

1 cognizable claim against these defendants. Accordingly, plaintiff's complaint will be dismissed
2 with leave to file an amended complaint within thirty days.

3 If plaintiff chooses to amend the complaint, plaintiff must demonstrate how the conditions
4 complained of have resulted in a deprivation of plaintiff's constitutional rights. See Ellis v.
5 Cassidy, 625 F.2d 227 (9th Cir. 1980). Plaintiff must identify each defendant in the caption of the
6 complaint. *See Fed. R. Civ. P. 10(a)*. Also, the complaint must allege in specific terms how each
7 named defendant is involved. There can be no liability under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 unless there is
8 some affirmative link or connection between a defendant's actions and the claimed deprivation.
9 Rizzo v. Goode, 423 U.S. 362 (1976); May v. Enomoto, 633 F.2d 164, 167 (9th Cir. 1980);
10 Johnson v. Duffy, 588 F.2d 740, 743 (9th Cir. 1978). Furthermore, vague and conclusory
11 allegations of official participation in civil rights violations are not sufficient. Ivey v. Board of
12 Regents, 673 F.2d 266, 268 (9th Cir. 1982).

13 In addition, plaintiff is informed that the court cannot refer to a prior pleading in order to
14 make plaintiff's amended complaint complete. Local Rule 220 requires that an amended
15 complaint be complete in itself without reference to any prior pleading. This is because, as a
16 general rule, an amended complaint supersedes the original complaint. See Loux v. Rhay, 375
17 F.2d 55, 57 (9th Cir. 1967). Once plaintiff files an amended complaint, the original pleading no
18 longer serves any function in the case. Therefore, in an amended complaint, as in an original
19 complaint, each claim and the involvement of each defendant must be sufficiently alleged.

20 Nothing in the objections suggests amendment would cure the defects identified by the
21 magistrate judge with respect to the municipal defendants. Accordingly, those defendants will be
22 dismissed.

23 In accordance with the above, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 24 1. The findings and recommendations filed October 28, 2014, are adopted in part;
- 25 2. Defendants Monroe/Lienberger Detention Centers and City of Woodland are
26 dismissed;
- 27 3. Plaintiff's complaint is dismissed with leave to file an amended complaint as allowed
28 above within thirty days; and

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4. The Clerk of the Court is directed to send plaintiff the court's form civil rights complaint and accompanying instructions.

DATED: April 7, 2015.


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE