

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion/Like/Dislike	Comment	Date
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The current map uses an 1801 township boundary to split Centre County through homes, apartments, cut-de-sacs, condos and a senior community building. This must never happen again. I'm attaching a draft map that is much more considerate.	2021-11-08 14:01:45+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I feel strongly that elected representatives should not be drawing district maps. According to a F&M College survey: 72% believe the current system of drawing legislative districts allows party leaders to put party interests above voter interests 70% believe the current system creates polarization and gridlock 65% believe the current system lets elected officials choose their voters instead of voters choosing them Pennsylvanians demand an end to the conflict of interest that allows party leaders to draw the lines. It would be in the best interest to allow computer data modeling to shape the districts for free and fair elections that can offer balance districts and competitive races. This enables voters to hold their representatives accountable for their decisions, and closer races where a voter like myself can decide who is the best fit, including write-in candidates. The two party system is failing our country and creating damaging factionalism in government houses across the country. The political theatre is sickening and the in-fighting does not produce any compromise or progress for the current era. The world is spinning faster than elected representatives can govern.	2021-11-04 15:29:20+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	I have a map proposal, just click on the link to see it. https://app.districtbuilder.org/projects/5cfd5651-3a74-420c-85a7-e4cb769a66dd	2021-11-02 16:55:50+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	As the House State Government Committee addresses its important responsibility to develop and propose a new PA Congressional redistricting map in light of the state's loss of one Congressional seat, I would strongly urge following principles to Keep It Simple. We know that the current map has been deemed sufficiently fair by the PA Supreme Court so it would help if a new map did not deviate very much from the current map. One presumes it would be harder to argue that a new map unfairly gerrymanders if the new map is essentially the same as the current map. It would also help current office holders, prospective candidates, and voters if most districts in the state do not change. Current office holders have spent time and resources getting to know and become known by voters in their current districts. Current office holders and their potential challengers have focused on the issues most important to voters in the district. Voters have learned about their current Representatives, what they stand for and what they object to. Radically changing the districts means upturning any existing alliances; disrupting advocacy work for the common good of a particular area, municipality, or school district; and having to re-educate Representatives, challengers, and voters to a new coverage area. An example of following principles to Keep It Simple would be to combine current Congressional Districts 12 and 15, leaving the boundaries of all the other existing Congressional Districts as they are today. CD 12 and CD 15 have a lot in common when it comes to issues important to PA. Some of the most beautiful natural areas are in this part of the State (Dept of Interior). Agriculture is a dominant industry in this combined district (Dept of Agriculture). Interstate 80 is the primary cross district highway (Dept of Transportation). This entire area needs reliable internet and cell service for business, education, healthcare (Depts of Commerce, Education, Health and Human Services). If the combined district population exceeds target limits, areas at the boundary could be moved into a neighboring district. Such an amendment to the current Congressional map to address the results of the 2020 Census would be defensible, offer ongoing synergies across a range of policy needs, and result in the least disruption to existing Representatives, Challengers, and Voters.	2021-10-28 19:26:22+00
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PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Foremost, the maps should have compact, concise and contiguous geographic areas. They should NOT be gerry mannered to favor one group by race, ethnicity, party, current politician, etc. For the congressional map, the Pennsylvania Citizens' Map is excellent. The General Assembly should adopt it. For legislative maps, the legislative winner(s) from the DTL competitions are excellent as well. Adopt unbiased, geographically contiguous, compact, data driven maps - follow the spirit and purpose of our constitution along with good, sound, logic.	2021-10-26 23:00:57+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	The Remedial map drawn by the Pa Supreme Court is MUCH BETTER than the gerrymandered mess put out by the Republican Trifecta in 2011. It makes me angry that the Republican caucus chooses to promote the lie that the Supreme Court overstepped its bounds in drawing the current map. I am further disappointed at the snide characterization that Pennsylvanians had no input to the Court's map, as if that process was somehow inappropriate. Were it not for the inability of the Republican caucus to restrain itself from producing the most gerrymandered map in the state's history, there would not have been a lawsuit that vindicated Pa voters. The Republican caucus produced an illegal map; the Court remedied it. Please adopt the Pennsylvania Citizens' Map put forward by Draw the Lines PA. I endorse the district that includes all of Beaver Co, some of Allegheny Co, and no other counties (i.e., Cranberry Twp. stays with Butler Co.) https://davesredistricting.org/maps#viewmap::9cf69410-f021-4f35-a4bc-23af4d179d86 We are watching.	2021-10-23 23:24:25+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I live in Bucks county and I like that my county is intact. It seems we need to pull in a little bit of MontCo for population reasons. I think the Hatfield/Landsale area is fine, and also the other one to consider is Warminster/Horsham. However, I would really look at the school district lines since it would be good to keep Hatboro/Horsham together.	2021-10-22 18:35:30+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I very much like this map because it wasn't gerrymandered to help a political party. Redistricting should not be used as a weapon to gain political advantage, as the 2011 P	2021-10-17 22:38:22+00

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The Pennsylvania Citizens' Map is a perfect example of a map that should be used! Do it! This map meets or exceeds the statistical benchmarks and it reflects the values that are important to everyday Pennsylvanians.	2021-10-14 11:15:46+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I am writing as a Pennsylvania resident to ask that you enact good, fair maps for US Congressional Districts. I agree with principles for redistricting advocated by non-partisan groups such as Fair Districts PA: *Roughly equal population (variation no more than 2%) *Compact and reasonably shaped districts. *Proportional to statewide partisan split, but competitive maps, i.e. mathematically predicted to yield 8.6 Democratic seats / 8.4 Republican seats, but with several competitive seats so that either party could win a majority of seats. *Minimize the splitting of municipalities, townships, etc. *Allow for widely recognized racial & ethnic minorities to have proportional political power, i.e. we should have two majority Black congressional districts. I have drawn the following map that follows all of these principles and keeps the core of most of the current congressional districts intact: https://davesredistricting.org/join/6af215c9-0bb7-4303-ae28-79a07707dc99 Thank you for your consideration. Kris Rust 412.352.8488	2021-10-13 01:55:20+00
