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### IN THE SUPREME COURT FOR THE STATE OF UTAH

COLBY JENKINS, an individual,

Case No:

Petitioner,

VS.

BEAVER COUNTY: GINGER McMULLIN, in her official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for BEAVER COUNTY; GARFIELD COUNTY; CAMILLE MOORE, in her official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for GARFIELD COUNTY: IRON COUNTY; JON WHITTAKER, in his official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for IRON COUNTY; KANE COUNTY; CHAMEILL LAMB, in her official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for KANE COUNTY; MILLARD COUNTY; MARKI ROWLEY, in her official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for MILLARD COUNTY; PIUTE COUNTY; KALI GLEAVE, in her official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for PIUTE COUNTY; SEVIER COUNTY; STEVEN C. WALL, in his official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for SEVIER COUNTY; WASHINGTON COUNTY;

RYAN SULLIVAN, in his official capacity as Clerk/Auditor for WASHINGTON COUNTY; WAYNE COUNTY; FELICIA SNOW, in her official capacity as Clerk/Auditor of WAYNE COUNTY; and, DEIDRE HENDERSON, in her official capacity as the Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah.

Respondent.

### WRIT CHALLENGING CERTIFICATION OF PRIMARY ELECTION

Pursuant to Article VIII Section III of the Utah Constitution and Utah Appellate Rule 19, Petitioner, Colby Jenkins ("Mr. Jenkins"), by and through his counsel, challenge the certification of the June 25, 2024 Primary Election, specifically, the Republican Primary for the United States House of Representatives, Second Congressional District, and ask the Court to assume original jurisdiction for the purpose of issuing a writ of mandamus directing the Respondents to count all ballots in Beaver, Davis, Garfield, Iron, Juab, Kane, Millard, Piute, Salt Lake, Sevier, Tooele, Washington, and Wayne Counties that were not counted in the June 25, 2024, primary because of invalid or late postmarks. The relief requested is consistent with Utah Constitution, Articles 1, Sections 2 and 17. The writ is appropriate as a legal remedy. And, as set forth herein, there is no plain and adequate remedy available at law.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> While the relief sought is governed by Utah Appellate Rule 19, to the extent applicable, the requirements set forth in Utah Code Ann. § 20A-4-403 are also satisfied. A list of the individuals known to Mr. Jenkins who cast ballots for him but whose ballots were not counted is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

### **PARTIES**

- 1. Colby Jenkins is an individual who resides in the State of Utah. Mr. Jenkins is a Republican candidate for the United States House of Representatives, Second Congressional District. Mr. Jenkins established the Colby Jenkins for Congress campaign (the "Jenkins Campaign") under the laws of the United States. The Jenkins Campaign is authorized under the laws of the United States to spend campaign contributions to support the Jenkins Campaign.
- 10. Defendant Beaver County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Ginger McMullin is the Clerk/Auditor for Beaver County, Utah.
- 12. Defendant Garfield County is a county in the State of Utah located in the second Congressional District. Camille Moore is the Clerk/Auditor for Garfield County, Utah.
- 13. Defendant Iron County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Jon Whittaker is the Clerk/Auditor for Iron County, Utah.
- 14. Defendant Kane County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Chameil Lamb is the Clerk/Auditor for Kane County, Utah.
- 15. Defendan Millard County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Marki Rowley is the Clerk/Auditor for Millard County, Utah.
- 16. Defendant Piute County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Kali Gleave is the Clerk/Auditor for Piute County, Utah.
- 17. Defendant Sevier County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Steven C. Wall is the Clerk/Auditor for Sevier County, Utah.

- 18. Defendant Washington County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Felicia Snow is the Clerk/Auditor for Washington County, Utah.
- 19. Defendant Wayne County is a county in the State of Utah located in the Second Congressional District. Ryan Sullivan is the Clerk/Auditor for Washington County, Utah.
- 20. Diedre Henderson is the Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah and is responsible for elections held within the state.
  - 21. The acts giving rise to the issues in this case occurred within the State of Utah.

