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**Subject:** Opposition to HB21

Dear Member of the Georgia House of Representatives,

I am President of the North Buckhead Civic Association. Our large neighborhood in northeast Atlanta is made up of more than 4,000 single-family homes and high-rise condominiums.

I am also Secretary of the Buckhead Council of Neighborhoods, whose members come from the neighborhoods in the 28 square miles of Atlanta that make up the Buckhead Community.

I oppose HB21 because it denies the voting rights of Buckhead, Atlanta and South Fulton citizens to decide the issue of Milton County. Even if it is approved, this divisive legislation will surely be found to be in violation of Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act and will be reversed. Please don't divert our government's critical resources to this divisive issue in this time of economic crisis for the State of Georgia.

Sincerely,

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