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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

Chair & Committee members,

My name is Richard Howe. I live in Plano, Tx. Thank you for the opportunity to provide my comments.

I am currently represented by Jeff Leach in state house district 67, by Angela Paxton in state senate district 8, and Pat Fallon in congressional district 4.

I urge this redistricting committee to put forward a joint resolution for a ballot referendum to establish an independent, non-partisan commission be responsible for redistricting.

District boundaries should be drawn compact and contiguous. Many of our districts are not. The configuration of those that are not undermines the principles of fair representation. They defy logical and geographic coherence. And they compromise the integrity of democratic processes. Frankly, it's embarrassing.

Let's stop letting the majority party pick their voters and get back to voters picking their elected officials.

Thank you.