

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

JERRY CHARLES,

Plaintiff,

v.

DICK VERHAGEN and JON LITSCHER,

Defendants.

ORDER

01-C-253-C

Presently before the court is plaintiff's second motion for reconsideration of Magistrate Judge Skupniewitz's November 1, 2002 order taxing costs to the defendants in the amount of \$150. In an order dated November 18, 2002, I denied plaintiff's first reconsideration motion because he informed the court that he had kept no records of the costs he accumulated in litigating this case. In plaintiff's latest submission, he asks the court to calculate his costs for him. Essentially, he suggests that the court count the pages of all the materials he mailed to defendants and the court during the course of this litigation and then determine how much it would have cost him to copy and mails those materials. If plaintiff did not keep copies of his submissions for his own records as he was advised to do from the start, he is out of luck in terms of recouping their cost. The court does not have the resources to devote its personnel to doing jobs the litigants should have done.

Accordingly, plaintiff's second motion for reconsideration of the court's order taxing costs to defendants in the amount of \$150 is DENIED.

Entered this 13th day of December, 2002.

BY THE COURT:

BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge