UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

TIMOTHY KING, MARIAN ELLEN SHERIDAN, JOHN EARL HAGGARD, CHARLES JAMES RITCHARD, JAMES DAVID HOOPER, and DARREN WADE RUBINGH,

No. 2-20-cv-13134

Plaintiffs,

HON. LINDA V. PARKER

v

MAG. R. STEVEN WHALEN

GRETCHEN WHITMER, in her official capacity as Governor of the State of Michigan, JOCELYN BENSON, in her official capacity as Michigan Secretary of State and the Michigan BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS,

GRECTHEN WHITMER AND SECRETARY OF STATE JOCELYN BENSON'S NOTICE REGARDING SANCTIONS AWARD

DEFENDANTS GOVERNOR

Defendants,

CITY OF DETROIT,

Intervening Defendant,

ROBERT DAVIS,

Intervening Defendant,

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE and MICHIGAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY,

Intervening Defendant.

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DEFENDANTS GOVERNOR GRECTHEN WHITMER AND SECRETARY OF STATE JOCELYN BENSON'S NOTICE REGARDING SANCTIONS AWARD

As directed by the Court's August 25, 2021 Opinion and Order, ECF No. 172, counsel for Defendants Governor Gretchen Whitmer and Secretary of State Jocelyn Benson (the State Defendants) submit detailed billing statements regarding the fees incurred in defending this action. The State Defendants propose that they be awarded \$21,964.75 in attorneys' fees based on the affidavits submitted by Assistant Attorney General Heather S. Meingast and Assistant Attorney General Erik A. Grill (attached hereto as Exhibits A and B.)

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: September 8, 2021

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 8, 2021, I electronically filed the above document(s) with the Clerk of the Court using the ECF System, which will provide electronic copies to counsel of record.

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