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PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	My neighborhood was not counted correctly. I was hired by the US Census to work in my neighborhood. I was given an Iphone that I was locked out of on the second day. The supervisors were relatives with the last name Bello. There was discrimination in getting my neighborhood counted. I counted only one day. Nobody helped with the broken Iphone. I resigned when they asked me to drive downtown without pay and get a new phone.	2021-10-12 18:32:01+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The current map has given me an actual experience of representative government. Prior to the current map, I was gerrymandered into Pat Meehan's district. Over time I wondered why he did not seem to regard concerns posed by myself and other constituents. I came to learn that due to gerrymandering he represented an electorally safe district with convoluted borders that ensured he did not have to listen to any constituents outside of a safe political base and still would win re-election. I can not describe the full measure of helplessness, anger and frustration to know I and others were not actually represented in Congress, essentially repeating the historical claim by revolutionaries to the English monarchy's taxation without representation. Political gerrymandering essentially does create miniature monarchies. I support every effort to redistrict Pennsylvania according to independent influence, and the rules that created the revised districts which hold today should be the minimum in terms of applying rules of politically-independent, democratic redistricting. And I support every measure that is supported by Fair Districts PA. Thank you.	2021-10-11 19:09:17+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	This is a good district. It is competitive and therefore represented by a moderate Republican who realizes that he has to represent the D's as well as people registered as R's, many of whom are also moderate. Competitive districts are a good thing cuz representatives are better listeners to all sides, and work harder to find compromise. amen	2021-10-09 23:56:08+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Thank you for the chance to comment. Please, Democrats, Republicans, anyone else - draw the map so that each individual's vote counts equally. Do not try to gain an advantage for one party, or for anyone else. Do not try to squeeze people of any ethnic or other background into one or two zig-zagging districts. It should be pretty simple to have nearly identical numbers of voters in each district. I realize that some argue that residents of towns and counties should all be in the same district. To me, that is secondary to each individual's vote counting equally. With the electoral college, and with the proposed rewriting of the law for how supreme court justices are chosen, it is most important to make sure that each district has as close to the exact same numbers of voters as possible. So use population figures as your guide, with equal population numbers for each district as the goal. Thanks.	2021-10-09 20:09:05+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I am in District 12 in that little area in the southeast corner that "pokes" in. That splits off part of the State College area. The State College area should be kept intact. To me this area that "pokes in" is a prime example of Gerrymandering which is not democratic.	2021-10-03 21:19:11+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Will redistricting change who is our representative? Will our town still have a local connection to the representatives office?	2021-10-02 21:29:26+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Why do we split up districts after we vote for representation? The redistricting needs to be voted on by the people not just politicians. There should be a commission with equal citizen participation.	2021-10-02 21:26:16+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Use the PA Citizen's Map to get to genuinely fair representation. Decrease public cynicism generated by intentionally choosing one political party over the other in selecting voters via boundary lines .	2021-10-02 21:14:15+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I think counties should not be split since government is all ready divided into counties. Less confusion is better	2021-10-02 13:52:56+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Not only is Centre County cut in half, but State College is split.	2021-10-02 03:51:34+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	This map shows that the Happy Valley - Penn State Community is split between Congress 12 and 15. The dense roads and precincts are a clue. Do not split this educational and economic powerhouse community in the next Congressional redistricting.	2021-10-01 15:19:28+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I grew up in Wyoming county and graduated HS there. I raised my kids for 20 years in Bucks county. I have lived in Philadelphia the last 11 years. All districts are so big with 700,000+ voters there is NO relationship to the elected reps. Also, rural districts are so physically big to rope in the 700,000+ voters there is no sense trying to say those folks have anything in common. Time to figure out a new scheme for the reps- maybe just a state popular vote and the top ones win and get placed to represent the various counties for state and federal elections.	2021-09-30 18:20:41+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	BUTLER County should be drawn by COUNTY BOUNDARIES. I am tired of being chopped off!!! That makes no sense! Do not chop off the east part of butler county. include	2021-09-29 15:01:24+00

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Districts 15 and 12 meet in State College. The line currently separates our community along a 200 year old irrelevant township boundary. It splits homes, cut-de-sacs, apartment buildings, a senior community, our school district, and the larger community that serves our major employer Penn State University. Most other communities in the two districts are kept completely intact. Ours suffered in the 2018 redraw. Please have your map drawers look very closely at the density of roads and size of precincts to indicate communities. Do NOT split them apart in 2021.	2021-09-28 20:44:32+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	The population of the rural part of the state has clearly been displayed as the portion that has experienced extreme population loss. With this data from the 2020 census, I would anticipate that the districts in central Pennsylvania to expand in size and the districts in the more urban/suburban areas of PA to shrink in size. In other words, the district that disappears should not be a district around/in Philly or Pittsburgh.	2021-09-26 20:31:07+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	As a left-wing voter in northwestern Pennsylvania, the gerrymandering by Harrisburg seems to always leave people like me in places like Erie, Edinboro and Meadville without a voice in Washington. We are constantly drowned out by more conservative counties to the south, whose rural geography and differing histories make a poor match for PA's smaller cities. We have different priorities, and I am sick of congressional representation that can simply ignore my voice. Erie and Crawford counties needs its own congressional district. We are the forgotten part of the rust belt. This needs to change. Let Butler and Beaver join with counties in the Allegheny National Forest region, who have much more common interest to each other. It's downright embarrassing to me, having no one but Mike Kelly or Phil English for decades to be my "voice" in Washington. I lose faith in every election, because what's the point? My voice is never heard in this system.	