

- *It is important that the redistricting process keeps neighborhoods, cities, counties, congressional senate and house districts, and school districts together--and that they reflect the majority of the residents therein, and not be tied to population centers that have little in common with rural areas.*
- *Gerrymandering districts for the benefit of those politicians involved is not only illegal but does not reflect America as a constitutional republic and should be left out of the redistricting process.*
- *Under the the current maps, about 30% of the Oregon House members represent at least some portion of Portland. Also, Portland only represents about 15% of the total population of the State of Oregon. Portland should not outweigh our voice in the political process, mostly leaving out the voice most-forgotten rural communities and our way of life that we choose. Please fix this so we have a voice. We are as important as Portland, Eugene and other big cities. Please do what is right and choose Map B.*
- *Our rural communities have very different needs and concerns than the larger population centers and deserve just as much representation and political boundaries. It is unfair that some of the other maps bring part of the Portland Metro area into our rural communities. Not fair at all!!! Please give us a voice, our voice!*
- *I support Congressional Map B, Oregon Senate Map B and Oregon House Map B. These maps are a reflection of what I consider fair. It keeps other political boundaries and communities of interest intact and provides a more fair representation to the citizens of my community and also to the other citizens of Oregon.*
- *Mary Schilling, North Bend, OR*