

**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS**

**AGENDA**

**Thursday June 11, 2026, at 9:00 am (CST)**

**Public Board Meeting**

**NOTE: This meeting is being held in a physically accessible place. Individuals needing assistance, pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, should contact the SDBMOE at [sdbmoe@state.sd.us](mailto:sdbmoe@state.sd.us) or 605-367-7781 in advance of the meeting to make any necessary arrangements.**

**Meeting Location: 101 N Phillips Ave, Suite 201 Board Room , Sioux Falls, SD 57104**

**Current Board Member Meeting Attendance Record<sup>1</sup>**

	BAB	SGB	MADC	CTD	CAG	RGH	NFH	JK	KTK	GL	TO	CJP	HHS	LMS	RJS	JLT	MJT
6/12/25	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Azure Bearstail (BAB), Blanchard (SGB); Chessmore (MADC); Dietrich (CTD); Gilkerson (CAG); Hainje (RGH); Holt (NFH); Kalahar (JK); Kassin (KTK); Langerock (GL); Odney (TO); Pavlis (CJP); Spies (HHS); Stark (LMS); Sunne (RJS); Tegethoff (JLT); Trosen (MJT)  
 (☒=present, ☐=absent, N/A=prior to appointment to the BMOE or after term ended)

**Meeting Agenda**

1. 9:00 am: Call to order, Roll Call
2. Agenda approval<sup>3</sup>
3. Public Comment Period (5 minutes) pursuant to SDCL 1-25-1 where the chair of the public body shall reserve at every official meeting by the public body a period for public comment, limited at the chair's discretion
4. Board Members: Code of Conduct and Rules for Conflict of Interest - *for information*
5. Consent Agenda: The consent agenda allows the board to approve all these items together without discussion or individual motions. Items may be removed from the consent agenda on the request of any one member. Items not removed may be adopted by general consent without debate. Removed items may be taken up either immediately after the consent agenda or placed later at the discretion of the assembly.<sup>2</sup>
  - a. Draft Minutes
  - b. New Licensure Report
  - c. Financial Report
  - d. Docket
6. Advisory Councils Business
7. Executive Director Report
8. Annual Election of Officers
9. Executive Session:
 

*The Board may close the meeting pursuant to SDCL 1-25-2(3) and 19-19-502 to consult with legal counsel*
10. Action After Executive Session
11. Public Non-Physician Hearings
12. Confidential Physician Hearings (Closed session Pursuant to SDLC 36-4-31.5)
13. Action After Confidential Physician Hearings
14. Future Board Meeting Dates are available on the Board’s website under Board Info
15. Adjourn

<sup>1</sup> Meeting attendance history available upon request

<sup>2</sup> Adapted from [http://www.wvcc.edu/CMS/fileadmin/PDF/Learning\\_Center/Consent\\_Agenda\\_FAQ.pdf](http://www.wvcc.edu/CMS/fileadmin/PDF/Learning_Center/Consent_Agenda_FAQ.pdf)

<sup>3</sup> Items may be addressed out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Board or to aid in the efficiency of the meeting.

**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS (BMOE)**

**March 12, 2026**

[Unapproved Draft Minutes](#)

[9:00 AM \(Central Time\)](#)

**Public Regular Board Meeting**

**101 N. Main Ave., Suite 306**

**Sioux Falls, SD 57104**

Unapproved Draft Minutes<sup>1</sup>. Board votes by voice call<sup>2</sup>

Board members present: Brittany Azure Bearstail MD, Scott Blachard DO; Maurice Chessmore MD, Cartney Gilkerson GC, Natalie Holt MD, Julie Kalahar OTR/L, Kathryn Kassin PA-C, Tryg Odney ATC, Clay Pavlis MD, Lisa Stark RD/LN; Rachel Sunne MD, Jennifer Tegethoff MD

Board members absent: Christopher Dietrich MD, Richard Hainje, Gary Langerock NRP, Heather Spies MD, Marissa Trosen RRT

Board staff present: Executive Director Ms. Margaret Hansen, Ms. Randi Sterling, Ms. Karli LaBrie

Counsel present: General Counsel to the Board: Assistant AG David McVey, Counsel to the Staff and Prosecutor: Assistant AG Alexis Tracy

Other parties may have been in attendance for this public meeting.

President Tegethoff called the meeting to order at 9:02 AM (Central time). Roll was called, and a quorum was confirmed. A motion to approve the draft agenda was ratified by voice vote (Kassin/Bearstail/unanimous). A call for public comment pursuant to SDCL 1-25-1 was made and there was no public comment. President Tegethoff called attention to the following documents: The Code of Conduct and Conflict of Interest Policy for Use by State Authority, Board, Commission, and Committee Members, and the BMOE member specific administrative rules: 20:78:05:09 Conflict of Interest and 20:78:05:10 Potential Conflict of Interest. A motion for unanimous approval of the consent agenda was ratified by voice vote (Pavlis/Sunne/unanimous).

A public Declaratory Ruling Hearing concerning SDCL 36-29-1.1 and the ability of athletic trainers to perform dry needling was held beginning at 9:08 am. The petition was filed pursuant to SDCL §§ 1-26-15, 36-1C-14, and ARSD § 20:78:02 by sponsor South Dakota Athletic Trainers Association President Mary Beth Zwart. The Board considered seven (7) written comments received prior to the hearing. Proponent oral testimony was heard from the Petition sponsor, and one interested person Dr. Samuel Schimelpfenig. There was no opponent oral testimony. Public testimony concluded and Board discussion and deliberation began at 9:30 am. A motion to adopt the petition as filed, the statute scope of practice is sufficient to authorize athletic trainers to perform dry needling as education and training allows was ratified by voice vote (Kassin/Chessmore/unanimous). Board general counsel McVey will draft findings of fact and conclusions of law for President Tegethoff to sign. The Declaratory Ruling Hearing ended at 9:33 am.

Executive Director Hansen gave a report for information. The current legislative session had several bills related to the BMOE that once signed by the Governor will be South Dakota law as of July 1, 2026. Ambulance operator certification will be removed (HB 1024) and interstate compacts were adopted for three (3) BMOE regulated professions: Physician Assistants (HB 1146), Respiratory Care (HB 1148), Athletic Trainers (HB 1149). The Monitoring Program assessment contract is under vendor review and Paige Cooper joined the BMOE staff as a licensing specialist.

Management Analyst LaBrie presented Advisory Council business and a Slate of Advisory Council Nominations for initial appointment of Dustin Geber to the Athletic Trainer Advisory Council and a second term reappointment of Nancy Trimble to the Physician Assistant Advisory Council. A motion to approve the Slate of Advisory Council Nominations was ratified by voice vote (Kassin/Odney/unanimous).

Investigator Sterling presented an advanced life support scope petition request from the Rapid City Fire Department (RCFD) for the Advanced EMT's employed within their agency be able to petition for the ability to administer epinephrine 1:10,000. The RCFD has incorporated this into its AEMT education program in anticipation of Board

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<sup>1</sup> 1-27-1.17. Draft minutes of public meeting to be available--Exceptions--Violation as misdemeanor. The unapproved, draft minutes of any public meeting held pursuant to § 1-25-1 that are required to be kept by law shall be available for inspection by any person within ten business days after the meeting. However, this section does not apply if an audio or video recording of the meeting is available to the public on the governing body's website within five business days after the meeting. A violation of this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor. However, the provisions of this section do not apply to draft minutes of contested case proceedings held in accordance with the provisions of chapter 1-26.

<sup>2</sup> Format for motions, second and vote results: BMOE member Name (Making the motion/Second/Vote result is either unanimous or noted by name for abstentions. Roll call votes AYE or NAY noted by name)

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approval. The EMS Advisory Council has reviewed and is in support of this request. A motion to accept the request from the Rapid City Fire Department (RCFD) for the Advanced EMT's employed within their agency be able to petition for the ability to administer epinephrine 1:10,000 was ratified by voice vote (Blanchard/Odney/unanimous).

The Board conducted a public non-physician contested case hearing. A motion to accept the stipulated agreement with reprimand for Mr. James Ferrell was ratified by voice vote (Sunne/Gilkerson/Stark abstained/11 Ayes, 0 Nays).

The Board conducted a confidential physician contested case hearing which was closed pursuant to SDCL 36-4-31.5. Members of the public, visitors, and anyone not involved in the confidential physician hearing were excluded from the hearing. A quorum for physician matters of at least six members was established with seven members present. At the conclusion of the physician hearing, the Board exited the closed physician session, and the public meeting resumed for final Board action on the confidential hearing. A motion to accept the stipulated agreement with reprimand for Dr. Nielsen Burns was ratified by voice vote (Pavlis/Bearstail/Blanchard abstained/6 Ayes, 0 Nays).

President Tegethoff mentioned that future board meeting dates are available on the Board's website under Board Info. The June 2026 meeting will be an in-person meeting.

With no further business, President Tegethoff called the public meeting ended and adjourned at 10:09 am Central time.

**Athletic Trainer****Total 3**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Ethan Allard Freitas	1635 Caregiver Cir		Rapid City	SD	57702	12/31/2026
Allison Marie Kroksh	6100 S Louise Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57108	12/31/2026
Caden LeForge Wright	150 Box 2820		Brookings	SD	57007	12/31/2026

**Ambulance Operator****Total 58**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Brian Lee Beck	1325 S. Cliff Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	04/30/2028
Drex Lucas Martinek	1401 N C Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	04/30/2028
Ethan Rue Wientjes						04/30/2028
Ky Cody Becker						04/30/2028
Ashley Michelle Smaltz	711 W. 1st St.		Webster	SD	57274	04/30/2028
Joseph Robert Tegethoff						04/30/2028
Talonne Sahara Chardeau Johnson	1401 N C Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	04/30/2028
Tanner Tazlyn Setliff	1401 N C Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	04/30/2028
Kenleigh Marie Buschmann	1401 N C Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	04/30/2028
Gavin Tyler Pendergrass						04/30/2028
Russell Nickolas Wentz						04/30/2028
Blake Ethan Buckley	1861 Cascade Rd.		Hot Springs	SD	57747	04/30/2028
Shanna Leigh Scherbenske						04/30/2028
Cailey Jo Van Ruler	2300 Yorkshire Dr		Brookings	SD	57006	04/30/2028
Noah Charles McCay	129 1st Ave. NW		Watertown	SD	57201	04/30/2028
Andrea Nicole Troyer						04/30/2028
Kyra Faye Anderson						04/30/2028
Shylo Thomas Arthur						04/30/2028
Joel Anthony Penner						04/30/2028
Brandon Michael MacDonald						04/30/2028
Jaiden William Bunn	121 Second Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Gregory Daniel Lux	121 2nd Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Thomas James Miller	121 2nd Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Nikolas Dylan Pezonella	121 2nd Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Bailee Ann Yule						04/30/2028
Joshua Edward Winkler						04/30/2028
Benjamin Alan Kruppenbacher	10 Main St		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
Trevor David Reddig						04/30/2028
Isaac Robert Perkins						04/30/2028
Nicholas Clinton Chavis						04/30/2028

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Christopher Glenn Duggin						04/30/2028
Chad Daniel Uchytel						04/30/2028
Collin Paul McEntee						04/30/2028
Cody James English						04/30/2028
Dustin Dayton Wiseman	105 William St		Bryant	SD	57221	04/30/2028
Zachary Joseph Johnson	120 S Main St		Plankinton	SD	57368	04/30/2028
Maxwell Clark Kopman	105 S William St		Bryant	SD	57221	04/30/2028
Cameron James Paisley	10 Main st.		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
De'Vaughn Rio Porter	10 Main St		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
Bryce Matthew Swanson						04/30/2028
Daneld Charles Mielke						04/30/2028
Kylee Derica Mogen						04/30/2028
Jenica Lynn Becker	411 S. Fort St.		Pierre	SD	57501	04/30/2028
Terrance Alan Kinzer						04/30/2028
Jacob Harold Lillehaug						04/30/2028
Mathew Scott Kahler						04/30/2028
Kelli ReNae Leitner						04/30/2028
Zachary Francis Ordal	129 1st Ave. NW		Watertown	SD	57201	04/30/2028
Hannah Elaine Stadum						04/30/2028
Jodie Marie Severson						04/30/2028
Kaththea Bethany Whitney	100 S Cloud St Station 1		Clark	SD	57225	04/30/2028
Derek Daniel Axelsen						04/30/2028
Shane Cotten Thorstenson						04/30/2028
Matthew Daniel Rundell Hojer						04/30/2028
Gail Irene Ginsbach						04/30/2028
Ella Rae Rude-Peterson	111 West 10th Ave		Redfield	SD	57469	04/30/2028
Tracie Rena Henderson						04/30/2028
Mandy Mae Slominski						04/30/2028

**Emergency Medical Responder****Total 6**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Miranda Rae Dale	180 E US Highway 14		Philip	SD	57567	04/30/2028
Kristin Marie Martin	509 Main St		Midland	SD	57552	04/30/2028
Trevor David Reddig						04/30/2028
Emily Melinda Daly						04/30/2028
Dustin Dayton Wiseman	105 William St		Bryant	SD	57221	04/30/2028
Maxwell Clark Kopman	105 S William St		Bryant	SD	57221	04/30/2028

**EMT-Basic****Total 66**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Jaden Hezekiah Pankratz						04/30/2028
Kenleigh Marie Buschmann	1401 N C Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	04/30/2028
Makenzie Elizabeth Jager	513 3rd St. SW		Wagner	SD	57380	04/30/2028
Tyler Joseph Hubert	4601 W 26th street		Sioux Falls	SD	57106	04/30/2028
Brittany Kaye Bathke	26191 US Hwy 281		Stickney	SD	57375	04/30/2028
Malia Lynn Voss	300 22nd. Ave.		Brookings	SD	57006	04/30/2028
Chris Rodney Mursu						04/30/2028
Ethan Rue Wientjes						04/30/2028
Preston Terill Franklin						04/30/2028
Laura Rose Assmus	104 N 3rd St		Stickney	SD	57375	04/30/2028
Carter Ronald Briggs						04/30/2028
Kimberlea Ann Lessman	26191 US Hwy 281		Stickney	SD	57375	04/30/2028
Morgan Arianna Acton						04/30/2028
Madison Gene Robertson	2610 8th Ave SE		Watertown	SD	57201	04/30/2028
Christopher Joseph Zanotto	25881 US Hwy 281		Stickney	SD	57375	04/30/2028
Brandon Michael MacDonald						04/30/2028
Alissa Marie DeLuca						04/30/2028
Torin John Schweisberger						04/30/2028
Joshua Lewis Crouch	305 W South St		Hartford	SD	57033	04/30/2028
Lydia Nell Jones	25216 Ben Reifel Road		Interior	SD	57750	04/30/2028
Jaiden William Bunn	121 Second Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Amanda Kay Konechne						04/30/2028
Marisa Dawn Zweifel	301 N 10th St		Beresford	SD	57004	04/30/2028
Gregory Daniel Lux	121 2nd Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Thomas James Miller	121 2nd Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Nikolas Dylan Pezonella	121 2nd Ave SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
Amanda Marie Koch						04/30/2028
Oliver Thaddeus Barnes	2820 S Minnesota Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	04/30/2028
Logan Cole Gustafson	2820 S Minnesota Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	04/30/2028
Timothy L Moshier	2820 S Minnesota Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	04/30/2028

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Max Jennings Altena						04/30/2028
Elijah James Isakson	201 W 1st Ave		Mitchell	SD	57301	04/30/2028
Jacob Alan Beautrow	4300 E 60th St N		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	04/30/2028
Zachary Joseph Johnson	120 S Main St		Plankinton	SD	57368	04/30/2028
Jenni Danielle Hargreaves						04/30/2028
Olivia Grace Wilkins						04/30/2028
Monica Mary Gardner	111 1st Ave. West		McLaughlin	SD	57642	04/30/2028
Damen Michael Crane						04/30/2028
Sarah Ann Wesch						04/30/2028
Jeffrey Allen Burdine						04/30/2028
Galen Paul McCarthy	1600 N. Kniss Ave.		Luverne	MN	56156	04/30/2028
Ella Rae Rude-Peterson	111 West 10th Ave		Redfield	SD	57469	04/30/2028
Cody Thomas Wesch	315 Chapman Ave		Hosmer	SD	57448	04/30/2028
Brian John Berg						04/30/2028
Jason Randall Jung	221 Central Ave	PO BOX 290	Warner	SD	57479	04/30/2028
Corey John Fitzsimmons	301 West Main		White	SD	57276	04/30/2028
William Joseph Tweedy	122 4th Street		Ipswich	SD	57451	04/30/2028
Jayson Scott Mather						04/30/2028
McKenzie Lyn Staton						04/30/2028
Kaleb Gracen Suelflow	6010 Peaceful Pines Rd		Black Hawk	SD	57718	04/30/2028
Sara Marie Ladegaard						04/30/2028
Jacob Harold Lillehaug						04/30/2028
Nicholas Gabriel Torres						04/30/2028
Halie Nicole Martchinske	1300 Oak St		Faulkton	SD	57438	04/30/2028
Nikki Lynn Purington						04/30/2028
Christopher Michael Wolfer						04/30/2028
Andrew William Hodges	3760 Reservoir Rd		Rapid City	SD	57703	04/30/2028
Michelle Jean Greene	4300 S. Technology Dr.		Sioux Falls	SD	57106	04/30/2028
Kelly Darlene Main						04/30/2028
Liam Wilson	955 East North		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
Christine Iva Michlitsch	111 West 10th Ave		Redfield	SD	57469	04/30/2028
Alex Patrick Mohama						04/30/2028

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Hailemichael Gashaw Tefera						04/30/2028
Ashley Rochelle Waldow						04/30/2028
Konae Louise Wright						04/30/2028
Justyne Leigh Noelle Shoenrock						04/30/2028

