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Mr. Sean J. Young
Legal Director
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Atlanta, GA 30309

Mr. John Powers
Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights Under Law
1500 K Street, NW, Suite 900
Washington, DC 20005

Dear Messrs. Young & Powers:

I am the retiring Administrative Coordinator for the DeKalb County Voter Registration & Elections office and feel I am the most qualified to answer your letter, as the property in question belongs to my husband and myself.

The initial reason for the challenge was because the City of Decatur could not identify 444 Sycamore as a legitimate address. Our Elections Coordinator in charge of mapping asked me to help her write a letter, and I recognized the address. There is no 444 Sycamore Drive, as the "legal address" is 207 Springdale Street; however, the driveway is at 444 Sycamore and is easier for the clients to locate it using the Sycamore address. Obviously, I was aware that no one resides there. If you need us to have the Director confirm that there is no one living there, we will be happy to do so. Please refer to Georgia Election Code 21-2-217 which determines residency. Regardless, there is no such address as 444 Sycamore Drive in Decatur.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Mary Frances Weeks'.

Mary Frances Weeks

Cc: Erica Hamilton, Director
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