Case No... 20213017
Concerning S[redacted], J[redacted]

01/22/2021

CASE FILED BY GCCS,
S[redacted], J[redacted]
38 GARFIELD AVENUE GALLIPOLIS OH 45631

01/22/2021

CHARGE 01 SEC # 2151.03 NEGLECT

01/22/2021

CHARGE 02 SEC # 2151.04 DEPENDENT

01/22/2021

AFFIDAVIT FILED BY ERIN CANTER CASEWORKER GALLIA COUNTY CHILDREN'S SERVICES

01/25/2021

HEARING- 01/26/2021 AT 1:00 PM - SHELTER CARE

01/25/2021

SUMMONS, TOGETHER WITH A COPY OF THE COMPLAINT TO BE SERVED UPON GARY SIDER S JR. & ELIZABETH SIDERS ISSUED TO COURT PERSONNEL TO MAKE PERSONAL SERVICE

01/26/2021

SUMMONS RETURNED INDICATING SERVICE PERSONAL SERVICE WAS MADE ON PARENTS BY COURT PERSONNEL

01/26/2021

AFFIDAVIT OF INDIGENCY FILED BY: ELIZABETH SIDERS

01/26/2021

AFFIDAVIT OF INDIGENCY FILED BY: GARY SIDERS

01/26/2021

SUMMONS RETURNED INDICATING SERVICE INDICATING PERSONAL SERVICE WAS MADE ON1/25/21 BY COURT PERSONNEL

02/01/2021

JOURNAL ENTRY SHELTER CARE HEARING HELD ON 1/26/2021 ORDERING THAT SAID CHILD REMAIN IN THE TEMP CUSTODY OF THEIR PARENTS WITH ON GOING PROTECTIVE SUPERVISION BY GCJFS AND ADJUDICATION HEARING ON 2/25/2021 AT 3:00 PM FILED

Case No... 20213017
Concerning S[redacted], J[redacted]

02/01/2021

HEARING- 02/25/2021 AT 3:00 PM - AJD

02/05/2021

MOTION FOR RELEASE OF RECORDS/DISCOVERY FILED BY CHELSEY KLOES CASA/GAL PROGRAM DIRECTOR FOR JOE ROSLER

02/05/2021

JOURNAL ENTRY FILED APPOINTING JOE ROSLER CASA VOLUNTEER/GUARDIAN AD LITEM FOR SAID CHILDREN FILED WITH PROOF OF SERVICE

02/10/2021

MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE FILED BY: ANDREW NOE ATTORNEY FOR PARENTS OF THE HEARING SET FOR 2/25/2021 AS HE IS SCHEDULED TO BE OUT OF TOWN

02/11/2021

JOURNAL ENTRY ORDERING HEARING SET FOR 2/25/2021 BE RESCHEDULED TO 2/22/2021 AT 1:30 PM FILED

02/18/2021

CASE PLAN DOCUMENT FILED BY GALLIA COUNTY CHILDREN'S SERVICES

02/22/2021

CHANGED- 02/22/2021 AT 3:00 PM - ADJUDICATORY

02/22/2021

CHANGED- 02/22/2021 AT 1:30 PM - ADJUDICATORY

02/22/2021

ADJUDICATION OF COUNT 01

02/22/2021

ADJUDICATION OF COUNT 02

02/24/2021

ORDERING CASE PLAN FILED BE APPROVED AND MADE PART OF THE COURT RECORD AND TERMS PART OF THE COURT ORDER FILED WITH PROOF OF SERVICE

02/24/2021

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR DISCOVERY FILED

Case No... 20213017
Concerning S[redacted] J[redacted]

03/01/2021

JOURNAL ENTRY ADJUDICATION HEARING HELD ON 2/22/2021 ORDERING THAT SAID CHILD REMAIN IN THE CUSTODY OF PARENTS AND GCCS TO PROVIDE ON GOING PROTECTIVE SUPERVISION AND DISPO HEARING SET FOR 3/16/2021 AT 1:00 PM FILED

03/01/2021

HEARING- 03/16/2021 AT 1:00 PM - DISPOSITIONAL

03/16/2021

DISPOSITION OF COUNT 01

03/16/2021

DISPOSITION OF COUNT 02

03/19/2021

JOURNAL ENTRY DISPO HEARING HELD ON 3/16/2021 ORDERING THAT SAID CHILD REMAIN IN THE CUSTODY OF THE PARENTS THAT GCJFS CONTINUE ON GOING PROTECTIVE SUPERVISION AND REVIEW HEARING ON 5/20/201 AT 2:30

03/29/2021

HEARING- 05/20/2021 AT 2:30 PM - REVIEW

05/24/2021

JOURNAL ENTRY HEARING ON 5/20/2021 ORDERING THAT SAID CHILD REMAIN IN THE CUSTODY OF PARENTS, ORDERING THAT GCJFS TERMINATE PROTECTIVE SUPERVISION ON 6/15/2021 THAT THE PARENTS ARE TO FOLLOW THROUGH WITH ANY SCHEULDED APPOINTMENT S AND THIS MATTER BE CLOSED AS OF 6/15/21

In the Court of Common Pleas, Juvenile Court Division, Gallia County, Ohio

COMPLAINT

(CHILD OR CHILDREN)
Revised Code, Sec. 2151.27

IN THE MATTER OF:

J[redacted] S[redacted]
122 HONEYSUCKLE DRIVE
CHESHIRE, OH 45620
DOB: [redacted]

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I.D. No. 22448 **Page** _____

Alleged Dependent Child

The undersigned, after being duly sworn, according to law, says that **Erin R. Canter, Caseworker,** has knowledge of a certain child, to-wit: **J[redacted] S[redacted], [redacted], 1 yr old,** who appears to be a dependent child, in that

In the county of Gallia, State of Ohio, on or about the *21st* day of *JANUARY, 2021* the said J[redacted] S[redacted], is dependent in that his condition or environment is such as to warrant the State, in the interests of said child, in assuming their guardianship, in violation of Section 2151.04 of the Ohio Revised Code.

