

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
SHELBY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

EDWARD FLYNN and)
FEATHERSTUN, GAUMER, STOCKS,)
FLYNN & ECK, LLP.)
)
Petitioners,)
vs.)
)
SHELBY COUNTY BOARD and)
ERICA FIRNHABER, SHELBY COUNTY TREASURER)
)
Defendants.)

Case Number: 2020-LM-22

F I L E D
JUN 15 2020
Susan Archer
Clerk of the Circuit Court, Fourth Judicial Court
Shelby County, IL

AFFIDAVIT AND REQUEST FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL

I, Erica Firnhaber, being first duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

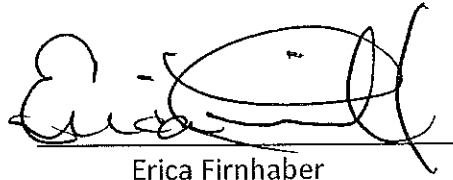
1. That I am the duly elected Treasurer of Shelby County, Illinois;
2. That I am being sued in my professional capacity, in Shelby County case 2020-MR-22, wherein Ed Flynn and the law firm of Featherstun, Gaumer, Stocks, Flynn, and Eck, LLP, is seeking to compel payment of certain legal fee incurred pursuant to a Shelby County Board Resolution;
3. That I have discussed this case, 2020-LM-22, and 2020-MR-35 with the Shelby County State's Attorney, Gina Vonderheide;
4. That, upon information and belief, the State's Attorney has chosen to represent the interests of the Shelby County Board and those interests in this case are in direct conflict with those of Shelby County Treasurer's Office;
5. That I have contacted the Piatt County State's Attorney's Office concerning this conflict and the Piatt County State's Attorney, Dana Rhoades, and Assistant State's Attorney, Elizabeth Dobson, are willing to accept representation of my interests and those of my office, if they are duly appointed by the Court.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request that the Piatt County State's Attorney's Office be appointed to represent me, in my official capacity, and the Shelby County Treasurer's Office in Shelby County cases 2020-LM-22 and, if needed, 2020-MR-35.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

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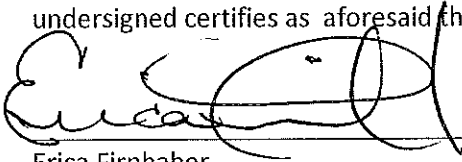
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Erica Firnhaber
Treasurer, Shelby County, IL

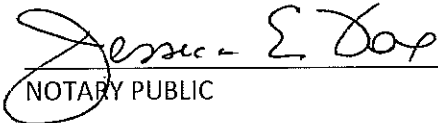
VERIFICATION

Under penalties as provided by law, pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the undersigned certifies that the statements set forth in this instrument are true and correct, except as to matters therein stated to be on information and belief, and as to such matters the undersigned certifies as aforesaid that she verily believes the same to be true.



Erica Firnhaber

DATE: June 15, 2020



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