**Advanced EMT****Total 8**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Thomas Michael Bondank Matthews	109 East Commercial Ave		Gettysburg	SD	57442	04/30/2028
Benjamin Alan Kruppenbacher	10 Main St		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
Shayna Ellen Dillon	812 Hospital Dr		Rosebud	SD	57570	04/30/2028
Chessa Larae Ossefoort	PO Box 267		Presho	SD	57568	04/30/2028
Tanner Allen Stadum	103 N. Main St		Murdo	SD	57559	04/30/2028
Jarrod Thomas Vandewater	1901 Ballpark Rd		Sturgis	SD	57785	04/30/2028
Tyler Mark Brown	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
Kaleb Aaron Zook	1901 Ballpark Rd.		Sturgis	SD	57785	04/30/2028

**Paramedic****Total 17**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Erik Joseph Hutchcraft	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
Jennifer Sue Hege	1401 10th Ave. West		Mobridge	SD	57601	04/30/2028
Jefferson Gene Davis						04/30/2028
Jeanna Mae Whalin-Brown	1901 Ballpark Rd		Sturgis	SD	57785	04/30/2028
Cody James Cameron	6101 Pershing Street		Sioux City	IA	51111	04/30/2028
Jesse Lloyd Lowe	2820 S. Minnesota Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	04/30/2028
Joseph Anthony Cook, Jr	30 S 3rd St		Custer	SD	57730	04/30/2028
Micaiah Salvatore Bushnell						04/30/2028
Randolph Scott Hardick	900 East 54th St N		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	04/30/2028
Frankie Elvin Ray, II	3900 Airport Road		Rapid City	SD	57703	04/30/2028
Brooklyn Bonnie Stern	111 1st Ave. West		McLaughlin	SD	57642	04/30/2028
Nicole Marie Marks						04/30/2028
Whitney Allyson Peterson	61 Charles St.		Deadwood	SD	57732	04/30/2028
Dennis Eric Boshart	3201 Duggleby Dr.		Cody	WY	82414	04/30/2028
Jaydon Robert-John Leidholdt	121 SE 2nd Ave		Aberdeen	SD	57401	04/30/2028
De'Vaughn Rio Porter	10 Main St		Rapid City	SD	57701	04/30/2028
Joyce Jolene Schnabel						04/30/2028

**Genetic Counselor****Total 6**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Sierra Grace Pond	322 N 2200 West		Salt Lake City	UT	84116	07/01/2027
Sarah Catherine Hunt	13011 McCallen Pass	Bldg A Ste 1	Austin	TX	78753	07/01/2027
Stephanie Camille Duret	322 North 2200 West		Salt Lake City	UT	84116	07/01/2027
Kathryn Alice Lee	322 N 2200 West		Salt Lake City	UT	84116	07/01/2027
Liya Rabkina Gumberg	675 Nelson Rising Lane		San Francisco	CA	94158	07/01/2027
Myriam Pelletier	605 E. Huntington Dr, Suite 209		Monrovia	CA	91016	07/01/2027

**Licensed Nutritionist/Dietician****Total 14**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Hannah Brice Oakley	405 Chillingham Court		Fountain Inn	SC	29644	06/30/2027
Lillian Faith Reimer						06/30/2026
Elliana Grace Ailts						06/30/2027
Tok-Hui Yeap	401 9th NW		Watertown	SD	57201	06/30/2027
Katelyn Rose Nicholson						06/30/2027
Jalayna Marie Miles	1501 S Highline Ave Suite 1F		Sioux Falls	SD	57110	06/30/2027
Wendy Hackleman Leonard	320 Phillips St		North Kingstown	RI	02852	06/30/2027
Gabriela Emilia Gil Macarrulla	353 Fairmont Blvd		Rapid City	SD	57701	06/30/2027
Mackenzie Elizabeth Sweeley	6385 Old Shady Oak Rd #250		Eden Prairie	MN	55344	06/30/2026
Anna Lee Obry	2659 State St, Suite 100		Carlsbad	CA	92008	06/30/2027
Wendy Chen						06/30/2027
Rebecca Holmes	201 NE Mulberry St		Lees Summit	MO	64086	06/30/2027
Emahlea Kathryn Wilcher	5540 Centerview Dr., Ste. 204 #252522		Raleigh	NC	27606	06/30/2027
Janelle Macabulos Tortoriello	5400 Patton Drive, Ste. 2A		Lisle	IL	60532	06/30/2027

**Licensed Nutritionist/Dietician - Temporary**

**Total 1**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Jenna Lucy Morey	4500 W. 69th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57108	06/01/2027

Physician		Total 261					
Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date	Specialty
Robin Paige Gehris, MD						03/01/2027	Dermatology
Pelbreton Collymore Balfour, Jr, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Cardiology
Celso A Hernandez, MD						03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology, Other Specialties
Timothy Craig Carter, MD	1602 Ave Q		Lubbock	TX	79401	03/01/2027	Radiology
Adam Barron, MD	5155 Corporate Way, Suite C		Jupiter	FL	33458	03/01/2027	Rheumatology
Chrystene An Nguyen, MD	3843 S. Bristol St. #238		SANTA ANA	CA	92704	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Nicholas Philip Koenig, MD	401 Warren Street	Suite 300	Redwood City	CA	94063	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Kashif Ajaz Janjua, MD	3400 W. Stonegate Blvd	Suite 101	Arlington Heights	IL	60005	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Shailendra Natvar Chavda, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Xinwei Liu, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Joseph Charles Dearie, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Anne Marjorie Weisensee, MD	2355 Hwy 36 W	Ste. 100	Roseville	MN	55113	03/01/2027	Radiology, Radiology, Other Specialties
Aaron Ashley Brown, DO						03/01/2027	Psychiatry, Psychiatry
Jonathan Greco, DO						03/01/2027	Neurology, Other Specialties
Jonathon Howard McGarry, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine, Emergency Medicine
Manharkumar M Patel, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Estrelita Nancy Clavio-Ziechmann, MD	1420 N. 10th St.		Spearfish	SD	57783	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Pulmonology, Critical Care Medicine
Victor Charles Volle, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Brian Rami Kohen, MD	8299 NW 40th Street		Pembroke Pines	FL	33024	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Justin Caskey, MD						03/01/2027	Radiology
Kara Dawn Beasley, DO						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Aaron Kristoffer Black, MD	316 S 5th Ave/PO Box 4278		Frisco	CO	80443	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Julie Robinson McDermott, MD	310 Comal St		Austin	TX	78702	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice, Other Specialties
Renanit Barron, MD	5155 Corporate Way, Suite C		Jupiter	FL	33458	03/01/2027	Endocrinology
Eric Tee, MD						03/01/2027	Psychiatry
Rachel Katherine Heinze, MD						03/01/2027	Pediatrics (General)
Jason Neal Sellers, MD	169 Madison Ave Ste 38189		New York	NY	10016	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Abir Hassan Akl, MD	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Russ Raj Arjal, MD	3940-7 Broad Street	PMB 390	San Luis Obispo	CA	93401	03/01/2027	Gastroenterology
Sasha Marie Davidson, MD	401 E Las Olas Blvd Ste 130-415		Fort Lauderdale	FL	33301	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Kristie Lynn White, MD	1355 N Mittel Blvd		Wood Dale	IL	60191	03/01/2027	Pathology, Other Specialties
Kudzai Dombo, MD	4400 W Riverside	110	Burbank	CA	91505	03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology
Audie Benjamin Mackie Schmid, DO	5955 Zeamer Avenue		Elmendorf Air Force Base	AK	99506	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Ryan Matthew Schmidt, MD	750 Old Hickory Blvd Ste 1-260		Brentwood	TN	37027	03/01/2027	Radiology
Austin Kimball Traasdahl, DO						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Jo Ann Ann Beltre, MD	86 Lyford Lane		Brentwood	NH	03833	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Amy High, MD	4368 Sunset Ln		Riverton	IL	62561	03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology
Nathan Mikeal Coleman, MD						03/01/2027	Radiology
Mityanand Ramnarine, MD	515 Valley ST #203		Maplewood	NJ	07040	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine, Internal Medicine(General)
Amy Sue Biondich, MD	N2768 County Rd P		Rubicon	WI	53078	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Nicholas Kongoasa, MD						03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology
Marc Allan Futernick, MD	12566 Valley View St		Garden Grove	CA	92845	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Thirath Chau, MD						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Patrick John Devine, MD	13650 Gilbride Lane		Clarksville	MD	21029	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Cardiology
Arnold Salmorin Cruz, DO	8900 Marmora Avenue		Morton Grove	IL	60053	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Nicholas James Lintel, MD						03/01/2027	Pathology
Dane David Hellwig, MD						03/01/2027	Radiology
Faahud Yafai, MD	1717 Main Street, Suite 5850		Dallas	TX	75201	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Amish Sureshchandra Purohit, MD	161 E Rivulon Boulevard	Suite 210	Gilbert	AZ	85297	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Michael Andrew Hansen, MD	1210 W. 18th St. L103		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	03/01/2027	Radiology
Ulyana Dashkeyvych, DO	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Other Specialties
Morgan Taylor Sorensen, MD						03/01/2027	Anesthesiology
Katelyn R. Haiar, MD	1104 West 9th Street		Yankton	SD	57078	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Geriatric Medicine
Lady Aura Caridad Martinez Fernandez, MD	700 E Main St. #645		Richmond	VA	23218	03/01/2027	Psychiatry
Rhonda Nicole Sims, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Lisa Katryn Yezbak, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Arthur Kirsner Balin, MD	36 Dilworthtown Road		Thornton	PA	19373	03/01/2027	Dermatology, Internal Medicine(General)

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Jason Hosey, MD	1602 Ave Q		Lubbock	TX	79401	03/01/2027	Radiology
Beta Jo Hamon, MD	3704 S Scissortail Drive		Stillwater	OK	74074	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Ramiro Fernandez, MD	17284 Slover Ave	Suite 205	Fontana	CA	92337	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Gregory Kelman, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Katharine Theresa Palla, DO	401 Warren Street	Suite 300	Redwood City	CA	94063	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Niveta Aravind, MD						03/01/2027	Neurology
Robert H Hardin, Jr, MD	1602 Ave Q		Lubbock	TX	79401	03/01/2027	Radiology
Jack Ira Ramage, Jr, MD	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Gastroenterology
Jonathan Edward Pangia, DO	157 West 18th Street 2nd Floor		New York	NY	10011	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Tiffany Sun Moon, MD	4347 W Northwest Highway Ste 130-145		Dallas	TX	75220	03/01/2027	Anesthesiology
Camellia Maryam Dalai, MD						03/01/2027	Gastroenterology
Sushil Prabakaran Anand, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Daniel Paul Davis, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Jonathan Paul Lindman, MD						03/01/2027	Otolaryngology
Mandy Malynn Thompson, MD	2261 Market Street #86887		San Francisco	CA	94114	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Daniel Mwanza, DO						03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Surgery(General)
Isaac Siew, MD	3530 S. Soncy Rd		Amarillo	TX	79119	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Andrew Nathan Knoll, MD	1010 N 102nd St Ste 201		Omaha	NE	68114	03/01/2027	Radiology
Arun Kumar Nagabandi, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Stephen Vogel, MD	2261 Market Street #86887		San Francisco	CA	94114	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Oleg Yerokhin Yerstein, MD	2045 W. Grand Ave. Ste. B PMB 89496		Chicago	IL	60612-1577	03/01/2027	Neurology
Matthew Thomas Provencher, MD	181 west meadow drive suite 400		vail	CO	81657	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Nauman Waheed Rashid, MD	1945 Lakepoint Drive		Lewisville	TX	75057	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Dayhana Pena Santiago, MD	1 SW 129th AVE Suite 105		PEMBROKE PINES	FL	33027	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Yauhen Alexander Tarbunou, MD						03/01/2027	Vascular Surgery
Morvarid Tavassoli, MD	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Surgery(General)
Joseph Daniel Hindman, MD	1325 Cliff Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Radiology
John Andrew Oliver, MD	130 River Club Circle		Clarksdale	MS	38614	03/01/2027	Radiology
Kamal Morar, MD	3344 Peachtree RD NE Ste 800		Atlanta	GA	30327	03/01/2027	Radiology
Elizabeth Anne Buisker, DO						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Guy Randall-Spencer Ball, DO	2905 3rd Ave. SE		Aberdeen	SD	57401	03/01/2027	Orthopedic Surgery
Aparajita Das, MD	730 COOL SPRINGS BLVD STE 800		FRANKLIN	TN	37067	03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Cardiology
Shazia Aziz, MD	353 Fairmont Boulevard		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Christine Lynn Dillingham, MD	353 Fairmont Boulevard		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Nephrology
Sandor Toledo, MD	179 Poinsettia Dr		Kissimmee	FL	34743	03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Surgery(General)
Gorav Bohil, MD	101 S Reid St	Ste 307	Sioux Falls	SD	57103	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Brian Joel Hawkins, MD	11816 Inwood Road 70227		Dallas	TX	75244	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Christian Chinedu Okoye, MD						03/01/2027	Radiation Oncology
Peter Barton Moreau, MD	750 Old Hickory Blvd Ste 1-260		Brentwood	TN	37027	03/01/2027	Radiology
Michael Anthony Diaz, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Chirag Raysang Chaudhari, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Ajay Haryani, MD	3724 Jefferson St	Ste 104	Austin	TX	78731-6204	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Melvin Chan, MD	13123 E. 16th Ave., #B202		Aurora	CO	80045	03/01/2027	Pediatrics Subspecialties
Adam Rahim Bolour, MD	2501 W. 22nd St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Gabriel Roman Souza, MD	1325 S. Cliff Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Hematology & Oncology
William Malcolm, MD	5665 Peachteeee Dunwoody Rd		Atlanta	GA	30342	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Ravi Kalidindi, MD	13410 Briarforest Drive, Suite 190		Houston	TX	77077	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Frederic Barry Joseph, MD	1010 N 102ND ST STE 201		OMAHA	NE	68114	03/01/2027	Radiology
Nauroz I Ali, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Kamila Seilhan, DO						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
David Joseph Mohlman, DO	469 WY-50		Gillette	WY	82718	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Amy Marie Bair, MD						03/01/2027	Surgery(General)
Harry D. Marty Vigo, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Infectious Diseases
Charles David Talakkottur, MD	5106 N Armenia Ave. Suite 1		Tampa	FL	33603	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Yachao Zhang, MD	3344 Peachtree RD NE Ste 800		Atlanta	GA	30326	03/01/2027	Radiology
Abdul-rahman Abdel-karim, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Arnold Jay Pollak, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Ewelina Wiktorja Bryll-Perzan, MD	14 Harwood Court Ste 415 No 1028		Scarsdale	NY	10583	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Adetunji Babatunde Williams, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine

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Omar Merchant, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Jack Cossman, MD						03/01/2027	Dermatology
Victoria Acosta, DO						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Marcus Wing, DO	6817 Northfield Place		Hilliard	OH	43026	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Ronald Fred Sher, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Muhammad Usman, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Family Medicine/General Practice
Jasper Singh Gill, DO						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Robert Lee Harding, DO	3112 Windsor Road PMB 529		Austin	TX	78703	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Paola Tumminello, MD	1717 Main Street Suite 5850		Dallas	TX	75201	03/01/2027	Neurology
Scott Eugene Tyson, MD						03/01/2027	Radiology, Radiology
Marcin Kuzma, MD	1032 E Brandon Blvd No 2007		Brandon	FL	33511	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
John Luther Boone, MD						03/01/2027	Otolaryngology
Adedapo Iluyomade, MD	8900 North Kendall Drive		Miami	FL	33176	03/01/2027	Cardiology
Jason B Coombs, DO						03/01/2027	Physical Med & Rehab
Ian Philip Landis, MD	1010 N 102nd St	Ste 201	Omaha	NE	68114	03/01/2027	Radiology
Lauren Elisabeth Giacobbe, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Eric Fete, DO						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Neetu Singh, MD						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Larissa Medina Gonzalez, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Nathalie Francis, MD	502 E. Monroe		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Akintomide Aparo, MD	1305 W. 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Ophthalmology
Amir Pooyan Faghfoory, MD	10431 Perry Hwy Suite 210		Wexford	PA	15090	03/01/2027	Psychiatry, Psychiatry
Alana Pinheiro Alves, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Sherry Lynn Niccoli, MD	234 North Main Street	Suite 2C	Gunnison	CO	81230	03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology
Franklin Paul Bizousky, DO						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Nicholas William McAlister, DO						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Tabetha Ratliff, MD						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Christopher Lough, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Pathology
Kate Dulitz, MD						03/01/2027	Pediatrics (General), Other Specialties
David Michael Whitting, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Sean Patrick Bender, MD	7887 E Belleview Ave	Suite 1100	Englewood	CO	80111	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Lee A Surkin, MD	1862 Old Fort Rd		Greenville	NC	27834	03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Other Specialties
Jatinder Bhardwaj, MD	204 Oats Drive		Lafayette	LA	70508	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Michael Alan Snyder, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Bridgett Marie Baker, MD						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
William Garcia, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Enrique Rodriguez-Paz, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Javier Gonzalez, MD	13727 SW 152 Street 1445		Miami	FL	33177	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Michael Craig Tiller, DO	625 Kenmoor Ave, Suite 301, PMB 91596		Grand Rapids	MI	49546	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Jasmine Ashley Pascoe, MD	1717 Main Street, Suite 5850		Dallas	TX	75201	03/01/2027	Neurology
Degesew Bezza, MD	9783 E 116th Street A483		Fishers	IN	46037	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Anjali Abhijit Shinde, MD	506 E State Parkway		Schaumburg	IL	60173	03/01/2027	Pathology
Daniel J. Rosen, MD	200 E 78 St, Ste 1A		New York	NY	10075	03/01/2027	Surgery(General), Other Specialties
Jason C McDonald, MD						03/01/2027	Preventive Medicine / Public Health
Kenneth James Glassford, MD	1800 John F Kennedy Blvd Ste 300		Philadelphia	PA	19103	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Helen Rosario Jaramillo Gutierrez de Elliott, MD	2000 PGA Blvd Ste 4440 PMB 393		Palm Beach Gardens	FL	33408	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Alexandra Lee Mathern, MD						03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology
Alexander Clinkenbeard, MD	1602 Ave Q		Lubbock	TX	79401	03/01/2027	Nuclear Medicine
John Howell Hamilton, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Gabriel Salvadori, MD						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Sunil Tulpule, MD	1000 E. 23rd St., Ste. 200		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Hematology & Oncology
Miguel Morales, MD	1325 S. Cliff Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Pediatrics Subspecialties
Mareen Melissa Greenway, MD	20500 Belshaw Ave		Carson	CA	90746	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice, Other Specialties
Sarah Lalitha Kalliath, DO	365 Oyster Point Blvd	Suite 300-3B	South San Francisco	CA	94080	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
John David Creasy, MD	1010 N 102nd St Ste 201		Omaha	NE	68114	03/01/2027	Radiology
James Russell Fenton, MD						03/01/2027	Thoracic Surgery
Soroya Montez Bacchus, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Yaw Owusu Ansah, MD	24600 Katy Fwy	Suite 834 PMB 1033	Katy	TX	77494	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Karen Sproull Jackson, MD	2108 N Street	#14811	Sacramento	CA	95816	03/01/2027	Other Specialties

