

July 11, 2011

Mr. Curt Pedersen  
Boundary Review Committee  
500 West Temple Street, Room 383  
Los Angeles, Ca. 90012

Re; Redistricting of the 4<sup>th</sup> Supervisorial District

Mr. Pedersen,

I write you this letter today because I am unable to personally speak before the Board of Supervisors this week regarding this matter.

As a long time resident and business owner in the City of La Mirada, I am extremely anguished over the possibility of having our City moved into a district the is not represented by Supervisor Don Knabe.

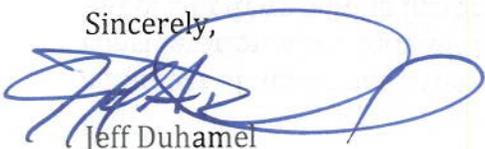
When moving my family into the City of La Mirada from Orange County I took into account a number of important issues. Over and above the typical reasons a family may take into consideration when moving, three items weighed heavily on my mind. The first and most important determining factor for me was local government, the second being fiscal policies and the third being our representative on the Board of Supervisors.

I have known Mr. Don Knabe for longer then I have lived in Los Angeles County and when considering a move into Los Angeles County I was determined to move into a city that was represented by Mr. Knabe.

Mr. Knabe has for many years represented our community in a matter characteristic of our civic values and approach to local governance. Mr. Knabe is a vital and integral part of our community; so vital I am unwilling to idly stand by as others attempt to sever this extraordinary relationship.

I strongly encourage you and your committee to reconsider the prospect of severing our community from the Supervisor we have so strongly supported at the polls these many years. Having been elected time and time again to serve as our representative, I take great exception to any organization or committee that would not seek our approval on such an important matter. Let the peoples voice be heard in this mater for we the voters know what is best for our community.

Sincerely,



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