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Message:

I am over 18 years of age, and I am a registered voter. I live in Hunt County in Greenville, TX , and Congressional District 4. The testimony I give today is based upon my personal knowledge from my experience in my community and as a citizen of the State of Texas.

I want any new district map to fairly represent the voting patterns of Texas. In Texas, all of our statewide officials are Republican. Therefore, any new Congressional seats awarded to Texas as a result of the increase of the Texas population should represent the voting pattern of the state of Texas which is Republican.

I want the new map to reflect One person, One vote, as provided in the U.S. Constitution, by Citizens of the United States of America living in Texas.

It is important to me that districts are created so that there is approximately equal voting power through people Legally eligible to vote as a legal "Citizen of the United States of America" living in the great state of Texas. No exceptions. I want to emphasize that I believe it is important that redistricting is accomplished by our elected officials, like you, who are accountable to the people of Texas.

I very strongly oppose any so-called "Independent Panel" that is not elected by the people of the State of Texas.

Allowing redistricting to be done by an appointed panel takes away my voice and the voice of people like me in this very important process.

I hope that my testimony, based upon my personal knowledge of the community in which I live, is helpful to you in the redistricting process.

Thank you and God bless America