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Counsel for Plaintiff,

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DENISE WILKERSON,

Plaintiff,

v.

REGINALD ATKINS, in his capacity as
Municipal Chair of the Roselle Democratic
Committee, NICHOLAS SCUTARI, in his
capacity as County Chair of the Union County
Democratic Committee, ROSELLE
DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE, DONALD
SHAW, AND JOANNE RAJOPPI, in her
capacity as Clerk of Union County,

Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: UNION COUNTY

DOCKET NO. UNN-L- 2882-20

CIVIL ACTION

ORDER

THIS MATTER having been opened to the Court upon the filing of a Verified Complaint and Order to Show Cause; and the Court having reviewed the papers submitted and having heard arguments of Counsel; and for good cause shown;

It is on this 11th day of September 2020

ORDERED that:

1. The statement of selection issued by the County Chair of the Union County Democratic Committee, Nicholas Scutari, and filed with the Union County Clerk, Joanne Rajoppi, on August 28, 2020 is invalid; and

2. ~~The Union County Clerk, Joanne Rajoppi, shall remove Donald Shaw's name from appearing in the Democratic column of the November 3, 2020 General Election ballot for the vacant seat for Mayor of the Borough of Roselle.~~
3. The Roselle Democratic Committee (RDC) shall convene on or before September 15, 2020 pursuant to the Municipal Vacancy Law to select a nominee for the vacant mayoral seat in connection with the upcoming November 3, 2020 General Election.
4. The procedures outlined in N.J.S.A. 19-13-20 shall be followed as well as the Bylaws of the RDC. This includes the use of a secret ballot.
5. Transmission of the Certification of Selection to the County Clerk for the County of Union shall be made no later than 10:00 a.m. on September 21, 2020;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be deemed served upon all counsel via upload to eCourts. ~~served upon all parties within three (3) days of Plaintiff's Counsel's receipt hereof.~~

/s/ Karen M. Cassidy

HON. KAREN M. CASSIDY, A.J.S.C.

Oral Argument and Reasons on the Record 9/11/2020

