



Objection to Proposed Order (FOC 78)

SAGINAW COUNTY FRIEND OF THE COURT
INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING
OBJECTION TO PROPOSED ORDER (FOC 78)

Use this Objection if: you received proposed order regarding custody, parenting time, domicile, or child support from the Friend of the Court and you do not agree with the Order. By filing this objection form, you are requesting a hearing with the Referee.

FILING YOUR OBJECTION :

- 1) Fill out the FOC 78 Objection to Proposed Order (use a separate sheet and attach if you need more room to explain).
- 2) Bring, mail, or email your FOC 78 and four copies of your documents to the Circuit Court Clerk's Office located in the basement of the Courthouse at [111 S. Michigan Ave., Saginaw, MI 48602](https://www.saginawcounty.com/circuitcourtrecordsfiling), circuitcourtrecordsfiling@saginawcounty.com. Please see the County Clerk's website for further electronic filing instructions. If you mail your motion, include a self-addressed stamped envelope for the Clerk to return copies to you.
- 3) There is no fee to file an objection to a proposed order.
- 4) The Court Clerk will keep the original and one copy and return the remaining copies to you.

SERVING YOUR OBJECTION

- 1) You **MUST** serve the Objection to the other party (and attorney if represented) as soon as possible after filing your motion and at least **5 days before your hearing**. This is done by mailing the Objection and all attachments by first class mail to other party/attorney. If you do not have the other party's address, you can obtain it from the Circuit Court Clerk's office.
- 2) After mailing the Objection, complete the CERTIFICATE OF MAILING section on the bottom of the Objection form.
- 3) **YOU MUST FILE YOUR CERTIFICATE OF MAILING:** Return to the Clerk's office to file two copies of the certificate of mailing. The court clerk will route a copy to the Friend of the Court.

PREPARING FOR YOUR HEARING

- 1) You will get a hearing notice in the mail from the Referee's office. You must attend the hearing on this objection. If you do not appear, the Referee may make a decision without your attendance. Hearings may be conducted by video conferencing (Zoom). Please review the notice of hearing for Zoom instructions.

Approved, SCAO

Original - Court
1st copy - Moving party
2nd copy - Objecting party

3rd copy - Friend of the court
4th copy - Proof of service
5th copy - Proof of service

STATE OF MICHIGAN JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY	OBJECTION TO PROPOSED ORDER	(A) CASE NO.
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Court address

Court telephone no.

(B) Plaintiff's name, address, and telephone no. moving party

Third party's name, address, and telephone no. moving party

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Defendant's name, address, and telephone no. moving party

I received a notice to enter a proposed order without a hearing dated **(C)** _____
 I object to the entry of the proposed order and request a hearing by the court. My objection is based on the following reason(s):

(D)

(E) _____
 Date

 Moving party's signature

 Name (type or print)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on this date I served a copy of this objection on the parties or their attorneys by first-class mail addressed to their last-known addresses as defined in MCR 3.203.

(F) _____
 Date

 Signature of objecting party