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Affirm public info: I agree

Regarding: Congressional

Message:

I live in Allandale which is located in Austin in Congressional District 35. I am strongly opposed to these efforts to increase Republican representation at the expense of the representation of the community by redistricting our congressional districts mid-census. I call on you to appoint an independent, nonpartisan commission to give us districts that represent all Texans in compact, connected, communities of interest. The current partisan method does not produce good representation that benefits Texans. Instead of actions that would reduce the escalation of climate change, we get laws to increase carbon dioxide emissions. These disregard the cause of increased natural disaster and have lead to deaths by flooding, hurricanes, tornadoes, ice storms and heat waves, including precious children. With gerrymandered maps, we get a state legislature that does not pass laws to improve emergency preparedness and communication in the regular session. Our car and home insurance rates are going through the roof. With gerrymandered districts, we give tax breaks to billionaires while taking away health insurance from thousands of Texans. We need an independent redistricting commission to draw fair maps for Texans.

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