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Regarding: Senate

Message:

Dear Committee Members,

As a resident living on the county line of Williamson County, one of the fastest growing places in Texas and in the nation, I'm concerned about the lack of representation that will result from unfair and unbalanced redistricting decisions. The explosive growth in this area is primarily driven by communities of color -- 77% of the new growth in Williamson County is in the populations of people of color. SD-5 and SD-24 splits these residents into illogically drawn districts. The impact of this means that voters are grouped with rural areas that are so far removed from each other, it truly makes no sense.

It is a blatant conflict of interest for legislators to have influence in choosing their own voters. Please remember that voters elected you all to represent us fairly. Unbalanced redistricting efforts are a ludicrous way to control election results for a particular party. And from a purely practical standpoint, how is one representative expected to realistically be a voice for constituents that are spread so very far apart?

Thank you,
Grayson Norwood

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