

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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Mark A. St. Amand,

Case No. 2:20-cv-01666-JCM-DJA

Plaintiff,

## Order

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James River Insurance Company; et al.,

## Defendants.

Before the Court is a joint motion to stay discovery deadlines pending the outcome of a mediation. (ECF No. 47). The Court finds that a stay of discovery is appropriate in this case. *See Kor Media Group, LLC v. Green*, 294 F.R.D. 579, 581 (D. Nev. 2013) (discussing a stay of discovery pending a dispositive motion and explaining that, absent extraordinary circumstances, litigation should not be delayed simply because a non-frivolous motion has been filed). Here, extraordinary circumstances are present. The parties do not seek to stay discovery pending a dispositive motion but seek to stay discovery deadlines pending a mediation which could resolve or narrow the issues. A stay would thus accomplish the objectives of Rule 1: a just, speedy, and inexpensive determination of the action. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 1.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the stipulation to stay discovery (ECF No. 47) is granted.

DATED: September 15, 2022

DANIEL J. ALBREGTS  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE