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Regarding: Senate

Message:

I urge the Redistricting Committee to adhere to the spirit of the law regarding the redistricting process. The Committee should avoid the practices of packing and cracking populations of color that were central features of the district maps drawn a decade ago in Texas. Office holders should not be allowed to choose their voters. Rather, voters should be allowed to choose those office holders who will best represent them. Representative government provides a means by which constituents can peacefully effect change. Cracking and packing close the peaceful avenue for social change.

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