

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 7:07 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting of Supervisorial District

Please note that:

Albert S. Golbert, and
Miriam J. Golbert

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, CA 90024

oppose the proposed redistricting plan preferring the retain the current district plan.

Albert and Miriam Golbert

From: Brian Folb [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 10:02 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: OPPOSITION TO REDISTRICTING PLANS "S2" & "T1"

To: Board of Supervisors:

I am a residential property owner in Toluca Lake & a member of the Board of Directors of the Toluca Lake Home Owners Association. I would like to place on record my strong opposition to the proposed redistricting plans S2 & T1 as inappropriate & ill conceived. The dividing of long established communities of interest is a violation of one of the key principals of redistricting. In the area of Toluca Lake, these maps would separate Toluca Lake from its neighbors, thereby harming the ability of this area to speak with one voice on critical issues such as development and transportation improvements along the 101 freeway corridor and Barham Blvd. These maps would also divide the voice of the community by splitting-up neighborhoods that are protected by the Mulholland Scenic Parkway Specific Plan Area, that are active in the Federation of Hillside and Canyon Homeowners, and that are active in Communities United for Smart Growth.

These plans would further add to voter confusion by moving roughly 3.5 million people into a new district--giving them a new political representative for whom they never had a chance cast a ballot.

I thereby respectfully urge the board to reject the redistricting proposed by these plans.

Sincerely,

Brian Folb

[REDACTED]
Toluca Lake, CA. 91602

From: Landres Bruce [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 8:29 AM
To: CommServ
Subject: reconfiguration of the third district

I live in West Los Angeles and am absolutely opposed to the reconfiguration of the Third Supervisor District where we reside. We are comfortable with population that is served and request that the areas be maintained as is.

Sincerely,

Bruce Landres, MD
[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, CA 90024
[REDACTED]

--- On **Thu, 9/1/11, Marcene Landres** [REDACTED] wrote:

From: CommServ
Subject: RE: Redistricting of the 3rd Supervisor's District

-----Original Message-----

From: Carmen Carrasco [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 3:54 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting of the 3rd Supervisor's District

As a resident of Studio City, I strongly oppose and object to the plans to redraw the boundaries of our district. I do not feel it is in the best interests of our local community.

Sincerely,
Carmen Carrasco
[REDACTED]
Studio City, CA 91604

Member
Studio City Residents Organization

From: Cathy Kay [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 9:27 AM
To: CommServ
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Please Reject Redistricting Plans T1 and S2; Support Redistricting Plan A3

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors
Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012
commserv@bos.lacounty.gov

Dear Honorable Board Members,

I am a second generation Angeleno. I was raised in the hills of Sherman Oaks and have lived in the Valley or on the Westside most of my life. I currently own a home in the Sherman Oaks neighborhood north of Fashion Square. I have looked at proposed Redistricting Plan maps T1, S2 and A3. I am deeply concerned by the district lines proposed in maps T1 and S2 and I urge that these Redistricting Plans be rejected.

Placing the San Fernando Valley in a district with LAX, Long Beach and the South Bay makes no sense, nor does splitting up Sherman Oaks and separating it from other parts of the Valley. The SD4 district lines in map T1 and the SD3 district lines in map S2 do not reflect the natural geography of the city or maintain the close historical community relationships between the Valley and its closest neighbors. I, like most of my neighbors, shop and do business equally in the Valley and "over the hill" on the Westside - my life is intertwined in both parts of town and I pay attention to the governmental issues in both areas. In contrast, my excursions to the airport, the beach and the other areas down south in the proposed district are infrequent - they are fun places to visit, but I do not know their local governance concerns and they are not places for my local communities to share governance with.

If the unnatural, elongated SD4/SD3 district lines proposed in maps T1/S2 (respectively) are adopted, all of the residents in every part of the new district would be disenfranchised. No Supervisor, no matter how effective the staff, would be able to properly represent such a geographically spread out area, especially when one end of the district is virtually unreachable from the other in modern day traffic.

I urge you to reject Redistricting Plans T1 and S2, and adopt Redistricting Plan A3. Map A3 reflects much more natural district lines for SD3, and respects the geographic realities and long-standing communal interests of the county that I grew up in and love.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Catherine Kay
Homeowner, SD3

From: Edelson [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 10:58 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Third District Changes

I urge you not to change the Third Supervisorial District.

I am a resident of the Third District.

Charles Edelson
[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, CA 90024

From: Eve Wagner [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 4:33 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Maps T1 & S2 / Redistricting - Sept. 6, 2011 hearing

I strongly oppose the gerrymandered T1 & S2 maps. This would destroy the work that has been done over the past two decades. Please only vote for a map that would meet the voting act requirements *without* reassigning 3.5 million people into districts with a Supervisor they did not vote for.

Thank you,

Eve H. Wagner

[REDACTED]
Topanga, CA 90290

From: Michael D. Antonovich
Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 9:02 AM
To: CommServ
Subject: FW: The Rowland Heights Gazette: Lynne Ebenkamp clears the Air Pollution

Importance: High

FYI

From: Cindy [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Monday, August 29, 2011 3:10 PM
To: 'Beth Hojnacke'; [REDACTED]; 'Charles Liu'; 'Cocos'; 'John Bellah'; 'John Grant'; 'Lynne Ebenkamp'; 'Szu-pei Lu'; 'Ted Ebenkamp'; Don Knabe; Gloria Molina; SecondDistrict; Michael D. Antonovich; Yaroslavsky, Zev
Cc: Simmons, Dick; Morales, Jorge
Subject: The Rowland Heights Gazette: Lynne Ebenkamp clears the Air Pollution
Importance: High

Lynne Ebenkamp is clearing the Air in a Pot of Confusion. You see, a standard Political Ploy is to make the situation Confusing like using A1 and T1. One wrong stroke of the keys and Armageddon starts.

