

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
NORFOLK DIVISION

LATASHA HOLLOWAY,

plaintiff,

vs.

ACTION NO. 2:18-cv-69 AWA-RJK

CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA,

defendant.

AFFIDAVIT OF GEORGIA F. ALLEN

Georgia F. Allen, who first being duly sworn, made oath as follows:

1. I support the named Plaintiff claim in the above stated action.
2. I am an African American citizen of and register voter in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, and reside at 4649 Merrimac Lane.
3. I have been active in civil rights and political rights in the City of Virginia Beach for some 20 years. I served as Youth Advisor for the NAACP Virginia Beach from 1988 until 1996, and Political Action & Youth Work from 1997 until 2000. I served as President for the NAACP Virginia Beach Chapter for 10 years since first elected in 2001. I presently serve on the Executive Committee for the NAACP Virginia Beach, and previously served on the Human Rights Commission for the City of Virginia Beach, and currently serve on the 2040 Vision To Action Committee. I was a candidate for the Virginia Beach City Council for an at-large seat in November, 2008. I lost my bid for election in 2008.



4. I was a candidate for the House of Delegates, 2nd Congressional District for the City of Virginia Beach in November, 2005. I lost my bid for election in 2005.

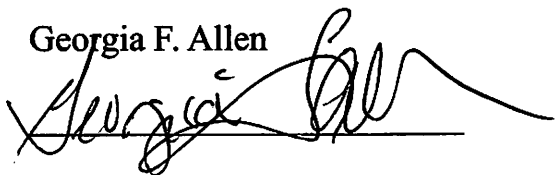
5. Based upon my political experience and involvement in campaigns, I believe there are rules and procedures that prevent or discourage African American citizens in the City of Virginia Beach from registering to vote, voting, or otherwise participating fully in the political process. I further believe that African American voters in Virginia Beach under the at-large election system do not have an equal opportunity to elect candidates of their choice and think there is no good reason to expect that one or more of the African American candidates currently running for the City Council seats will be elected if the November 1, 2018 election is not postponed.

6. I am in favor of enjoining at-large elections in Virginia Beach and believe that this system adversely affects the opportunity of African American citizens to participate in the political process and prevents them from electing candidates of their choice.

7. I am in favor of single-member districts or wards for the election of all eleven members of the Virginia Beach City Council which provides the African American voters of Virginia Beach with a remedy for the above-stated violations of their rights.

8. Postponement of the November 1, 2018 election would not be particularly harmful to the aspirations of African American candidates because of the persistent vote dilution in the councilmanic election.

Georgia F. Allen

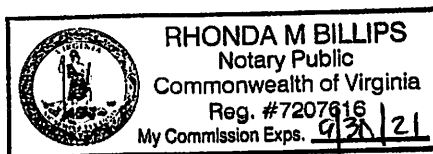


SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, this 13 day of August, 2018

  
NOTARY PUBLIC

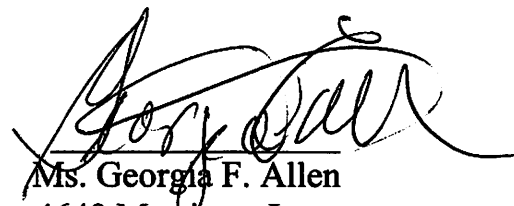
My Commission Expires:

9/30/2021

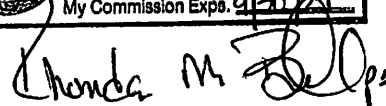
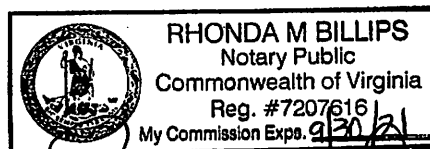


CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on August 13, 2018, a true copy of the foregoing was mailed to Ms. Latasha Holloway, Plaintiff, 3683 Windmill Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23453.



Ms. Georgia F. Allen  
4649 Merrimac Lane  
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23455  
(757) 405-6240



**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
NORFOLK DIVISION**

August 13, 2018

**VIA U.S. MAIL DELIVERED**

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

Walter E. Hoffman

United States Courthouse

600 Granby Street

Norfolk, VA 23510

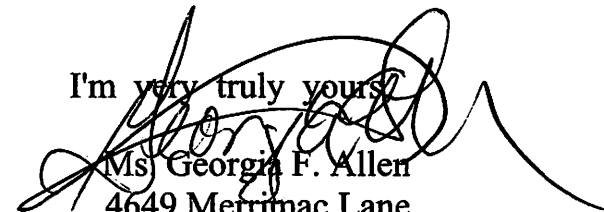
**In re: LaTasha Holloway v City of Virginia Beach, Virginia,  
CASE No. 2:18-cv-69(AWA/RJK)**

Dear Judge Allen:

Enclosed please find Georgia F. Allen's Affidavit in support of Ms. Holloway, which I request to be filed with the other papers in the above referenced matter.

Please refer this matter to the Honorable Judge Arenda L. Wright Allen for consideration and with many thanks for your kind assistance.

I'm very truly yours,



Ms) Georgia F. Allen  
4649 Merrimac Lane  
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23455  
(757) 405-6240