



LWVMI's Public Comments to Michigan Independent Redistricting Commission re: PTV House Maps

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Good morning, Commissioners.

Thank you for providing this opportunity for the public to address the Commission.

I'm Susan Smith, Redistricting Chair for the League of Women Voters of Michigan. As many of you know, trained, volunteer, League members have been observing MICRC meetings since September 2020.

The League of Women Voters of Michigan is a partner organization in the Promote the Vote Coalition which advocates for Fair and Equitable maps.

This morning, I'm here to speak in support of Promote the Vote's Fair and Equitable Unity Map P-9299. The map meets all the requirements of the Federal District Court Order, as well as the Michigan Constitution Criteria.

The League of Women Voters urges you to include Promote the Vote's Fair and Equitable Unity map P-9299 along with the other maps you will be submitting this Friday, to your VRA Consultant for the VRA analysis.

Thank you.