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Regarding: Congressional

Message:  
Members of the Texas Legislature,

My name is Stephanie Barrow, and  
I am a Texas native.

I am writing to express my unequivocal opposition to the proposed redistricting legislation currently under consideration. This measure is not only unnecessary—it is a blatant partisan power grab designed to further entrench minority rule in a state where the majority of voters do not support the party pushing this agenda.

Texas is already one of the most gerrymandered states in the country. The proposed district map does not reflect the actual demographics or political will of our population. Rather than serving the people of Texas, this legislation serves the interests of a political minority that is increasingly reliant on manipulating electoral boundaries to retain control.

There has been no legitimate, data-driven justification for this redistricting effort. The

only clear impetus comes from Donald Trump who solely prioritizes personal gains over democratic integrity. Redistricting outside the regular post-Census cycle is not standard practice. Instead, it is a distortion of the process intended to further weaken fair representation for millions of Texans.

This legislation would silence the voices of non-Republican voters—who in fact make up a majority of the state’s registered electorate. That is not governance - that is disenfranchisement. It is morally indefensible and legally dubious.

I urge this body to reject this legislation and instead commit to restoring faith in our democratic institutions by pursuing electoral reforms that reflect the will of the people—not the whims of a party who is trying to maintain control while clinging to deeply unpopular policies.

Texans deserve fair representation. Not partisan manipulation.

Thank you.

