

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING & REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
MICHIGAN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING SYSTEM  
MICHIGAN TAX TRIBUNAL  
SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION

Linda Becker,  
Petitioner,

v

MTT Docket No. 17-000054

Township Of Gustin,  
Respondent.

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

The Tribunal has reviewed the file in the above-captioned case and finds:

Petitioner failed to appear for a duly-noticed hearing.

Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the case is DISMISSED.

This Order resolves all pending issues and closes the case.

APPEAL RIGHTS

If you disagree with the final decision in this case, you may either file a motion with the Tribunal requesting the Tribunal to reconsider the final decision (i.e., a motion for reconsideration) or appeal the final decision to the Michigan Court of Appeals (i.e., a claim of appeal).

The motion for reconsideration must be filed with the required filing fee within 21 days from the date of entry of the final decision.<sup>1</sup> Because the final decision closes the case, you cannot file the motion through the Tribunal's web-based e-filing system. Rather, you are required to either mail<sup>2</sup> the motion or have it hand delivered to the Tribunal (i.e., personal delivery). Further, the fee for the filing of such motions in the Entire Tribunal is \$50.00 and in the Small Claims Division is \$25.00 unless the Small Claims final decision relates the valuation of property and the property had a principal residence exemption of at least 50% at the time the petition was filed or the decision relates to the grant or denial of a poverty exemption and, if so, there is no filing fee.<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See MCL 205.752 and TTR 261 and 257.

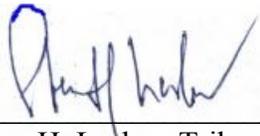
<sup>2</sup> Mailing includes delivery through the U.S. Postal Service or a commercial delivery service, as provided by MCL 205.735a(7).

<sup>3</sup> See TTR 267

A copy of the motion must also be served (i.e., sent) to the opposing party by mail, by personal delivery or, if the opposing party agrees to electronic service, by email and proof demonstrating that service must be submitted with the motion.<sup>4</sup> Responses to motions for reconsideration are prohibited and there are no oral arguments unless otherwise ordered by the Tribunal.<sup>5</sup>

The claim of appeal must be filed with the Court of Appeals with appropriate filing fee. If the claim is filed within 21 days of the entry of the decision, the appeal is an “appeal by right.” If the claim is filed more than 21 days after the entry of the decision, the appeal is an “appeal by leave.”<sup>6</sup>

A copy of the claim must also be filed with the Tribunal with appropriate filing fee for certification of the record on appeal.<sup>7</sup> The filing of the claim is, as indicated above, by mail or personal delivery. Further, the fee for the filing of the claim in both the Entire Tribunal and the Small Claims Division is \$100.00 unless no Small Claims fee is required, as also indicated above.

By:   
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Steven H. Lasher, Tribunal Chair

Entered: November 20, 2017

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<sup>4</sup> See TTR 261 and 225(3).

<sup>5</sup> See TTR 261 and 257(2).

<sup>6</sup> See MCL 205.753 and MCR 7.204.

<sup>7</sup> See TTR 213 and TTR 267.