <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:22:06 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Axel Larson <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Assembly district boundary

Message Body:

Fair Oaks should be in the same district as Sacramento county. I have lived in Fair Oaks more than 40 years and have a business licensed in Sacramento county. We interact with people and businesses in Fair Oaks, Orangevale, Citrus Heights, Carmichael, and Sacramento much more than we do with Placer county cities such as Folsom. Our children and now our grandchildren attend school in Sacramento county. We pay property tax and utility bills to entities in Sacramento county. Please keep Fair Oaks in the Sacramento county assembly district.

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Fwd: Re: Thank you for submitting Public Comment Re: CAPAFR Letter to CRC

----- Original Message -----

Subject: Re: Thank you for submitting Public Comment Re: CAPAFR Letter to CRC

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 15:23:56 -0700

From: MAY LEE <[REDACTED]>

To: <[REDACTED]>

Letter inscribed and attached is the Afr Am map

>>> "Office, Communications" <[REDACTED]> 07/20/11 7:48 AM >>>

Thank you for taking the time to share your views with the Commission.

Comments will be posted as soon as practicable after processing. The

Commission reserves the right not to post comments that are inflammatory, offensive or otherwise inappropriate.

Citizens Redistricting Commission

July 20, 2011

Via electronic mail

California Citizens Redistricting Commission

[REDACTED]
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: Comments About Asian American and Pacific Islander COI

I understand the Commission has questions about the Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) community of interest in the southern part of Sacramento County.

As I have mentioned in the past, I am a member of CAPITAL, the Coalition of Asian Pacific Islanders Together for Advocacy & Leadership. CAPITAL is a membership organization in Sacramento County with *over 95 local organizational members*. CAPITAL is the lead CAPAFR (Coalition of Asian Pacific Americans for Fair Redistricting) organization in Sacramento County, and I am spearheading CAPITAL's state redistricting efforts through CAPAFR.

The AAPI community of interest resides in South Sacramento (south of Sutterville Road), Elk Grove, Florin and Vineyard. The community primarily resides east of Interstate 5 although a portion

of the community also resides west of Interstate 5 in the Greenhaven and the Pocket areas and the adjacent South Land Park neighborhood south of Sutterville Road. As AAPI speakers testified at the Auburn hearing, the AAPI community is diverse yet shares many socioeconomic characteristics such as high rates of foreign born residents and low rates of English proficiency. The northern boundary in the Unity Plan's SACEG Assembly district was specifically crafted to include the entire AAPI community. The Unity Assembly Plan was also drawn to keep whole two separate African American communities of interest in Sacramento.

Below are CAPAFR-Sacramento's suggestions regarding the South Sacramento Assembly and Congressional Districts.

Assembly

We understand that the Commission has prioritized placing Lodi and Galt into SACEG. Recognizing that the inclusion of Lodi and Galt in SACEG means that the entire AAPI community of interest cannot be kept together in SACEG, *we are asking that you revert back to your July 11, 2011 visualization in order to limit the split of the AAPI community.* If the South Sacramento-Elk Grove community of interest must be split, our community believes that rather than Vineyard, it is more important to keep the Greenhaven and the Pocket, the areas to the west of Interstate 5, and the adjacent South Land Park neighborhood south of Sutterville Road with the core of the AAPI community of interest in SACEG. The changes required to revert back to the July 11, 2011 visualization were included in the set of proposed changes to Northern California Assembly districts that the Asian Pacific American Legal Center submitted on July 15 on behalf of CAPAFR. These changes will also keep together more of the African American community of interest in the SACEG. Attached is a map which shows where the African American community of interest resides.

