

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

Margaret Thomas, as special)	
administrator for Nephus Thomas,)	
deceased,)	
)	
<i>Plaintiff</i>)	19-cv-133
)	
<i>-vs-</i>)	<i>(Judge Pallmeyer)</i>
)	
City of Chicago, et al.,)	
)	
<i>Defendants</i>)	

JOINT STATUS REPORT

The parties, by counsel, submit this joint status report pursuant to the Court's Order of April 8, 2025:

Defendants took the deposition of a non-party witness, Jordan Key, on June 12, 2025. The parties have postponed the other depositions to focus on settlement negotiations.

The parties are communicating about settlement of various cases that were previously part of the Watts Coordinated Proceedings, with the assistance of Magistrate Judge Valdez. The next conference with Magistrate Judge Valdez is scheduled for June 24, 2025.

In the event settlement negotiations are unsuccessful by July 3, 2025, the current fact discovery deadline, the parties anticipate filing a motion to extend said deadline in order to complete depositions.

Respectfully submitted,

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