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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO Chief Judge Wiley Y. Daniel

Civil Action No. 07-cv-01522-WYD-MEH

BARBARA GREEN, individually and on behalf of all heirs as the surviving spouse of WILLIS C. GREEN, decedent; STEPHANIE GREEN, individually; and RANDY GREEN, individually,

Plaintiffs.

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JONATHAN S. POST and PUEBLO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT,

Defendants.

## ORDER

THIS MATTER is before the Court in connection with the opinion of the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit of August 7, 2009. That opinion reversed my Order of March 14, 2008, denying Defendants' motion for summary judgment on three § 1983 claims based on qualified immunity and remanded the case to this Court for further proceedings in accordance with the opinion. Judgment was entered on August 7, 2009. The mandate was issued by the Tenth Circuit on September 1, 2009. Thus, this matter is now before this Court on remand.

Based on my review of the Tenth Circuit's opinion, the record needs to be amended in this Court to reflect the Tenth Circuit's ruling as to portions of Defendants' Motion to Dismiss Fourth, Fifth, Seventh, Eighth, and Ninth Claims for Relief (which was converted to a Motion for Summary Judgment). As to that motion, Plaintiff voluntarily

withdrew the fourth and fifth claims, and those claims have been dismissed and are not

at issue. Further, I granted summary judgment on the claims against the County of

Pueblo and that is also not at issue. However, as to the § 1983 claims against the

remaining Defendants (the seventh, eighth and ninth claims), my Order of March 14,

2008 denying summary judgment was reversed by the Tenth Circuit. Thus, the record

shall be amended to reflect that Defendants' motion to dismiss, converted to a motion

for summary judgment, is now granted as to the seventh, eighth and ninth claims.

Based on the foregoing, the only remaining claims in this case appear to be the

first, second, third, and sixth claims, all of which are state claims. As to those claims,

the parties shall provide a status report regarding the claims and what action needs to

be taken by the Court. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that in accord with the Tenth Circuit's opinion, Defendants' Motion for

Summary Judgment is now granted as to the seventh, eighth and ninth claims on the

grounds of qualified immunity, and those claims are **DISMISSED**. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that as to the remaining claims, the parties shall file a

status report by Tuesday, September 15, 2009.

Dated: September 4, 2009

BY THE COURT:

s/ Wiley Y. Daniel

Wiley Y. Daniel

Chief United States District Judge

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