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Subject: INETMAIL: Redistricting Public Input
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Affirm public info: I agree

Regarding: Senate

Message:

I see you have created another nonsensical Congressional district map designed purely to serve Republican interests.

In what world does this make sense? It makes NO sense if your goal is to allow neighbors, networks, and business communities to collectively decide for themselves the best leaders and representatives. It makes TOTAL sense if your goal is to completely drown out the voices of left-leaning zip codes by lumping them in with overwhelmingly red counties and precincts.

Y'all are ensuring that voters in the panhandle, 400 miles and a 6 hour drive from my house, will get to make decisions to govern Denton. How long has it been since you've made the drive from North Texas to the panhandle? I drive it about once a year, and I can assure you there is a huge difference in the needs and concerns of these two areas. Completely different economies, transportation networks, infrastructure even weather.

We see what you're doing. We know you're trying to silence the voices of minority voters and urban voters. The eyes of the nation are on you and you should be ashamed.

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