

SAGINAW COUNTY COURT

10th Judicial Circuit 111 S. Michigan Ave. Saginaw, Michigan 48602-2019

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Re: Corey Harris License Suspension

Attention Media:

I am in receipt of your inquiry to the Saginaw County Friend of the Court about information related to a license suspension for Corey Harris. The Friend of the Court is not authorized to communicate with anyone other than a party or attorney of record about the details of a specific case. I am responding on behalf of the 10th Circuit Court (Saginaw County) as the Chief Judge. You are also entitled to review the public records, which can be obtained from the Saginaw County Clerk's office.

I will, however, give a brief explanation of the license suspension recission process. When an Order Rescinding License Suspension is signed by the Judge, it is effective only upon payment of the license clearance fee to the Saginaw County Clerk's office and the reinstatement fee to the Secretary of State. Once the licensee pays the license clearance fee to the Clerk's office, they must provide proof of payment to the Friend of the Court and the Friend of the Court then sends a compliance certificate for license reinstatement to the secretary of state and the licensee. The licensee must take this form to the Secretary of State and pay the reinstatement fee for the license to be reinstated. The Court order alone does not reinstate a person's license. It merely gives the licensee the ability to have their license reinstated upon payment of the fees and production of the compliance certificate to the Secretary of State. The licensee must take action after an order is issued to have their license suspension rescinded by the Secretary of State. The licensee is advised that this action must be taken before their license is reinstated.

For more information on the requirements to have a license reinstated, please see the legal authority followed by the Friend of the Court office set forth in MCL 552.630 and MCL 257.321c. Please direct any further inquiries regarding the 10th Circuit Court to my office. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Julie A. Gafkay

Chief Judge of the 10th Circuit Court