



**JACK DONAHUE**  
STATE SENATOR



## **DONAHUE: NORTHSHORE DELEGATION STOOD TOGETHER ON REDISTRICTING**

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State Sen. Jack Donahue (R-11) said the Northshore Delegation worked together in Baton Rouge to keep the three Northshore Parishes in the First Congressional District. Although the end result was not completely in keeping with local legislators' requests, Donahue said the citizens were still well-served.

Donahue issued the following statement:

"I would like to thank my fellow delegation members for their outstanding work during the session, particularly as it relates to the Congressional redistricting. The Northshore was going to be carved up between District 5 and District 1, and although the First District did lose Washington Parish and the Northern portion of Tangipahoa to District 5, we were able to maintain all of St Tammany and the southern portions of Tangipahoa. If it was not for the strong stand by our delegation the Northshore would be represented drastically different.

"Additionally, thousands of local voters emailed the governor to ask his support in keeping the Northshore whole. This kind of citizen engagement is essential to good government, and I am proud to represent such active and responsive voters."

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Senator Donahue will host a town hall meeting this Wednesday, April 20, from 6:30-8 p.m. in the Covington City Council chambers, 222 Kirkland St.

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