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William Gordon Greene, MD	1010 N 102nd St Ste 201		Omaha	NE	68114	03/01/2027	Radiology
Kunal Manohar Patel, MD	5775 Wayzata Blvd Ste 400		Saint Louis Park	MN	55416	03/01/2027	Radiology
Juanita Erin Prissel, MD	353 Fairmont Boulevard		Rapid City	SD	55701	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Philip Edward Stack, MD	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Gastroenterology
Weiwen Vivian Shih, MD	13123 E. 16th Ave		Aurora	CO	80045	03/01/2027	Pediatrics (General), Pediatrics Subspecialties
Erik Mitchell Sasovetz, DO	444 SE 41st Avenue		Portland	OR	97214	03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Family Medicine/General Practice
Anurag Gupta, MD	565 Plandome Ave Suite 169		Manhasset	NY	11030	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Julia Carolyn Quirion, MD						03/01/2027	Orthopedic Surgery
Binh Kien Nguyen, MD	17284 Slover Ave	Suite 205	Fontana	CA	92337	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Joshua Michael Ian Davidson, MD	85 Coronel Plz		Palos Verdes Estates	CA	90274	03/01/2027	Allergy and Immunology
Andrew Dodd Petersen, DO	348 W Center St		Orem	UT	84057	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Brendan Robert Cleary, MD	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Pediatrics (General), Pediatrics Subspecialties
Sanam Patel, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Todd Edward Duggan, MD						03/01/2027	Pulmonology, Critical Care Medicine
Brittany Barker Booth, DO						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Anthony Millard, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Sudharani Dikkala, MD	1717 Main Street Suite 5850		Dallas	TX	75201	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Nephrology
Vipul Raman Dev, MD	2901 Sillect Ave., Ste. 201		Bakersfield	CA	93308	03/01/2027	Plastic Surgery, Plastic Surgery
Loring Isaac Perry, MD						03/01/2027	Otolaryngology
Shaye Dawn Lanouette, MD	1400 W 22nd St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Surgery(General), Surgery(General)
Krista Lucille Gonzales, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Endocrinology
Engelbert Tito Ranada, DO	7755 Tamra Frive		Reno	NV	89506	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Rory Howard Lewis, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Trisha Khanna, MD						03/01/2027	Dermatology
Matthew Giltner Bell, MD	1211 Grange Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Thomas Jeffrey Matthew Lambert, MD						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Malgorzata Ewa Skaznik-Wikiel, MD	271 W County Line Rd		Littleton	CO	80129	03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology, Other Specialties
Zachary Brian Kramer, MD	197 Palmer Ave	2	Falmouth	MA	02540	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
John Francis Lozowski, Jr, DO	525 Foster St.		Mitchell	SD	57301	03/01/2027	Radiology
Thomas Crane McCoy, DO	10 Center St		CHAGRIN FALLS	OH	44022	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice, Other Specialties
Naureen Munawar, MD	1335 Garrick Way		Marietta	GA	30068	03/01/2027	Psychiatry
Gregory Daniel Bennett, MD	172 Blue Heron Dr		Eatonton	GA	31024	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Virginia Yolanda Gonzalez, MD	2261 Market Street, Ste 22930		San Francisco	CA	94114	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Adam Ray Bleeker, MD	6601 S Minnesota Ave		Sioux Falls	SD	57108	03/01/2027	Other Specialties, Ophthalmology
Kyle Preston Patterson, DO	734 Wickham Fen Way		Boise	ID	83709	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Cristina Marie Perez, MD						03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Aalap Manoj Majmudar, MD	312 S 4th St	Ste 700	Louisville	KY	40202	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General), Other Specialties
Andrew Fones Bognanno, MD	827 E. Park Blvd	Ste. 20	Boise	ID	83712	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Nicole LeAnn Weber, MD	3200 Canyon Lake Dr.		Rapid City	SD	57702	03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology
Ibrahim J. Haddad, MD						03/01/2027	Gastroenterology
Michael David Brown, DO	19731 Matsonia Lane		Huntington Beach	CA	92646	03/01/2027	Radiology
Nirav Arvin Patel, MD						03/01/2027	Radiology
Raphael Paul Golebiowski, MD						03/01/2027	Psychiatry, Other Specialties
Cina Ali, MD						03/01/2027	Radiology
Mason Reed McManus, MD	216 Anamaria Dr.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Anesthesiology
Kyle Robert Baum, DO	1600 W 22nd St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	03/01/2027	Pediatrics (General), Pediatrics Subspecialties
Mario Pucci, MD	353 Fairmont Blvd.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Joel Marcus Post, DO	353 Fairmont Blvd		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery
Erik Brandon Romanelli, MD						03/01/2027	Anesthesiology
Shahryar Masouem, MD						03/01/2027	Obstetrics and Gynecology
Adrien Carl Ennis, DO						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Jordan Marc Broekhuis, MD	986880 Nebraska Medical Center		Omaha	NE	68198	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Roderick Matthew Huff, MD	8833 Chapelsquare Lane	Suite 2C	Cincinnati	OH	45249	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine, Other Specialties
Aaron Todd Benner, MD	1010 N 102nd St	Ste 2021	Omaha	NE	68114	03/01/2027	Radiology
James David Lawrence, MD						03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Juan Guillermo Bastidas, MD						03/01/2027	Thoracic Surgery, Surgery(General)
Mohamad Moussa, MD	3315 Murd Road		Sylvania	OH	43560	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Ronald Brent New, MD						03/01/2027	Thoracic Surgery, Thoracic Surgery
Cindy Ojewwe, MD	5015 E Trindle Road		Mechanicsburg	PA	17050	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice

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Corey Paul McCart, MD						03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Felicia Lacksen, MD	1051 Ramblewood PLace		Watkinsville	GA	30677	03/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Chad Joseph Cooper, MD						03/01/2027	Gastroenterology, Internal Medicine(General)
Magdalena Lorraine Brooks, MD	4314 Lake Walk Court		Missouri City	TX	77459-3268	03/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Danny Choy, DO						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Johnathan Charles Hays, MD	1825 Buttermilk Ct.		Virginia Beach	VA	23456	03/01/2027	Radiology
Shivonne Suttles, MD	401 Warren Street	Suite 300	Redwood City	CA	94063-1536	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Jason Gene Lozano, MD	2805 5th St.		Rapid City	SD	57701	03/01/2027	Pathology, Other Specialties
Madeline Jo Nykamp, MD	4400 W. 69th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57108	03/01/2027	Psychiatry, Other Specialties
Michael Canney DeVisser, MD	500 Westover Dr	PMB 31529	Sanford	NC	27330	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Charles Lee Backus, III, DO	500 Westover Dr		Sanford	NC	27330	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Joshua Nelson, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Frank Feigenbaum, MD	4925 Greenville Ave	Energy Square 1, Ste 1307	Dallas	TX	75206	03/01/2027	Neurological Surgery
Thomas Chrisman Masters, II, MD						03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Joshua Verson, MD	1955 w frye rd		chandler	AZ	85224	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Anant Walia, MD	300 West Redwood Street, apartment 909		Baltimore	MD	21201	03/01/2027	Neurology
YongChao Li, MD						03/01/2027	Pathology
Michael Messina, MD						03/01/2027	Anesthesiology
James F Neuenschwander, MD	4535 Dressler Rd NW		Canton	OH	44718	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Michael Angel Jaimes, MD						03/01/2027	Radiology
Nilantha Dharshana Lenora, MD	1319 F Street	Suite 301 PMB 206	Washington	DC	20004	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Oluwole Adeyemi Babatunde, MD						03/01/2027	Psychiatry
Aaron Louis Harman, MD	7026 Old Katy Road Suite 276		Houston	TX	77024	03/01/2027	Radiology
Tobe Propst, MD	3773 RED OAK COURT		Lake Wales	FL	33898	03/01/2027	Other Specialties
Stephen Myhre Paulson, MD	227 Winding Lane		Shavano Park	TX	78231	03/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Danielle Hemard Melton, MD	12631 E 17th Ave	Mail Stop F493	Aurora	CO	80045	03/01/2027	Physical Med & Rehab, Other Specialties
Shamaelah Javed, MD	1717 Main Street Suite 5850		Dallas	TX	75201	03/01/2027	Neurology

**Occupational Therapist****Total 7**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Ifraj D. Watts	801 E. Sioux Ave.		Pierre	SD	57501	01/01/2027
Alexandra Lyn Thompson						01/01/2027
Emma Catherine Simonson	450 Eastvold Ave.		Ortonville	MN	56278	01/01/2027
Matthew Christopher Lee						01/01/2027
Erinn Lorraine Elhardt						01/01/2027
Kiana Rae Schumacher	1305 W. 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	01/01/2027
Antoinette Brielle Cave						01/01/2027

**Occupational Therapy Assistant****Total 2**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Ashley Anne Young	301 Flynn Dr., Ste. 3		Milbank	SD	57252	01/01/2027
Haley Danae Price	205 Orchard Dr.		Sisseton	SD	57262	01/01/2027

**Physician Assistant****Total 24**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date	Specialty
Emily A. Lawrence	401 Prairie Ave. SW		De Smet	SD	57231	05/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Taylor Brant McDowell	1321 Upland Dr., Suite 18399		Houston	TX	77043	05/01/2027	Psychiatry
Zachary Daniel Jones	3300 Eagle Run Dr. NE, Ste. 103		Grand Rapids	MI	49525	05/01/2027	Physician Assistant (General)
Zachary Lee Selchert	400 N. Hiawatha Dr.		Canton	SD	57013	05/01/2027	
Bethany Lynn Markman	2525 E Charleston Rd	#104	Mountain View	CA	94043	05/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Brianna Lynn Podoll	701 8th AVE NW Suite A		Aberdeen	SD	57401	05/01/2027	Orthopedic Surgery
Alisha Sarid Garcia	515 Valley Street	#203	Maplewood	NJ	07040	05/01/2027	Physician Assistant (General)
Tyler Martin Wetzal	PO Box 5210		Grand Forks	ND	58206	05/01/2027	Psychiatry
Tamara Jo McMillan						05/01/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Michael Crelencia Villas	172 4th St. SE		Huron	SD	57350	05/01/2027	
Leigh Christina Casabianca						05/01/2027	Physician Assistant (General)
Michelle Aya Fukuda	515 Valley Street	#203	Maplewood	NJ	07040	05/01/2027	Physician Assistant (General)
Lindsey DeAnne Mills						05/01/2027	Psychiatry
Tamera Renee Binder						05/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Abigail Ann Russman	1201 Hwy. 71 South		Hot Springs	SD	57747	05/01/2027	
Juan Carlos La Rosa Pedroso	607 Indian Health Road		Pine Ridge	SD	57770	05/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
William Samuel Drew	515 Valley Street	#203	Maplewood	NJ	07040	05/01/2027	Physician Assistant (General)
Shannon Christine McKnight	500 Harvard St SE		Minneapolis	MN	55455	05/01/2027	
Jason D. Howe	4546 S 86th St Ste B		Lincoln	NE	68526	05/01/2027	
Belsis Matilde Rodriguez	515 Valley ST #203		Maplewood	NJ	07040	05/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Ross S Hansen	301 E. 7th St.		Wadefield	NE	68784	05/01/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Dhara M. Rana	515 Valley ST #203		Maplewood	NJ	07040	05/01/2027	Emergency Medicine
Shannon Melissa Chin	8950 N. Kendall Drive, Ste. 504W		Miami	FL	33176	05/01/2027	Physician Assistant (General)
Alison Qunell	515 Valley ST #203		Maplewood	NJ	07040	05/01/2027	Emergency Medicine

**Resident License****Total 33**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date	Specialty
Chase William Gauthier, MD	1305 W 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Orthopedic Surgery
Shivam Hitesh Patel, MD	1210 W 18TH ST		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	06/30/2027	Orthopedic Surgery
Christine Saucier Collins, MD	1210 W. 18th St., Ste. G01		Sioux Falls	SD	57104	06/30/2027	Orthopedic Surgery
Japneet Kaur Oberoi, MD	1400 W. 22nd St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Alexander Saturnino Teano, MD	1400 W. 22nd St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Surgery(General)
Sara Ahmad Mohamad Mahmoud Aboelmaaty, MD	1400 W 22ND ST		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Pediatrics (General)
William Faches Chadwick, DO	4400 W. 69th St. Ste 1500		Sioux Falls	SD	57108	06/30/2027	Psychiatry
Haley Jo McMahon, MD	1115 E 20th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Anjana Kuriackose, MD						06/30/2027	Pediatrics (General)
Joseph Hunter Kelly, MD	1400 W 22ND ST		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Other Specialties
Chase Bryan Howe						06/30/2027	Psychiatry
Mollie Kathleen Cody, MD	1115 E 20th St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Philip John Dohn	4400 W. 69th St. Ste 1500		Sioux Falls	SD	57108	06/30/2027	Psychiatry
Emily Cole Hilbrands, MD	1115 E 20th St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Molly Jean Lien						06/30/2027	Dermatology
Nathan Gary Popp, MD	1305 W. 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Emergency Medicine
Holly Jean Goehring, MD	1115 E. 20th Street		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Allison Nicole Vaporean, DO	1305 W. 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Pediatrics (General)
Hannah Marie DeHoogh-Kliewer, MD	1400 W. 22nd St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2026	Internal Medicine(General)
Hannah Lynn Sutton						06/30/2027	Psychiatry
Graham Elliot Leonard, MD						06/30/2027	Psychiatry
Alexis Xin Ziyu Volkert	1400 W 22ND ST		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Surgery(General)
Andrew Michael Fickert, MD						06/30/2027	Surgery(General)
Logan Don Stacey	1400 W 22ND ST		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Internal Medicine(General)
Emily Marie Kirschenmann, MD	1115 E 20th St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Mariah Michael Shafer, MD	1115 E 20th St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Richie Zhang	1400 W 22ND ST		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Radiology
Ashlyn Rose Franta	1115 E 20th St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Family Medicine/General Practice
Lubin Roy Deng	1400 W 22ND ST		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Other Specialties
Bailey Paige Marmon						06/30/2027	Pediatrics (General)
Paxten Jay Wahlund, MD	1400 W. 22nd St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Emergency Medicine
Jonathon Joseph Gruba, MD	1400 W. 22nd St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Neurology
Jonathan James Baylis Chapman, MD	1305 W. 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	06/30/2027	Pathology

**Respiratory Care Practitioner****Total 18**

Name	Address 1	Address 2	City	State	Postal Code	Expiration Date
Michele Elizabeth Sanders						12/31/2026
Judy Lynn Dansand-Alred	801 E. Sioux Ave.		Pierre	SD	57501	12/31/2026
Vanessa Monsalve Wagner Klassen						12/31/2026
Allen R. Straight	2501 W 22ND St		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	12/31/2026
Harley Alexandra Collier						12/31/2026
Kelly Denise Fierro						12/31/2026
Nathan Willie Alonzo	1305 W 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	12/31/2026
Tia Xiong	7353 Company Dr.		Indianapolis	IN	46237	12/31/2026
David Richard Ferraiuolo	7353 Company Dr.		Indianapolis	IN	46237	12/31/2026
Nicole April Mientke	7353 Company Dr.		Indianapolis	IN	46237	12/31/2026
Ashlyn Sunshine Kirk	353 Fairmont Blvd		Rapid City	SD	57701	12/31/2026
Branson Lee Cowles						12/31/2026
Britney Nicole Walton	353 Fairmont Boulevard		Rapid City	SD	57701	12/31/2026
Rachel Marie Wilner	353 Fairmont Blvd		Rapid City	SD	57701	12/31/2026
Ryan Jared Storevik						12/31/2026
Noel Kristine Kastner	1325 S. Cliff Ave.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	12/31/2026
Morgan Diane March	1305 W 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	12/31/2026
Darcy Mae Geersen	1305 W 18th St.		Sioux Falls	SD	57105	12/31/2026

