

First Name: Sarah Last Name: West Title: Mrs.

Organization: self

Address:
City: Austin
State: TX
Zipcode:
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Affirm public info: I agree

Regarding: Congressional

Message:

My name is Sarah West, and I'm representing myself. I live in Northwest Austin, in the current Congressional District 37.

But under this new map, someone in the White House wants to move me into CD 10—a district that stretches almost to Louisiana. That makes no sense. Austinites don't have the same concerns as people in East Texas. We deserve representation that reflects our community. Meanwhile, my neighbor just down the road would remain in CD 37. I called Representative Doggett's office to share my concerns. The woman who answered listened—really listened. She even laughed when I told her to add exclamation points to my comments. The next day, I got a call from Madison—yes, I'm naming her—because she's doing the real work for Doggett's constituents. She made sure I knew about the House hearing last week because she wanted me to be able to use my voice. That's who I want to represent me. But if this map goes through, I'll have to call Rep. McCaul's office—someone who doesn't know me or my neighborhood. My voice will be lost in a district stretched thin and wide by design.

I submitted testimony online, watched the hearings, and testified at the Capitol. Over and over again, you were told NO by Texans from across the state. On HB4 and SB4, we are united. We don't want more gerrymandering. I stand with the House Democrats. They are doing the will of Texans. They understand this is cheating and changing the rules in the middle of the decade.

If you care about the Texans you were elected to represent, you'll vote NO.

Free yourself from the chains of the White House.

Stand up for your district.

Vote NO on SB4.