WHEREFORE, Gallia Co. Children's Services is requesting court-ordered protective supervision of all the children until such time their safety and well-being can be assured.

Complainant further says:

That said child(ren) now reside(s) at **38 Garfield Avenue, Gallipolis, OH 45631**
That the names and addresses of the parents of said child(ren) **Gary Siders II, Father, and Elizabeth Siders, Mother, 38 Garfield Avenue, Gallipolis, OH 45631.**
That said child(ren) is/are currently in the care and custody of **Gary Siders II, Father, and Elizabeth Siders, Mother**

And that the following are facts concerning the present circumstances of the said child(ren) which the Court should have available for consideration: See Attached Affidavit of Erin R. Canter.

E. R. Canter

Erin R. Canter, Caseworker
Gallia County Children's Services
18 Locust Street, Gallipolis, OH 45631

Sworn to before me and signed in my presence, this 22nd day of January, 2021.

THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.

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JAN 22 2021
THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.
JUDGE, GALLIA CO. OHIO

Judge

By Wendy Russell
Deputy Clerk

Affidavit

In the matter of:

C[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
Z[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
C[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
K[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
B[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
G[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
L[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
V[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
J[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]
E[redacted] S[redacted]	DOB[redacted]

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THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.
JUDGE, GALLIA CO. OHIO

Erin R Canter, of Gallia County Department of Jobs and Family Services, being duly sworn, hereby alleges and attests to the following regarding the above-named children:

1. The children above are in the care and custody of their parents Elizabeth Siders and Gary Siders II, residing at 122 Honeysuckle Drive Cheshire, Ohio 45620.
2. This agency initiated an investigation on December 7th, 2020 regarding G[redacted] J[redacted] V[redacted], and L[redacted] S[redacted]. It was reported that all four children had high levels of lead in their system. There were concerns that parents, Elizabeth and Gary, were not completing medical follow ups. The medical staff had reported that high levels of lead can lead to developmental delays. During the initiation on December 8th, 2020, CW Canter was denied access to the home and asked to come back because the children were sleeping.
3. At the beginning of this agency's investigation, CW Canter was allowed access into the home on December 9th, 2020, but access to the children was denied. While in the home concerns were raised due to a high population of roaches, flies, and gnats. After further investigation, the family has now become compliant with medical appointments, but medical staff are concerned that the family will stop coming to appointments once the case is closed, as this happened the last time the family had an open case. The children's medical provider and CW Canter are in contact often regarding the well-being of the children. The physician has stated the children have an odor but seem to be in good health. The physician is concerned about B[redacted]s teeth, as they are not in good condition. CW Canter is also worried about L[redacted] speech, as she is almost five years old and cannot speak any clear language. CW Canter would like L[redacted] to have a speech evaluation to address this concern.
4. Though the concerns of medical neglect have been addressed and resolved, the refusal to access of the upstairs of the home and the children raises new concerns. Due to there being circular, linear, bruising on the back of C[redacted] (child) thigh, and the lack of being able to see the children now, CW Canter now has concerns of possible abuse and/or severe neglect. CW Canter also saw insect bites on L[redacted] arms along with scratches. Lilly also was tugging her ear and scratching her head profusely. The parents were questioned regarding the bruising, they became agitated and stated they were unaware of any bruising. The parents also stated that B[redacted] has one cavity on her baby tooth and are not concerned about it. CW Canter has noticed the parents are always in the same clothing and do not have consistent hygiene, nor do the children.

Therefore, due to the concerns noted above, Gallia County Department of Jobs and Family Services regards the above-named children as being at risk for harm and dependency and is requesting court-ordered protective supervision of all the children until such time their safety and well-being can be assured. This action appears to be in the best interest of the children. Further efforts to prevent this action are not possible at this time.

Erin R Canter

Erin R Canter, Caseworker
Gallia County Department of Jobs and Family Services

KRISTI E. SMITH
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
3/14/2023

Sworn to and before me, a notary public, in the state of Ohio, county of Gallia, on this 21st day of January, 2021.

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

JUDGMENT ENTRY

REVISED CODE, SEC 2151.28

ORDER FOR HEARING AND SUMMONS

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE NO. 20213017

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COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
PROBATE/JUVENILE DIVISION

J[redacted] S[redacted]
Date Of Birth: [redacted]

ID NO. 22448

JAN 25 2021

THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.
JUDGE, GALLIA CO. OHIO

Alleged Dependent/Neglected Child

This day Gallia County Children's Services filed in this Court a complaint duly verified according to law, setting forth that certain child(ren), to wit: J[redacted] S[redacted] appears to be a Dependent/Neglected child(ren).

It is therefore ordered by the Court that said complaint be set for hearing on 01/25/2021 at 02:30 PM, and that a summons, returnable on or before that date, directed to the Court Personnel be issued for personal service upon the persons listed next below, whom the Court finds necessary or proper parties, to wit:

Gary Siders JR
122 Honeysuckle Drive
Cheshire Ohio 45620

Elizabeth Siders
122 Honeysuckle Drive
Cheshire, Ohio 45620

The Court finds that is in the best interest of said child(ren) to place the child(ren) in the temporary emergency custody of Gary & Elizabeth Siders and that reasonable efforts to prevent the placement are not possible at this time.

It is further ordered that the persons having custody or control of said child(ren) is to appear personally before this Court at the time set for hearing thereof.

