

## 1 THE FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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3 In Re: :

4 Regular Meeting. :

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6 SEPTEMBER 6, 2022

7 PROCEEDINGS OF THE

8 FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

9 (IN-PERSON AND VIA REMOTE VIDEOCONFERENCE)

10 before Chairman Douglas J. Preisse,  
11 Director Antone White, Deputy Director David Payne,  
12 Board Members Josh Jaffe, Michael E. Sexton, and  
13 Kimberly E. Marinello, taken before me,  
14 Beth A. Higgins, on Tuesday, September 6, 2022,  
15 beginning at approximately 3:03 p.m., and  
16 concluding at approximately 3:42 p.m.

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18 ALSO PRESENT:

19 Erin Gibbons, Executive Manager  
20 Carla Patton  
21 Jeff Mackey  
22 Matt Kelly  
23 Andrea Hofer  
24 Barb Hykes  
25 Aaron Sellers

Jeanine Hummer, First Assistant Prosecuting  
Attorney/Chief

Elizabeth Ann Francis (via Remote  
Videoconferencing)

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1 Thursday Afternoon Session  
2 September 6, 2022  
3 3:03 p.m.

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4 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: It appears  
5 we have a quorum, but I'll take roll.

6 Kim Marinello?

7 MEMBER MARINELLO: Here.

8 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: Mike Sexton?

9 MEMBER SEXTON: Here.

10 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: Doug  
11 Preisse?

12 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Here.

13 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: And  
14 Josh Jaffe.

15 MEMBER JAFFE: Here.

16 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: My name's  
17 David Payne.

18 The first item on the agenda is the  
19 approval of minutes. I believe those were sent to  
20 all the Board members.

21 Ask if there's any additions,  
22 deletions, corrections.

23 MEMBER MARINELLO: No.

24 MEMBER JAFFE: This is Josh Jaffe.

25 I will move that the Board approve the minutes of

1 the August 1st of 2022 and August 17th, 2022,  
2 meetings of the Franklin County Board of Elections  
3 as submitted.

4 MEMBER MARINELLO: Kim Marinello. I  
5 second.

6 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: It's been  
7 properly moved and seconded.

8 All those in favor of the motion,  
9 signify by saying aye.

10 (Vote taken.)

11 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: All opposed,  
12 same sign.

13 (No response.)

14 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: The motion  
15 carries.

16 The next item on the agenda is the  
17 paper ballot allocation for the November 8th  
18 General Election.

19 And I'll call on our operations  
20 manager, Carla Patton, to give that report.

21 MS. PATTON: Good afternoon. In  
22 front of you, you have Exhibit A, which is the  
23 initial paper ballot allocation for the November of  
24 2022, General Election.

25 Within this allocation is the

1    provisionals and the paper-by-choice backup  
2    ballots.

3                    So how they're calculated is we  
4    looked at the 2018 General Election and the number  
5    of provisional ballots passed in the precinct  
6    multiplied by five percent adding on to that. So  
7    it's five percent previous provisional ballots in  
8    that like election, plus that -- uhm, it's the  
9    number of ballots plus five percent on top of that.

10                   So then the back- -- the backup or  
11    based by choice is ten percent of the number of  
12    ballots cast on election day in that precinct in  
13    the 2018 General Election.

14                   So when those are added up, then we  
15    round up the pads to point -- ballots of 25. And  
16    so that's how you come up with the number of  
17    ballots that we're recommending for allocation.

18                   You will see some that say they're  
19    combined with another split. That's because the  
20    ballots are similar. There's nothing that  
21    distinguishes -- makes the two ballots different.  
22    So rather than printing the same ballot for two  
23    different ballots, precinct splits, we're only  
24    printing for one and combining the voter numbers  
25    into that split that is being combined. Excuse me.

1 Do you have any questions?

2 There is a total of 59,675 ballots  
3 that are being proposed as the recommended  
4 allocation.

5 Just as a side note, we probably get  
6 two percent of the paper ballots used on election  
7 day. The rest of them come back unused most of the  
8 time.

9 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: So if we look at  
10 the top of the first page, the first highlighted  
11 column three down, Columbus 01-A 03, combined with  
12 Columbus 01-A 01 jumping back two spots, that's the  
13 same polling book?

14 MS. PATTON: They're in the same  
15 polling location. And for this election, there's  
16 nothing that differentiates the two, the ballot  
17 styles from those two splits.

18 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: So they're all in  
19 the same House?

20 MS. PATTON: They are all the same  
21 House, Senate, Congressional districts.

22 What differentiates those splits is  
23 not a factor in this election. It's most likely a  
24 township split that comes into play, which does not  
25 have an issue or an office on the ballot.

1                   CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Okay. So there's  
2 a split precinct, but not anything on the ballot  
3 that would distinguish the --

4                   I'm Doug Preisse. Sorry.

5                   Right? They're the same ballot.

6                   MS. PATTON: Correct. Those two  
7 splits, they're in the same precinct, but there's  
8 nothing different on the two ballots.

9                   CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Okay. Okay. Got  
10 it.

11                  MS. PATTON: When you look at the  
12 two together, they would be identical, so we just  
13 merge them as one.

14                  CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Got it. Thank  
15 you.

16                  DIRECTOR WHITE: When you reduce the  
17 amount of ballots, it would reduce the --

18                  MS. PATTON: Exactly. It greatly  
19 reduces the number of ballots that we would have to  
20 produce.

21                  CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Understood.  
22 Thank you.

23                  MEMBER SEXTON: Okay. Mr. Chairman,  
24 I'm Michael Sexton. I move that the Board adopt  
25 the paper ballot allocation formula in Exhibit A

1 compiled by the Board staff for the November 8,  
2 2022, General Election.

3 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Thank you,  
4 Mike Sexton.

5 Doug Preisse. Second the motion.

6 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: It's been  
7 properly moved and seconded.

8 All those in favor the motion say  
9 aye.

10 (Vote taken.)

11 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: All opposed,  
12 same sign.

13 (No response.)

14 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: The motion  
15 carries.

16 The next item on the agenda is also  
17 going to be presented by Carla Patton. It's the  
18 voting machine and e-pollbook allocation.

19 MS. PATTON: Exhibit B is the  
20 allocation of the equipment used at the polls on  
21 election day. These pieces of equipment are  
22 allocated based on location rather than precinct.  
23 So we look at the number of voters in each of the  
24 locations to determine the allocations.

