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NYC Districting Commission - June 27, 2022 Hearing at York College Performing Arts Center
Testimony on behalf of the Douglaston Civic Association

The Douglaston Civic Association represents the entire neighborhood of Douglaston, with over 15,000 households. Our organization was founded over 110 years ago in order to protect homeowner rights and investments and plan orderly development of our neighborhood. North of the Long Island Expressway, our neighborhood is more than 95% zoned one family; from the Long Island Expressway to the Grand Central Parkway, our community has a mix of one-family and two-family zoning, garden apartments and condominiums.

Since 2000, our neighborhood has been divided between Council Districts 19 and 23, with the Long Island Expressway as the boundary. This boundary is also proposed by the Queens Civic Congress (QCC) and we agree with the maps submitted by them.

We urge the Districting Commission to respect the current Council District boundary in our Association area.

Sincerely,

Sean Walsh, President
Douglaston Civic Association

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