

As a resident of CD 2, I am writing in support of redistricting Option B. Regarding Congressional District 2, CD 2B provides the best boundaries. It keeps Eastern Oregon together whereas CD2A will carve out Bend and North Central Oregon from Eastern Oregon to pair with with Portland which does not even have a transportation corridor. Option B also keeps a number of Indian Tribes from being carved apart as well as keep 18 of 19 counties together.

Option A and C are a bad choice. They violate the criteria of the redistricting mandate which are as follows:

Lines must be contiguous

Equal Population

Unnecessary division of people of the same interests

Transportation links

Keeping Existing geographic and political boundaries

Option B follows the redistricting guidelines.

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