

Representative • 97th Assembly District

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"Non-partisan redistricting" means less representative government

Rep. Allen issued the following statement on the Waukesha Common Council rejecting a referendum question for "non-partisan redistricting" on the 2019 spring ballot:

The idea of progressivism is that some people who know better can make decisions for you. Unelected bureaucrats who would draw maps remove power not from the legislature, but from the people.

The Wisconsin Constitution specifies that the legislature, elected by the people, "shall apportion and district anew the members of the senate and assembly." Common Council members did well to remember they serve the people they represent – not partisan elitists who think they know better.

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The 97th Assembly District includes portions of the City of Waukesha and the Towns of Waukesha, Genesee, and Mukwonago.