IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

MEDFORD DIVISION

LAWRENCE LEE ELMORE,

Plaintiff,

No. 1:12-cv-1332-CL

v.

JACKSON COUNTY, et al.

ORDER

Defendants.

PANNER, District Judge:

Magistrate Judge Mark D. Clarke filed a Report and Recommendation, and the matter is now before this court. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B), Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b). Although no objections have been filed, this court reviews legal principles *de novo*. <u>See Lorin Corp. v Goto & Co., Ltd.</u>, 700 F.2d 1202, 1206 (8th Cir. 1983).

I agree with Magistrate Judge Clarke that plaintiff's claims must be dismissed as barred by the statute of limitations, and

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that plaintiff should be given leave to file an amended complaint asserting a claim for malicious prosecution. Accordingly, I ADOPT the Report and Recommendation of Magistrate Judge Clarke.

CONCLUSION

Magistrate Judge Clarke's Report and Recommendation (#27) is adopted. Defendants' motion to dismiss (#13) and plaintiff's motion for reconsideration (#25) are granted. Plaintiff may file an amended complaint within thirty days.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 21 day of March, 2013.

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OWEN M. PANNER U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE

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