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Hello

I understand that Manhattan District 5 needs to lose between 4,000 and 9,000 people to achieve balance in the redistricting. Some have suggested moving RI to Queens. I am writing to oppose that idea. Roosevelt Island was set up in its modern form as a part of Manhattan and has been that way since. Zip code, phone area code, subway maps...they all show us as part of Manhattan. People here feel they are Manhattanites.

Thank you

Paul

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