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please distribute to committee members ahead of the Lafayette public meeting tomorrow

Hi!

My name is Amelie Desormeaux, I am a mother of young children so I cannot attend the public meeting on redistricting happening tomorrow night, but I did want my opinion heard on this issue.

It is essential for our democracy that this redistricting process ensures fair and equitable maps. I want districts drawn geographically to reflect populations with similar regional interests, and I do NOT want minority voices diluted. We must not use gerrymandering tactics such as stacking, packing, or cracking in this redistricting process.

Due to current gerrymandered districts in Louisiana there are many people who feel it is pointless to vote because their district is stacked up against their voice and interests. I want a democratic community where our voices and votes truly matter, creating fair and equitable maps will be a very essential step in this direction.

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