

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
ASHTABULA COUNTY, OHIO

Petitioner/Plaintiff

Address

City

State

Zip

vs./and

CASE NO.

JUDGE

MOTION TO SHOW CAUSE

Petitioner/Defendant

Address

City

State

Zip

I, _____, request an Order for
to appear and show cause why he/she should not be held in contempt for violating a court order
regarding the following:

Check all which apply:

- interference with parenting time
- reimbursement of medical expenses incurred for the minor child/ren
(Pursuant to Local Rule 21, your motion must itemize such expenses and state
whether demand for payment has been made prior to filing of your motion)
- failure to transfer car title
- failure to transfer real estate
- failure to refinance debt
- failure to transfer personal property
- other:

Signature of Party

AFFIDAVIT

Affiant states that the court order dated _____ has been violated by
as follows:

I, _____, hereby swear and affirm the information set forth in this
affidavit is true,

AFFIANT

SWORN to and SUBSCRIBED before me this _____ day of _____, 20____

NOTARY PUBLIC

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CLERK

Please serve the above Motion and the Order to Appear on
at the following address:

By _____ certified mail _____ personal service by Sheriff

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Plaintiff/Petitioner)	
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)	JUDGE
vs./and)	
)	
)	<u>ORDER TO APPEAR AND SUMMONS</u>
Defendant/Petitioner)	
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_____ has filed with the Clerk of Courts a charge in
contempt against _____ alleging that he/she failed to comply with
this Court's Judgment Entry filed on _____.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that

_____ be, and hereby is, required to appear before this Court on the
_____ day of _____ at _____ before
_____ to show cause why he/she should not be punished as and for
contempt of this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that notice of this
action and a copy of said charge shall be served upon
_____ pursuant to the Ohio Rules of Civil Procedure.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that pursuant to Ohio

Revised Code Section 2705.031 _____ is hereby
notified as follows:

1. If you fail to appear, a warrant for your arrest may be issued.
2. The Court may order that money be withheld from your personal earnings or other assets.
3. You have a right to counsel, or if indigent, a right to Court appointed counsel. You must apply for court-appointed counsel within three (3) business days after receipt of this summons.
4. At the time of the hearing, the Court may refuse to grant a continuance to enable you to obtain counsel if you fail to make a good faith effort to retain counsel or a public defender before this hearing.
5. If you are found in contempt of Court in this case, you may be punished as follows:
 - (A) For a first offense, a jail sentence of thirty (30) days and/or a fine of \$250.00.
 - (B) For a second offense, a jail sentence of sixty (60) days and/or a fine of \$500.00
 - (C) For a third offense, a jail sentence of ninety (90) days and/or a fine of \$1,000.00.
 - (D) If you are an employer or other payor under orders to pay income from income or other assets of a person required to pay support and have failed to do so, you may also be required to pay the accumulated support arrearages of such person.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

JUDGE

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CLERK

Upon entry of this order, you are hereby instructed to serve at the following address:

By: certified mail personal service by Sheriff