

Auditor Charles E. Walder

Chief Fiscal Officer

Return Voucher Form

Date: 01/23/24

To: Elected Official, Department head, or Accounting Staff of Probate Court

From: Auditor's Office Fiscal Department

SUBJECT: Batch # 2024-00000191 King & Ivans Law \$180.00

Dept. Head Signature Missing on Cover	Incorrect Vendor Numbers (s)
Incorrect Account Number	Incorrect/No Encumbrance No.
Incorrect Remit Address	Incorrect Voucher Amount
Insufficient Cash Balance Available	Incorrect G/L Date
Batch not Approved in New World	Expense Precede Encumbrance
Insufficient Balance Available on PO	Remit Copy Missing
Missing Original Invoice/Supporting	Due Date Deadline Missed
Documents	X Other
Missing "OK to Pay" Initials/Signature	

Solution: Please be advised that this letter is a formal request pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 319.16(A)(2) for "legible copies of any court-approved invoice, bill, receipt, check, or contract related to the order, redacted as required by law." As that statutory requirement provides, the above referenced requested evidentiary matter is required along with a "proper court order" in order for the Geauga County Auditor's Office to process that at-issue requested payment out of the Geauga County Treasury. Also, no original signature on the voucher. No invoice provided.

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AUDITORS CERTIFICATION OF FUNDS O.R.C. 5705.41D

Geauga County, Chardon, Ohio April 25, 2023 I HEREBY CERTIFY that the money required to meet the foregoing contract, agreement, or obligation in the sum of \$25,000.00

has been lawfully approved, authorized or directed for such purpose and is in the Treasury or in the process of collection to the credit of the fund listed next to the item below, free from any previous encumbrances.

CHARLES E. WALDER **GEAUGA COUNTY AUDITOR**

GEAUGA COUNTY FEDERAL I.D. NO. 3 SALES AND USED TAX EXEMPTION - F	, Deputy Auditor 84-6001208 POLITICAL SUBDIVISION ATE OF OHIO	PAGE BUDGET APPROV
FOR AUDITORS USE ONLY Then and Now Certficate:	Date:	VENDOR I.D. NO. PURCHASED FRO
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SHIP TO: GEAUGA COUNTY		INVOICE TO: GEAUGA COUNTY
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	1/22/2024	\$ 180.00
P.O. DATE	ADJUSTMENT	ACCOUNT NO.
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PURCHASE ORDER NO. 2023-00002442

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QUANTITY 1.0000	FUND 1001	DESCRIPTION Contracted Services - Contract Services 1001-008-00-601 - Contract Services 25,000.00	UNIT COST 25,000.0000	
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		Presented by Court as a	TOTAL DUE	\$25,000.00

Presented by Court as a courtesy only, NOT statutorily required

See State ex rel. Grendell v. Walder, Stip Opinion No. 2022-Ohio-204



IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS PROBATE DIVISION GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

FILED IN COMMON PLEAS COURT

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PROBATE-JUVENILE DIVISION GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

IN RE:) JUDGE TIMOTHY J. GRENDELL
)
PROBATE COURT)
EXPENDITURES) PROPER ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
KING AND IVANS LAW LLC) 2024-22

Pursuant to R.C. 319.16(A)(2), this order hereby directs timely payment by the Geauga County Auditor in the amount of \$180.00 (One Hundred Eighty Dollars and No Cents) from 1001-008-00-601 payable to KING AND IVANS LAW LLC, for 23PG123 Guardian Ad Litem fees, which the Probate Court has determined to be an expenditure for a proper public purpose. Kindly provide this Court with the original check which it will mail to the vendor.

Pursuant to R.C. 319.16(D), "if the auditor questions the validity of [this] expenditure... the auditor shall notify the court that presented the documents, shall issue the warrant under protest, and shall notify the auditor of state of the protest."

As an elected official and member of the judicial branch of county government, the Judge of the Geauga County Probate/Juvenile Court is authorized to fix the amount due to court vendors who perform services for the court. Therefore, pursuant to R.C. 307.55(A), this payment is to be processed "Live".

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ГІМОТНҮ J. GRENDELL, JUDGE

CC: Fiscal Director

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS PROBATE DIVISION GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

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PRUBATE-UDVENUE SIVISION GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

IN RE: **GUARDIANSHIP OF** CASE NO. 23 PG 000123

JUDGE TIMOTHY J. GRENDELL ORDER

This matter came on for hearing on this ___ the motion of Richard A. Ivans, Guardian Ad Litem of attorney's fees rendered in the within the period of December 13, 2023 through December 15. 2023 in the amount of ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY DOLLARS (\$ 180.00).

It is the finding of the Court that the services were fair and reasonable.

WHEREFORE, IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, that Geauga County Probate Court, shall pay attorney fees in the amount of One Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$180.00) to King & Ivans Law, LLC for professional services rendered by Richard A. Ivans, Esq. for the said matter.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

JUDGE TIMOTHY J. GRENDELL

Prepared by Richard A. Ivans (0093669)

THIS IS TO CERTAL THAT THE FURBUUMU IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE DOCUMENT ON SILE IN THIS OFFICE. EXCEPT FOR THE REDACTION O. SOCIAL SECURITY MUNICHES, IF ANY, ENTERED L. 20. 12 WITNESS MY HAND ND SEAL OF SAIDLOURT THIS 3 DAY OF JUDGE & EX-OFFICIO CLERK Timothy J. Grendell DEDITTY CLERK