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Commissioners,

I am writing in opposition to the proposed redistricting which moves precinct 246 from D10 to D7, and precinct 236 from D7 to D10.

This appears to be an attempt to reduce the influence of two neighborhoods by dividing them each between two council districts. Currently all of NorthWest Austin Community Association is in D10, and all of Allendale neighborhood is in D7. By swapping precincts between these two you will be diluting the representation of everyone in each of these neighborhoods.

This appears to violate the charter guideline that

"the geographic integrity of any local neighborhood or local community of interest shall be respected in a manner that minimizes their division to the extent possible without violating the requirements of any of the preceding subsections."

It also violates the guideline about respecting geographic boundaries, as everything west of Mopac south of 183 has been and would continue to be D10, except for precinct 246 being moved to the district on the other side of Mopac.

Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,
Edward Fudman, M.D.

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