

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
WHITE COUNTY, ARKANSAS, JU-
VENILE DIVISION

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES, PETITIONER
VS.

73JV-26-183

RHIANNON STAFFORD, PARENT
CHRIS NEAL, PUTATIVE FATHER,
DEFENDANTS

E.G.S. DOB: 09/27/2026, FE-
MALE, JUVENILE, RESPONDENT
ADJUDICATION

WARNING ORDER

TO: Chris Neal and all others
claiming parental rights.

Take notice that on September
29, 2026 a petition was filed by
the Arkansas Department of
Human Services in the Circuit
Court, Juvenile Division, of White
County, Arkansas, to have E.G.S.,
DOB: September 27, 2026 de-
clared dependent-neglected.
Such declaration could result in
the juvenile's continued removal
from your custody and placement
in the care of some suitable per-
son, agency or institution.

A probable cause hearing on
this matter is scheduled for Octo-
ber 24, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. at the
Justice Center, 2121 South Ben-
ton Street, Searcy, Arkansas. If
you desire to be represented by
an attorney, you should immedi-
ately contact your attorney so that
an answer can be filed for you and
he may appear with you at any
hearing. If you cannot afford an
attorney, you may obtain one by
contacting Legal Services or re-
questing the Court to determine if
you qualify for appointed counsel.

NOW, unless you appear and
defend or otherwise respond
within thirty days from the first
date of publication of this notice,
the Petition may be taken as con-
fessed, and a decree entered and
granted.

Sara Brown-Carlton
Circuit Clerk

By: Amanda Williams
Deputy Clerk

Date: 10/07/2026

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