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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

I wanted to voice my concern about the proposed redistricting efforts. Although a proposed redistricting map has not been shared publicly, the proposed approach appears to be racial targeting, suppressing the voices of many citizens of Texas, and an assault on minority voting rights.

First, the districts were redrawn in 2020, and nothing has justified spending my tax payer money drawing them again before 2030. Second, Donald Trump has already publicly stated that he wants the state of Texas to redraw the districts to pick up five more House seats. The approach to achieve that goal is expanding a single party's districts currently represented by a colored majority by just enough that the colored vote cannot overcome an electable majority in the new proposed districts – i.e., racial gerrymandering.

40% of the state population is Anglo and 60% are colored. Yet two thirds of districts were voted in by Anglo majority already gerrymandered districts from 2020. The candidates of the 60% colored majority have just one-third of the elected seats. This is unjustified and an assault on colored people's rights.

Texans need their vote to mean something and be represented fairly in government. The colored population of Texas deserves the districts to be redrawn to increase their voice, not further reduce their supported legislators. So please redraw the districts to allow more colored people to be represented instead of an existing single party increasing the likelihood to win more future legislative seats.

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