25 For the DS200 Ballot Scanners, you

1 have one ballot scanner for every 2,525 voters.  
2 For every Express Vote Tabletop, you have one for  
3 every 343 voters. And Kiosks, which is the ADA  
4 Express Vote, is one for every 4,540 voters. And  
5 the Poll Pads is one for every 150. And this is  
6 all based on registered voters, not active -- not  
7 just active, but inactive as well.

8 With those numbers, that basically  
9 allocates most all the equipment that we have at  
10 this point in time, with some being left over to  
11 allocate later as we see fit into hotly contested  
12 areas potentially.

13 So with those numbers, we have 500  
14 DS200s that are allocated, suggested for  
15 allocation; 2,704 Express Vote Tabletops, 354  
16 Express Votes in the Kiosks, and 1,286 Poll Pads or  
17 roster pole books.

18 Uhm, there is no less than one  
19 ballot counter and one kiosk in any location, no  
20 less than two Express Vote Tabletops, and no less  
21 than three Poll Pads in any location.

22 MEMBER MARINELLO: And the Poll Pads  
23 are good to go? This is Kim Marinello.

24 MS. PATTON: We are still -- We're  
25 still in the process, we're still testing those;

1 but we have confidence that they will work for this  
2 election based on conversations I've had with other  
3 counties' experiences they had on the election in  
4 August were not relevant to how we process voters  
5 on our Poll Pads.

6 MEMBER JAFFE: How many polling  
7 locations do we have at this time?

8 MS. PATTON: We are down to 309  
9 polling locations. We were -- we were able to  
10 consolidate some of the locations as permanent  
11 consolidations, taking us from 320 that we had in  
12 May, down to 309 for November.

13 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: What was our max?

14 MS. PATTON: The max number of  
15 precincts in a location?

16 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Yeah, the polling  
17 places. Weren't we up in the 340s or something or  
18 350?

19 MS. PATTON: We've been up close to  
20 400 in the past. I mean, we've slowly dwindled  
21 them down. I think when -- you know, 10, 12 years  
22 ago, we were probably 500 locations roughly.

23 DIRECTOR WHITE: I think we lost a  
24 significant number --

25 This is Director White.

1 I think we lost a significant number  
2 of locations in 2020 due to COVID, because we had  
3 several locations that were in nursing homes and  
4 senior facilities. So a lot of those never came  
5 back online. I believe there was maybe 20,  
6 20-plus.

7 MS. PATTON: I think prepandemic, we  
8 were around 356. And so with the loss of all the  
9 nursing homes, senior centers, basically, we were  
10 kind of forced to dwindle those down, find new  
11 locations, so.

12 DIRECTOR WHITE: But as point of  
13 reference, our absentee department works with all  
14 the nursing homes, and we did allow -- we sent out  
15 a bipartisan team out to all the nursing homes to  
16 vote all those residents through Matt Kelly's  
17 department in absentee. And after this election,  
18 we -- we had to take several locations offline, I  
19 think 11. Some of them just weren't available for  
20 various reasons, construction or otherwise no  
21 availability, things of that nature. That  
22 typically sometimes happens.

23 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Thank you. Good.

24 MEMBER MARINELLO: Mr. Chairman,  
25 this is Kim Marinello.

1 I move that the Board adopt the  
2 voting machine allocation formula in Exhibit B  
3 compiled by the Board staff for the November 8th,  
4 2022, General Election.

5 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: And I'll second  
6 the motion.

7 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: It's been  
8 properly moved and seconded.

9 All those in favor of the motion, if  
10 signify by say aye.

11 (Vote taken.)

12 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: All opposed,  
13 same sign.

14 (No response.)

15 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: Motion  
16 carries.

17 The next item on the agenda I don't  
18 believe requires any action by the Board, but we  
19 wanted to give you a report on the Audust -- August  
20 election audit.

21 And I'll call on Matt Kelly, the  
22 manager of our absentee department, to give that  
23 report.

24 MR. KELLY: Mr. Chairman, members of  
25 the Board, good afternoon.

1                   On August 30th, 2022, the Franklin  
2 County Board of Elections conducted a post-election  
3 audit of three races for the August 2nd, 2022,  
4 Primary Election as instructed by the Ohio  
5 Secretary of State's Office. The required  
6 post-election audits were formatted as simple,  
7 standard percentage-based audits, conducted by  
8 selecting 8.23 percent of total ballots cast within  
9 the 25th Ohio Senate District. And that's for the  
10 August -- August 2nd, 2022, Primary Election. And  
11 we selected these from two randomly selected voting  
12 location, or LIDs, and all of the precincts  
13 contained within those LIDs. The LIDs chosen for  
14 these audits were randomly selected by this Board  
15 at the August 17th board meeting.

16                   The three contested races within the  
17 25th Senate District were Democratic Male Central  
18 Committee Member Race, and both the Republican Male  
19 and Republican Female Central Committee Member Race  
20 in the 25th Senate District. All ballots in the  
21 audits were reviewed by teams of sworn Board of  
22 Elections employees, paired up in bi-partisan  
23 groups of four, with each of team consisting of one  
24 Republican and one Democrat who would read the  
25 ballots verbally and then a second team of one

1 Republican and one Democrat that actually did the  
2 hand tallies in all these races.

3 The results of the audit are as  
4 follows:

5 Comprehensively between all results  
6 of all three races that we audited totaling 1,713  
7 ballots that were reviewed by hand, I'm pleased to  
8 report that the county -- the county -- Franklin  
9 County post-election audit was 100 percent  
10 accurate. This means that all ballots that were  
11 hand counted as part of the audit - In all three of  
12 the contests selected as part of the audit - All  
13 matched machine counts as reported in the official  
14 canvass submitted to you on August 7 -- August 17,  
15 2- -- I'm sorry -- August 17th, 2022. There are no  
16 discrepancies, no inaccuracies, no changes, and no  
17 findings to report as the result of this audit.

18 The 100 percent accuracy rate is  
19 above the 99.5 percent accuracy rate set by the  
20 Ohio Secretary of State's Office as the minimum  
21 standard. Therefore, with what the audit concluded  
22 and with a 100 percent accuracy rate affirmed, the  
23 only action required by this Board at this time is  
24 to accept the contents of this report by including  
25 the report as part of the Board's meeting record.

