

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION**

FLORIDA DECIDES HEALTHCARE,  
INC., et al.

*Plaintiffs,*

v.

CORD BYRD, in his official capacity as  
Secretary of State of Florida, et al.,

*Defendants.*

Case No. 4:25-cv-211-MW-MAF

**SECOND JOINT STATUS REPORT**

Pursuant to this Court’s Initial Scheduling Order dated May 7, 2025 (ECF No. 20), Plaintiffs Florida Decides Healthcare, Inc., Mitchell Emerson, and Jordan Simmons (“FDH Plaintiffs”); Plaintiff Smart & Safe Florida (“Smart & Safe Plaintiff”); Plaintiffs League of Women Voters of Florida, League of Women Voters of Florida Education Fund, Inc., League of United Latin American Citizens, Cecile Scoon and Debra Chandler (“League Plaintiffs”); Plaintiffs FloridaRightToCleanWater.org and Melissa Martin (“Florida Right to Clean Water Plaintiffs”); Plaintiffs Poder Latinx, Humberto Orjuela Prieto and Yivian Lopez Garcia (“Poder Latinx Plaintiffs”); Defendant Cord Byrd, in his official capacity as the Florida Secretary of State (“Secretary”); Defendant James Uthmeier, in his official capacity as the Florida Attorney General (“Attorney General”); Defendant

Republican Party of Florida (“Republican Party”); the 67 Florida counties’ Supervisors of Elections, in their official capacities as supervisors of elections (“Supervisors”), and the 20 Florida State Attorneys, in their official capacities as State Attorneys, respectfully submit this Joint Status Report.

1. On May 14, 2025, FDH Plaintiffs and Smart & Safe Plaintiffs filed their Joint (First) Motion for Preliminary Injunction (ECF No. 92), to which the League Plaintiffs filed a Joinder (ECF No. 93) on May 14, 2025. The Secretary and Attorney General filed their Response in Opposition (ECF No. 105) on May 16, 2025. Plaintiffs filed a Reply in Support of Motion for Preliminary Injunction (ECF No. 111) on May 19, 2025.

2. On May 22, 2025, this Court heard argument on FDH Plaintiffs’ and Smart & Safe Plaintiffs’ Joint (First) Motion for Preliminary Injunction. The Court issued its ruling on June 4, 2025 (ECF No. 189).

3. On May 30, 2025, League Plaintiffs filed their First Amended Complaint.

4. On May 30, 2025, Smart & Safe Plaintiff and FDH Plaintiffs filed their respective pending Second Motions for Preliminary Injunction (ECF Nos. 165, 169), on which the Court held a hearing on June 30, 2025.

5. On June 2, 2025, FDH Plaintiffs filed their First Amended Complaint (ECF No. 170).

6. On June 2, 2025, Florida Right to Clean Water Plaintiffs filed their pending Motion for Preliminary Injunction (ECF No. 173), on which the Court held a hearing on June 30, 2025.

7. On June 3, 2025, League Plaintiffs filed their pending Motion for Preliminary Injunction (ECF No. 175), on which the Court held a hearing on June 30, 2025.

8. On June 6, 2025, Poder Plaintiffs filed a Notice of Joinder to the League Plaintiffs (ECF No. 175) and Florida Right to Clean Water Plaintiffs (ECF No. 173) Motions for Preliminary Injunction, on which the Court held a hearing on June 30, 2025.

### **Plaintiffs' Discovery**

9. On June 10, 2025, FDH Plaintiffs served Expedited Requests for Production to the Florida Secretary of State. On June 10, 2025, FDH Plaintiffs also served Expedited Requests for Production to the Republican Party of Florida. On June 11, 2025, FDH Plaintiffs served Corrected Expedited Requests for Production to the Secretary and Republican Party. Responses to FDH Plaintiffs' Corrected Requests for Production are due July 11, 2025.

10. On June 23, 2025, Plaintiffs collectively served their First Set of Requests for Production to the Florida Secretary of State. The response to Plaintiffs'

First Set of Request for Production to the Florida Secretary of State is due July 23, 2025.

11. On June 23, 2025, Plaintiffs collectively served their First Set of Interrogatories to the Florida Secretary of State. The response to Plaintiffs' First Set of Interrogatories to the Florida Secretary of State is due July 23, 2025.

12. On July 3, 2025, Plaintiffs collectively served the First Set of Requests for Production to Florida Supervisors of Elections Defendants. The responses to Plaintiffs' First Set of Requests for Production to Florida Supervisors of Elections Defendants are due August 4, 2025.

13. Plaintiffs intend to issue their First Set of Requests for Admission to the Secretary, Attorney General, Supervisors of Elections and State Attorney Defendants within the next several weeks.

### **Defendants' Discovery**

14. On June 16, 2025, The Secretary served his First Request for Production to FDH Plaintiffs, Florida Right to Clean Water Plaintiffs, League Plaintiffs and Smart & Safe Plaintiff. The responses to the Secretary's First Request for Production are due July 16, 2025.

15. The Attorney General and Republican Party Defendants intend to serve discovery requests on the Plaintiffs at the appropriate time.

## **Initial Disclosures**

16. On June 19, 2025, Florida Right to Clean Water Plaintiffs and the Supervisors for Charlotte, Collier, Indian River, Lake, Lee, Monroe, Marion, Manatee, Pasco and Seminole Counties filed their Rule 26 Initial Disclosures.

17. On June 20, 2025, FDH Plaintiffs, Smart & Safe Plaintiff, League Plaintiffs, Poder Latinx Plaintiffs, the Secretary, the Attorney General, the Republican Party, the State Attorneys, and the Supervisors for Baker, Bay, Bradford, Broward, Calhoun, Clay, Columbia, Dixie, Escambia, Franklin, Gadsden, Glades, Gulf, Hamilton, Hardee, Hendry, Holmes, Jackson, Lafayette, Leon, Levy, Martin, Miami-Dade, Nassau, Okeechobee, Okaloosa, Osceola, Palm Beach, Pinellas, Polk, Putnam, Santa Rosa, St. Johns, St. Lucie, Sumter, Suwannee, Taylor, Volusia, Wakulla, Walton and Washington Counties filed their Rule 26 Initial Disclosures

18. On June 22, 2025, Supervisors for DeSoto, Flagler, Gilchrist, Highlands, Jefferson, Liberty, Madison and Union Counties filed their Rule 26 Initial Disclosures.

19. On June 23, 2025, Supervisors for Duval and Hillsborough Counties filed their Rule 26 Initial Disclosures.

20. On June 25, 2025, Supervisor for Alachua County filed her Rule 26 Initial Disclosures.

21. On June 27, 2025, Supervisor for Orange County filed her Rule 26 Initial Disclosures.

22. On June 30, 2025, Supervisors for Brevard and Hernando Counties filed their Rule 26 Initial Disclosures.

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