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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

9 Arizona Asian American Native Hawaiian  
10 And Pacific Islander For Equity Coalition,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 Katie Hobbs, et al.,

14 Defendants.

**Case No. CV-22-01381-PHX-SRB**

(Related Cases:

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2:22-CV-01003-SRB;

2:22-CV-01124-SRB;

2:22-CV-01369-SRB;

2:22-CV-01602-SRB)

**DEFENDANT YUMA COUNTY  
RECORDER RICHARD COLWELL'S  
JOINDER IN DEFENDANT MARICOPA  
COUNTY RECORDER STEPHEN  
RICHER'S ANSWER TO PLAINTIFF'S  
COMPLAINT**

17 Defendant Yuma County Recorder Richard Colwell joins in the Answer filed by  
18 Maricopa County Recorder Stephen Richer. (Doc. 75).

19 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2022.

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5 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

6 I hereby certify that on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2022, I electronically filed the  
7 foregoing, Defendant Yuma County Recorder Richard Colwell's Joinder in Defendant  
8 Maricopa County Recorder Stephen Richer's Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint, with the Clerk  
9 of the Court for the United States District Court for the District of Arizona using the  
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