1                   And I have submitted to our court  
2 reporter the report already.

3                   MEMBER MARINELLO: Very good.

4                   CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Good.

5 Congratulations us guys, you guys.

6                   MEMBER JAFFE: Can we do any better  
7 next time?

8                   CHAIRMAN PREISSE: 101 accuracy.

9                   DIRECTOR WHITE: Thank you, Matt.

10                  DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: The next  
11 item on the agenda is a voter challenge, and I'll  
12 turn that over to Sara Ziemba, the supervisor of  
13 our Voter Services Department for a report.

14                  MS. ZIEMBA: All right. Thanks,  
15 David.

16                  I am Sara Ziemba. Good afternoon,  
17 everyone. And I'm going to discuss today the voter  
18 challenge that we received on 7-21, 2022, from  
19 Ms. Elizabeth Ann Francis of 847 McClain Road,  
20 Columbus, 43212.

21                  I got a call from Miss Francis  
22 after we had sent out all those polling location  
23 change cards. She got two for two gentlemen,  
24 Mr. James F. Hussak and Mr. Stuart Gordon Stephens,  
25 at her residence who did not live there. So she

1 called in. I explained to her the process of  
2 filling out the voter challenge form, which I think  
3 you should all have in your packet. And she  
4 completed that, sent it back. And so here we are  
5 today to discuss the voter challenge of these two  
6 gentlemen from Ms. Francis.

7 So you'll also see -- You should  
8 have in your packet the -- there's voter histories  
9 for each of the three parties involved:  
10 Miss Francis, Mr. Hussak, and Mr. Gordon --  
11 Gordon Stephens. Sorry.

12 (Discussion held off the record.)

13 (Ms. Elizabeth Francis joined the  
14 meeting remotely via Zoom.)

15 MS. ZIEMBA: So Miss Francis, the  
16 person who has brought the challenge, she is  
17 registered to vote originally here in Franklin  
18 County on 5-17, 1994. She remained a Franklin  
19 County voter from that time in 1994 until she  
20 merged into Knox County in 2018. She then returned  
21 back to Franklin County in 2020 where she is  
22 registered currently at 847 McClain Road, Columbus,  
23 43212.

24 Since she has returned back to  
25 Franklin County in 2020, she has been an active

1 voter. As you can see on her vote history, every  
2 vote that's happened with the precinct Grandview F  
3 is that address where -- that we're talking about  
4 today, the 847 McClain. She voted at the polls and  
5 then the R-vote-type designation for 11-2-2021,  
6 5-3-2022, and 8-2-2022.

7 The "R" means a regular vote at the  
8 polls on election day.

9 So she has consistently been a  
10 regular voter there at her address over the past  
11 couple of years. And when she affirms on her  
12 statement and to me over the phone that she is the  
13 only person living at that address, her voting  
14 history would affirm that.

15 Additionally, the next couple of  
16 pages, you'll see we've got her registration forms,  
17 her original form, her form that registered her at  
18 McClain, and then another online registration form  
19 just in case you wanted to look at that to show  
20 that she is registered there.

21 The next set of voter history you'll  
22 see is for James Hussak, the first person that's  
23 being challenged today. And I'll talk about him  
24 first.

25 James Hussak originally registered

1 to vote on -- in 2008 through a BMV registration;  
2 and over the time -- the course of his time as a  
3 registered voter in Franklin County, Mr. Hussak's  
4 record fluctuated from an active status to an  
5 inactive status after periods of no voter activity.  
6 However, because of regular interactions with the  
7 BMV or USPS, his address has never fallen -- he's  
8 never completely fallen off the rolls for  
9 inactivity because there was some activity that  
10 counts as a voter activity to keep him alive.

11 The last time that we heard from him  
12 was 7-15-2019, through the BMV which changed his  
13 address to 847 McClain, where he is currently  
14 registered today.

15 At this time, in, you know, 2019,  
16 7-15-2019, that was the last activity, voter  
17 activity on his record; so no voting, no address  
18 changes, no absentee requests, petition signatures,  
19 nothing that would indicate that he still does live  
20 there since that BMV registration in 2019.

21 Furthermore, Mr. Hussak, over the  
22 course of his existence as a Franklin County voter  
23 since back in 2008, he's never once cast a ballot  
24 in any election for which he's been eligible. He's  
25 never signed any petitions. He's never had any

1 voter activity other than those routine instances  
2 where he would go and renew his driver's license to  
3 BMV, which then is transmitting to us out of piece  
4 of voter activity.

5           So other than -- other than those  
6 things, he's never went out of his way to vote or  
7 do anything else that would be considered voter  
8 activity at McClain or any other address he's been  
9 registered at over the course of his time as a  
10 voter.

11           So following that research, we can  
12 conclude that Mr. Hussak does not currently reside  
13 at 847 McClain, and Voter Services would recommend  
14 that the Board would consider removing him as a  
15 registered voter at her address, as he does not  
16 live there.

17           The next, after Mr. Hussak's section  
18 on there, you will see the voter history for  
19 Mr. Stuart Gordon Stephens; and his voting history  
20 is very similar to Mr. Hussak's.

21           Again, Mr. Stephens has never cast a  
22 ballot for any election in Franklin County that he  
23 has been eligible to vote in.

24           He initially was registered on  
25 11-6-2018. And then as part of the National Change

1 of Address, or NCOA program, that we have with the  
2 USPS in 2016, we -- that was what changed his  
3 address to 847 McClain Road.

4 When we get that notice from the  
5 postal service that someone has moved to a new  
6 address, we'll send them a confirmation letter in  
7 the mail.

8 When we sent one to 847 McClain with  
9 Mr. Stephens' name on it, it came back to us  
10 Undelivered as Addressed. So at that point,  
11 Mr. Stephens' record was put into an inactive  
12 status; and since it's been put into an inactive  
13 status in 2016, he's had no other activity that  
14 would take it out of active -- or inactive status  
15 and changed his to active status.

16 So, again, he is on the schedule to  
17 be removed for listed maintenance functions later  
18 this year.

19 And, again, with no vote history, no  
20 petition signing, no -- no even interaction with  
21 BMV since 2016, again, Voter Services would have to  
22 conclude that Mr. Stephens does not live at  
23 847 McClain; and, again, we would recommend that  
24 the Board grant Miss Stephens or -- or  
25 Miss Francis' challenge to have him removed as a

1 registered voter at her address.