Congress

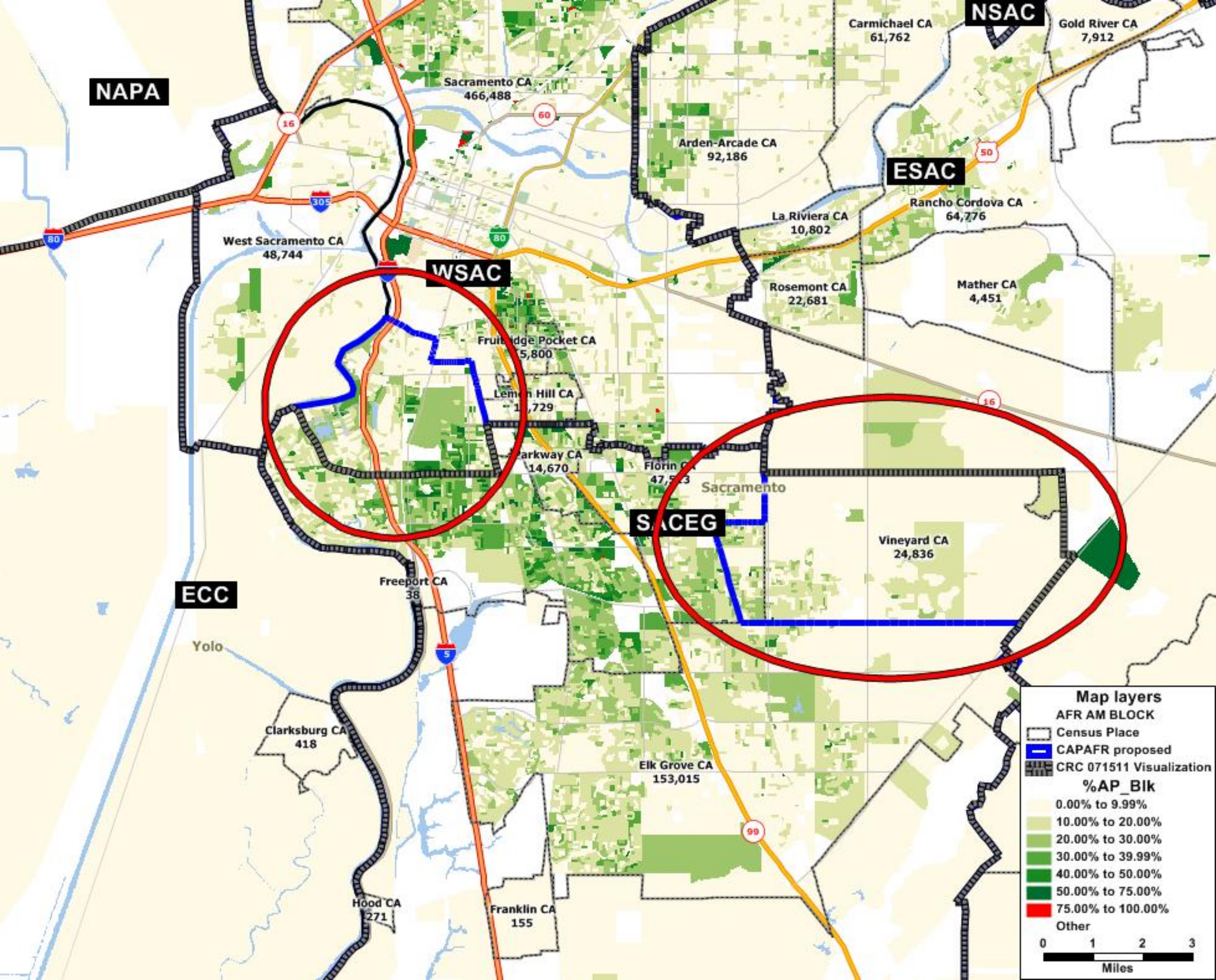
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If you have any additional questions about the AAPI community of interest in the southern portion of Sacramento County, please do not hesitate to ask.

Respectfully,

May O. Lee
CAPITAL representative





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- AFR AM BLOCK
- Census Place
- CAPAFR proposed
- CRC 071511 Visualization

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: RyanGulesserian <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:46:37 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: RyanGulesserian <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks redistricting

Message Body:

Please bring Fair Oaks back under Sac County jurisdiction. I have three children attending Earl LeGette school. They will be here for many years to come. Please don't compromise and change something that still works. We have nothing in common with Placer County. It almost seems absurd to try and draw parallels or shared point of interest or goals with this county. Please reconsider.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Eric Warp <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:47:33 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Eric Warp <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks

Message Body:

Fair Oaks should absolutely not be districted into Placer County. We've lived here since 1989 and know the community well--Fair Oaks has a lot more in common with Sacramento than the communities of Placer County. In addition, we're not served by any Placer County agencies. This decision, to me, lacks common sense. Please keep Fair Oaks where it belongs, with Sacramento County!

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: "Greg N. Vincent" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 16:50:27 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Greg N. Vincent <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Redistricting

Message Body:

I have been a resident of Sacramento County for 55 years and in particular Fair Oaks for the past 30 years. Never during my life as a resident of Sacramento have I felt a connection to Placer County. These are two distinct and separate areas with no common thread.

As a home builder/developer I have conducted business in Sacramento County and Placer County. While being welcomed in Sacramento as a local businessman, it is not the same in Placer County. Instead in Placer County I am treated like a step-child with inferior rights.

I do not feel that my rights as a citizen of Fair Oaks will be fairly represented by a district that encompasses mostly Placer County. In the past I have had representatives such as Roger Niello or Dave Cox, who understand where I live, that I can personally go to and voice my concerns. Any time I go to Placer County my concerns seem to fall on deaf ears.

