

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COLE COUNTY, MISSOURI

BARBARA PIPPENS, et al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

JOHN R. ASHCROFT, in his official capacity as
Missouri Secretary of State, et al.

Defendants.

Case No. 20AC-CC00206

JOINT STIPULATION OF FACTS AND EXHIBITS

The parties stipulate to the following facts and exhibits, reserving objections to relevance only.

1. Plaintiff Barbara Pippens is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
2. Plaintiff John Bohney is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
3. Plaintiff Cheryl Hibbeler is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
4. Plaintiff Rebecca Shaw is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
5. Plaintiff Bob Minor is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
6. Plaintiff James Harmon is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
7. Plaintiff Gene Davison is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
8. Plaintiff Pat McBride is a citizen of the state of Missouri.
9. Defendant John (Jay) R. Ashcroft is the duly elected and acting Secretary of State of Missouri.
10. Defendant Dave Schatz is State Senator for Missouri's 26th Senate District and serves as the current President Pro Tem of the Missouri State Senate.

11. Defendant Elijah Haahr is State Representative for Missouri's 134th House of Representatives District and serves as the current Speaker of the House.

12. Defendant Daniel Hegeman is State Senator for Missouri's 12th Senate District and sponsored Senate Joint Resolution 38 ("SJR 38").

13. The office of the Missouri Secretary of State is located in Cole County, Missouri, where Secretary Ashcroft principally performs his official duties.

14. In the 2020 session of the General Assembly, Senator Daniel Hegeman sponsored a senate joint resolution, SJR 38, proposing an amendment to the Missouri Constitution.

15. A true and correct copy of the introduced version of SJR 38 is attached as **Joint Exhibit A**.

16. On May 10, 2020, the Missouri State Senate voted to approve SJR 38 and sent it to the Missouri House of Representatives for final approval and passage.

17. On May 13, 2020, the Missouri House of Representatives truly agreed to and finally passed SJR 38.

18. A true and correct copy of the senate research staff summary of the truly agreed to and finally passed version of SJR 38 is attached as **Joint Exhibit B**.

19. A true and correct copy of the truly agreed to and finally passed version of SJR 38 is attached as **Joint Exhibit C**.

20. The summary statement prepared and approved by the General Assembly for SJR 38 is:

"Shall the Missouri Constitution be amended to:

- Ban all lobbyist gifts to legislators and their employees;
- Reduce legislative campaign contribution limits; and

- Create citizen-led independent bipartisan commissions to draw state legislative districts based on one person, one vote, minority voter protection, compactness, competitiveness, fairness and other criteria.”

21. Pursuant to Section 116.175, RSMo, Missouri State Auditor Nicole Galloway prepared a fiscal note and fiscal note summary for SJR 38.

22. A true and correct copy of the Auditor’s fiscal note and fiscal note summary for SJR 38 is attached as **Joint Exhibit D**.

23. On June 29, 2020, Secretary Ashcroft certified the official ballot title for SJR 38, which contains the Auditor’s fiscal note summary and the General Assembly’s summary statement.

24. A true and correct copy of the certified official ballot title is attached as **Joint Exhibit E**.

25. On June 26, 2020, Secretary Ashcroft prepared a fair ballot language statement for SJR 38.

26. A true and correct copy of the fair ballot language statement is attached as **Joint Exhibit F**.

Respectfully submitted,

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of Representatives Elijah Haahr, and
Senator Daniel Hegeman*

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on August 4, 2020, the foregoing was filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF System which shall send electronic notification to all parties.

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