

[NOTE: This thread may be confusing to follow, as the main content is included in a response to a message objecting to a decision by the DRC. The DRC extended the decision-making period requested by GPCO/Respondents to decide whether to engage in dispute resolution to 2 weeks. - A]

From: Jesse Townley [mailto:jt02@mindspring.com]
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Subject: Re: Objection to the Merida Request to Extend Deadline for Agreeing to Mediation

Thank you for your response. We are trying to promote a mediation and a resolution to this dispute. In service of that goal, **we felt a 2nd week was not onerous for either party.**

Please let Darryl Moch & I know if your group is willing to enter mediation by the deadline below. (The mediator will be a different DRC member, not Townley or Moch)

Yours,

Jesse Townley

GPCA

DRC

On Oct 6, 2017, at 8:17 PM, Harry Hempy <harryhempy@gmail.com> <mailto:harryhempy@gmail.com>> wrote:

Dear Jesse and Darryl!,

Andrea Merida's request for a one-week extension of the deadline to accept DRC mediation is neither reasonable nor acceptable. Andrea wrote:

"Jesse, GPCO is going to need two weeks to respond. We need to decide whether to proceed, in a

democratic fashion, via a proposal before the state council.”

The request for agreement to mediate was sent to three specific individual Greens in Colorado; Andrea Merida, Jason Justice and Dave Bell. It is incumbent on them to agree to mediation, as individuals. State council has no role in this process and no extension to the deadline is warranted.

Andrea wants to frame this as the GPCO vs. some renegades. Such framing, supported by a vote of the GPCO, is unacceptable and completely inaccurate. This is a complaint about violations of rules, bylaws, procedures, and common decency by specific individuals, Andrea Merida, Jason Justice and Dave Bell, that were not resolved or resolvable at the state level and have been submitted to the GPUS for resolution.

Sincerely,
CRGV members Harry Hempy, Michael Haughey, Kevin Alumbaugh, and Judy Harrington