

CAUSE NO. G08247

GUARDIANSHIP OF

SCOTTY M. PAYNE

AN INCAPACITATED PERSON

IN THE COUNTY COURT

AT LAW

BOSQUE COUNTY TEXAS

STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas:

YOU ARE HEREBY commanded to cause to be posted at the County Courthouse, Meridian, Bosque County, Texas, at the place in or near where public notices customarily are posted, a copy of the following notice:

STATE OF TEXAS

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE WELFARE OF THE PERSON OF SCOTTY M. PAYNE, AN INCAPACITATED PERSON.

An APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF PERMANENT GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON, filed by RONALD CURTIS PAYNE has been entered in the records of said Court; cause number G08247 on the 08/10/2021.

Applicant requests that RONALD CURTIS PAYNE be appointed Permanent Guardian of the Person of SCOTTY M. PAYNE.

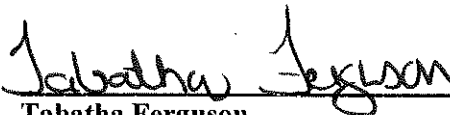
Hearing on said Application for Appointment of Permanent Guardian of the Person will be held on or after the 23rd day of AUGUST, 2021 at the Bosque County Courthouse, Bosque County, Texas.

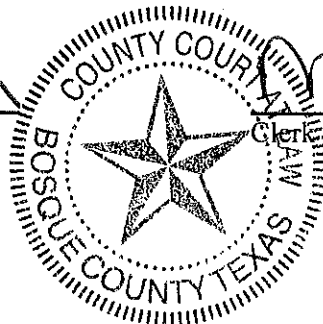
All persons interested in said cause are hereby cited to appear before said Honorable Court at said above mentioned time and place by filing a written answer contesting said request if they so desire.

You are notified that you have the right under Texas Estates Code Section 1051.252 (Texas Probate Code Section 632 (j)) to file with the clerk a written request that you be notified of any or all specifically designated motions, applications, or pleadings filed by any person, or by a person specifically designated in your request, relating to the application for the guardianship that has been filed or relating to any subsequent guardianship proceeding involving the ward after the guardianship is created, if any. If you make such a request, you are responsible for the fees and costs associated with furnishing you the documents specified in the request. The clerk may require a deposit to cover the estimated costs of furnishing you with the request notice.

The officer executing this Writ shall promptly post the same and make due return as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Meridian, Texas the 10th day of AUGUST, 2021.


Tabatha Ferguson,
Bosque County Clerk





OFFICER'S RETURN ON CITATION

Came to hand on the 10 day of Aug, 2021, at
1:47 o'clock P M. and executed on the 10 day of Aug, 2021
by posting a copy of the within citation for ten days, exclusive of the day of posting,
before the return day hereof, at the County Courthouse door of Bosque County,
Texas, or at the place in or near the said courthouse where public notices customarily are
posted, that is from 8/10, 2021, through 8/23,
2021, inclusive.



CONSTABLE
BOSQUE COUNTY, TEXAS

Printed name: Scott Ferguson

No. _____

<p>IN THE GUARDIANSHIP OF</p> <p>SCOTTY M. PAYNE,</p> <p>AN INCAPACITATED PERSON</p>	<p>§</p> <p>§</p> <p>§</p> <p>§</p> <p>§</p>	<p>IN THE COUNTY COURT</p> <p>AT LAW</p> <p>BOSQUE COUNTY, TEXAS</p>
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**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF
PERMANENT GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON**

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

NOW COMES, Ronald Curtis Payne, ("Applicant"), and makes and files this Application for Appointment of Guardian of the Person of Scotty M. Payne, an Adult, ("Proposed Ward") pursuant to Section 1101.001 of the Texas Estates Code, and would respectfully show the Court the following:

I.

That alternatives to guardianship, including available supports and services that would avoid the need for a guardianship, were not considered feasible.

II.

