

House and Senate Redistricting Committees,

I have been watching your redistricting process and finally felt compelled to speak up, as I see what you have done to Madison County. It seems you are attempting to draw the more rural areas of the county in with 7 other counties to the North and I feel this is inappropriate. Our area (Fosterburg) associates with the larger population areas to the south (Alton, Bethalto, etc). Splitting that part of Madison County out of the 111th does not make sense and puts us much further away from where we go to church, school, go grocery shopping, etc. I don't understand why you would have split these areas between multiple districts. I request the border of the 111th go to the county line. That would make it much more sensible for the people here.

Sincerely,

Wayne Skinner