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To Whom It May Concern:

The Parents of IS 228 are opposed to the New York State redistricting of our community from the “Bensonhurst” District to the proposed “Gravesend” area.  We feel that the area west of McDonald Avenue between Avenue U and Avenue O, with the area east of McDonald Avenue has no strong ties to our community. Currently and in the past, the PTA and parents of I.S. 228 have worked closely on many projects with Community Board 11, the NYPD 62 Precinct and District 21 councils.

As parents we feel safe and secure with the relationships we have built with these various community organizations. Our goal is to continue building these relationships in the future. We know as a school community if we need support, we can call upon Community Board 11, the 62 Precinct and members of the District 21 councils as well as our other community organizations in the area to assist with our needs. Our school community has no relationship with Community Planning Board #15 and NYPD 61st Precinct. We feel that that at this time it would be unsafe to start redistricting our community from the Bensonhurst District to the Gravesend area.

Please do what is right for the I.S. 228 school community and leave us part of the Bensonhurst

47th Assembly District!

Thank you, The PTA of I.S. 228 David A. Boody