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Regarding: Congressional

Message:

As a Tarrant County resident, I am concerned about the state's premature effort at redistricting mid-decade.

Not only are the 2021 maps still tied up in court but the legislature has presented no draft maps upon which to seek public comment. The time frame for hearings provides short notice and limited hours for public comment.

Although the growth of the county in recent years has included an increase in people of color, notably Hispanic, but also African-American and Asian-American, redistricting prematurely seems clearly aimed at diluting their representation, i.e., racial gerrymandering, under the guise of partisan political redistricting.

Texans deserve better. The Texas Legislature can do better.