

April 4, 2021

TO: Ashley Moody, Florida Attorney General
c/o Anita J. Patel
To the Board of Flagler County Commissioners,
County Attorney Albert J. 'Al' Hadeed
County Administrator Jerry Cameron
Charles Ericksen, Jr.
Florida Commission on Ethics
Department of Administrative Hearings

Kimberle B. Weeks-Former Flagler County Supervisor of Elections
3056 County Road 305
Bunnell, FL. 32110
Home phone: 386 437-2815
E-mail: weeks2815@aol.com
([Living on the west-side of the county internet in not reliable or always available](#))

To all parties concerned:

It is with a heavy heart and much consideration that I ask that you all accept my settlement offer to conclude this stressful litigation stemming from the Florida Commission on Ethics Complaints I filed as Supervisor of Elections, and agree to enter in to Voluntarily Dismissal with Prejudice and settle in perpetuity all pending and past Court Orders against me personally (and as a former elected official) in exchange for Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) settlement to cover court costs and fees. As you probably know, I have had extensive legal bills and expenses the past several years, including over \$20,000 stemming from filed Florida Ethics Complaints I filed as Supervisor of Elections. I do not have any savings to submit a check with this settlement request but if you accept my plea my husband and I will borrow the Twenty-Thousand \$20,000 and will do so as quickly as possible. I do need to ask if you accept this plea that you kindly allow 7-10 days for monies to be borrowed and payment submitted. If I can get the monies sooner than 10 days, I will certainly get the monies to you as quickly as possible. I will need instruction in advance as to whom it is required payment be made to dissolve these cases involving County Attorney Albert Hadeed and former County Commissioner Charles Ericksen Jr.

In filing the complaints, I meant no harm or malice towards Mr. Hadeed or Mr. Ericksen when filing the complaints, I simply was trying to do an honorable job as a public elected official, and I am sorry for any stress and emotional effects you have endured from these filings. It certainly has been an emotional torment to me going through this ordeal which has also been financially devastating. I just want this to end, not just for me, but for all others who have been unfortunately involved, including County Attorney Hadeed and former County Commissioner Ericksen. I am sorry that so many people were inconvenienced and so much time has been expended and for so long.

I therefore humbly request that the Attorney General and the Court will be gracious and extend the current hearing date set for the two pending Motions for Summary Judgment, scheduled for Thursday April 8, 2021 at the Leon County Courthouse, for Cases: 2019 CA-1417 and 2019 CA-1418 to no earlier than April 15, 2021 at which time I anticipate I will have the \$20,000 settlement delivered to whomever I am directed to in the hopes that the Attorney General and all parties agree. It is asked if you accept my plea, that you make contact with the Leon County, Florida Court and the Attorney General's Office to extend the scheduled hearing for April 8, 2021 to a date no earlier than April 15, 2021 to allow the requested time to raise the money and submit payment to settle these cases as described above.

My husband and I are very concerned that Summary Judgments can destroy one's credit and ability to borrow in cases of emergency as we grow older and are approaching retirement age, and we do have five grown children and grandchildren to consider as well. If I could turn back time I sincerely would. This is the very best I can offer to make this all go away forever for everyone involved. I thank you for every consideration and anxiously await to hear if the Attorney General will grant me these 10 extra days in the hopes of being able to enter a Voluntary Dismissal with Prejudice in lieu of two hearings on the Pending Motions for Summary Judgment.

I thank you for your time and consideration in this matter and anxiously await to hear a positive "Yes" Kimberle " we agree to grant your request for settlement upon receipt of \$20,000 and agree to your request for a 10 day extension for the scheduled hearings of April 8, 2021 on the Attorney General's Motions for Summary Judgment in the Leon County Circuit Court. I did what I believed was the right thing to do and right course of action when I was Supervisor of Elections but I never expected such an ensuing costly nightmare for all involved to go through, and I am sorry we have all had to experience this. I look forward to putting this behind us and moving forward having better tomorrow's.

Most sincerely and respectfully,

Kimberle B. Weeks