Please do not take my community's right to fair representation away by including our community in a district that is total incompatible.

Please include Fair Oaks in a Sacramento County District as we have always been.

Regards,

Greg N. Vincent

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: David Blevins <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:07:31 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: David Blevins <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks in Eastern County Assembly District

Message Body:

CCRC,

I have been a Fair Oaks resident for 18 years and am very troubled about Fair Oaks moving out of the Sacramento County Assembly District. Fair Oaks has little or no common interests with communities in the Placer County district. We are an American River Parkway community that is served by Highway 50 and light rail services for our travels into downtown Sacramento. Our local government entities including Sacramento County, SMUD and San Juan Unified are in no way related to Placer County.

This move will further erode my trust in our State Government as I feel Fair Oaks will be left without adequate representation to the issues that pertain to our community.

Stop this move as it makes absolutely no sense to our community.

Sincerely,

David Blevins

[REDACTED]
Fair Oaks, CA 95628

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: BARRY LUTHER <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:13:21 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: BARRY LUTHER <[REDACTED]>

Subject: CHG DISTRICT

Message Body:

PLEASE LEAVE FAIR OAKS IN THE COUNTY
OF SACRAMENTO

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Laurie Williams <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:18:45 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Laurie Williams <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting

Message Body:

I have lived in this region for 15 years. Fair Oaks has nothing in common with Rocklin, Roseville et al and we need to remain in a seat which allows our interests to be heard.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Mary Eggleston <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:25:05 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Mary Eggleston <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Keep Fair Oaks in Sac County

Message Body:

Fair Oaks should not be moved to Placer County

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Dustin Buck <dust[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:29:39 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Dustin Buck <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Please keep Fair Oaks in Sacramento County!!

Message Body:

As a past Honorary Mayor in Fair Oaks, a current Fair Oaks Chamber of Commerce Board Member and a Fair Oaks resident since I was born, I would like to voice my opinion concerning the potential redistricting of Fair Oaks. Please, please do not remove Fair Oaks from District 4 because it will cause a detrimental effect to the businesses and culture of Fair Oaks. It is pertinent to keep "like" communities in the same district (Fair Oaks, Orangevale, Citrus Heights, Carmichael, etc). Fair Oaks and Placer County are very different areas and I strongly feel as though Fair Oaks would not be represented appropriately if our town was part of the new Placer district. I would like to keep my business in Fair Oaks as well as eventually raise my children in Fair Oaks, but if Fair Oaks is not represented by the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors I highly doubt both of my goals will come to fruition. I speak on behalf of my friends in the Chamber, my fellow Fair Oaks business owners

and the residents I have known for almost 30 years when I urge you to please keep Fair Oaks with like communities in the Eastern Sacramento County Assembly District.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Tino Cuevas <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:31:47 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Tino Cuevas <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting

Message Body:

I am a Fair Oaks Builder and Real Estate Broker and have resided here for 19 years. I strongly want to keep Fair Oaks in the Sacramento County Assembly district.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Barry Codron <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:36:11 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Barry Codron <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks Redistricting from Sacramento to Placer County

Message Body:

Quite simply, there is absolutely no reason for "redistricting" Fair Oaks from a Sacramento County to a Placer County city. Fair Oaks clearly sits inside a geographical area much more closely associated with other Sacramento County cities (Citrus Heights Rancho Cordova, Carmichael, etc.) than with Placer County cities. And perhaps more importantly, Sacramento County cities and jurisdictions are generally more urban than Placer County cities, with attendant urban concerns. Represented by the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, and served by the San Juan School District and SMUD, Fair Oaks is served by no Placer County agencies.

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Subject: CAPAFR Letter to CRC

From: "MAY LEE" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 07:47:45 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>
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Commissioners,

July 20, 2011

Via electronic mail
California Citizens Redistricting Commission
901 P Street, Suite 154-A
Sacramento, CA 95814

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May O. Lee
CAPITAL representative

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Citizens Redistricting Commission

July 7, 2011

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Respectfully submitted,

May O. Lee

CAPITAL representative

Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: "Siri Backer, MBA" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:36:16 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Siri Backer, MBA <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Keeping Fair Oaks in Sacramento County

Message Body:

Dear Honorable California Redistricting Commission:

I believe Fair Oaks needs to remain as it is: a district in Sacramento County.

We have a peaceful community that is very well served by the district governing bodies and public services.

There is no reason to upset this well-run and logical community. Moving the district would add costs and upheaval that is completely unwarranted.