### STATEMENT OF THE ISSUES & RELIEF SOUGHT

It has long been recognized that the right to vote is the "fundamental political right, because [it is] preservative of all rights." *Yick Wov. Hopkins*, 118 US. 356, 370 (1886). This is so well accepted that the qualification that preceded the declaration in *Yick Wo* – that voting is a "privilege merely conceded by society according to its will, under certain conditions" – sounds foreign. *Id.* There is "no right [is] more precious in a free country than that of having a voice in the election of those who make the laws under which, as good citizens, we must live." *Wesberry v. Sanders*, 376 U.S. 1, 17 (1964). This action concerns an election law barrier that disenfranchises a significant number of voters who only reside in southern Utah – specifically, the Second Congressional District – that resulted in Defendants' failure to properly count timely cast ballots in accordance with Utah Code Ann. § 20A-3a-204 and Utah Code Ann. § 20A-3a-401.

The failure to properly count valid ballots violates Article 1, Sections 2 and 17 of the Utah Constitution.<sup>2</sup> The impact of these failures is that voters in the Second Congressional District, in and around southern Utah, will simply have their votes discarded because they were not instructed, in contravention of Utah law, that the processing and postmarking time necessitated early mailing of their ballots because their mail was processed in a facility different than the remainder of the Second Congressional District. Petitioner is asking this Court to issue a writ of mandamus directing the Respondents to count all ballots in Beaver, Davis, Garfield, Iron, Juab, Kane, Millard, Piute, Salt Lake, Sevier, Tooele, Washington, and Wayne Counties

### MATERIAL FACTS IN SUPPORT OF WRIT

- 36. Mr. Jenkins is one of two candidates who ran in the Republican primary election for Utah's Second Congressional District that concluded on June 25, 2024. His opponent was incumbent Celeste Maloy.
- 37. Utah's Second Congressional District is comprised of the following thirteen counties: Beaver, Davis, Garfield, Iron, Juab, Kane, Millard, Piute, Salt Lake, Sevier, Tooele, Washington, and Wayne.
- 38. The Second Congressional primary race is an extremely close election. A total of 107,282 votes have been counted. And, on Monday, July 22, 204, incumbent Celeste Maloy was declared winner with just 214 votes separating her from Mr. Jenkins<sup>3</sup>.
  - 39. The election was certified by the Lieutenant Governor on July 22, 2024.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Plaintiff brought a similar action on federal equal protection claims in the Southern Division of the U.S. District Courts in 4:24-cv-00063. Here, the claims are brought on Utah's equal protection clause, which provide a strict scrutiny basis of review.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Last updated on July 29, 2024,

https://electionresults.utah.gov/results/public/utah/elections/primary06252024/ballotitems/3056360d-8faf-4d2c-9b63-786969d068ff

### Known delay in postmarking ballots.

- 32. In Utah, ballots returned by mail must be mailed and clearly postmarked or otherwise marked as received by the United States Post Office ("USPS") before election day. Utah Code Ann. § 20A-3a-204 (2)(a). Mailed-in ballots must also be received by election officers on or before noon on the day of the official canvass following the election. *Id.*
- 33. According to USPS, when a mail piece, including a ballot, is dropped off at a post office location before the location's last pick-up time, it will be postmarked with the date it was dropped off.4
- The zip codes of the 13 counties that compose the Second Congressional District 39. range from 84010 (Davis County) through 84780 (Washington County).<sup>5</sup>
- 40. Mail from Utah localities bearing the 3-digit zip code prefix 840-846 is sent to USPS's Salt Lake City, UT Area Distribution Facility ("ADF SLC") for sorting and postmarking.<sup>6</sup> In other words, for all voters located in Davis County, Salt Lake County, Tooele County and Juab County who cast their ballots through mail, their ballots were sent to ADF SLC for processing and postmarking. There are no known issues with ballots processed at ADF SLC.
- 41. Mail from Utah localities bearing the 3-digit zip code prefix 847 is sent to USPS's Las Vegas, NV Sectional Center Facility ("SCF Las Vegas") for sorting and postmarking.<sup>7</sup> For

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Last visited 7/18/2024 https://faq.usps.com/s/article/What-is-the-Latest-Collection-Time-at-a-Post-Office#:~:text=000007492-

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Last visited 7/18/2024, https://secure.utah.gov/datarequest/zipcodes.html

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7 Id.

voters located in Beaver County, Garfield County, Iron County, Kane County, Piute County, Washington County, and Wayne County who cast their ballots through mail, their ballots were sent to SCF Las Vegas for processing and postmarking.

