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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

VETERANS FOR PEACE, GREATER SEATTLE, CHAPTER 92, Plaintiff,

No.

v.

CITY OF AUBURN, WASHINGTON,

Defendant.

DECLARATION OF DANIEL
GILMAN IN SUPPORT OF MOTION
FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING
ORDER AND PRELIMINARY
INJUNCTION

- I, Daniel Gilman, hereby declare as follows:
- 1. I was drafted into the military in 1967.
- 2. In 1969, I served in Vietnam as a medic with an Engineer Battalion at a base near Saigon.
  - 3. I was honorably discharged in September 1969.
- 4. I joined Veterans For Peace, Greater Seattle, Chapter 92 ("VFP 92") in 2005 and served as Secretary in 2008. I have been Vice President of VFP 92 since 2011.
- 5. I have marched with VFP 92 in nearly every Auburn Veterans Day Parade since 2007. I feel that I have a right to march in the parade because I served my country.
- 6. It is important for VFP 92 to march in the parade because being a veteran is something that is very visible.

- 7. I feel betrayed by my country for having been sent to Vietnam to fight a war we should not have been fighting.
- 8. It is important that citizens hear different voices from veterans and not a single voice that all wars are for the best and are in the interest of keeping our freedoms. It is important that the point of view of VFP 92's veteran members is heard.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED this 3 of November, 2012, at

, Washington.

Daniel Gilman