My mom has lived in Fair Oaks since 1980, and my son and I have lived here since 2002.

I vote to keep Fair Oaks in Sacramento County. I have traveled to work in Rancho Cordova for over 6 years from Fair Oaks and see no logical connection to a county as far away as Placer County when El Dorado County is right up the 50 freeway and would be the nearest one if anything were to be changed. We share resources and county lines already. However, since we are closest to the communities of Citrus Heights, Rancho Cordova, Carmichael and then Sacramento let's keep things as they are and in this economic uncertainty when the US Dollar is dropping and our Government is faltering under the debt loads, not change a thing.

Sincerely,

Siri A Backer, MBA
Graduate of UC Davis, '86
Rio Americano HS, '80

[REDACTED]

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Millie Finch <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:41:09 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Millie Finch <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Please move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County Assembly

Message Body:

My Name is Millie Finch, I am a resident of Fair Oaks since the early 1990's. My two children both attended Fair Oaks schools and both have graduated from Bella Vista high school in Fair Oaks. My Business Trends-n-Treats Pet Supply-Spa-Boutique is also located in Fair Oaks. I'm writing to you today to ask you to please move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento county assembly seat! Thank you for your time and consideration!

Sincerely,

Millie Finch

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Barry Brown <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:41:50 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Barry Brown <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks in Sacramento County Assembly seat

Message Body:

Dear California Citizens Redistricting Commission

I am appalled at the idea of including Fair Oaks in a Placer County Assembly seat. As 47 year residents of Fair Oaks, my wife and I have raised 3 boys in this very unique and wonderful community and have actively participated in many of its organizations and events. In the past and currently, we have been actively involved in numerous community projects that that have benefited tremendously from the enthusiastic involvement of our assemblymen. These representatives have considered our community the jewel of the County.

Our request to retain Fair Oaks in a Sacramento County Assembly seat is consistent with one of your most important re-districting criteria - retaining unique neighborhood areas, such as Fair Oaks, in a single assembly seat. We feel very strongly that changing the Fair Oaks seat would introduce the potential for the wonderful relationship with the Sacramento community to be fragmented in undesirable ways.

Thank you for considering this request.

Barry and Eleanor Brown

Paula Sugarman
Chair, Fair Oaks Village Enhancement Committee
[REDACTED]

Cc: Roberta MacGlashan

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From: Rob Gojkovich <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:41:53 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Rob Gojkovich <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Assembly redistricting

Message Body:

I've lived in the Fair Oaks area for the past 30 years. I would like to see Fair Oaks remain with Orangevale and Folsom even if they are being joined with south Placer communities. It seems to me to keep north east Sacramento communities together would be the best. I definitely don't want to be in a district that would elect the likes of Richard Pan as its representative. Thanks, Rob.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: dan cardozo <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:55:38 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: dan cardozo <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks Assembly Senate Districts

Message Body:

I have lived in Fair Oaks for 15 years. I own a home and our kids go to Fair Oaks schools. We strongly oppose lumping Fair Oaks into Placer County districts. We share no community of interest with Placer County. We are oriented entirely with every indicia pointing to Sacramento County, American River, Highway 50 corridor, Sacramento County governments, etc. Please change this back to put Fair Oaks into Sacramento County!

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Joan Liberty <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 17:59:45 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Joan Liberty <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting Change

Message Body:

Why would you even consider placing us in Placer County??? It makes no sense at all. We travel mostly along Highway 50 to down town; we shop and share common interests with Carmichael, Citrus Heights and Rancho Cordova; NOT Roseville or Loomis; our political and voting interestS are better served with Sacramento County. PLEASE DO THE RIGHT THING AND KEEP FAIR OAKS IN SACRAMENO COUNTY.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Jolaine Collins <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 18:03:44 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Jolaine Collins <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks should be in the Sacramento County Assembly District

Message Body:

I urge you to move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County Assembly District. It makes sense to every taxpayer living, working, shopping and sending our children to school here. I have been a Fair Oaks resident for 22 years and my community of interest is in SACRAMENTO COUNTY - NOT Placer County.

I sincerely hope you will move Fair Oaks BACK where it belongs.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Mary Proctor <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 18:04:22 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Mary Proctor <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks

Message Body:

Please do not place Fair Oaks in a district with Placer County. Our identification is with Sacramento and the outlying areas of Carmichael, Citrus Heights, and Rancho Cordova. That is where we go to school, shop, and do business.

Please move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County Assembly seat.