It appearing to the Court that the child(ren) named above that custody be immediately assumed and that Gary & Elizabeth Siders is hereby commanded to take said child(ren) into custody at once and this case is continued.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this
25 January 2021

Judge

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

SUMMONS
Revised Code, Sec. 2151.28-.29

To: COURT PERSONNEL of Gallia County, Ohio

Case No. 20213017

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PROBATE/JUVENILE DIVISION
JAN 25 2021
THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.
JUDGE, GALLIA CO. OHIO

You are commanded to notify:

Gary Siders JR
122 Honeysuckle Drive
Cheshire Ohio 45620

Elizabeth Siders
122 Honeysuckle Drive
Cheshire, Ohio 45620

That a complaint has been filed in this court that J[redacted] S[redacted] appears to be DEPENDENT/NEGLECTED child.

It is ordered that you personally appear before the Court at Gallipolis, Ohio, on 01/26/2021 at 01:00 PM. Further it is ordered that the person having physical custody or control of said child(ren) bring said child(ren) to the hearing. A person so notified, who fails to appear, may be punished as in other cases of contempt of court.

Any party is entitled to counsel in the proceedings and the Court will appoint counsel if party is indigent.

Said COURT PERSONNEL will make due return forthwith.

It having been made to appear to the Court that the child(ren) named above that custody be assumed by GARY & ELIZABETH SIDERS, you are hereby commanded to take the child(ren) into custody at once and bring the child(ren) forthwith to the Court.

NOTICE

IT APPEARING TO THE COURT THAT THE JUVENILE(S) NAMED ARE IN SUCH CONDITIONS THAT THEIR WELFARE REQUIRE(S) THAT THEIR CUSTODY BE IMMEDIATELY ASSUMED BY GARY & ELIZABETH SIDERS IS ORDERED TO TAKE SAID JUVENILE(S) INTO CUSTODY AT ONCE; AND THIS CAUSE IS CONTINUED.

Ohio Revised Code Section 2151.353(C) An adjudication of abuse, neglect or dependency may result in an order of temporary custody. An order of temporary custody will cause the removal of a child from the legal custody of the parent until the Court terminates the order of temporary custody or permanently divests them of their parental rights.

When a complaint contains a prayer or request for the permanent custody of a neglected or dependent child, the parents of said child are hereby notified that the granting of such permanent custody takes form the natural or adoptive parents all rights, duties and obligations of a parent including the right to consent to an adoption of the child; to inherit from the child and the right of the child to inherit from the parent;

Any person summoned to appear before the Court who fails to do so may be punished as in other cases for contempt, and may lose valuable rights as a result of failure to appear.

You have the right to legal counsel in this matter. If you cannot afford to hire an attorney the Court shall appoint an attorney to represent you if you choose to be represented by legal counsel.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this
25 January 2021

Thomas S. Moulton, Jr., Judge

By: Cindy Russell Deputy Clerk

RETURN

Received this writ on the _____ day of _____, 20_____, and on the _____ day of _____, 20_____, I served the same on the within named by personal/residential service.

_____
Server

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

SUMMONS

Revised Code, Sec. 2151.28-.29

To: COURT PERSONNEL of Gallia County, Ohio

Case No. 20213017

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PROBATE/JUVENILE DIVISION
JAN 26 2021
THOMAS S. MOULTON JR.
JUDGE, GALLIA CO. OHIO

You are commanded to notify:

Gary Siders JR
122 Honeysuckle Drive
Cheshire Ohio 45620

Elizabeth Siders
122 Honeysuckle Drive
Cheshire, Ohio 45620

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Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this
25 January 2021

Thomas S. Moulton, Jr., Judge

By: Wendy Russell Deputy Clerk

RETURN

Received this writ on the 25 day of January, 2021, and on the 26th day of January 2021, I served the same on the within named by personal/residential service.

Wendy Russell
Server

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FORM

($25.00 application fee may be assessed—see notice on reverse side)

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Applicant's Name	D.O.B.	Name of Person Being Represented *(if juvenile)*	D.O.B.
Elizabeth Ann Sipers	[redacted]		

Mailing Address	City	State	Zip Code
122 Honeysuckel Drive	Cheshire	Ohio	45620

Case No.	Phone	Cell Phone
	[redacted]	( )

SSN Last 4	Gender	Race
[redacted]	F	☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Asian ☐ Black or African American ☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander ☐ Spanish or Latino ☑ White ☐ Other

II. OTHER PERSONS LIVING IN HOUSEHOLD

Name	D.O.B.	Relationship	Name	D.O.B.	Relationship
1)			3)		
2)			4)		

III PRESUMPTIVE ELIGIBILITY

The appointment of counsel is presumed if the person represented meets any of the qualifications below. Please place an 'X'

Ohio Works First / TANF: ___ SSI ___ SSD: ___ Medicaid: X Poverty Related Veterans' Benefits: ___ Food Stamps: X

Refugee Settlement Benefits: ___ Incarcerated in state penitentiary ___ Committed to a Public Mental Health Facility: ___

Other (please describe): _____ Juvenile: ___ *(if juvenile, please continue at Section VIII)*

IV INCOME AND EMPLOYER

	Applicant	Spouse (Do not include spouse's income if spouse is alleged victim)	Total Income
Gross Monthly Employment Income			
Unemployment, Worker's Compensation, Child Support, Other Types of Income			
		TOTAL INCOME	$

Employer's Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Employer's Address: _____

V LIQUID ASSETS

Type of Asset	Estimated Value
Checking, Savings, Money Market Accounts	$
Stocks, Bonds, CDs	$
Other Liquid Assets or Cash on Hand	$
Total Liquid Assets	$

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
PROBATE DIVISION
GENERAL DIVISION
JAN 26 2021
THOMAS J. MOULTON, JR.
JUDGE GALLIA CO. OHIO

