

IN THE COMMON PLEAS COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO

Petitioner

vs.

Respondent

Case No. _____

Judge _____

Magistrate _____

***ORDER ON DISMISSAL
OF PETITION FOR
CIVIL PROTECTION ORDER
(No Ex Parte Order Issued)***

The petitioner submits this request to dismiss the pending petition for a civil protection order (CPO). By signing this Order on Dismissal, which the petitioner requests be approved by the Court, the petitioner acknowledges the following:

1. The petitioner is voluntarily requesting the dismissal of the petition for a civil protection order and no one has threatened or pressured the petitioner to come to the court and request the dismissal;
2. The petitioner has a right to have the assistance and advice of an attorney at law as well as a victim advocate but chooses to act on the petitioner's own behalf regarding this request for dismissal;
3. The petitioner understands that the petitioner has a right to a hearing with the Court so that the Court can determine whether it is appropriate to issue a civil protection order, but the petitioner gives up the right to have the Court hear testimony and make a decision;
4. The petitioner no longer believes a civil protection order is necessary.

It is therefore ***ORDERED*** as follows where the Magistrate or Judge has checked and initialed:

I. _____ **REQUEST GRANTED.** The Petition for Civil Protection Order issued in this case is hereby dismissed without prejudice to the re-filing, if appropriate, and the court costs incurred at the Clerk of Courts office are waived.

II. _____ **REQUEST DENIED** without hearing on the request to dismiss.

Recommended & Approved:

So ORDERED.

Magistrate

Judge

READ & APPROVED:

Petitioner's Signature

Printed Name of Petitioner