
In the Matter of the Welfare
of the Youth of:

FINDINGS OF FACT AND ORDER
FOR INFORMAL REVIEW OF
VOLUNTARY PLACEMENT OF
A 18-21 YOUTH

Young Adult:

Court File No.
County Atty. File No.
Hearing Date:

Based upon the Court's review of the Written Report, the Out-of-Home Placement Plan, the Written Summary of any Administrative Review and all other information provided by Washington County Community Services, the parent or guardian, the youth, foster parent, or other residential facility the Court making the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The previous court order on remain in effect.
The youth is no longer in extended foster care placement and the court can close.
The youth turned 21 and is no longer eligible for extended youth foster care.
2. Washington County Community Services appropriately transitioned the youth.
3. The attached Written Report of Washington County Community Services is incorporated herein and made a part hereof by reference as its individualized findings as required in Minnesota Statute Section 260C.141, subdivision 2, and Minnesota Statute Section 260C.299.

Based upon the above Findings of Fact, the Court makes the following:

ORDER

1. That the previous court order remain in effect.
That the voluntary placement of the 18-21 above-named youth is no longer active or the youth is 21 and cannot remain in youth placement and the court file will close.
2. That Washington County Court Administration shall deliver a copy of this Order to the Washington County Attorney's Office, Washington County Community Services, the foster parent, and the youth.

Dated: _____

Judge of District Court

TO: THE JUDGES OF THE JUVENILE COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

INFORMAL REPORT OF YOUTH 18-21 RECEIVING FOSTER CARE BENEFITS

This is the report of Washington County Community Services in the above entitled matter:

Court File #:
Date of Hearing:
Date of Report:

In the Matter of the Youth of:

Young Adult:
Youth's Name

Date placed in out-of-home prior to age 18: (length of time/status)

Youth remains continuously in Voluntary Foster Care Placement after age 18/19:
Yes No Copy of VPA to court on:

Date youth re-entered Voluntary Foster Care Placement after age 18: NA

ADJUSTMENT DURING CUSTODY AND/OR PLACEMENT AND REVIEW OF OUT-OF-HOME PLACEMENT PLAN:

I. RECOMMENDATIONS

- The previous court order remain in effect.
- Youth turned 21 and extended youth foster care ended. Court file will close.
- Youth voluntarily left extended foster care on and the court file will be closed.
- Per the previous court order, the youth does not meet the conditions to remain in Extended Foster Care, the voluntary placement agreement ended , and the court file will be closed.

II. THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE YOUTH ARE BEST SERVED BY THE ABOVE RECOMMENDATIONS BECAUSE:

III. REASONABLE EFFORTS MADE BY WCCS/CANVAS HEALTH TO ASSIST THE YOUTH 18-21 IN TRANSITION TO INDEPENDENCE:

IV. WHEN A YOUTH IS AGE 14 OR OLDER, THE COURT SHALL REVIEW THE INDEPENDENT LIVING PROVISION OF SERVICES TO THE YOUTH RELATED TO THE WELL BEING OF THE YOUTH AS THE YOUTH PREPARES TO LEAVE FOSTER CARE:

1. The youth has made the following progress toward or accomplishment of the following goals:

- a. Date obtained a high school diploma or its equivalent or the estimated graduation date:
- b. Completion of a driver's education course or demonstrated the ability to use public transportation: Driver's Education: Yes No / Permit/License: Yes No / Learned Bus System: Yes No
- c. Obtaining employment or enrolling in post-secondary education: Employed: Yes No / Post-Secondary: Yes No
- d. Application for and obtaining disability income assistance for which the youth is eligible: Yes No IV-E
- e. Obtaining health care coverage, including identifying the health care providers to meet physical and mental health needs:
- f. Identifying affordable housing options with necessary supports when the youth leaves foster care:
- g. Saving sufficient funds to pay for the first month's rent and a damage deposit: Yes No
- h. What is the alternative affordable housing plan, if the original housing plan is unworkable:
 - i. Registration for the Selective Service: Yes No NA-Female
 - j. Identify permanent connections to caring adult(s):
2. Washington County Community Services, in conjunction with the placement provider, has done the following to assist the youth in obtaining the following documents prior to the youth's leaving foster care:
 - a. Social Security card: Yes No Explanation:
 - b. Birth certificate: Yes No Explanation:
 - c. State identification card or driver's license, green card, or school visa: Which?
 - d. School, medical, and dental records:
 - e. Contact list of the youth's medical, dental, and mental health providers:
 - f. Contact information for the youth's siblings, if the siblings are in foster care:

REQUEST FOR INFORMAL REVIEW

Upon the above report and upon all of the files and records herein, the undersigned requests that the above entitled matter be reviewed informally and that the court issue an order containing the above recommendations.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the content of this court report is true and correct and is based upon personal observation, first-hand knowledge, or information and belief.

Respectfully submitted,

 [Full name]
 SW's Title
 Washington County Community Services
 [Phone]

Date: _____

