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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

Within a few days of the Fourth of July floods, I contacted my state lawmakers and the governor's office to request that flood response and disaster preparedness be put on the agenda for the special session. Many others made the same request. We did not ask for redistricting to be added. Only President Trump asked for that and the governor acquiesced. I am a resident of CD 18. We do not currently have a representative, following the death of Rep. Sylvester Turner. The governor has already played political games with our district by not calling the special election till November. Now our district is one of the districts targeted for redistricting. You all were sent to Austin to represent all Texans and to try to make our lives better, not to do the bidding of one person. That is not the democratic process. As your constituent, here is what I request you do: 1. Focus solely on flood response and disaster preparedness during this special session. Strike everything else from the agenda; 2. When it is time for redistricting, establish an independent, nonpartisan body to draw fair maps. Only with fair maps can all Texans have the chance to be represented as they choose.

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