2021-09-25 13:45:17+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	It is NOT ok that State College is split between Congress 15 and 12. The borough is tiny, but the zip code area of State College is large, with over 100,000 people. A 200 year old township line was used in the 2018 redraw as a boundary through a dense neighborhood, cul-de-sacs, apartments, an assisted living community, and condominiums, and the largest school district in Centre County. Use the rural areas for the boundaries and keep a single large community together. No one will care if the line cuts a state forest, but neighbors should have been kept together.	2021-09-24 17:22:48+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is in direct violation of Article I, Section 2, Clause 3. This must be corrected before ANY other action takes place in reference to District maps - See attached	2021-09-09 20:39:18+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Gerrymandering York Township, York County between the 10th and 11th Districts is just plain wrong. Boundaries should NEVER be drawn on the precinct or ward level other than in cities of the first class. It is best to keep Counties within a single district; however, when a County must be split that should be ONLY using municipal boundaries; never splitting a municipality.	2021-09-09 19:28:40+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Unlike other suburban Phila counties, Delaware County has significant problems in terms of poverty, housing disparity, underserved schools, aging residents, and slow economic growth. The 2011 congressional map, which split the county into absurd, far-flung districts, served us poorly. As with the 2018 map, it's important for the county to continue to be fully contained within a single congressional district in order to received the focused attention needed here.	2021-09-09 01:02:34+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	I think the way that the current congressional districts were drawn was done well. I hope the same methods are used in the current redistricting effort (Including the redrawing of state senate and representative districts). I think keeping the boundaries consistent with the current county boundaries is fair. I realize that cannot be the case for all districts. Also, another principle is that the number of majority democratic and republican districts needs to be consistent with the overall state population. In other words, PA is evenly split between Democrats and Republicans, and the resulting Congressional and PA legislative districts. If it does not, it is corrupt gerrymandering. Please see that the balance of the districts represents the demographics of the state.	2021-09-06 02:01:53+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The division of the State College area at this point does not make sense. It divides a major community of interest as is exemplified by school district boundaries.	2021-09-04 04:22:46+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Article I states that "The number of Representatives shall not exceed one for every thirty Thousand..." The 14th District, Pennsylvania must now issue 25 new writs of election to fill these vacancies. See attached for more.	2021-09-03 07:17:47+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I like the current PA 17 District because it keeps my community of interest (townships of northern Allegheny county) intact. It is also competitive, which is good.	2021-08-31 15:05:58+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I like the current District PA - 17 that I live in. It keeps the various townships (where I live) of the northern hills of Allegheny County intact within the district, and the district is also competitive which makes candidates put forth greater effort to meet the needs of their constituents rather than becoming complacent.	2021-08-31 15:03:42+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Butler County needs to be ALL in one district! Why are we slicing the right hand corner off into another district?	2021-08-27 20:42:50+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I do not believe in the kind of gerrymandering districts currently being used. I think all boundaries should be either lines of latitude or longitude as has been done in other locations. This system all but eliminates politically based gerrymandering.	2021-08-27 19:41:35+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I prefer that counties remain intact within a single congressional district as much as possible to prevent communities of interest from being divided. I also urge that residents should remain in their existing congressional districts as much as possible by adjusting existing boundaries instead of making wholesale changes.	2021-08-27 19:21:07+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	this district needs to be split up. they do not have enough similar interests to be grouped together for decision-making and funding. Lancaster area should be its own district.	2021-08-27 19:08:17+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Make sure that there is no gerrymandering by the GQP. It seem that they can't win without cheating so no more cheating by the GQP.	2021-08-27 19:01:19+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	No need to redistrict, aka gerrymandering. Leave it alone and just interact with constituents more.	2021-08-26 16:51:54+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	It's funny that Republicans complain that this map was drawn by the PA Supreme Court without public input when the map it replaced was gerrymandered by Republicans without public input. This map does exactly what the PA Constitution says it should. Good.	2021-08-25 21:49:29+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The Philly section of District 5 should be it's own district. The interests of Philadelphians will not be the same as suburban Pennsylvanians.	2021-08-24 17:49:30+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	district 3 should be cut in half. as in be half the size it was.	2021-08-24 17:48:27+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	too large of an area. if you really want to represent everyone accurately, break these areas down.	2021-08-24 17:47:27+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The district should not be divided so that some South Hills municipalities are in District 17 and other in District 18. If Allegheny County needs to be divided into two districts, don't bisect the South Hills.	2021-08-24 16:30:28+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The size of these districts is in violation of Article I, Section 2, Clause 3; The Reapportionment Act of 1929 notwithstanding. See attached for proper sizing of House districts. PA is now required to issue 417 Writs of Election to fill the Vacancies now created. Thank You	2021-08-23 22:11:10+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The 2018 map was fairly drawn using municipal and geographic boundaries whenever possible. It does NOT appear to focus on political party affiliation. And the new map should definitely NOT return to the old partisan divisions. Make adjustments to the existing plan based on total population counts in the 2020 census!	2021-08-23 15:46:54+00

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PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	<p>Adams County should be aligned with District 11 or 10, not 13. My experience has been that residents from Adams find themselves in Hanover, PA, which is in District 11, with frequency. Hanover is in York County and about twelve miles from Gettysburg, Adams's county seat. District 11's population centers are geographically closer to the major population centers in the Adams County.</p>	2021-08-22 15:17:37+00

