

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND**

ROBERT R. COTE)
Plaintiff)

Vs.)

C.A. 23-346

DONNA TRAVIS, WILLIAM FOLEY,)
VINCENT GEBHART, TIMOTHY)
HOWE, EDGAR LADOUCEUR,)
STEPHEN MCALLISTER, JAMES)
MCELROY, JEREMY RIX, and)
ANTHONY SINAPI, in their individual)
and official capacities as members of the)
Council of the City of Warwick, Rhode)
Island)
Defendants)

**CONSENT ORDER RESPECTING PLAINTIFF’S
MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER**

The parties hereby agree that, in lieu of a hearing and decision by the Court respecting Plaintiff’s Motion for a Temporary Restraining Order, this order may enter:

1. Defendants shall permit Plaintiff to speak for up to five minutes at the September 18, 2023 Warwick City Council meeting to address the topics he intended to address on July 17, 2023.
2. Pursuant to the Warwick City Council rules, Defendants shall permit Plaintiff to speak on other matters directly affecting City government during the Rule 41 Public Comment period at the September 18th meeting and other future City Council meetings which have a Rule 41 Public Comment period.

PLAINTIFF ROBERT COTE

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JEREMY RIX, AND ANTHONY
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By Order:

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U.S. District Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September , 2023, a copy of the foregoing was filed and served electronically on all registered CM/ECF users through the Court’s electronic filing system. Parties may access this filing through the Court’s CM/ECF system.

/s/ Thomas W. Lyons