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Subobject	Operating	Expenditures	Encumbrances	Commitments	Remaining	AVL
<b>EMPLOYEE SALARIES</b>						
5101010 F-t Emp Sal & Wages	560,071	328,326	0	0	231,745	41.4
5101030 Board & Comm Mbrs Fees	9,030	11,122	0	0	-2,092	0.0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>569,101</b>	<b>339,448</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>229,653</b>	<b>40.4</b>
<b>EMPLOYEE BENEFITS</b>						
5102010 Oasi-employer's Share	57,979	24,252	0	0	33,727	58.2
5102020 Retirement-er Share	22,620	19,653	0	0	2,967	13.1
5102060 Health Insurance-er Share	84,103	61,940	0	0	22,163	26.4
5102080 Worker's Compensation	870	328	0	0	542	62.3
5102090 Unemployment Compensation	285	152	0	0	133	46.7
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>165,857</b>	<b>106,325</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>59,532</b>	<b>35.9</b>
<b>51 Personal Services</b>						
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>734,958</b>	<b>445,773</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>289,185</b>	<b>39.3</b>
<b>TRAVEL</b>						
5203010 Auto-state Owned-in State	1,095	0	0	0	1,095	100.0
5203020 Auto Priv (in-st.) L/rte	1,000	1,411	0	0	-411	0.0
5203030 Auto-priv (in-st.) H/rte	2,363	0	0	0	2,363	100.0
5203040 Air-state Owned-in State	23,000	0	0	0	23,000	100.0
5203100 Lodging/in-state	3,273	611	0	0	2,662	81.3
5203120 Incidentals-travel-in St.	500	0	0	0	500	100.0
5203130 Non-employ. Travel-in St.	5,000	0	0	0	5,000	100.0
5203140 Meals/taxable/in-state	916	70	0	0	846	92.4
5203150 Non-taxable Meals/in-st	1,000	268	0	0	732	73.2
5203230 Auto-priv.(out-state) H/r	550	0	0	0	550	100.0
5203260 Air-comm-out-of-state	4,500	0	0	0	4,500	100.0
5203280 Other-public-out-of-state	600	0	0	0	600	100.0
5203300 Lodging/out-state	5,000	0	0	0	5,000	100.0
5203320 Incidentals-out-of-state	500	0	0	0	500	100.0
5203350 Non-taxable Meals/out-st	1,500	0	0	0	1,500	100.0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>50,797</b>	<b>2,360</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>48,437</b>	<b>95.4</b>
<b>CONTRACTUAL SERVICES</b>						
5204010 Subscriptions	1,000	1,266	0	0	-266	0.0
5204020 Dues & Membership Fees	6,000	3,598	0	0	2,402	40.0
5204050 Computer Consultant	80,000	64,499	55,168	0	-39,667	0.0
5204080 Legal Consultant	84,489	200	0	0	84,289	99.8

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Subobject	Operating	Expenditures	Encumbrances	Commitments	Remaining	AVL	
5204100 Medical Consultant	68,500	5,700	44,300	0	18,500	27.0	
5204130 Other Consulting	29,850	9,780	20,220	0	-150	0.0	
5204160 Workshop Registration Fee	3,000	420	0	0	2,580	86.0	
5204180 Computer Services-state	49,983	38,372	0	0	11,611	23.2	
5204181 Computer Services-state	0	521	0	0	-521	0.0	
5204200 Central Services	7,265	6,241	0	0	1,024	14.1	
5204202 Central Services	101	234	0	0	-133	0.0	
5204203 Central Services	508	190	0	0	318	62.6	
5204204 Central Services	152	139	0	0	13	8.6	
5204207 Central Services	5,574	5,007	0	0	567	10.2	
5204220 Equipment Serv & Maint	3,500	847	0	0	2,653	75.8	
5204250 Cable Tv	1,000	0	0	0	1,000	100.0	
5204340 Computer Software Maint	0	248	0	0	-248	0.0	
5204350 Advertising-magazines	6,000	0	0	0	6,000	100.0	
5204360 Advertising-newspaper	1,000	131	0	0	869	86.9	
5204400 Advertising-internet	100	0	0	0	100	100.0	
5204440 Newsletter Publishing	0	495	0	0	-495	0.0	
5204521 Revenue Bond Lease Payment	2,000	2,489	0	0	-489	0.0	
5204525 Revenue Bond Lease Payment	83,000	68,457	0	0	14,543	17.5	
5204530 Telecommunications Srves	21,000	20,406	0	0	594	2.8	
5204550 Garbage & Sewer	2,000	2,924	0	0	-924	0.0	
5204580 Truck-drayage & Freight	12,000	9,879	0	0	2,121	17.7	
5204590 Ins Premiums & Surety Bds	3,000	2,720	0	0	280	9.3	
5204620 Taxes & License Fees	1,200	0	0	0	1,200	100.0	
5204960 Other Contractual Service	47,968	22,958	0	0	25,010	52.1	
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>520,190</b>	<b>267,721</b>	<b>119,688</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>132,781</b>	<b>25.5</b>	
<b>SUPPLIES &amp; MATERIALS</b>							
5205020 Office Supplies	11,550	2,645	0	0	8,905	77.1	
5205040 Educ & Instruc Supplies	500	576	0	0	-76	0.0	
5205320 Printing-commercial	9,500	0	0	0	9,500	100.0	
5205330 Supp. Public & Ref Mat	0	675	0	0	-675	0.0	
5205350 Postage	33,000	6,465	0	0	26,535	80.4	
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>54,550</b>	<b>10,361</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>44,189</b>	<b>81.0</b>	
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>							
5207451 Office Furn & Fixtures	0	14,175	0	0	-14,175	0.0	
5207490 Telephone Equipment	4,000	0	0	0	4,000	100.0	
5207491 Telephone Equipment	0	0	2,645	0	-2,645	0.0	

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5207901 Computer Hardware	9,000	2,185	0	0	6,815	75.7
5207960 Computer Software	1,000	0	0	0	1,000	100.0
5207961 Computer Software	1,000	0	0	0	1,000	100.0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>15,000</b>	<b>16,360</b>	<b>2,645</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-4,005</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>OTHER</b>						
5208080 Refund Of Prior Yrs Rev	0	29,800	0	0	-29,800	0.0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>29,800</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-29,800</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>52 Operating Subtotal</b>	<b>640,537</b>	<b>326,602</b>	<b>122,333</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>191,602</b>	<b>29.9</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,375,495</b>	<b>772,375</b>	<b>122,333</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>480,787</b>	<b>35.0</b>

File Number	Profession	Applicant or Licensee	Start Date	Status	Status Date	Board Member	Concern Category
20-047	PA	Licensee	04/27/2020	Investigation	06/01/2026	Stark	Criminal/Substance Abuse
23-209	PA	Licensee	03/20/2023	Investigation	06/01/2026	Shives	Unprofessional/ethics/incompetency
24-110	ML	Licensee	11/20/2023	Complaint	05/15/2026	Dietrich	Unprofessional/ethics/incompetency/criminal
24-111	ML	Licensee	11/20/2023	Complaint	06/01/2026	Tegethoff	Unprofessional/ethics/incompetency
24-174	ML	Licensee	04/25/2022	Complaint	06/01/2026	Dietrich	Unprofessional/ethics/incompetency
25-035	ML	Licensee	07/31/2024	Complaint	06/03/2026	pending	Substance Abuse
25-138	ML	Licensee	12/16/2024	Complaint	01/13/2025	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
25-170	EMS	Licensee	12/31/2024	Investigation	04/15/2026	Kassin	Criminal
25-211	ML	Licensee	03/20/2025	Investigation	04/15/2026	Bearstail	Unprofessional/ethics
25-217	ML	Licensee	03/27/2025	Investigation	04/22/2026	Pending	Criminal
25-220	ML	Licensee	04/02/2025	Investigation	04/21/2026	pending	Criminal
25-220	ML	Licensee	04/02/2025	Investigation	06/01/2026	Pavlis	Criminal/MBMP
25-255	ML	Licensee	05/12/2025	Investigation	04/21/2026	pending	Unprofessional/ethics
25-275	EMS	Licensee	06/13/2025	Investigation	08/14/2025	Langerock	Criminal
26-024	ML	Licensee	08/04/2025	Investigation	05/06/2026	Holt	Criminal
26-035	ML	Applicant	08/19/2025	Complaint	04/15/2026	Chessmore	Unprofessional/ethics
26-054	ML	Licensee	09/10/2025	Investigation	05/13/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-067	ML	Applicant	09/29/2025	Complaint	04/17/2026	Sunne	Criminal/Competence
26-075	ML	Licensee	10/01/2025	Investigation	04/15/2026	Dietrich	Unprofessional/ethics
26-079	ML	Licensee	10/07/2025	Investigation	06/02/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-094	ML	Licensee	10/27/2025	Investigation	05/26/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-119	ML	Licensee	11/26/2025	Investigation	04/15/2026	Blanchard	Unprofessional/ethics
26-124	ML	Licensee	11/12/2025	Investigation	04/15/2026	Pavlis	Unprofessional/ethics
26-146	ML	Applicant	01/08/2026	Complaint	06/03/2026	Tegethoff	Unprofessional/ethics
24-006	EMS	Licensee	06/24/2022	Investigation	05/28/2026	Langerock	Criminal/Substance abuse
26-175	ML	Licensee	02/13/2026	Investigation	05/26/2026	pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-179	PA	Applicant	02/17/2026	Complaint	02/17/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-184	ML	Licensee	02/17/2026	Complaint	06/03/2026	Dietrich	Unprofessional/ethics
26-187	ML	Licensee	02/17/2026	Complaint	05/28/2026	Blanchard	Unprofessional/ethics
26-191	EMS	Licensee	02/23/2026	Investigation	05/15/2026	pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-196	ML	Licensee	03/10/2026	Complaint	03/10/2026	Blanchard	Unprofessional/ethics
26-200	ML	Applicant	03/18/2026	Complaint	05/20/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-201	ML	Applicant	03/18/2026	Complaint	04/27/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-209	ML	Applicant	03/26/2026	Complaint	06/02/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-210	ML	Licensee	03/26/2026	Investigation	05/28/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-212	OT	Applicant	04/01/2026	Complaint	04/01/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-213	EMS	Applicant	04/01/2026	Complaint	05/27/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-214	LN	Licensee	04/02/2026	Investigation	05/21/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-219	ML	Licensee	04/09/2026	Complaint	05/27/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-220	ML	Licensee	04/09/2026	Complaint	05/27/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-221	ML	Licensee	04/09/2026	Investigation	05/15/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-226	ML	Applicant	04/21/2026	Complaint	04/21/2026	Pending	Criminal

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26-229	RL	Applicant	04/23/2026	Complaint	04/23/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-230	OT	Applicant	04/20/2026	Complaint	04/20/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-231	ML	Applicant	04/24/2026	Complaint	04/24/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-232	ML	Applicant	05/13/2026	Complaint	05/13/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-233	ML	Applicant	05/13/2026	Complaint	05/13/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-234	ML	Applicant	05/13/2026	Complaint	05/13/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-235	ML	Applicant	05/13/2026	Complaint	05/13/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-237	ML	Applicant	05/13/2026	Complaint	05/13/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-238	ML	Licensee	05/14/2026	Investigation	05/14/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-239	ML	Licensee	05/14/2026	Investigation	05/14/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-240	ML	Licensee	05/14/2026	Investigation	05/14/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-241	ML	Licensee	05/14/2026	Investigation	05/14/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-242	ML	Licensee	05/14/2026	Investigation	05/14/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-243	ML	Applicant	05/14/2026	Complaint	05/14/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-244	EMS	Applicant	05/20/2026	Complaint	05/20/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-245	ML	Applicant	05/20/2026	Complaint	05/20/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-246	OT	Applicant	05/21/2026	Complaint	05/21/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-247	ML	Licensee	05/22/2026	Investigation	05/22/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-248	ML	Licensee	05/22/2026	Investigation	05/22/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-249	ML	Licensee	05/22/2026	Investigation	05/22/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-250	ML	Licensee	04/17/2026	Investigation	05/22/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-251	ML	Licensee	05/26/2026	Complaint	05/26/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-252	ML	Licensee	05/26/2026	Complaint	05/26/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-253	ML	Licensee	05/26/2026	Complaint	05/26/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-254	PA	Licensee	05/26/2026	Complaint	05/26/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-255	OT	Licensee	05/26/2026	Complaint	05/26/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-257	EMS	Applicant	05/27/2026	Complaint	05/27/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics/Criminal
26-258	ML	Licensee	05/28/2026	Investigation	05/28/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-259	ML	Licensee	05/28/2026	Investigation	05/28/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-260	ML	Licensee	05/28/2026	Investigation	05/28/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-261	EMS	Applicant	06/02/2026	Complaint	06/02/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-262	EMS	Applicant	06/02/2026	Complaint	06/02/2026	Pending	Criminal
26-263	ML	Licensee	06/02/2026	Investigation	06/02/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-264	ML	Licensee	06/02/2026	Investigation	06/02/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-265	ML	Licensee	06/02/2026	Investigation	06/02/2026	Pending	Unprofessional/ethics
26-267	ML	Applicant	06/02/2026	Complaint	06/02/2026	Pending	Criminal

# **SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS**

## **Athletic Trainer Advisory Council**

### UNAPPROVED DRAFT MINTUES

March 24, 2026 – 1:30PM (CST)

### **Public Meeting**

Unapproved Draft Minutes<sup>1</sup>. Voting is by voice vote. <sup>2</sup>

Advisory Council Members present: Trevor Roiger, Kristen Longville, Dustin Gebur

Staff Members present: Karli LaBrie, Margaret Hansen

This was a public meeting, and other parties may have been in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 1:31PM. Roll was called, and quorum was established.

A motion for approval of the agenda was ratified (Gebur/Longville/Unanimous).

A motion for approval of the minutes was approved (Longville/Gebur/Unanimous).

The request for any public comment was made pursuant to SDCL 1-25-1 and there was no public comment.

Advisory Council business included open meetings reminders and to anticipate scheduling a longer meeting next time to accommodate discussion regarding the AT Compact and dry needling. These two topics will be agenda items at the next meeting.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:39 PM.

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<sup>2</sup> Format for motions, second and vote results: Council members Name (Making the motion/Second/Vote result is either unanimous or Yes: and No: results and abstentions noted by name)

# **SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS**

## **Licensed Nutritionist/Dietician Advisory Council**

### UNAPPROVED DRAFT MINTUES

March 20, 2026 – 11:30am (CST)

### **Public Meeting**

Unapproved Draft Minutes<sup>1</sup>. Voting is by voice vote. <sup>2</sup>

Advisory Council Members present: Megan Northrup, Tracy Wright, Molly Urias  
Advisory Council Members absent: Lacey McCormack, Tami Breuer-Gangestad  
Staff Members present: Karli LaBrie, Margaret Hansen  
This was a public meeting, and other parties may have been in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 11:35AM. Roll was called, and quorum was established.

A motion for approval of the agenda was ratified (Urias/Wright/Unanimous).

A motion for approval of the minutes was approved (Urias/Wright/Unanimous).

The request for any public comment was made pursuant to SDCL 1-25-1 and there was no public comment.

Advisory Council business included open meetings reminders.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:40 AM.

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<sup>1</sup> 1-27-1.17. Draft minutes of public meeting to be available--Exceptions--Violation as misdemeanor.

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**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS**

**Genetic Counselor Advisory Council**

UNAPPROVED DRAFT MINTUES

April 20, 2026 12:30 PM (CST)

**Public Meeting**

Unapproved Draft Minutes<sup>1</sup>. Voting is by voice vote. <sup>2</sup>

Advisory Council Members present: Jason Flanagan, Jennifer Berger, James Wallace

Advisory Council Members absent: Benjamin Solomon

Staff Members present: Karli LaBrie, Margaret Hansen

This was a public meeting, and other parties may have been in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 12:31 PM. Roll was called, and quorum was established.

A motion for approval of the agenda was ratified (Wallace/Flanagan/Unanimous).

A motion for approval of the minutes was approved (Berger/Flanagan/Unanimous).

The request for any public comment was made pursuant to SDCL 1-25-1 and there was no public comment.

Advisory Council business included open meetings reminders and how to find the agenda, Teams link, and meeting materials.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:39 PM.

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# **SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS**

## **Occupational Therapy Advisory Council**

### UNAPPROVED DRAFT MINUTES

April 21, 2026 3:00 PM (CST)

### **Public Meeting**

Unapproved Draft Minutes<sup>1</sup>. Voting is by voice vote. <sup>2</sup>

Advisory Council Members present: Megan Johnke, Polly Rames, Angela Root

Staff Members present: Karli LaBrie, Margaret Hansen

This was a public meeting, and other parties may have been in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM . Roll was called, and quorum was established.

A motion for approval of the agenda was ratified (Johnke/Root/Unanimous).

A motion for approval of the minutes was approved (Root/Johnke/Unanimous).

The request for any public comment was made pursuant to SDCL 1-25-1 and there was no public comment.

Francielle Pineda, Assistant Director with the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy Inc. (NBCOT) shared NBCOT updates.

Advisory Council business included open meetings reminders and how to find the agenda, Teams link, and meeting materials.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:26 PM.

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# **SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS**

## **Physician Assistant Advisory Council**

UNAPPROVED DRAFT MINTUES

March 27, 2026 – 12:30pm (CST)

### **Public Meeting**

Unapproved Draft Minutes<sup>1</sup>. Voting is by voice vote. <sup>2</sup>

Advisory Council Members present: Justine Peterson, Nancy Trimble, Katherine Haverly

Staff Members present: Karli LaBrie, Margaret Hansen

This was a public meeting, and other parties may have been in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 PM. Roll was called, and quorum was established.

A motion for approval of the agenda was ratified (Peterson/Trimble/Unanimous).

A motion for approval of the minutes was approved (Haverly/Peterson/Unanimous).

