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Honorable Legislators,

I am a resident and homeowner in this state. At times I could cringe when I see how low we rate among other states with our poverty, poor health care, number of incarcerated, Black birth rates, overall education, to name but a few. We have bright talented people who could rise above an antiquated system if we chose.

I think we all want Louisiana to move into the 21st century and part of that is to **abide by each of the provisions in the Voting Rights Act**. The citizens of Louisiana have stated their wishes, **they cannot be denied fair representation any longer**. Not only is fair representation beyond reach but the resources that go with that right. One third of the state is Black and this fact is not represented in the number of Congressional Districts. **We want fair maps and we want them now, this session!**

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