

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

In re: WATTS COORDINATED
PRETRIAL PROCEEDINGS) Master Docket Case No. 19-CV-01717
)
) Judge Valderrama
) Magistrate Judge Finnegan
)

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO
***In re: Watts Coordinated Pretrial Proceedings*, Case No. 19-CV-01717**

Status Report

Defendants respectfully submit the following Joint Status Report to update this Court on the status of pending depositions identified in their October 2, 2024 Joint Status Report (*See* Dkt. 810):

1. Attached is the updated deposition chart, which contains dates that certain depositions are currently set for or otherwise provides an update on the status of that deposition.

2. This Court previously granted the Cook County State's Attorney's Office's (SAO) request that former Assistant State's Attorney (ASA) Nancy Adduci be deposed before the remaining former ASAs (Mark Rotert, Eric Sussman, and Joe Magats), Dkt. 798, p. 7, but the SAO has withdrawn that request and has no objection to the depositions of the former ASAs taking place before the deposition of former ASA Adduci.¹

3. In light of the SAO's withdrawal of that request, Defendants respectfully request that this Court permit depositions of the former ASAs to proceed without requiring former ASA Adduci's deposition to take place first.

¹ This was confirmed on October 7, 2024 via email correspondence from ASA Lyle Henretty.

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