DECLARATION OF GLORIANNE LECK (Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1776)

My name is Glorianne Leck and I am over the age of 18 and fully competent to make this declaration. Under penalty of perjury, I declare the following:

Personal Background

- 1. I was born and raised in MERRILL, Wisconsin.
- 2. I attended the University of Wisconsin-Madison, where I obtained a bachelors degree in the History of Culture and Philosophy, a master's degree in Philosophy and Educational Policy Studies, and a PhD in Philosophy and Educational Policy Studies.
- I moved to Youngstown, Ohio in 1974 and worked as a Professor of Education at Youngstown State University for over 30 years.
- 4. I am now retired and moved to Bloomington, Indiana in early 2006.

The 2004 Presidential Election

- 5. During the 2004 Presidential election, I was an elected precinct committee person working in the inner city of Youngstown, Ohio at the Wick Park polling place. I am guessing that the individuals at this polling location were approximately 51 percent African American, a couple percent were Native American and Hispanic, and the rest were Euro-American.
- 6. As I saw reported in the news, the lengthy waits at many polling places prevented a significant number of Ohioans, particularly those living in minority communities, from being able to exercise their right to vote in 2004.
- 7. While Wick Park did not experience as long of lines as some of the other locations in the city and state, there were still individuals who had to leave the voting lines at Wick Park due to the length of the wait.

- 8. The Wick Park polling location had a fairly steady stream of individuals coming to vote there during the day. However, we were really backed up during the noon hour when a particularly high volume of individuals came to vote while on their lunch break.
- 9. I saw two individuals, both African American Females, leave the line. I spoke to both of these individuals and found out that they were leaving the poll because they were hourly wage workers at a nearby hospital and, after waiting approximately 45 minutes, they had been unable to get through the lines during the time allotted for their lunch break.
- 10. I encouraged both of these individuals to come back to the polls when they were done with work for the day. I am unsure of whether one of the individuals came back to the polling location, however, I spoke to the other worker at a later time and she told me that she had been unable to return and cast a ballot because she had to leave directly from work to pick her kids up after school.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the forgoing is true and correct.

Executed on June 9, 2014.

Glorjanne M. Leck