

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH DAKOTA
WESTERN DIVISION


ROSEBUD SIOUX TRIBE *et al.*,)
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 Plaintiffs,)
) CIV: 5:20-CV-05058-LLP
 v.)
)
 STEVE BARNETT *et al.*,)
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 Defendants.)
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JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND SETTLEMENT DEADLINE

Plaintiffs Rosebud Sioux Tribe *et al.* and Defendants Steve Barnett *et al.* (collectively, the “Parties”) jointly move the Court to extend the settlement deadline in this matter by seven days from Tuesday, June 28, 2022, to Tuesday, July 5, 2022. Under Local Rule 68.1, “[t]he deadline for settling civil cases is 14 calendar days prior to the date set for trial, unless otherwise ordered by the court.” D.S.D. L.R. 68.1. As the Parties informed the Court during the June 21, 2022, pretrial conference, the Parties are currently engaged in advanced settlement negotiations before trial. While the Parties have not reached a settlement at this time, they agree that the requested extension would allow them to continue negotiations and determine whether a settlement can be achieved before the trial set to begin on July 12, 2022. With the Court’s leave, the Parties may, on or before the requested settlement deadline, seek to stay or continue the trial date to allow the Parties time to finalize any settlement, if any.

Based on the foregoing, the Parties respectfully request that the Court extend the settlement deadline from June 28, 2022, to July 5, 2022.

DATED: June 27, 2022




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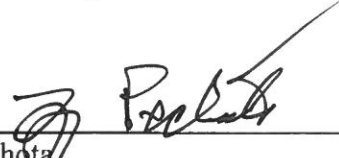
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 28th day of June, 2022, I filed the foregoing Joint Motion to Extend Settlement Deadline with the Court's CM/ECF system, which provided notice of this filing by email to all counsel of record.



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