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Good morning,

I am writing to urge anyone and everyone who reads this email to oppose the unity map and to keep the districts as they are. The new map from what I understand would ruin well established communities like Willow Glen. By law as I understand it the districts need to be drawn to keep communities of interest. My biggest issue is that any redistricting as proposed would make no sense and it would go against the laws regarding how district lines are to be drawn. As I understand it how districts are to be drawn they are supposed to keep communities of interest. This new plan as I understand it would divide these communities of interest. In fact it would divide the county down the middle.

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