- 42. In addition, certain counties include both the 846 prefix and the 847 prefix. In Millard County and Sevier County, voters within the Second Congressional District who cast their vote via mail, had their ballots sent to either ADF SLC or SCF Las Vegas for sortation and postmarking:8
  - a. In Millard County, ballots cast by mail in the following municipalities were sent to ADF SLC for sorting and postmarking Delta, Fillmore, Hinckley, Holden, Kanosh, Leamington, Lynndyl, Meadow, Oak City, Oasis, and Scipio.
  - b. In Millard County, ballots cast by mail in Garrison were sent to SCF Las Vegas for sorting and postmarking.
  - c. In Sevier County, ballots cast by mail in the following municipalities were sent to ADF SLC for sorting and postmarking: Aurora, Redmond, Salina, and Sigurd
  - d. In Sevier County, ballots cast by mail in the following municipalities were sent to SCF Las Vegas for sorting and postmarking: Anabella, Elsinore, Glenwood, Joseph, Koosharem, Monroe, Richfield, and Sevier.

#### *Processing and postmarking delays invalidate ballots.*

43. The ballot processing and postmarking problem was well-known to the Utah

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Id.

Legislature. At a May 2024 Government Operations Interim Hearing, State Senator Ipson from Washington County noted that ballots do not "get postmarked until it gets to Vegas 2-3 days later, the vote never counted, there have been some elections swayed by that."

44. As early as 2016, then-Lieutenant Governor Cox reminded Utah voters over Twitter:



48. And again on October 28, 2020, then-Lieutenant Governor Cox tweeted this reminder:



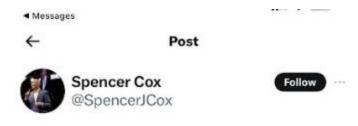
One important note...just because you put your ballot in the mail on Monday does not always mean it will receive a postmark that day (especially in rural Utah). So if you must wait to mail on Monday, make sure you go inside and ask the postmaster to postmark your ballot.

Spencer Cox @Spencer Cox · 10/27/20

Lots of news about deadlines for mail-in ballots. The recent court rulings do NOT affect Utah. Remember that your ballot must be postmarked by MONDAY (the day before Election Day) and will be counted re...

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48. On June 24, 2024, however, Governor Cox posted on X:



day to mail your ballot. If you choose mail, make sure it is postmarked by the post office today or it will not count. You can still vote in-person tomorrow or drop your ballot in a drop box. Find locations here vote.utah.gov

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- 48. Multiple counties within Utah's Second Congressional District refused to count ballots wherein ballots were postmarked by 3CF Las Vegas after June 24, 2024, despite being mailed prior to election day.
- 50. Citizens in multiple Utah counties that have their mail processed and postmarked at SCF Las Vegas, claim to have filled out and mailed ballots prior to election day as required, but due to processing delays, their ballots were not postmarked until after June 24, 2024, and therefore were not counted.<sup>9</sup>
- 51. The voters identified in Exhibit 1 (referred to herein as the "Voters") each placed their ballots in the mail before the deadline. And each ballot cast by the Voters was disregarded because it was postmarked after the deadline.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> For example, see <a href="https://www.sunews.net/post/southern-utah-counties-potentially-refuse-election-certification-over-ballot-concerns#:~:text=Whittaker's%20message%20was%20addressed%20to,%2C%20Kane%2C%20Garfield%20and%20Wayne.">https://www.sunews.net/post/southern-utah-counties-potentially-refuse-election-certification-over-ballot-concerns#:~:text=Whittaker's%20message%20was%20addressed%20to,%2C%20Kane%2C%20Garfield%20and%20Wayne.</a>

- 53. Furthermore, certain county election officials have refused to produce to Mr. Jenkins the names of those voters whose ballots were not counted as a result of postmarking issues. On July 29, 2024, Kane County finally produced such a list to Mr. Jenkins.
- 52. At the time of the election, Defendants Beaver, Garfield, Iron, Kane, Millard, Piute, Sevier, Washington, and Wayne, were aware of the processing and postmarking delays at SCF Las Vegas. Iron County Commissioner Paul Cozzens posted:



Tellingly, Commissioner Cozzens noted that the "USPS continues to disenfranchise voters ..." (emphasis added).

