

Timeline Of Survivors' Efforts To Make The Diocese Of Winona's List Public

- 11/26/08 As part of his lawsuit against the Diocese of Winona, Jim Keenan (John Doe 76C) who was sexually abused as a child by Thomas Adamson, sought the names and documents on the Diocese of Winona's 13 priests. The Diocese fought the production of the names and documents.
- 12/5/08 Order requiring the Diocese to produce the names and documents to Jeff Anderson & Associates.
- 4/2/09 Jim Keenan refused to settle his case unless the names of the credibly accused priests were released. The Diocese wouldn't agree to release the names.
- 4/8/09 Diocese of Winona sought a protective order to keep the names and documents secret. Jim Keenan fought the Protective Order.
- 4/17/09 Diocese of Winona's protective order granted which prevented Jim Keenan and his attorneys from making the names public.
- 7/21/10 The Diocese used the statute of limitations (time limits) to get Jim's case thrown out of court.
- 11/2/10 Jim appealed the decision throwing out his case.
- 11/27/10 The Diocese sought to charge Jim Keenan with the costs the Diocese paid to defend the lawsuit. The Diocese sought to charge him \$67,928.46.
- 6/27/11 Court of Appeals reversed and said Jim's case could proceed.
- 7/14/11 Jim moved the trial court to have the lists of priests unsealed and made public. The Diocese fought this effort and told the trial court it was going to appeal the Court of Appeals decision.
- 7/22/11 The Diocese appealed the decision to the Minnesota Supreme Court
- 7/25/12 Minnesota Supreme Court agreed with the trial court that the case was barred by the statute of limitations.
- 5/24/13 Child Victims Act became law allowing survivors of childhood sexual abuse to file claims.
- 5/29/13 Doe 1 brought a lawsuit against the Diocese alleging nuisance and seeking to have the list of names made public.
- 8/22/13 The Diocese went to Court to argue that the nuisance claim should be thrown out and the Diocese shouldn't have to release the names.

- 10/3/13 Another survivor, David Pususta, sought to intervene in Jim Keenan's previous case to have the lists of names unsealed and released to the public. The Diocese successfully fought this effort.
- 12/2/13 Ramsey County Court had a hearing on the Doe 1 case to discuss the potential release of names of priests. The Diocese of Winona argued against the release of the list of names.
- 12/3/13 Ramsey County Court ordered the Diocese of Winona to release the list of names by December 17, 2013.