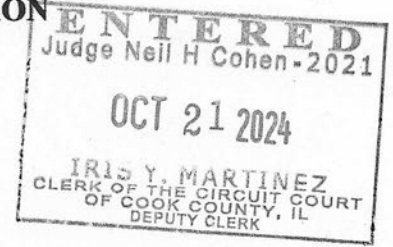


**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION**



TIFFANY HENYARD, as Mayor of the Village of)
 Dolton, STANLEY BROWN and ANDREW)
 HOLMES, as Trustees of the Village of Dolton,)
)
 Plaintiffs,)

v.)

ALISON KEY, as Village Clerk of the Village of)
 Dolton, TAMMIE BROWN, BRITTNEY)
 NORWOOD, JASON HOUSE, and KIANA)
 BELCHER, as Trustees of the Village of Dolton;)
 and KEITH FREEMAN, as the Village)
 Administrator of the Village of Dolton, and the)
 DOLTON PARK DISTRICT,)
)
 Defendants.)

Case No. 2024 CH 09335

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Honorable Judge Neil Cohen

ORDER

This cause coming to be heard on Plaintiffs' Motion for entry of a Temporary Restraining Order, Defendants' Motion for Rule 137 Sanctions and Plaintiffs' Motion to Drop Trustee Stanley Brown, all parties present through Counsel, the Court being fully advised, it is hereby ordered:

1. Plaintiffs' motion to drop Trustee Stanley Brown as a Plaintiff is not objected to by Defendants and therefore is granted. Trustee Stanley Brown is hereby stricken as a Plaintiff in this matter.
2. Plaintiff's motion for entry of a temporary restraining order is denied for failure to file verified pleadings.
3. Plaintiff was allowed to proceed on the unverified motion for a temporary restraining order and for the reasons stated on the record, Plaintiffs' motion for entry of a temporary restraining order is denied.
4. Defendants' motion for Rule 137 sanctions is entered and continued. Plaintiffs shall file a response to the motion for sanctions on or before November 18, 2024.
5. Plaintiffs' oral motion for leave to file an amended pleading is granted. Plaintiffs shall file their amended pleading on or before November 1, 2024.

6. Defendants shall file their responsive pleading to the amended complaint on or before December 6, 2024.
7. The Dolton Park District is hereby dismissed from this lawsuit.
8. The meetings of the Dolton Board of Trustees shall continue to occur at the Dolton Park District, with its approval, and in accordance with the Attorney General's Binding Opinion 24-010.
9. Trustee House is reminded that Mayor Henyard by law is to preside over Village Board meetings. In the future, Mayor Henyard is allowed a reasonable amount of time to appear at Village Board meetings to preside over same. If Mayor Henyard does not appear at future Village Board meetings, Trustee House may preside over the meetings as Mayor Pro Tem.
10. This matter is continued to **December 11, 2024 at 10:30 am** via zoom for status on the pleadings.

Zoom ID: 940 2402 4757
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11. Courtesy copies of all filed documents shall be sent to the Court in advance of the December 11, 2024 status date.

ENTERED: 

OCTOBER 21, 2024

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