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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

I am commenting my strong disapproval for the redistricting of Texas in this special legislative session. I vote because I believe my voice matters, and it is one of the only direct actions I as a citizen of this state and country can do to impact what happens to me and the people I love. The laws that are passed, public officials that hold office and for how long, these are all decisions we as Texans should have a part in making. My voice SHOULD MATTER. I refuse to allow this indiscriminate abuse of power without at least having my voice heard. If the redistricting plan goes through the way I expect it's intended to, my vote will no longer be part on an election, but a selection by the rich and powerful for whoever THEY want to represent them, not the actual citizens of this state.

I firmly a resolutely oppose any redistricting efforts intended to silence or diminish the voices of Democratic voters. To gerrymander the state to this degree undermines the democratic process, manipulates district lines to favor one party of another, and dilutes the power of the communities in Texas that will be most harshly affected. Efforts to redraw these lines under such partisan values sows distrust in our public officials, and allows even more dissent and frustration in an already very divided state. With a state as diverse as Texas, our political spectrum should be just as varied and inclusive at the state level. The right to representation is not reserved for the rich and powerful, but for all citizens of Texas, and the United States.