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I appreciate that all of Delaware County is kept within the same district. Where it crosses borders to maintain equal population, I think that the little bit of overlap into Montgomery County makes sense.	2021-08-22 15:08:34+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	If the population changes will allow it, more of the city of Philadelphia should stay within its own district(s) and less should be shared with the suburbs. Looking specifically at District 5 on the current map, if there does have to be some sharing then it makes sense for Southwest Philadelphia to share the same district as Delaware County, and for South Philadelphia east of the Schuylkill River (and particularly east of ~20th St) to be in the same district as central Philadelphia.	2021-08-22 15:06:04+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The final redistricting for US House seats seems as well done as can be expected so the criteria and system used should be duplicated.	2021-08-21 03:00:21+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I believe the final legislative map (federal) is about as good as can be done so use the same criteria for the next one.	2021-08-21 02:36:09+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Looks better. Voting districts must be as round or square as possible. No more that look like streams and/or irregular lakes. I see a listing of types of people - white, black, etc. This shouldn't matter. Thank you!	2021-08-20 22:14:01+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I am not sure if this is where this opinion should be presented. If not, please pass it on to where it would be the most effective. The district that should be eliminated should be the elected official that shows up to do their job. It sends the message that if you don't do your job to improve this state - you lose your job.	2021-08-20 15:35:18+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	district 14 could also include Latrobe, Ligonier, Blairsville, Champion, Donegal, Derry	2021-08-20 14:06:36+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Court or non-partisan panel should decide.	2021-08-20 08:23:16+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I think the redistricting that was decided by the courts gave PA more rational and representative representation in Congress. In our case, I would like to have been part of the MontCo district 4, but we were similar enough to be put in 1, and I am satisfied with that choice. I like the method that was chosen to make the current districts. At the end, the PA should be electing Dem and Republican almost equal proportions, which I think represents the population. I do not want to see districts gerrymandered to ensure a Republican (or Democratic) dominance. For example, I do not want to see only a few districts with 70% Dem population, and the majority of the districts with 55% Republican. This would lead to a congressional delegation that is NOT representative of the total population of PA. I do NOT want to see that type of redistricting. This also goes for the PA legislative districts.	2021-08-18 22:31:26+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I do not support the redistricting of Bensalem.	2021-08-17 17:00:38+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Keep Bensalem in District 1. Why change the district when it will only make Philadelphia County more populated? The numbers of population for District 1 and 2 are the exact same. Not to mention that many people move to Bensalem to be close to Philadelphia but live in a suburb of Philly. Who knows what will come with the redistricting. Soda tax? Philadelphia school district? Police department? Both of which are underfunded and lack needed resources to keep the community educated and safe. Higher taxes to live and work in Philadelphia? Lower property values. The list goes on. Not to mention the wrong party representing the people who live in Bensalem? I personally chose Bensalem because its a great town to live in with low taxes - redistricting will raise all of that and push the citizens who love and cherish their homes out.	2021-08-17 16:56:46+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Get Mt. Penn out of District 6 and into District 9. We have absolutely ZERO in common with the likes of areas in southern District 6. Most people here are Republicans NOT Democrats like in southern District 6. Please get us out. Rep. Houlihan has nothing to offer us - NOTHING!	2021-08-16 15:34:54+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	First, we could create a more balanced voting district by including York area in the 11th district. We could adjust the upper boundary and the western boundary of district 11 to account for the population differences. York is part of my community. I shop there and have friends in York. To me it looks like York was included in district 10 to "pack" the Black voices/votes into one district. Second, I just read the recommendations of the Committee of Seventy, a non-partisan not for profit whose goal is to ensure fair redistricting. Their recommendations create a fair way to ensure a transparent redistricting along with a fair redistricting. I am looking forward to seeing the The "Pennsylvania Citizens' Map" when it is released. It sounds like a good deal of thought and logic and data has gone into this map. I hope you all consider it as a starting point and the following of their recommendations as good faith effort to show you are going about redistricting in a way that considers all PA's residents. Thank you,	2021-08-15 20:48:54+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	I am not in support of any effort to redistrict parts of Bensalem Township. Bensalem is a suburban township and as such, should not be mixed up in the politics of Philadelphia.	2021-08-15 00:54:45+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	ALL OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY SHOUD BE IN 1 DISTRICT ALL OF DAUPHIN COUNTY SHOULD BE IN 1 DISTRICT ALL OF YORK COUNTY SHOULD BE IN 1 DISTRICT TWO DISTRICTS SHOULD BE TOTALLY COMPRISED OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY RESIDENTS ONE DISTRICT SHOULD BE COMPERISED OF ONLY RESIDENTS OF OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY ERIE COUNTY SHOULD BE ONLY IN 1 DISTRICT LANCASTER COUNTY SHOULD BE ONLY IN ONE COUNTY CHESTER COUNTY AND DELAWARE COUNTY SHOULD BE DIVIDED INTO 2 COUNTIES MONTGOMERY COUNTY RESIDENTS SHOULD HAVE THEIR OWN DISTRICT AND SHARE ONE WITH PHILADELPHIA BUCKS COUNTY RESDIENTS SHOULD HAVE THEIR OWN DISTRICT AND SHARE ONE WITH PHILADELPHIA LEHIGH, NORTHAMPTOM AND CARBON SHOULD BE SPLIT BETWEEN 2 DISTRICTS LUZERNE COUNTY RESIDENTS ALL SHOULD BE IN 1 DISTRICT LACKAWANNA COUNTY RESIDENTS SHOULD BE IN 1 DISTRICT BERKS COUNTY RESODENTS SHOULD BE IN 1 COUNTY CENTRE COUNTY RESIDENTS HOULD ALL BE IN 1 COUNYU	2021-08-14 00:29:02+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Lebanon County should not be part of District 9. It has very little in common with the rest of that district. There is very little interest in Lebanon County by the representatives; we wouldn't know them in person or by name. If Lebanon County needs to be part of a district with other counties, it needs to be a better match for representation purposes.	2021-08-13 22:43:17+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I clicked on the verification link but did not get the confirmation screen that my comment was submitted, as is shown in the instructional video. I will attempt to submit again using my other email. I feel that counties should not be represented by more than one district. This happens all over the state but I am focusing my comment on Butler County because that is where I live. Butler is currently represented by three districts (15, 16, and 17). In my opinion, district lines should follow county lines and counties should be fully represented by one district.	2021-08-13 18:27:19+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I feel that counties should not be represented by more than one district. This occurs all over the state but I have focused my comment on Butler County because that is where I live. Butler County is currently represented by three districts (15, 16, and 17). In my opinion district lines should follow county lines and each county should be fully represented by only one district.	2021-08-13 18:20:36+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Much better than the gerrymandered contortion that was the prior version.	2021-08-12 14:52:41+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The immense geographical range of the 12th District makes it very difficult for one representative to cover. Covering a distance from Perry County to the Commonwealth's border with New York is extreme.	2021-08-11 19:30:51+00

