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Message:

I am very concerned about Texas redistricting currently. The process seems rushed in a special session, without enough public discussion, during a time when many Texans are grieving, and the reason why seems obvious. For the least cynical and sinister reasons why Trump might want to do this now, is a clear power strangle in light of a number of bad bills and orders passed and carried out at the state level in Texas, as well as the Federal level in DC, for which both Republican-controlled governments pushed. People are increasingly aware of the fact that their representatives have dramatically and systematically turned their back on them, in favor of mega donors and personal power grabs. By redistricting us again, especially at Trump's calling of Abbott, the power of the people will undoubtedly risk being further gerrymandered in order to disenfranchise voters even more. These attempts intentionally work to disenfranchise historically marginalized communities, especially black and immigrant communities. They section off democratically leaning voting blocks to weaken their count per district. I adamantly oppose redistricting and I hope that our legislators will protect Texans from this push towards yet another tyrannical power grab.

Thank you for your time!