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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA  
Cause No. DA 22-0182

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BROADWATER COUNTY, MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

and

HELENA INDEPENDENT RECORD,

Defendant and Appellee,

v.

PERSON WITH AN INTEREST IN THE RELEASE OF CONFIDENTIAL  
CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION PERTAINING TO THE  
INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION OF JASON ELLSWORTH: JASON  
ELLSWORTH

Defendant and Appellant.

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**APPELLEE'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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COMES NOW, counsel for Appellee Broadwater County, Montana and  
pursuant to Rule 26(1), M.R. App. P., respectfully requests an extension in which  
to prepare, file and serve Appellee's answer brief in the above titled matter. This is

Appellee's first request for an extension. The brief is currently due September 12, 2022 and we respectfully request an extension to October 12, 2022. Opposing counsel have been contacted and have no objection.

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022

By: /S/Jania Hatfield  
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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Jania Hatfield, hereby certify that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Motion to the following on September 9, 2022.

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