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Subject: District 6 Proposal for redistricting

TO ; REDISTRICTING ADVISORY COMMISSION

It is my understanding there is proposal to move some of the existing District 6 area to district 9. My street address is _____ which I understand to be one of the streets that are in the area of possible change.

Based on what I saw on the Web page for redistricting, I believe this makes no sense from a community point of view. While I understand the logic (I believe based on headcount), there are other factors that are not addressed that should be the primary reason for a move. Number one is community . Our area has been part of the Willow Glen area for many years and I feel it should continue to be represented with the rest of Willow Glen. We are in Willow Glen and our concerns, issues and problems are similar to the rest of the Willow Glen area. I am adamantly opposed to moving into the Cambrian District. I see this is as a different type of community than Willow Glen and has different needs than we do. If this move is completed, I feel the representation of our area will suffer and will result in loss of community. I believe that the redistricting should place primary emphasis on maintaining existing communities instead of arbitrarily move "headcount" from "one bucket to another" to "make the math work". This is more important in these days given the loss of community that has resulted over the past thirty years I have seen in San Jose.

Please contact me if you have questions or you need further clarification.

Sincerely

David Nemeth