

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
ROCK ISLAND COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

_____,)
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 PETITIONER,)
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 v.) **CASE NO.** _____
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_____,)
)
 RESPONDENT.)

ORDER FOR MEDIATED VISITATION EXCHANGE

A hearing was held on _____ concerning a:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Paternity action | <input type="checkbox"/> Dissolution of Marriage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Order of Protection | <input type="checkbox"/> Post-Judgment action |

Petitioner present and with counsel _____; Petitioner pro se _____
Respondent present and with counsel _____; Respondent pro se _____

The Court finds as follows:

1. The parties are the parents of _____.
2. _____ is the custodial parent of the minor child(ren), and _____ ("visiting parent") seeks visitation with the minor child(ren).
3. It is in the best interest of the child(ren) to visit with the visiting parent. It is also in the best interest of the child(ren) that they be exchanged for visitation through the Safe Connections Program administered by Bethany for Children & Families ("Bethany").

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

I. RULES

- A. Both parties shall enroll in and participate in the Safe Connections Program.
- B. To enroll, each party shall contact Bethany by telephoning 309-797-7700 or 563-324-9169 within seven days from the date this order is entered. Telephone calls shall be made on a weekday between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
- C. Each parent shall pay Bethany an intake and assessment fee of \$25.00 to begin services.

- D. The parents shall pay Bethany \$20.00 each weekend, weekday or holiday they exchange their children for visitation through the Safe Connections Program.
- The visiting parent shall pay Bethany \$10 at the beginning of each exchange, and the custodial parent shall pay Bethany \$10 at the end of each exchange.
- OR
- The visiting parent shall pay Bethany \$___ at the beginning of each exchange, and the custodial parent shall pay Bethany \$___ at the end of each exchange.
- E. The payment of these fees entitles the parents to participate in the Safe Connections Program until Bethany concludes its services to the parents. A sliding fee scale is available to qualifying parents. Staff members of Bethany will inform the parents what documentation is required to determine if the sliding fee scale can be used.
- F. To accommodate the availability of staff and volunteers, Bethany is authorized to change the visitation exchange times specified in this order. To accommodate the availability of facilities used for visitation exchanges, Bethany is authorized to change the places for visitation exchanges specified in this order. Bethany is authorized to hold visitation exchanges at available facilities in Illinois or Iowa.
- G. The parties shall not exchange their children for visitation at police departments unless an exchange facility is unavailable on the day of a visitation exchange.
- H. The parents are to strictly comply with the visitation dates and times set up by Bethany as well as the rules and regulations of the Safe Connections program, a copy of which will be provided to the parents at their intake interviews.
- I. Bethany shall schedule the date for the first visitation to take place pursuant to this order.
- J. _____ shall fax a copy of this order to Bethany at fax number 309-764-8627.

II. VISITATION
(Check appropriate boxes)

WEEKEND VISITATION

- Weekend visitation is granted to the visiting parent with visitation exchanges to take place at First Baptist Church of Rock Island (3020 30th Street) or another available site every other weekend from Friday evening to Sunday evening, with actual exchange times to be scheduled by Bethany.

WEEKDAY VISITATION

(The parties may schedule visitation exchanges at Bethany's Moline office (1830 6th Avenue) Monday through Thursday between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Exchanges may also be scheduled as late as 7:00 p.m. on Wednesdays.)

Weekday visitation is granted to the visiting parent with the visitation exchanges to take place at Bethany's Moline office or another available site as follows:

- Every Monday, with visitation beginning at _____ and ending at _____.
- Every Tuesday, with visitation beginning at _____ and ending at _____.
- Every Wednesday, with visitation beginning at _____ and ending at _____.
- Every Thursday, with visitation beginning at _____ and ending at _____.

HOLIDAY VISITATION

The child(ren) shall be with each parent pursuant to the following holiday visitation schedule. Visitation exchanges shall take place at a location designated by Bethany with visitation beginning at 8:00 a.m. and ending at 6:00 p.m., unless otherwise specified. **The parties shall check boxes in the following chart to show whether the visitation will occur in even or odd numbered years.**

Holiday	Mother	Father
New Year's Day (January 1st)	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
Martin Luther King's Birthday	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
President's Day	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
Easter	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
Mother's Day	Child with mother	
Memorial Day	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
Father's Day	Child with father	
July 4th	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
Labor Day	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years

Thanksgiving (Wednesday evening at 6:00 p.m. to Friday at 8:00 a.m.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
Christmas Eve - December 24 (8:00 a.m. until 8:00 a.m. Christmas morning)	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
Christmas Day - December 25 (8:00 a.m. until 8:00 a.m. December 26)	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years
New Year's Eve - December 31 (8:00 a.m. until January 1st at 8:00 a.m.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years	<input type="checkbox"/> Even years <input type="checkbox"/> Odd years

Entered: _____

_____ Judge