

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

BOBBY HONICUTT,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	No. 6:15-CV-3515-SRB
)	
CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION
AND STAYING PROCEEDINGS**

This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. #4) and Motion to Expedite Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. #10). Plaintiff seeks an injunction preventing Defendant from enforcing its panhandling ordinance, codified in the Springfield City Code at § 78-2. Defendant agrees to entry of a preliminary injunction. Accordingly, the Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. #4) is **GRANTED**, and the Motion to Expedite Plaintiff' Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. #10) is **DENIED** as moot.

The Court hereby orders:

- 1) that Defendant is enjoined from enforcing Springfield City Code § 78-2 pending resolution of this case on the merits;
- 2) that all further proceedings and pending deadlines in this matter are **STAYED** until further order of this Court; and
- 3) that the parties shall file a joint status report in thirty days.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 16, 2015

/s/ Stephen R. Bough_____
Stephen R. Bough
United States District Judge