Thank you.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Carey McKinney [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 18:16:39 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Carey McKinney <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Keeping Fair Oaks with in sacramento County

Message Body:

It has been brought to my attention that Fair Oaks is in danger of being incorporated into Placer County. This is completely outrageous. I have been a Fair Oaks resident for most of my 41 years, my son attends Twin Lakes elementary school in Orangevale and we enjoy participating in local events and support local programs and charities. It is extremely disturbing that it is even being considered to move Fair Oaks into Placer County. We have little interest in that region beyond an occasional visit and are deeply rooted and more involved with the American River area along with Citrus Heights, Carmichael, and Orangevale communities. Furthermore, the proximity alone should rule his consideration out. Please redraw the lines to re-include Fair Oaks back into Sacramento County.

Thank you

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Gabriella Wasielewski [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 18:25:17 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Gabriella Wasielewski <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting - Fair Oaks

Message Body:

Our family has lived in Fair Oaks for 13 years. We strongly feel that Fair Oaks is a Sacramento county community and should not be districted into Placer County. Our children attend San Juan district schools. We are not served by any Placer county agencies. We strongly urge that you place Fair Oaks in the Sacramento county assembly seat.

Sincerely,

Gabriella Wasielewski

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Subject: Fair Oaks

From: Kathy Bimson [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 08:21:18 -0700

To: "[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

My family moved to Fair Oaks in 2001, a return to the area for my husband who grew up here. I have three children and chose Fair Oaks for the small town feel of the community. All three of my kids attended Orangevale Open K-8 (actually located in Fair Oaks) and two now attend Bella Vista. It would be so disheartening for our community to be lumped in with Placer County. Our area would be a small representation in a huge county with different issues. My understanding is that we would represent less than 20% of the county vote so our voice wouldn't be heard. Please keep us in our Sacramento County boundaries, where we have been, and where we feel best represented.

Thank you,
Kathy Bimson

Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Gayle Hensler <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 18:42:10 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Gayle Hensler <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks in Sacramento County

Message Body:

I would strongly like to encourage you to keep Fair Oaks within the Sacramento Assembly seat. I have lived in Fair Oaks since 1987, had kids attend the San Juan Unified school district where I continue to serve on the Education Foundation for that district. Our priorities would be much different that the majoriety of Placer County residents for many reasons including making us a minority interest in that seat. The Commission drew a Congressional district that keeps Fair Oaks with the rest of Sacramento County, determining that is our appropriate "community of interest". There is no reason to put us in a different area in the Assembly maps. The commission was put together for a reason and you should listen to their voice as well as the many residents of Fair Oaks.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: "Patrick Rooney, CPA" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 18:59:25 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Patrick Rooney, CPA <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting

Message Body:

I have been in business in Fair Oaks since 1980. Most of my clients live in Sacramento County. I have had a business license with the County. I do not have any affiliation with Placer County and do not wish to. The services provided to me are all in Sacramento County. The fire department is just around the corner from my office. I so not think Placer County can give me the support that I have received from Sacramento County. Please leave Fair Oaks in Sacramento County.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Frank and Judy Wolfe <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 18:59:30 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Frank and Judy Wolfe <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks

Message Body:

Since we have far more in common with the rest of Sacramento County, it makes far more sense to put us in an Assembly district with other Sacramento communities. We have lived in Fair Oaks for 34 years. Our children attended schools in Sacramento county. Frank served as Chair of the Fair Oaks Planning advisory Board. We have been active in numerous civic groups. Our voices would not be heard if we were included with Placer county areas.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Bunny Brown <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 19:00:29 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Bunny Brown <[REDACTED]>

Subject: redistricting

Message Body:

i live in Fair Oaks which in Sacramento County, i do not wish to be changed to another County. Leave us alone.

Thank you

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: "Cesar A. Banda" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 19:07:52 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Cesar A. Banda <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks

Message Body:

My name is Cesar Banda I live in Fair Oaks since 1999 My children go to school here and we are ok with the San Juan school district, we are in a community of interest with the American River Parkway communities, we are not even neighbors with Placer County communities I think we should stay with Sacramento County. Thank you for your attention
Cesar Banda

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Nina Weiler-Harwell <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 19:10:41 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Nina Weiler-Harwell <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Oppose Putting Rosemont (Sac Co.) with Saccounty district

Message Body:

fo Congress.

This is the second time I am writing.

Rosemont is part of the same school district that includes the City of Sacramento.

We have NOTHING in common with the communities to the east of us. It makes zero sense.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Mary Shade <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 19:19:54 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Mary Shade <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks and redistricting

Message Body:

Fair Oaks is a Sacramento County community and should not be districted into Placer County. The Commission staff responded by drawing a map that put Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County Assembly seat. But one week later they reversed that; we are back in the Placer County seat. Fair Oaks should not be in a district where Sacramento County residents make up only 20% of the voters. The vast majority of voters will have Placer County priorities, which are much different than ours.

