

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION**

FLORIDA STATE CONFERENCE OF  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR  
THE ADVANCEMENT OF  
COLORED PEOPLE, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

CASE NO.: 4:07-CV-402-SPM/WCS

KURT S. BROWNING,

Defendant.

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**ORDER**

THIS CAUSE comes before the Court for resolution of case-management issues raised by the Parties at a hearing held on November 6, 2009, and upon the Parties' Joint Motion to Amend Schedule (doc. 219). Upon consideration, it is hereby ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. The Parties are directed to participate in mediation before United States Magistrate Judge William C. Sherrill, Jr., on or before February 1, 2010.
2. Counsel who will try the case and representatives of the Parties are hereby ordered to attend. Each Party must have full authority to enter into a complete compromise and settlement.
3. At least one week before the mediation conference, to be held at a date and time agreed upon the Parties and at the convenience of the Magistrate Judge, both Parties shall file with the Magistrate

Judge a brief, written summary of the case containing a list of issues as to each Party. If a Party wishes that the content of the summary remain confidential, that Party must advise the mediator in writing when the report is filed.

5. All discussions, representations, and statements made at the mediation conference shall be privileged.
6. Completion of mediation is a prerequisite to trial. If mediation is not conducted, or if a Party fails to participate in mediation, the case, at the Court's discretion, may be stricken from the trial calendar, pleadings may be stricken, and other sanctions may be imposed.
7. The Court shall be notified of the outcome of mediation on or before February 15, 2010.
8. The Dispositive Motions Deadline is February 19, 2010.
9. Trial in this matter is continued to Monday, April 19, 2010.
10. The Court shall enter a revised scheduling order, setting forth a time for the pre-trial conference, in accordance with the new trial date.

DONE AND ORDERED this seventeenth day of December, 2009.

*s/ Stephan P. Mickle*  
Stephan P. Mickle  
Chief United States District Judge