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To The Honorable Judges of the Wisconsin State Supreme Court,

This letter is about the recent redistricting legislation signed into law by Governor Tony Evers on February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024. We the people of Waupaca County Republican party, residents of the State of Wisconsin strongly disagree with the recent decision by Governor Tony Evers and the Wisconsin State Legislature to redraw the state Assembly and Senate Districts that represent Waupaca County. Waupaca County Residents are being appointed a Senator by Tony Evers and the State Legislature by the removal of Waupaca County's elected Senator Joan Ballweg district, whose term would end the fall of 2024. Instead, Governor Tony Evers and the State Legislature has appointed a non-elected Senator until 2026 for Waupaca County through redistricting. Because of this action the Residents of Waupaca County are now being disenfranchised by not being able to vote for their State Senator the fall of 2024 when election would be held in Waupaca County. This is clearly a violation of the rights of the citizens of Waupaca County to vote for their State Senate Representative every 4 years. We the People of the Waupaca County Republican Party call on the Wisconsin State Supreme Court to step in and overturn the redistricting maps that disenfranchise the voting rights of the residents of Waupaca County.

Respectfully Submitted,

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