

**BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO
AS THE DULY CONSTITUTED ELECTORAL BOARD**

Objections of: MARY T. WALTER)
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To the Nomination) No. 08-EB-WC-14
Papers of: PAUL F. MAYERS)
) (Rel. case 08-EB-WC-13
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Candidate for the office of Ward)
Committeeman for the 13th Ward of the)
City of Chicago, Green Party)

FINDINGS AND DECISION

The duly constituted Electoral Board, consisting of Chicago Board of Election Commissioners Langdon D. Neal, Richard A. Cowen, and Marisel A. Hernandez, organized by law in response to a Call issued by Langdon D. Neal, Chairman of said Electoral Board, for the purpose of hearing and passing upon objections ("Objections") of MARY T. WALTER ("Objector") to the nomination papers ("Nomination Papers") of PAUL F. MAYERS, candidate for the office of Ward Committeeman for the 13th Ward of the City of Chicago, Green Party ("Candidate"), having convened on November 26, 2007, at 10:00 a.m., at 69 W. Washington Street, 8th Floor Conference Room, Chicago, Illinois, and having heard and determined the Objections to the Nomination Papers in the above-entitled matter, finds that:

1. Objections to the Nomination Papers of the Candidate herein were duly and timely filed.
2. The said Electoral Board has been legally constituted according to the laws of the State of Illinois.

3. A Call to the hearing on said Objections was duly issued by the Chairman of the Electoral Board and served upon the members of the Electoral Board, the Objector and the Candidate, by registered or certified mail and by Sheriff's service, as provided by statute.

4. A public hearing held on these Objections commenced on November 26, 2007 and was continued from time to time.

5. The Electoral Board assigned this matter to Hearing Examiner Christopher J. Agrella for further hearings and proceedings.

6. The Objector and the Candidate were directed by the Electoral Board to appear before the Hearing Examiner for a hearing on the date and at the time designated on the Electoral Board's docket. The following persons, among others, were present at such hearing: the Objector, MARY T. WALTER, appearing by counsel, Andrew Finko; and the Candidate, PAUL F. MAYERS, appearing pro se.

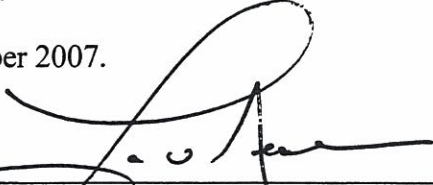
7. The Electoral Board finds there were additional objections filed against the Candidate's Nomination Papers in case number 08-EB-WC-13 and that the Electoral Board sustained the objections in that case, rendering the Candidate's Nomination Papers invalid.

8. The Electoral Board finds that as a result of the decision of the Electoral Board in case 08-EB-WC-13 finding the Candidate's Nomination Papers invalid, the objections in this cause are moot.

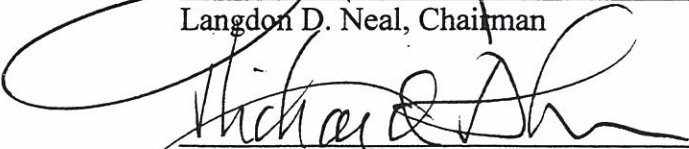
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, that the Objections of MARY T. WALTER to the Nomination papers of PAUL F. MAYERS, candidate for the election to the office of Ward Committeeman for the 13th Ward of the City of Chicago, Green Party are MOOT

and said Nomination Papers having been declared INVALID, the name of PAUL F. MAYERS, candidate for election to the office of Ward Committeeman for the 13th Ward of the City of Chicago, Green Party, SHALL NOT be printed on the official ballot for the General Primary Election to be held on February 5, 2008.

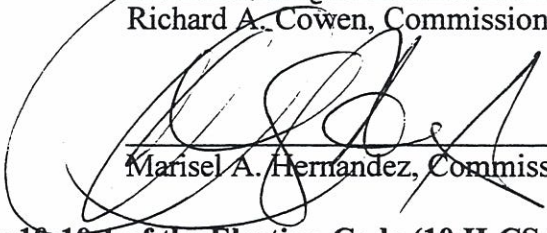
Dated: Chicago, Illinois, this 7th day of December 2007.



Langdon D. Neal, Chairman



Richard A. Cowen, Commissioner



Marisel A. Hernandez, Commissioner

NOTICE: Pursuant to Section 10-10.1 of the Election Code (10 ILCS 5/10-10.1) a party aggrieved of this decision and seeking judicial review of this decision must file a petition for judicial review with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County within 10 days after the decision of the Electoral Board.