UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
JACKSONVILLE DIVISION

JACKSONVILLE BRANCH OF THE NAACP; NORTHSIDE COALITION OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.; ACLU OF FLORIDA NORTHEAST CHAPTER; FLORIDA RISING TOGETHER, INC.; MARCELLA WASHINGTON; INGRID MONTGOMERY; AYESHA FRANKLIN; TIFFANIE ROBERTS; ROSEMARY McCOY; SHELIA SINGLETON; EUNICE BARNUM; JANINE WILLIAMS; HARAKA CARSWELL; and DENNIS BARNUM

Plaintiffs,

Case No.: 3:22-cv-493-MMH-LLL

v.

CITY OF JACKSONVILLE and MIKE HOGAN, in his official capacity as Duval County Supervisor of Elections,

Defendants.
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DEFENDANTS' NOTICE OF APPEAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Jacksonville and Mike Hogan, in his official capacity as Duval County Supervisor of Elections, the Defendants in the above-named case, hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit from the Order (Doc. 53), entered in this action on October 12, 2022, granting Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. 36), and immediately enjoining Defendants from conducting

any elections using the Jacksonville City Council and Duval County School Board districts enacted in City Ordinance 2022-01-E. The Court further gave the City until November 8, 2022 to file an interim remedial plan for use in all City Council and School Board elections pending final judgment. The nature of the Order (Doc. 53) is an interlocutory order to be appealed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1292(a)(1). A copy of the Order (Doc. 53) is attached as Exhibit A.

Dated this 18th day of October, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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