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Dear Commissioners,

My name is Guadalupe and I live in the city of Merced. I'd like to comment on item Agenda Item J1. It is important that my community remains together and has the ability to elect a candidate of our choice. I am currently residing in District 2.

We must create districts that follow the FAIR Maps act to create equitable maps and keep communities of interest whole.

I support map 106, the Merced Forward Together map, because it creates 3 districts with a Latino CVAP over 50%, prioritizes keeping communities of interest whole, and would ensure a smaller percentage of population deviation. This map also takes into account current and future growth of the city in D6. The Forward Together map was created with input and support from dozens of Merced community members representing all six districts.

Please support map 106.

Thank you,

Guadalupe Aguilar

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