



Auditor
Charles E. Walder
Chief Fiscal Officer

Return Voucher Form

Date: 01/30/2026

To: Elected Official, Department head, or Accounting Staff of Board – Probate Court

From: Auditor's Office Fiscal Department

SUBJECT: Batch #2026-00000231

Lori White \$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. Incorrect date on voucher.

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 2, 2026
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
	2/2/2026 ✓	\$ 500.00 ✓
P.O. DATE	ADJUSTMENT	ACCOUNT NO.
01/02/2026	dr.	
1099 AMT.	cr.	

PURCHASE ORDER NO. 2026-00001394 ✓ KC

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

VENDOR I.D. NO.

5505

PURCHASED FROM:

Lori White

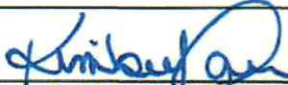
INVOICE TO:

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DEPARTMENT HEAD SIGNATURE

QUANTITY	UNIT	FUND	DESCRIPTION	UNIT COST	TOTAL COST
1.0000	Each	1001	Contracted Services - Contract Services 1001-008-00-601 - Contract Services 50,000.00 25PG30 RECEIVED JAN 29 2026 Gauga County Auditor	50,000.0000	\$50,000.00
TOTAL DUE					\$50,000.00

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
PROBATE DIVISION
GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

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PROBATE-JUVENILE
DIVISION
GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

IN RE:

PROBATE COURT
EXPENDITURES
WHITE, LORI A

RECEIVED
JAN 29 2026
Geauga County Auditor

) JUDGE TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL
)
)
) PROPER ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
) 2026-31

Pursuant to R.C. 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 1001-008-00-601 payable to WHITE, LORI A, for capacity evaluation for 25PG30, which the Probate 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.


ROBERT W. BERGER, JUDGE
Sitting by Assignment #25JA5007

CC: Fiscal Director

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

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PROBATE-JUVENILE
DIVISION
GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE NO. 25 PG 000030

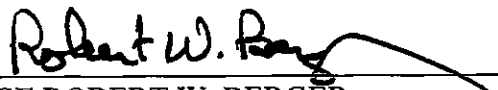
THE GUARDIANSHIP OF

JUDGE ROBERT W. BERGER, Ret.,
sitting by assignment

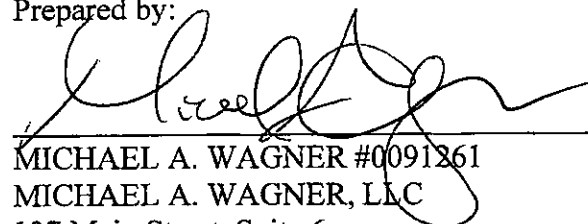
ORDER

For good cause shown, the Geauga County Probate Court hereby orders that the invoice of Dr. Lori A. White shall be paid in the amount of Five Hundred and no/100 Dollars (\$500.00) from the Court indigent fund or other county fund from the year 2026.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


JUDGE ROBERT W. BERGER
Sitting by Assignment
25JA5007

Prepared by:



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THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE DOCUMENT ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE, EXCEPT FOR THE REDACTION OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS, IF ANY.
ENTERED 16 26 WITNESS MY HAND
AND SEAL OF SAID COURT THIS 16 DAY OF
JANUARY 2026 Robert W. Berger
CLERK OF COURT Siting by Assignment #25JA
CLERK

Lori A White, Ph.D.
447 South Street
Chardon, Ohio 44024

440-946-7796 440-488-4574

INVOICE

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Geauga County Probate Court

PROBATE-JUVENILE
DIVISION
GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

Invoice # 0000833

Invoice Date 01/06/2026

Due Date 01/06/2026

Item	Description	Unit Price	Quantity	Amount
	Capacity evaluation 1/5/2026	250.00	2.00	500.00
Subtotal				500.00
Total				500.00
Amount Paid				0.00
Balance Due				\$500.00