



Auditor
Charles E. Walder
Chief Fiscal Officer

Return Voucher Form

Date: 03/17/26

To: Elected Official, Department head, or Accounting Staff of **Probate**

From: Auditor's Office Fiscal Department

SUBJECT: Batch # 2026-00000562

Lori White \$437.50

☐ 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	☒ X Other

Solution: No original signature on the voucher cover. Incorrect date on voucher cover.

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
	3/23/2026 <i>X</i>	\$ 437.50 <i>✓</i>
P.O. DATE	ADJUSTMENT	ACCOUNT NO.
01/02/2026		
1099 AMT.	dr	
	cr	

PURCHASE ORDER NO. 2026-00001394 *✓* *KC*

GEAUGA CO. BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS: SESSION _____ RESOLUTION _____ JOURNAL _____ PAGE _____ BUDGET APPROVAL - ENCUMB _____ VOUCHER _____
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VENDOR I.D. NO. 5505

PURCHASED FROM:

Lori White

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	1001	Contracted Services - Contract Services 1001-008-00-601 - Contract Services 50,000.00 <i>✓</i> 25PG596 <i>✓</i>	50,000.0000	\$50,000.00
RECEIVED MAR 16 2026 Geauga County Auditor					
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 RE:

PROBATE COURT
EXPENDITURES
WHITE, LORI A

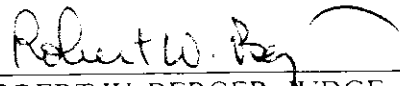
) JUDGE TIMOTHY J. GRENDALL
)
)
) **PROPER ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**
) **2026-104**

Pursuant to R.C. 319.16(A)(2), this order hereby directs timely payment by the Geauga County Auditor in the amount of \$437.50 (Four Hundred Thirty Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents) from 1001-008-00-601 payable to WHITE, LORI A. for capacity evaluation for 25PG596, 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 #26JA0683

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 THE
STATEMENT OF EXPERT EVALUATION

IN THE GUARDIANSHIP OF

) CASE NO: **25 PG 596**
)
) JUDGE: TIMOTHY J GRENDALL
)
) **ORDER**

This matter came on for consideration upon review of the Statement of Expert Evaluation and invoice completed by Dr. Lori White PhD, filed on February 6, 2026. Pursuant to the attached Order dated December 19, 2025, this Court agrees to pay Dr. Lori White PhD in the amount of \$437.50 from appropriate Court/County funds.



ROBERT W. BERGER, JUDGE
Sitting by Assignment 26JAN83
ABBEY L. KING, MAGISTRATE
MICHAEL L. HURST, MAGISTRATE

cc: Fiscal Officer

ALL COPIES OF THIS ORDER MUST BE
RECEIVED AND CORRECT COPY OF THE DOCUMENT MUST
BE IN THIS OFFICE, EXCEPT FOR THE REDACTION
OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS IF ANY.
ENTERED 26JAN83 BY WITNESS MA HANE
AND SEAL OF SAID COURT THIS 26 DAY OF
JANUARY 2026

Robert W. Berger
Judge, sitting by assignment

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

440-946-7796 440-488-4574

INVOICE

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PROBATE-JUVENILE
DIVISION
GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

Geauga County Probate Court

Invoice # 0000835

Invoice Date 02/06/2026

Due Date 02/06/2026

Item	Description	Unit Price	Quantity	Amount
	Capacity evaluation of Case number 25 PG 596	250.00	1.75	437.50
Subtotal				437.50
Total				437.50
Amount Paid				0.00
Balance Due				\$437.50