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**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
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RE: District Court Case No: CDV 2020-307

NOTICE OF FILING

Supreme Court No.

DA 23-0575

RIKKI HELD; LANDER B., by and through his guardian Sara Busse; BADGE B., by and through his guardian Sara Busse; SARIEL SANDOVAL; KIAN T., by and through his guardian Todd Tanner; GEORGIANNA FISCHER; KATHRYN GRACE GIBSON-SNYDER; EVA L., by and through her guardian Mark Lighthiser; MIKA K., by and through his guardian Rachel Kantor; OLIVIA VESOVICH; JEFFREY K., by and through his guardian Laura King; NATHANIEL K., by and through his guardian Laura King; CLAIRE VLASES; RUBY D., by and through her guardian Shane Doyle; LILIAN D., by and through her guardian Shane Doyle; TALEAH HERNÁNDEZ,

Plaintiffs and Appellees,

v.

STATE OF MONTANA, GOVERNOR GREG GIANFORTE, MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION, and MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION,

Defendants and Appellants.

Notice of Appeal was filed on September 29, 2023 and assigned the above Supreme Court case number.

PLEASE NOTE the time for filing the appellant's opening brief has NOT yet begun. Another notice

will be sent when this office receives the district court record, the filing of which initiates the briefing schedule pursuant to the Montana Rules of Appellate Procedure.

As a reminder, one can follow this case online through the Clerk of the Supreme Court's Public View Docket at <http://supremecourtdocket.mt.gov/>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bowen Greenwood". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "B".

Bowen Greenwood
Clerk of the Supreme Court