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The districts are just fine the way they are. They are balanced and do not lean favorably for either party in my opinion. To continue to tinker with the district boundaries will only cost taxpayers more money in legal fees when someone files suit in court to try and get things changed to lean in their favor. If something isn't broke, don't try to fix it. Thank you, David Thompson	2021-08-11 16:53:53+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	If this map is as the Court drew up, I like it. I don't understand it therefore I will go with the court's decision. If it is a new proposed map then no, because I do not trust anything the Republicans are doing lately. This is a sad time in America and I am sad to say that I could come to distrust either party.	2021-08-11 01:07:12+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Stop gerrymandering! It should be illegal for both parties. Stop drawing maps that keep traitors like Scott Perry in office. Yes, I am a proud Democrat. Actions by GOP at state & federal level after the 2020 election loss of Donald Trump is disgusting and an embarrassment to the world. You should all be ashamed.	2021-08-10 22:40:16+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	It is a very balanced district which simply just makes sense.	2021-08-10 18:19:15+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I think natural boundaries, such as the Susquehanna River in District 11, should be district boundaries.	2021-08-09 17:46:09+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Granted Berks County is split I do like how the lines are cleaner for the county and other districts around the state. At my old address with the old map had a few block sliver that was in one district that was mainly in Delaware County. Keep this map or general map close to it and keep the politics out of it! I cannot stand how politicians get to draw up their voters.	2021-08-09 17:07:02+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	My previously submitted comment was submitted with "Like" selected in error. I hadn't noticed the options provided. This districting includes every major Lehigh Valley city with all the rural and farmland in Northampton County. The votes of the overpopulated cities severely dilute those of the majority landowner rural/farmlands whose higher taxes are supporting those cities welfare and public assistance programs. This is a terribly unfair district.	2021-08-09 13:43:28+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	PA 7th Congressional combines every overpopulated city in the Lehigh Valley with all rural and farm land parcel. The votes of the rural/farm land voters are severely diluted by the city votes. Severely. Taking into account that our taxes are higher, and funding every welfare recipient in the cities, it is a terribly unfair districting.	2021-08-09 13:40:44+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The 10th district is so spread out and parts of York are on the outskirts. Should find a way for the entire district to represent more of York County.	2021-08-09 12:33:49+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	As mentioned on the website, this plan was created by the PA Supreme Court without any public opinion. How was it that they created a logical map that kept the integrity of political subdivisions of PA (ie counties) so intact with compact districts? I think it is because that was the stated goal of the Supreme Court and they followed through on that. This is probably the best mapping of congressional districts in Pa over the last 4 or 5 census cycles. With the number of districts being dropped to 17, an improvement to this map would be to make every attempt to ensure that each of the 10 most populous counties in PA have a minimum of one district in which the residents of that county is a majority of residents in that district. Since Philadelphia and Allegheny Counties have a large enough populations to warrant 2 majority districts each (4 total), that leaves the 8 next largest counties to be ensured of one majority district and 5 additional districts to be spread out in the sparser population density regions. In addition to the top 10 counties getting majority districts, the next factor to include is to favor those counties that are increasing in population, so that the future makeup of the population density is considered. These two additions would make the 2018 Supreme Court congressional district map even better representative for all Pennsylvanians. This map is for the House of Representatives and so being representative is an important consideration, perhaps even the most important. Thank you.	2021-08-09 05:05:41+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I like the way the map was drawn by the supreme court. It appears more equal regarding population. It also doesnt appear to make one party more dominant.	2021-08-09 04:45:05+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I don't understand why the 17th and 18th districts are split right in Pittsburgh such that both get the "benefit" or "adverse impact" of the city's vote depending on how one political party would look at it. From a state districting perspective, I live in the 38th PA District which is the WORST map I've ever seen a politician come up with with how it includes parts of the city (Highland Park), so I as a 17th congressional district resident I feel like my vote is negatively impacted by two terribly drawn maps	2021-08-08 19:37:13+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Why is Westmoreland County split. County boundaries should all be kept under 1 district. Seems to me the boundaries are split to make a swing county go Democrat. Which happens to be Westmoreland. We need to be represented. Look at this last election, Nicole Zicarelli lost by a few votes due to part of our county was put into Allegheny County. Thank you	2021-08-08 14:02:41+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I wish there could be districting where entire counties (except for Philadelphia and Pittsburgh) could be in one district for the US House Representatives. Likewise for State House and Senate seats, districts should be contiguous not split in pieces.	2021-08-08 02:52:53+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	All of Montgomery County should be district 4; not district 1. My part of Montgomery County doesn't get the proper attention.	