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Hello,

My name is Michaela Daniel and I am the Director of Outreach and Partnerships for <u>Representable</u>, a free mapping tool for communities of interest. We came across your outreach efforts on Instagram, and wanted to introduce our website as a possible method for receiving public input from the people of Austin during the redistricting cycle.

Representable is the only tool exclusively dedicated to mapping communities. We work with commissions and organizations in over 25 states to assist them in gathering maps of Communities of Interest. Many individuals prefer to use our platform over other mapping options because it is free, guides users through a step by step process, translated into multiple languages (Spanish, Arabic, and Hmong), and visualizes all communities on one page for each state. In fact, Dane County (Wisconsin) and Denver (Colorado) are currently using Representable in an official capacity to gather COIs.

Please let me know if you have any questions, concerns, or would like to see a demo of the tool over Zoom. The site is incredibly easy to use, so you could set up an account and start gathering maps today!

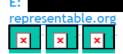
I look forward to hearing from you.

Best,

Michaela Daniel

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