

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
CHARLOTTE DIVISION  
3:13CV684-MOC-DSC**

<b>JAMES T. STROUD,</b>	)
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<b>Plaintiff,</b>	)
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<b>v.</b>	)
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<b>GASTON COUNTY, et. al.,</b>	)
	)
<b>Defendants.</b>	)
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**ORDER**

**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on “Plaintiff’s Response ... to ... April 3, 2014 Order” (document #10). Plaintiff seeks a thirty-day extension of time in which to respond to the “12(b) Motions to Dismiss of Gaston County ...” (document #7) filed on April 3, 2014.

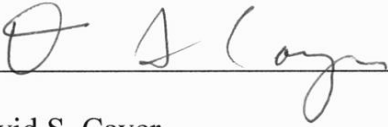
In accordance with Roseboro v. Garrison, 528 F.2d 309 (4th Cir. 1975), the Court advises Plaintiff, who is proceeding pro se, that he has a right to respond to Defendants’ Motion. The Court also advises Plaintiff that failure to respond may result in Defendants being granted the relief they seek, that is, the **DISMISSAL OF THE COMPLAINT WITH PREJUDICE**.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Plaintiff is allowed until June 2, 2014 to respond to Defendants’ “Motion to Dismiss” (document #7). Plaintiff is cautioned that there will be no further extensions of this deadline absent exceptional circumstances.

To the extent that “Plaintiff’s Response ... to April 3, 2014 Order” (document #10) seeks early discovery or any other relief, it is **DENIED**.

**SO ORDERED.**

Signed: April 22, 2014



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David S. Cayer  
United States Magistrate Judge

