



October 28, 2020

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City of Detroit Clerk Janice Winfrey City Clerk's Office 2 Woodward Ave., #200 Detroit, MI 48226

Dear Clerk Winfrey,

We write to request meaningful public access including the right for campaign representatives to be physically present at the Detroit public accuracy testing set to occur tomorrow, October 29, 2020.

Pursuant to MCL 168.794a, the campaign would like to have representatives present during the time that the voting machines for the city of Detroit are tested to ensure that they are accurate.

MCL 168.794a provides that "[t]he appropriate board of election commissioners shall provide for an accuracy test of an electronic voting system in the manner prescribed in rules promulgated by the secretary of state."

The Secretary of State in January of 2019 promulgated guidance that requires that "a public test" be done of one of the tabulators. MI Dept. of State, Bureau of Elections, Test Procedure Manual for Tabulators and Voter Assist Terminals at 3. The currently scheduled Zoom session is not an adequate public test to ensure that the election voting machines are properly accurate and prepared.

Further, there is a walkthrough of the TCF Center also scheduled for tomorrow that will be taking place in person. It is difficult to imagine why the walkthrough would be acceptably done in person and the testing could not be.

Please advise as soon as possible whether representatives of the campaign and the public will have access to observe the public accuracy testing required by statute.

Sincerely,

Shawn M. Flynn