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**DC Voting Rights Quiz**

Read each statement carefully. Circle TRUE or FALSE.

1) Washington, DC is just a city.

TRUE

FALSE

2) Americans can have their civil rights denied depending on where in the United States they live.

TRUE

FALSE

3) The framers of the U.S. Constitution intended to deny District residents congressional voting rights.

TRUE

FALSE

4) People who live in DC have more influence because they are closer to the President and Congress.

TRUE

FALSE

5) DC citizens pay federal and local taxes even though they have no voting representation in Congress.

TRUE

FALSE

6) The population of DC is not large enough to have representation.

TRUE

FALSE

7) Because most of Washington, DC, is government land, the District cannot have representation.

TRUE

FALSE

8) Most Washington residents have lived in the District for more than 20 years.

TRUE

FALSE

9) It is impossible for DC to achieve voting rights.

TRUE

FALSE

10) DC citizens have worked hard throughout history to gain equal rights.

TRUE

FALSE