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## Message:

I'm firmly against redrawing legislative maps in ways that take away fair representation. When politicians gerrymander, it chips away at our democracy and at the basic idea that every Texan's voice and vote should matter the same. Redistricting shouldn't be used as a way to hang on to power or shut certain communities out. Unfortunately, we've seen that happen here in Texas before—with maps that clearly favor one party or target specific groups. That kind of manipulation isn't just wrong; it goes against federal law and the very principles a fair democracy is supposed to stand for.