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As a Texan who cares deeply about fair representation, I urge you to vote NO on the unconstitutional redistricting maps.

The proposed maps are discriminatory and fail to reflect the diverse and vibrant people of Texas. In addition, the maps effectively limit or reduce the number of opportunity districts for people of color while simultaneously making several districts more White. If the maps were supposedly "race-blind" as the Committee preparing said maps have publicly stated, the evidence of the redrawn maps to include more white, and less contiguous Communities of Interest representation, is painfully apparent.

The maps cement election outcomes before voters can even go to the polls, thus abridging the equal right to vote. These maps reinforce that politicians are "choosing their voters" rather than seeking to establish equal representation of ALL of the voices in a community. That's why these maps and the unfair process that created them should not be considered or taken as legitimate. I once again urge you to vote NO on redistricting maps to fight for fair representation.

Respectfully,  
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