

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

YOU AND THE PERSON(S) THAT THE DOMESTIC ABUSE PETITION IS AGAINST WILL HAVE A COURT DATE ASSIGNED BY THE JUDGE. YOU WILL BOTH HAVE TO APPEAR AT THIS HEARING

- The Clerk of Court's Office cannot give legal advice.
- The Clerk of Court's Office cannot fill out the form for you.
- If you have any legal questions, you should seek the advice of an attorney.
- You may represent yourself in legal matters as your own attorney.
- We provide the forms and you are to fill them out and return them to the Clerk of Court's Office.
- At the time of filing there will be no costs for you to pay.
- The Petition will be sent to the allotted Judge for him to sign and setting of the Court date.
- Once the Petition is returned to the Clerk's Office you will be notified by phone at the number you provide.
- You will have to return to pick up your Petition after the Judge has signed.

FAILURE TO RETURN TO RECEIVE YOUR PAPERWORK OR APPEAR IN COURT MAY RESULT IN THE COURT ORDERING YOU TO PAY FOR COURT COSTS. YOU WILL BE BILLED BY THIS OFFICE ACCORDINGLY.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE INSTRUCTIONS AND UNDERSTAND SAME

X _____
PETITIONER

DATE