

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
No. DA 23-0572

SCARLET VAN GARDEREN, et al.,

Plaintiffs and Appellees,

v.

STATE OF MONTANA, et al.,

Defendants and Appellants.

**APPELLANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY BRIEF**

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Appellants respectfully request a two-week extension of time, until Tuesday, May 7, 2024 in which to prepare, serve, and file their Reply Brief in the above-entitled matter. The State's Reply Brief is currently due April 23, 2024; this is the State's first extension request for this Reply Brief.

Opposing counsel has been contacted and does not object.

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