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The Honorable Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Court
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20543

**Re: *Board of County Commissioners of Weld County, Colorado v. Exby-Stolley,*
No. 20-1357**

Dear Mr. Harris:

We represent Petitioner the Board of County Commissioners of Weld County, Colorado in this matter. We write to oppose in part Respondent's request for a 45-day extension of time to file her brief in opposition in this matter.

We do not oppose a reasonable 30-day extension for the brief in opposition, similar to that obtained by most respondents in this Court. But Respondent's requested 45-day extension—which appears strategically timed to make it impossible for the Court to consider the petition before it rises for the Summer recess—is unwarranted. Respondent cites the need to review the record, research the legal issues, and prepare the brief in opposition. But that is what a 30-day extension for the brief in opposition would allow Respondent's counsel and co-counsel to do. And Respondent's counsel's task here is easier than the average case because there will be no amicus briefs filed in support of Petitioner that the brief in opposition will need to respond to.

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Respondent's requested extension should accordingly be granted in part and the time to file the brief in opposition extended to and including only May 26, 2021.

Sincerely,

/s/ Sean Marotta
Sean Marotta

Counsel for Petitioner

cc: Jason Wesoky, Counsel for Respondent (by e-mail)