

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
SAN ANTONIO DIVISION

SHANNON PEREZ, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

STATE OF TEXAS, *et al.*,

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO.
SA-11-CA-360-OLG-JES-XR
[Lead Case]

MALC AND TEXAS LATINO REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE PLAINTFFS'

ADVISORY IN RESPONSE TO AUGUST 30, 2018 ORDER

On August 30, 2018 this Court directed the parties to “submit proposals” to the Court “no later than the 46th day of the 2019 regular session.” (Dkt. 1600). The Court directed the parties to submit remedial proposals “if no action is taken to introduce a redistricting bill within the first 45 days of the 2019 regular session.” *Id.* at 2.

The parties file this Advisory to notify the Court that a redistricting bill that includes changes to the boundaries of current HD90 was introduced on February 1, 2019 (HB 1282), but has not yet been referred to committee. The parties are advised that the last day for a bill to be reported out of committee is Monday, May 6, 2019 (119th day).

MALC and the Task Force Plaintiffs propose that the Court set a new schedule to accept remedial proposals for HD90 in light of these legislative developments. MALC and the Task Force Plaintiffs have an interest in any remedy considered by the Court for HD90. A MALC member represents HD90 in the Texas House of Representatives and MALC is concerned about any possible reduction in Latino voting strength in the district. Therefore, MALC and the Task Force

Plaintiffs propose Monday, May 6, 2019 as the new deadline by which the Court will accept parties' remedial proposals for HD90. However, MALC and the Task Force Plaintiffs are prepared to file remedial proposals earlier if the Court sets a different deadline, and can comply with an expedited deadline, should the Court so chose. MALC has been advised by the State that it will submit a proposal, regardless of the filing of HB 1282 by the 46th day of the Legislative Session.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 22nd day of February, 2019, I electronically filed the foregoing using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record who have registered with this Court's ECF system.

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