

<p>SUPREME COURT, STATE OF COLORADO</p> <p>101 West Colfax Avenue, Suite 800 Denver, Colorado 80202</p>	
<p>Original Proceeding Pursuant to the Colorado Rules for Reapportionment Proceedings</p>	
<p>IN RE REAPPORTIONMENT OF THE COLORADO GENERAL ASSEMBLY</p>	<p>▲ COURT USE ONLY ▲</p>
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<p>POSITION STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO, REGARDING THE RESUBMITTED REDISTRICTING PLAN</p>	

COMES NOW the Board of County Commissioners of Garfield County, Colorado, ("BOCC") by and through its attorneys, Garfield County Attorney Andrew C. Gorgey, and Assistant County Attorney Cassandra L. Coleman, and submits this Position Statement Regarding the Resubmitted Redistricting Plan ("Resubmitted Plan") submitted by the Colorado Reapportionment Commission to this Court on December 5, 2011.

POSITION STATEMENT

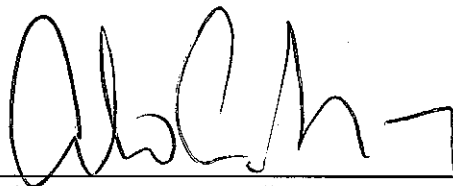
The Garfield County BOCC does not oppose the Resubmitted Plan. The Resubmitted Plan adequately addresses in full all issues the Garfield County BOCC raised in opposition to the Redistricting Plan, specifically the realignment of the boundary between House Districts 57 and 61 in Garfield County, Colorado. The Resubmitted Plan now proposes that all of Garfield County be contained within House District 57, in compliance with Article V, Section 47 of the Constitution of the State of Colorado and with C.R.S., §§ 1-5-101, 1-5-102 and 1-5-103 (2011).

The resubmitted Plan ensures all communities of interest within Garfield County remain intact and will elect a single representative. Additionally, all of Garfield County will now elect the same representative as Rio Blanco and Moffat counties. These three counties, and two others, collaborate through the Associated Governments of Northwest Colorado (AGNC), a regional council of governments.

The Resubmitted Plan appropriately maintains these counties within a single House District.

WHEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners of Garfield County, Colorado does not oppose the resubmitted Plan.

Respectfully submitted this 7th day of December, 2011,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 7th day of December, 2011, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing POSITION STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO, REGARDING THE RESUBMITTED REDISTRICTING PLAN, by depositing same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid to the following:

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