That Proposed Ward is a male who is 61 old, having been born on September 22, 1959. The Proposed Ward's currently resides at The Hilltop on Main Nursing and Rehabilitation, 1015 N. Main Street, Meridian, Bosque County, Texas. The last three digits of the social security number of the Proposed Ward are 018. The last three digits of the driver's license number of the Proposed Ward are N/A. The Proposed Ward is not currently under a guardianship. Scotty M. Payne is currently in the care and custody of Ronald Curtis Payne, 123 Cottontail Trail, Meridian, Texas.

No one holds a power of attorney signed by the Proposed Ward.

III.

The names, addresses, and relationships to the Proposed Ward of those relatives required to be listed in this Application by Section 1101.001(13) of the Texas Estates Code, to the best of the Applicant's knowledge are as follows:

- A. Name: Ronald Curtis Payne, Jr., Age: 62
Address: 4073 E. FM 852, Winnsboro, Texas 75494
Email: deerfearthers300@gmail.com
Relationship to Proposed Ward: Brother
- B. Name: Tracy Blake Payne, Age: 56
Address: unknown
Email: unknown
Relationship to Proposed Ward: Brother
- C. Name: Penny Sue Morgan, Age: 58
Address: 330 PR 1380, Morgan, Texas 76671
Email: N/A
Relationship to Proposed Ward: Sister
- D. Name: Barbara Payne, Age: 72
Address: 123 Cottontail Trail, Whitney, TX 76645
Relationship to Proposed Ward: Step-Mother

IV.

Applicant is the father of the Proposed Ward and his address is 1015 N. Main Street, Meridian, Bosque County, Texas. The last three digits of the social security number of the Applicant are 997. The last three digits of the driver's license number of the Applicant are 276. Applicant desires to be appointed Guardian of the Person of Proposed Ward. Applicant's interest in the appointment of a guardian is as a relative of the Proposed Ward, as previously indicated, he is eligible by law to act as Guardian.

V.

This Court has venue over these proceedings because Scotty M. Payne resides in this county.

VI.

Proposed Ward is an adult, and is incapacitated because of a mental condition. The nature of his incapacity is birth defect, cerebral palsy, type 2 diabetes, dysphagia, seizures, the degree of his incapacity is total, and the severity of his incapacity is total. Proposed Ward is totally without capacity, as provided by the Texas Estates Code, to care for himself, to manage his property, to operate a motor vehicle, to vote in a public election, and make personal decisions regarding residence.

VII.

Applicant requests the Court appoint him as Guardian of the Person of Scotty M. Payne, to see to the care of all of Proposed Ward's personal and physical needs.

VIII.

Applicant states to the Court that the following facts and reasons support the request for appointment of a Guardian and the granting of the requested powers: Proposed Ward is non-communicative and unable to make his medical decisions, housing decisions or course of care and treatment.

Applicant prays that a hearing on this Application be set; that Applicant, Ronald Curtis Payne, be appointed Guardian of the Person of Scotty M. Payne, an Adult; that the Court Order appointing Ronald Curtis Payne as Guardian be effective upon his taking the Oath and giving a bond as required by law; that upon the Guardian's qualification, the Clerk of this Court shall issue Letters of Guardianship to Ronald Curtis Payne; that the Court appoint an attorney and/or guardian ad litem, if they have not already been appointed, to represent the Ward's Person; and that the Court enter any other Orders it deems necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald Curtis Payne
Ronald Curtis Payne, Applicant

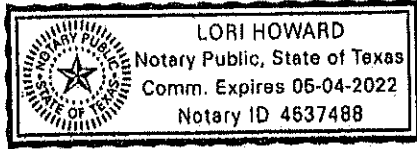
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Ronald Curtis Payne, Applicant in the foregoing Application for Appointment of Guardian of the Person of Scotty M. Payne, an Adult, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the above and foregoing Application and stated under oath that such Application contains a correct and complete statement of the facts and matters to which it relates and all the contents thereof are true, complete and correct to the best of Applicant's knowledge.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME on this the 3rd day of August, 2021.



Lori Howard
Notary Public, State of Texas