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

LARRY BRACEY,

v.

Plaintiff,

JAMES GRONDIN, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER 10-cv-287-bbc

On October 4, 2011 the court held an unrecorded telephonic status conference. Plaintiff appeared by his attorney, Mark Maciolek. Defendants appeared by Assistant Attorney General Robert Bressette. Both sides confirmed that they are prepared to try this case as scheduled on October 31, 2011. They expect a full two day trial, perhaps spilling into a third day.

The court granted plaintiff's unopposed motion to extend until October 7, 2011 his deadline to supplement his witness list and request subpoenas (dkt. 100). The court moved to October 11, 2011 both sides' submission deadline for the final pretrial conference, with responses due by October 18, 2011. The final pretrial conference is moved forward to October 27, 2011 at 4:00 p.m.

Plaintiff will report by October 11, 2011 whether he wishes to pursue his motion for sanctions, dkt. 98. Not later than October 11, 2011, each side should file ex parte with the clerk of court its decision whether to consent to Magistrate Judge Crocker presiding over their trial. The parties had no other matters to bring to the court's attention.

Entered this 3rd day of October, 2011.

BY THE COURT: /s/ STEPHEN L. CROCKER Magistrate Judge