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FAX TO: Mr. Daniel Claypool, Executive Director & Commissioners
Citizens Redistricting Commission
901 P Street, Suite 154-A
Sacramento, CA 95814

Fax:	
Phone:	
From: Val Ogburn	
Palm Springs, Ca. 92262	
Phone: Fax:	
Date: August 15, 2011	

Dear Commissioners and Director Claypool:

I am on record in June, during the preliminary hearings, for submitting my comments regarding redistricting for the Coachella Valley. Our area, as well as the entire state, have been done a grave disservice in proposing the maps as they are now being proposed.

I therefore urge you to permit Commissioner Ward to present a minority report regarding his position on the maps, and why he has voted no on this proposed maps.

There is constitutional mandate that is being overlooked and, in fact ignored, which says full disclosure and deliberations be above board and full view of the public. I fully expect you not only to listen to

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Commissioner Ward, but to delay certification of these maps due to the methods that have been used in the redistricting process. It is an outrage that these maps would even be considered being certified. Please allow Mr. Ward to speak on our behalf.

Sincerely,

Val Ogburn Palm Springs, Ca. 92262 **Subject:** Commissioner Ward's Minority Report

From: "Joan-Steve Smith" <

Date: Mon, 15 Aug 2011 01:32:39 -0700

To: <

Citizens Redistricting Committee Members:

I am concerned that the Coachella Valley has been split. I urge you to keep all the Coachella Valley cities together in Riverside County as in the previous map!

Additionally, please allow Commissioner Ward to present his Minority Report in the meeting on August 15th.

Thank you. Joan Smith Riverside County Voter

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Subject: Commissioner Ward's Minority Report

From: "Shupe, Christina" < christi

Date: Mon, 15 Aug 2011 14:14:05 -0700

To: Communications Office <

Executive Director Claypool:

Please allow Commissioner Ward to present a minority report regarding the proposed Redistricting Maps!

Thank you. Joan Smith Riverside County California

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Subject: Permit Ward to file report

From: "Helen Whelchel" <

Date: Mon, 15 Aug 2011 11:41:07 -0700

To: <

CC: < "Ellen Swensen" <

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PETITION TO THE CALIFORNIA CITIZENS' REDISTRICTING COMMISSION

We the undersigned hereby request that the California Citizen's Redistricting Commission permit Commissioner Michael Ward file a minority report explaining his reasons for voting against the state and federal legislative districts in California.

The Commission's Code of Conduct requires commissioners to "disclose information that belongs in the public domain freely and completely." Article 21 of the state Constitution, provides in Section 2(a) that the commission shall "conduct an open and transparent process enabling full public consideration of and comment on the drawing of district lines."

These goals and critera will not be met if Commissioner Ward is muzzled. All Commissioners should be allowed to file a full and complete minority report to the public on the Commission website and to the media.

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Subject: Public Comment: 2 - Riverside

From: ellen swensen <

Date: Mon, 15 Aug 2011 22:55:54 +0000

To:

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Subject: Assembly Map Politically Driven!

Message Body:

Dear CRC,

Why would you reflect the Coachella Valley's tourism economy in the Congressional and Senate maps and then do something completely irrational and inconsistent for the Assembly map?! It is obvious that you are trying to protect the seat of Manny Perez. You just re-drew AD80 as it was, and guess what? It was considered a HUGE GERRYMANDER!!! You just gerrymandered us again and split our tourism cities once again. I have told Nevadans to NEVER vote for a citizen redistricting committee. You were so obviuously corrupted by Blanco, et al.

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Subject: Public Comment: 2 - Riverside

From: Joan Smith <

Date: Mon, 15 Aug 2011 08:27:53 +0000

To:

From: Joan Smith <

Subject: Commissioner Ward's Minority Report

Message Body:

Citizens Redistricting Committee Members:

I am very concerned that the Coachella Valley has been split and request that all the Coachella Valley cities remain together in Riverside County, as in the previous map.

Additionally, I request that Commissioner Ward be allowed to present his Minority Report at the meeting on August 15th.

Thank you.

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Subject: redistricting

From: "Roland Crawford" <

Date: Mon, 15 Aug 2011 15:08:52 -0700

To:

I urge you to allow Commissioner Michael Ward to file a minority report explaining his reasons for voting against the state and federal legislative districts in California.

Thank you,

Roland Crawford

Thousand Palms, CA 92276

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This courageous commissioner must be allowed to file a full and complete minority report which must be disclosed to the public on the Commission website and to the media as soon as possible.

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