Please hear us loud and clear, we want to be in the Eastern Sacramento County Assembly District.

Thank you

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Saul Schaefer <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 19:20:03 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Saul Schaefer <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks Redistricting

Message Body:

I strongly object to placing Fair Oaks within the Placer County district. Fair Oaks is a community of interest with Sacramento. I, as many of my neighbors, work in Sacramento, use Sacramento utilities, and often shop in Sacramento stores. I have nothing in common with the communities in Placer county. I trust you will re-consider your decision and return Fair Oaks to the Sacramento District so that we can have appropriate representation.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Jean Applegate [REDACTED] >

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 19:40:04 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Jean Applegate <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistrict the Assembly

Message Body:

Please keep the Fair Oaks area in Sacramento County not PlacerCounty. I have lived in this area for over 50 years and have taken part in many activities, Fair Oaks Theater, F.O. Chamber of Commerce and my late husband was a physician in Fair Oaks for many years and a past president of F.O. Rotary. My three children went to all the Fair Oaks schools.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: "B. Turner" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 19:50:37 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: B. Turner <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting

Message Body:

I have lived in Sacramento County for 25 years. I reside in Fair Oaks, and strongly request that Fair Oaks remain in Sacramento County when doing the redistricting...

Thank you for your anticipated attention to this VERY IMPORTANT issue.

B. Turner

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Subject: Let Fair Oaks stay in Fair Oaks

From: "sue.easterbrook" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 14:24:30 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

Citizens Redistricting Committee:

It only makes good sense to leave Fair Oaks in Sacramento County. Our business and our travels are here. We are familiar with our representatives; we are able to easily reach them in public and private forums. It seems that your committee is playing a numbers game and Fair Oaks loses.

Sincerely,

Suzanna Easterbrook

[REDACTED]
Fair Oaks, CA 95628

Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Suzanne Hensley <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 20:25:58 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Suzanne Hensley <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Comment about County Assembly Seat

Message Body:

Hello My name is Suzanne Hensley and I have lived in Fair Oaks for 18 years. I have two daughters who attend Earl LeGette Elementary School and we participate in the Fair Oaks Soccer Club

and the Fair Oaks Dolphins Swim Club and the Rancho Cordova Technique Gymnastics Club. We have enjoyed being the part of a small community. I am writing to request that Fair Oaks be added back to the Sacramento County Assembly Seat. Thank you for your time and consideration. Thank you, Suzanne

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Tom Askins <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 20:47:53 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Tom Askins <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks-- unincorporated

Message Body:

My name is Tom Askins and I am a past President of the Fair Oaks Chamber, a current Trustee of the Fair Oaks Cemetery District and an involved member of the Fair Oaks Community as well as a property owner since 1997. We in Fair Oaks NEED to stay in the Sacramento County Assemblty district as we do not fit in Placer County and have absolutely no services from Placer. We travel Hwy 50 to downtown. We ride our bikes on the American River Parkway. The commission drew a "community of interest" with FO in Sacramento. Let's keep it that way.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: "Gordon V. Scott" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 20:54:45 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Gordon V. Scott <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Congressional and Assembly Districts

Message Body:

While much better than the first proposal these still include a highly urbanized area into mostly rural districts. There is little commonality between the issues of such different areas in terms of economic issues, density of populations and social issues. Urban areas are more economically diverse, have dense populations and different social issues. For example, employment in urban areas is much more diverse, with all sizes and types of businesses and with populations that can support them within short distances. The opposite is true in more rural areas. The same can be said for issues like transportation, government services and emergency services.

Please include the urban areas of these proposed districts in the central Sacramento districts where there is much more commonality.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Alice Rowe <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 21:01:41 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Alice Rowe <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Moving Fair Oaks County Assembly Seat

Message Body:

I have lived in Fair Oaks for 26 years and I am involved in several organizations, such as the Fair Oaks Rotary Club, the Women's Thursday Club of F.O., and the Fair Oaks Inner Wheel. I believe strongly that Fair Oaks should not be in a district where Sacramento County residents make up only 20% of the voters. The vast majority of voters will have Placer County priorities, which are much different than ours. Please DO NOT move our community into the Placer Co. Assembly area. Thanks so much!!