The request for any public comment was made pursuant to SDCL 1-25-1 and there was no public comment.

Advisory Council business included open meetings reminders and how to find the agenda, Teams link, and meeting materials.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:43 PM.

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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA  
THE SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS

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IN THE MATTER OF:

Case No. 25-170

Shane Michael Copps  
Respondent

STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT  
WITH REVOCATION

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**STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT**

This STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT WITH REVOCATION, is made and entered into by the South Dakota Board of Medical and Osteopathic Examiners, hereinafter referred to as "the Board", and Shane Michael Copps, hereinafter referred to as "Mr. Copps", witness and agree to the following:

- Mr. Copps was convicted of three felony counts of theft in the state of Montana.
- Mr. Copps entered into a Stipulation with the Montana Board of Medical Examiners that revoked his Montana paramedic license, a copy of which is attached to this agreement. This Stipulation and Agreement shall mirror the revocation set forth in the Montana Stipulation and Final Order.
- Mr. Copps shall comply with the terms and conditions set forth in the Montana Stipulation and Final Order.
- Mr. Copps agrees that any violations of the terms of this agreement shall be grounds for further disciplinary action.
- Mr. Copps is hereby REVOKED for the unprofessional conduct that led to the Montana Stipulation and Final Order.

It is the intent of the parties hereto to provide for the informal compromise and settlement of all issues which could be raised by formal contested hearing. This Stipulation and Agreement is a public record of the Board and shall be published on the Board's website and reported to all other entities in compliance with state and federal law.


Mr. Copps understands he has the right to consult with an attorney of his own choosing and the right to an administrative hearing. He understands and agrees that by signing this Stipulation and Agreement he is waiving his rights to counsel and a hearing. He further understands and agrees that by signing this Stipulation and Agreement he is voluntarily and knowingly giving up his right to present oral and documentary evidence, to present rebuttal evidence, to cross-examine witnesses against him, and to appeal the Board's decision to Circuit Court.

In the event the Board does not approve this Stipulation and Agreement, any argument is waived that the Board members considering this Stipulation and Agreement should be disqualified from later rendering a decision in any subsequent contested case hearing regarding this pending action.

Mr. Copps by his signature acknowledges he has had an opportunity to consult with legal counsel of his choice, and he states that he understands the terms of his Agreement and Stipulation, and knowingly, intelligently, voluntarily enters into the same.

By:  Date: 3-7-2026  
Shane Michael Copps (Respondent)

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney for Shane Michael Copps (optional)


 Date: 03/09/2026  
By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Member of the South Dakota Board of Medical & Osteopathic Examiners

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  
STATE OF MONTANA

<p>In the Matter of</p> <p>Shane M. Copps,</p> <p>Advanced EMT, License No. 73521 and Paramedic, License No. 115329.</p>	<p>Case No. 2023-MED-00212</p> <p><b>FINAL ORDER</b></p>
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The Montana Board of Medical Examiners, giving primary consideration to sanctions necessary to protect and compensate the public and secondary consideration to sanctions designed to rehabilitate Shane M. Copps, approves, adopts, and incorporates all terms and conditions of the fully executed Stipulation as its Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Final Order.

DATED 3/21/2025

DocuSigned by:  
  
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 Presiding Officer, Adjudication Panel  
 Montana Board of Medical Examiners

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify I served a true and accurate copy of the foregoing *Stipulation and Final Order* by placing it in the United States Postal Service mail, first-class postage prepaid, addressed to the following:

Shane M. Copps  
c/o Mathew M Stevenson  
Stevenson Law Office  
1640 South Ave West  
Missoula, MT 59801

A copy of the Final Order has been sent by email to Department Counsel at:

Peter E. Delmoe  
[laborlegal@mt.gov](mailto:laborlegal@mt.gov)

DATED 3/24/2025

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 Department of Labor and Industry

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  
STATE OF MONTANA

In the Matter of  Shane M. Copps,  Advanced EMT, License No. 73521 and Paramedic, License No. 115329.	Case No. 2023-MED-00212  <b>STIPULATION</b>
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The Department of Labor and Industry (Department), through its legal counsel and Shane M. Copps (Respondent), enter this Stipulation and agree as follows:

**A. AGREED FACTS**

1. Respondent holds an Advanced EMT license, number MED-AEMT-LIC-73521, issued on or about March 1, 2019. Respondent's Advanced EMT license lapsed on March 31, 2023, and expired May 15, 2023. Respondent holds a Paramedic license, number MED-PARA-LIC-115329, issued on or about August 31, 2022. Respondent's Paramedic license expires March 31, 2026.

2. On August 21, 2023, Respondent was charged in Powder River County District Court in Cause No. DC-38-2023-477 with Theft (Felony) for purposely or knowingly obtaining by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 from the owner, Powder River First Responders, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. See Exhibit A. Specifically, Respondent was alleged to have submitted a written request for reimbursement for said amount to the Powder River First Responders, seeking reimbursement for equipment he purchased, however, Respondent is alleged to have cancelled the order for said equipment and did not actually purchase the equipment on behalf of Powder River First Responders, nor was his credit card charged in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit A.

3. On that same date, Respondent was charged in Powder River County District Court in Cause No. DC-38-2023-478 with one count of Theft (Felony) for purposely or knowingly obtaining by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 from the owner, the Powder River First Responders, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. See Exhibit B. Specifically, Respondent was alleged to have submitted a written request for reimbursement for said amount to the Powder River First Responders, seeking reimbursement for equipment he purchased, however, Respondent is alleged to have cancelled the order for said equipment and did not actually purchase the equipment on behalf of Powder River First Responders, nor was his credit card charged in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit B.

4. On March 19, 2024, Respondent was charged in Powder River County District Court in DC-38-2024-484 with one count of Theft (Felony) for purposely or knowingly obtaining or exerting unauthorized control over property from the owner, the Powder River First Responders, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property, which exceeded \$5,000 in value. See Exhibit C.

5. On September 30, 2024, Respondent was convicted of Theft (Felony) in DC-38-2023-477/478 and DC-38-2024-484. In DC-38-2023-477, Respondent's imposition of sentence was deferred for a period of three years, he was assessed a \$1,000 fine and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit D. In DC-38-2023-478, Respondent's imposition of sentence was deferred for a period of three years, he was assessed a \$1,000 fine and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit E. In DC-38-2024-484, Respondent was sentenced to the Department of Corrections for three years, all suspended, assessed a \$1,000 fine, and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$6,166.12. See Exhibit F.

6. Respondent has paid all restitution and fines ordered by the Court in DC-38-2023-477/478 and DC-38-2024-484.

7. In response to the allegations, Respondent noted that he returned all property upon request and paid any and all residual restitution owed to the Powder River First Responders.

**B. AGREED CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. The Board has subject matter jurisdiction and legal authority to bring this action under Mont. Code Ann. Title 37, ch. 1 and Title 50, ch. 6, and Admin. R. Mont. Title 24, ch. 101 and 156. For disciplinary purposes, the Board retains jurisdiction over the license for two years after lapse. Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-141.

2. The Department serves notice on the licensee following a Screening Panel's reasonable cause finding pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-309.

3. A licensee may request a hearing pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-309 or enter a Stipulation with the Department pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 2-4-603(1).

4. Respondent's convictions for Theft (Felony) in Powder River County District Court in DC-38-2023-477/478 and DC-38-2024-484 constitute unprofessional conduct as defined by Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-316(1)(a) (conviction, including conviction following a plea of nolo contendere, of a crime relating to or committed during the course of the person's practice or involving violence, use or sale of drugs, fraud, deceit, or theft, whether or not an appeal is pending).

5. Respondent's underlying conduct in DC-38-2023-477/478 and DC-38-2024-484, as outline above and in the attached exhibits, constitutes unprofessional conduct as defined by Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-316(1)(m) (misappropriating property or funds from a client or

workplace or failing to comply with a board rule regarding the accounting and distribution of a client's property or funds).

6. Upon a decision a licensee has violated Title 37 of the Mont. Code Ann. or is unable to practice with reasonable skill and safety due to a physical or mental condition or upon stipulation of the parties, the Board may issue an order entering sanctions authorized by Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-312.

**C. AGREED SANCTIONS**

1. Surrender of Licensure. Respondent voluntarily surrenders his Advanced EMT license and Paramedic license as resolution of these matters. In accepting surrender of his licenses, the Board shall enter an order suspending his Montana Advanced EMT license and Paramedic license for a period of two years.

a. By accepting the surrender of Respondent's Montana Advanced EMT license and Paramedic license, the Board shall enter a Final Order suspending his Montana Advanced EMT license and Paramedic license pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-312(1)(b).

b. If Respondent possesses a physical copy of his Montana Advanced EMT license and Paramedic license, he must surrender them to the Board office within 7 days after notice of entry of the Final Order in this matter at the following address:

Montana Board of Medical Examiners  
301 South Park Avenue  
P.O. Box 200514  
Helena, MT 59620-0514.

c. Respondent must renew his Montana Advanced EMT license and Paramedic license, or they will lapse, expire, and terminate. Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-141.

2. Petition for Reinstatement. Pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-314, Respondent cannot petition the Board for reinstatement of his Montana Advanced EMT license and Paramedic license for two (2) years from the date the Board's Final Order is entered. The Board, in its discretion, may grant or reject any petition for reinstatement for licensure Respondent submits to the Board in the future.

**D. ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS**

1. Waiver of Rights. Respondent has read and understands each term of the *Notice of Proposed Board Action and Opportunity for Hearing* (Notice) and this Stipulation, and understands the various rights provided, including the right to: a hearing before an impartial hearing examiner; present evidence, testify, and confront and cross-examine witnesses at the hearing; be represented by legal counsel; subpoena witnesses; request judicial review and appeal; and all other rights under Mont. Code Ann. Title 2, ch. 4, pt. 6 (Montana Administrative Procedure Act), Title 37, ch. 1 and Title 50, ch. 6, and other applicable law. Respondent desires to avoid unnecessary expenditure of time and other valuable resources to resolve this matter. Therefore, Respondent voluntarily and knowingly waives the rights listed above and elects to resolve this matter on the terms and conditions of this Stipulation and acknowledges that no promise, other than those contained in this Stipulation, and no threat or improper assertion has been made by the Board or Department or by any member, officer, agent, or representative of the Board or Department to induce Respondent to enter into this Stipulation.

2. Release. This Stipulation is a final compromise and settlement of this contested case proceeding. Respondent, and assigns, agents, and representatives of Respondent, release the Board, its members, officers, agents, or representatives from any and all liability, claim, and cause of action, whether now known or contemplated, including but not limited to, any claims

under Mont. Code Ann. Title 2, ch. 9, pt. 3 (Montana Tort Claims Act), as amended, or any claim arising under 42 U.S.C. § 1983, which now or in the future may be based upon, arise out of, or relate to any of the matters raised in this case, its processing, investigation, litigation, or from the negotiation or execution of this Stipulation.

3. Entire Agreement. This Stipulation contains the entire agreement of the parties. All prior discussions and writings are superseded by this Stipulation, and no discussion by the Board prior to the approval of this Stipulation may be used to interpret or modify it. Any modification requires a written amendment signed by both parties and final Board approval.

4. Severability. If a court or administrative tribunal declares any term or condition contained in this Stipulation to be unenforceable for any reason, the unenforceable term or condition shall be severed from the remainder of this Stipulation, and the remainder of this Stipulation shall be interpreted and enforced according to its original intent.

5. Reservation. This Stipulation does not restrict the Board from initiating disciplinary action concerning allegations of unprofessional conduct that occur after the date Respondent signs this Stipulation or concerning allegations of conduct not specifically mentioned in this Stipulation that are now known to the Board or yet to be discovered.

6. Stipulation Subject to Final Approval. This Stipulation is subject to final approval by the Board.

7. Renewed Right to Hearing – Inadmissibility of Stipulation. If the Board considers and does not approve this Stipulation, it is withdrawn and may not be considered as evidence for any purpose. Respondent will have a renewed 20 days from the date of the publicly noticed Board meeting to submit a written request for a hearing in this matter. Failure by Respondent to request a hearing constitutes a default and allows the Board to enter a Final Order



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**FILED**

**AUG 21 2023**

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CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.

*by Leslie Moran, Deputy*

7 MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, POWDER RIVER COUNTY

9 STATE OF MONTANA,

10 Plaintiff,

11 vs.

12 SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,

13 Defendant.

Cause No. DC-38-2023-477

**AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT**

HON. MICHAEL B. HAYWORTH

14 STATE OF MONTANA )  
15 )ss.  
16 COUNTY OF POWDER RIVER )

17 COMES NOW Agent Bradley Tucker, of the Montana Department of Justice, Division of  
18 Criminal Investigation, and being first duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states as follows:

19 1. That the undersigned Affiant has served as a criminal investigator for the Montana  
20 Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation for two (2) years, and ten (10) months.  
21 Further, the Affiant has attended and completed the Basic Law Enforcement training course at  
22 the Montana Law Enforcement Academy in the past, together with other, advanced training  
courses. The Affiant has approximately twenty-four (24) years of total experience serving as a  
law enforcement officer in Montana.

23 2. The Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, did commit the following offense on or  
24 about the 24th day of August, 2021, in Powder River County, Montana, as follows:

**THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(2)(a).

THE FACTS constituting the offense set forth above are:

26 1. **THEFT, a felony.** On or about the 24th day of August, 2021, at or near 201 E. Holt  
27 Street, in the Town of Broadus, in Powder River County, Montana, the Defendant committed  
28 said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained by deception control over property of the  
owner, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. Specifically, on or about said

1 date, at or near said address, the Defendant committed said offense when he purposely or  
2 knowingly obtained by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 of the owner,  
3 Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit corporation, and he had the purpose  
4 of depriving the owner of the property.

5 On or about said date, the Defendant purposely or knowingly obtained by deception  
6 control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 when he submitted a written request for  
7 reimbursement in said amount to the Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit  
8 corporation, in which he was seeking reimbursement for emergency lighting and siren equipment  
9 allegedly ordered by the Defendant for installation on a 2020 Ford Explorer owned by Powder  
10 River First Responders, Ltd.. In addition, the Defendant received check number 524 from  
11 Powder River First Responders, Ltd., on or about August 24, 2021, in the total amount of  
12 \$5,233.84, which included reimbursement for said equipment in the amount \$ \$2,959.50.  
13 Further, the Defendant cancelled the order for said equipment after August 24, 2021, and thus the  
14 Defendant did not actually purchase said equipment on behalf of Powder River First Responders,  
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18 dignity of the State of Montana.

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24 Billings, Montana 59107
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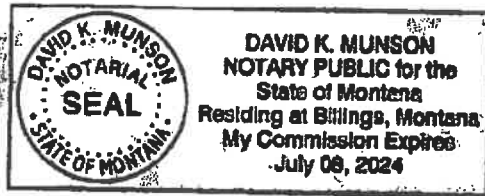
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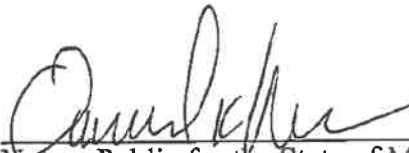
DATED this 7 day of August, 2023.

  
Agent Bradley Tucker  
Montana Department of Justice,  
Division of Criminal Investigation  
P.O. Box 31094  
Billings, Montana 59107

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.

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Notary Public for the State of Montana  
Printed Name: DAVID K. MUNSON  
Residing at: YELLOWSTONE CO, MT  
My Commission expires: 7/8/2024

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**AUG 21 2023**

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CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.

by *Leslie Moran*,  
Deputy

8 MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, POWDER RIVER COUNTY

9	STATE OF MONTANA,	)	Cause No. <u>DC-38-2023-478</u>
10	Plaintiff,	)	
11	vs.	)	<b>AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT</b>
12	<b>SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,</b>	)	
13	Defendant.	)	HON. MICHAEL B. HAYWORTH

14 STATE OF MONTANA )  
15 :ss.  
16 COUNTY OF POWDER RIVER )

17 COMES NOW Agent Bradley Tucker, of the Montana Department of Justice, Division of  
18 Criminal Investigation, and being first duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states as follows:

19 1. That the undersigned Affiant has served as a criminal investigator for the Montana  
20 Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation for two (2) years, and ten (10) months.  
21 Further, the Affiant has attended and completed the Basic Law Enforcement training course at  
22 the Montana Law Enforcement Academy in the past, together with other, advanced training  
23 courses. The Affiant has approximately twenty-four (24) years of total experience serving as a  
24 law enforcement officer in Montana.

25 2. The Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, did commit the following offense on or  
26 about the 24th day of September, 2021, in Powder River County, Montana, as follows:

27 **THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(2)(a).

28 THE FACTS constituting the offense set forth above are:

1. **THEFT, a felony.** On or about the 24th day of September, 2021, at or near 201 E.  
Holt Street, in the Town of Broadus, in Powder River County, Montana, the Defendant  
committed said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained by deception control over  
property of the owner, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. Specifically,

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1 on or about said date, at or near said address, the Defendant committed said offense when he  
2 purposely or knowingly obtained by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 of  
3 the owner, Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit corporation, and he had  
4 the purpose of depriving the owner of the property.

