Dear Redistricting Committee & Committee Members,

I am a lifetime Oregonian and constituent of your District. I also testified at the last redistricting hearing in our area over ten years ago so I have seen what redistributing can do to coastal representation in Salem. I urge you to oppose any gerrymandering or undue partisan influence in the upcoming redistricting process. Oregonians across the state expect maps to be drawn fairly and in a compact manner, with communities of common interest like school districts and neighborhoods left in tact. You must ensure that rural Oregonians are kept in districts with similar population density, and not drawn into districts with a higher population density and different needs. I ask that you ensure all Oregonians receive the representation they deserve. We in coastal Oregon need representation for our community that lives, works and understands our local community as a whole.

Sincerely,

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