

**CIRCUIT COURT OF CLAY COUNTY, MISSOURI  
PROBATE DIVISION**

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Matter of \_\_\_\_\_, respondent, a person  
alleged to be mentally disordered.

**ORDER FOR TEMPORARY DETENTION AND EVALUATION PENDING HEARING**

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, the Court  
considers the application of \_\_\_\_\_, for  
the detention and evaluation of the respondent, \_\_\_\_\_.  
The applicant is present in person. The respondent (is/is not present.) The applicant  
has also filed a petition to appoint a Guardian and Conservator for the respondent.

The Court having heard and examined the evidence submitted finds that the  
respondent is presently located in this county, and that there is probable cause to  
believe that the respondent has a mental disorder and presents a likelihood of causing  
serious physical harm to h\_\_\_\_\_self or others if not detained pending a hearing on the  
petition.

WHEREFORE, it is ordered that the respondent is hereby placed in the custody  
of the head of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, a private/public mental health facility, for  
temporary detention and evaluation pending hearing on the Application For Appointment  
Of A Guardian And Conservator, which shall be on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_,  
at \_\_\_\_\_M.

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JUDGE