2                   And just a little bit --

3                   That concludes the report on the --  
4 the research that we have.

5                   And additionally, we have run a  
6 report in the Daily Reporter, which is through the  
7 court system, where it would announce to everyone  
8 that this challenge is taking place. So if there  
9 were interested parties, if Mr. Stephens or Hussak  
10 were to see that or someone who knows them, they  
11 could come and be at the board meeting today just  
12 to speak on their behalf.

13                   I don't know if anyone showed up,  
14 you know, in their favor. We sent letters. Of  
15 course the letters were going to go -- announcing  
16 that they were being challenged, it will go to  
17 847 McClain, which unfortunately they don't appear  
18 to live at.

19                   And then neither one of those two  
20 gentlemen had a phone number or an email on file  
21 that we could contact them at. So we did go out of  
22 our way to try to contact them and let them know  
23 that, you know, if you do want to register, please  
24 come and be -- be present at this board meeting.  
25 But there was no way really for us to contact them

1 other than sending a letter to the address that we  
2 have on file.

3 So that was sort of the -- the  
4 background and the research on that.

5 I can answer any questions if you  
6 have any.

7 You also have Miss Francis on the  
8 line to give her statement as well.

9 MS. HUMMER: My name is  
10 Jeanine Hummer. I'm the First Assistant  
11 Prosecuting Attorney.

12 Just we understand, because she's  
13 online, there's no ability to see or swear her in.  
14 So in terms of evidence, I would submit that the  
15 documents you have in front of you, the testimony  
16 or the comments from the staff members at the Board  
17 of Elections is what you need to consider, because  
18 the person in front of you, you don't -- we have no  
19 way of identifying this person through a  
20 swearing-in process.

21 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Thank you.

22 Sara, would you remind the Board, as  
23 you referenced earlier, the kind of -- I think you  
24 said BMV interaction that would cause the first  
25 gentleman, Stuart Gordon Stephens --

1 Did I get that right?

2 MS. ZIEMBA: Uh-huh.

3 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: -- to remain in  
4 active, or even inactive status, but still on our  
5 rolls?

6 MS. ZIEMBA: Sure.

7 So after a period of two years, your  
8 voter record, if you don't vote, if you don't sign  
9 a petition, if you don't do a change of update --  
10 or address update, for inactivity, your record  
11 becomes inactive. You're still -- you're still  
12 registered and eligible to vote. It's just there's  
13 a -- a federal listed maintenance process that --  
14 that occurs out of the National Voter Registration  
15 Act where in order to keep the list as current as  
16 possible and as accurate as possible, every two  
17 years, if there's no activity, the voters file  
18 those from active to inactive, a confirmation  
19 letter is sent to that voter's address that we have  
20 on file. And if the voter sends it back and  
21 confirms their address, then we'll change their  
22 status back to active and they'll be fine, you  
23 know, for another two years. If we don't get the  
24 letter back, their address stays inactive. And  
25 then when it comes time to go vote, they'll have to

1 vote a provisional ballot in order to -- you know,  
2 since we -- they didn't ever send back the  
3 confirmation, they vote provisionally to affirm,  
4 again, that that's where they live and that's who  
5 they are and where they should be registered.

6           If we get the letter back and it's  
7 got a change of address or a name change or  
8 something, then we'll update our records and change  
9 their status to active.

10           So that's sort of the list  
11 maintenance process that -- where it takes your  
12 registration from active to inactive.

13           Things like the BMV or going to  
14 USPS, if you interact with them on a regular basis,  
15 they automatically send a -- a digital update to  
16 our system that we accept and update addresses,  
17 names, et cetera, on your voter registration; so  
18 that as part of that National Voter Registration  
19 Act, it's called the Motor Voter clause or part of  
20 their law. And it's -- so it makes it easier for  
21 people to stay active and stay registered. So  
22 anytime you interact with the BMV to renew a  
23 license, to renew a car title, any of that, you  
24 will usually find that they ask you, Are you  
25 registered to vote, Do you want to do an update?

1 And so when they -- when you do that, interact with  
2 them, they send that information to us and we  
3 update our files from that.

4 So that's why even though if you  
5 haven't voted in for -- in a while or ever, if you  
6 go to the BMV regularly to update your ad- -- or to  
7 get your license and update, you stay active in our  
8 system because of that Motor Voter clause part of  
9 the law.

10 MEMBER JAFFE: Okay. So the last  
11 time --

12 This is Josh Jaffe.

13 MS. ZIEMBA: Uh-huh.

14 MEMBER JAFFE: The last time that  
15 Mr. Hussak interacted with the BMV to renew a car  
16 title or whatever would have been 2019?

17 MS. ZIEMBA: 2019.

18 MEMBER JAFFE: And that was before  
19 Miss Francis --

20 MS. ZIEMBA: Exactly.

21 MEMBER JAFFE: -- moved in?

22 MS. ZIEMBA: Moved in, right.

23 So what -- I mean, honestly, I think  
24 what happened is these were the two previous owners  
25 or tenants of her residence; and after she moved

1 in, they moved on, and there's -- you know, they  
2 just haven't updated yet with us.

3 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Okay.

4 MEMBER JAFFE: Question for our  
5 counsel, actually.

6 When you say we should be referring  
7 to the documents in front of us, would you include  
8 the form filed by the -- the voter challenger as --

9 MS. HUMMER: (Nodded affirmatively.)

10 MEMBER JAFFE: Okay. So just not --

11 MS. HUMMER: Her testimony. Because  
12 this is a document that was submitted to the Board  
13 of Elections, you can weigh the -- you can give  
14 weight to it to whatever degree you believe is  
15 necessary; but in terms of authenticating it, she  
16 can't do that.

17 MEMBER JAFFE: Okay. Got it.

18 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Questions?  
19 Further questions?

20 MEMBER MARINELLO: Thank you, Sara.

21 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Thank you, Sara.

22 MS. ZIEMBA: All right. Elizabeth,  
23 we're ready to have you talk now.

24 MS. HUMMER: Wait a minute. Before  
25 she talks, I want to be clear.

1                   Do you want her to talk given the  
2 fact that you can't be influenced or she's not able  
3 to provide testimony through any type of -- 'Cause  
4 she's not --

5                   CHAIRMAN PREISSE: I'm going to  
6 suggest to Elizabeth if she can hear me,  
7 Doug Preisse, Chairman of the Board, that we  
8 proceed and thank her for her due diligence as an  
9 active voter and citizen; but I suspect, based on  
10 the preponderance of evidence before me and the  
11 line of questioning, that we're likely to come to a  
12 conclusion that she will find satisfactory.

