

Chairman Croft, Vice Chair Ralph, Ranking Member Burroughs, and all committee members:

Hello, my name is Halle Bohl and I live in Ellsworth County, south of Yankee Run. I am writing to express my satisfaction with "Freestate 3." I would like to reiterate my hope that Ellsworth County stays together, as you currently have it slated. I am also in favor of the new district that we fall into: District 109.

Before this map was created, there was talk that Ellsworth County would be split. This would be a mistake. I am a CNA and my mother is a nurse. We both drive to work from our home outside of Yankee Run to Ellsworth County Medical Center in Ellsworth. So much of my time is also spent in Ellsworth. I feel better represented if our whole county stayed together as a whole, like it does in your current version of "Freestate 3." I share so much in common with the whole county. I would feel better represented if we had only one representative because our county is so interconnected and similar. The whole county shares so many values and aspirations.

I would just like to once again say, I approve of this map and District 109. Please keep Ellsworth County together and with District 109. Thank you for your time.

Thank you,

Halle Bohl