

STATE OF COLORADO
SECRETARY OF STATE
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DENVER, COLORADO 80290

BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF STATE, COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICER

AHO Case No. 2025 AHO 37 CPF

ED Case No. 2025-98

In the Matter of

ELECTIONS DIVISION OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE,

Complainant,

vs.

MESA COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN,

Respondent.

MOTION TO STAY

The parties have reached an agreement in principle to resolve the allegations in the Division's administrative complaint in this matter and are in the process of finalizing their agreement and submitting that agreement to the Deputy Secretary of State for his approval.

Because the parties anticipate that the settlement agreement will resolve this matter in full, the Division respectfully requests that the Hearing Officer stay proceedings in this matter pending finalization of the Settlement Agreement. Once the agreement is approved, the Division will move to dismiss this proceeding. In the event the parties are unable to finalize their agreement, the Division will move to lift the stay.

Respectfully submitted this 16th day of February, 2026

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I will cause the foregoing to be served this 16th day of February, 2026, by email and/or U.S. mail, addressed as follows:

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