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I reside at 4133 S. Stone St., Spokane, WA, 99223. Prior to the 2001 redistricting, the 6th Legislative District covered an area that was located on the South Hill in Spokane and surrounding rural areas. The 6th District usually elected conservative legislators. In 2001, the 6th District was gerrymandered to include a long string of precincts from south, along the western part of Spokane and on the north side of Spokane. I believe the purpose of the 2001 gerrymandering was to increase the likelihood that a legislator who had more liberal tendencies could be elected. The gerrymandering served its purpose.

I encourage the redistricting commission to stop the gerrymandering and to choose boundaries that are more uniform in area. There should be no more obvious gerrymandered legislative districts which combine a population areas that have little in common and who do not have similar interests, at least geographically. Your consideration will be appreciated.

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