Try these Labels: 1) This is Gloria Molina's segregationist pre 1960's, "this seat belongs to Latinos only Plan" and 2) "this is Don Knabe's integrationist post 1960's equal opportunity non-ethnic bias plan and this seat belongs to anyone who can upset the Status Quo Plan."

Under the Molina Mentality there must be the guarantee of one American Chinese seat, one American Nigerian seat, one American Native seat, one American Irish seat, one American Russian seat etc. Kinda lame, NO! By the way, Ralph Lauren is American Russian. By the way, Latino is not a RACE. But for History, Mexicans would be speaking French. Well, enough of this Tom Foolery or is it Molina Foolery?

It is really very simple. Anything Gloria Molina is for, anyone with a Brain is against it, to include Latinos. Please, if any Latino can show that anyone Supervisor has treated any Ethnic Group with detrimental bias, let this reporter know. Now do not report economic bias. That is

well established and well known. "Money Talks." Votes only talk until the Count is over or Mass Uprisings as with Trammel Crow.

Editor: Citizen Roi

From: Lynne Ebenkamp [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Monday, August 29, 2011 11:13 AM
To: Cindy; Charles Liu
Subject: Re: The Rowland Heights Gazette: English is at the Bottom, 嚴重關懷羅蘭崗及東區華人社區福祉

Hi Charles,

When you discuss with people writing letters and the hearing scheduled for next week, please emphasize that the **A1 and S2 Plans are newest and we also want to oppose them vehemently.** The A2 or A3 Plans are the best.

Lynne

On Sun, Aug 28, 2011 at 9:48 PM, Cindy [REDACTED] > wrote:

Folks Charles Liu of the Rowland Heights Community Coordinating Council and longtime resident of is spreading the Gospel on the attempt of Gloria Molina to Gerrymander a Latino District Block because she thinks that Latinos lack the intelligence to Vote for the Best Candidate regardless of Race, Religion, Color or Creed. A lesson to be learned is that the City of Arcadia voted into office a NON-Chinese. The dominate ethnic voting group is Chinese.

Charles is noting the same thing as is stated in the English version by Lynne Ebenkamp. The additional gist of Charles Liu's comments is that Chinese American in their right mind (with Face) would vote for Gloria Molina or anything that she represents.

Editor: The Rowland Heights Advocate (Citizen Roi)

--- 11年8月25日, 周四, Chung Chen [REDACTED] 写道:

--- On Thu, 8/25/11, Charles Liu [REDACTED] wrote:

From: Charles Liu [REDACTED] >
Subject: 嚴重關懷羅蘭崗及東區華人社區福祉
To: "Charles Liu" < [REDACTED] >
Date: Thursday, August 25, 2011, 3:27 PM

嚴重關懷羅蘭崗社區福祉

關懷羅蘭崗及鄰近哈崗, 胡桃市與鑽石吧華人聚集社區福祉的朋友們,

洛縣Supervisors將於9/6召開公聽會, 將從最後方案, **A3案**及前案**S1**決定最終洛縣行政區重劃案。今年的洛縣行政區重劃將悠關東區華人聚集的社區福祉。目前District-1是西裔的鐵票區, District-4是與華人社區友善的Supervisor Don Knabe選區。西裔的**Supervisor Gloria Molina**將策劃推動District-4為第二個西裔的鐵票區, 上週提出新方案, **T1案**, 將羅蘭崗及鄰近哈崗, 胡挑市與鑽石吧華人聚集社區劃歸她的西裔居大多數的**District-1**。

A3案基本上保留District-4的完整, 西裔選民佔四成左右。

若**T1案**得逞, 將是羅蘭社區災難, 因羅蘭崗尚未建市, 一切社區安全及建設, 資源全依賴洛縣政府, 連已劃撥**1800萬**新羅蘭崗社區活動中心款項都會被剝奪。羅蘭崗及鄰近哈崗, 胡挑市與鑽石吧華人聚集社區的福祉與華人社區互動良好的**Supervisor**至關重要!!!

Supervisor Knabe 希望羅蘭崗及鄰近哈崗朋友鼎力相助, 能參加最後一次9/6, 週二的公聽會, 並推派多位居民上去簡單作証, 強力要求通過**A3案**。Supervisor Knabe將派公車于Pathfinder Park 10:30am, Steinmetz 11:30am 免費接送, 想參加及作証的朋友請和我聯絡。亦請轉告您的親朋好友參與下次**9/6**公聽會。或送大量電子郵件, 施壓洛縣**Supervisors**, 反對通過**T1案**。

Map-A3 -大致不變	Map-T1 -東區華人社區併入西裔鐵板區

附上三封簡潔**A3案**支持信, 以便參考, 請copy內容, email給全體洛縣委員。

電郵內需注明 "**Please see that the attached letter is sent to all 5 supervisors**"

電子郵件信箱 executiveoffice@bos.lacounty.gov

A3案細節 [Proposed-A3.pdf](#)

T1案細節 [Proposed-T1.pdf](#)

羅蘭崗社區委員會

Rowland Heights Community Coordinating Council

參考下面資訊

Friends,
There will be an important hearing downtown in LA on Sept. 6, at 1pm. This will be the final public hearing regarding redistricting of LA County.
It is more important to all of our communities than any of the past hearings and here is why.
A new Plan (the T1 Plan) was submitted by Supervisor Molina last week. The new proposed plan puts Rowland Heights, Diamond Bar, Hacienda Heights, Walnut, La Habra Heights, etc. **all in the First District**.
That's right, District 1.
Please take a look at the T1 Plan at the link below:
<http://redistricting.lacounty.gov/>

I have attended and paid attention to several of the hearings and we always had a lot of support for district 4 staying

with the A2 or A3 plan. You see, Long Beach and several large communities stood us with us to support the A2 Plan. Long Beach and most of Supervisor Knabe's communities will stay with him in District 4, if the T1 Plan is adopted, but not our communities.

