The parties have filed a joint motion to amend the briefing schedule for their discovery motions. Dkt. 39 . This is the second request that the parties have filed, citing their efforts to settle the case. Dkt. 38 . The court appreciates these efforts and is willing to grant the parties some additional time to focus on possible settlement. However, efforts to settle alone usually are not enough to delay deadlines, and the court is also keeping an eye on the remainder of the case calendar. If the parties are not going to settle, they must be ready to litigate the case as scheduled. With this warning, the court will GRANT this second request for extension. The parties should not expect a third. Signed by Magistrate Judge Anita Marie Boor on 10/8/24. (jat) (Entered: 10/08/2024)