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7 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
 8 **FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

9 CALIFORNIA SPORTFISHING  
 10 PROTECTION ALLIANCE,  
 11 Plaintiff,

Case No. 2:10-CV-03203-LKK-KJM

**JOINT STIPULATION TO FILE  
 RESPONSIVE PLEADING BY AUGUST  
 12, 2011 AND CONTINUE STATUS  
 CONFERENCE**

12 vs.

13 BUTTE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF  
 PUBLIC WORKS, et al.,  
 14 Defendants.  
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Judge: Hon. Lawrence K. Karlton

16 The parties to the above-entitled action hereby stipulate that good cause exists to continue  
 17 the Status Conference currently scheduled for August 29, 2011 at 2:00 p.m., and extend the due  
 18 date for Defendants to file a responsive pleading. The parties are actively engage in settlement  
 19 discussions, have completed an informal settlement-protected site inspection, have exchanged  
 20 meaningful settlement offers and are currently finalizing a settlement agreement. The parties are  
 21 continuing to make progress and request this additional time with the intention of resolving the  
 22 remaining differences.

23 Pursuant to Local Rule 143(b), the parties present the following stipulation for consideration by the  
 24 court.

25 The Complaint in this action was filed on November 30, 2010. The parties previously  
 26 stipulated that the undersigned counsel for Defendants accepted services for all defendants, with  
 27 such service deemed effective March 25, 2011. The parties previously stipulated that Defendants'  
 28 responsive pleading was to be filed on or before April 15, 2011. On April 13, 2011, the parties  
 further stipulated that Defendants' responsive pleading was to be filed on or before May 30, 2011.

1 On May 27, 2011, the parties further stipulated that Defendants' responsive pleading was to be  
2 filed on or before July 14, 2011.

3 Counsel for Plaintiff and Defendants are presently discussing settlement terms and have  
4 made further progress towards resolving this case without further judicial involvement. Thus the  
5 parties stipulate to extending the due date of Defendants' responsive pleading to August 12, 2011.  
6 The parties respectfully request that the due date for the Defendants' responsive pleading be  
7 extended to August 12, 2011. The parties also stipulate to extending the date of the Status (Pretrial  
8 Scheduling) Conference and the Status Report due fourteen days prior to such Status Conference.  
9 By order of the Court, a Status Conference is currently set for August 29, 2011 at 2 p.m. The  
10 parties would prefer to focus their resources on resolving this case. As such, the parties  
11 respectfully request that the August 29, 2011 Status (Pretrial Scheduling) Conference be continued  
12 until a date no sooner than fourteen (14) days from the time Defendants have filed their responsive  
13 pleading.

14 The parties respectfully request that the Court grant this stipulation and sign the order below  
15 reflecting these new dates.

16 SO STIPULATED.

17 Respectfully submitted,

19 DATED: July 14, 2011

BRUCE S. ALPERT  
County Counsel

21 /s/ Kathleen Kehoe Greeson  
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Attorney for Defendants  
BUTTE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC WORKS, MIKE CRUMP, AND  
SHAWN H. O'BRIEN

25 DATED: July 14, 2011

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26 /s/ Robert J. Tuerck  
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Attorney for Plaintiff  
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**ORDER**

Based upon the foregoing Stipulation and good cause appearing therefore:

1. Defendants shall file a responsive pleading on or before August 12, 2011;
2. The Status (Pretrial Scheduling) Conference currently set for August 29, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. shall be continued until September 12, 2011 at 3:30 p.m.; and
3. The parties shall file a Joint Status Report with the court no later than fourteen (14) days preceding the Status Conference.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: July 18, 2011.

  
LAWRENCE K. KARLTON  
SENIOR JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT