



Auditor
Charles E. Walder
Chief Fiscal Officer

Return Voucher Form

Date: 04/11/25

To: Elected Official, Department head, or Accounting Staff of Juvenile Court

From: Auditor's Office Fiscal Department

SUBJECT: Batch # 2025-000000864

Lockemer Law LLC \$500.00

☐ Dept. Head Signature Missing on Cover	☐ Incorrect Vendor Numbers (s)
☐ Incorrect Account Number	☐ Incorrect/No Encumbrance No.
☐ Incorrect Remit Address	☐ Incorrect Voucher Amount
☐ Insufficient Cash Balance Available	☐ Incorrect G/L Date
☐ Batch not Approved in New World	☐ Expense Precede Encumbrance
☐ Insufficient Balance Available on PO	☐ Remit Copy Missing
☐ Missing Original Invoice/Supporting Documents	☐ Due Date Deadline Missed
☐ Missing "OK to Pay" Initials/Signature	☒ Other

Solution: No original signature on the voucher cover or invoice.

Courthouse Annex, 231 Main Street, Suite 1A, Chardon, OH 44024-1293

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AUDITORS CERTIFICATION OF FUNDS
O.R.C. 5705.41D

Geauga County, Chardon, Ohio January 3, 2025

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the money required to meet the foregoing contract, agreement, or obligation in the sum of
\$50,000.00

has been lawfully approved, authorized or directed for such purpose and is in the Treasury or in the process of collection to the credit of the fund listed next to the item below, free from any previous encumbrances.

CHARLES E. WALDER
GEAUGA COUNTY AUDITOR

by _____, Deputy Auditor
GEAUGA COUNTY FEDERAL I.D. NO. 34-6001208
SALES AND USED TAX EXEMPTION - POLITICAL SUBDIVISION
STATE OF OHIO

FOR AUDITORS USE ONLY	Date: _____
Then and Now Certificate: _____	
Warrant Received by: _____	
Date: _____	

SHIP TO:

GEAUGA COUNTY

PROBATE / JUVENILE COURT -JUDGE GRENDALL

231 MAIN STREET SUITE 2

CHARDON, OH 44024

WARRANT NO.	VOUCHER DATE	VOUCHER AMOUNT
	4/14/2025	\$ 500.00 ✓
P.O. DATE	ADJUSTMENT	ACCOUNT NO.
01/03/2025	dr.	
1099 AMT.	cr.	

PURCHASE ORDER NO. 2025-00001137 ✓

GEAUGA CO. BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:	
SESSION _____	
RESOLUTION _____	
JOURNAL _____	
PAGE _____	
BUDGET APPROVAL - ENCUMB _____	VOUCHER _____

VENDOR I.D. NO. 13360

PURCHASED FROM:

Lockemer Law, LLC

INVOICE TO:

GEAUGA COUNTY

PROBATE / JUVENILE COURT -JUDGE GRENDALL

231 MAIN STREET SUITE 2

CHARDON, OH 44024

Kimberly

DEPARTMENT HEAD SIGNATURE

QUANTITY	UNIT	FUND	DESCRIPTION	UNIT COST	TOTAL COST
1.0000	Each	2005	Contracted Services - Contract Services 2005-007-53-601 - Contract Services 50,000.00 ✓ 23CU215 ✓	50,000.0000	\$50,000.00
TOTAL DUE					\$50,000.00

RECEIVED
APR 10 2025
Gaugua County Auditor

Presented by Court as a
courtesy only,
NOT statutorily required

See State ex rel. Grendell v. Walder,
Slip Opinion No. 2022-Ohio-204

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
JUVENILE DIVISION
GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

FILED
COMMON PLEAS COURT
2025 APR -9 PM 5:35
PROBATE/JUVENILE
DIVISION
GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

IN RE:

JUVENILE COURT
EXPENDITURES
ASHLEY LOCKEMER DBA:
LOCKEMER LAW, LLC

) JUDGE TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL
)
)
) **PROPER ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**
) **2025-130**

Pursuant to R.C. 5139.34(C)(3), 2151.10, 2151.40, and 319.16(A)(2), this order hereby directs timely payment by the Geauga County Auditor in the amount of \$500.00 (Five Hundred Dollars and No Cents) from 2005-007-53-601 payable to ASHLEY LOCKEMER DBA: LOCKEMER LAW, LLC, for mediation for 23CU215, which the Juvenile Court has determined to be an expenditure for a proper public purpose. **Kindly provide this Court with the original check which it will mail to the vendor.**

Pursuant to R.C. 319.16(D), "if the auditor questions the validity of [this] expenditure... the auditor shall notify the court that presented the documents, shall issue the warrant under protest, and shall notify the auditor of state of the protest."

As an elected official and member of the judicial branch of county government, the Judge of the Geauga County Probate/Juvenile Court is authorized to fix the amount due to court vendors who perform services for the court. Therefore, pursuant to R.C. 307.55(A), this payment is to be processed "Live".

IT IS SO ORDERED.


TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL, JUDGE

KE 4/9/2025

CC: Fiscal Director

Lockemer Law LLC

✓ 15750 Ravenna Road
Newbury, OH 44065

PHONE: 4407965564 lockemerlawllc@gmail.com

INVOICE

23CU215 ✓

INVOICE NUMBER: 1

INVOICE DATE: APRIL 02, 2025 ✓

DATE	PROJECT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	RATE	AMOUNT
MAR-26-25	Mediation Intake	Interview Calls with Parties	1.00		
MAR-26-25	Mediation Intake	Intake Interviews			\$250.00
APR-02-25	Mediation		1.00		
APR-02-25	Mediation	Mediation with Parties			\$250.00 ✓
		Total amount of this invoice			\$500.00

✓
4/3/25 KO