VI. MONTHLY EXPENSES

Type of Expense	Amount	Type of Expense	Amount
Child Support Paid Out		Telephone	
Child Care (if working only)		Transportation / Fuel	
Insurance (medical, dental, auto, etc.)		Taxes Withheld or Owed	
Medical / Dental Expenses or Associated Costs of Caring for Infirm Family Member		Credit Card, Other Loans	
Rent / Mortgage	425.0	Utilities (Gas, Electric, Water / Sewer, Trash)	225.0
Food		Other (Specify)	
EXPENSES	$	EXPENSES	$

VII DETERMINATION OF INDIGENCY

If applicant's Total Income in Section IV is at or below 187.5% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines, counsel must be appointed.
For applicants whose Total Income in Section IV is above 125% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines, see recoupment notice in Section XI.
If applicant's Liquid Assets in Section V exceed figures provided in OAC 120-1-03, appointment of counsel may be denied if applicant can employ counsel using those liquid assets.
If applicant's Total Income falls above 187.5% of Federal Poverty Guidelines, but applicant is financially unable to employ counsel after paying monthly expenses in Section VI, counsel must be appointed.

VIII. $25.00 APPLICATION FEE NOTICE

By submitting this Financial Disclosure form, you will be assessed a non-refundable $25.00 application fee unless waived or reduced by the court. If assessed, the fee is to be paid to the clerk of courts within 7 days of submitting this form to the entity that will make a determination regarding your indigency. No applicant may be denied counsel based upon failure or inability to pay this fee.

IX. APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I, Elizabeth Sides (44) (applicant or alleged delinquent child) state:

1. I am financially unable to retain private counsel without substantial hardship to me or my family.
2. I understand that I must inform the public defender or appointed attorney if my financial situation should change before the disposition of the case(s) for which representation is being provided.
3. I understand that if it is determined by the county or the court that legal representation should not have been provided, I may be required to reimburse the county for the costs of representation provided. Any action filed by the county to collect legal fees hereunder must be brought within two years from the last date legal representation was provided.
4. I understand that I am subject to criminal charges for providing false financial information in connection with this application for legal representation, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code sections 120.05 and 2921.13.
5. I hereby certify that the information I have provided on this financial disclosure form is true to the best of my knowledge.

Elizabeth Sides (45) _____

Signature Date

X. JUDGE CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above-noted applicant is unable to fill out and/or sign this financial disclosure for the following reason: _____ (46) _____. I have determined that the party represented meets the criteria for receiving court-appointed counsel.

_____ (47) _____

Judge's Signature Date

XI. NOTICE OF RECOUPMENT

ORC. §120.03 allows for county recoupment programs. Any such program may not jeopardize the quality of defense provided or act to deny representation to qualified applicants. No payments, compensation, or in-kind services shall be required from an applicant or client whose income falls below 125% of the federal poverty guidelines. See OAC 120-1-05.

Through recoupment, an applicant or client may be required to pay for part of the cost of services rendered, if he or she can reasonably be expected to pay. See ORC §2941.51(D)

XII. JUVENILE'S PARENTS' INCOME* – FOR RECOUPMENT PURPOSES ONLY – NOT FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL

	Custodial Parents' Income (Do not include parents' income if parent or relative is alleged victim)	Total
Employment Income (Gross)	(48)	
Unemployment, Workers Compensation, Child Support, Other Types of Income	(49)	
	TOTAL INCOME	$ (50)

*Please complete Section VI on page 1 of this form if you would like the court to consider your monthly expenses when determining the amount of recoupment which you can reasonably be expected to pay.

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Gary Lee Siders Jr	[redacted]		

Mailing Address	City	State	Zip Code
83 Honeysuckel Drive	Chesire	Ohio	45620

Case No.	Phone	Cell Phone
	[redacted]	( )

SSN Last 4	Gender	Race
[redacted]	M	☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Asian ☐ Black or African American ☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander ☐ Spanish or Latino ☑ White ☐ Other

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IV INCOME AND EMPLOYER

	Applicant	Spouse (Do not include spouse's income if spouse is alleged victim)	Total Income
Gross Monthly Employment Income	Self-employed		$1,500 a month
Unemployment, Worker's Compensation, Child Support, Other Types of Income			
		TOTAL INCOME	$

Employer's Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Employer's Address: _____

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V LIQUID ASSETS

Type of Asset	Estimated Value
Checking, Savings, Money Market Accounts	$
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JAN 26 2021

THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.
JUDGE GALLIA CO. OHIO

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Rent / Mortgage	$750	Utilities (Gas, Electric, Water / Sewer, Trash)	$250
Food		Other (Specify)	
EXPENSES	$	EXPENSES	$

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Mary Elder (45) _____

Signature Date

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XI. NOTICE OF RECOUPMENT

ORC. §120.03 allows for county recoupment programs. Any such program may not jeopardize the quality of defense provided or act to deny representation to qualified applicants. No payments, compensation, or in-kind services shall be required from an applicant or client whose income falls below 125% of the federal poverty guidelines. See OAC 120-1-05.

Through recoupment, an applicant or client may be required to pay for part of the cost of services rendered, if he or she can reasonably be expected to pay. See ORC §2941.51(D)

XII. JUVENILE'S PARENTS' INCOME* – FOR RECOUPMENT PURPOSES ONLY – NOT FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL

	Custodial Parents' Income (Do not include parents' income if parent or relative is alleged victim)	Total
Employment Income (Gross)	(48)	
Unemployment, Workers Compensation, Child Support, Other Types of Income	(49)	
	TOTAL INCOME	$ (50)

*Please complete Section VI on page 1 of this form if you would like the court to consider your monthly expenses when determining the amount of recoupment which you can reasonably be expected to pay.

