

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

DAVID BLIHOVDE, TRAVIS
BRECHER and RENEE HOUSER
(formerly known as RENEE JENSEN),
Individually, and on behalf of all others
similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ST. CROIX COUNTY, WISCONSIN,
DENNIS D. HILLSTEAD, individually and
in his capacity as the St. Croix County
Sheriff, KAREN HUMPHREY, individually,
and in her capacity as “Jail Captain” of the
St. Croix County Jail, KRISTEN ANDERSON,
individually and in her capacity as a St. Croix County
Deputy Sheriff, TERRY LARSON, individually and
in his capacity as St. Croix County Deputy
Sheriff, LISA OPEL, individually and in her
capacity as a St. Croix County Deputy Sheriff,
SHELBY LANE, individually and in her capacity
as a St. Croix County Deputy Sheriff and
Deputy Sheriffs JOHN and JANE DOES 1
through 30, individually and in their capacities
St. Croix County Deputy Sheriffs,

Defendants.

MEMORANDUM

02-C-450-C

On August 14, 2003, defendants filed a letter in this court regarding the motion for

summary judgment currently pending in this case. After reviewing plaintiffs' response to defendants' motion, defendants concluded that plaintiffs were requesting "summary judgment on the issue of whether a policy, practice or custom of strip-searching existed at the St. Croix County Jail," even though plaintiffs did not file a cross-motion for summary judgment. Defendants request permission to treat plaintiff's response as a cross-motion for summary judgment and to "file a response/reply brief in accordance with this court's order regarding the time for filing a response brief."

Plaintiffs have responded to defendants' letter, saying that they did not intend to raise any additional issues in their response to defendants' summary judgment motion. Therefore, it is unnecessary for defendants to respond further. The decision on summary judgment will be limited to the issue raised by defendants: whether class representatives Renee Houser and David Houser meet the class definition.

Entered this 20th day of August, 2003.

BY THE COURT:

BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge