From: Robert S Bickerstaff Sent: Friday, August 02, 2013 9:14 AM To: Gutierrez, Jawana Subject: Letter from Department of Justice

Jawana:

Please advise the commissioners that on July 9 the Department of Justice indicated that in view of the Supreme Court ruling holding Section 4 of the Voting Rights Act unconstitutional, it would not be issuing a preclearance letter on the submission of Proposition 3 (change to single-member districts).

Steve