- 53. Yet, despite their knowledge of the processing and postmarking delays, Defendants Beaver, Garfield, Iron, Kane, Millard, Piute, Sevier, Washington, and Wayne did nothing to address the delay or advise voters that their votes would not be counted as a result of the delay.
- 54. A majority of these nine counties, whose ballots were processed at SCF Las Vegas, have reported ballots as not being curable due to late postmarking:

- a. In Beaver County, 2 ballots have not been counted due to late postmarking; 10
- b. In Iron County, 491 ballots have not been counted due to late postmarking;<sup>11</sup>
- c. In Kane County, 8 ballots have not been counted due to late postmarking;<sup>12</sup>
- d. In Washington County, 662 ballots have not been counted due to late postmarking; 13 and
- e. In Wayne County, 8 ballots have not been counted due to last postmarking.<sup>14</sup>
- 55. As a result of Defendants failure to address the processing and postmarking delay, approximately 1,171 Utah residents who exercised their right to vote will be disenfranchised.

### STANDARD FOR WRIT

"When no other plain, speedy, or adequate remedy is available, a person may petition an appellate court for extraordinary relief referred to in Rule 65B of the Utah Rules of Civil Procedure." Utah R. App. P. 12(a). The decision to grant a petition for extraordinary relief "lies within the sound discretion of this court." *Mawhinney v. City of Draper*, 2014 UT 54, ¶ 5, 342 P.3d 262 (citation omitted) (internal quotation marks omitted); *see also Krejci v. City of Saratoga Springs*, 2013 UT 74, ¶ 10, 322 P.3d 662 ("The decision to grant or deny a petition for extraordinary writ is discretionary.").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Last visited July 11, 2024 <a href="https://www.beaver.utah.gov/DocumentCenter/View/2053/Canvass-Beaver-Co-June-Primary-2024">https://www.beaver.utah.gov/DocumentCenter/View/2053/Canvass-Beaver-Co-June-Primary-2024</a>

<sup>11</sup> See *supra*, n. 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> See *supra*, n. 5.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> See *supra*, n. 8.

Last visited July 11, 2024 <a href="https://waynecountyutah.org/uploads/canvas-results-june-25-2024.pdf">https://waynecountyutah.org/uploads/canvas-results-june-25-2024.pdf</a>

In *Brown v. Cox*, this Court held that Utah Code Ann. § 20A-4-403(2) unconstitutionally expanded this Court's jurisdiction and the proper means of bringing an election issue to this Court was pursuant to Utah R. App. P. 19. Thus, petition for a writ is the only plain remedy available. It is also the only speedy and adequate remedy because the election results have been certified, ballots for the general election must be printed within weeks, and the votes that were timely mailed by the deadline on the ballot will not be contemplated in the outcome of the election. *See Croft v. Morgan*, 2021 UT 46, ¶ 14.

### ARGUMENT AND AUTHORITY IN SUPPORT OF RELIEF SOUGHT

### I. ADHERENCE TO UTAH ELECTION PROCEDURE HAS CAUSES A VIOLATION OF ARTICLE 1, § 17.

"The right to vote is protected in more than the initial allocation of the franchise. Equal protection applies as well to the manner of its exercise." *Bush v. Gore*, 531 U.S. 98, 104 (2000) (per curiam). Once citizens have been granted the right to vote, the government "may not, by later arbitrary and disparate treatment, value one person's vote over that of another." *Id.* at 104-05 (citing *Harper v. Virginia Bd. of Elections*, 383 U.S. 663, 665, (1966)). This fundamental right is made clear in Article 1, Section 17 of the Utah Constitution, which provides that "[a]ll elections shall be free, and no power, civil or military, shall at any time interfere to prevent the free exercise of the right of suffrage. Soldiers, in time of war, may vote at their post of duty, in or out of the State, under regulations to be prescribed by law." (Emphasis added.)

