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To whom it may concern,

My name is Jack, and I am a senior at Fairfield Warde High School in CT. This past summer, I stumbled upon the website [davesredistricting.com](#), and found myself interested in submitting a congressional map proposal to the CT commission. Taking a look at the Reapportionment Commission's meeting minutes from 10/19, citizen proposals using these softwares are encouraged.

The [first](#) map I created has a majority minority district in what is currently District 1, Connecticut's first of the kind and a VRA requirement, and aims to preserve municipalities/counties as best as possible. The [second](#) map I created does not have this majority minority district, but is very close percentage-wise, and is arguably more compact than the first map, following municipality/county boundaries as well (note that the district numbers shown by the software are not meant to be in line with current boundaries).

I hope these proposals may be of use to you, and would be more than happy to provide any extra insight about the method/rhetoric used to draw them if the commission is interested. Enjoy your week!

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