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League of Women Voters of Michigan statement on Supreme Court ruling on gerrymandering case

LANSING – The following statement can be attributed to Judy Karandjeff, president of the League of Women Voters of Michigan.

“Today’s U.S. Supreme Court decision is disappointing and will allow those who rigged Michigan’s elections based on partisanship off the hook in federal courts. However, with the new independent redistricting proposal in Michigan that the majority of voters supported in 2018, we look forward to a new system being used in 2021 to draw districts for the next decade.

The League is very proud of the work done by our league members, expert witnesses and our lawyers in our case and the unanimous victory we had in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan. The information we discovered about the extent of gerrymandering done in Michigan shows the abuse of power in the process.

We look forward to educating voters on the importance of applying for the new redistricting commission. The League of Women Voters shined a light on how egregious the gerrymanders in our congressional and legislative districts are and we will continue fighting until every vote counts.”