This time we will have to go it alone, I am afraid, so it is more important than ever to get as many people to the Sept. 6 hearing as possible. Also, send letters to the supervisors.

Please get the word out to as many people as you can about the hearing and ask your friends to attend if possible. I will send you more information if you will contact me. Buses of people would be great.

More information is also available from Dickie Simmons and Don Knabe.

Thanks,
Lynne Ebenkamp

From: David Gordon [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 10:14 PM
To: CommServ

Dear Supervisor,

Please reject maps T1 and S2, which will redistrict Sherman Oaks and the San Fernando Valley. I live in Sherman Oaks and do NOT want any redistricting to occur. Any plan that would couple Sherman Oaks with Long Beach is not a plan with any good intentions behind it.

Sincerely,

David Gordon
[REDACTED]

From: David Pepper [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 6:21 PM
To: CommServ
Cc: Yaroslavsky, Zev; Barb Ketcham; Nissman, Susan
Subject: Response to the Proposed LA County Redistricting

Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am writing as a 50+ year resident of the 3rd Los Angeles County Supervisorial District to appeal to the Supervisors not to modify the district boundaries as proposed. At first glance, one may argue that the "coastal region" of the county be consolidated as proposed under one of the plans under consideration. However, upon closer examination, this plan is fraught with problems, including geographical, environmental, and economical and, with all due respect, one must assume, perhaps, even political forces, which should be of least priority insofar as the citizens of these areas are concerned, is possibly driving this movement.

As a layperson, I can only comment on what seems logical to me, in terms of the present and proposed boundaries. From a geographical perspective, to slice and dice areas that are clearly similar in terms of the terrain, vegetation, flora, fauna, etc. does not make sense to me. I have lived most of my life in Los Angeles, and, it is quite clear that from a safety perspective, it is important that there be consistency in terms of areas prone to fire and flooding. The mountain ranges in the regions of Westwood, Santa Monica, Topanga, Malibu and the West Valley are face common challenges in this regard. On the other hand, the South Bay regions are not as mountainous, and, therefore, do not have much in common, geographically, with the areas North of these communities.

It is sufficiently challenging today to appropriate funds and resources to deal with brush and flood basin maintenance in the Santa Monica's. Why, then, redistrict this common zone with other areas that have qualitatively different challenges and priorities? It simply does not make sense to me. To claim that these are all "coastal" is missing the point. One so-called coastal region has dense brush over one mile from the ocean, whereas the other coastal regions have low-lying, high-density population centers. One area is primarily industrial and commercial, whereas, the other is primarily residential and retail. **The term, "coastal," is not sufficient to justify such redistricting.**

As it is often stated, "If it ain't broke, don't fix it." The county services that deal with weed abatement and vector control may have minimal overlap in the two different coastal areas, other than in name. Similar arguments can be made in terms of transportation, fire safety and other key services. Whereas the South Bay is comprised of mainly residential roads and freeways, the areas north along the coast are mostly hilly and of a steeper grade, with many canyon tributaries and wildlife.

I am obviously not knowledgeable in terms of the politics that may underlie such restructuring. However, at least to me, it would make sense to ask if the cities and communities within a given region have some commonality within the county districts in which they coexist. That said, it seems to me that such communities as Woodland Hills, Calabasas, Agoura, Canoga Park, Malibu, Topanga, the Valley, Santa Monica and Westwood have much in common regarding many of the considerations outlined in this letter. On the other hand, such communities as Redondo Beach, Hermosa, Manhattan, Long Beach, San Pedro and neighboring areas also seem to have much in common with each other. Why, then, redefine county districts that no longer reflect these commonalities?

It simply does not make sense to me to carve up areas in the county without meaningful justification and substantiation. It behooves the powers that be to make compelling arguments why clearly homogeneous geographical regions "need" to be redefined by new boundaries that differ from what seems to be consistent with Nature. The Supervisors should consider the G-d given plate that we have been served in terms of the lay of the land before considering, what, at least to me, seems more politically motivated, rather than in the best interests of the taxpayers that reside here. What has changed so drastically in the past several decades that justifies such a fundamental change in how the communities are best served? If such a dramatic change was necessary, why was redistricting this not proposed over the past 50 years? What have previous administrations overlooked that present day officials now see as clearly obvious? Is there a historical thread of evidence that has been discussed in the past regarding this matter. And, if, indeed, it was rejected back then, the question is "why." Things don't change so radically that make this issue paramount in 2011, and not in previous years.

I have drafted this letter in a stream of consciousness manner; so, I apologize in advance if the logical flow is not smooth and consistent. Unfortunately, it seems that the powers that be may have proposed new boundaries in a similar manner. We should all take a deep breath and ponder what the next few decades may have in store for our beloved Los Angeles County if we begin to force-fit a jig-saw puzzle into a picture for which it was not intended. **The Government should serve the people, not the other way around.**

Sincerely,
David M. Pepper, PhD

From: Debra Lambeck <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 10:08 AM
To: CommServ
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: San Fernando Valley Redistricting

Dear Board of Supervisors:

I have been following the discussions on the redistricting of the San Fernando Valley with much interest as I am a long time resident of Sherman Oaks. I strongly oppose both the T1 and S2 proposed plans. Sherman Oaks has very little in common with beach communities but much in common with its close adjacent neighbors. The area should not be divided as its ability to work cohesively to address issues of significance to it would be greatly reduced. It is very important that one voice be maintained to address the issues unique to this district, such as transportation.

Given the strange geographic implications of T1 and S2, I cannot help but wonder if they are being proposed for political reasons, rather than for the benefit of the areas being served.

I urge you to support the A3 Plan.

Thank you.

Debra Lambeck

[REDACTED]
Sherman Oaks

From: Doug Flescher [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 1:00 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Citizen Re-Districting Concern

Board Members,

My name is Doug Flescher, and I have been a resident of Woodland Hills for over 12 years. While I fully support the intent of the Voting Rights Act to protect the voting rights of minorities, I believe that this can be accomplished without causing harm to established communities of interest.

