

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
AUSTIN DIVISION**

ROLAND GUTIERREZ; SARAH ECKHARDT;
and the TEJANO DEMOCRATS,

Plaintiffs,

v.

GREG ABBOTT, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE
OF TEXAS SUED IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY;
AND JOSE A. ESPARZA, DEPUTY
SECRETARY OF STATE OF TEXAS SUED IN
HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY,

Defendants.

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Case No. 1:21-cv-00769-RP

JOINT ADVISORY

The parties file this joint status report pursuant to the Court’s September 16, 2022, order. *See ECF 31.* Plaintiffs recently decided they no longer wish to pursue this matter. On Friday, September 30, 2022 Plaintiffs filed a nonsuit of this case. *See ECF 32.* As a result, the Court can close this case pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a) without reaching the merits of Plaintiffs’ claims.

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Respectfully submitted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing document was filed electronically (via CM/ECF) on October 3, 2022, and that all counsel of record were served by CM/ECF.

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

I certify that I conferred with counsel for the Plaintiffs on October 3, 2022, who agreed to the filing of this joint advisory.

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