

To The Redistricting Committee:

I am a resident of the 9th District and I am writing to you today to give my insight into my community of North Lawndale Community known as the triangle in order to help inform the redistricting process. In particular, In order to keep my community of North Lawndale Community known as the triangle in the 9th district this is represented by Representative Lakesia Collins.

I am aware of the basic function & needs of redistricting, which is to give citizens input into who their representative is, based on efforts to reflect the population of Illinois. In addition, I am aware that the process is intended to create diverse vibrant maps that allow for diverse representation of communities of interest. The 9th District of Illinois is one of the most diverse in the state and should remain so; I believe that my community of North Lawndale Community known as the triangle is best served in the 9th district and by Representative Lakesia Collins.

Thank you for accepting my written testimony and I hope that my community of The North Lawndale Community known as the triangle may continue to remain in the 9th district and represented by state Representative Lakesia Collins.

Regards,

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