/s/ Debra McLaughlin Circuit Court Judge Ref. Code: 19H3DL80 E-FILED | 11/12/2019 4:02 PM CC-19-2019-P-136 Jefferson County Circuit Clerk Laura Storm

## In the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, West Virginia

Nancy Singleton Case,	
Deborah A. McGee,	
Plaintiffs,	
vs.)	Case No. CC-19-2019-P-136
Corporation of Harpers Ferry,	
Harwick Smith Johnson,	
Charlotte Ward Thompson,	
Christian Pechuekonis,	
Marjorie Flinn Yost ET AL,	
Defendants )	

## **Order Scheduling Oral Arguments**

This matter came before the Court on November 12, 2019, upon the filing of a Motion for Stay filed by Respondents pending an appeal of this Court's Order Reversing the Decision of the Harpers Ferry Tribunal. The Court held a telephonic hearing at which Effie Kallas appeared on behalf of the Corporation of Harpers Ferry, Daniel Kirkland and Gregory Bailey appeared on behalf of Petitioners and Zak Ritchie appeared on behalf of Respondents.

As per Rules of Appellate procedure Rule 28, this Court finds that Petitioners should be given the opportunity to reply to the Motion for Stay prior to the Court's final decision. In addition, to the Motion for Stay, the Court will hear argument on whether the Court has jurisdiction over matters raised in Petitioner's Motion for Preliminary Injunction.

ACCORDINGLY, the Court does grant a temporary stay of its Order Reversing the Decision of the Harpers Ferry Tribunal pending oral argument on the Motion for Stay and any additional briefing.

ACCORDINGLY, the parties shall file any Memorandums of Law or any responsive pleadings no later than November 20, 2019.

The parties have requested oral argument on the Motion for Stay and possibly jurisdictional arguments related to the Motion for Preliminary Injunction.

ACCORDINGLY, this matter shall come on for oral arguments on November 22, 2019 at 2:30 p.m.

The clerk shall enter this order as of this date and ensure copies are provided to any pro se party.

<u>/s/ Debra McLaughlin</u> Circuit Court Judge 23rd Judicial Circuit

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