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League Statement on New Congressional Districts Adopted by NYS Legislature

"The New York State Legislature has once again undermined the intent and promise of the constitutional amendment establishing the Independent Redistricting Commission by voting down a new plan for congressional districts approved 9-1 by the bipartisan IRC and drawing its own new district lines. The recent actions, including the Legislature's redrawing of maps, leads to confusion and uncertainty for voters and potential candidates as to election districts especially if those lines are challenged in the courts. The League of Women Voters of New York State will continue to fight to further improve the redistricting process for the benefit of all New York voters before the next census."

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