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## UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

**Tenth Circuit** 

FOR THE TENTH CIRCUIT

October 29, 2012

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FREE SPEECH,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

V.

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION,

Defendant-Appellee.

THE CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER;

DEMOCRACY 21,

Amici Curiae.

No. 12-8078 (D.C. No. 2:12-CV-00127-SWS) (D. Wyo.)

ORDER

Before **BRISCOE** and **HOLMES**, Circuit Judges.

This matter is before the court on Plaintiff-Appellant Free Speech's emergency motion for an injunction pending appeal. To obtain an injunction pending appeal, a movant must demonstrate (1) a likelihood of success on the merits; (2) a likelihood that the movant will suffer irreparable harm in the absence of preliminary relief; (3) the absence of harm to the opposing party if the injunction is granted; and (4) that the injunction is in the public interest. *See* 10th Cir. R. 8.1; *Homans v. City of Albuquerque*, 264 F.3d 1240, 1243 (10th Cir. 2001) (per curiam). Free Speech fails

to satisfy the standard for an injunction pending appeal. Accordingly, the motion is DENIED.

Entered for the Court

ELISABETH A. SHUMAKER, Clerk

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