5 On or about said date, the Defendant purposely or knowingly obtained by deception  
6 control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 when he submitted a written request for  
7 reimbursement in said amount to the Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit  
8 corporation, in which he was seeking reimbursement for emergency lighting and siren equipment  
9 allegedly ordered by the Defendant for installation on a 2020 Ford Explorer owned by Powder  
10 River First Responders, Ltd.. In addition, the Defendant received check number 528 from  
11 Powder River First Responders, Ltd., on or about September 24, 2021, in the total amount of  
12 \$17,300.63, which included reimbursement for said equipment in the amount \$ 2,959.50.  
13 Further, the Defendant cancelled the order for said equipment after September 24, 2021, and thus  
14 the Defendant did not actually purchase said equipment on behalf of Powder River First  
15 Responders, Ltd., nor was the Defendant's credit card charged in the amount of \$2,959.50 by  
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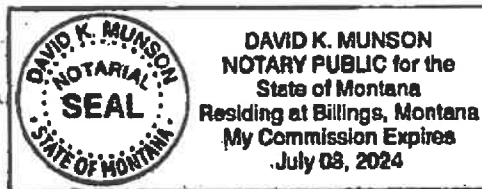
WHEREFORE, your Affiant prays that this Court issue an Order granting leave to file an *Information* in the above-entitled Court charging the Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, with the offense set forth above.


DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.

  
Agent Bradley Tucker  
Montana Department of Justice,  
Division of Criminal Investigation  
P.O. Box 31094  
Billings, Montana 59107

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 9 day of August, 2023.

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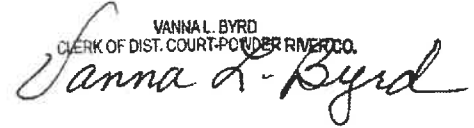
  
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7 MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, POWDER RIVER COUNTY

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9 STATE OF MONTANA,  
10 Plaintiff,

) Cause No. DC-38-2024-484

11 vs.

) **MOTION FOR LEAVE TO  
FILE INFORMATION**

12 SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,  
13 Defendant.

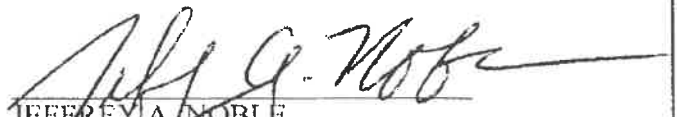
) Hon. Michael B. Hayworth

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15 COMES NOW JEFFREY A. NOBLE, County Attorney in and for Powder River County,  
16 State of Montana, and pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 46-11-201, hereby moves this Court for  
17 leave to file an *Information* against the above-named Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,  
18 charging the Defendant with the following offense:

19 **THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(1)(a).

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21 This motion shall be supported by one or more Affidavits, which shall set forth certain  
22 evidence and establish probable cause to believe that the said offense has been committed by the  
23 Defendant.

24 DATED this 19 day of March, 2024.

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26 JEFFREY A. NOBLE  
27 Powder River County Attorney  
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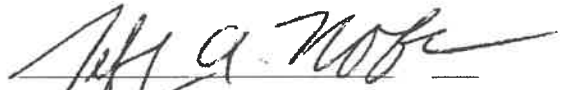
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, the undersigned counsel, hereby certify that on the 19 day of March, 2024, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served upon the following person by depositing a true and correct copy thereof into the U.S. Mail, first class postage prepaid, or by email, as follows:

HON. MICHAEL B. HAYWORTH  
District Court Judge  
1010 Main Street  
Miles City, MT 59301 (Via Email)

Mathew Stevenson, Attorney  
1640 South Ave. West  
Missoula, MT 59801 (Via Email)

  
Jeffrey A. Noble

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22 the Montana Law Enforcement Academy in the past, together with other, advanced training  
23 courses. The Affiant has approximately twenty-five (25) years of total experience serving as a  
24 law enforcement officer in Montana.

25 2. The Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, did commit the following offense on or  
26 about the 1st day of October, 2021, in Powder River County, Montana, as follows:

27 **THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(1)(a).

28 THE FACTS constituting the offense set forth above are:

1. **THEFT, Property exceeding \$5,000.00 in Value, a felony.** On or about the 1st day  
of October, 2021, at or near 201 E. Holt Street, in the Town of Broadus, in Powder River County,  
Montana, the Defendant committed said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained or  
exercised unauthorized control over certain property of the owner (specifically, Powder River First

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1 Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit corporation), and he had the purpose of depriving the  
2 owner of the property.

3 2. Specifically, on or about said date, at or near said address, the Defendant committed  
4 said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained or exerted unauthorized control over the  
5 following described property of the owner, Powder River First Responders, Ltd. (hereinafter  
6 referred to as "PRFR"), and he had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property, as  
7 follows:

8 a. Philips Lumify Broadband linear array with Power Module. Value \$6,200.00:  
9 Approx. date purchased: 9/17/2021 Property of: PRFR Check # Issued: 528

10 b. Tempus Pro Monitor with Tempus LS Manual Unit in Tempus Combo case. Value  
11 \$39,785.00:  
12 Approx. date purchased: 9/10/2020 Property of: PRFR Check # Issued: 481

13 c. Video Laryngoscope Model ClearVue, Infinium Medical Inc., in silver case with five  
14 (5) disposable Laryngoscope blades. Value \$1,570.00:  
15 Approx. date purchased: 5/24/2021 Property of: PRFR Check # Issued: 498

16 d. O Two E700 Ventilator, with blue tube and accessories. Value \$8,141.13:  
17 Approx. date purchased: 9/14/2021 Property of: PRFR Check # Issued: 528

18 e. Soma Sigma Spectrum pump. Value \$1,695.00:  
19 Approx. date purchased: 5/24/2021 Property of: PRFR Check # Issued: 498

20 f. Tempus Pro case (and miscellaneous Tempus cords/batteries), and a case containing a  
21 Lateral Medical I.CC'SU4 compact suction unit. Values \$540.60 and \$785.00:  
22 Approx. date purchased: 2/19/2021 & Property of: PRFR Check # Issued: 496/523  
23 7/9/2021

24 It should be noted that the above-described items were recovered from the Defendant by  
25 Agent Bradley Tucker in Gillette, Campbell County, Wyoming, on or about January 11, 2023.

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27 dignity of the State of Montana.  
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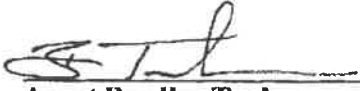
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State of Montana  
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Helena Montana 59602
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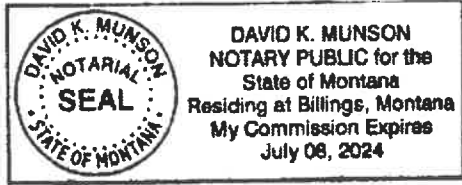
DATED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024.

  
**Agent Bradley Tucker**  
 Montana Department of Justice,  
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 15 day of March, 2024.

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*David K. Munson*  
 Notary Public for the State of Montana  
 Printed Name: DAVID K. MUNSON  
 Residing at: YELLOWSTONE COUNTY  
 My Commission expires: 7-8-2024

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*Janna L. Byrd*  
CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.

MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
POWDER RIVER COUNTY

<p>STATE OF MONTANA,  Plaintiff,  vs.  SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,  Defendant.</p>	<p>Cause No. <u>DC 38-2023-477</u>  <i>Honorable Michael B. Hayworth</i>  <b>JUDGMENT AND SENTENCING ORDER</b></p>
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THIS MATTER came before the Court on September 27, 2024, for Sentencing.

The Defendant SHANE MICHAEL COPPS participated with defense counsel Mathew Stevenson. The State was represented by Powder River County Attorney Jeff Noble. Also participating was Montana Department of Correction Adult Probation and Parole PSI Writer Toni Strouf.

At the Change of Plea Hearing on July 31, 2024, upon testimony from the Defendant the Court accepted a plea of "guilty" to the charged offense of COUNT 1: THEFT, a felony, as specified in § 45-6-301(2)(a), MCA, committed on or about August 24, 2021, within Powder River County, Montana.

Based on the Defendant's knowing, voluntary, and intelligent admissions before this Court IT IS ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the Defendant is GUILTY of COUNT 1: THEFT, a felony, as specified in § 45-6-301(2)(a), MCA.

1. As to COUNT 1: THEFT, a felony, imposition of sentence is deferred for a period of **three (3) years** conditioned on satisfactory compliance with the terms, conditions, and requirements set forth herein.

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The required term runs CONCURRENT with the term of sentence imposed in Powder River County Cause No. DC-38-2023-478 and DC-38-2023-484.

For Count 1, the Defendant is assessed a fine in the amount of **One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00)**. The Defendant shall make payments to the Clerk of District Court, P.O. Box 200, Broadus, MT 59317.

For Count 1, the Defendant shall pay applicable conviction surcharges and other fees:

- **\$100.00** Conviction Surcharge – Felony, 46-18-236(1)(b), payable to the Clerk of District Court, P.O. Box 200, Broadus, MT 59317
- **\$10.00** Court Information Technology Surcharge, 3-1-317(1)(a), payable to the Clerk of District Court, P.O. Box 200, Broadus, MT 59317.
- **\$50.00** Victim Advocate Surcharge, 46-18-236(1)(c), payable to the Clerk of District Court, P.O. Box 200, Broadus, MT 59317.
- **\$50.00**. PSI Report fee. 46-18-111, the Defendant shall pay online at <https://svc.mt.gov/doa/opp/COROffenderPay/cart> OR by submitting a money order or cashier's check to the Department of Corrections, Collections Unit, PO Box 201350, Helena MT 59620. Please include your District Court case number & DOC offender id #.
- **\$100.00**. Cost of Prosecution. 46-18-232; payable to the Clerk of District Court, P.O. Box 200, Broadus, MT 59317.
- **N/A** Cost of Assigned Counsel. 46-8-113, payable to the Office of the State Public Defender, 17 West Galena Street, Butte, MT 59701. All payments for public defender fees must be in the form of a money order, certified check or cashier's check and include your court case number, address, and phone.

2. The Defendant is assessed restitution as set forth below. The Defendant shall pay court-ordered restitution by money order or cashier's check sent to the Department of Corrections, Collection Unit, PO Box 201350, Helena, MT 59620. **If restitution is not paid in full to the Clerk of District Court within two weeks of Sentencing**, the Defendant shall be assessed a 10% administration fee on all restitution ordered. All of the methods for collection of restitution provided under §46-18-241 through §46-18-249, MCA, shall apply, including garnishment of wages and interception of tax refunds. Pursuant to §46-18-244(6)(b), MCA, the Defendant shall sign a statement allowing any employer to garnish up to 25% of his/her wages. The Defendant shall continue to make monthly restitution payments until He has paid full restitution, even after incarceration or supervision has ended.

Restitution is required as follows:

**\$2,959.50**, Powder River First Responders, Ltd, Broadus, MT for amounts wrongly collected by Theft.

The imposed restitution is supported by substantial evidence of the full out of pocket loss attributable to the offense. Section 46-18-241, MCA. The Victim supports the claim for restitution by affidavit. Section 46-18-242(1)(b), MCA. The Defendant does not challenge the restitution claim.

**The first priority for financial obligations is payments toward restitution.** Payment of other financial obligations of sentence is secondary to paying restitution. A key element of a 'good faith effort' to pay the obligations in full is consistent restitution payments each month until paid in full.

3. The Defendant served **zero (0) days** of incarceration to date. In the event of subsequent revocation, the Defendant will be granted credit against the sentence for **0 days** of

pre-sentence/pre-conviction incarceration served prior to September 27, 2024. Section 46-18-403(1), MCA. No credit is granted against the financial obligations of sentence. Section 46-18-403(2), MCA.

4. The pretrial release conditions and requirements are vacated, except as adopted herein as conditions of supervision.

5. The Court specifically finds that based on review of the Defendant's financial resources and obligations, including the Defendant's prospects for employment, Defendant's assets, the adjustment to the financial obligations made by the Court, the Defendant's assurances of payment by entering into the plea agreement, and the Defendant's assurances of ability to pay at the time of Sentencing, that the Defendant is able to meet the financial obligations imposed herein reasonably and without undue hardship.

6. For the term of the sentence the Defendant shall be under the supervision of the Montana Department of Corrections, Adult Probation and Parole, and be subject to the standard rules, regulations, and requirements during supervision as well as special requirements as established by the Court, namely:

1. The Defendant is under the supervision of the Department, subject to all requirements of a law-abiding citizen, and rules and regulations of adult Probation and Parole, including any sanctions.
2. The Defendant must obtain prior approval from the Defendant's supervising officer before taking up residence in any location. The Defendant shall not change place of residence without first obtaining permission from their supervising officer or the officer's designee. The Defendant must make the residence open and available to an officer for a home visit. The Defendant will not own dangerous or vicious animals and will not use any device that would hinder an officer from visiting or searching the residence.
3. The Defendant must obtain permission from their supervising officer or the officer's designee before leaving their assigned district. For any in-state travel, the Defendant must confer with their supervising officer about the travel permit policy.

4. The Defendant must personally contact their supervising officer or designee when directed by the officer.
5. The Defendant is prohibited from using, owning, possessing, transferring, or controlling any firearm, ammunition (including black powder), weapon, or chemical agent such as oleoresin capsicum or pepper spray.
6. Upon reasonable suspicion that the Defendant has violated the conditions of supervision, a Probation and Parole Officer may search the person, vehicle, and residence of the Defendant, and the Defendant must submit to such search. A Probation and Parole Officer may authorize a law enforcement agency to conduct a search, provided the Probation and Parole Officer determines reasonable suspicion exists that the Defendant has violated the conditions of supervision.
7. The Defendant must notify their supervising officer within 72 hours whenever the Defendant has a change in circumstances of employment or alternative approved programming, or any contact with law enforcement.
8. The Montana Board of Pardons and Parole and the sentencing court have the authority to order the Defendant to abide by additional conditions and such conditions must be contained in the judgment or parole decision.
9. The Defendant is prohibited from gambling.
10. The Defendant shall pay all fines, fees, and restitution ordered by the sentencing court.
11. The Defendant shall pay the following fees and/or charges which are statutorily mandated:
  - i. The Probation & Parole Officer shall determine the amount of supervision fees (46-23-1031, MCA) to be paid each month. Payments can be made online at <https://svc.mt.gov/doa/opp/COROffenderPay/cart> OR in the form of money order or cashier's check to the Department of Corrections, Collections Unit, PO Box 201350, Helena MT 59620 (\$50 per month if the Defendant is sentenced under 45-9-902, MCA, dangerous drug felony offense and place on ISP). The DOC shall take a portion of the Defendant's inmate account if the Defendant is incarcerated. Please include your District Court case number & DOC offender id #.
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12. If convicted of a felony offense, the Defendant shall submit to DNA testing. (44-6-103, MCA and, for sexual and/or violent offenders, 46-23-504, MCA)
13. The Defendant shall not abscond from supervision. Absconding is a non-compliance violation as defined in 46-23-1001(3)(d), MCA.
14. The Defendant has obtained a mental health evaluation/assessment by a state-approved evaluator. The Defendant shall follow all the evaluator's treatment recommendations.
15. The Defendant shall successfully complete a cognitive and behavioral modification program.
16. The Defendant shall not enter any bars or casinos.
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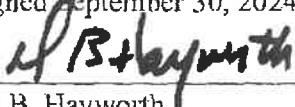
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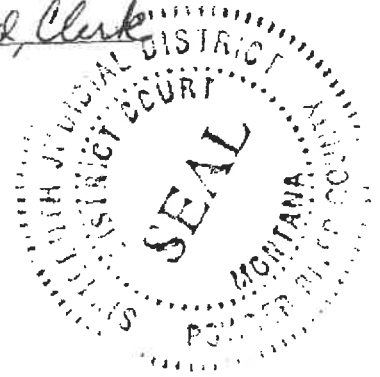
  
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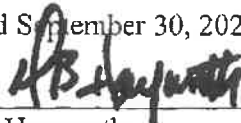
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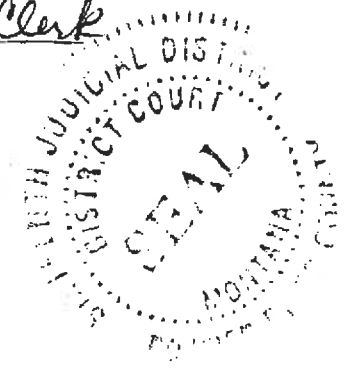


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MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
POWDER RIVER COUNTY

<p>STATE OF MONTANA,  Plaintiff,  vs.  <b>SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,</b>  Defendant.</p>	<p>Cause No. <u>DC 38-2024-484</u>  <i>Honorable Michael B. Hayworth</i>  <b>JUDGMENT AND SENTENCING ORDER</b></p>
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THIS MATTER came before the Court on September 27, 2024, for Sentencing.

The Defendant **SHANE MICHAEL COPPS** participated with defense counsel Mathew Stevenson. The State was represented by Powder River County Attorney Jeff Noble. Also participating was Montana Department of Correction Adult Probation and Parole PSI Writer Toni Strouf.

At the Change of Plea Hearing on July 31, 2024, upon testimony from the Defendant the Court accepted a plea of "guilty" to the charged offense of COUNT 1: THEFT, a felony, as specified in § 45-6-301(1)(a), MCA, committed on or about October 1, 2021, within Powder River County, Montana.

Based on the Defendant's knowing, voluntary, and intelligent admissions before this Court IT IS ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the Defendant is GUILTY of COUNT 1: THEFT, a felony, as specified in § 45-6-301(1)(a), MCA.

Sentence is imposed as follows:

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1. As to COUNT 1: THEFT, a felony, the Defendant is committed to the custody of the Montana Department of Corrections for a term of **three (3) years, all suspended** conditioned on satisfactory compliance with the terms, conditions, and requirements set forth herein.