13                   So if she could hear that, and I  
14 don't hear a contradiction, I'm going to ask if  
15 there's a Board member that wishes to make a  
16 motion.

17                   MEMBER JAFFE: Well, I wish to make  
18 a motion.

19                   I -- I feel satisfied with the  
20 rigorous research that our Voter Services  
21 department has done on this subject; and I am going  
22 to move that the Board approve the challenge and  
23 right to vote filed by Elizabeth Ann Francis of  
24 847 McClain, Grandview Heights, Ohio 43212, as to  
25 both Stuart Gordon Stephens and James F. Hussak,

1 both at 847 McClain Road, Grandview Heights, Ohio  
2 43212, and that Stuart Gordon Stephens and  
3 James F. Hussak's registration be removed from the  
4 Franklin County Board file.

5 MEMBER SEXTON: With that, I'm  
6 Michael Sexton, I'll second.

7 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: It's been  
8 properly moved and seconded.

9 All those in favor of the motion,  
10 signify by saying aye.

11 (Vote taken.)

12 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: All opposed,  
13 same sign.

14 (No response.)

15 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: Motion  
16 carries.

17 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Thank you,  
18 Elizabeth, for helping us keep our rolls clean.

19 MS. FRANCIS: Thanks. You're  
20 welcome.

21 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: The next  
22 item on the agenda is the certification of a  
23 write-in candidate, and I will turn that over to  
24 Jeff Mackey, who is the manager of our Petitions  
25 and Filings department.

1 MR. MACKEY: Before I start on that,  
2 there is actually a signature form for the audit  
3 that Matt Kelly briefed you on, if you guys --

4 Send that along the row there.

5 So we did receive one declaration of  
6 intent to be a write-in candidate. It is from  
7 Alexander Q Amicucci from the Third Congressional  
8 District. The staff has reviewed that document and  
9 found that it was timely filed, valid and  
10 sufficient.

11 MEMBER JAFFE: When was the write-in  
12 filing deadline for Congress?

13 MR. MACKEY: I don't remember.

14 DIRECTOR WHITE: I believe it was  
15 August 30th, wasn't it, seven days before -- seven  
16 days before the election? I believe it was  
17 August 30th.

18 MR. MACKEY: It was probably the  
19 23rd. Oh. 29th? Would have been a Wednesday.

20 DIRECTOR WHITE: 29th, yeah.

21 MEMBER SEXTON: Okay. Mr. Chairman,  
22 Michael Sexton.

23 I move the Board certify  
24 Alexander Q. Amicucci as a write-in candidate for  
25 the Third Congressional District in the

1 November 8th, 2022, General Election, and that it's  
2 filing a Form 13-C which is timely and found to be  
3 valid and sufficient.

4 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Doug Preisse.  
5 Second the motion.

6 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: It's been  
7 properly moved and seconded.

8 All those in favor of the motion,  
9 signify by saying aye.

10 (Vote taken.)

11 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: All opposed,  
12 same sign.

13 (No response.)

14 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: The motion  
15 carries.

16 The next item on the agenda is a  
17 certification of a local option. And I will turn  
18 that over to Jeff Mackey, manager of our Petitions  
19 and Filings.

20 MR. MACKEY: As a side note, on the  
21 write-in information, we did receive a write-in  
22 from Pickaway County. It's the most populist  
23 county for the 12th Ohio House District, so we do  
24 have a write-in candidate from the 12th Ohio House  
25 District from them. Just don't have to do anything

1 about that.

2                   There's also four write-in  
3 candidates for governor, lieutenant governor, and  
4 four write-in candidates both for the United States  
5 Senate. So all of those offices will have write-in  
6 lines on our ballot. The more the merrier.

7                   So originally, at the last meeting,  
8 we recommended that the Board not certify the two  
9 question filed by *Life in the Ville* in Westerville  
10 1-D.

11                   CHAIRMAN PREISSE: I remember that  
12 one.

13                   MR. MACKEY: The main reason was on  
14 the Petition Form 5-R, there are two possible  
15 questions, a weekday sales question, and then the  
16 Sunday sales question. Petitioner had erred in the  
17 Sunday sales question portion by not listening --  
18 listing the correct license type that they were an  
19 applicant for. So based on that, we had decided  
20 that the whole petition was invalid.

21                   The petitioner did reach out to us  
22 after that and was concerned that possibly the  
23 first question could proceed since there were no  
24 errors in the first question, which is the weekday  
25 question. We reviewed that information. There's

1 no clear guidance from the Secretary of State's  
2 office or the case law in any of that.

3           So in the interest of providing  
4 robust ballot access when possible, we would like  
5 to change our position and recommend that the  
6 weekday questions, the first question which was  
7 filled out correctly and timely filed for the  
8 ballot, except for the part -- the Sunday question,  
9 everything else was okay with that and they had  
10 sufficient signatures.

11           And we now would like to change our  
12 recommendation to you to go ahead and let the  
13 weekday question appear on the ballot for *Life in*  
14 *the Ville* in Westerville 1-D.

15           MS. HUMMER: If we can add to that,  
16 if -- I'm going to let Andrea, who researched it,  
17 be able to provide you with our legal review of  
18 this item that came back to the Board of Elections.

19           MS. HOFER: Right. So initially in  
20 looking at the petition, as Jeff had mentioned, the  
21 Sunday question, it just wasn't filled out  
22 correctly at all. And so we thought, in looking at  
23 the signatures and trying to, you know, think about  
24 the voters and what they're signing to, rejecting  
25 the whole thing would be the appropriate option.

1                   But then in looking at it further,  
2 there's not a clear -- you know, not clear  
3 direction on how to handle things; but we think  
4 that there have been instances in the past where  
5 one of the questions, if it was filled out  
6 correctly, which in this case, as Jeff mentioned,  
7 the weekday question was completely filled out  
8 correctly; and, as he mentioned, in thinking about  
9 giving, you know, broad access to voters and what  
10 they vote for and whatnot, we have -- we recommend  
11 that maybe the first one is sufficient.

12                   MS. HUMMER: And if I may  
13 supplement, our first opinion was based on the  
14 understanding of what a petitioner's signature --  
15 what they would go through. They look at the  
16 document in terms of what they're signing. And in  
17 this case, they saw two questions.

18                   And our concern was that is what  
19 they were agreeing to, the two questions. And when  
20 you have one of the questions removed or wrong,  
21 then has the signator been duly notified as to what  
22 they were agreeing to. So that was our first  
23 approach.

