

## MONTANA FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY

RIKKI HELD, et al. vs STATE OF MONTANA, et al.

CDV 2020-307 MINUTE ENTRY FOR APRIL 27, 2023

This was the time set for a Final Pre-Trial Conference in the above-entitled cause. Present in the Court were Counsel on behalf of the Plaintiff, Philip Gregory with Co-Counsel, Nathan Bellinger, Roger Sullivan and Barbara Chillcott and Counsel on behalf of the State, Michael Russell and Thane Johnson.

Court and Counsel argued various motions including, Motions in Limine regarding evidence and the possibility for the need to hold an Oral Argument hearing on the Motion for Summary Judgment. The Court advised Counsel that dueling Final Pre-Trial Orders were received and Counsel agreed to have the Court decide which Order to use. Counsel advised the Court that they will determine if Oral Argument is needed by end of business day.

Parties will proceed to Trial. <u>A Bench has been previously set for Monday, June 12,</u> 2023 at 9:00 am.

HON. KATHY SEELEY PRESIDING JUDGE

MIKE RAFFEL Court Reporter

cc. Barbara Chillcott, Esq. (To disburse to Plaintiff's Counsel) Michael Russell, Esq. (To disburse to Defendant's Counsel)