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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

As a resident of Texas for 20 years, having grown up and moved from small town to midsize city to big city all within this state, I have been a firsthand witness to our increasing population growth and diversity. Understandably, when we experience these population growths, redistricting is necessary in order to provide the most accurate representation for us as well as our new neighbors. However, this necessary redistricting often comes after a census, and this current attempt at redistricting mid-decade is very clearly due to orders directly from Washington DC on behalf of President Trump, in order to secure five additional congressional seats in a GOP power grab. As a resident of Texas, I am appalled at the disrespect towards our communities of color as this redistricting will disproportionally affect them. I strongly urge Texas lawmakers to reconsider this redistricting as its intent is clear: to rig the next election, and to suppress the voices of Texas voters. I encourage Texas lawmakers to focus their efforts instead on flood relief, which our counties in the Hill country so desperately need, instead of securing power for their own interests and against the interest of Texans. Thank you for your time and attention.