

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
JUVENILE DIVISION  
CLINTON COUNTY, OHIO**

IN THE MATTER OF:

\_\_\_\_\_  
*First Child's Name*

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Second Child's Name*

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Third Child's Name*

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

Judge \_\_\_\_\_

Magistrate \_\_\_\_\_

**MOTION FOR SERVICE VIA POSTING**

Now comes \_\_\_\_\_, and moves this Honorable Court for an order permitting service by posting and mail upon the following individual:

\_\_\_\_\_.

An affidavit is attached setting forth all reasonable efforts that have been made to find the usual place of residence of the person listed above.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned respectfully requests the Court to grant this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney For

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

**AFFIDAVIT FOR SERVICE BY POSTING**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that:

- 1. I am the movant in these proceedings;
- 2. I am related to the minor children the subject of this case as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_.

3. That \_\_\_\_\_ (insert name of person to be served) is the \_\_\_\_\_ (e.g., mother/father/custodian) of the minor child. I do not know where I can serve them with court papers.

4. The last address I have for said party is: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

5. The last cellular telephone number I had for said party is: \_\_\_\_\_.

6. I asked the child(ren) where the party can be found and they said: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

7. That I have exercised due diligence and cannot find the current whereabouts of said party despite my best efforts to locate them. I have made the following attempts to obtain an address for service of process:

- Made verbal, written, or electronic (e-mail/text/social media) contact and specified in that communication that I was requesting their current address for the purpose of providing notice of the legal filings in the Trumbull County Family Court, but he/she refused to provide me with the requested information.
- Inquired with relatives, known friends or acquaintances, or current or former employers. List specifically the individuals with whom you made/attempted contact:

\_\_\_\_\_.

Searched the following social media platforms for the individual's profile:  Facebook;  Instagram;  Twitter;  SnapChat;  LinkedIn;  Other \_\_\_\_\_.

Completed the following internet searches:  www.truepeoplesearch.com;  www.whitepages.com;  www.peoplefinder.com;  www.lexisnexis.com;  other internet search engines: \_\_\_\_\_.

Searched the following public records:  marriage records;  police records;  common pleas court filings;  municipal court filings;  Ohio inmate search;



other\_\_\_\_\_.

Any other efforts not listed above:\_\_\_\_\_.

8. I believe the last known address of the individual is not the current address because  
\_\_\_\_\_.

9. I have concluded after reasonable diligence that service on this individual can only be had  
by publication.

10. This Affidavit is made pursuant to law as set forth in Ohio Juvenile Rule 16.

11. The information set forth above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge,  
information, and belief.

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

Sworn to and subscribed before me this\_\_\_\_\_day of\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC

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**ORDER FOR SERVICE VIA POSTING**

This matter came before the Court on \_\_\_\_\_'s Motion for Service via Posting.

The Motion for Service via Posting is denied.

The Motion for Service via Posting is granted. The Court Clerk is ordered to issue a Notice of Posting on the Clinton County, Ohio Juvenile Court website.

So ordered. Entered this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge/Magistrate