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Esteemed members of the commission, Please create a new council district for South Asians in the Jackson Heights/Woodside area. The area has a large South Asian population composed of India, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Nepal etc. In addition, the area has 10 Masjids where a lot of Muslims pray. Over the years, South Asians have been divided between Council District 25 and 26th. Please rectify this issue on eve for all and create a new district for South Asian/Muslims. Warm regards Sofia Haque, [REDACTED]  
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