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According to this measure, there will be an ostensibly independent citizens commission that will oversee the redistricting efforts. What they don't tell you is that the commissioners for this commission will be vetted by a "screening panel" composed of the members of the Ethics Commission (if Measure CCC passes), the majority of whose members would be handpicked by the politicians.

A new Redistricting Commission could wield immense influence over the future of the city. It would have the power to control all City Council district boundaries, and if not truly independent potentially lead to gerrymandering. In fact, by deciding which citizens reside in which districts, it could impact who gets elected to office and who does not.

A Redistricting Commission that is flawed at its core is not truly independent it becomes nothing more than a scary power grab by the Mayor and his "rubber-stamping" City Council.

VOTE NO on the self-serving Redistricting Commission!