Written & Virtual Oral Testimony to the House Redistricting Committee March 16, 2022 Sherri Grogan Private Citizen

Re: Freestate 3 House Map

Chairman and Committee Members:

My name is Sherri Grogan. I live in rural Leavenworth County, west of Basehor. I am testifying in opposition to **Freestate 3**.

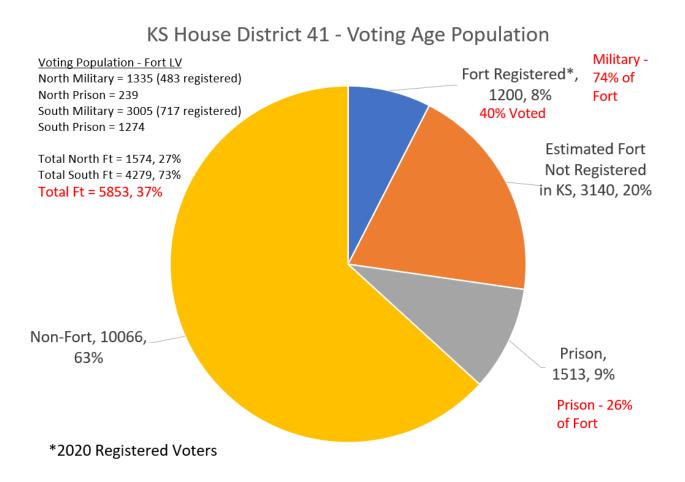
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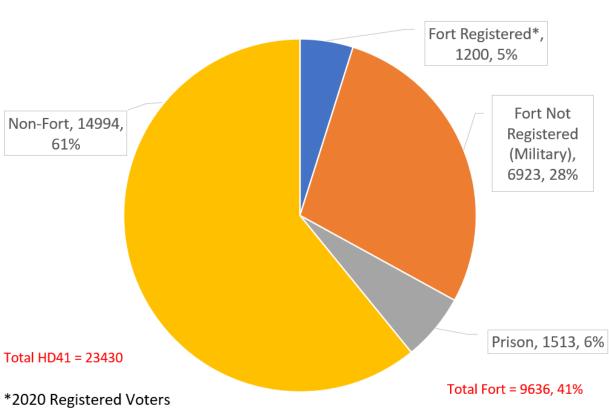
- 1. Including all of Ft. Leavenworth in one district gives citizens more power per vote than other districts. Most Ft. Leavenworth voters vote in their home district not in Kansas.
- 2. The Leavenworth community of interest is split by including a portion of the city in HD38. Leavenworth has more in common with HD41 and HD40 than with HD38. Citizens also identify more with Leavenworth than Basehor area.
- 3. The Leavenworth School District is split across three House districts. Leavenworth High School & Henry Leavenworth Elementary are now in HD38 instead of a HD40 or HD41.

Thank you for incorporating several key points from my previous testimony including keeping Lansing High School with HD40, keeping Basehor-Linwood area together, excluding Johnson County from HD38, and keeping both sides of County Road-1 corridor together. I also appreciate the opportunity to provide testimony.

Sincerely,

Sherri Grogan





KS House District 41 - Total Population