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

IN THE MATTER OF:

J[redacted] S[redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Social Security No.: ***-**-****

Alleged Dependent Child.

Case No. 20213017

I.D. No. 22,448

SHELTER CARE
JUDGMENT ENTRY

This matter came on for SHELTER CARE HEARING on the 26th day of January, 2021 upon the Complaint filed herein. Present in open court were the following:

Elizabeth Siders, Mother
Gary Siders II, Father
Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents
Randy Dupree, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Erin Canter, Gallia County Children's Services
Olivia Meadows, Gallia County Children's Services

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The Court, being duly advised, finds as follows:

1.) A sworn complaint with respect to the above-referenced child was filed in this Court on January 22, 2021.

2.) Notice was given and process was served to the child's mother, Elizabeth Siders, and father, Gary Siders II, of the time, place and purpose of the hearing. Notice was further provided to them that a case plan may be prepared, the general requirements of the

case plan, and the possible consequences of non-compliance with a case plan, pursuant to Section 2151.314(A) of the Ohio Revised Code.

3.) As stipulated to by the parents, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the child is in danger from his surroundings, and that protective supervision of the child is necessary to prevent the child's physical and/or emotional harm. The child is in the care and custody of his parents, Gary Siders II, and Elizabeth Siders. Job & Family Services began an investigation on December 7, 2020, regarding high levels of lead in G[redacted] J[redacted], V[redacted] and L[redacted] S[redacted] The caseworker was denied access to the home on December 8, 2020. The worker was admitted to the home on December 9, 2020, but denied access to the children. The worker noticed an infestation of roaches, flies and gnats in the home. There are also concerns with cleanliness of the house and children. The agency believes all of these children are at risk of harm without protective supervision.

4.) Gallia County Job & Family Services has made reasonable efforts to prevent the removal of the child from the home, eliminate

continued removal, or make it possible for the child to return home safely. The agency has attempted to work with the family. However, they have been uncooperative. Even now the agency is not asking for custody, but protective supervision only.

5.) It would be contrary to the welfare and best interest of the child to continue in the home at this time without protective supervision.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that J[redacted] S[redacted] remain in the custody of his parents, Gary Siders II and Elizabeth Siders, until further order of this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Gallia County Job & Family Services provide on-going protective supervision.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this matter shall come on for **ADJUDICATION on** Thursday February 25, **2021, at** 3:00 **o'clock** P.**m.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that copies of this Judgment Entry shall be sent to all parties of record or their counsel.

JUDGE THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.

PROOF OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing entry was served upon the Gallia County Prosecutor; Gallia County Job & Family Services; Andrew Noe, Attorney for Gary Siders II and Elizabeth Siders, by personal service, and upon Meigs-Gallia CASA Program by e-mail, and upon Elizabeth Siders and Gary Siders II, 122 Honeysuckle Drive, Cheshire, OH 45620, by Regular U.S. Mail Service, this 1st day of ~~January~~ February, 2021.

Wendy Russell

DEPUTY CLERK

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

IN RE:	Case No.	File No.
C[redacted] S[redacted]	20213010	22438
Z[redacted] S[redacted]	20213011	22439
C[redacted] S[redacted]	20213012	22440
K[redacted] S[redacted]	20213013	22441
B[redacted] S[redacted]	20213019	22443
G[redacted] S[redacted]	20213014	22444
L[redacted] S[redacted]	20213015	22445
V[redacted] S[redacted]	20213016	22447
J[redacted] S[redacted]	20213017	22448
E[redacted] S[redacted]	20213018	22724

CASA/Guardian ad Litem
Meigs-Gallia CASA/GAL Program
100 E. 2nd Street
Pomeroy, OH 45769

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MOTION FOR RELEASE OF RECORDS/DISCOVERY

Now comes Meigs-Gallia CASA/GAL Program, as a duly appointed party to the case and legal representative of the minor child, and hereby orders all records held and in control of the Gallia County Children Services Agency to be copied and turned over to the Meigs-Gallia CASA/GAL Program as discovery. In support, the appointed CASA/GAL, Joe Rosler needs all records to fully complete his/her investigation and to provide for the best interest of the minor child.

Respectfully submitted,

Chelsey Kloes
CASA/GAL Program Director
For Joe Rosler, CASA/GAL

ORDER

Now comes the court and orders the Gallia County Children Services to forthwith provide full discovery and records of the above minor child to the appointed CASA/GAL.

SO ORDERED.

Judge Thomas Moulton

CC: Gallia County Children Services
Gallia County Prosecutors Office

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Wendy Russell, do hereby swear and affirm proper service made on Gallia County Children Services and Gallia County Prosecutors Office by ~~county mailbox~~ email delivery this 5th day of February, 2021.

Wendy Russell
Deputy Clerk

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

IN RE:	Case No.	File No.	CASA/Guardian ad Litem
C[redacted] S[redacted]	20213010	22438	**Meigs-Gallia CASA/GAL Program**
Z[redacted] S[redacted]	20213011	22439	**100 E. 2nd Street**
C[redacted] S[redacted]	20213012	22440	**Pomeroy, OH 45769**
K[redacted] S[redacted]	20213013	22441	
B[redacted] S[redacted]	20213019	22443	
G[redacted] S[redacted]	20213014	22444	
L[redacted] S[redacted]	20213015	22445	
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ENTRY APPOINTING CASA/GUARDIAN AD LITEM

For Good Cause Shown, IT IS ORDERED that pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 2151.281 that Joe Rosler be appointed CASA Volunteer/Guardian ad Litem to protect the interests of the child named above until all dispositional orders relative to the child have terminated unless sooner discharged by the Court RC 2151.281 (G).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

