

CONSENT FOR GUARDIANSHIP OF A MINOR

GM-5

*NOTE: A separate consent must be filed for each minor.

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**CONSENT FOR
GUARDIANSHIP OF A MINOR

PACKET GM-5**

**USE THIS PACKET ONLY IF ALL
OF THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET:**

- You are not the parent or the minor in need of the guardianship, but an interested party to the minor guardianship.
- You agree with the Petition for Guardianship of a Minor.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING FORMS

CAREFULLY READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE STARTING TO FILL OUT
ANY OF THE FORMS

Use **black or blue ink only**. Neatly type or print the information requested.

Do not use correction fluid/ tape on the forms.

This packet contains the following forms:

1. Consent and Waiver

The penalty for willfully making a false statement under penalty of perjury is a minimum of 1 year, and a maximum of 4 years in prison, in addition to a fine of not more than \$5,000.00. N.R.S. §199.145.

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INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 1

Complete the Consent / Waiver of Parent as Shown:

The interested third party must fill out this form.
This form requires you to sign in front of a notary.

1) Print the name, address, telephone number, and email of the person applying for guardianship.

2) Check the box for the type of guardianship, print the name of the minor, the Case No. and Department No. just as they appear in all other documents in this case.

3) Complete pages 1 - 2, following the instructions on each page.

COURT CODE: 1470
Your Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip _____
Telephone: _____
Email Address: _____
Self-Represented _____

IN THE FAMILY DIVISION
OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the:

- Person
 Estate
 Person and Estate

CASE NO. _____
DEPT. _____

of:

(name of minor alleged to need a guardian)
A Proposed Protected Minor.

CONSENT AND WAIVER

I, (name of person signing) _____, am the
(your relationship to the proposed protected person) _____ of the
above-named proposed protected person who is the subject of the above-captioned guardianship
matter.

(initial the sections below that you agree with; you can initial one or both)
**Do not mark an "x" - your consent is invalid without your initials next to one or both
statements.**

_____ I consent to (name of proposed guardian) _____
and (second proposed guardian, or "n/a") _____
being appointed as legal guardian(s) of the above-named person.

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_____ I waive personal service of the Petition for Appointment of Guardian(s) and the Citation
to Appear and Show Cause regarding the Petition for Appointment of Guardian(s) in this
case.

_____ I acknowledge that I have received a copy of the Petition for Appointment of
Guardian(s) and the Citation to Appear and Show Cause regarding the Petition for
Appointment of Guardian(s) in this case.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the law of the State of Nevada that the
foregoing is true and correct.

This document does not contain the personal information of any person as defined by
NRS 603A.040.

DATED (month) _____ (day) _____, 20__.

(Signature)

(Printed Name)

STATE OF _____
COUNTY OF _____

This instrument was acknowledged before me on (date) _____,
20__ by (name of person signing) _____.

SIGNATURE OF NOTARIAL OFFICER

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Do not fill out this section until you are in
front of a notary.

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INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 2

Electronically Filing the Documents

It is the responsibility of the proposed guardian(s) to make sure the consent(s) are filed with the Court.

A proposed guardian will need to upload the original documents to eFlex. EFlex is available online at <https://wcefex.washoecourts.com/>, in the Law Library and Resource Center.

A proposed guardian will need to sign into their eFlex account using the username and password they created and electronically file the:

- Consent and Waiver

Make sure to keep the original documents for your personal records. File-stamped copies of your documents are available through your eFlex account.

Scanners are available at the Law Library and Resource Center.

Legal Assistance Information

The information in this packet is provided as a courtesy only. This packet is not a substitute for the advice of an attorney. Counsel is always recommended for legal matters.

If you do not have an attorney, you are encouraged to seek the advice of a licensed attorney or contact the Resource Center or the Law Library. **The Resource Center and the Law Library staff cannot give legal advice** but can give information regarding court procedures.

You may wish to speak with a lawyer at no cost through the Law Library's Lawyer in the Library program. The Lawyer in the Library program is held via Zoom; you must register ahead of time to participate. No walk-ins accepted as space is limited.

LAWYER IN THE LIBRARY

Sign up on our website:

<https://www.washoecourts.com/LawLibrary/LawyerInLibrary>

For questions, contact the Law Library at 775-328-3250

To seek assistance from other free or reduced-cost legal resources in the area, please contact:

NEVADA LEGAL SERVICES

449 S. Virginia St.
Reno, NV 89501

775-284-3491 – leave a message, if
necessary

<https://nevadalegalservices.org>

NORTHERN NEVADA LEGAL AID

1 S. Sierra St., 1st Floor
Reno, NV 89501

775-321-2062 – leave a message, if
necessary

<https://nnlegalaid.org>