Of particular concern to me are plans T1 and S2, that would each move nearly 3.5M people from one supervisorial district to another. This change would destroy established relationships and considerably set back progress on important community issues.

The 3rd district today is surrounded by the Santa Monica Mountains, and represents one community of interest - geographically, economically and socially. It should be kept together.

Specific programs that these plans would harm are:

- Dividing Communities
- Mass Stansit
- Holelessness
- HealthCare for Uninsured
- The Environment
- Social Services
- Juvenile Probation
- Emergency Preparedness
- Waters and Watersheds

As a concerned citizen of District 3, I ask that you not implement either plan T1 or S2.

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Sincerely,

Doug Flescher
[REDACTED]

Woodland Hills, CA 91303
[REDACTED]

From: CommServ
Subject: RE: Third District

-----Original Message-----

From: Barbara Polland [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 10:32 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Third District

Board of Supervisors, LA County

Please add my name to the list of people who DO NOT want our THIRD DISTRICT RECONFIGURED.
I hope you will vote to maintain the present configuration.

Thank you,

Dr. Barbara Polland
[REDACTED]
LA, CA 90024

From: CommServ
Subject: RE: redistricting

-----Original Message-----

From: Frances Alet - SBC [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 11:27 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: redistricting

Dear Los Angeles County Supervisors:

I will be unable to attend the County Board of Supervisors meeting on Tuesday, September 6, 2011. I am submitting this email in the hopes that it will be entered into the record of public comments and considered during the debate of redrawing district lines.

I am deeply concerned about two of the redistricting options that I have recently learned about. When contemplating district lines, current community ties should be kept in mind. The communities within the current boundaries of District 3 share a long history of common ties and goals. The Santa Monica Mountains binds a number of communities together on economic and environmental issues. The communities of Agoura Hills, Calabasas and Malibu have a long history with the San Fernando Valley in protecting this last pristine area of Los Angeles County. We also have strong economic, as well as geographic ties to one another.

The proposed T1 plan by Supervisor Molina is troubling. The T1 proposal would clump the Santa Monica Mountains along with some very disparate communities into District 4. While I like the communities of Torrance, Long Beach and Lakewood -- and have friends in each of those cities -- they have no history of community ties with the current District 3. The San Fernando Valley has fought for years to establish its identity. It would be carved up under the T1 lines. Geographically speaking, it's sometimes taken me as long as 2 1/2 hours to travel to Long Beach. We do not belong in the same district. I have similar concerns about the S2 proposal. The San Fernando Valley and the Las Virgenes area should be kept together.

The San Fernando Valley cities, along with the Santa Monica Mountains communities have a varied population -- but we still have strong common ties. I urge you not to break those ties when you consider redrawing district lines.

Respectfully,
Frances Alet

[REDACTED]
Calabasas, CA. 91302
[REDACTED]

From: CommServ
Subject: RE: Request to preserve Third District

-----Original Message-----

From: Heather Campbell [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 6:07 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Request to preserve Third District

To Los Angeles County Board of supervisors:

Please keep the Third District intact.

Respectfully submitted

Heather and John Campbell
[REDACTED] 90049

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:46 PM
To: CommServ
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: San Fernando Valley redistricting

We have been residents in Sherman Oaks for thirty seven years. We strongly oppose the proposed T1 and T2 redistricting of the San Fernando Valley and W. Los Angeles. We need to be part of our own district. We have much in common with the westside and believe our interest will continue to be better served with the existing district lines.

Heidi Praw

From: jreichmann [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 5:33 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Keeping the Third District as is

Dear Members of the Board of Supervisors:

It is very important that you maintain the configuration of the Third District. Its layout has served its constituents well and we always felt someone cared about our concerns. The proposed plans to change and divide our contiguous neighborhoods has no grounding in reason. Don't be pushed into these changes when the current Third District works just fine. Gerrymandering by special interest groups should not come into play when the district already works just fine.

Jan Reichmann, President
Comstock Hills Homeowners Association
(Part of the Westwood community)

From: Jane Gu [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:40 PM
To: ExecutiveOffice
Subject: Redistrict of LA County

Please address the letter to all 5 supervisors

Dear Supervisor

The Boundary Commission and its staff spent many months obtaining input from a large number of residents throughout the County, and many hours analyzing the various plans submitted. It concluded that Plan A-2 was the best choice because it moved the least number of people and caused the least disruption. I wholeheartedly agree that they made the right recommendation. Many of the plans submitted seemed to be the epitome of gerrymandering at its worst.

In these hard economic times people need consistency, not massive change. I urge you to do what is right for the residents of the County, not what is political. Please approve plan A-2.

Sincerely, Jane S. Gu, M.D.

From: Jane Gu [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:45 PM
To: ExecutiveOffice
Subject: Redistrict of LA County

I have attended several of the hearings of the redistricting committee and watched the process with concern. I was very relieved when I heard the committee was recommending plan A-2 because I think it is the one that makes the most sense. As a number of other speakers have pointed out, A-2 impacts the fewest number of people and I think that is important due to the financial problems many families are currently experiencing because of the recession. Residents living in unincorporated area who are moved to a new district would be especially impacted.

Please listen to your constituents. Do not make drastic changes to the current supervisor districts against the will of the people.

Sincerely,
Jane S. Gu

Subject: RE: Redistrict of LA County

-----Original Message-----

From: Ron Gu [mailto:
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:34 PM
To: ExecutiveOffice
Subject: Redistrict of LA County

Honorable Supervisors,

My name is Jane S. Gu. I am a resident of Rowland Heights ofr 30 years and I am appearing here today to ask you to select plan A-2 as recommended by the Boundary Redistricting Committee. It is far superior to plan S-1 and all of the other plans that have been suggested because it relocates the fewest number of people. Plan S-1 would move approximately 3.4 million people into new districts and for what reason?