1. Upon presentation of this order to any agency, hospital, organization, school, person or office, including (but not limited to) the Clerk of Court, Departments of Housing, Departments of Health, Human Service, and/or child-caring agencies, public and private health psychologists, psychiatrists, counselors, and staff, law enforcement agencies and the Attorney General, the appointed Guardian ad Litem and the CASA Program Manager or staff are hereby authorized to inspect and copy any records relating to the above-named child without consent of said child or parents of said child. If for any reason the appointed CASA/GAL is unable to fulfil said duties, the CASA Director shall assume the appointment and carry out the duties of the appointment unless another CASA/GAL is appointed.
2. The Guardian ad Litem assigned to the cause shall maintain any information received from any such source as confidential, and will not disclose the same except to report to the Court or as the Court directs or law permits.
3. The Guardian ad Litem shall be given notice of hearings or proceedings scheduled in this case. The Guardian ad Litem shall appear at said hearings and assure proper representation of the child.
4. The Guardian ad Litem and CASA program shall be notified of any hearings, reviews, investigations, depositions, or other proceedings concerning the child and shall be notified prior to any change made to the child's case plan by any party, except those actions taken to prevent immediate or threatened physical or emotional harm to the child, as provided in Section 2151.412. in which case the Guardian ad Litem must be notified before the end of the next business day after the change is made.
5. The Guardian ad Litem shall be a party to any agreement or plan entered into on behalf of the child.
6. The Guardian ad Litem's appointment is effective the date of this entry.

THE ROLE OF THE GUARDIAN AD LITEM

The Guardian ad Litem's role is to protect the child's needs and interests. The Guardian ad Litem assumes the role of an advocate for the child and in no way represents the petitioner (usually an agency) or the respondent (usually the parents or custodians).

In fulfilling this child-centered role, the Guardian ad Litem performs five separate functions:

1. A fact-finder or investigator, whose task it is to ferret out all of the relevant facts;

2. A reporter, whose task it is to ensure that all the relevant facts are before the Court in writing at all hearings;

3. An advocate for the child, whose task it is to ensure that the Court has before it at the dispositional hearing all available options which are in the child's best interests;

4. A guardian or protector in the broadest sense of the word, whose task it is to ensure that the child's interests are fully protected; and

5. A monitor, who ensures that the Court orders are carried out, all services provided, and brings to the Court's attention any new developments or changes.

Although all five functions are equally important, the ability to act adequately as a reporter, advocate, guardian, and monitor depends primarily upon the Guardian ad Litem's ability as an investigator. Until a thorough investigation has been completed, there is simply not enough data available to determine whether abuse occurred and why, to develop a service plan, and to present the possible placement or treatment options to the Court. It is important to note that the report of suspected child abuse is made, the intake process and agency investigation is completed, and preliminary diagnosis of child abuse is established before the Guardian ad Litem is appointed. If an investigation has been thoroughly and correctly conducted, there is no need for the Guardian ad Litem to repeat the process. It is essential, however, that the Guardian ad Litem collect all reports, evaluations, records, and be able to assess the thoroughness of the investigation in regard to the child's interests. The Guardian ad Litem must then integrate all the data and determine the child's needs. A home visit and a school visit are normally essential to the investigation.

Judge Thomas Moulton

2/5/2021
Date

PROOF OF SERVICE:

A copy of the foregoing Entry was served upon Gallia County Prosecuting Attorney's Office, and upon Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents, by personal service and upon Gallia County Job's & Family Services, and Meigs-Gallia Casa/GAL Program, by email and upon Gary and Elizabeth Siders, 122 Honeysuckle Drive, Cheshire, Ohio 45620, by U.S. Regular Mail Service on this 5th day of February, 2021.

Wendy Russell

Deputy Clerk

IN THE COMMON PLEAS COURT, GALLIA COUNTY, OHIO
Juvenile Division

IN THE MATTER OF:
[redacted]

Case Nos. **20213010** 20213011, 20213012, 20213013, 20213014, 20213015, 20213016, 20213017, 20213018 2021319

MOTION TO CONTINUE

Now comes Andrew J. Noe, attorney for parents, Gary Siders, II, and Elizabeth Siders, and moves this Court to continue the Adjudication in this matter, currently scheduled for February 25, 2021, for the reason that Attorney Andrew Noe is scheduled to be out of town that day and would not be able to attend said hearing.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Andrew J. Noe #0090489
19 Locust Street, P.O. Box 301
Gallipolis, OH 45631
740-446-9356 *Phone*
740-446-9396 *Fax*
Attorney for Elizabeth & Gary Siders, II

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing was served to Gallia County Prosecuting Attorney, Gallia County Children's Services on this 10th day of February, 2021.

Andrew J. Noe #0090489
Attorney for Elizabeth & Gary Siders, II

IN THE COMMON PLEAS COURT, GALLIA COUNTY, OHIO
Juvenile Division

IN THE MATTER OF:
[redacted]

Case Nos. **20213010** 20213011, 20213012, 20213013 20213014, 20213015, 20213016, 20213017 20213018, 20213019

ENTRY

Now comes the Court upon the Motion to Continue filed by Gary Siders, II and Elizabeth Siders, through counsel, Andrew J. Noe, and finds the same WELL TAKEN.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Adjudication Hearing in this matter be rescheduled for Monday February 22, 2021 at 1:30 a.m./(p.m.)

SO ORDERED.

Thomas S. Moulton, Jr., JUDGE

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The clerk is hereby directed to furnish a copy of the foregoing upon Gallia County Prosecuting Attorney's Office, Gallia County Children's Services, Andrew Noe – attorney for parents.

