

**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

Plaintiffs notify this Court that the Florida Supreme Court has denied Petitioners' Motion to Expedite Filing of Record and Set Oral Argument for April 2024 in *Black Voters Matter Capacity Building Institute v. Byrd*, the state court redistricting case. Denial of this motion confirms that the Florida Supreme Court will not consider the merits of *Black Voters Matter Capacity Building Institute* prior to the April 26th candidate qualifying deadline for the 2024 election. A copy of the Florida Supreme Court's order is attached to this notice.

Dated: February 13, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 13, 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court by using CM/ECF, which automatically serves all counsel of record for the parties who have appeared.

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Supreme Court of Florida

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2024

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

v.

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

SC2023-1671

Lower Tribunal No(s).:

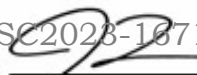
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Petitioners' Motion to Expedite Filing of Record and Set Oral
Argument for April 2024 is hereby denied.

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