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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

I oppose SB 4 and any attempts to redistrict the US Congressional boundaries until after the next US census in 2030. This is shameful that Governor Abbott and Texas Republicans are holding flood relief and warning system funding hostage in order to maintain favor of Donald Trump and billionaire donors. Donald Trump and Texas Republicans are not entitled to five additional seats, they should be trying to earn them, not scam them.

I heard a recent interview where Matt Little stated that the reason Texas Republicans are doing this is "Because we can. Because it's good for the party." Nowhere did he say because it's what constituents want because we constituents don't want this redistricting. It's already unfair that while about 45 percent of Texas voters support Democrats in statewide elections, Democrats only hold less than 35 percent of the seats in Texas delegation in the US House. By trying to decrease Democrats' seats by 5, that will put Democratic representation under 25 percent. Even if you don't agree with Democrats' positions, Texas Democratic-leaning constituents deserve to have representation that is close in percentage to the way they vote in statewide elections.