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**To:** LegPublicComment

**Subject:** Proportionately and reasonably District Nassau

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To the Legislature of Nassau County,

I submit that no redistricting should create a district where one political party has an obvious significant (as best as is mathematically possible) statistical benefit to any party. The districts should represent the communities and their desires for governance, not by predetermined voting patterns which almost ensure a win for one party over another.

I further implore you each to follow the law passed by Gov. Hochul (S.5160-B/A.229c) and particularly, as outlined in the press release, that

• Districts are not drawn with the intent or result of denying equal opportunity of racial or language minority groups to participate in the political process;

such that districts like my own district 14 (which obviously exclude Black, Brown, and Latine folks in a way which perpetuates structural racism in the county) can be both undone and not recreated, and that the current obviously political districts aren't expanded or worsened in this sense.

Sincerely, Daniel McElroy

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