IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO U.S. Magistrate Judge Gordon P. Gallagher

Civil Action No. 13-cv-02542-REB-GPG

JULIE MILLS, D.O., Plaintiff.

V.

COLORADO WEST HEALTHCARE SYSTEM, Defendant.

ORDER SETTING SCHEDULING/PLANNING CONFERENCE

The above captioned case has been referred to U.S. Magistrate Judge Gordon P. Gallagher pursuant to the Order of Reference to United States Magistrate Judge, entered by U.S. District Judge Robert E. Blackburn on November 19, 2013.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a Scheduling/Planning Conference pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P.16(b) shall be held on:

January 7, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. in Courtroom 323; Third Floor, Wayne Aspinall U.S. Federal Bldg, 400 Rood Avenue, Grand Junction, CO 81501

Absent exceptional circumstances, no request for rescheduling any appearance in this court will be entertained <u>unless a written request is made FIVE</u> (5) business days in advance of the date of appearance.

IT IS ORDERED that counsel/pro se parties in this case shall hold a prescheduling conference meeting and prepare a proposed Scheduling Order in accordance with Fed.R.Civ.P.26(f) as amended, and D.C.COLO.LCivR 26.1 **no later than twenty one (21) days** prior to the conference. Pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P.26(d), as amended, no discovery shall be sought until after the pre-scheduling conference meeting.

No later than seven (7) days prior to the Scheduling/Planning Conference, counsel/pro se parties shall submit their proposed Scheduling Order (in PDF) in compliance with the ECF Filing Procedures. An additional copy shall be provided to chambers by e-mail with the subject line "Proposed Scheduling Order" and case number (in Word format) to: Gallagher_Chambers@cod.uscourts.gov. In addition, on or before 14 days after the pre-scheduling conference meeting, the parties shall comply with the mandatory disclosure requirements of Fed.R.Civ.P.26(a)(1), as amended.

Counsel/pro se parties shall prepare the proposed Scheduling Order in accordance with the form which may be downloaded in richtext format from the forms section of the Court's website at www.cod.uscourts.gov/Forms.aspx. Instructions for downloading the formats are posted in the forms section of the website. (Parties who are *pro se* or do not have access to the internet may obtain the scheduling order form and instructions from the Clerk's Office in Alfred A. Arraj U.S. Courthouse, 901 19th Street, Room A-105, Denver, Colorado. (The Clerk's Office telephone number is (303) 844-3433.)) Scheduling Orders prepared by parties not represented by counsel, or without access to ECF, shall be submitted on paper.

All out-of-state counsel shall comply with D.C.COLO.LCivR 83.3 prior to the Scheduling/Planning Conference.

It is the responsibility of counsel to notice the court of their entry of appearance, notice of withdrawal, notice of substitution of counsel, or notice of change of counsel's address, e-mail address, or telephone number by complying with the ECF Procedures and, filing the appropriate document with the court.

Please remember that **everyone** seeking entry into the Wayne Aspinall United States Federal Building will be required to show valid photo identification. Failure to comply with this requirement will result in denial of entry into the Courtroom.

DONE AND SIGNED THIS 3rd DAY OF DECEMBER, 2013.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Gordon P. Gallagher

Gordon P. Gallagher United States Magistrate Judge