

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION**

MISSOURI STATE CONFERENCE OF )  
THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR )  
THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED )  
PEOPLE, et al., )

Plaintiffs, )

vs. )

Cause No. 4:14 CV 2077 RWS

FERGUSON-FLORISSANT SCHOOL )  
DISTRICT, et al., )

Defendants. )

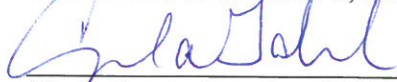
**DEFENDANT FERGUSON-FLORISSANT SCHOOL DISTRICT'S MOTION FOR  
SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 56(c) and Local Rule 7-4.01(E), Defendant Ferguson Florissant School Board submits its Motion for Summary Judgment on Plaintiffs' Petition. The reasons in support of this Motion are set forth in full in the accompanying memorandum.

Wherefore, Defendant Ferguson Florissant School Board, by counsel, respectfully requests the Court grant its Motion for Summary Judgment and enter an Order dismissing Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, and granting the Ferguson Florissant School Board any further legal or equitable relief that the Court deems appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that he is a person of such age and discretion as to be competent to serve papers. It is further certified that on September 30, 2015, the undersigned electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to the following CM/ECF participant(s):

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