



Resolution 2022.09.07

Michigan Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission

A Resolution in Support of the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission's Amicus Brief in *Moore v. Harper*

Presented: September 29, 2022

WHEREAS: The Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission voted unanimously to file an amicus brief in support of neither party in the following case before the Supreme Court of the United States: *Moore v. Harper*.

WHEREAS: It is, at current time, too late for the MICRC to file amicus brief in support of neither party in this matter.

WHEREAS: Like Arizona, the Michigan Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission is the sole redistricting body in the state of Michigan, as pursuant to the voter-approved Article IV, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution; and is indeed interpreted as the "Legislature" in Redistricting matters as defined by the Constitution.

RESOLVED: The MICRC agrees with and publicly supports the following conclusions of the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission's amicus brief, as it applies to Michigan. Which states:

"Faced with the case currently before it, this Court need not disturb the constitutional and voter-approved status quo of redistricting in Arizona. To the extent it reaches the question, this Court should affirm its prior interpretations of "Legislature" as that respectively defined by the States in their separate acknowledged powers and as one that coexists with each State's judicial power."

Attachments: SCOTUS Docket No. 21-1271 "BRIEF OF ARIZONA INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION AS AMICUS CURIAE IN SUPPORT OF NEITHER PARTY"



MOTION TO AMEND: ___ YES ___ NO

	Main	Amendment
Motion by Commissioner		
Second by Commissioner		

Result:

M.C Rothorn, Chair

Date