24                   Once we, uhm, received a secondary  
25 question to look at it again from a different

1 perspective, we did a deeper dive into that to  
2 research that sort of idea and actually reached out  
3 to the Secretary of State's office to see if they  
4 have any historical knowledge, any -- anything that  
5 could give us guidance as to how they looked at  
6 this.

7           The fact of the matter is, the  
8 manner in which these local option questions are  
9 presented doesn't really lend itself to giving you  
10 clear guidance. One sheet with multiple items, how  
11 do you make a determination?

12           Without the Secretary of State's  
13 guidance with regard to advisory opinions or prior  
14 actions, we then looked at historical, uhm, actions  
15 by the Board of Elections, not just here, but  
16 across the county -- across multiple counties to  
17 see how they viewed it. And it appears what has  
18 been done in the past, that one question can go  
19 forward even though the other question's  
20 distributed.

21           We don't think that harms the  
22 signator who had signed the petition, because they  
23 were agreeing to at least these questions. So for  
24 that reason, we make this recommendation.

25           CHAIRMAN PREISSE: So the first pass

1 could be described as --

2 MS. HUMMER: Cautious.

3 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Or the -- Is --  
4 Is the matter before me black and white; and the  
5 second pass, Is the matter before me black and/or  
6 white in terms of issues?

7 MS. HUMMER: Yes.

8 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: And you have  
9 found precedence in our board or other boards?

10 MS. HUMMER: I believe this board  
11 has had one question go forward. Am I correct?

12 MR. MACKEY: We couldn't remember  
13 what it was, but that was our recollection, is that  
14 it has happened before.

15 MS. HUMMER: And I think from what  
16 my conversations with the Secretary of State's  
17 office, it appears this has happened in other  
18 jurisdictions as well. So I don't think you're  
19 setting a poor precedent by doing this.

20 And then what I always look at when  
21 having these questions, who would object? Would it  
22 be the signators that signed and agreed to both  
23 questions? While they agreed to both questions,  
24 they're not going to probably raise a protest in  
25 any way. So I -- And the voters at the ballot can

1 decide whether it was fair to allow one without the  
2 other.

3 MEMBER MARINELLO: Should they have  
4 had the question be on separate petitions, I  
5 wonder? Not that --

6 MS. HUMMER: Well, that would save  
7 this proceeding, so.

8 MEMBER JAFFE: But is that sort of  
9 a --

10 MS. HUMMER: I think that's a great  
11 idea.

12 MEMBER MARINELLO: How many  
13 signatures do they have to get? I'm just curious.

14 MR. MACKEY: It was the high 200s, I  
15 think. So do it as one question, that means you  
16 have to get that 600 signatures.

17 MEMBER JAFFE: So sort of a  
18 convenience of form, layout, that they're both on  
19 the same --

20 Yeah, I -- I think I agree that we  
21 shouldn't be concerned that someone who signed for  
22 both would object if they're not both together.  
23 Yeah, that -- that seems sensible to me.

24 MEMBER MARINELLO: Yeah.

25 Okay. I move that the Board certify

1 the local option question in Westerville 1-D  
2 submitted by *Life in the Ville V, LLC*, for weekday  
3 sales of beer and wine and mixed beverages and  
4 spiritous liquor to the November 8, 2022, General  
5 Election ballot, as it was timely filed and is  
6 valid and sufficient.

7 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Doug Preisse.  
8 Second.

9 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: It's been  
10 properly moved and seconded.

11 All those in favor of the motion  
12 signify by saying aye.

13 (Vote taken.)

14 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: All opposed,  
15 same sign.

16 (No response.)

17 DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: Motion  
18 carries.

19 I don't see anything further on the  
20 agenda unless the Board has something to -- to  
21 bring up.

22 CHAIRMAN PREISSE: Who wants the  
23 privilege to move to adjourn?

24 MEMBER MARINELLO: I move to  
25 adjourn. Kim Marinello.

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DEPUTY DIRECTOR PAYNE: We're  
adjourned.

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Thereupon, the proceedings concluded at  
approximately 3:42 p.m.

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## EXHIBIT A: FRANCIS/HUSSAK/GORDON VOTER CHALLENGE

### VOTING HISTORY FOR ELIZABETH ANN FRANCIS:

Election Date	Party	Precinct	Vote Type
08/02/2022	R	GRANDVIEW-F	R
05/03/2022	R	GRANDVIEW-F	R
11/02/2021	U	GRANDVIEW-F	R
08/03/2021	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
05/04/2021	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
11/03/2020	U	GRANDVIEW-F	VOTE AT POLL
11/06/2018	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
08/07/2018	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
05/08/2018	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
11/07/2017	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
08/08/2017	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
05/02/2017	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
11/08/2016	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
08/23/2016	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
08/02/2016	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
03/15/2016	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
11/03/2015	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
05/05/2015	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
11/04/2014	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
08/05/2014	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
05/06/2014	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
02/04/2014	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
11/05/2013	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
05/07/2013	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
11/06/2012	U	COLS 10-E	VOTE AT POLL
08/07/2012	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
03/06/2012	U	COLS 10-E	Eligible
11/08/2011	U	COLS 10-E	VOTE AT POLL
08/02/2011	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
05/03/2011	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
11/02/2010	U	COLS 10-E	VOTE AT POLL

Election Date	Party	Precinct	Vote Type
08/03/2010	U	COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
05/04/2010	D	COLS 10-E	Eligible
11/03/2009		COLS 10-E	Eligible
08/04/2009		COLS 10-E	Eligible
05/05/2009		COLS 10-E	Eligible
11/04/2008	D	COLS 10-E	VOTE AT POLL
03/04/2008	D	COLS 10-E	VOTE AT POLL
11/06/2007		COLS 10-E	VOTE AT POLL
08/07/2007		COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
05/08/2007		COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
02/06/2007		COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
11/07/2006		COLS 10-E	VOTE AT POLL
08/08/2006		COLS 10-E	Not Eligible
05/02/2006		COLS 10-E	Eligible
11/08/2005			VOTE AT POLL
05/03/2005		COLS 40-C	VOTE AT POLL
02/08/2005		COLS 40-C	Not Eligible
11/02/2004		COLS 40-C	VOTE AT POLL
03/02/2004	D	COLS 40-C	VOTE AT POLL
11/07/2000		UA 1-E	VOTE AT POLL
05/06/1997	U		VOTE AT POLL
11/05/1996			VOTE AT POLL
05/02/1995			VOTE AT POLL

