

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

CATHOLIC CHARITIES
WEST MICHIGAN,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES; ELIZABETH HERTEL,
in her official capacity as Director
of the Michigan Department of
Health and Human Services;¹
MICHIGAN CHILDREN'S
SERVICES AGENCY; DEMETRIUS
STARLING, in his official capacity
as Executive Director of Michigan
Children's Services Agency; DANA
NESSEL, in her official capacity as
Attorney General of Michigan,

Defendants.

No. 2:19-CV-11661-DPH-DRG

HON. DENISE PAGE HOOD

MAG. DAVID R. GRAND

**STIPULATED ORDER
STAYING CASE**

¹ Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 25(d), the current public officers sued in their official capacities are automatically substituted as parties.

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WHEREAS Plaintiffs and Defendants have initiated discussions in an attempt to resolve this matter without further litigation and motion practice. To afford sufficient time for these discussions, the parties jointly request that the Court temporarily stay this proceeding.

The parties will provide the Court with an update on the status of the discussions on or before January 31, 2022.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the case is stayed upon agreement of the parties. The parties shall file a status update on or before January 31, 2022.

Dated: November 8 , 2021

s/Denise Page Hood
Denise Page Hood
U.S. District Court Judge

The parties hereby Stipulate and Agree:

Date: November 3, 2021

/s/ Jeremiah Galus
Jeremiah Galus
Attorney for Plaintiffs

Date: November 3, 2021

/s/ Neil Giovanatti
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Attorney for Defendants