

**Subject:** Beach Cities Congressional District

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**To:** <[REDACTED]>

Dear Redistricting Commission,

I request that the **Beach Cities Congressional District be redrawn to include Westchester, El Segundo, Hawthorne, Manhattan Beach, Hermosa Beach, all of Torrance, the Palos Verdes Peninsula, Lomita, Harbor City, San Pedro, and as much of Wilmington as possible.**

The current lines combine Santa Monica and Malibu with the South Bay Beach cities and the Palos Verdes Peninsula. Santa Monica and the South Bay, though both coastal areas, have very different demographics and interests.

The cities from Westchester to San Pedro share many more common interests, and the residents of these areas would be better represented as one cohesive unit.

Thank you,

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