- Elizabeth Ann Francis, originally registered to vote in Franklin County on 5/17/1994. She remained a Franklin County voter from that time until she was merged to Knox County in 2018. Ms. Francis returned to Franklin County as voter on 8/25/2020 when she registered at her current address and where she has remained an active voter to the present day: 847 McClain Rd, Columbus, OH 43212.
- Since she has returned to Franklin County in 2020, Ms. Francis has been an active voter at her address as evidenced by her voting history from 2020 to the present. The “R” designation on the “Vote Type” column on the Voting History Report signifies that Ms. Francis cast her ballot as a Regular voter on Election Day at the polls for those elections.
- Voter Services affirms the information that Ms. Francis stated on her challenge form. Ms. Francis is an active voter and valid resident at 847 McClain Rd, Columbus, OH 43212 and has standing to challenge the registration of the following two voters at her address: Mr. James F Hussak and Mr. Stuart Gordon Stephens.



• MOST RECENT VOTER REGISTRATION (ONLINE) FROM 7/20/2022:

REGISTRATION DATE: 07/20/2022  
REGISTRATION SOURCE: ONLINE  
FIRST NAME: ELIZABETH  
MIDDLE NAME: ANN  
LAST NAME: FRANCIS  
SUFFIX:

APPLICATION ID: [REDACTED]  
DOB: 04/23/[REDACTED]  
DRIVER LICENSE: [REDACTED]  
SSN: [REDACTED]

RESIDENCE ADDRESS: 847 MCCLAIN RD  
COLUMBUS, OH 43212  
MAILING ADDRESS:

PREVIOUS ADDRESS:  
FORMER LAST NAME: ELIZABETH  
FRANCIS GUPTA  
TELEPHONE: [REDACTED]

EMAIL: [REDACTED]  
TRANSACTION ID: [REDACTED]

Signature

ELIZABETH FRANCIS

**VOTER DOCUMENTS FOR JAMES F HUSSAK**

- ORIGINAL VOTER REGISTRATION FROM 6/11/2008:

1. Are you a U.S. citizen? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No 2. Will you be at least 18 years of age on or before the next general election? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If you answered NO to either of the questions, do not complete this form.			
3. Last Name HUSSAK	First Name JAMES	Middle Name or Initial F	Jr., II, etc.
4. House Number and Street (Enter new address if changed) 293 WHITETHORNE AVE		5. City or Post Office COLUMBUS	6. Zip Code 43223
7. Additional Rural or Mailing Address (if necessary)		County where you live FRANKLIN	
9. Birthdate (MO-DAY-YR) 7/14/	10. Ohio driver's license No. OR last 4 digits of Social Security No. (required)	11. Phone No. (voluntary)	
12. PREVIOUS ADDRESS IF UPDATING CURRENT REGISTRATION Previous House Number and Street Previous City or Post Office HUSSAK JAMES F 293 WHITETHORNE AVE COLUMBUS OH 43223		FOR BOARD USE ONLY SEC4010 (Rev 9/06) City, Village, Twp Ward Precinct School Dist. Cong. Dist. Senate Dist. House Dist.	
13. CHANGE OF NAME ONLY Former Legal Name 07/14/			
I declare under penalty of election falsification I am a citizen of the United States, will have lived in this state for 30 days immediately preceding the next election, and I will be at least 18 years of age at the time of the general election.			
14. Your Signature <i>James F Hussak</i>			
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- ONLINE REGISTRATON UPDATE FROM 7/13/2019:

PROCESSED AS A UPDATE REGISTRATION FROM SOS ON 07/13/2019 6:03:09 AM  
 SOS Transaction ID: [REDACTED]  
 As entered in the SOS Record  
 Last Name HUSSAK First Name JAMES Middle F Suffix  
 SSN [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]-7-14  
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 EMAIL:  
 HOUSE NUMBER: 847  
 STREET PRE DIRECTION:  
 STREET NAME: MCCLAIN  
 STREET DESCRIPTION RD  
 STREET POST DIRECTION:  
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**EXHIBIT B: FRANCIS/HUSSAK/GORDON VOTER CHALLENGE**

**VOTING HISTORY FOR JAMES F HUSSAK**

Election Date	Party	Precinct	Vote Type
08/03/2021	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
05/04/2021	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
11/03/2020	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
08/04/2020	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
03/17/2020	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
11/05/2019	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
05/07/2019	U	COLS 77-F	Eligible
11/06/2018	U	COLS 77-F	Eligible
08/07/2018	U	COLS 77-F	Not Eligible
05/08/2018	U	COLS 77-F	Eligible
11/07/2017	U	COLS 77-F	Eligible
08/08/2017	U	COLS 77-F	Not Eligible
05/02/2017	U	COLS 77-F	Eligible
11/08/2016	U	COLS 77-F	Eligible
08/23/2016	U	COLS 77-F	Not Eligible
08/02/2016	U	COLS 35-A	Eligible
03/15/2016	U	COLS 35-A	Eligible
11/03/2015	U	COLS 35-A	Eligible
05/05/2015	U	COLS 35-A	Eligible
11/04/2014	U	COLS 35-A	Eligible
08/05/2014	U	COLS 35-A	Not Eligible
05/06/2014	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible
02/04/2014	U	COLS 38-B	Not Eligible
11/05/2013	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible
05/07/2013	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible
11/06/2012	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible
08/07/2012	U	COLS 38-B	Not Eligible
03/06/2012	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible
11/08/2011	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible
08/02/2011	U	COLS 38-B	Not Eligible
05/03/2011	U	COLS 38-B	Not Eligible
11/02/2010	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible

Election Date	Party	Precinct	Vote Type
08/03/2010	U	COLS 38-B	Not Eligible
05/04/2010	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible
11/03/2009		COLS 38-B	Eligible
08/04/2009		COLS 38-B	Eligible
05/05/2009		COLS 38-B	Eligible
11/04/2008	U	COLS 38-B	Eligible

- James F Hussak originally registered to vote on 6/11/2008 through a BMV registration. Over the course of his time as a registered voter in Franklin County, Mr. Hussak's record fluctuated from active status to inactive status after periods of no voter activity. However, because of his interactions with the BMV and USPS over the period from his original registration in 2008 to today, the Board of Elections received address updates to Mr. Hussak's voter registration which prevented his record from being removed through the list maintenance process. His address was updated on the following dates which changed the status from inactive to active: 7/14/2014 (BMV), 8/5/2016 (NCOA), and, lastly, on 7/15/2019 (BMV), which changed his address to 847 McClain and where he is currently registered today.
- The 7/15/2019 registration to 847 McClain is the last activity on the voter record and the last time Mr. Hussak had any interaction with the Board of Elections via BMV, NCOA, or otherwise.
- Mr. Hussak has never cast a ballot in any election for which he was eligible to vote in the entirety of his time as a registered voter in Franklin County from his original registration in 2008 to the present. Please see the accompanying voter history report for details.
- Following this research, Voter Services concludes that Mr. Hussak does not currently reside at 847 McClain Rd, Columbus, OH 43212 and we recommend that the request of Ms. Francis to remove him as a registered voter at her address be approved by the Board.



