

STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE KOSCIUSKO CIRCUIT COURT
) SS:
COUNTY OF KOSCIUSKO) CAUSE NO. 43C01-1511-MI-270

ROBERT H. STINE AND)
MOLLY MCGINNIS STINE)
)
Plaintiffs,)
v.)
)
EPWORTH FOREST ADMINISTRATION)
COMMITTEE, INC.,)
)
Defendant.)
)
ROY CHAPMAN and LINDA CHAPMAN,)
Intervening Parties.)

OBJECTION TO MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

Plaintiffs, by counsel, object to the Motion to Continue Trial filed by Epworth Forest Administration Committee, Inc. and would show the Court:

1. This matter has been pending since November 10, 2015.
2. On January 29, 2016, the Court scheduled this matter for hearing June 1, 2016 at 9:00 a.m.
3. Subsequently, Roy G. Chapman and Linda Chapman were granted to the right to intervene by Order dated May 2, 2016 and at the request of Intervening Parties, trial was rescheduled for August 18, 2016.
4. On August 17, 2016, Defendants jointly filed their Motion to Continue the August 18, 2016 hearing to which Plaintiffs objected. The Court granted the Motion to Continue rescheduling trial to November 29, 2016.
5. On November 29, 2016, Defendant Epworth Forest Administration Committee, Inc. moved the Court to disqualify counsel for Plaintiffs has having a conflict. At that time, the Court ordered Epworth Forest Administration Committee, Inc. to file a written motion for disqualification. No such motion was filed.

6. On January 25, 2017, the Court denied the Motion to Disqualify counsel for Plaintiffs and this matter was scheduled for trial May 18, 2017.

7. Defendants have been aware of this trial date since mid-February 2017, and on May 16, 2017 at 11:16 a.m. filed the Motion to Continue Trial.

8. Plaintiffs will be prejudiced by any delay in trial, are unable to appropriately deal with their real estate until such time as the issues in this matter are resolved.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs move the Court to deny Defendant's Motion to Continue Trial and for all other property relief.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on May 17, 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing document using the Indiana E-Filing System (IEFS). I also certify that on May 17, 2017, the foregoing document was served upon the following person(s) via IEFS:

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