



Wisconsin Elections Commission

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Bobbi Birk-LaBarge
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Sent via email: bbirklabarge@kronenwetter.org

Re: Complaint EL 24–26, Ken Charneski v. Bobbie Birk-LaBarge

Dear Clerk Birk-LaBarge,

Attached to the email transmitting this letter, please find a sworn Wisconsin Statute § 5.06 complaint filed with the Wisconsin Elections Commission (Commission) by Ken Charneski. The complaint pertains to alleged violations of Wis. Stats. §§ 7.15(1) and 7.30, concerning appointment, staffing, removal, and replacement of election inspectors.

Individuals that believe the actions of an election official were contrary to an election law or were an abuse of discretion in applying an election law may file a complaint with the Commission. As the Respondent, you may now provide a sworn written response to the complaint within 13 business days of the date appearing on this letter, which would be **April 23, 2024**. Your response should address the allegations raised in the complaint.

After you file your response, the Complainant may file a reply within 13 business days of the date that the Commission transmits your response to the Complainant. Once all allowable filings have been received, Commission staff will review the information and draft a decision in consultation with the Commission Administrator. The Administrator will then consult with the Commission Chair and issue the decision after permitting Commission members an opportunity to provide any feedback or request a special meeting.

You may file your response via email addressed to brandon.hunzicker@wisconsin.gov and elections@wi.gov so long as it is clear that the original document has in fact been sworn before an individual that can administer oaths, like a notary public. You may also file the response via regular mail to the address listed in the header above. If you have any additional questions, please feel free to contact me at 608-267-0714.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brandon Hunzicker".

Brandon Hunzicker
Staff Attorney

Cc: Meagan Wolfe, Commission Administrator

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