

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, JUVENILE DIVISION, ROSS COUNTY OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF  
\_\_\_\_\_  
AN ALLEGED \_\_\_\_\_ CHILD

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

Judge BENSON

Magistrate \_\_\_\_\_

**Affidavit of Publication by Posting and Mail**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, employee of South Central Ohio Job and Family Services, Children's Division, being first duly sworn, depose and state the following:

1. That the State of Ohio filed a  Complaint of Abuse, Neglect, and/or Dependency; and/or an Application/Motion for  Temporary Custody  Protective Services  Legal Custody  Permanent Custody regarding the minor child, \_\_\_\_\_, born to \_\_\_\_\_ (name of mother) in case no. \_\_\_\_\_.
2. That service of summons cannot be made upon \_\_\_\_\_, the child's \_\_\_\_\_, because the residence of this person is unknown.
3. The last known address for \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_
4. I have made reasonable efforts to determine the residence of \_\_\_\_\_, including: \_\_\_\_\_ which have been unsuccessful.
5. The residence of the child's \_\_\_\_\_ cannot be ascertained with reasonable diligence.
6. That service shall be carried out by Publication by Posting and Mail on the Ross County Juvenile Court's webpage in accordance with local rules.

\_\_\_\_\_  
AFFIANT

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC/DEPUTY CLERK

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

(Publication by Posting and Mail)

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To: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Known Address: \_\_\_\_\_

You are hereby notified that a Complaint alleging Abuse, Neglect and/or Dependency and/or a Application/Motion for  Temporary Custody  Protective Services  Legal Custody  Permanent Custody has been filed in the Ross County Juvenile Court by the State of Ohio regarding the minor child,

\_\_\_\_\_, in case number: \_\_\_\_\_.

Parent(s) of said child is/are \_\_\_\_\_

A hearing on this Complaint or Motion is scheduled for: the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ am/pm before the Court at Ross County Court of Common Pleas, Juvenile Division located at 2 N. Paint St, Suite A, Chillicothe, OH 45601.

**You are hereby ordered to appear before the said Court on the date and at the time listed to show cause why this request for  Temporary Custody  Protective Services  Legal Custody  Permanent Custody should not be granted.**

An order granting  Temporary Custody  Protective Services  Legal Custody  Permanent Custody may cause the removal of the child from the custody of the parents, guardian or custodian and vest in the person or Agency granted custody of the child the physical care and control of the child, including the right to decide where and with whom the child shall live, and the duty to protect, train, discipline and provide the child with food, shelter, education, and medical care subject to any residual rights, privileges and responsibilities of the child's parents.

An order granting Legal Custody is intended to be permanent in nature and may not be modified or terminated unless the Court finds that there is a change in circumstances of the child or legal custodian and that the modification or termination is in the best interest of the child.

An order granting Permanent Custody is permanent in nature and severs all parental rights.

**Lois Smith who may be reached by phone at (740) 774-1177 ext 111 Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 pm is the employee designated by the Court to arrange for the prompt appointment of counsel for indigent persons. If you wish to be represented by a lawyer in this proceeding, but believe you cannot afford one, you should contact this person as soon as possible.**

Date posted: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (Seven [7] days)