

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

FOR AR KIDS

Plaintiff

v.

Case No. 4:24-cv-521-KGB

TOWN OF ROSE BUD, ARKANSAS, and

SHAWN GORHAM, Mayor, Town of Rose Bud, in his official capacity

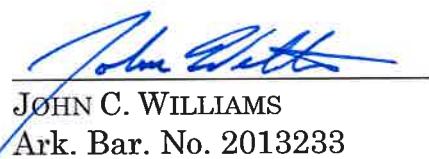
Defendants

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

1. On June 17, 2024, the City of Rose Bud, Arkansas, passed Ordinance No. 2024-03, which restricted canvassing on public property and prompted this lawsuit.
2. On June 20, 2024, the Court entered a temporary restraining order preventing the City of Rose Bud from enforcing Ordinance 2024-03.
3. On October 14, 2024, the City of Rose Bud passed Ordinance No. 2024-04, which repealed Ordinance No. 2024-03.
4. The City of Rose Bud does not intend to engage in future conduct like that which led to the temporary restraining order.
5. Should the City of Rose Bud seek to introduce any ordinance in the future to restrict canvassing on public property, it will provide the ACLU of Arkansas with a copy of the ordinance at least thirty days before the Rose Bud City Council votes upon it. The parties hereto agree to engage with one another in an attempt to resolve any disputes over any proposed new ordinance without the need for additional litigation.
6. Defendants will pay Plaintiff \$3,500 in attorney's fees and \$405 in litigation costs.

7. The parties will stipulate to dismiss this case with prejudice.
8. The Court will retain jurisdiction to enforce the terms of this settlement agreement.

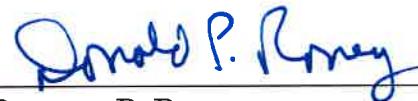
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