Our current districts work fine as constituted. Plan A-2 provides the minimal amount of disruption while still meeting the goal of having approximately the same number of constituents in each district. Times are tough right now, residents do not need all the uncertainty and problems that would be created by a massive relocation of district boundaries.

Sincerely,
Jane S. Gu

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 11:43 AM
To: CommServ
Subject: redistricting

**I oppose the plans. I have lived in either Sherman Oaks or Studio City about 40 years. I have been active politically and supported both political offices at different times.
Jean Fleming**

From: David Goldman [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 8:13 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Please Do Not Void the Third District and Split the Community of Topanga!

I am a resident of Topanga, and am extremely concerned about the proposal to carve the unincorporated Topanga and Santa Monica Mountains into a redrawn, gerrymandered district. This community, which is a largely rural, small town, is truly unique to the greater Los Angeles area and has its own unique and important concerns. It has singular interests in protecting the natural environment here, monitoring potential development, caring for our seniors and children, and ensuring that important town services are maintained without the imposition of regulations that should not apply to our residents. We should not be represented by a Supervisor that we have not elected, and there is no legitimate reason that our long-established and close community should be dismembered or disenfranchised. Please do not do so now.

Thank you for listening to my sincere concerns.

Yours truly,
Jennifer L. Braun

From: Joe Ellis [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 3:33 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: gerrymandered maps

Dear Supervisors,

This is to advise you that I oppose the gerrymandering of maps T-1 and S-2 which destroy two decades of protecting and preserving the Santa Monica mountains and coastal watershed. Arbitrarily assigning a Supervisor whom the citizens did not elect is un-American. We voted for Zev Yaroslavsky, and he should complete his term as our representative.

I trust you will give this matter your attention and will rescind these maps.

Sincerely,

Joseph M. Ellis

[REDACTED]
Woodland Hills, CA 91364-4296

[REDACTED]

From: JOSEPH S SCHWARTZ [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 5:25 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: 3rd supervisor district breakup

I am a resident in the 3rd supervisor district. I am against any change of the configuration of it. Please leave it as it is. .

Thank you,
June Schwartz.

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, Ca 90024

From: Kathleen Nielsen [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 4:13 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting of the San Fernando Valley

Gentlemen: I am completely and totally opposed to the recommendation for redistricting of the San Fernando Valley. Our present redistricting re the Valley and West Los Angeles must be left intact.

Kathleen Nielsen
[REDACTED]
Studio City 91604

Kathleen Nielsen
[REDACTED]
EarthLink Revolves Around You.

From: kenneth mazur [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 7:17 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: District 3 New Boundary

My name is Ken Mazur. I live in the Third District. I am here representing Topanga Animal Rescue, a 501c3 that has been helping animals in Topanga for over 20 years. TAR sits on the LA County formed Topanga Emergency Management Task Force, and co-ordinates its activities and goals with other Topanga and Santa Monica Mountain organizations such as T-CEP, TASC and the Topanga Watershed Committee. As an animal rescue organization we receive calls from everyone, from folks virtually living in the creek beds to those on 25-acre ranches. Our work is in many ways representative of the culture and issues weaving the 3rd district into a practical and effective political entity. Rescue work brings us in contact with domestic farm animals, pets and wildlife. The continued sustainability of the coexistence of these three animal groups amidst a growing human population involves educational, environmental, transportation, disaster response, and land use issues. Our current Supervisor was elected by the people of our communities to help us address these common regional issues, to make government responsive to the challenges of our area in a way that is efficient and sensitive. We now have such a district, and a very appreciated representative government that is doing an excellent, creative and proactive job of meeting the challenges of our area. Topanga Animal Rescue strongly opposes the T1 & S2 maps which would deprive us of our rightfully elected representation and threaten the very substantial accomplishments of decades of dedicated, intelligent, responsive government. We ask you to preserve something which is working well. I urge the County Supervisors to support a map that would meet the Voting Rights Act requirements without reassigning 3.5 million people into districts with a Supervisor they did not vote for.
Thank you.

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From: CommServ
Subject: RE: Redistricting LA County 2011

-----Original Message-----

From: Linda Jacobson [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 6:39 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting LA County 2011

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am a Studio City resident opposed to the idea of dividing the Valley into three supervisory district. I am also opposed to a division of the Santa Monica mountains.

Linda Jacobson

[REDACTED]
Studio City, CA

From: Lisa Swan [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 1:27 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting

Dear Board of Supervisors –

I am writing you today to request that ALTADENA stay a part of its neighboring districts of Pasadena, La Canada, La Crescenta and Sierra Madre. As a longtime resident of the Altadena/Pasadena area, my family is deeply rooted in all these communities. We live in Altadena, but do nearly all our local shopping, health care, education, etc in Pasadena. Our daughter attends preschool in La Canada, my husband works at JPL in La Canada, my business is in Pasadena. We (the collective we) are a unified community even belonging to the Pasadena school district, our traffic and road issues are intertwined, even our MOMS Club of Altadena accepts members from Pasadena, as we see it as the same area. Please do not consider separating Altadena, Pasadena, La Canada, La Crescenta and Sierra Madre into different districts. Thank you.

Lisa Swan
[REDACTED] Altadena

Lisa A. Swan
Design Forward LLC

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 Please consider the environment before printing this e-mail.

From: CommServ
Subject: RE: Redistricting

-----Original Message-----

From: [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 5:29 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting

I object to the current proposal to redistrict the County of Los Angeles.
I support the redistricting Supervisor Yaroslavsky has presented.

Lisa Sarkin
[REDACTED]
Studio City, CA 91604
[REDACTED]

From: Fang Chen [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 10:14 PM
To: ExecutiveOffice
Subject: "Please see that this letter is sent to all 5 supervisors"

To whom it may concern,

I have attended several of the hearings of the redistricting committee and watched the process with concern. I was very relieved when I heard the committee was recommending plan A-2 because I think it is the one that makes the most sense. As a number of other speakers have pointed out, A-2 impacts the fewest number of people and I think that is important due to the financial problems many families are currently experiencing because of the recession. Residents living in unincorporated area who are moved to a new district would be especially impacted.