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**EXHIBIT C: FRANCIS/HUSSAK/GORDON VOTER CHALLENGE**

**VOTING HISTORY FOR STUART GORDON STEPHENS**

Election Date	Party	Precinct	Vote Type
08/03/2021	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
05/04/2021	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
11/03/2020	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
08/04/2020	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
03/17/2020	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
11/05/2019	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
05/07/2019	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
11/06/2018	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
08/07/2018	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
05/08/2018	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
11/07/2017	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
08/08/2017	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
05/02/2017	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
11/08/2016	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Eligible
08/23/2016	U	GRANDVIEW-F	Not Eligible
08/02/2016	U	GRANDVIEW-C	Not Eligible
03/15/2016	U	GRANDVIEW-C	Eligible

- Stuart Gordon Stephens originally registered on 11/6/2015. On 8/5/2016 the National Change of Address (NCOA) process changed his address to 847 McClain Rd, Columbus, OH 43212. The confirmation notice sent to Mr. Stephens at that address as a part of the NCOA process was returned to the Board of Elections undelivered as addressed. At that time in 2016, Mr. Stephen's registration record was made inactive and there has been no activity on the record since that time. He is currently on schedule to be removed for inactivity later this year.
- Mr. Stephens has never cast a ballot in any election for which he was eligible for the entirety of his time as a registered voter in Franklin County from his original registration in 2015 to today. Please see the accompanying voter history report for details.
- Following this research, Voter Services concludes that Mr. Stephens does not currently reside at 847 McClain Rd, Columbus, OH 43212 and we recommend that the request of Ms. Francis to remove him as a registered voter at her address be approved by the Board.

# VOTER DOCUMENTS FOR STUART GORDON STEPHENS

- STUART GORDON STEPHENS UNDELIVERED NCOA CONFIRMATION NOTICE FROM 08/09/2016:

Form No. 10-S-2 Prescribed by the Secretary of State (06-16)

## In-County Confirmation Notice

R.C. 3501.01(M)

The Ohio Secretary of State recently received notification from the U.S. Postal Service that you recently changed your address. Under federal law, and in the interest of maintaining accurate and efficient voter registration records, **your residential address for voting purposes has been changed effective immediately.**

DATE ISSUED: AUGUST 9

**Voter's Name and Address at Which you are Registered to Vote**

STUART GORDON STEPHENS  
847 MCCLAIN RD  
COLUMBUS, OH 43212-3705



**Your NEW voting location**

ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON SCHOOL  
1065 OXLEY ROAD  
COLUMBUS OH 43212

To ensure that your voter registration information is current, you must:

1. **CONFIRM** your information online at [www.MyOhioVote.com/moved.htm](http://www.MyOhioVote.com/moved.htm) OR sign the first box below then mail this form in the pre-addressed return envelope provided or
2. **UPDATE** your information c

**CONFIRM**  
If the information above **IS** correct, please sign.

**OR**  
**UPDATE**  
If the information above **IS NOT** correct, please complete and sign.

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The name of voter registration statement

Signature X

Today's Date

**WHOEVER COMMITS ELECTION FALSIFICATION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY OF THE FIFTH DEGREE.**

1 Name

2 Current Ohio Address  
City, State & ZIP

3 Date of Birth Do not print today's date here

4 Form of Identification You must provide at least one form of identification  
begins with two letters followed by six numbers  
Your Ohio driver's license number  
Last four digits of your Social Security number

If you cannot provide at least one of the above numbers, you must provide a copy of a current and valid photo identification, military identification, or a current (within the last 12 months) utility bill, bank statement, government check, or other government document (other than a notice of voter registration mailed by a board of elections) that contains your name and current address.

I hereby declare, under penalty of election falsification, that the statements above are complete and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

5 Signature X

Date

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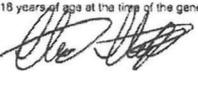
### IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR OHIO VOTER REGISTRATION

If the address above is not correct and you do not take immediate action as described above by October 11, 2016 (the voter registration deadline for the November 2016 general election), you may be required to cast a provisional ballot when you appear on Election Day at your correct voting location.

• STUART GORDON STEPHENS ORIGINAL VOTER REGISTRAITON FROM 10/20/2015

1. Are you a U.S. citizen?  Yes  No  
 2. Will you be at least 18 years of age on or before the next general election?  Yes  No  
 If you answered NO to either of the questions, do not complete this form.

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3. Last Name STEPHENS		First Name STUART		Middle Name or Initial GORDON	Jr., II, etc.
4. House Number and Street (Enter new address if changed) 955 QUAY AVE APT G			Apt or Lot #	5. City or Post Office COLUMBUS	6. Zip Code 43212-3752
7. Additional Rural or Mailing Address (if necessary)				County where you live FRANKLIN	
9. Birthdate (MO-DAY-YR) 1/21		10. Ohio driver's license No. OR last 4 digits of Social Security No. (required)		11. Phone No. (voluntary)	
12. PREVIOUS ADDRESS IF UPDATING CURRENT REGISTRATION					
Previous House Number and Street					
Previous City or Post Office		County		State	
13. CHANGE OF NAME ONLY					
Former Legal Name			Former Signature		
I declare under penalty of election falsification I am a citizen of the United States, will have lived in this state for 30 days immediately preceding the next election, and I will be at least 18 years of age at the time of the general election.					
14. Your Signature 					
Date <u>10</u> / <u>13</u> / 2015 MO DAY YR					

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USE ONLY  
SEC4010 (Rev. 9/06)  
City, Village, Twp.  
Ward  
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Cong. Dist.  
Senate Dist.  
House Dist.

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