1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 FLOYD EUGENE BENDER, No. 2:16-cv-2253-EFB P 12 Plaintiff, 13 v. **ORDER** 14 SHAZZARD, et al., 15 Defendants. 16 17 Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding without counsel in an action brought under 42 18 U.S.C. § 1983. This proceeding was referred to this court by Local Rule 302 pursuant to 28 19 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and is before the undersigned pursuant to plaintiff's consent. See 28 U.S.C. 20 § 636; see also E.D. Cal. Local Rules, Appx. A, at (k)(4). 21 On August 3, 2017, the court screened plaintiff's complaint pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 22 § 1915A. The court dismissed the complaint, explained the deficiencies therein and granted 23 plaintiff thirty days in which file an amended complaint to cure the deficiencies. ECF No. 9. The 24 order warned plaintiff that failure to comply would result in this action being dismissed for failure 25 to prosecute and failure to state a claim. The time for acting has passed and plaintiff has not filed 26 an amended complaint, or otherwise responded to the court's order. 27 ///// 28 ///// 1

A party's failure to comply with any order or with the Local Rules "may be grounds for imposition by the Court of any and all sanctions authorized by statute or Rule or within the inherent power of the Court." E.D. Cal. Local Rule 110. The court may dismiss an action with or without prejudice, as appropriate, if a party disobeys an order or the Local Rules. See Ferdik v. Bonzelet, 963 F.2d 1258, 1263 (9th Cir. 1992) (district court did not abuse discretion in dismissing pro se plaintiff's complaint for failing to obey an order to re-file an amended complaint to comply with Federal Rules of Civil Procedure); Carey v. King, 856 F.2d 1439, 1440-41 (9th Cir. 1988) (dismissal for pro se plaintiff's failure to comply with local rule regarding notice of change of address affirmed). Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that this action is DISMISSED without prejudice. Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b); 28 U.S.C. § 1915A; E. D. Cal. Local Rule 110. Dated: September 12, 2017. EDMUND F. BRENNAN UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE