

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

Meryl Neiman, *et al.*,

League of Women Voters of Ohio, *et al.*,

Petitioners,

v.

Secretary of State Frank LaRose, *et al.*,

Respondents.

Case No. 2022-0298

Case No. 2022-0303

*Consolidated*

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Constitution, Article XIX, Section 3(A)

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Respondents Senator Robert McColley and Representative Jeffrey LaRe, by and through undersigned counsel, hereby notify the Court that Senate President Matt Huffman and House Speaker Robert Cupp are no longer members of the Ohio Redistricting Commission and that Senator Robert McColley and Representative Jeffrey LaRe have been appointed to the positions previously held by President Huffman and Speaker Cupp. Pursuant to S. Ct. Prac. R. 4.06(B), Senator McColley and Representative LaRe are automatically substituted as a party in the above-captioned matter. Senator McColley and Representative LaRe respectfully request that all future filings be served through their undersigned counsel.

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