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FLATHEAD COUNTY,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

v.

ORDER

PERKINS FAMILY HOLDINGS, LLC,

Defendant and Appellant.

Through counsel, Perkins Family Holdings, LLC (hereinafter Perkins) filed a Notice of Appeal on April 7, 2025. On May 16, 2025, this Court received a copy of an Order of the Flathead County District Court that granted counsel's motion to withdraw representation as counsel of record for Perkins. On June 5, 2025, Perkins filed a Motion for Extension of Time to file an opening brief that was submitted and signed by the Manager, David McCauley, for Perkins as a pro se party.

We determined McCauley could not act on behalf of Perkins because he lacked standing to continue the appeal as a non-lawyer on behalf of a distinct legal entity. We granted McCauley 30 days within which to obtain counsel to appear on Perkins' behalf. We further ordered that if Notice of Appearance of Counsel was not filed on or before July 10, 2025, we would dismiss this appeal with prejudice.

Notice of Appearance of Counsel has not been filed to date, nor have other filings been made in this case since our June 10, 2025 Order.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this case is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.

The Clerk is directed to provide a copy of this Order to Appellant and to all counsel of record.

DATED this 22nd day of July, 2025.



Chief Justice

Katherine M. Bridgman

Angel Smith

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Justices