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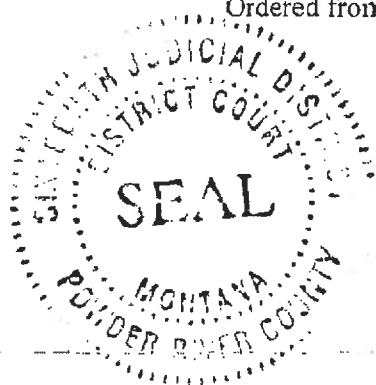
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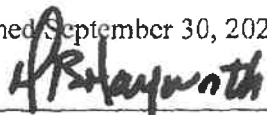
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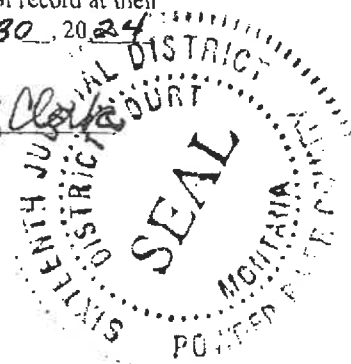
  
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BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  
STATE OF MONTANA

In the Matter of  Shane M. Copps,  Advanced EMT, License No. 73521 and Paramedic, License No. 115329.	Case No. 2023-MED-00212  <b>NOTICE OF PROPOSED BOARD ACTION AND OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING</b>
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On November 22, 2024, the Screening Panel of the Montana Board of Medical Examiners (the Board), considered information presented by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry (Department), and directed issuance of this *Notice of Proposed Board Action and Opportunity for Hearing* (Notice), to Shane M. Copps (Respondent).

**A. FACT ASSERTIONS**

1. Respondent holds an Advanced EMT license, number MED-AEMT-LIC-73521, issued on or about March 1, 2019. Respondent’s Advanced EMT license lapsed on March 31, 2023, and expired May 15, 2023. Respondent holds a Paramedic license, number MED-PARA-LIC-115329, issued on or about August 31, 2022. Respondent’s Paramedic license expires March 31, 2026.

2. On August 21, 2023, Respondent was charged in Powder River County District Court in Cause No. DC-38-2023-477 with Theft (Felony) for purposely or knowingly obtaining

by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 from the owner, Powder River First Responders, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. See Exhibit A. Specifically, Respondent was alleged to have submitted a written request for reimbursement for said amount to the Powder River First Responders, seeking reimbursement for equipment he purchased, however, Respondent is alleged to have cancelled the order for said equipment and did not actually purchase the equipment on behalf of Powder River First Responders, nor was his credit card charged in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit A.

3. On that same date, Respondent was charged in Powder River County District Court in Cause No. DC-38-2023-478 with one count of Theft (Felony) for purposely or knowingly obtaining by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 from the owner, the Powder River First Responders, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. See Exhibit B. Specifically, Respondent was alleged to have submitted a written request for reimbursement for said amount to the Powder River First Responders, seeking reimbursement for equipment he purchased, however, Respondent is alleged to have cancelled the order for said equipment and did not actually purchase the equipment on behalf of Powder River First Responders, nor was his credit card charged in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit B.

4. On March 19, 2024, Respondent was charged in Powder River County District Court in DC-38-2024-484 with one count of Theft (Felony) for purposely or knowingly obtaining or exerting unauthorized control over property from the owner, the Powder River First Responders, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property, which exceeded \$5,000 in value. See Exhibit C.

5. On September 30, 2024, Respondent was convicted of Theft (Felony) in DC-38-2023-477/478 and DC-38-2024-484. In DC-38-2023-477, Respondent's imposition of sentence was deferred for a period of three years, he was assessed a \$1,000 fine and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit D. In DC-38-2023-478, Respondent's imposition of sentence was deferred for a period of three years, he was assessed a \$1,000 fine and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$2,959.50. See Exhibit E. In DC-38-2024-484, Respondent was sentenced to the Department of Corrections for three years, all suspended, assessed a \$1,000 fine, and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$6,166.12. See Exhibit F.

6. Respondent has paid all restitution and fines ordered by the Court in DC-38-2023-477/478 and DC-38-2024-484.

7. In response to the allegations, Respondent noted that he returned all property upon request and paid any and all residual restitution owed to the Powder River First Responders.

**B. ASSERTIONS OF LAW**

1. The Board has subject matter jurisdiction and legal authority to bring this action under Mont. Code Ann. Title 37, ch. 1 and Title 50, ch. 6, and Admin. R. Mont. Title 24, ch. 101 and 156. For disciplinary purposes, the Board retains jurisdiction over the license for two years after lapse. Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-141.

2. The Department provides all administrative, legal, and clerical services needed by the Board, including those related to processing and issuing licenses, renewing licenses, and disciplining licensees. Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-101.

3. The Board established a Screening Panel to determine whether there is reasonable cause to believe a licensee violated a particular statute, rule, or standard justifying disciplinary proceedings. Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-307(1)(d).

4. Based on the fact assertions above, the Board found reasonable cause to believe Respondent violated the following statutes, rules, or standards, justifying disciplinary proceedings:

**Montana Code Annotated**

§ 37-1-316. Unprofessional conduct. (1) The following is unprofessional conduct for a licensee or license applicant governed by this part:

(a) conviction, including conviction following a plea of nolo contendere, of a crime relating to or committed during the course of the person's practice or involving violence, use or sale of drugs, fraud, deceit, or theft, whether or not an appeal is pending;

(m) misappropriating property or funds from a client or workplace or failing to comply with a board rule regarding the accounting and distribution of a client's property or funds;

**C. STATEMENT OF RIGHTS AND PROCEDURES**

1. You may request a hearing to contest these charges. To exercise the right to a hearing, you must send a written request within 20 days of receipt of this Notice, addressed as follows:

Department of Labor and Industry  
Office of Legal Services  
1315 Lockey Avenue  
P.O. Box 1728  
Helena, MT 59624-1728

2. Failure to request a hearing within 20 days of the receipt of this Notice constitutes a default and allows the Board to enter a Final Order of discipline against you based on the facts available to it.

3. If you request a hearing within 20 days, the Commissioner of Labor and Industry will appoint an impartial hearing examiner to conduct the hearing. The hearing examiner will notify you and the Department of the time and place of the hearing. You have the right to appear in person or by or with counsel.

4. Procedural and substantive requirements governing this matter may be found at Mont. Code Ann. Title 2, ch. 4, pt. 6 (Montana Administrative Procedure Act) and Title 37, ch. 1, pt. 1 and 3, and Title 50, ch. 6, including the right to: a hearing before an impartial hearing examiner; present evidence, testify, confront, and cross-examine witnesses at the hearing; be represented by legal counsel; subpoena witnesses; and request judicial review and appeal.

5. After a proposed decision of a hearing examiner, a default, or a stipulated agreement, the Board will issue a Final Order and may impose one or any combination of sanctions under Mont. Code Ann. § 37-1-312 or rules adopted by the Board, including:

- a. revocation of the license;
- b. suspension of the license for a fixed or indefinite term;
- c. restriction or limitation of the practice;
- d. satisfactory completion of a specific program of remedial education or treatment;
- e. monitoring of the practice by a supervisor approved by the disciplining authority;
- f. censure or reprimand, either public or private;
- g. compliance with conditions of probation for a designated period of time;
- h. payment of a fine not to exceed \$1,000.00 for each violation (deposited in the state general fund); and
- i. refund of costs and fees billed to and collected from a customer.

6. You may request judicial review of a Final Order of the Board entered after consideration of a proposed decision of a hearing examiner by filing a petition in district court within 30 days of the issuance of a Final Order.

7. In lieu of a hearing, you may enter into a stipulated agreement resolving potential or pending charges that include one or more sanctions authorized by law.

DATED this 29th day of January 2025.



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Peter E. Delmoe  
Agency Counsel

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify I served a true and accurate copy of the foregoing *Notice of Proposed Board Action and Opportunity for Hearing* by placing it in the United States Postal Service mail, certified with return receipt requested and postage prepaid, addressed to the following:

Shane M. Copps  
c/o Mathew M Stevenson  
Stevenson Law Office  
1640 South Ave West  
Missoula, MT 59801

DATED this 29th day of January 2025.



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Department of Labor and Industry

1 JEFFREY A. NOBLE  
2 Powder River County Attorney  
3 Courthouse Square  
4 P.O. Box 32  
5 Broadus, Montana 59317  
6 Tel. (406) 436-2365  
7 Fax (406) 436-2602

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**AUG 21 2023**

VANNAL BYRD  
CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.

*by Jessica Moran, Deputy*

8 MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, POWDER RIVER COUNTY

9 STATE OF MONTANA,  
10 Plaintiff,

Cause No. DC-38-2023-477

11 vs.

12 SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,  
13 Defendant.

**AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT**

HON. MICHAEL B. HAYWORTH

14 STATE OF MONTANA )  
15 ) :ss.  
16 COUNTY OF POWDER RIVER )

17 COMES NOW Agent Bradley Tucker, of the Montana Department of Justice, Division of  
18 Criminal Investigation, and being first duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states as follows:

19 1. That the undersigned Affiant has served as a criminal investigator for the Montana  
20 Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation for two (2) years, and ten (10) months.  
21 Further, the Affiant has attended and completed the Basic Law Enforcement training course at  
22 the Montana Law Enforcement Academy in the past, together with other, advanced training  
23 courses. The Affiant has approximately twenty-four (24) years of total experience serving as a  
24 law enforcement officer in Montana.

25 2. The Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, did commit the following offense on or  
26 about the 24th day of August, 2021, in Powder River County, Montana, as follows:

**THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(2)(a).

THE FACTS constituting the offense set forth above are:

26 1. **THEFT, a felony.** On or about the 24th day of August, 2021, at or near 201 E. Holt  
27 Street, in the Town of Broadus, in Powder River County, Montana, the Defendant committed  
28 said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained by deception control over property of the  
owner, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. Specifically, on or about said

1 date, at or near said address, the Defendant committed said offense when he purposely or  
2 knowingly obtained by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 of the owner,  
3 Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit corporation, and he had the purpose  
4 of depriving the owner of the property.

5 On or about said date, the Defendant purposely or knowingly obtained by deception  
6 control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 when he submitted a written request for  
7 reimbursement in said amount to the Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit  
8 corporation, in which he was seeking reimbursement for emergency lighting and siren equipment  
9 allegedly ordered by the Defendant for installation on a 2020 Ford Explorer owned by Powder  
10 River First Responders, Ltd.. In addition, the Defendant received check number 524 from  
11 Powder River First Responders, Ltd., on or about August 24, 2021, in the total amount of  
12 \$5,233.84, which included reimbursement for said equipment in the amount \$ 2,959.50.  
13 Further, the Defendant cancelled the order for said equipment after August 24, 2021, and thus the  
14 Defendant did not actually purchase said equipment on behalf of Powder River First Responders,  
15 Ltd., nor was the Defendant's credit card charged in the amount of \$2,959.50 by Parr Public  
16 Safety Equipment, in Galloway, Ohio, for the purchase of said equipment.

17 2. All of which is in violation of the statute described above, and against the peace and  
18 dignity of the State of Montana.

19 3. The State's witnesses known at this time are:

- 20 a. Agent Bradley Tucker  
21 Montana Department of Justice,  
22 Division of Criminal Investigation  
23 P.O. Box 31094  
24 Billings, Montana 59107
- 25 b. Sheriff Allen Drane, Jr. (retired)  
26 Powder River County Sheriff's Office  
27 PO Box 200  
28 County Courthouse  
Broadus, Montana 59317
- c. Undersheriff Ayche Draine  
Powder River County Sheriff's Office  
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- d. Chad Harrington, President  
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e. Richard Jesse, Treasurer  
Powder River First Responders, Ltd.  
61 N. State Highway 59  
Broadus, Montana 59317

f. Any other witnesses discovered by the State at a later date.

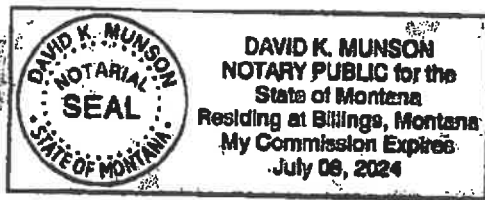
WHEREFORE, your Affiant prays that this Court issue an Order granting leave to file an *Information* in the above-entitled Court charging the Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, with the offense set forth above.


DATED this 7 day of August, 2023.

  
Agent Bradley Tucker  
Montana Department of Justice,  
Division of Criminal Investigation  
P.O. Box 31094  
Billings, Montana 59107

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.

(SEAL)



  
Notary Public for the State of Montana  
Printed Name: DAVID K. MUNSON  
Residing at: YELLOWSTONE CO, MT  
My Commission expires: 7/8/2024

1 JEFFREY A. NOBLE  
2 Powder River County Attorney  
3 Courthouse Square  
4 P.O. Box 32  
5 Broadus, Montana 59317  
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**AUG 21 2023**

VANNAL BYRD  
CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.

by *Leslie Moran*,  
Deputy

8 MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, POWDER RIVER COUNTY

9	STATE OF MONTANA,	)	Cause No. <u>DC-38-2023-478</u>
10	Plaintiff,	)	
11	vs.	)	
12	SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,	)	<b>AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT</b>
13	Defendant.	)	HON. MICHAEL B. HAYWORTH

14 STATE OF MONTANA )  
15 ) ss.  
16 COUNTY OF POWDER RIVER )

17 COMES NOW Agent Bradley Tucker, of the Montana Department of Justice, Division of  
18 Criminal Investigation, and being first duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states as follows:

19 1. That the undersigned Affiant has served as a criminal investigator for the Montana  
20 Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation for two (2) years, and ten (10) months.  
21 Further, the Affiant has attended and completed the Basic Law Enforcement training course at  
22 the Montana Law Enforcement Academy in the past, together with other, advanced training  
23 courses. The Affiant has approximately twenty-four (24) years of total experience serving as a  
24 law enforcement officer in Montana.

25 2. The Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, did commit the following offense on or  
26 about the 24th day of September, 2021, in Powder River County, Montana, as follows:

27 **THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(2)(a).

28 THE FACTS constituting the offense set forth above are:

1. **THEFT, a felony.** On or about the 24th day of September, 2021, at or near 201 E.  
Holt Street, in the Town of Broadus, in Powder River County, Montana, the Defendant  
committed said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained by deception control over  
property of the owner, and had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property. Specifically,

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1 on or about said date, at or near said address, the Defendant committed said offense when he  
2 purposely or knowingly obtained by deception control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 of  
3 the owner, Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit corporation, and he had  
4 the purpose of depriving the owner of the property.

4 On or about said date, the Defendant purposely or knowingly obtained by deception  
5 control over funds in the amount of \$2,959.50 when he submitted a written request for  
6 reimbursement in said amount to the Powder River First Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit  
7 corporation, in which he was seeking reimbursement for emergency lighting and siren equipment  
8 allegedly ordered by the Defendant for installation on a 2020 Ford Explorer owned by Powder  
9 River First Responders, Ltd.. In addition, the Defendant received check number 528 from  
10 Powder River First Responders, Ltd., on or about September 24, 2021, in the total amount of  
11 \$17,300.63, which included reimbursement for said equipment in the amount \$ 2,959.50.  
12 Further, the Defendant cancelled the order for said equipment after September 24, 2021, and thus  
13 the Defendant did not actually purchase said equipment on behalf of Powder River First  
14 Responders, Ltd., nor was the Defendant's credit card charged in the amount of \$2,959.50 by  
15 Parr Public Safety Equipment, in Galloway, Ohio, for the purchase of said equipment.

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14 dignity of the State of Montana.

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- 25 d. Chad Harrington, President  
26 Powder River First Responders, Ltd.  
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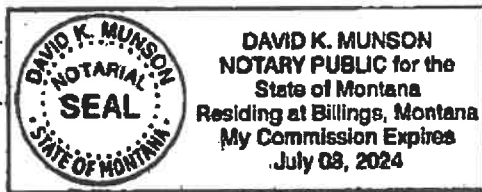
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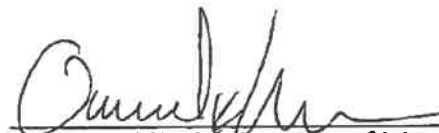
DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.

  
Agent Bradley Tucker  
Montana Department of Justice,  
Division of Criminal Investigation  
P.O. Box 31094  
Billings, Montana 59107

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 9 day of August, 2023.

(SEAL)



  
Notary Public for the State of Montana  
Printed Name: DAVID K MUNSON  
Residing at: YELLOWSTONE COUNTY  
My Commission expires: 7-8-2024

1 JEFFREY A. NOBLE  
Powder River County Attorney  
2 Courthouse Square  
P.O. Box 32  
3 Broadus, Montana 59317  
Tel. (406) 436-2365

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MAR 19 2024

VANNA L. BYRD  
CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.  
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7 MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, POWDER RIVER COUNTY

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9 STATE OF MONTANA, )

10 Plaintiff, )

11 vs. )

12 SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, )

13 Defendant. )

Cause No. DC-38-2024-484

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO  
FILE INFORMATION**

Hon. Michael B. Hayworth

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15 COMES NOW JEFFREY A. NOBLE, County Attorney in and for Powder River County,  
16 State of Montana, and pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 46-11-201, hereby moves this Court for  
17 leave to file an *Information* against the above-named Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,  
18 charging the Defendant with the following offense:

19 **THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(1)(a).

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21 This motion shall be supported by one or more Affidavits, which shall set forth certain  
22 evidence and establish probable cause to believe that the said offense has been committed by the  
23 Defendant.

