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Message:

I lived in 78704 for 15 years. Just moved to Buda. Currently am out of state til September. With her permission, Sharing the speech prepared by my friend, Beth Burns. THIS MATTER IS URGENT THROUGHOUT THE NATION. I hope someone cares!!!

Here is Ms Burns excellent comment with which every person I know of, AGREES. THANK YOU.

Here's my speech for this go around:

I live just west of here in the Cuernavaca neighborhood, [REDACTED]. It's a small, quiet, tight-knit place where we have lake picnics, holiday parades, and where neighbors rat out each other's kids for driving too fast or making out behind the Valero. We're a community, and we're very lucky. My mom lives an eight-minute walk from me. Two-minute drive if I'm feeling lazy. Right now, we're all in Congressional District 37, represented by Lloyd Doggett. He's local, reachable, accountable. Under this new map, Cuernavaca will be ripped into three different districts.

I'll likely be in District 10 with Mr. McCaul. My mom, blocks away from me, in 17 with Mr. Sessions. Our little neighborhood cut up like a bad piece of steak, dispersed into rural areas that stretch hours away, represented by people who probably couldn't pronounce

Cuernavaca, much less speak to our needs.

Fun fact: District 10, that will be my new home, goes all the way out to Bryan, 2.5 hours east, which recently got a brand new resident.

It's home to Camp Bryan, the minimum security prison where the President just had Ghislaine Maxwell moved. So I'll be sharing my new rep with her. Not my mom. Her.

Which brings us back to redistricting - the thing so important that the Governor put it first on the docket before flood mitigation. It's

not for good governance. It's not for me or any of our neighbors across this great state. It splits our communities apart and makes us

less safe, less prosperous, less heard, so that it doesn't matter much when we try to fight child predators being brought to town for

more agreeable digs. It's all about one man and his weird choices in friends.

Please don't hurt all of us just to protect him. Stand up for your constituents. Choose Texans over Trump.

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