

**SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF STEUBEN**

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**TIM HARKENRIDER, GUY C. BROUGHT,
LAWRENCE CANNING, PATRICIA CLARINO,
GEORGE DOOHER, JR., STEPHEN EVANS, LINDA
FANTON, JERRY FISHMAN, JAY FRANTZ,
LAWRENCE GARVEY, ALAN NEPHEW, SUSAN
ROWLEY, JOSEPHINE THOMAS, and MARIANNE
VIOLANTE,**

Index No. E2022-0116CV

**AFFIDAVIT OF STEPHEN
EVANS IN SUPPORT OF
PETITION**

Petitioners,

-against-

**GOVERNOR KATHY HOCHUL, LIEUTENANT
GOVERNOR AND PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
BRIAN A. BENJAMIN, SENATE MAJORITY LEADER
AND PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE
ANDREA STEWART-COUSINS, SPEAKER OF THE
ASSEMBLY CARL HEASTIE, NEW YORK STATE
BOARD OF ELECTIONS, and THE NEW YORK STATE
LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON DEMOGRAPHIC
RESEARCH AND REAPPORTIONMENT,**

Respondents.

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STEPHEN EVANS, being duly sworn, says under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. I am a Petitioner in the above-titled action and a citizen of the State of New York, residing at 440 West 41st Street, Apt. 4G, New York, NY 10036, in New York County.

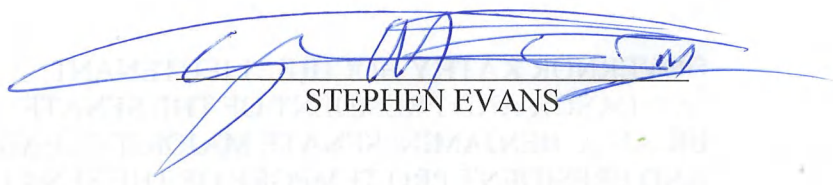
2. I make this affidavit based on my personal knowledge, and if called upon to testify, I could and would testify to the following facts.

3. I am registered to vote in the State of New York.

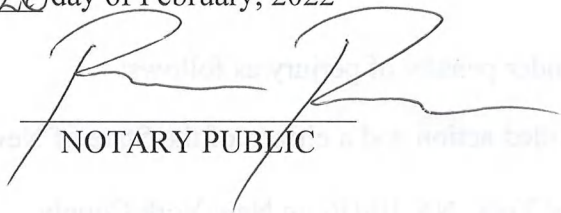
4. I regularly vote for Republican candidates in local, state, and federal elections, and engage in campaign activity for Republicans running for Congress and state legislative office.

5. The Legislature’s partisan and incumbent-favoring 2022 congressional and state Senate maps have harmed me, as explained below.

6. The Legislature’s partisan and incumbent-favoring gerrymanders of the 2022 state Senate and congressional maps dilute the power of my vote based on my political beliefs and diminish the effect of my political action efforts. These new maps undermine efforts throughout New York to elect Republican candidates for state Senate and Congress in the State.


STEPHEN EVANS

Sworn before me
on this 26th day of February, 2022


NOTARY PUBLIC

RHONDALISA ROBERTS
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF NEW YORK
No. 01RO6410737
Qualified in New York County
My Commission Expires 11-02-2024