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**Sent:** Saturday, March 13, 2021 10:49 AM  
**To:** Senate Redistricting  
**Subject:** INETMAIL: Redistricting Public Input

Date: 2021-03-13  
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Title: n/a  
Organization: self  
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City: Plano  
State: TX  
Zipcode: [REDACTED]  
Phone: [REDACTED]

Affirm public info: I agree

Regarding: Senate

Message:  
Hello,

My name is Jennifer Roy and I want any new district map to fairly represent the voting patterns of Texas. In Texas, all of our statewide officials are Republican. Therefore, any new Congressional seats awarded to Texas as a result of the increase of the Texas population should represent the voting pattern of the state of Texas which is Conservative.

I want the new map to reflect one person, one vote as provided in the US Constitution. It is important to me that districts are created so that there is approximately equal voting power in each district, meaning equal voting power of people legally eligible to vote.

I want to emphasize that I believe it is important that redistricting is accomplished by our elected officials, like you, who are accountable to the people of Texas. I strongly oppose any so-called Independent Panel, that is not elected by the people of the State of Texas. Allowing redistricting to be done by an appointed panel takes away my voice and the voice of people like me in this very important process.

While I live in Plano, Collin County, I am very concerned about rural Texas. There are many hard-working, tax-paying conservative people who need their voices heard. Districting should not give heavily populated areas more weight than the rural areas of Texas.

Everyone, no matter culture, race, etc. should be expected to have personal responsibility to fill out their census and mail back or answer the door when a census taker comes to take their information. Everyone has access and should be expected to take responsibility for themselves and their rights. It is not fair to allow certain groups, cultural or otherwise, to manipulate the districting so a member of their race/culture will be elected. That is not American. The voice of each legal resident should be heard and counted, once through a legal fair process for everyone in the same way, no special consideration given to the squeakiest cultural wheel. Special consideration should not ever be given to any race or culture, as that opens the door to processes that are open to fraud such as mail-in voting. The census, districting, and voting processes need to be strict, legal, require ID and signatures, and apply equally to everyone.

Thank you for your consideration and attention.

