

NOTICE TO LITIGANT

Be advised that all motions for continuances must comply with **Local Rule 14.05** of the Stark County Family Court.

Be advised that continuances are not automatically granted, and you have a duty to find out whether it was granted or not and to get a new hearing date if it was.

**COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
FAMILY COURT DIVISION
STARK COUNTY, OHIO**

	:	CASE NO. _____
PLAINTIFF	:	
	:	
V.	:	JUDGE _____
	:	
	:	<u>MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE</u>
DEFENDANT	:	

Now comes _____ (your name) and respectfully requests a continuance on the above-captioned case, which was scheduled for _____ (date of hearing) at _____ M (time) before **Judge/Magistrate** _____ for the following reason(s):

Check one of the following:

- _____ I have contacted opposing counsel, and they do not oppose a continuance.
- _____ I have contacted opposing counsel, and they object to a continuance.
- _____ I have not contacted opposing counsel about the continuance.

WHEREFORE, for the above stated reason, Movant respectfully requests that a continuance be granted on the above-captioned case.

This is the _____ (first/second/etc.) continuance that has been requested in this case.

Signature

Telephone number

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SERVICE

TO THE CLERK:

Please serve a copy of the foregoing Motion upon _____ (name) by **certified mail**, return receipt requested, at the following address:

Signature

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	:	<u>ORDER REGARDING</u>
DEFENDANT	:	<u>MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE</u>
	:	

This matter came before the Court upon the Plaintiff's / Defendant's (circle one) Motion for Continuance.

_____ The Motion for Continuance is **GRANTED**.
The hearing is continued to _____, 20__ at _____.M,
and the hearing previously scheduled on the matter is cancelled.

_____ The Motion for Continuance is **DENIED**.

JUDGE / MAGISTRATE

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SERVICE

TO THE CLERK:

Pursuant to Civil Rule 58(B), please serve the following party/attorney with a copy of the Motion & Order for Continuance:

Name - (Plaintiff/Defendant) or (Attorney for Plaintiff/Defendant)

(Address)