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I have Latino friends and in the past have had Latino business associates. I count them all among some of the finest people I have ever known. But, a Latino Voting District!

The ACLU lawyers are at it again. There seems to be no end to the quadruple standards they attempt to employ in order to pursue their radical, convoluted objectives. To advocate a Latino voting district, in the Yakima Valley, constitutes the rawest kind of warped racial profiling.

Skagit and Island Counties have heavy populations of Dutch and Scandinavians. Can we create voting districts for each group? Perhaps even have sub-group districts for Norwegians and Swedes. My heritage is Dutch and Irish. Where do I fit? Where are my minority voting rights?

Where does it all stop? Constitutionally census is supposed to measure citizen count. Redistricting is intended to insure an equitable balance in representation based upon population - not blood lines or your mother's maiden name

Please stop this ACLU nonsense. Preserve the integrity of the original intention of the Constitutional mandates of fair representation of all Americans - not special interest groups.

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