

to Secretary Boockvar’s Application for the Court to Exercise Extraordinary Relief Over the Commonwealth Court Case Docketed at 407 MD 2020 (the “Application”).

The Counties hereby join the Application and generally favor the relief requested by the Secretary.¹ A prompt ruling on the Application by this Court will ensure consistency and enable the Counties to administer the November General Election effectively and in compliance with Pennsylvania law.

WHEREFORE, the Counties respectfully request that this Court grant the Application.

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Respectfully submitted

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¹ Respondent Lawrence County joins the Application for the Court to Exercise Extraordinary Jurisdiction Over the Commonwealth Court Case Docketed at 407 MD 2020 and agrees that the public importance of the issues presented and the need for immediate resolution justify Secretary Boockvar’s Application. Respondent Lawrence County takes no position on the suggested answer to Statement of Questions Presented V or the legal argument presented in paragraph D of Argument for Declaratory Relief contained in said Application.

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Board of Elections, Venango County
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Dated: August 19, 2020

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