Please listen to your constituents. Do not make drastic changes to the current supervisor districts against the will of the people.

Lucy Hui

From: Lynn Benjamin [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 12:08 PM
To: CommServ
Cc: Nissman, Susan; Yaroslavsky, Zev
Subject: proposed L.A. County redistricting - Request to keep 3rd District intact

This is to express my strong opposition to any redistricting that would dismantle the Third Supervisorial District.

As a member of the Monte Nido Fire Safe Council and Monte Nido/Calabasas Arson Watch, I am very aware of the importance of fire and disaster preparedness.

The Third District includes communities that share common interests and natural disaster threats as part of the Santa Mountains region. Please do not destroy the cohesion that currently exists and jeopardize all the partnerships that have evolved through recent years.

Keep the Third District intact.

Sincerely,

Lynn Benjamin

From: Marcene Landres [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 7:33 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: reconfiguration of the third district

I live in West Los Angeles and am adamantly opposed to a reconfiguration of our Third Supervisor District. We are comfortable with population that is served and request that the areas is maintained as it.

Sincerely,

Marcene Barbanell Landres

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, CA 90024
[REDACTED]

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

As an elected official representing Lynwood USD I am writing you today in support of proposed redistricting plan S1.

The status quo plan, A2, does nothing to increase adequate representation for the San Gabriel cities as they will be divided among three separate supervisorial districts.

For example, the San Gabriel cities are dominant members in associations like the L.A. County Contract Cities Association which meets monthly to discuss and advocate for municipal issues. We rarely see any coastal cities involved. Very, very few of them are even members. We don't share many issues with them.

The geography of these areas is very different. The San Gabriel Valley runs along the 605 freeway and branches out to the 10, 60, and 5 freeways and part of the 105 and 91 freeways. The Coastal Communities from Long Beach all the way north encompass the 405 freeway and Pacific Coast Highway with some branching out along the 710, 110, 105, 134, and 10 freeways.

The San Gabriel Valley does not have anyone to champion its problems and concerns, unlike other parts of the county. We don't even have a public hospital in the San Gabriel Valley.

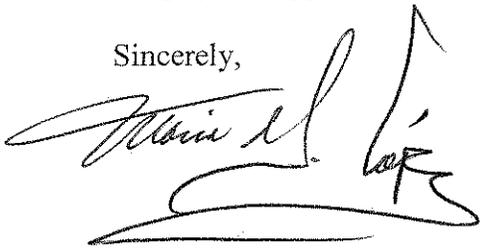
One of the Supervisors' appointees was quoted in the paper that his main concern was creating a district that would allow a Supervisor of the same political party to run and win again, rather than providing representation for the County's constituents. Your main concern must be representation, not protecting incumbency.

Will the Board of Supervisors choose to disenfranchise the San Gabriel Valley? I am asking that representation be the highest priority. Nothing more.

That's why we need real representation, *NOT* the status quo. The Board has set up districts before that were safe for incumbents rather than allow for the best representation. Please don't do it again. We need the real Redistricting Plan S1!

I urge your support for Plan S1.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alvin [unclear]", written over a horizontal line.

From: Marty Brastow [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:50 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting plans

Dear Sirs,

I am opposed to both the redistricting plans that have been proposed. One would change our district altogether, but both draw new lines united the Santa Monica Mountains with Long Beach. The issues we face in Topanga bear no similarity to the issues faced in Long Beach. Uniting the two communities in a single district is more than silly, it's counterproductive. With two sets of issues to be dealt with in a single district, half as much will be accomplished. It is unfair to both the citizens in the mountains and those in the Long Beach area to tie us together in the same district.

I strongly feel that adoption of either of these plans will leave the county floundering and the citizens frustrated. Such radical changes will destroy the effective communications that exist. Entire new staffs will need to be brought out of different areas to be able to focus on the new needs of the district. While these new systems are being set up, much will go undone.

Please leave the districts The way they are. If changes need to be made to reflect changes in populations, adjust the edges of the districts - do not automatically reach for wholesale changes.

Sincerely,

Martha C. Brastow

From: Mary Benjamin [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 2:55 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: IMPACT OF REDISTRICTING ON TOPANGA

To whom it may concern:

I am a 20 year resident of Topanga and live in the Viewridge neighborhood with my husband and 10 year-old son. As a concerned homeowner I would like to voice my strong opposition to the current proposed redistricting plan.

From what I have been learning about the proposed changes I am greatly concerned about:

How the plan will impact future development in the canyon.

What the negative impact will be of dividing the Canyon, which is a tremendously strong and cohesive community, into two.

How the redistricting will impact safety procedures in the event of any major or even minor wildfires or earthquakes.

This plan does not make sense to me. Please change the redistricting so that our community can remain whole. This is not just a matter of maintaining Topanga's integrity and beauty – but our very survival.

Thank you,

Mary Benjamin

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Mary Benjamin

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Topanga CA 90290
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 3:44 PM
To: CommServ
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Support for A3/Opposition to T1 and S2 Redistricting Plans

Sept 1, 2011

To Whom It May Concern:

As a resident of the San Fernando Valley I support the A3 and oppose the T1 and S2 redistricting plans.

A3 keeps 3 communities with like issues and concerns together in one district.
These concerns include similar environmental, mass transit and emergency preparedness issues.

The other two plans create the classic Gerrymander monster:
Districts forced together for political reasons that have nothing to do with the welfare or representation of the people living in there.

Not only does our community not share the issues of the southern beach cities that are tacked on to us under these plans, we rarely even visit them.

Whether these plans are the result of ignorance or connivance, the results are bad for everyone forced to live under them.