PROOF OF SERVICE:

A copy of the foregoing Motion and Journal Entry were served upon Gallia County Prosecuting Attorney's Office, and upon Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents, by personal service and upon Mr. & Mrs. Gary Siders, 122 Honeysuckle Drive, Cheshire, Ohio 45620, by U.S. Regular Mail Service on this 11th day of February, 2021.

Wendy Russell

Deputy Clerk

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JUDGE, GALLIA CO. OHIO

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

IN THE MATTER OF:
J[redacted] S[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

CASE NO. **20213017**

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR DISCOVERY

Now comes the State of Ohio, by and through Jason D. Holdren, Prosecuting Attorney of Gallia County, Ohio and responds to the Defendant's written demand for discovery as follows:

1. **EVIDENCE:** ODJFS Family Case Plan, copy provided to defense counsel.
2. Any evidence which may become known to the Prosecutor which is favorable to the Defendant will be made known to him or his counsel when it becomes known to the Prosecuting Attorney.

Jason D. Holdren, #0084710
Prosecuting Attorney
Gallia County, Ohio
Jeremy Fisher, # 0090031
Randy Dupree, # 0075608
Amber Fellure #0083900
Assistant Prosecutors

PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing *Response to Request for Discovery* was served on **Andrew J. Noe**, Attorney for Defendant, 19 Locus Street, P.O. Box 301, Gallipolis, OH 45631, by delivering a copy of same to his mail box located at the Gallia County Juvenile Court this 24 day of February, 2021.

Jason D. Holdren, #0084710
Prosecuting Attorney
Gallia County, Ohio
Jeremy Fisher, # 0090031
Randy Dupree, # 0075608
Amber Fellure #0083900
Assistant Prosecutors

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

IN THE MATTER OF:

J[redacted] S[redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Social Security No.: ***-**-****

Alleged Dependent Child.

Case No. 20213017

I.D. No. 22,448

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JUDGE, GALLIA CO. OHIO

ADJUDICATION
JUDGMENT ENTRY

This matter came on for ADJUDICATION on the 22nd day of February, 2021, upon the Complaint filed herein. Present in open court were the following:

Elizabeth Siders, Mother
Gary Lee Siders II, Father
Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents
Randy Dupree, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Olivia Meadows, Gallia County Children's Services (appeared via Zoom)
Erin Canter, Gallia County Children's Services (appeared via Zoom)
Chelsey Kloes, CASA Director (appeared via Zoom)

The Court finds that all parties were given notice of this hearing.

After considering the evidence adduced by the parties, the Court finds that there is clear and convincing evidence to find that J[redacted] S[redacted] is a dependent child whose condition or environment is such as to warrant the state, in the interests of the child, in assuming the child's guardianship pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 2151.04(C).

The Court, being duly advised, finds as follows:

1.) The child is in the care and custody of his parents, Gary Lee Siders II and Elizabeth Siders. Gallia County Job & Family Services began an investigation on December 7, 2020, after receiving information that G[redacted], J[redacted], V[redacted], and L[redacted] S[redacted] had high levels of lead in their systems. There was a concern that the children were not getting the proper medical treatment. The caseworker was denied access to the home on December 8, 2020. On December 9, 2020, the caseworker was allowed in the home, but denied access to the children. Caseworker Canter noticed that the home was infested with a large number of roaches, gnats and flies. She also noticed that the home was not well maintained and that the family was not practicing proper hygiene. After working with the family for around a month, the parents continued to show a lack of cooperation. The family was under a case plan last year, but failed to maintain the improvements after the case was closed. The children are at risk of harm without protective supervision.

2.) It would be contrary to the welfare and best interest of the child to continue in the home without protective supervision.

3.) Gallia County Children's Services has made reasonable efforts to prevent the removal of the child from the home, eliminate continued removal, or make it possible for the child to return home safely. The agency has worked with the family for several weeks, and even now is only asking for protective supervision, and not custody.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that J[redacted] S[redacted] remain in the custody of his parents, Gary Lee Siders II and Elizabeth Siders, until further order of this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Gallia County Children's Services provide on-going protective supervision of the child in this matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this matter shall come on for **DISPOSITION on** Tuesday March 16, 2021 **at** 1:00 **o'clock** P **.m.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that copies of this Judgment Entry shall be sent to all parties of record or their counsel.

THIS IS A JUDGMENT OR FINAL ORDER, WHICH MAY BE APPEALED. THE CLERK, PURSUANT TO CIVIL RULE 58(B), SHALL SERVE

NOTICE OF SAME ON ALL PARTIES WHO ARE NOT IN DEFAULT OF ENTRY OF APPEARANCE. WITHIN THREE (3) DAYS AFTER THE JOUNALIZING OF THIS ENTRY, THE CLERK IS REQUIRED TO SERVE NOTICE OF THE JUDGMENT PURSUANT TO CIVIL RULE 5(B).

JUDGE THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.

PROOF OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing Judgment Entry was served upon the Gallia County Prosecuting Attorney's Office; Gallia County Children's Services; and, Rick Hedges, Attorney for parents, by personal service, and upon the Meigs-Gallia CASA Program by e-mail, and upon Gary Lee Siders II and Elizabeth Siders, 122 Honeysuckle Dr., Cheshire, OH 45620, by U.S. Regular Mail Service on the 1st day of ~~February~~ March, 2021.

Wendy Russell

DEPUTY CLERK

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

IN THE MATTER OF:

J[redacted] S[redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Social Security No.: ***-**-****

Dependent Child.

