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My comments regarding redistricting are a plea to resume geographic and circular boundaries instead of emphasis on demographics.

The partisan use of redistricting is a time worn tradition that has contributed to political apathy, dis-enfranchisement and bad legislative process.

We can as a state do much better if the strangle hold of Party politics is loosened from redistricting. By making all state races more geo-centric, common issues will quite literally, be discussed locally and solutions found with common ground.

I do not make a pun, here but hope to drive home a concept that when people interact at the same stores and share local government, they become more involved.

Citizen involvement should be a key prioritization of redistricting.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. David Pittman