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

TIMOTHY W. WALKER,

Plaintiff,

ORDER

v.

12-cv-692-bbc

MICHAEL ASTRUE, Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

In an order entered on October 3, 2012, I told plaintiff Timothy Walker that before I could consider his request to proceed *in forma pauperis* that he would have to submit an amended affidavit of indigency explaining how he pays for his basic living necessities. Plaintiff has submitted the requested affidavit. Based on this additional information, I find that plaintiff qualifies for indigent status and is unable to prepay the fees and costs of commencing this action or to give security therefor.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that plaintiff Timothy Walker's motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* is GRANTED. The clerk of court shall issue summonses and forward them to plaintiff's counsel for service.

Entered this 23rd day of October, 2012.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER Magistrate Judge