The Utah Election Code, Title 20a, *et seq.*, governs not only who may vote but how elections are to be ran. Among other provisions, Utah Code Ann. § 20A-3a-204(2)(a)(i), requires that a ballot that is mailed must be postmarked, or otherwise clearly marked as received by USPS before election day. Additionally, ballots must be returned to the office of an election official

before noon the day before the official canvass begins. Utah Code Ann. § 20A-3a-204(2)(a)(ii). Utah election officers are charged with providing "instructions for returning the ballot that include an express notice about any relevant deadlines that the voter must meet in order for the voter's vote to be counted." Utah Code Ann. § 20A-3a-202 (2)(iii).

Voters in Beaver, Garfield, Iron, Kane, Millard, Piute, Sevier, Washington, and Wayne were not advised of relevant deadlines regarding their mail-in ballots. Specifically, voters in these counties were not advised that their mail was processed at the Las Vegas facility that would result in a delay in postmarking their ballot envelopes. This delay was nothing new – it had been the subject of at least one Utah interim hearing – but, nothing was done. Respondents did not inform voters that the deadline to mail their ballots was significantly earlier due to the use of the SCF Las Vegas.

Counties have refused to provide Mr. Jenkins with a list of individuals whose votes were not counted because of the postmark issue. Kane County – on July 29 – finally produced such a list, although it concealed most of the information. However, Mr. Jenkins has obtained statements from a number of voters whose ballot was not counted. Their stories are similar. For example,

- Mr. Steele lives in Cedar City, Utah. He deposited his ballot, with proper postage, on June 17, 2024, and placed in the same mailbox dropbox where he receives his mail. His vote was not counted.
- Mr. Petersen lives in Saint George, Utah. He deposited his ballot, with proper postage, on June 23, 2024. His vote was not counted.

 Ms. May lives in Washington, Utah. She deposited her ballot, with proper postage, on June 20, 2024. Her vote was not counted.

These are just samples of stories Mr. Jenkins has heard from his voters across the Second Congressional District. Attached at Exhibit 1 are statements from additional voters who placed their ballot in the mail before the last pick up on June 24, 2024, but whose vote was not counted. In addition to these individuals, numerous stories reported by various news outlets and social media have captured stories from other individuals, including elected officials, speaking out against the failure to count timely mailed ballots.

Additionally, Petitioner learned this morning that "scores" of ballots have not been considered because someone has deemed the postmark illegible. Were it not for the delays and/or malfeasance at SCF Las Vegas in processing and postmarking ballots mailed in a timely manner, hundreds of ballots would have been considered valid and counted.

### II. THE FAILURE TO COUNT ALL BALLOTS IS A VIOLATION OF THE UTAH EQUAL PROTECTION CLAUSE (UTAH CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 1, § 2).

Article 1, § 2 of the Utah Constitution provides that "[a]ll political power is inherent in the people; and all free governments are founded on their authority for their equal protection and benefit, and they have the right to alter or reform their government as the public welfare may require." Equal protection applies to the USPS's handling of ballots. Recently, in *Jones v. USPS*, 488 F.Supp.3d 103 (S.D.N.Y. 2020), the Southern District of New York held:

Defendants further contend that the equal protection principles Plaintiffs invoke do not apply to USPS's handling of Election Mail. Yet, states are relying on USPS as a "vital partner in administering a safe, successful election." (Amended Complaint Ex. 7 (Letter from the leadership of the National Association of Secretaries of State to DeJoy dated August 7, 2020)). And, even the nuts and bolts of election

administration must comport with equal protection. *Bush v. Gore* stands for the proposition that an equal protection violation occurs when arbitrary disparities in voting mechanisms make it less likely that voters in certain areas will cast votes that count. Nonuniform mail service functions in the same way as the nonuniform vote counting standards at issue in *Bush v. Gore*, making it less likely that absentee voters in certain areas will cast votes that count, due in substantial part to failures in the Postal Service's Election Mail operations. Defendants offer no persuasive explanation for why USPS should be exempt from the same standards that apply to other government entities that handle ballots.

### *Id.*, at 130 (emphasis added). The court then held:

Plaintiffs have thus made a sufficient showing that the lack of uniformity in the Postal Service's treatment of Election Mail among local post offices will result in intrastate and interstate disparities in citizens' voting power ... Specifically, whether an individual's vote will be counted may depend in part on something completely arbitrary – their place of residence and by extension, the mailbox or post office where they dropped off their ballot ... For these reasons, the Court concludes that USPS has not satisfied the minimum requirement for nonarbitrary treatment of voters necessary to secure the fundamental right.

*Id.*, at 135-136 (cleaned up). This writ is seeking to correct the differential treatment created by the Utah Election Code in the Second Congressional District. Mr. Jenkins asserts that voters in areas where ballots were sent to SCF Las Vegas were treated differently than voters who mailed-in ballots were processed in Salt Lake City. Specifically, county election officials knew votes that were timely mailed may not be counted due to process issues at SCF Las Vegas, yet they did nothing to inform voters of this issue. The ballots, and the citizens who cast them, are entitled to equal protection and counting under the law.

Additionally, voters in Beaver, Garfield, Iron, Kane, Millard, Piute, Sevier, Washington, and Wayne Counties were misinformed regarding processing times for their mail-in ballots. Specifically, voters in these counties were not advised that their mail was processed at the Las Vegas facility and that this would result in a delay in postmarking their ballot envelopes. Without

such an instruction, voters in the affected area complied with the instructions they received on their

ballots, yet they are left in the dark about the processing delay and their vote is not counted.

The procedure for counting ballots that are directed through SCF Las Vegas intentionally

causes the arbitrary and disparate treatment of voters in southern Utah because it imposes

additional burdens on the voters in Beaver, Garfield, Iron, Kane, Millard, Piute, Sevier,

Washington, and Wayne Counties. Specifically, ballots that are delivered to the SCF Las Vegas

and placed in the mailbox on any election day will not be counted simply because the ballot

envelope is not stamped until the next day when it reaches the processing facility.

Voters in the affected areas are not and were not advised about the delay in processing.

Defendants knew of this discrepancy in procedure and did nothing to correct the process or educate

voters. Defendants' actions impose severe burdens in time, inconvenience, and access to voting

thereby violating the Utah Constitution's promise of Equal Protection.

**CONCLUSION** 

For the reasons set forth above, Petitioner requests that this Court grant his petition and

issue a writ directing the Respondents to count all mail-in ballots sent in from Beaver, Davis,

Garfield, Iron, Juab, Kane, Millard, Piute, Salt Lake, Sevier, Tooele, Washington, and Wayne

Counties.

DATED this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2024.

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# Exhibit 1

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# EXHIBIT 1 – INDIVIDUALS WHO CAST BALLOTS FOR COLBY JENKINS BUT WHOSE BALLOT WAS NOT COUNTED

Name	Address	Exhibit Number for Declaration/Affidavit
Michael Gillespie	St. George, Washington County	1
Marsha Gillespie	St. George, Washington County	2
Tanner Gillespie	St. George, Washington County	3
Joshua Horlacher	St. George, Washington County	4
Camille Topham	Enoch, Iron County	5
Richard Topham	Enoch, Iron County	6
Kelsie Topham	Enoch, Iron County	7
LaJuana Robinson	Paragonah, Iron County	8
Eric David Peterson		9
Beverly Brimley	2477 River Front Drive, Santa Clara Utah	10
Benjamin Bergen Shepherd	335 W. 2400 S., Washington, Utah	11
Rickey Jones	100	12
Olivia Burr	765 S 3500 E New Harmony, Utah	13
Cody Brinkerhoff	359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins, Utah	14
Lindsay Brinkerhoff	359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins, Utah	15
Connie Butterfield	359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins, Utah	16
Marlon Mack Steele, Jr.	3504 S. 5175 W., Cedar City, Utah	17
Roger Bryan	322 So 120 E, Ivins, Utah	18
Cody May	1160 S Washington Fields Rd. # 5, Washington, Utah	19
Erica May	1160 S Washington Fields Rd. # 5, Washington, Utah	20
Jerron Glazier	1201 S Country Estates Land, Kanab, Utah	21
Mikkel Glazier	1201 S Country Estates Land, Kanab, Utah	22

- 1, Michael Officepie, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 1913 S Badger Way, New Harmony, UT 84757 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 22, 2024, at the USPS mailbox in our subdivision.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th, I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 24th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 22nd of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

Michael Gillespie

EXHIBIT

- 1. Marsha Chillespie, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 1913 S Badger Way, New Harmony, UT 84757 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 22, 2024, at the USPS mailbox in our subdivision.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th.

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of ray own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 24th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 22nd of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

Marsha Gillespee Marsha Gillespie



I. Tanner Gillespie, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

- I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made
  in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 1913 S Badger Way, New Harmony, UT 84757 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
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- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th.

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 24th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 22nd of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

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I, Joshua Steven Horlacher, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 6143 Zelda Drive, St. George, Utah 84790 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on Sunday June 23nd, 2024 at 6143 Zelda Drive, St. George, Utah 84790.
- By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24<sup>th</sup>,
   I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 24th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 22nd of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

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EXHIBIT 4

I, Camille R Tophen, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. 1 reside at 4615 N Utah Trl Enoch UT 84721 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 23 2024 at Blu postal box at 900 E Midvalley Rd, Enoch UT.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th,

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it or the 27th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 23rd of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

EXHIBIT 5

## I, Richard Tothern, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 4615 N Utah Trl Enoch UT 84721 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 23 2024 at Blu postal box at 900 E Midvalley Rd, Enoch UT.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th,

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking icon the 27th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing oxisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 23rd of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

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- 1, LONE Lynn ophom hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- I, I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 4615 N Utah Trl Enoch UT 84721 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 23 2024 at Blu postal box at 200 E Midvalley Rd, Enoch UT.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th,

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to the properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 27th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 23rd of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

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### Affidavit of Voter Compliance

State of Utah County of WASHINGTON

L ERIC DAVID PETERSEN being first duly swom upon outs, depose and state as follows:

Voting Information: I am a registered voter in the State of Utah and I participand in the 2024 Republican Primary Election on June 25. I was advised and under lovel that my vote needed to be postmarked on or before June 24 to be counted in the caption. I voted

vote needed to be postmarked on or before June 24 to be counted in the election. I voted by mail in this election.

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Substantial Compliance: I believe I have substantially of moliced with the election have of the State of Utah by mailing my ballot with sufficient time for it to be counted.

Request for Consideration: Given the above free. I tempectfully request that my ballot be counted in the June 2024 Republican Prints. I tection. I urge any decider of fact to passe the final converse to allow me and other rate, ed voters the opportunity to preserve or care our balliots, unsuring that our votes are a discretizanchised.

Further Afflant Sayeth Not.

Print Name Ere D Person Preter

Date: 7-23-2024

State of Utah

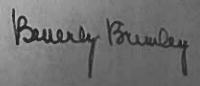
COMMON STATE

Subscribed from to before me on this 23 day of July 2024 by Eric Dickern



I, Beverly Brimley], hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 2477 River Front Drive in Santa Clara, UT 84765 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 23, 2024 at our neighborhood natibox located right across the street from my house on 2477 River Front Drive in Santa Clara, UT 84765.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th, I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of vay own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on (I do not know what date) of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 23rd of June, 2024.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.





- I, Benjamin Bergen Shepherd, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- I reside at 335 W. 2400 S. Washington, Utah 84780, and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 25, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 25th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on the evening of June 23, 2024 in the mail collection box on my street located at 335 W. 2400 S. Washington, Utah 84780.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 25th, I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on or after the 25th of June. I assume it was postmarked in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility since the Washington County Elections office sent me a letter stating that my ballot was returned past the deadline because it was not postmarked before June 25th. Therefore, it was not postmarked on June 24th, despite the fact that it was in the collection box before the morning of June 24th, and the USPS picks up from that location daily. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service by the 24th of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 25th day of July, 2024.

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hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.

2. I reside at [ADDRESS] and Nam a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.

3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.

4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.

5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on IPATE at [ARDRESS]. 291 5. 2005.

6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th, I

provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.

7. Through no fault of my own the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the [DAK] bf time in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the [DATE] of [MONTH].

8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is

true and correct.

