

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
32<sup>nd</sup> JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
GOGEBIC COUNTY

MOTION TO OPT OUT OF FRIEND OF  
THE COURT SERVICES

CASE NO.

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Court address: 200 N. Moore Street, Bessemer, MI 49911

Telephone no. (906) 663-4211

Plaintiff's name, address and telephone no.

Defendant's name, address and telephone no.

v

Attorney's name, address and telephone number

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Hon. Michael K. Pope (P48635)

Hon. Anna R. Talaska (P68662)

**The parties file this Motion to Opt Out of Friend of the Court Services pursuant to MCL 552.505a, and affirm to the Court as follows:**

1. We willfully wish to assume full responsibility for administration and enforcement of obligations imposed in our case, and understand that opting out of Friend of the Court services does not release us from obligations imposed in the Orders entered in our case;
2. We have filed with the Court Clerk an Advice of Rights Regarding Use of Friend of the Court Services form (FOC 101). We each have willfully signed this form and understand fully its impact for our children and ourselves;
3. We state affirmatively that neither party is receiving public assistance, there is no arrearage owed to any governmental agency that provided assistance, that no support arrearage or custody or parenting time order violation has occurred in the previous 12 months, that neither party has reopened a Friend of the Court case in the previous 12 months, and that there is no history of domestic violence or uneven bargaining positions; and
4. That neither of us has chosen to close the Friend of the Court case against the best interests of either party or our children.

WHEREFORE, the parties hereto request that the Court enter an Order Exempting Case from Friend of the Court Services.

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Plaintiff's Signature

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Date

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Defendant's Signature

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Date