

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF WAKE

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE  
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION  
FILE NO. 21 CVS 015426

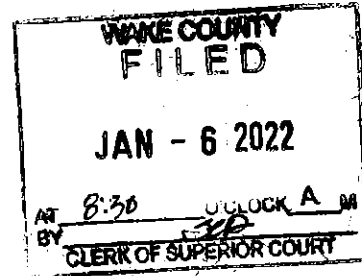
NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE, OF  
CONSERVATION VOTERS, INC., *et al.*,  
*Plaintiffs*

and

COMMON CAUSE,  
*Plaintiff-Intervenor,*

v.

REPRESENTATIVE DESTIN HALL, in  
his official capacity as Chair of the House  
Standing Committee on Redistricting, *et*  
*al.*,  
*Defendants.*



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF WAKE

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE  
SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION  
FILE NO. 21 CVS 500085

REBECCA HARPER, *et al.*,  
*Plaintiffs*

v.

REPRESENTATIVE DESTIN HALL, in  
his official capacity as Chair of the House  
Standing Committee on Redistricting, *et*  
*al.*,  
*Defendants.*

**ORDER ON MOTION REQUESTING LEAVE TO FILE AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF**

THIS MATTER comes before the undersigned Three-Judge Panel upon former  
Governors Michael F. Easley, Arnold Schwarzenegger, Christine Todd Whitman, and

William Weld's Motion for Leave to File Amicus Brief, filed on December 31, 2021<sup>1</sup>. After having considered the foregoing Motion for Leave to File Amicus Curiae Brief, and finding that the Amicus Curiae Brief may be of benefit to the Court, given the issues involved, the Motion for Leave to File Amicus Curiae Brief named above is GRANTED, and the Amicus Curiae Brief will be accepted for review. The Amicus Curiae Brief shall not be filed but shall instead be transmitted by email to counsel of record and submitted to the Court in the manner set forth in the December 13, 2021, Case Scheduling Order. Any party may submit a written response to the Amicus Curiae Brief no later than 5:00 PM EST on January 6, 2022.

SO ORDERED, this the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2022.



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A. Graham Shirley, Superior Court Judge

*/s/ Nathaniel J. Poovey*

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Nathaniel J. Poovey, Superior Court Judge

*/s/ Dawn M. Layton*

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Dawn M. Layton, Superior Court Judge

<sup>1</sup> As December 31, 2021 was a court holiday and the Court was closed for the purpose of filing papers, the Motion was accepted by Judge A. Graham Shirley for filing pursuant to Rule 5(e)(1) of the North Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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Service is made upon local counsel for all attorneys who have been granted pro hac vice admission, with the same effect as if personally made on a foreign attorney within this state.

This the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2022.

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