9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

I mailed my ballot and my wifes ballot on Juve 22, 2024 from the US post office in Enterprise UT. [NAME] DE the Same day. Her ballot was sunted and mine was not. Puter to allot was sunted and mine was



I, Olivia Burr, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 765 S 3500 E New Harmony, UT, and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24<sup>th</sup> of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 19, 2024 at our neighborhood mail drop box.
- By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24<sup>th</sup>,
   I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on a date that was past the deadline in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 19th of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

NAME



I, Cody Brinkerhoff, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.

2. I reside at 359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.

3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.

4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.

5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 20th at 359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins.

6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th,
I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.

7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 25th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 20th of June.

8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

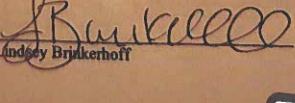
EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

Cody Brinkerhoff



- I, Lindsey Brinkerhoff, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be coursed, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 20th at 359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing ray stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th,

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my coss, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 25th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 20th of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.





- I, Connie Butterfield, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 20th at 359 So Puerto Drive, Ivins.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th,

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 25% of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 20th of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.



- I, Marlon Mack Steele Jr., hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- I reside at 3504 S. 5175 W., Cedar City, UT 84720 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
- The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24,
   2024.
- I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24<sup>th</sup> of June in order to be counted in the election.
- In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 17th at same mailbox dropbox on 5175 W. Cedar City UT 84720, that I receive my mail
- By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24<sup>th</sup>, I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 25th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 17th of June 2024.
  - Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the



### foregoing is true and correct.

• EXECUTED on this 27th day of July, 2024.

Malon Mack Steele Jr.

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- I, Roger Bryan, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 322 So 120 B, Ivins and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 21st at 322 So 120 E, Ivins
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th, I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the 25th of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 20th of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

Roger Bryan



- I, Cody May, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 1160 S Washington Fields Rd #5 Washington, Utah 84780 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 20th 2024 at 1160 S Washington Fields Rd Washington, Utah 84780.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th, I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it after June 24th in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 20th of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

NAME



I, Erica May, hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 1160 S Washington Fields Rd #5 Washington, Utah 84780 and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address.
  - 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on June 20th 2024 at 1160 S Washington Fields Rd Washington, Utah 84780.
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th,

  I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it after June 24th in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the 20th of June.
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
  - 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

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Erica Violet May 1160 S Washington Fields Rd Unit 5 Washington 84780-2231

Date: July 15, 2024

#### Dear Erica

We received your voted mail-in ballot for the ELECTION but were unable to count your ballot because it was:

#### Returned Past Deadline

According to the Utah State Code 20A-3a-204, to be valid, a bailot that is mailed must be: clearly postmarked *before* Election Day... and received in the office of the election officer before noon on the day of the canvass. Ballots may also be deposited in a ballot box at a polling place or in a ballot drop box before polls close *on* Election Day.

We strongly suggest that if you are returning your ballot close to election day that you take advantage of our drop box locations. A complete list of drop box locations can be found at elections.washco.utah.gov.

If you choose to mail your ballot, it must be postmarked no later than the day before election day. You can ensure the postmark date by walking into the service counter and asking the postal worker to hand stamp the date on the ballot envelop.

Best Regards,

Washington County Elections 111 East Tabernacle Street St George UT 84770 435.301.7248 elections@washco.utah.gov

- I, [NAME], hereby state and declare under penalty of perjury as follows:
- 1. I am over 18 years of age and a resident of the State of Utah. All statements made in this Declaration are based on my personal knowledge or belief.
- 2. I reside at 1201 south country estates tone and I am a registered voter in the State of Utah at that address!
- 3. The State of Utah held the Republican Party Primary Election on June 24, 2024.
- 4. I was aware that my ballot must be mailed prior to the 24th of June in order to be counted in the election.
- 5. In order to assure that my ballot would be counted, I deposited my stamped and completed ballot on at 1201 south country estates lane 6/21/2024
- 6. By completing the act of depositing my stamped ballot in the mail prior to the 24th, I provided sufficient time for my ballot to be properly counted and considered.
- 7. Through no fault of my own, the United States Postal Service (USPS) processed my ballot by postmarking it on the [DAY] of June in the Las Vegas, Nevada facility. I had no control over the processing decisions of the USPS, but I fulfilled what I could control by providing it to the postal service on the [DATE] of [MONTH].
- 8. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
- 9. EXECUTED on this 17th day of July, 2024.

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