October 19th, 2021

Arkansas Board of Apportionment

Arkansas Secretary of State Elections Division Room 25 Arkansas State Capitol Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Board Members.

On October 19th the Conway Area Chamber of Commerce Executive Committee voted to endorse the attached maps as the Conway Chamber's desired alignment for redistricting.

We believe that the attached proposal accomplishes many worthwhile goals.

- Creates three house districts that are more racially and economically equitable than our current alignment
- Achieves equitable representation with regard to population
- Achieves the goals of maintaining communities of interest and compactness by reuniting 7,500 city of Conway residents with a community of interest (the city of Conway) rather than have them in a sprawling district.
- Maintains core constituencies and does not pair any incumbents

This is a redistricting plan that remedies existing flaws and creates districts that will fairly represent Conway and Faulkner County over the next decade. If you have any questions do not hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

Jamie Gates

Executive Vice President

Conway Area Chamber of Commerce





