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Message:

To the members of the Congressional Redistricting Committee:

I am writing to express my dissent and disappointment in the actions of the leaders of this committee, the Legislature, and the state to redraw its districts with the explicit intent to benefit the current political party in power. These actions leveraged the tragedy experienced by the Kerrville community for political and personal gain. They disregard true and immediate public policy issues the people of the state are experiencing and will continue to experience for a power consolidation by a few.

The current plan, as with maps prior, creates an unfair and inaccurate representation of the state's communities. It continues to create confusing and inefficient means against responsive government, discouraging and devaluing the relationship between citizens and their government.

I am writing not necessarily in defense of the Democratic Party, its members, and its supporters, but on behalf and in defense of all the people of Texas, regardless of their political affiliation, who deserve to have an electoral system that is sensible and adequately considers their communities. This is unfair to all Texans who have a right to choose representatives who will reflect their interests and communities in local, state, and federal government.

It is an irresponsible use of power to create maps that benefit yourselves and one party before the

people. It is not the party in power that decides who wins, maintains, or loses power, but the people. For officials already in power to do so is the antithesis of the most basic principles of representative democracy.

I encourage this committee reconsider and use its resources to create a truly fair map of Texas, one that reflects all the communities that make Texas the state it is.

Thank you,  
Brenda Seis

