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Mr. Curt Pederson, Chair  
Boundary Review Committee  
500 West Temple Street, Room 383  
Los Angeles, California 90012

Re: Comments Advocating for a Second Latino Supervisorial District

Dear Mr. Pederson:

I am writing on the behalf of the San Gabriel Valley Conservation Corps (SGVCC), to formally request that the Boundary Review Committee draw redistricting maps that will lead to the creation of two Latino Supervisorial districts. For the SGVCC, and the residents of the San Gabriel Valley it is important to have elected officials that address the need of the Latino community.

Because Los Angeles County is approximately 48% Latino there should be more than one Latino Supervisor in order to have equitable representation. As a non-profit 501©3 organization, the SGVCC provides vital services to disadvantaged youth throughout the County of Los Angeles, specifically in the San Gabriel Valley so we can speak to needs of this region. That is why the SGVCC believes that it is imperative to have more than one Latino Supervisor that understands the growing concerns of our communities such as the lack of access to health services to Latinos and the lack of social services that are culturally competent.

The Boundary Review Committee needs to consider the needs of Latino population and adhere to the Voting Rights Act. The SGVCC urges the Boundary Review Committed to create a fair and just map that incorporated the needs of the growing Latino community.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Daniel Roybal Oaxaca  
Executive Director/Founder