

Hello to the co-chairs, vice-chairs and members of Oregon's Redistricting Committees:

My name is Michael Funke and I live at 936 NW Milwaukee Avenue, Bend, Oregon 97703. Currently that puts me in House District 54, Senate District 27, and Congressional District 2. I have lived in Bend since June 2001 and was born in Oregon.

I know you are getting a lot of testimony so I will keep this brief.

I think House Plan map C makes sense because Bend has grown to the point where it needs two House districts and the east-west divide seems logical to me.

Congressional Map A seems best to me because it puts Bend in the same district as Hood River and the outskirts of Portland, which makes sense to me given Bend's growth.

Thank you for your work on this process.

Peace, Justice, Solidarity,

Michael Funke
Bend, Oregon

Agitate, organize, mobilize, resist

Tiny purple fishes run laughing through your fingers. --Cream

Hail, Hail Rock and Roll. --Chuck Berry, 1957

Opportunity will move out of the way to let a man pass it by. --Henry Fool

It's not the rebels of the world that cause the troubles. It's the troubles that cause the rebels. --Carl Oglesby

*I believe that everybody is getting carried away with something that has gotten out of hand.
--Jerry Lee Lewis*