

Dear members of the Redistricting Committee.

As a graduate of the University of Oregon and a retired faculty member, I want to encourage you to support "Map C" as presented to your redistricting committee. As a resident of Eugene, a closely connected supporter, an alumnus, and an Emeritus faculty member of the University of Oregon, it is important to me that this community be represented to the legislature in a unified and committed manner. My fifty-seven year association with this prestigious university has shown me what a unified voice can accomplish, especially when addressing the legislature. "Map C" maintains this advantageous configuration and allows a critically significant Oregon community to help guide the growth of a wide range of important state issues. As well, there are few issues more important than protecting and nurturing our educational institutions. It must be represented effectively. Map "A" dilutes and divides this community putting accomplishments of the past and a promising and productive future in jeopardy.

Please consider carefully and positively the advantages of **"Map C"**.

Sincerely,

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