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Subject: General Public Comment for 12/08 Ethics Commission Meeting (this afternoon at 2pm)

-EXTERNAL-

Hello,

I hope this finds you all well. Not being able to attend your meeting online, I wish to provide a General Public Comment for this afternoon's Ethics Commission Meeting:

I think the City of Long Beach needs to re-evaluate the requirement that you be a registered Democratic Party or Republican Party member for being eligible to be on the Independent Redistricting Commission, the present one, or any future one.

I was "screened out" of the process onto to some degree, and I think after the LBUSD map process, have shown that was not in the best interests of our City.

Some preliminary findings from the active participation of the Long Beach Alliance for Clean Energy, of which I am a co-founder and Operations Director:

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This is an open-source map that was created through a method a 12-year-old (i.e. someone who will be voting in 2028, i.e. someone who is affected by these decisions, and others) could understand.

Thanking you,  
Dave Shukla