Subject: Creating an Asian American District in Southern California

From: Nancy Yao <

Date: Sun, 7 Aug 2011 21:06:21 -0700

To:

Dear Commission Members and Staff:

For Senate District 22 - LACVN, we urge you to connect the West San Gabriel Valley -- Monterey Park, Alhambra, and Rosemead -- with East San Gabriel Valley -- Walnut, Diamond Bar, Hacienda Heights, and Rowland Heights. Connecting these two regions is best for these communities because these communities share similar characteristics: income levels, education levels, language usage, and race.

Of particular importance is that these two regions have one of the highest concentrations of Asian immigrants. As Asian immigrants, they share similar challenges, concerns, and needs, such as language barriers and access to government services; these residents would benefit from residing in the same Senate District so that their voice will be magnified, leading to their needs and priorities more likely to be addressed by an elected official who shares a similar background, history, and culture.

Please unite these two areas together.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Nancy Yao

From: Andy Riggs <

Date: Sun, 7 Aug 2011 16:06:57 +0000

To:

From: Andy Riggs ≤ Subject: El Segundo

Message Body:

I completely oppose the proposed move to redraw State Assembly and Senate Maps which would separate El Segundo from it's neighboring coastal beach cities to the south. El Segundo and it's residents have nothing in common with the communities you propose we join and our interests obviously will not be best served by combining our representation.

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This mail is sent via contact form on Citizens Redistricting Commission

From: Cheryl Wright <

Date: Sun, 7 Aug 2011 16:07:45 +0000

To:

From: Cheryl Wright ≤
Subject: Redistricting - El Segundo

Message Body:

How can you separate El Segundo from the other beach communities? Do we need to include Beach in our cities name? We're tired of being treated like we're not a beach community. Please keep us as we are.

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This mail is sent via contact form on Citizens Redistricting Commission

From: Garrett Maynard <

Date: Mon, 8 Aug 2011 00:02:17 +0000

To:

From: Garrett Maynard ≤ Subject: Congressional Maps

Message Body:

I have said this before and I will say it again. You are drawing the lines regarding Long Beach in such a way that the Port is being represented by a congressional representative who does not represent the interests of the people directly affected by the port's operations. To have so much of our representation lie in Orange County, who may have differing views on the port than those that are directly impacted should not happen. I am deeply upset that this commission failed to have a second set of drawings with hearings before issuing the final drawings. I supported and voted for this commission; but I see that was an error, as you have failed to meet my expectations.

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This mail is sent via contact form on Citizens Redistricting Commission

From: Michael Crist <

Date: Mon, 8 Aug 2011 05:18:00 +0000

To:

From: Michael Crist <

Subject: Do not Gerrymander the South Bay area of L.A. County

Message Body:

I am writing to strongly oppose the blatant Gerrymandering of the COI known as the "South Bay" of L.A. County. This comprises the predominantly beach communities of El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Torrance, Lomita and the Palos Verdes Penninsula. In fact, it boggles the mind why an area of this size and historical significance as a unique COI in the state does not warrant it's own Congressional district alone. Thank you.

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This mail is sent via contact form on Citizens Redistricting Commission

From: Michael Lourey <

Date: Sun, 7 Aug 2011 19:22:41 +0000

To:

From: Michael Lourey <

Subject: Redistricting of El Segundo CA?

Message Body:

Please leave my home town of El Segundo in the same district as the South Bay beach communities of Manhattan, Hermosa & Redondo Beaches. We have much more in common with these communities, and should remain together with them as opposed to the proposed changed grouping.

Thank you

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This mail is sent via contact form on Citizens Redistricting Commission

From: Nancy <

Date: Sun, 7 Aug 2011 23:05:13 +0000

To:

From: Nancy <

Subject: Re-districting

Message Body:

Hello,

I just found out that my home, located North of the 118 Freeway, but South of Sesnon, is being put in a district with a completely different valley -- the Santa Clarity Valley. This makes no sense at all! We are located in the San Fernando valley and should have a voice as part of the San Fernando Valley. Somebody has made a big mistake -- and this issue needs to be discussed with the community. Please tell me when the next meeting is and I will come to express my concern.

Thank you,,

Nancy G.

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