2021-08-07 23:49:57+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The Horsham Community has the majority of common interest with the communities of Hatboro, Upper Dublin, Ambler, Abington, Jenkintown, Warrington and Warminster. These communities share common problems with water issues, education issues, and military base closures. Major highways and infrastructure transgresses through these communities. We have very little in common with Pottstown, King of Prussia, Norristown or Harleysville. These communities are either older declining urban centers or farming communities that are being inundated with development that their infrastructures are unable to handle. The current district representative has virtually NO interest in representing our portion of the district. She is highly partisan and is more interested in being a servile sheep to Nancy Pelosi's vision to destroy America.	2021-08-07 23:39:38+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The current District 18 includes both city and suburban communities, with vastly different needs and priorities. The District which includes the City of Pittsburgh should perhaps include Carnegie and Crafton, but not Bridgeville, Upper St. Clair, and Bethel Park.	2021-08-07 21:28:26+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The construct of district 18 dilutes the views of voters in the surrounding areas by swallowing up communities that do not have the same needs as those in the dense population centers in and around this city of limits of Pittsburgh within Allegheny County.	2021-08-07 05:25:14+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Great job re: equal population. But with Johnstown having the highest poverty rate, we have enough problems without having greater Johnstown split between two congressional districts. So try to keep us in one district please	2021-08-07 03:34:02+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	When do you think Wolf will get it????????? Our gas taxes are the highest in the east coast. We pay .40 cents a gal. of gas higher than any state south of us. The problem is miss managing the funds to PA	2021-08-07 02:44:19+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	much better than that shameful gerrymander was	2021-08-07 02:19:35+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The block of towns south of County Line included in District 1 should be part of District 4 so they are aligned with all other Montgomery County vs Bucks County interests and concerns. As a North Wales resident, I feel our interests are not represented well since the majority of the District is dominated by Bucks County interests and concerns.	2021-08-07 02:09:02+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	When the last redistricting took place we were placed in a district with a Liberal Democratic representative with not choice in the matter. My community and many of the new communities that were lumped into this district do not have appropriate representation on the Federal level. This is a horrible district outline.	2021-08-06 23:16:59+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	District 10 makes sense to me, it includes most of the communities locally that interact with one another, making it a coherent district. I have family that lives across this district, and we have a diverse set of opinions.	2021-08-06 21:24:35+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	To the extent you can: - do not split counties; - if counties need to be split, do not split townships or traditional neighborhoods; - find a way to achieve multi-party representation, not to dilute Republican or Democratic voters (or aggregate them) but to make us all vote for what is best. Bucks County is a good model.	2021-08-06 21:07:48+00

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Montgomery county is huge and vast: there are many affluent constituents as well as indigent and homeless. In processing data to uncover the median for income and needs, and thus distribute funds, resources, and collect taxes, I want to argue that those who are in most need are most disproportionately affected because of the inclusion of constituents along the mainline. Essentially, everything south, of route 76 should not be within district 4, but instead in district 5 (or the extreme, be a whole separate district). Within district 4, the poorest and richest towns in the entire state are clumped together. I think there is an obvious illogical inequity with this paradigm, and the simple solution is to tighten up district 4 to not go south of King of Prussia. Thank you	2021-08-06 21:02:33+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I think the current boundaries fairly represent the community. I encourage you to maintain this type of sensible logic in making adjustments for the 2020 census, and in state assembly redistricting.	2021-08-06 20:45:35+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The map as shown looks fine to me. Please DO NOT gerrymander the districts. Leave them as they are.	2021-08-06 20:22:10+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	To the extent that the entire population of a county can be included in a Congressional District, I recommend doing so.	2021-08-06 20:10:17+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	The districts were just redone by the Courts and they are very balanced in terms of population and contiguous land. There isn't any reason to redo them.	2021-08-06 19:00:49+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Stay as close as possible to the current map. Gerrymandering is the most despicable, pathetically UNAMERICAN thing anyone can possibly do. Anyone involved with gerrymandered maps should be tried for treason.	2021-08-06 18:48:12+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Few of us have business south of I-80. Warren and Forest counties are more visited by people here and we do business in those areas. The northwestern part of the state should have consistent representation that reflects where we are.	2021-08-06 18:33:16+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	There is absolutely nothing wrong with the mapping as it stands currently. No change is needed. Please focus on concerns that really do effect the Commonwealth, rather than political/re-election concerns!	2021-08-06 18:02:45+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Absolutely nothing wrong with the current map. These changes all across the U.S. are totally unneeded. Nothing is wrong with the current mapping.	2021-08-06 17:47:19+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	This entire 3-way border is horrendously gerrymandered. Huge numbers of votes simply do not count here if you are conservative to the East or liberal to the West.	2021-08-06 17:42:53+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	This is a reasonable district and I trust it to represent my interests, unlike the previous maps a few years ago.	2021-08-06 16:33:58+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Thanks for the opportunity to comment. As a Superintendent of Schools it has been difficult over the years when the different boundaries do not match with our working reality. While this is obviously complex process, if there could be consideration to existing boundaries like the IU's. Currently CIU 10 has I believe three different US Representatives and some school districts have multiple. If the lines could be the same, the ability for the Representative to be able to communicate with stakeholders through schools and/or IU's could be an easier process. The additional benefit is that while some school districts do cross county lines, they are already aligned within their respective IU's.	2021-08-06 16:09:07+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Our current District 11 should include all, not just part, of York County. Combining Lancaster and York counties will create an improved political balance.	