

Brooklyn Emerge,

To the redistricting commission,

We, as Brooklyn Emerge, a non-profit organization situated in district 40, are writing to request that we remain in district 40.

Founded in 2020 as a response to the pandemic and later morphed into a nonprofit organization as a result of the growing need of our services, Brooklyn Emerge has come to establish its roots in district 40. We have built institutions and roadblocks in the district that allow us to be more effective in providing food, shelter and legal aid to those who most need them in the district.

A move away from the district will not only distance us from our roots and the people we serve, but it will most certainly impair our ability to function as a nonprofit organization.

Therefore, we strongly request that we remain in the district. This will allow us to continue serving the people in district 40 and beyond with utmost enthusiasm, grit and an unyielding commitment to community development.

Brooklyn Emerge.

Zakarya Khan President.

