

Redistricting Efforts (Disagree)

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Good morning,

My name is Anthony Arrington. I live in Fort Washington, Md in Prince Georges County and a African American. I disagree with this fair maps redistricting proposal mainly due to me seeing "Outright Lies" in my face and from the Governor and those supporting this effort.

It's obvious within this state that "It's Gerrymandered locally, State, Federal here" So much so that last year in my county their were lawsuits about "Democrats gerrymandering other Democratic districts" so the other Democratic person can win. I posted the link below.

<https://marylandmatters.org/2022/03/07/marylands-highest-court-overturms-controversial-prince-georges-map/>

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/dc-md-va/2022/01/31/prince-georges-redistricting-council/>

I believe you should know "This is dirty and not right!!!" please do not support this proposal if it goes to the General Assembly. I voted for you to "Do the right thing" not the wrong selfish thing. What would you say if "Your district was redistricted in a way that alienated and displaced BLACK and Minority voters?". I'm pretty confident you would not be happy.

In closing, i'm an independent voter and I vote in general elections. I know I live in a highly dominated Democratic politically party county and i'm ok with that. I didn't ask to live in a "Elected officials that pick their own lines so people voices don't matter"

Just my thoughts as a tax paying citizen and love PG County as well.