2021-08-06 16:05:20+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	District 11 includes all of Lancaster County and southern York County. While this gets benefits for being contiguous, it excludes the city of York while it includes the city of Lancaster. That's a little strange. Also, if you drive from Lancaster City to outside the city, it's another world; if you drive on the back roads in southern York County, you'll see Confederate battle flags flying. I am not kidding. It's not reflective of the same values we hold in the City, which honors inclusivity and the correct interpretation of our country's history. While the current map is better than the old neck that encircled downtown Reading, I would like to see more contiguous land and cities included - or just make it by county. Those borders already exist.	2021-08-06 15:55:28+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	More examples of gerrymandering by activist judiciary who force their will upon us. ENOUGH! The placement of districts is a political process done by elected officials and not to be done by corrupt judges who sell favor to the highest (demoncratic) bidder.	2021-08-06 15:49:41+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Clear gerrymandering forced on us by a political activist masquerading as a "judge". This is why PA is a laughing stock when mentioned. The corruption knows no bounds.	2021-08-06 15:46:27+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Cumberland, York and Adams should all be in one District/ Dauphin, Lebanon and northern Lancaster should be in 1 District Most of Chester and the rest of Lancaster should be in 1 District Delaware, Montgomery, Bucks, Berks and Lehigh should only encompass more than 2 districts Luzerne and Laxkawanna should be in separate districts Keep population differential under 5	2021-08-06 15:25:16+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The Northern part of district 4 needs to be addressed and a new line needs to be drawn encompassing similar neighborhoods in N Montgomery County. The needs they have in cities such as Norristown and Abington are radically different than those of us in this area. The decisions made by our "elected" representative are mostly opposite of what we need here in the rural parts of the County. We are very close to Berks County and our region should be included in either district 6 or district 9.	2021-08-06 14:49:44+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	i want to ensure that the redistricting is overseen and established by a non-partisan committee--with final authority	2021-08-06 13:59:38+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Your map feature is hard to use, even after the tutorial.	2021-08-06 13:50:48+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Redistricting = Gerrymandering, and it is tantamount to fixing elections, which in my book is illegal. Just don't do it!	2021-08-06 13:22:29+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	This district is an accurate representation of my community and should retain its boundaries for this redistricting cycle.	2021-08-06 03:18:26+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	The State Supreme Court has NO LEGAL OR CONSTITUTIONAL authority to be a part of redistricting. The state legislators need to grow a backbone and do this job, as they are supposed to do, and not give in to unconstitutional power-grabs by other branches of government.	2021-08-06 03:12:21+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	I would like to see an independent, professional commission to do the mapping, eliminating the influence of politics in determining boundaries of districts.	2021-08-06 01:32:40+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Why doesn't this follow Route 611 rather than jutting out to the right?	2021-08-06 01:03:02+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	This pointy part should follow parallel to Route 132 rather than jutting out abnormally.	2021-08-06 01:02:17+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Why doesn't this line follow Route 309 rather than jutting out?	2021-08-06 01:01:37+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Doesn't it make more sense to have this pointy part be truncated along the lines of route 132?	2021-08-06 01:00:19+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	These districts, "without public input" are far more representative and fair than the ones devised by our highly partisan legislature. They're not perfect, but they're a vast improvement over the ridiculous gerrymandered mess that preceded them.	2021-08-06 00:04:18+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Let's be honest, the vast majority of Pennsylvanians wouldn't know where to begin to draw a fair map. At least the one by the SC was much more fair than the one from 2010/2011. The maps should be drawn by Republicans, Democrats and Independent contractors who know how to draw a FAIR map. That's all we ask. FAIR	2021-08-05 23:34:24+00

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	<p>I live in a rural community. Dillsburg and its environs (Franklin, Monaghan, Carroll townships, etc.; Franklintown; Wellsville and such) have absolutely, positively NOTHING in common with Harrisburg. They have no business being in the same district as Harrisburg. They should have been placed in either the eleventh or thirteenth district. (The eleventh would be preferable because we are closer to, for example, Lancaster than we are to most of the thirteenth district. On the other hand, we are half an hour or so from Gettysburg. Why aren't we in the same district as Adams County? We certainly have more in common with it than Harrisburg (or even Hershey or Middletown), and I would think Gettysburg has more in common with us than with Bedford, Somerset, Altoona, Ligonier, etc.)</p> <p>The Dillsburg area is like a remote island. We're too far away from York so the York media ignore us. We're not in Cumberland or Dauphin county so the Harrisburg area news media ignore us. No one can even get the name of our high school right (it's Northern High School, not Northern York High School). It needs to be in a district that will not treat us like second-class citizens, that will recognize that our needs and wants are important, too. (Our saving grace right now is that our representative comes from Carroll Township.)</p> <p>Dillsburg does not have the issues that Harrisburg does, not the crime; not the (same type of) traffic; not the infrastructure; not the revenue; not the housing and homelessness; not the pollution (well, we get other people's pollution); not the baggage that comes with being the commonwealth's capital.</p> <p>The Dillsburg area is also overwhelmingly conservative. I can't see it turning liberal anytime soon. It deserves to be in a district where a representative will be elected who will support those conservative ideals.</p> <p>Really, I would love to see Cumberland, Adams and York counties in one district with possibly Lancaster County, or western Lancaster County if the whole county is too much. I don't have the patience to figure out how much population that is, but to get to the right population target, I would remove (add?) areas from the east and west (Shippensburg is half in Franklin County anyhow). (If you have to really do have to add, I would add from Franklin County, maybe Perry County.)</p>	2021-08-05 20:48:47+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	As a York County resident, I was very upset when our county was divided into two Congressional districts. As a third class county with a third class city, our county should not be divided into multiple Congressional districts. I can confidently say that my fellow York County residents would strongly agree with this assessment.	2021-08-05 18:41:59+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	I think all of southern butler county including Cranberry township and adams Township should fall in the same district as northern allegheny county.	