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**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
SUPREME COURT CAUSE NO. _____**

<p>ROGER D. PETERS and CARRIE A. PETERS</p> <p>Plaintiffs/Appellants,</p> <p>v.</p> <p>THE KENISON PLACE, LLC and WILLIAM J. MARTINELL, individually,</p> <p>Defendants/Appellees.</p>	<p>Cause No. DV-1-2022-0014512-OC</p>
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

NOTICE is hereby given that Roger D. and Carrie A. Peters (“Peters”), Plaintiffs/Appellants in the above-captioned matter, filed in the Montana Fifth Judicial District Court, in and for the County of Beaverhead, as Cause No. DV-1-2022-0014512-OC, hereby appeals to the Montana Supreme Court from:

1. The order entered in such action on the 17th day of December 2024, entitled *Order on Defendants' Motions for Summary Judgment and to Dismiss* (Doc. 64) granting Appellees' Motion to Dismiss Counts I-IV of Appellants' Verified Complaint and Appellees' Motion for Summary Judgment as to trespass and attorney fees;

2. The order entered in such action on the 10th day of March 2025, entitled *Order* (Doc. 70) determining Defendants as the prevailing party and entitled to attorneys' fees; and

3. The order entered in such action on the 18th day of June 2025, entitled *Order on Motion for Attorneys' Fees* (Doc. 80) granting in part Appellees' Motion for Attorney Fees and awarding Appellees \$196,767.22 in attorney fees and costs.

THE APPELLANT FURTHER CERTIFIES:

1. That this appeal is not subject to the mediation process required by Mont. R. App. P. 7.

2. That this appeal is not an appeal from an order certified as final under Mont. R. Civ. P. 54(b).

3. This appeal is made without an order being issued by the District Court under Appellants' April 25, 2025 Mont. Code Ann. § 85-2-406 Petition for Certification to the Montana Water Court (Doc. 72) and Appellees June 3, 2025 Rule 11 Motion (Doc.78) filed in conjunction with said petition.

4. That a copy of this Notice of Appeal is being served upon counsel of record and every party not represented by counsel and the Clerk of Court of Beaverhead County.

5. That all available transcripts of the proceedings in this case have been ordered from the court reporter contemporaneously with the filing of this Notice of Appeal.

6. That included herewith is the filing fee prescribed by statute.

DATED this 17th day of July 2025.

PARSONS BEHLE & LATIMER

/s/ John E. Bloomquist

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have filed a true and accurate copy of the foregoing Notice of Appeal with the Clerk of the Montana Supreme Court; and that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Notice of Appeal upon the Clerk of District Court, each attorney of record, and each party not represented by an attorney in the above-referenced District Court action, as follows:

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I, John E. Bloomquist, hereby certify that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Notice - Notice of Appeal to the following on 07-17-2025:

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Dated: 07-17-2025