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Regarding: Congressional

Message:
In OPPOSITION to the Texas Redistricting Movement

The deluded and brazen endeavor by the Texas Governor and Texas Legislature to carry out a mid-decade redistricting of Congressional Districts must be stopped. It is undoubtedly a move to suck up to the most corrupt presidential administration of all time, led by a pathological liar, convicted felon, self-aggrandizing, racist and most cruel White House occupant of all time.

Texas is about 60% brown, black and asian and less than 40% anglo. In spite of the Republican's governing this state in such a manner as to doing all that they can to suppress the "minority" vote and that of Democrats, the top of the tickets in major elections votes only about 54% for Republicans. They currently hold a disproportionate 66% of Congressional seats (25 of 38) and hope to claim 79% of future seats (30 of 38) through further gerrymandering an already unfairly gerrymandered state.

The key targets appear to be Congressional Districts currently held by minority representatives, a clearly further and illegal racial gerrymandering which must not be allowed to occur. The FACT that NO proposed maps have been published, and will likely not be published until the "last minute", is further evidence that this endeavor is a cynical manipulation of what should be a multi-month's long, open, well debated process as happens following every decennial census. As I write this and as the very limited public hearings take place, the public is left in the dark as to the damage that this redistricting is going to impose by disenfranchising minorities through racial gerrymandering. As a white, male, senior citizen from one of the wealthier communities in Texas, i.e. Southlake, I am grossly offended by these actions of the Republican controlled legislature.

It is most evident that the passage of the Big Bastardized Bill, which is overwhelmingly hated by the public at large, the cruel and inhumane ICE deportation actions which are taking place primarily against peaceable, hard working, tax paying people with NO criminal history, the State of Texas' poor handling of the Guadalupe River flood warning systems and response and other despicable

actions taken by Republican legislatures has put them into a losing position which they are trying to overcome by illegally rigging future elections.

The Voting Rights Act and the Constitution of the United States of America must be followed. The endeavor to redistrict is likely in violation of these laws and shall result in expensive, lengthy litigation which will be of no benefit to the State of Texas, the power hungry GOP or to the citizens themselves. STOP IT, STOP IT, STOP IT!

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