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

Re: *Anthony Novak v. The City of Parma, et al.*
U.S. Supreme Court Case No. 22-293

Dear Mr. Harris:

After requesting a 60 day extension on June 13, 2022 which was granted on June 21, 2022, the petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on September 26, 2022, and placed on the docket on or about September 28, 2022. Respondents Kevin Riley, Thomas Connor, and the City of Parma, Ohio response to the petition is currently due October 28, 2022. Respondents respectfully request a 30 day extension under Rule 30.4, to and including November 28, 2022 (November 27, 2022 is a Sunday) in which to file their response.

Counsel on behalf of Respondents requests an extension due to the complexity of the case and legal issues, other considerable preexisting matters, to confer with our clients, coordinate, and prepare the opposition and due to the November 24, 2022 Thanksgiving Holiday. Additionally, *The Onion* has requested, and Respondents have consented, to its filing of an *amicus* brief in support of petitioner. Respondents thus anticipate having to respond to that filing in addition to that of Petitioner Novak. Further, the Court afforded counsel for the Petitioner significant time (60 days in addition to the 90 days originally permitted to formulate and draft his arguments [a total of 150 days]) to submit the petition. Therefore Respondents respectfully request this extension to adequately address the issues detailed in the petition to and including November 28, 2022 (November 27, 2022 is a Sunday) in which to file their response.

Sincerely,

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