UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

JOHN K. MACIVER INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC POLICY and WILLIAM OSMULSKI,

No. 3:19-cv-00649-SLC

Plaintiffs,

v.

TONY EVERS, in his official capacity as Governor of the State of Wisconsin,

Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT OF BRETT HEALY

- 1. I am president of the John K. MacIver Institute for Public Policy, and have been since April 2009.
- 2. The MacIver Institute is a 501(c)(3) nonpartisan, nonprofit organization based in Madison, Wisconsin.
- 3. The Institute distills its mission into the phrase: "the Free Market Voice for Wisconsin. More formally, the John K. MacIver Institute for Public Policy is a Wisconsin-based think tank that promotes free markets, individual freedom, personal responsibility and limited government.

- 4. In order to achieve our mission, the Institute undertakes several lines of work. Its MacIver News Service investigates and reports on what is happening in state and local institutions of government across Wisconsin. The Institute also produces real-time research and analysis on the pressing issues of the day. Both the Institute overall and the News Service specifically work to make government more transparent for the taxpayers.
- 5. None of MacIver's employees are registered to lobby on any pending rules or legislation.
- 6. In 2018, the MacIver Institute won a bronze award in the "Excellence in Journalism" competition from the Milwaukee Press Club for their long-form, hard-news reporting.
- 7. MacIver is credentialed by the Wisconsin State Legislature to cover its activities.
- 8. Neither our news director, William Osmulski, nor any other past or current MacIver journalist has ever been ejected from a press conference for being disruptive or disrespectful.

Pursuant to 28 U.S. Code § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on August ______, 2019.

Brett Healy, Affiant