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The Honorable Kristen Clark
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Dear Assistant Attorney General Clarke,

Recently, U.S. Congressman Marc Veasey, Texas House of Representatives; Salman Bohani, Nicole Collier, Chris Turner, Ramon Ramero and Tarrant County Commissioners Roy Brooks and Alisa Simmons representing voters of Tarrant County Texas sent a [letter](#) of concern to your office regarding Tarrant County Judge Tim O'Hare and other Tarrant county officials' recent actions -- that would "*further diminish the voting rights [...] and undermine [communities of color] to freely and effectively participate in elections*".

On behalf of the Union members of the *Tarrant County Central Labor Council, TX AFL-CIO [TCCLC]* and the working families across North Texas, the TCCLC shares in the concern expressed by our Tarrant county elected representatives and fully support the request to have the United States Department of Justice review matters related to Tarrant county '*voter suppression, voter intimidation and voter harassment*' referenced in the letter forwarded to your office May 15, 2023.

The American Labor Movement and Unions are steeped in democracy; every union member knows the value of counting everyone's vote. Whether the elections are in the workplace or across our nation, Union members know that free and fair elections are imperative to a healthy democracy.

The Labor Movement stands in solidarity with any and all that stand on the side of justice, fairness, equality & free and fair elections. We look forward to hearing that every step that the U.S. Department of Justice can take to insure a free and fair election in Tarrant County Texas will be taken, and that each and every legal vote cast will be



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counted. Thank you for all you can do for working families across North Texas and the nation by protecting voting rights and democracy whenever it is threatened.

Sincerely,
In solidarity,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Golden".

Brian Golden
President
Tarrant County Central Labor Council
VP TX AFL-CIO District 8

Link to letter:

https://veasey.house.gov/sites/veasey.house.gov/files/wysiwyg_uploaded/FINAL_DOJ%20Lawsuit%20Texas%20SB%201_030122_0.pdf