

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

MAR 20 2013
Robert C. Winkler, Judge

LISA MCQUEEN, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

-v-

MILTON R. DOHONEY, JR., et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. A-13-1595

Judge Robert Winkler

ORDER EXTENDING
TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

Pursuant to Rule 65(A) of the Ohio Rules of Civil Procedure, the Court hereby extends by an additional 14 days the Temporary Restraining Order entered previously in this case on March 6, 2013. The court finds that sufficient good cause exists for this extension as, pursuant to Rule 65(B)(2) of the Ohio Rules of Civil Procedure, the Court previously advanced the trial of the action on the merits and consolidated it with the hearing on an application for preliminary injunction; the matter was submitted via stipulations of facts on March 15, 2013; the parties have fully briefed the merits of the action together with an oral arguments held on March 15, 2013, such that the matter is before the Court for resolution on the merits and said resolution will constitute a final appealable order; but the Court is presently engaged in a jury trial in an aggravated murder case so as to not be able to finalize the decision on the merits herein before expiration of the initial temporary restraining order.

Accordingly, for the reasons stated previously in the Temporary Restraining Order, as well as the foregoing reasons, the Court finds it appropriate to extend the temporary restraining order maintaining the *status quo* until such time as it has had the opportunity to review and rule upon the merits of this matter based upon the evidence and arguments already tendered.

Accordingly, without prejudging the merits and to preserve the rights of Plaintiffs to referendum the city ordinance at issue herein if Plaintiffs should it is appropriate to allow them to continue the referendum petition process.

The Court hereby EXTENDS the Temporary Restraining Order.

It is ORDERED that Defendants Dohoney and the City of Cincinnati shall take no action to implement Ordinance No. 56-2013, nor shall they execute or perform under the Long-Term Lease and Modernization Agreement for the City of Cincinnati Parking System addressed with said Ordinance.

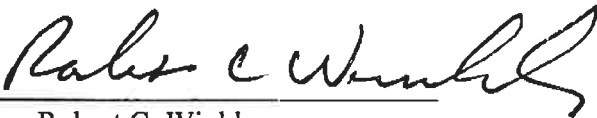
It is further ORDERED that Defendants continue to cooperate with Plaintiffs to the extent necessary to permit Plaintiffs to begin the circulation of a Referendum petition.

This order shall expire on APRIL 3 at 4:00 *p.m.*

No bond shall be required to effectuate this order.

SO ORDERED.

Date: March 19, 2013



Judge Robert C. Winkler

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