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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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 20 MARY RUTH SCOTT, KAREN  
 21 LATREECE COLEMAN, PRISCILLA  
 22 BUNTON, and ALYCE DENISE PAYNE,  
 on behalf of themselves and all others  
 similarly situated,

23 Plaintiffs,

24 v.

25 CITY OF ANTIOCH,

26 Defendant.

No. C-08-2301 SBA (EDL)

**SUPPLEMENTAL JOINT REQUEST AND  
 ORDER TO MODIFY CASE DEADLINES**

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1 The Court recently denied the parties' joint request to modify deadlines and referred the  
2 matter to Magistrate Judge Corley. Following a conference call with Judge Corley, and at her  
3 suggestion, the parties submit this renewed, but more detailed, request for a modification of  
4 existing pre-trial and trial deadlines.

5 The parties have been engaged in serious settlement negotiations since May 2011.  
6 Substantial progress was made by late July, but two factors arose which delayed completion of  
7 negotiations. First, completion of those negotiations requires the involvement of a governmental  
8 entity that will not reconvene until mid-September. Second, the principal negotiators for each  
9 side had long-standing vacation schedules that made them unavailable for most of August and  
10 the first half of September. Facing an October 1 discovery deadline, plaintiffs' counsel asked, as  
11 a condition for further settlement negotiations, for a stipulated continuance so that if settlement  
12 negotiations were not successful the plaintiffs were not left in the lurch. Plaintiffs indicated that  
13 they have a number of additional depositions, and substantial document discovery to complete,  
14 plus expert witness reports, all currently due October 1. In addition, plaintiffs have additional  
15 witnesses that will be disclosed whom defendant wishes to depose. The cost of this discovery  
16 would be very substantial, and would divert the parties from constructive settlement discussions.

17 Defendant's principal counsel, James Fitzgerald, does not return from his overseas  
18 vacation until September 17, 2011. The parties' counsel have scheduled a face to face meeting  
19 on September 21 to discuss remaining settlement issues. In addition, former Magistrate Judge  
20 Larson, who held two settlement conferences in this case, has agreed to convene a settlement  
21 conference, if necessary, on September 29, 2011.

22 To avoid wasting time and money on what may be unnecessary litigation, the parties  
23 request a 60-day extension of the existing case deadlines. The current deadlines (and proposed  
24 modifications) are set forth below.

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	<b>Current</b>	<b>Proposed</b>
26 Discovery Cut Off	October 3, 2011	December 5, 2011

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1	Parties to Name Experts	October 3, 2011	December 5, 2011
2	Expert Discovery Cut Off	December 5, 2011	February 6, 2012
3	All Dispositive Motions to Be Heard	December 13, 2011	February 13, 2012
4	Pre-Trial Papers Due	January 17, 2012	March 19, 2012
5	Motions in Limine Due	January 24, 2012	March 26, 2012
6	Responses to Motions in Limine	January 31, 2012	April 2, 2012
7	Pre-Trial Conference	February 14, 2012	April 17, 2012
8	Trial Date	February 27, 2012	To Be Set by Court
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DATED: September 9, 2011, 2011

By: \_\_\_\_\_ /s/  
Brad Seligman  
Attorneys for Plaintiffs and the Proposed Class

DATED: September 9, 2011

By: \_\_\_\_\_ /s/  
Thomas Beatty  
Attorneys for Defendant

1 GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, IT IS ORDERED THAT THE CASE DEADLINES ARE  
2 MODIFIED AS FOLLOWS.

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	Current	New	
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5	Discovery Cut Off	October 3, 2011	December 5, 2011
6	Parties to Name Experts	October 3, 2011	December 5, 2011
7	Expert Discovery Cut Off	December 5, 2011	February 6, 2012
8	All Dispositive Motions to Be Heard	December 13, 2011	February 14, 2012
9	Pre-Trial Papers Due	January 17, 2012	March 20, 2012
10	Motions in Limine Due	January 24, 2012	March 27, 2012
11	Responses to Motions in Limine	January 31, 2012	April 3, 2012
12	Replies in Support of Motions in Limine	February 7, 2012	April 10, 2012
13	Pre-Trial Conference	February 14, 2012	April 24, 2012 at 1:00 p.m.
14	Trial Date	February 27, 2012	May 7, 2012 at 8:30 a.m.
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17 Good cause appearing, IT IS SO ORDERED.

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19 DATED: 9/15/11

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Hon. Sandra Brown Armstrong  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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