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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
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10 AUTUMN RIDGE WEST LTD, LLLP,
11 Plaintiff,

2:15-cv-00313-SAB

12 v.

13 STATE FARM FIRE AND CASUALTY
14 COMPANY,
15 Defendant.

**ORDER GRANTING
DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO
COMPEL AND DENYING
PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR
PROTECTIVE ORDER**

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18 Before the Court is Defendant's Motion to Compel Discovery, ECF No. 30,
19 and Plaintiff's Motion for Protective Order, ECF No. 34. The Court heard the
20 matter in an expedited fashion on October 5, 2016. This Order memorializes the
21 Court's oral ruling.

22 Defendant seeks discovery responses to Defendant's Second Interrogatories
23 Nos. 6-7 and Requests for Production Nos. 4-6, and requests to inspect and
24 photograph the Autumn Ridge Apartments pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 34. ECF
25 No. 30. Defendants' requests, it contends, relate to its affirmative defenses,
26 counterclaims, and defense against Plaintiff's causes of action. Defendant
27 specifically seeks discovery in preparation for the deposition of Daniel Harvey.
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1 Conversely, Plaintiff filed a motion for protective order to deny the
2 deposition of Daniel Harvey, the Autumn Ridge employee responsible for re-
3 roofing the Autumn Ridge Apartments. ECF No. 34. The Autumn Ridge
4 Apartments are the subject matter of this insurance dispute. The Court finds good
5 reason to **GRANT** Defendant's Motion to Compel Discovery Responses, ECF No.
6 30, and **DENY** Plaintiff's Motion for Protective Order, ECF No. 34.

7 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

8 1. Defendant's Motion to Compel Discovery Responses, ECF No. 30, is
9 **GRANTED.**

10 2. Autumn Ridge Ltd. LLLP **shall** immediately produce the records
11 requested by Plaintiffs' motion, allow the deposition of Daniel Harvey,
12 and allow Defendant to inspect and photograph Autumn Ridge
13 Apartments pursuant to CR 34.

14 3. Plaintiff's Motion for Protective Order, ECF No. 34, is **DENIED.**

15 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Executive is hereby directed to
16 enter this Order and provide copies to counsel.

17 **DATED** this 7th day of October, 2016.



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23 Stanley A. Bastian
24 United States District Judge