

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
FORT MYERS DIVISION**

CARL BAXTER,

Plaintiff,

v.

2:24-cv-779-SPC-NPM


AMERICANS FOR PROSPERITY CO. *et ano.*,

Defendants.

ORDER COMPELLING ARBITRATION

Without opposition, defendants move to compel arbitration. The motion (Doc. 19) is **GRANTED**. Pursuant to the Federal Arbitration Act, this case is **STAYED** pending arbitration of this action. 9 U.S.C. § 3. The parties must immediately commence and promptly complete the arbitration pursuant to their agreement (Doc. 19-1) and file a joint status report by **April 1, 2025**, and **quarterly** thereafter. Should the parties seek a court order affirming the arbitration award, either party may move for such relief within one year of the award. 9 U.S.C. § 9. A motion to vacate or modify the arbitration award must be filed and served on the adverse party within three months of the award's issuance. 9 U.S.C. § 12. And any motion to confirm, modify, or correct the arbitration award must include the appropriate papers. 9 U.S.C. § 13.

ORDERED on December 3, 2024



NICHOLAS P. MIZELL
United States Magistrate Judge