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DATE FILED August 14, 2025 1:52 PM CASE NUMBER: 25PR21	
In the Interests of: <div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 15px; margin-top: 5px;"></div>	
COURT USE ONLY Case Number: 25PR21	
Minor	
Division Courtroom C	
ORDER APPOINTING EMERGENCY GUARDIAN FOR MINOR PURSUANT TO § 15-14-204(5), C.R.S.	

Upon consideration of the Petition for Appointment of Emergency Guardian for the above minor and hearing on August 14, 2025,

The court finds, determines and orders:

1. Venue is proper.

2. Notice pursuant to § 15-14-204(5), C.R.S. was:
 - Reasonable.
 - Dispensed with because the court finds from affidavit or testimony that the minor will be substantially harmed before a hearing can be held on the petition.

- A. If the emergency guardian is appointed without notice, notice of the appointment must be given within 48 hours after the appointment to the following:

Name	Relationship to Minor
<div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 15px;"></div>	Minor if 12 years or older at time of mailing
Heather Fitzke	Parent
Mark Ford	Parent
	Person with care or custody if other than parent

- B. A hearing on the appropriateness of the appointment must be held within five days after the appointment. The hearing will be held at the following time and location:

Date: August 19, 2025 Time: 11:00 am Courtroom

Address: Garfield County Courthouse, 109 8th Street, Suite 104, Glenwood Springs, CO

3. The minor was born on October 16, 2007 (date).

4. Following the procedures in § 15-14-201, et seq. is likely to result in substantial harm to the minor's health or safety and no other person appears to have authority to act in the circumstances pursuant to § 15-14-204(5), C.R.S.

5. The emergency guardianship cannot exceed 60 days from appointment.

6. The court finds it has no reason to know that the minor is an Indian Child as defined by the Indian Child Welfare Act under 25 U.S.C. § 1901 et seq.

OR

A separate Order regarding the court's findings pursuant to the Indian Child Welfare Act under 25 U.S.C. § 1901 et seq. was issued.

7. The court appoints the following person as emergency guardian for the minor:

Name: Erin Anderson

Street address: [REDACTED]

Primary phone: [REDACTED] Alternate phone: _____

Email address: [REDACTED]

8. Letters of guardianship will be issued. This emergency guardianship expires on October 13, 2025 (date not to exceed 60 days from appointment.) The powers and duties of the emergency guardian are as follows:

To perform any and all acts necessary for the day-to-day care, custody, education, recreation, and property of the minor.

To access minor's medical records and information. The emergency guardian is deemed to be the minor's personal representative for all purposes relating to the minor's protected health information, as provided in HIPAA, Section 45 CFR 164.502(g)(2).

To authorize any and all medical and dental care for the health and well-being of the minor. This care includes, but is not limited to, medical and dental exams and tests, x-rays, surgeries, anesthesia, and hospital care.

To authorize mental health treatment, subject to § 27-65-107, C.R.S.

Other: _____

Date: 8/14/25


DENISE K. LYNCH, DISTRICT COURT JUDGE