

To whom it may concern,

Hello my name is Chris Werho and i reside in Scio, Linn County Oregon. I moved here to raise my family on a small hobby farm because of the quality of life here. We enjoy the small town rural values that are a way of life. It has become increasingly difficult to live and operate due that are consistantly dealing with the negative effects of Oregon's big city leadership and policies. I oppose an effort to redistrict that further mesh suburban & rural needs. Our needs are different than our suburban neighbor and they need represented equally. I feel my rural voice is being ignored along with my needs and the needs of my local farmers and communities. Any effort to combine suburban and rural districts fails to account for the differing local needs and also fails our need for local representation. It is the duty of those representatives to reflect the values and needs of their constituents. All to often we rural oregonians are on the loosing side of compromise. In closing we need districts that allow for differing needs and representation. One size does not fit all here.

Thank you and good day.

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