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Chairwoman Magdalena Blanco and Commissioners Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission c/o Craig Tounget, Executive Director 811 Barton Springs Rd #425 Austin, Texas 78704

Re: November 6, 2013 ICRC Map

Dear Chairwoman Blanco and Commissioners,

This will supplement our previous letters. We write now to address your November 6, 2013 proposed final map.

- 1. It is disappointing that you did not reconnect Bryker Woods with Allandale, Brentwood and Crestview as requested, but on a positive note appreciate that you, at least, kept Bryker Woods and Rosedale in the same district. The two neighborhoods are contiguous, similar in composition and share common interests, issues and challenges. Both neighborhoods track to Bryker Woods Elementary School. We do not, of course, purport to speak for Rosedale.
- 2. You placed us in District 10 and so we feel compelled to now address that district. A comparison of maps indicates that your November 6th map significantly improved District 10 from its prior configuration. We strongly urge you to maintain the current boundary line between Districts 6 and 10 out of fairness to all of District 10's constituent neighborhoods.

Thank you for consideration of our views.

Respectfully,

Michael Curry

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On behalf of the BWNA Board of Directors