Subject: Lodi Redistricting

From: Chuck Hill <

Date: Fri, 15 Jul 2011 10:50:00 -0700 (PDT)

To:

July 15, 2011

Dear Commissioners,

My name is Chuck Hill and I'm a businessman who has lived in Lodi since 2002. Thank you for making the changes to the SACEG Assembly Map last week which now puts Lodi in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Valley with Galt and Elk Grove instead of in Solano County. I know it wasn't an easy decision and, like others have said from Lodi, my first choice would have been to be with Stockton, but you did put us in Stockton when you could population-wise.

And when you couldn't you put us with San Joaquin you put us with our next best fit: Elk Grove. We are both growing suburban communities who depend on Highway 99 as our primary transportation route. Lodi certainly has much more in common with Elk Grove than with communities further north like Rancho Cordova. We can't get to Rancho Cordova without first driving through Elk Grove.

So, again, thank you for keeping us with our like communities in the Central Valley first and foremost! You've listened to us and we appreciate all of your efforts on our behalf. You don't need to change anything on the visualization map you viewed last week and I hope it will be your final map in a few weeks.

Sincerely,

Chuck HillLodi Resident

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**Subject:** SACEG assembly map.

From:

Date: Fri, 15 Jul 2011 23:12:56 +0000 (UTC)

To:

Dear CRC,

I wrote to you a few weeks ago to thank you for putting my community—Tracy--in the Western Assembly district with Stockton on your preliminary redistricting map. I also asked you to add Lathrop to the assembly district and to put Tracy and Stockton in the same congressional district. While you weren't able to meet all of my requests, your STKTN assembly map putting Tracy and Stockton together is key. I also want to commend you for taking Lodi out of the bay and putting it back in the Central Valley by pairing it with Galt and Elk Grove in your SACEG assembly map. Please adopt both of these maps as your final ones for our area. Thank you.

Marlene Jones

Tracy Arts Commissioner

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Subject: San Joaquin Pride Needs Your Help From: "Nicholas Hatten" < Date: Fri, 15 Jul 2011 17:57:00 -0400

To: "" <

Amessage from the newly formed San Joaquin Pride

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## San Joaquin Pride Center

## Dear LGBT Community Leader/Ally:

I write to you today asking for your support. A coalition of LGBT leaders have come together to build San Joaquin its very own LGBT pride community center and we need your help today. A pride center does not qualify for State or Federal funding thus leaving us reliant on support from within our community to make this project a reality.

Can you help us build our very own LGBT Pride Center by making a donation of \$10 today? Click here to join our Fabulous 500 campaign now.



San Joaquin County is the only urban county in Northern
California without our own pride center and the need for one couldn't be greater. Stories of local discrimination, harassment and prejudice were sadly shared during our very first Board of Director's meeting and we all walked away with a determined sense of urgency to launch our efforts immediately. From

stories involving survivors of rape not being taken seriously by Stockton PD and County Sheriffs to our brothers and sisters finding themselves homeless because of who they are—the need is now to provide a safe and welcome space for the LGBTQQIA community.

Please help us open a center within three months by making a \$10 donation today.

The Fabulous 500 campaign is designed to show how strong and broad the support for a pride center is. If 500 individuals step up and donate \$10, we will have the funds needed to open a center within three months. Please help us make this long time coming dream a reality by joining our Fabulous 500 campaign today! Each \$10 donor will get his/her name

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displayed on a poster that will be framed and displayed at the Center in perpetuity. If your unable to donate (or following your donation), please help us spread the word about our campaign by sharing this email with your friends and family.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Hatten

Executive Director

San Joaquin Pride Center

P.S. For more information on our Pride Center including our proposal and the names and biographies for our Board of Directors and staff, visit here: <a href="http://sanjoaquinpridecenter.weebly.com/index.html">http://sanjoaquinpridecenter.weebly.com/index.html</a>

The mission of the San Joaquin Pride Center is to serve the diverse LGBTQQIA community in San Joaquin County and the surrounding areas by creating a safe and welcoming space, by providing resources that enrich body, mind and spirit, and by educating the public in tolerance and respect for all people within the LGBTQQIA community.

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