The area of The San Fernando Valley, Westside and Las Virgenes have shared interests because we are in the same geographic area.

If you treat my portion of the Valley like a pawn in a redistricting game, it will result in our concerns being lost among unrelated ones.

And that may result in reaction from thousands of unhappy citizens.

Please do what is best for all the residents of all the concerned areas and approve the A3 redistricting plan.

Sincerely,
Mary-Ann Neri

[REDACTED]
Sherman Oaks, CA 91403

From: CommServ
Subject: RE: Redistricting of Topanga

-----Original Message-----

From: Merilee Oakes Sperber [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:59 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting of Topanga

As a resident of Topanga for the past 35 years or so, my main concern is that this tiny town remain in ONE district and not be split with part of us living in one district and the rest in another.

We are isolated and through all of the disasters, fires and floods, have had to pull together to survive. We act as ONE and need to continue to do so.

As a member of the Community Emergency Response Team, I'm acutely aware that it's vital for us to be able to coordinate rapidly and fluidly in a time of need. Our funding for equipment and programs must cover the WHOLE COMMUNITY, which we are - a community which needs to function as a united WHOLE; not as two separate parts with different agendas and resources.

I really don't care which district we are in, as long as all of the interdependent members of this small community are able to remain in one united district and can continue to support each other through the strong bonds we're forged over the years of our often-isolated existence. Splitting us in two can only result in the same dysfunction we all-too-often see in divorced families with individuals selfishly working against each other instead of working together for the common good.

Merilee Oakes Sperber
Topanga resident

From: CommServ
Subject: RE: The Third District

-----Original Message-----

From: Molly Jordan [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 8:45 AM
To: CommServ
Subject: The Third District

Dear People,

I've read copies of some really smart and relevant e-mails that have been sent to you regarding our - and mine included - opposition to the proposed re-districting that will include the very unique area in which I live, Topanga. While I echo those great letters, I certainly can't top them with anything you don't already know or that hasn't already been said. So what I can say is this: "If it ain't broke, don't fix it." There's a lot of wisdom in that old cliché and it absolutely fits this situation. Please don't try and fix us.

Thank you for your consideration,

Molly Jordan Koch
Topanga

From: Phyllis Waxman [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 5:33 PM
To: CommServ

It doesn't make sense to have 3 districts, it will create so many problems. Dividing will split us up from Sherman Oaks & Encino etc.

We have lived in Studio City since 1969 & we love it here. If 3 districts are instored we will have trouble with the Santa Monica Mounyains, our public schools, our bus system etc.

My husband & I are against the 3 districts.

Phyllis & Leon Waxman

To: Ron Gu
Subject: RE: Redistrict of LA County

-----Original Message-----

From: Ron Gu [mailto:]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:57 PM
To: ExecutiveOffice
Subject: Redistrict of LA County

This e mail to be sent to all 5 supervisors

Honorable supervisors,

I am a physician in practice at Hacienda Heights and a resident of Rowland Heights. I am appearing here today to ask you to select plan A-2 as recommended by the Boundary Redistricting Committee. It is far superior to plan S-1 and all of the other plans that have been suggested because it relocates the fewest number of people. Plan S-1 would move approximately 3.4 million people into new districts and for what reason?

Our current districts work fine as constituted. Plan A-2 provides the minimal amount of disruption while still meeting the goal of having approximately the same number of constituents in each district. Times are tough right now, residents do not need all the uncertainty and problems that would be created by a massive relocation of district boundaries.

Regards,
Ron Y. Gu, M. D.

Subject: RE: Redistrict of A County

-----Original Message-----

From: Ron Gu [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 10:09 PM
To: ExecutiveOffice
Subject: Redistrict of A County

Please refer this e mail to all 5 supervisors

Honorable Supervisors,

I am a physician practicing at Hacienda Heights and live in Rowland Heights. I appreciate the opportunity to appear before you today to give testify.

The Boundary Commission and its staff spent many months obtaining input from a large number of residents throughout the County, and many hours analyzing the various plans submitted. It concluded that Plan A-2 was the best choice because it moved the least number of people and caused the least disruption. I wholeheartedly agree that they made the right recommendation.

Many of the plans submitted seemed to be the epitome of gerrymandering at its worst.

In these hard economic times people need consistency, not massive change. I urge you to do what is right for the residents of the County, not what is political.

Please approve plan A-2.

Sincerely,
Ron Y. Gu, M.D.

RONALD D. ROSEN

Los Angeles, CA 90025

August 31, 2011

Board of Supervisors
Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
Room 383
500 W. Temple St.
Los Angeles, CA 90012

VIA MAIL and EMAIL AT
commserv@bos.lacounty.gov

Dear Members of the Board of Supervisors:

I wish to express my deep reservations about the proposed new district maps for what is now the Third Supervisorial District.

For over 40 years, there have been a large group of westside homeowner associations that had formed originally under the umbrella organization known as The Westside Civic Federation. These volunteer homeowner groups actively worked cooperatively together with their Supervisorial representative to address matters of common concern. Having a single elected official to coordinate and address these issues provided an opportunity for solutions to important issues that had a common impact across the Westside of the County, including the issue of mass rapid transit. With the S1 proposal, which would split the residents of these groups between two new supervisors, the ability to coordinate a unified solution to common concerns and goals is greatly reduced, which is one of the very goals that this redistricting process is trying to be achieved for all residents. Maintaining the historical relationships of the Westside residents will provide a more legitimate and cohesive electorate to better serve their interests. I am confident that this result can be achieved while at the same time maintaining the rights of our minority residents as guaranteed by the Federal Voting Rights Act from a Plan other than the S1 Plan.

Thank you for considering these comments.

Ronald D. Rosen

From: Ruth Gerson [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 9:30 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: Redistricting

I support keeping the 3rd Supervisorial district with the present boundaries. Changing the governing of this area in any way would jeopardize all that has been gained over many years of carefulness regarding the Santa Monica Mountains and the communities surrounding and encompassing. This district has unique issues not encountered elsewhere in Los Angeles County; and it would be a travesty to break the boundaries in any manner.