Case No. 20213017

I.D. No. 22,448

DISPOSITION
JUDGMENT ENTRY

This matter came on for DISPOSITION on the 16th day of March, 2021. Present in open court were the following:

Elizabeth Siders, Mother
Gary Lee Siders Jr., Father
Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents (appeared via Zoom)
Randy Dupree, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Jessica McCoy, Gallia County Job & Family Services (appeared via Zoom)
Joe Rosler, CASA Guardian ad Litem (appeared via Zoom)
Chelsey Kloes, CASA Director (appeared via Zoom)

The Court finds that all parties were given notice of this hearing.

Elizabeth Siders and Gary Lee Siders Jr. indicated that they were in agreement with the disposition proposed by Gallia County Job & Family Services, which set forth that J[redacted] S[redacted] would remain in the custody of his parents with protective supervision, while Elizabeth Siders and Gary Lee Siders Jr. worked on completing their case plan.

The Court, being duly advised, finds as follows:

1.) The above-referenced child was deemed dependent by Judgment Entry of this Court filed March 1, 2021.

2.) J[redacted] S[redacted] was left in the custody of his parents, Elizabeth and Gary Lee Siders Jr., with protective supervision, pending disposition.

3.) The agency made reasonable efforts to prevent the removal of the child from the home, eliminate continued removal, or make it possible for the child to return home safely. Gallia County Job & Family Services is assisting the parents with completing the requirements of their case plan.

4.) It is in the child's best interest to be in the custody of Elizabeth and Gary Lee Siders Jr., with protective supervision, while Elizabeth and Gary Lee work on completing their case plan.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that J[redacted] S[redacted] remain in the custody of his parents, Elizabeth Siders and Gary Lee Siders Jr., until further order of this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Gallia County Job & Family Services provide on-going protective supervision of the child.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Elizabeth Siders and Gary Lee Siders Jr. complete their court approved case plan.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this matter be scheduled for a **Review Hearing on** Thursday March 20. 2021 **at** 2:30 P. **m.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that copies of this Judgment Entry shall be sent to all parties of record or their counsel.

THIS IS A JUDGMENT OR FINAL ORDER, WHICH MAY BE APPEALED. THE CLERK, PURSUANT TO CIVIL RULE 58(B), SHALL SERVE NOTICE OF SAME ON ALL PARTIES WHO ARE NOT IN DEFAULT OF ENTRY OF APPEARANCE. WITHIN THREE (3) DAYS AFTER THE JOURNALIZING OF THIS ENTRY, THE CLERK IS REQUIRED TO SERVE NOTICE OF THE JUDGMENT PURSUANT TO CIVIL RULE 5(B).

JUDGE THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.

PROOF OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing entry was served upon the Gallia County Prosecuting Attorney; Gallia County Job & Family Services; and, Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents, by personal service, and upon Meigs-Gallia CASA Program by fax, and upon Gary Lee Siders Jr. and Elizabeth Siders, 122 Honeysuckle Dr., Cheshire, OH 45620, by Regular U.S. Mail Service, this 19th day of March, 2021.

Wendy Russell

DEPUTY CLERK

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

IN THE MATTER OF:

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J[redacted] S[redacted]
Date of Birth: [redacted]
Social Security No.: ***-**-****

I.D. No. 22,448

Dependent Child.

JUDGMENT ENTRY

This matter came on for hearing on the 20th day of May, 2020.

Present in open court were the following:

Elizabeth Siders, Mother
Gary Lee Siders Jr., Father
Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents
Randy Dupree, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Emily VanSickle, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
Natalie Pauley, Gallia County Job & Family Services (appeared via Zoom)
Joe Rosler, CASA Guardian ad Litem (appeared via Zoom)
Chelsey Kloes, CASA Director (appeared via Zoom)

The Court finds that all parties were given notice of this hearing.

The Court was informed that Elizabeth and Gary Lee Siders Jr. have made significant progress on their case plan. They still need to follow through with medical appointments for the children. It is the agency's recommendation that the child remain in the custody of her parents, that protective supervision be terminated, and that this case be closed.

The Court finds that Gallia County Children's Services is continuing to make reasonable efforts to prevent the removal of the child from the home, eliminate continued removal, or make it possible for the child to return home safely. The agency has assisted the parents with completing the requirements of their case plan.

The Court further finds that it is in the best interest of J[redacted] S[redacted] to remain in the custody of his parents and that protective supervision be terminated, and this case closed effective June 15, 2021, which will allow the agency to monitor any upcoming doctor appointments.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that J[redacted] S[redacted] remain in the custody of Elizabeth and Gary Lee Siders Jr.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Gallia County Children's Services terminate protective supervision and close their case as of June 15, 2021.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Elizabeth Siders and Gary Lee Siders Jr. follow through with any scheduled doctor appointments.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this case be closed as of June 15, 2021.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that copies of this Judgment Entry shall be sent to all parties of record or their counsel.

THIS IS A JUDGMENT OR FINAL ORDER, WHICH MAY BE APPEALED. THE CLERK, PURSUANT TO CIVIL RULE 58(B), SHALL SERVE NOTICE OF SAME ON ALL PARTIES WHO ARE NOT IN DEFAULT OF ENTRY OF APPEARANCE. WITHIN THREE (3) DAYS AFTER THE JOURNALIZING OF THIS ENTRY, THE CLERK IS REQUIRED TO SERVE NOTICE OF THE JUDGMENT PURSUANT TO CIVIL RULE 5(B).

JUDGE THOMAS S. MOULTON, JR.

PROOF OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing entry was served upon the Gallia County Prosecuting Attorney; Gallia County Job & Family Services; and, Andrew Noe, Attorney for parents, by personal service, and upon Meigs-Gallia CASA Program by e-mail, and upon Gary Lee Siders Jr. and Elizabeth Siders, 122 Honeysuckle Dr., Cheshire, OH 45620, by U.S. Regular Mail Service, this 21st day of May, 2020.

Wendy Russell

Deputy Clerk