24 DATED this 19 day of March, 2024.

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26 *Jeffrey A. Noble*  
JEFFREY A. NOBLE  
Powder River County Attorney

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, the undersigned counsel, hereby certify that on the 19 day of March, 2024, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served upon the following person by depositing a true and correct copy thereof into the U.S. Mail, first class postage prepaid, or by email, as follows:

HON. MICHAEL B. HAYWORTH  
District Court Judge  
1010 Main Street  
Miles City, MT 59301 (Via Email)

Mathew Stevenson, Attorney  
1640 South Ave. West  
Missoula, MT 59801 (Via Email)

  
Jeffrey A. Noble

1 JEFFREY A. NOBLE  
Powder River County Attorney  
2 Courthouse Square  
P.O. Box 32  
3 Broadus, Montana 59317  
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VANNA L. BYRD  
CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.  
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7 MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, POWDER RIVER COUNTY  
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9 STATE OF MONTANA, )  
10 Plaintiff. ) Cause No. DC-38-2024-484  
11 vs. )  
12 SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, ) **AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT**  
13 Defendant. ) HON. MICHAEL B. HAYWORTH

14 STATE OF MONTANA )  
15 ) :ss.  
16 COUNTY OF YELLOWSTONE )

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21 Further, the Affiant has attended and completed the Basic Law Enforcement training course at  
22 the Montana Law Enforcement Academy in the past, together with other, advanced training  
23 courses. The Affiant has approximately twenty-five (25) years of total experience serving as a  
24 law enforcement officer in Montana.

25 2. The Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, did commit the following offense on or  
26 about the 1st day of October, 2021, in Powder River County, Montana, as follows:

27 **THEFT**, a felony, in violation of Mont. Code Ann. §45-6-301(1)(a).  
28 THE FACTS constituting the offense set forth above are:

1. **THEFT, Property exceeding \$5,000.00 in Value, a felony.** On or about the 1st day  
of October, 2021, at or near 201 E. Holt Street, in the Town of Broadus, in Powder River County,  
Montana, the Defendant committed said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained or  
exercised unauthorized control over certain property of the owner (specifically, Powder River First

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1 Responders, Ltd., a Montana non-profit corporation). and he had the purpose of depriving the  
2 owner of the property.

3 2. Specifically, on or about said date, at or near said address, the Defendant committed  
4 said offense when he purposely or knowingly obtained or exerted unauthorized control over the  
5 following described property of the owner, Powder River First Responders, Ltd. (hereinafter  
6 referred to as "PRFR"), and he had the purpose of depriving the owner of the property, as  
7 follows:

8 a. Philips Lumify Broadband linear array with Power Module. Value \$6,200.00:  
9 Approx. date purchased: **9/17/2021** Property of: **PRFR** Check # Issued: **528**

10 b. Tempus Pro Monitor with Tempus LS Manual Unit in Tempus Combo case. Value  
11 \$39,785.00:  
12 Approx. date purchased: **9/10/2020** Property of: **PRFR** Check # Issued: **481**

13 c. Video Laryngoscope Model ClearVue, Infinium Medical Inc., in silver case with five  
14 (5) disposable Laryngoscope blades. Value \$1,570.00:  
15 Approx. date purchased: **5/24/2021** Property of: **PRFR** Check # Issued: **498**

16 d. O Two E700 Ventilator, with blue tube and accessories, Value \$8,141.13:  
17 Approx. date purchased: **9/14/2021** Property of: **PRFR** Check # Issued: **528**

18 e. Soma Sigma Spectrum pump. Value \$1,695.00:  
19 Approx. date purchased: **5/24/2021** Property of: **PRFR** Check # Issued: **498**

20 f. Tempus Pro case (and miscellaneous Tempus cords/batteries), and a case containing a  
21 Lateral Medical I.CCSU4 compact suction unit. Values \$540.60 and \$785.00:  
22 Approx. date purchased: **2/19/2021** & Property of: **PRFR** Check # Issued: **496/523**  
23 **7/9/2021**

24 It should be noted that the above-described items were recovered from the Defendant by  
25 Agent Bradley Tucker in Gillette, Campbell County, Wyoming, on or about January 11, 2023.

26 3. All of which is in violation of the statutes described above, and against the peace and  
27 dignity of the State of Montana.  
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4. The State's witnesses known at this time are:

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- e. Richard Jesse, Treasurer  
Powder River First Responders, Ltd.  
61 N. State Highway 59  
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- f. Nicole Steeneken  
State of Montana  
Community Integrated Health Program  
6165 Timber Trail Drive  
Helena Montana 59602
- g. Any other witnesses discovered by the State at a later date.

WHEREFORE, your Affiant prays that this Court issue an Order granting leave to file an *Information* in the above-entitled Court charging the Defendant, SHANE MICHAEL COPPS, with the offense set forth above.

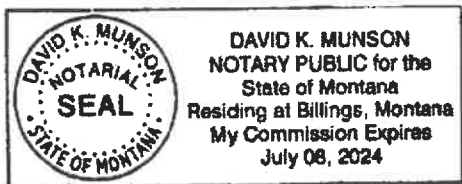
DATED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024.

  
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**Agent Bradley Tucker**  
 Montana Department of Justice,  
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 15 day of March, 2024.

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*David K. Munson*  
 Notary Public for the State of Montana  
 Printed Name: DAVID K. MUNSON  
 Residing at: YELLOWSTONE COUNTY  
 My Commission expires: 7-8-2024

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**SEP 30 2024**

*Janna L. Byrd*  
CLERK OF DIST. COURT-POWDER RIVER CO.

MONTANA SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
POWDER RIVER COUNTY

<p>STATE OF MONTANA,  Plaintiff,  vs.  SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,  Defendant.</p>	<p>Cause No. <u>DC 38-2023-477</u>  <i>Honorable Michael B. Hayworth</i>  <b>JUDGMENT AND SENTENCING ORDER</b></p>
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THIS MATTER came before the Court on September 27, 2024, for Sentencing.

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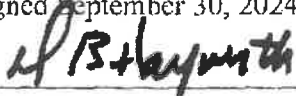
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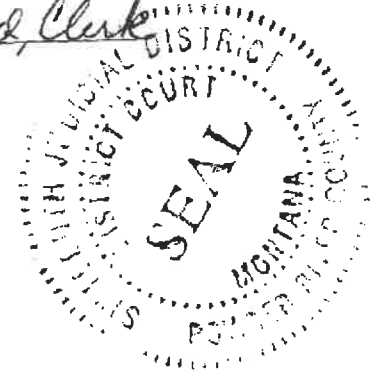
  
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By Sanna L. Byrd, Clerk



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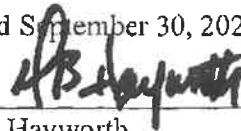
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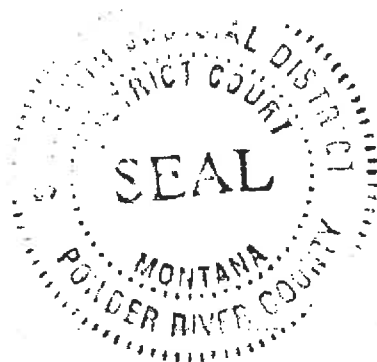
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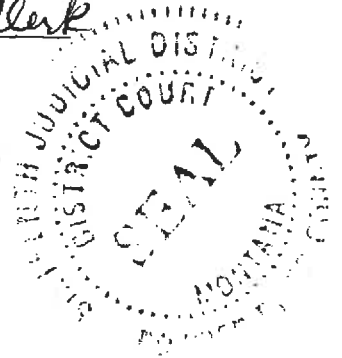


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3. The Defendant served **zero (0) days** of incarceration to date. In the event of subsequent revocation, the Defendant will be granted credit against the sentence for **0 days** of pre-sentence/pre-conviction incarceration served prior to September 27, 2024. Section 46-18-403(1), MCA. No credit is granted against the financial obligations of sentence. Section 46-18-403(2), MCA.

4. The pretrial release conditions and requirements are vacated, except as adopted herein as conditions of supervision.

5. The Court specifically finds that based on review of the Defendant's financial resources and obligations, including the Defendant's prospects for employment, Defendant's assets, the adjustment to the financial obligations made by the Court, the Defendant's assurances of payment by entering into the plea agreement, and the Defendant's assurances of ability to pay at the time of Sentencing, that the Defendant is able to meet the financial obligations imposed herein reasonably and without undue hardship.

6. For the term of the sentence the Defendant shall be under the supervision of the Montana Department of Corrections, Adult Probation and Parole, and be subject to the standard rules, regulations, and requirements during supervision as well as special requirements as established by the Court, namely:

1. The Defendant is under the supervision of the Department, subject to all requirements of a law-abiding citizen, and rules and regulations of adult Probation and Parole, including any sanctions.

2. The Defendant must obtain prior approval from the Defendant's supervising officer before taking up residence in any location. The Defendant shall not change place of residence without first obtaining permission from their supervising officer or the officer's designee. The Defendant must make the residence open and available to an officer for a home visit. The Defendant will not own dangerous or vicious animals and will not use any device that would hinder an officer from visiting or searching the residence.
3. The Defendant must obtain permission from their supervising officer or the officer's designee before leaving their assigned district. For any in-state travel, the Defendant must confer with their supervising officer about the travel permit policy.
4. The Defendant must personally contact their supervising officer or designee when directed by the officer.
5. The Defendant is prohibited from using, owning, possessing, transferring, or controlling any firearm, ammunition (including black powder), weapon, or chemical agent such as oleoresin capsicum or pepper spray.
6. Upon reasonable suspicion that the Defendant has violated the conditions of supervision, a Probation and Parole Officer may search the person, vehicle, and residence of the Defendant, and the Defendant must submit to such search. A Probation and Parole Officer may authorize a law enforcement agency to conduct a search, provided the Probation and Parole Officer determines reasonable suspicion exists that the Defendant has violated the conditions of supervision.
7. The Defendant must notify their supervising officer within 72 hours whenever the Defendant has a change in circumstances of employment or alternative approved programming, or any contact with law enforcement.
8. The Montana Board of Pardons and Parole and the sentencing court have the authority to order the Defendant to abide by additional conditions and such conditions must be contained in the judgment or parole decision.
9. The Defendant is prohibited from gambling.
10. The Defendant shall pay all fines, fees, and restitution ordered by the sentencing court.
11. The Defendant shall pay the following fees and/or charges which are statutorily mandated:

- i. The Probation & Parole Officer shall determine the amount of supervision fees (46-23-1031, MCA) to be paid each month. Payments can be made online at <https://svc.mt.gov/doa/opp/COROffenderPay/cart> OR in the form of money order or cashier's check to the Department of Corrections, Collections Unit, PO Box 201350, Helena MT 59620 (\$50 per month if the Defendant is sentenced under 45-9-902, MCA, dangerous drug felony offense and place on ISP). The DOC shall take a portion of the Defendant's inmate account if the Defendant is incarcerated. Please include your District Court case number & DOC offender id #.
  - ii. The Defendant shall pay court ordered restitution online at <https://svc.mt.gov/doa/opp/COROffenderPay/cart> OR by money order or cashier's check sent to the Department of Corrections, Collections Unit, PO Box 201350, Helena MT 59620. Please include your District Court case number & DOC offender id #. **If restitution is not paid in full to the Clerk of District Court within two weeks of Sentencing**, the Defendant shall be assessed a 10% administration fee on all restitution ordered. All of the methods for collection of restitution provided under 46-18-241 through 46-18-249, MCA, shall apply, including garnishment of wages and interception of state tax refunds. Pursuant to 46-18-244(6)(b), MCA, the Defendant shall sign a statement allowing any employer to garnish up to 25% of his/her wages. The Defendant shall continue to make monthly restitution payments until he/she has paid full restitution, even after incarceration or supervision has ended.
12. If convicted of a felony offense, the Defendant shall submit to DNA testing. (44-6-103, MCA and, for sexual and/or violent offenders, 46-23-504, MCA)
13. The Defendant shall not abscond from supervision. Absconding is a non-compliance violation as defined in 46-23-1001(3)(d), MCA.
14. The Defendant has obtained a mental health evaluation/assessment by a state-approved evaluator. The Defendant shall follow all the evaluator's treatment recommendations.
15. The Defendant shall successfully complete a cognitive and behavioral modification program.
16. The Defendant shall not enter any bars or casinos.

17. The Defendant shall not establish a new checking or any credit account until restitution has been paid in full.
18. The Defendant shall provide yearly credit report until the restitution is paid in full.
19. The Defendant shall not knowingly associate with probationers, parolees, prison inmates, or persons in the custody of any law enforcement agency without prior approval from the Probation and Parole Officer outside a work, treatment, or self-help group setting. The Defendant shall not associate with persons as ordered by the court or BOPP.
20. The Defendant shall not knowingly have any contact, oral, written, electronic or through a third party, with [G.V. or any other individual associated with Powder River First Responders ] (the victim(s) and/or the victim's immediate family) unless such contact is voluntarily initiated by the victim(s) through the Department of Corrections. Department staff may notify victims about the availability of opportunities for facilitated contact with their offenders without being considered "third parties."
21. The Defendant shall comply with all sanctions given as a result of an intervention, on-site (preliminary), or disciplinary hearing.
22. The Defendant is required to disclose their conviction involving theft from an employer to any and all employers. {46-23-1004(9), MCA}
23. The PSI report shall be released by the Department to certain persons, such as treatment providers, mental health providers, and/or medical providers, as needed for the Defendant's rehabilitation.

The Court finds pursuant to State v. Ashby that all conditions imposed by this Court are reasonable, necessary, and associated with the Defendant's history and/or crime committed. The terms support the Defendant's successful completion of supervision.

**The Defendant is placed on notice that Pursuant to Section 46-18-116, M.C.A., if a written judgment and an oral pronouncement of sentence or other disposition conflict, the defendant may, within 120 days after filing of the written judgment, request that the court modify the written judgment to conform to the oral pronouncement. Failure to object to a**

**conflict within 120 days after the filing of the written judgment waives the right to conform the written judgment to the oral pronouncement.**

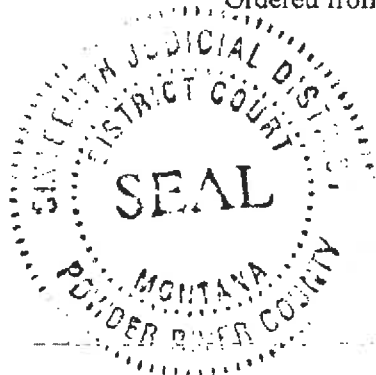
The reasons for this disposition are as follows:

- A. The sentence is suspended and not deferred because the Defendant committed three distinct (albeit within a relatively short interval of time) felony thefts: Powder River County DC-38-2023-477, DC-38-2023-478 and this offense. The Defendant explains that although he made mistakes, all thefts were misunderstandings -- but the pattern of events clouds his explanations.
- B. This theft was over \$60,000.00 of medical equipment. The Defendant later returned almost all the equipment and most equipment was able to be refurbished which dramatically reduced the restitution due. However, the theft and interim loss to Powder River First Responders were substantial at the time. See Victim Affidavit. In the midst of the pattern of events, and given the scope of the theft, the Court could not characterize this theft as a first felony offense worthy of a deferred imposition of sentence.

Any bond is exonerated, except that any cash bail posted by the Defendant shall be first applied to the financial obligations imposed herein with the balance, if any, returned to the Defendant.

The Clerk of Court will provide a copy of this Order as noted below.

Ordered from the Bench September 27, 2024, and signed September 30, 2024.



Michael B. Hayworth  
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

Cc: County Attorney's Office  
Defense counsel  
Department of Corrections  
Probation & Parole

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The foregoing was duly served by U.S. Mail or Email  
scan upon the parties or their attorneys of record at their  
last known address on September 30, 2024

By Wanna L. Byrd, Clerk



THE BOARD OF MEDICAL  
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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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IN THE MATTER OF:	)	CASE NO. 25-170
SHANE MICHAEL COPPS,	)	
Respondent.	)	NOTICE OF HEARING
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YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a contest case hearing has been scheduled before the South Dakota Board of Medical and Osteopathic Examiners (Board) in the above captioned matter.

DATE AND TIME OF HEARING: **Thursday, June 11, 2026, 9:00 a.m. CST**  
or as soon thereafter as may be heard by the Board

PLACE of HEARING: SDBMOE Board Room, Suite 306  
101 N Phillips Ave, Suite 201  
Sioux Falls, SD 57104

HEARING OFFICER: South Dakota Board of Medical and Osteopathic Examiners

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that this will be an adversarial hearing. SDCL chs. 1-26 requires that you be advised of the following:

- A. This hearing is held pursuant to the Board’s authority granted by SDCL Ch. 1-26 and the Administrative Rules of South Dakota, Chapter 20:78:05.
- B. This hearing is held pursuant to the Stipulation and Agreement with Revocation of Shane Michael Copps’s paramedic license. The Board prosecutor, Alexis A. Tracy, will present to the Board the Stipulation and Agreement, accompanying documentation surrounding the final order issued by the State of Montana, and a request for a Final Order by the Board to accept the Revocation and accompanying stipulation and agreement documents.
- C. If the Board accepts the Stipulation and Agreement for a Revocation, it

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will enter into a Final Order approving and adopting the Revocation. The Board reserves the right to reject any recommendation.

- D. Prior to the hearing, no party shall communicate with any member of the Board assigned to render a decision herein in regard to this case, unless all parties are given notice and an opportunity to participate.
- E. This hearing is a contested case as that term is defined in SDCL 1-26-1(2). As such, this hearing is an adversary proceeding. You have the right to be present and to be represented by legal counsel. The Board and its counsel may ask such questions, as they deem necessary. If these and other due process rights are not exercised at this hearing, they will be forfeited.
- F. Pursuant to SDCL 1-26-30.2, any party in a contested case may appeal a final decision, ruling, or action of an agency to the circuit court.

Dated this 15th day of April, 2026.

*/s/ Alexis A. Tracy* \_\_\_\_\_

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on April 15, 2026, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing was served upon Shane Copps, by United States mail, certified, first class, postage prepaid, and by FedEx, to 68 Conestoga, Carlile, WY 82721, and emailed a copy to [Shanecopps@live.com](mailto:Shanecopps@live.com)

*/s/ Alexis A. Tracy*  
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