

Representative Salinas and Committee:

There is one issue that I would hope to be addressed and resolved during the process of redistricting.

The jog in the district line that intrudes into the Jackson County line seems to be the typical and illogical archetype of gerrymandering in my opinion. We are firmly within the city limits of Medford, living on Delta Waters Road. However, since we live on the East side of the street, we have been lumped into the 2nd Congressional District, along with most of Eastern Oregon! The people who live 20 yards away from us on the Western side of the street have been designated as Congressional District 4.

My wife and I feel as though our votes, being cast in the ultra conservative Eastern Oregon bloc, have little to no effect in our local issues.

At minimum, we feel that the Jackson County line should be respected as the Congressional District line as well. I would hope that you would agree and make an effort to ensure that our locality falls within District 4.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

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