Ruth Gerson

Cornell Rd, Agoura, CA 91301

From: sandi yagoda [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 6:33 PM
To: CommServ
Subject: redistricting

To: Members of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors
August 31, 2011.

Subject: Request to Preserve Third District

I am writing on behalf of the South Brentwood Residents Association (SBRA). SBRA represents the interests of approximately 3,000 home-owners and renters in South Brentwood as well all residents living in multi-family dwellings throughout the Brentwood community.

We are very concerned about the proposed redistricting proposals for the Third Supervisorial District and request that it be preserved as currently configured.

The Voting Rights Act is a cornerstone of our democracy, which requires that we protect the voting rights of minorities. *This can be accomplished without dismembering established communities of interest.*

Plans T1 and S2 would each move nearly 3.5 million people from one supervisorial district to another, destroying established relationships and seriously setting back progress on important community issues.

The current Third District is topographically, geographically, economically and socially cohesive and compact. It should be kept together.

The two proposed plans would cause disruption and adversely impact the tremendous strides we've made in a variety of important areas.

The third District as currently configured operates smoothly and effectively.

Please keep the Third district intact!

Sincerely,
Sandra Yagoda

August 26, 2011

Board of Supervisors Executive Office
Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street, Room 383
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Honorable Supervisors:

I strongly support the proposed A-3 redistricting plan, which will have the least disruption to my community, and all communities in LA County, and is more cost effective. The T-1, S-1, and S-2 plans would have a much greater negative impact on more people because they each move over 3 million residents to new districts. The A3 plan moves only 270,000.

Since voting rights are important to all, not just the Hispanic population, you must consider that in the T-1 and S-2 plans disrupt the voting rights of 20-26 percent of the population in the county. Voters who will be reassigned either don't get to vote on a timely fashion as outlined by the County elections code, or they get to vote more often for Supervisor who represents them. 25.7 percent of constituents in the County will be affected by deferral or advancement under the T1 plan, and 22 percent under the S2 plan. That will be unfair to a large percentage of the entire LA County population and not just unfair to a few ethnic groups. The A3 plan disrupts only 2.7 percent, far fewer residents.

Keeping my community as part of the Fourth Supervisorial District of Los Angeles County, in the final outcome of the redistricting process, would benefit the citizens in my area and would also allow us to keep a Supervisor who is familiar with the community and its needs. Since every District is satisfied with its Supervisor, all would benefit from Plan A3. Both the Asian and Hispanic populous in our area want to stay in the Fourth District. Constant, effective representation is key to a community's success. This is most important to the unincorporated areas since we have no city government. The disruption caused by excessive, unnecessary redistricting planning will devastate us.

We do not want to see our neighborhoods, communities and cities disrupted as the S2 and T1 plans will do. The Fourth District boundaries, as currently drawn, should be maintained as much as possible. We expect our County representatives to do what is right for the most people. This is what the A3 plan does.

I hope you, our Supervisors, will seriously consider this input, as drastic redistricting changes will have a huge impact on many Communities. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, *Sara L. Slaughter*

From: Sara Wan [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 2:55 PM
To: CommServ
Cc: Yaroslavsky, Zev; Michael D. Antonovich; Nissman, Susan
Subject: Redistricting plan

Dear Members of the Board of Supervisors,

I am writing to oppose both the T1 and the S2 redistricting plans. As someone who has spent a lifetime protecting the coast of California and its resources I believe that both proposals are fatally flawed as it comes to the protection of the Santa Monica Mountains. While there are important issues affecting all of the coastal areas in both T1 and S2 the district is so spread out along the coast that the various areas, such as Long Beach, have nothing in common with each other. The ecosystem of the Santa Monica Mountains is extremely different from the other areas that have now been joined with it. This ecosystem is as different from the environmental issues of the Port of Long Beach as are the social, economic and other issues facing Malibu and the San Fernando Valley. While each have their important and valuable concerns they have little in common. To dilute the interests of the communities which are part of the Santa Monica Mountains could have a devastating impact on the area.

The Santa Monica Mountains are the last remaining relatively natural habitat left from Los Angeles to the Mexican border. What is little appreciated by most people is that the biodiversity in these mountains is extremely large, one of the most diverse areas in the world. It is vital that such biodiversity be protected as part of the protection of the entire ecosystem. That cannot happen if the Supervisor from the Santa Monica Mountains has to be concerned with and weigh the interests of such diverse areas as the Port of Long Beach and the developed portions of the LA coast against the interests of the mountains.

I urge you not to dilute the interests of the current district and insure a vital future for this critical habitat and oppose the ill conceived T1 and T2 redistricting plans.

Sara Wan
Malibu

From: Susan Ellis [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 10:10 AM
To: CommServ
Subject: Opposition to T-1 and S-2 Redistricting Maps

Dear Supervisors,

This letter is to convey my absolute opposition to the adoption of the gerrymandered T-1 and S-2 maps. Both of these maps would destroy partnerships developed over the last 20 years in the Santa Monica Mountains and Coastal Watershed - partnerships that protect and preserve magnificent environmental and recreational resources and need to stay intact in order to continue to protect and preserve for future generations.

T-1 and S-2 do not respect communities of interest. Among the issues that make it vital to keep our communities of interest together is emergency preparedness. The Santa Monica Mountain range has unique public safety challenges including wildfires and floods, which need cohesiveness to ensure leadership sensitive to these issues.

T-1 and S-2 would move over 3 million people from one district to another, resulting in people being reassigned to a supervisor they did not elect. This is just plain wrong.

T-1 and S-2 would adversely affect the Third District, which has made great strides over the past two decades, and therefore must be rejected.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Susan R. Ellis

[REDACTED]
Calabasas, CA 91302