We

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Roger Turner <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 21:26:51 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Roger Turner <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistrict lines

Message Body:

Please move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento county assembly district.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Suzanna Easterbrook <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 21:28:30 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Suzanna Easterbrook <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Redistricting

Message Body:

Please let Fair Oaks remain in Sacramento County. We live here, buy here, ride here.
We know our respresentatives and our county needs.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Michele Wong <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 21:31:41 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Michele Wong <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks belongs in Sacramento County district!

Message Body:

I have lived in Fair Oaks for 45 years, and attended Del Campo High School. I am now the CEO of Synergex International Corporation in Gold River, and continue to live with my family in Fair Oaks. Fair Oaks is a Sacramento County community. People in Fair Oaks shop, dine and attend schools and churches in Carmichael, Rancho Cordova, and Citrus Heights. Our community priorities are much more common with those communities than with the communities of Placer County. Our proposed Congressional district keeps Fair Oaks with the rest of Sacramento County, because that is our appropriate "community of interest". There is no reason to put us in a different area in the Assembly maps. I urge you to move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County assembly seat.

Respectfully,
Michele Wong
Fair Oaks Resident

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Subject: Please keep Fair Oaks in the Sacramento County Assembly seat

From: "Marty Maskall" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 06:42:03 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

To the Redistricting Commission:

Fair Oaks should not be in a district where Sacramento County residents make up only 20% of the voters. The vast majority of voters will have Placer County priorities, which are much different than ours.

I have lived in Fair Oaks since 1981. I was instrumental in saving the Fair Oaks Bluff. I own a local web design business. I am currently Project Manager for Folsom EcoHousing.

Fair Oaks has much more in common with its neighboring communities of Carmichael, Citrus Heights, and Rancho Cordova. We are not in a "community of interest" with Roseville, Rocklin, Loomis and Lincoln.

Please move Fair Oaks back into the Sacramento County Assembly seat.

Thank you.

Marty Maskall, [REDACTED] Fair Oaks, CA 95628 [REDACTED]

Subject: Please spare Rancho Cordova as you draw the lines on the map!

From: cathy hatcher <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 07:32:24 -0700 (PDT)

To: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>

Dear CRC Commi ssi oners,

I am forwarding, as it voices my own concerns very clearly and informatively, a message from one of my Rancho Cordova City Councilmen, Ken Cooley. Please consider his points and our city's best interests as you finalize maps this next week or so.

Thank you for your consideration,
Cathy Hatcher

[REDACTED]
Rancho Cordova, CA 95742

I write to express deep concern that unlike earlier drafts, the recent NorCal State Senate visualizations carve up the vibrant community and jobs powerhouse of Rancho Cordova, splitting our city and planning area neighborhoods among 4 Senate Districts. (Yuba, MtnCap, Foothill & Sac).

Since the community of Rancho Cordova is a highly diverse, urbanized jobs powerhouse community, one recognized nationally for a distinctive civic life (i.e. designated a 2010 All America City by the National Civic League, 2010), the spreading of its voters across four Senate districts that cover 38% of the entire state of California *defies ready explanation*.

The purpose of this note is to document and provide a number of Rancho Cordova's distinctive features which make this parceling out of the voters within our 96 square mile city and planning area especially difficult to grasp.

Facets which document Rancho Cordova's distinctiveness as a community of interest include:

1. Solid Community Identity: The only new city in Sacramento County in the last 30 years to be approved by its local voters the first time the question was placed on the ballot. It passed by 78%.
2. 2010 "All America City" Honoree: Just last year,

Rancho Cordova was selected by the National Civic League as one of 10 "All America Cities" nationwide. To win this honor, a community must demonstrate innovation, inclusiveness, civic engagement, and cross sector collaboration by describing successful efforts to address pressing local challenges.

3. A Community of Famously Diverse Neighborhoods: In 2002, Rancho Cordova's community was recognized by the Public Policy Institute of California, in a study entitled "Who's Your Neighbor", as the Number 1 community in the entire state for growing diversity between 1990 and 2000 and the Number 2 community statewide for maintaining diverse neighborhoods. (See: <http://www.ppic.org/main/publication.asp?i=163>)

4. A Highly Urbanized, Regional Jobs Powerhouse: Rancho Cordova grew up as an Air Force town and the headquarters city for Aerojet where work was performed that placed American astronauts on the moon. When the Air Force closed Mather Field in 1993, this community reinvented itself as a regional jobs center. Today, more persons are employed at Mather Field than at the time of its closure. The city and its adjacent neighborhoods have more private sector commercial office space than downtown Sacramento; employment in the city is estimated at 50,000 people, making Rancho Cordova among the largest employment subcenters in Northern California. Our industries cover a broad array of professional and business services, aviation, financial and insurance enterprises, and education and health services, trade, transportation. As just one part of this whole, our Mather Commerce Center has over 2 million sq. ft. of office space.

