

Menshek, Peggy Y

From: Maryellen Mueller <76537.3051@compuserve.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 13, 2012 7:43 AM
To: Redistricting2012
Subject: Peggy Menshek Dist2012, Ward 8 boundaries, from Maryellen Mueller

Dear Ms. Menshek,

After 20 years of living in Field and Ward 8, I'm out of the new Ward 8 boundaries. I'm unhappy for personal reasons. I want Elizabeth Glidden as my Councilmember. In our first 12 years in Ward 8, we had Councilmembers who neglected Ward 8 and made unwise decisions. In 2005, we had a chance for change. I doorknocked with Elizabeth Glidden one day each week, to make sure she got elected.

Our Central neighbors also worked hard to get Elizabeth elected, and they are the heart of Ward 8. I'm concerned that our lower income residents east of 35W will have less say if they are out numbered by more affluent people. It appears that the residents of East Harriet and CARAG will get our best Councilmember without doing any work.

Field is a 'border' neighborhood. I have more in common with our neighborhoods to the north than I do with the neighborhoods in Ward 11, south of Minnehaha Creek. Please put Field back in Ward 8.

Sincerely,
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