2021-08-05 18:41:16+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	My area has been the worst for decades now. I have not had any Republican Representatives since Jim Gerlach. They changed our district while he was still in office and it has been bad ever since. A few years back it got so bad that they attached us to a Philadelphia District that was run by Chaka Fattah before he went to jail. I hope that the New redrawn district can include areas with Republican Representatives in it so we have some balance. Writing to any of my current Reps is a polite exercise in Futility.	2021-08-05 17:50:57+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	The Constitution for the united States of America in Article I, Section 2, Clause 3, requires that "The number of Representatives SHALL NOT EXCEED one for every thirty Thousand" inhabitants. State laws also require that it be "As near as is practicable" to this number. If the State of Pennsylvania is creating Congressional Districts that "EXCEED" 30,000 inhabitants, then these districts are TOO LARGE, and therefore are incorrect and must be redrawn forthwith. The current map as drawn is COMPLETELY unconstitutional and will be challenged in court if not changed to reflect THE LAW! Article VI, Clause 2, declares that, "This Constitution, and the Laws of the United States which shall be made in Pursuance thereof; and all Treaties made, or which shall be made, under the Authority of the United States, shall be the supreme Law of the Land; and the Judges in every State shall be bound thereby..." The Pennsylvania "redistricting maps are unconstitutional and MUST be corrected.	2021-08-05 16:54:35+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	I think most citizens would want an IMPARTIAL panel to draw the new districts, not one induced by heavy political pandering from either party. Boundary lines should not be drawn like a dog's hind leg like is what politics created and then let the PA Supreme Court take over and have the final say.	2021-08-05 16:23:08+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Doyle not represent the interests of most of the residents of Bethel Park. Bethel Park and other red districts should not be lumped in with heavy blue areas of the map so that our voices are silenced in congress.	2021-08-05 15:17:00+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	If redistricting is what it takes to win an election maybe you should consider another job.	2021-08-05 11:41:03+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I am very unhappy that rural Wayne County is lumped in with Lackawanna County (Scranton). Scranton completely dominates the vote, leaving the rural people with little or no say in representation. Many of us in more rural parts of Pennsylvania have very different viewpoints than those in cities, even small cities like Scranton, but our views do not get heard because our votes are swallowed up by the populations in the cities. The districting should be done so that ALL Pennsylvanians have a voice.	2021-08-04 22:05:16+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	As you can see I live on Jinnies Gap Road T354 after asking for maintenance to this road due to my disability and the US Postal Service requesting me to do so since this is a Township road, the Township have somehow put a sign up and say they have changed the name of my road but it has evidently not been changed everywhere. 911 in Juniata Co has been changed which has caused mass problems with getting my medication due to my disability all because I asked for maintenance. That is why Turbett Township need their 8 miles redistricted to another Township that will listen to their residence. Also we need to get Mr Zugurski out of his reign of power since he is a conflict of interest in Juniata Co.	2021-08-04 19:14:43+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	I would like to see more effort at keeping counties together. Like all of Berks and part of Schuylkill Counties or the other way around.	2021-08-04 12:25:20+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	To include my neighborhood in a district with Blair County is ridiculous. Everyone in the Plainfield and Newville area shops and secures vital services in Carlisle , Mechanicsburg and Hbg.	2021-08-04 11:58:11+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	Allentown needs to be its own district. They voters in that area do not clearly represent rural areas of Easton and Nazareth PA.	2021-08-03 19:07:33+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	It seems unfair and partisan that the Democratic registered voters in Centre County are split between two districts, 12 and 15, that dilute their voices amongst Republican hinterland voters. This seems partisan, and since we are a representative democracy here in PA, I do not feel represented currently as the districts are drawn.	2021-08-03 17:23:25+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Opinion	Bridgeville to Bethel Park should be a part of District 17.	2021-08-03 16:26:37+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	York City and north west York County municipalities should not be combined with Dauphin County municipalities and Harrisburg. This divides York County resides too much for adequate representation.	2021-08-03 16:15:22+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	District 13 is currently too geographically diverse to receive adequate representative. Recommend adding Adams and Cumberland County with York County in south central Pennsylvania to better represent the regional interests and needs.	2021-08-03 16:13:31+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	District 11 should not combine municipalities on both side of the Susquehanna River. The communities to the east of the river are more oriented to Philadelphia MSA while York County is focused more towards Baltimore/Washington MSA. York County should be combined with communities in Adams and Cumberland Counties which was the case in previous apportionments.	2021-08-03 16:10:58+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	This is EXACTLY how districts should be defined. As close as humanly possible to county boundaries and only separated when necessary. We ALREADY have community lines drawn in Pennsylvania -- they're called counties. Don't gerrymander this up, just leave the counties alone to manage themselves.	2021-08-03 16:07:07+00

PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Why is the PA House GOP providing this website in a way that makes clear this will be a partisan process, and without coordination with Senate colleagues? Who will draw the final map and is there a commitment to including citizen input when that map is drawn? Will there be an opportunity on this site for the public to review and comment on the proposed map before it's given a vote?	2021-08-01 21:17:32+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	Based on our state going from 18 to 17 districts, I don't want to see my neighborhood be a part of current "District 18." There are very different political and overall views from the majority of that district to where we are.	2021-07-30 15:45:41+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Like	compared to the original 2011 map this remedial map enacted in 2018 is representative of PA voters. While it made my district far less competitive, the reason for that has to do with the majority of voters registered in a particular party. The previous 2011 map was found to be unconstitutional because it was significantly gerrymandered to benefit one party. Making seat share in Congress a misrepresentation of the majority of voters within the state as a whole.	2021-07-29 16:21:47+00
PA Congressional Remedial Plan	Dislike	I see no reason why my county, town, and even school district should be split, aside from blatant partisanship.	2021-07-27 19:36:03+00