

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

Margaret Thomas, as special administrator of	)	
the Estate of Nephus Thomas,	)	
	)	Case No. 19 CV 133
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
-vs-	)	Honorable Rebecca R. Pallmeyer
	)	
City of Chicago, Ronald Watts, Phillip Cline,	)	
Debra Kirby, Brian Bolton, Robert Gonzalez,	)	
Alvin Jones, Manuel Leano, Lamonica Lewis,	)	
Kallatt Mohammed, Douglas Nichols Jr.,	)	
Elsworth Smith Jr., and Officer L. Smith,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

MOTION TO WITHDRAW THE APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL

Pursuant to Local District court Rule 83.17, the Individual Defendants represented by Hale & Monico LLC (“Hale & Monico”) respectfully move for leave to withdraw the appearance of William E. Bazarek as counsel and state in support of this motion as follows:

1. Mr. Bazarek is no longer employed by Hale & Monico, as he is now employed at another law firm. Consequently, he will no longer be representing the Individual Defendants in this matter.

2. Other attorneys from the firm of Hale & Monico have appeared and will continue to represent the Individual Defendants represented by the Hale & Monico.

WHEREFORE, the Individual Defendants represented by Hale & Monico respectfully request that this Court grant leave to withdraw the appearance of William E. Bazarek as counsel in this matter, and that electronic notifications to him be terminated.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Kelly M. Olivier

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Kelly M. Olivier, an attorney, hereby certify that on March 11, 2025, I electronically filed the foregoing, **Motion to Withdraw the Appearance of Counsel**, with the Court's CM/ECF system, which simultaneously sent an electronic copy of the same to all Counsel of Record.

/s/ Kelly M. Olivier
