

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Plaintiff,

Case No. _____

-v-

Hon. Lisa Gorcyca

Defendant.

ORDER SCHEDULING EVIDENTIARY HEARING

This matter having come before the Court by motion, stipulation, or other means, and the Court having been advised in the premises, the following is HEREBY ORDERED:

1. The attorney(s) of record or the parties themselves has (have) represented that a hearing in this matter will take approximately _____.
2. This case is set for an evidentiary hearing regarding _____ on _____ at _____ a.m./p.m. Court will start **promptly** at _____ a.m./p.m. Failure to appear at the scheduled time may result in sanctions pursuant to the Michigan Court Rules.
3. **Each party shall file a hearing brief** (including exhibits an supporting law) no later than 7 days prior to the scheduled hearing date.
4. Discovery shall be completed and exchanged by _____. All stipulated to exhibits must be marked with numbers (Plaintiff) and letters (Defendant) **prior to** the start of trial.
5. Each party **must file a Witness List (lay and expert), a Proposed Exhibit List, and exchange exhibits** no later than 7 days prior to the scheduled hearing.
6. All motions in limine or other motions in relation to the pending evidentiary hearing shall be filed for a Wednesday motion call day prior to the scheduled hearing date. All briefs and motions must comply with MCR 2.119(A)(2).
7. No reply to any response shall be accepted by the Court, unless the Court decides otherwise and notifies the parties.
8. The parties must file the foregoing briefs, lists, and motions by filing an original with the County Clerk’s Office, serving the opposing party/ counsel, and **delivering two JUDGE’S COPIES to Chambers located at Courtroom W1** (unless the case is an e-filing case, in which case, Judge’s Copies are not required), all in accordance with the Michigan Rules of Court and the local rules of court. All briefs and motions must comply with MCR 2.119(A)(2).

If briefs, lists, responses, and exhibits are not filed and served upon the opposing party, the party will be prevented from calling witnesses or introducing exhibits. Failure to appear by the moving party will result in the disputed issue being dismissed with prejudice. If you have any questions, please email my judicial staff attorney: achesona@oakgov.com

Plaintiff/ Attorney for Plaintiff

Hon. Lisa Gorcyca

Defendant/ Attorney for Defendant

Date