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January 19, 2022

Representative Christopher Croft Chair – House Redistricting Committee Rm. 186-N, Statehouse Topeka, KS 66612

Re: Redistricting Maps and Douglas County

Dear Representative Croft and Committee Members,

The City of Lawrence is opposed to redistricting maps that split Douglas County into more than one congressional district. We are also opposed to efforts to place Douglas County into the 1st Congressional District.

Sincerely,

Courtney Shiply

Mayor

cc: Craig S. Owens, City Manager

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