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My name is Darshana Patel and I am a resident of Rancho Peñasquitos, currently in County Supervisor District 3. I am writing in support of a D3 that contains similar communities of interest, like Torrey Highlands, Rancho Peñasquitos, Carmel Mountain Ranch, Sabre Springs, and Black Mountain Ranch (4S) and Rancho Bernardo. These communities have many similar concerns and shared resources such as the same school district, common thoroughfares, parks, libraries, first responders, etc. These communities are similar to Carmel Valley to the west and Miramar Ranch to the east. Additionally, if high API communities to the south, such as Mira Mesa, Sorrento Valley, Clairemont, Kearny Mesa, and University City area are included, we can retain a district with just under 20% API, as it is currently. There is a relatively compact geographic distribution of the API community members within these community boundaries. Any significant reduction in the exiting API demographic would in effect cause a subdivision of this demographic and a dilution of the voting power to elect a candidate of choice.

I am in support of a map that maintains D3 as an API empowerment district including the communities of Mira Mesa, Rancho Peñasquitos, Torrey Highlands, 4S, Carmel Valley and Sorrento Valley.

I appreciate your time and consideration of my input. Respectfully submitted.

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