

State of Minnesota

Ramsey County

District Court

Judicial District: Second

Court File Number: _____

Case Type: _____

vs.

**Order Regarding
Order to Show Cause**

Order Granting Order to Show Cause Request

To: Responding Party, _____

Based on the *Notice of Motion and Motion for Contempt and Affidavit in Support of Motion for Contempt*, and all records and proceedings in this case,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. You shall appear at a hearing, no later than sixty (60) days after the issuance of this Order, on [date] at _____:

Remote Hearing

- Go to: <https://zoomgov.com/join>
- Joint the hearing by typing in the meeting id and password.
 - **Meeting ID:** _____
 - **Password:** _____
- For additional information, or if you need assistance in finding a place with a reliable internet connection and a device that will allow you to attend the Zoom Hearing, call 651-266-2842.

In Person Hearing

Ramsey County Juvenile and Family Justice Center
25 West 7th Street, Courtroom [courtroom #]
St. Paul, MN 55102

Ramsey County Courthouse
15 West Kellogg Blvd., Courtroom
St. Paul, MN 55102

and explain why the court should not find you in contempt of court for violating the Order as alleged in the *Notice of Motion and Motion for Contempt and Affidavit in Support of Motion for Contempt*.

2. You have the right to be represented by an attorney. If you want an attorney and cannot afford one and are at risk of being jailed for contempt, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you. You may have to pay part of the cost of an attorney’s services, if the Court appoints one for you and decides you can pay.

3. Any responsive pleadings you wish to present to the Court must be served on the other party and filed with the court **no later than 7 days before the scheduled hearing**, including Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays. The Court may, in its discretion, disregard any responsive pleadings served and filed less than 7 days before such hearing, and rule on the Motion or matter in question. If you want to raise **new** issues at the hearing, your responsive pleadings raising new issues must be served on the other party and filed with the Court **no later than 14 days before the scheduled hearing**.
4. The ability to pay is a crucial issue in a contempt proceeding. A Parenting/Financial Disclosure Statement form for submitting ability to pay information is available for use in responding to contempt allegations. The Parenting/Financial Disclosure Statement form should be served and filed with the Court at or before the contempt hearing. Court forms are available at the Court Administrator’s Office or at www.mncourts.gov/forms.
5. The parties are restrained from annoying, molesting, or interfering with the other party in any manner whatsoever during the pendency of this proceeding, in or out of the home, in person, by agent, or by telephone.
6. Failure to appear at the scheduled hearing may result in the issuance of a bench warrant for your arrest.

Order Denying Order to Show Cause Request

Based on the *Affidavit in Support of Order to Show Cause*, Minnesota General Rules of Practice 303.05 and 309.01, all records and proceedings in this case, the Court FINDS:

1. The supporting affidavit does not make an affirmative showing of:
 - A need to require the party to appear in person at the hearing, or
 - A need for interim support is warranted, or
 - The production of limited financial information is deemed necessary by the court, or
 - A need for the issuance of an order to show cause.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The request for an Order to Show Cause for Contempt is DENIED.

Recommended by:

BY THE COURT:

Referee of District Court

Judge of District Court