



April 6, 2021

Board of Commissioners
California Citizens Redistricting Commission
721 Capitol Mall, Suite 260
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Commissioners:

I write on behalf of the Burbank-Glendale-Pasadena Airport Authority ("Authority"), owner and operator of Hollywood Burbank Airport ("BUR"), a medium hub airport located in the southeast portion of the San Fernando Valley, regarding the determination of boundaries for Congressional and State electoral districts.

The Authority feels that it is imperative that BUR remain within its existing districts and we request your consideration with maintaining that status quo.

BUR serves an area primarily located north of Interstate 10, west to Ventura County, north to the Santa Clarita Valley and beyond, and east into the San Gabriel Valley. It is the only airport in the region that has direct rail connection service from both Metrolink and Amtrak on the Antelope Valley and Pacific Surfrider lines.

The Authority is embarking on efforts to finance and construct a Replacement Passenger Terminal which was overwhelmingly supported by City of Burbank voters under a 2016 ballot proposition. This safety project is to replace the current 90-year old building that is not within Federal Aviation Administration design standards.

Over the last ten years, the Authority has worked with its representatives in Congress, the California Senate, and the California Assembly to advance the project. There are a unique set of challenges and opportunities associated with BUR that require deep familiarity with the facility and the surrounding communities.

It is critical that the elected officials representing BUR, whoever they may be, have such knowledge. The Authority therefore respectfully asks that the Citizens Redistricting Commission refrain from placing BUR in a new Congressional or State electoral district.

Sincerely,



Ross S. Selvidge, Ph.D.
President

cc: Commissioners, Burbank-Glendale-Pasadena Airport Authority
Mr. Frank R. Miller, Executive Director, Hollywood Burbank Airport