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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

Dear Senate Redistricting Committee Members,

I have advocated previously for an independent, nonpartisan redistricting commission to draw redistricting maps and give all Texans fair representation. The special session was called to draw highly gerrymandered maps at the request of President Trump. Doing so will negate the votes of millions of Texans in a rushed process that will not have time for public input. No Texans have asked for this special session, and it will set a bad precedent. Instead of focusing on redistricting without a new census or an independent commission to provide fair maps, focus on preventing future tragedies and providing relief for the Texans hit by flooding and other natural disasters. Focus on improving infrastructure and emergency preparedness and other key issues for our state. Listen to Texans and do not draw new redistricting maps unless you form a nonpartisan redistricting commission first.  
Thank you for your attention.

Regards,  
Maria Person

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