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To: The House Committee on Redistricting

Re: Fair & Equitable Representation in Kansas Congressional Maps

Position: Opponent

Chairman and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to supply testimony in support of transparent and fair redistricting.

I am asking that the redistricting committee and legislature in Kansas keep the current third district map intact.

A fair representation is essential to our democracy. Please represent Kansans in Washington D.C. in a path forward to fair voting rights for all by keeping our third district intact.

Third congressional district

Wyandotte and Johnson County should NOT be separated Please keep our current third congressional district together.

Current Congressional maps were created by the courts and should be altered as little as necessary to accommodate population shifts. The Kansas City Metro is currently whole within Kansas' Third congressional district and should remain in a single district as residents have shared interests in representation. The Committees on Redistricting should make their maps, agendas, and deadlines available to the public with at least a full week's notice to allow enough time to review maps, and prepare and submit testimony.

I oppose splitting up the 3rd district.

Thank you to the committee for your work and considering this testimony for all future discussions.

Respectfully,

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