SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR SAN JUAN COUNTY

JOAN P. WHITE SAN JUAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Re:

White/ Rosato, et al v. Reed/ San Juan County, et al Superior Court Cause No. 06-2-05166-2 & 10-2-05002-8

Dear Counsel:

The Court has reviewed Defendant Wyman's Motion for Reconsideration, filed on May 13, 2013, Plaintiffs' Opposition and Plaintiffs' Supplemental Opposition, and Defendant Wyman's Reply, to include the Third Declaration of Patricia A. Murphy. As a preliminary matter, Plaintiffs argue that CR 59(j) precludes Defendant Wyman's Motion because she did not obtain leave of Court before filing it. Although Defendant Wyman's predecessor in interest, Sam Reed, filed a response to San Juan County's November 9, 2012 Motion for Reconsideration on the MiBT issue, neither Defendant Reed nor Defendant Wyman have previously filed a reconsideration motion on that issue. The Court therefore considers Defendant Wyman's Motion to be properly before the Court.

Having reviewed the referenced filings, the Court is not persuaded that any of the grounds set forth in CR 59(a) have been satisfied and the Motion is therefore denied.

Donald E. Eaton,

Judge

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