

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

Margaret Thomas, Special Administrator of the)
Estate of NEPHUS THOMAS,)
)
 Plaintiff,)
) Case No. 19 C 0133
 v.)
)
 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.)

STIPULATION TO DISMISS

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties hereto, by their respective attorneys of record, that this matter has been settled by the parties and, therefore, all claims related to this cause should be dismissed without prejudice, to be automatically converted to dismissal with prejudice on June 15, 2026, unless a party has moved to extend that date prior to June 15, 2026. Each side shall bear its own costs and attorneys' fees.

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