

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION**

Common Cause Florida, FairDistricts
Now, Florida State Conference of the
National Association for the
Advancement of Colored People
Branches, Cassandra Brown, Peter Butzin,
Charlie Clark, Dorothy Inman-Johnson,
Veatrice Holifield Farrell, Brenda Holt,
Rosemary McCoy, Leo R. Stoney, Myrna
Young, and Nancy Ratzan,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Cord Byrd, in his official capacity as
Florida Secretary of State,

Defendant.

Case No. 4:22-cv-109-AW-MAF

NOTICE

The Secretary notifies this Court that the Florida Supreme Court has accepted jurisdiction of *Black Voters Matter Capacity Building Institute v. Byrd*, the state redistricting case. The state supreme court has provided a briefing schedule, which is attached to this notice, and will later inform the parties about an oral argument date and time.

Dated: January 29, 2024

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As required by Local Rule 5.1 and 7.1(J), I certify that this notice contains 55 words and complies with this Court's word count, spacing, and formatting requirements.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on January 29, 2024, the foregoing was filed through the Court's CM/ECF, which will serve a copy to all counsel of record.

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Supreme Court of Florida

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2024

Black Voters Matter Capacity
Building Institute, Inc. et al.,
Petitioner(s)

v.

Secretary, Florida Dept. of
State, et al.,
Respondent(s)

CORRECTED ORDER¹

SC2023-1671

Lower Tribunal No(s):

1D2023-2252;

372022CA000666XXXXXX

The Court accepts jurisdiction of this case.

Petitioner's initial brief on the merits must be served on or before February 28, 2024; respondent's answer brief on the merits must be served thirty days after service of petitioner's initial brief on the merits; petitioner's reply brief on the merits must be served thirty days after service of respondent's answer brief on the merits; and respondent's cross-reply brief on the merits, if authorized, must be served thirty days after service of petitioner's reply brief on the merits.

1. Service list corrected 1/25/2024 to include First District Court of Appeal.

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The Clerk of the First District Court of Appeal must file the record which must be properly indexed and paginated on or before February 19, 2024. The Clerk may provide the record in the format as currently maintained at the district court, either paper or electronic.

MUÑIZ, C.J., and, LABARGA, COURIEL, GROSSHANS, FRANCIS, and SASSO, JJ., concur.
CANADY, J., recused.

Oral argument will be set by separate order. Counsel for the parties will be notified of the oral argument date approximately sixty days prior to oral argument.

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