

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CAUSE NO. DA 23-0660

IN THE MATTER OF:

R.V.,

A Youth.

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
WITH AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT**

COMES NOW, Appellant, by and through counsel of record and respectfully requests an extension of time for and until April 12, 2025 to prepare, file, and serve the Appellant's opening brief in the above-entitled matter. I Motion for Extension was previously filed but the Affidavit in Support was erroneously left out of the filing.

The undersigned attorney needs additional time to prepare and file the opening brief. In addition to the reasons set forth in counsel's prior motion, unforeseen events have taken place since that request. Further, counsel is having a significant surgery on Monday. Therefore, the undersigned is unable to complete the opening brief in this matter within the deadline set by the Court. Opposing counsel has been contacted and has expressed that they do not object to this motion.

DATED this 5th day of February 2025.

PEACE LAW GROUP, LLC

/s/ Scotti Ramberg
Scotti Ramberg
Attorney for Appellant/Defendant

STATE OF MONTANA)
 : ss.
COUNTY OF MISSOULA)

I, Scotti L. Ramberg, in compliance with M. R. App. P. 26(2), declare:

1. I am a licensed practicing attorney in the State of Montana, and I am currently under contract with the Montana Office of Public Defender to provide appellate services.
2. This is one of two appeals for this client, and while I have had contact with the client, additional time is needed to discuss the appeal and appealable issues with the client prior to writing the opening brief.
3. I previously submitted a Motion for Extension but erroneously failed to include a supporting affidavit.
4. There may be one additional extension required to complete this appeal.
5. Opposing counsel has been consulted and does not oppose this motion.

/s/Scotti Ramberg
Scotti Ramberg

02/05/2025
DATED

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Scotti Ramberg, hereby certify that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Motion - Unopposed to the following on 02-05-2025:

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Dated: 02-05-2025