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Dear Mr. Tounget:

I am writing to you today in an effort to set the record straight regarding communication the Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission has received which may claim to represent the Great Hills HOA, Sections IX & X (GH HOA).

It has been brought to our attention that the Northwest Austin Civic Association (NWACA) has submitted letters and resolutions to the Commission. I am referring to these documents:

<http://www.austintexas.gov/edims/document.cfm?id=199687>

<http://www.austintexas.gov/edims/document.cfm?id=199678>

GH HOA appreciates NWACA's activism and leadership on many issues. Its members are neighbors and friends.

But it is also important to express with this letter that no person or body other than our own elected officers, may represent the GH HOA to any external group, including the Commission.

In addition, the point of clarification is simple. To date, the GH HOA has made no official endorsement of any map drawn by the Commission. Moreover, the GH HOA registers no objection to either preliminary map the Commission has drawn.

With this letter, his HOA does not seek to infringe on the rights of the individual residents within our HOA to assert their own opinions to the Commission, if any citizen chooses to do so.

We recognize the difficulty of the mission before the Commission. We thank the Commission for its hard work, and wish it good luck as it endeavors to follow the criteria it must legally abide by as it draws the lines for Austin's future city council districts.

Sincerely,

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