

STATE OF MINNESOTA
SPECIAL REDISTRICTING PANEL

A21-0243
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May 17, 2022

**OFFICE OF
APPELLATE COURTS**

Peter S. Wattson, Joseph Mansky, Nancy B.
Greenwood, Mary E. Kupper, Douglas W.
Backstrom and James E. Hougas III, individually
and on behalf of all citizens and voting residents of
Minnesota similarly situated, and League of Women
Voters Minnesota,

Plaintiffs,

and

Paul Anderson, Ida Lano, Chuck Brusven, Karen
Lane, Joel Hineman, Carol Wegner, and Daniel
Schonhardt,

Plaintiff-Intervenors,

vs.

Steve Simon, Secretary of State of Minnesota; and
Kendra Olson, Carver County Elections and
Licensing Manager, individually and on behalf of all
Minnesota county chief election officers,

Defendants,

and

Frank Sachs, Dagny Heimisdottir, Michael Arulfo,
Tanwi Prigge, Jennifer Guertin, Garrison O'Keith
McMurtrey, Mara Lee Glubka, Jeffrey Strand,
Danielle Main, and Wayne Grimmer,

Plaintiffs

and

**PROPOSED ORDER
AWARDING ATTORNEYS'
FEES, COSTS, AND
DISBURSEMENTS TO
ANDERSON PLAINTIFFS**

Dr. Bruce Corrie, Shelly Diaz, Alberder Gillespie,
Xiongpaoo Lee, Abdirazak Mahboub, Aida Simon,
Beatriz Winters, Common Cause, OneMinnesota.org,
and Voices for Racial Justice,

Plaintiff-Intervenors,

vs.

Steve Simon, Secretary of State of Minnesota,

Defendant.

Briefing in the above-entitled matter was submitted before the Honorable Louise D. Bjorkman, Diane B., Bratvold, Jay D. Carlson, Juanita C. Freeman, and Jodi L Williamson regarding the Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs of Plaintiff-Intervenors Paul Anderson, Ida Lano, Chuck Brusven, Karen Lane, Joel Hineman, Carol Wegner, and Daniel Schonhardt (the "Anderson Plaintiffs"). Elizabeth M. Brama, Maren M. Forde, and Samuel L. Louwagie of Taft Stettinius & Hollister LLP appeared on behalf of the Anderson Plaintiffs. Appearances for Steve Simon, Secretary of State of Minnesota, and Kendra Olson, Carver County Elections and Licensing Manager, are noted on the record.

ORDER

Based upon the files, records, proceedings herein, and motion papers submitted, and upon being duly advised, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. The Anderson Plaintiffs' Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs is

GRANTED; and

2. Defendants Steve Simon, Secretary of State of Minnesota, and Kendra Olson, Carver County Elections and Licensing Manager, are directed to pay the Anderson Plaintiffs' attorneys' fees, costs, and disbursements in the amount of \$345,019.97.

Dated:

BY THE PANEL

Louise D. Bjorkman
Presiding Judge

Judge Diane B. Bratvold
Judge Jay D. Carlson
Judge Juanita C. Freeman
Judge Jodi L. Williamson