5. The Region's Top Jobs/Housing Ratio: By a standard measure of economic vigor, Rancho Cordova has the highest jobs/housing ratio of any city in the Sacramento region. In the region, the average is 1.2 jobs per Housing Unit. The estimated Jobs/Housing ratio of Rancho and other communities follows:

a.	Rancho Cordova	2.7
b.	City of Sacramento	2.0
c.	Elk Grove	0.6
d.	Folsom	1.3
e.	Roseville	1.4

Regarding the 38% Figure, Key Land Area Metrics are:

Rancho Cordova City Area - 35 Sq Mi

Rancho Cordova City Area + Sphere of Influence (SOI)/Planning

Area - 96 Sq Mi

Estimated Area of the 3 Proposed Senate seats inside city borders plus the 4th on city's western edge. - 62,493 Sq Mi

Total California Area is 163,000 Sq Mi

Thus the latest Senate "Visualizations" spread Rancho Cordova and its immediate neighbor voters (meaning across Bradshaw and surrounding the Rancho Cordova Library on our western edge) among 4 districts which cover 38% of the state's land area. As an aside, Rancho Cordova's entire 96 square mile planning area (basically city plus nearby neighborhoods) is just .058896% of the California's total area.

Thank you, Commissioners, for your diligent work in this vital endeavor and, of course, for your thoughtful consideration of this appeal on behalf my All America community.

I recognize this arrives late in your process but as stated at the outset, it was only when the latest Senate visualizations emerged that the gravity of what was proposed struck home. Our city currently hosts four separate school districts. We have learned the hard way how extraordinarily difficult it is for a single local government to maintain healthy and productive relationships with so many similarly situated entities. The four Senate district approach will severely disadvantage my community. I confess I find it difficult to imagine any single community elsewhere in California which could possibly be proposed for such a dramatic "slicing and dicing".

Onward and Upward,

Ken Cooley

Council member

City of Rancho Cordova

Cell

[REDACTED]

Home

[REDACTED]

City Hall

[REDACTED]

Office:

[REDACTED]

Subject: Proposed Redistricting maps

From: "Paula Mumm" [REDACTED] >

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 08:53:33 -0700

To: <[REDACTED]>

Hello-please see the attached letter.

Thank you for your time and consideration

Paula Mumm

RedistrictingMapsLetter.docx

Citizens Redistricting Commission
901 P Street, Suite 154-A
Sacramento, CA 95814
Fax: (916) [REDACTED]
Via Email to [REDACTED]

To Members of the Redistricting Commission:

Re: First Draft of Redistricting Maps, June 2010

I am disappointed to learn of some of the peculiar groupings that make up the districts in the first draft congressional map.

Ideally, congressional districts should be grouped together with other communities of interest; i.e. Folsom and Folsom Lake should be lumped together with El Dorado Hills and South Placer, rather than grouping us with Elk Grove.

We want to be represented along with other similarly situated communities that have common interests and needs. To lump a rural mountain community with the southern region of Sacramento and Elk Grove makes absolutely no sense. We want our representatives to speak for us and be knowledgeable of our communities and neighboring interests. Freeway boundaries should not dictate political lines. To draw the districts in such a manner is certainly convenient, but illogical.

Stretching the district boundaries for obvious political reasons will mean that the future representative of our community will not have his/her finger on the pulse of our area. It does our rural mountain area injustice, as it likewise does injustice to the residents of Elk Grove.

We ask you to please go back to the drawing board and fix this error that will have long term consequences in our congressional representation.

Sincerely,

Paula & Steven Mumm
[REDACTED]
Gold River, CA 95670
[REDACTED]

Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: Dawn Calcagno <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 14:39:38 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Dawn Calcagno <[REDACTED]>

Subject: redistricting

Message Body:

Redistricting Fair Oaks will never get our voice heard. This is unfair and counter productive in this unstable time. Please do not do this to our area.

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Subject: Public Comment: 9 - Sacramento

From: "Ruth A. Elliott" <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wed, 20 Jul 2011 14:46:06 +0000

To: [REDACTED]

From: Ruth A. Elliott <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Fair Oaks Redistricting

Message Body:

I have lived in Fair Oaks for 11 years and have recently become involved in the Fair Oaks Rotary. I just found out that Fair Oaks is being redistricted to the Placer County Assembly seat. Fair Oaks is a Sacramento community and should be in the Sacramento County Assembly seat. Our community will lose our voice if you combine us with Placer County. I URGE YOU, please DO NOT put our community in a seat with other voters who don't have the same priorities as those of us in Sacramento County.

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