

Greetings!

I want to share my concerns regarding the proposed redistricting project underway. House District map C doesn't follow Oregon law as it splits the Oregon Trail School District into 2 districts (new 52 and 18) and splits the city of Sandy into two districts. It also splits the city of Sandy from the mountain communities (Brightwood to Govt. Camp) when the law requires communities of interest and political subdivisions to be in the same district.

Mountain community residents use **Sandy's medical, social service, parks and recreation, grocery stores, and schools as their resource center.** We are friends and neighbors and should not be split by an imaginary line. The policies implemented in our area affect everyone, and we do not want to be arbitrarily divided for political purposes that do not apply to us.

There is a simple solution to Map C: Remove Mosier and The Dalles in Wasco County which have no connection whatsoever with us and put Sandy entirely back into new HD 52.

With grave concern,

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