

## IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR TULSA COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

LARRY SMOOT, CONNIE SMOOT and C&L RESTORATION SERVICES, LLC	) ) }	SEP - 5 2012  SEP - 5 2012  SALLY HOWE SMITH, COURT CLERY  STATE OF OKLA. TULSA COUNTY
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VS.	)	Case No. CJ-2007-2299 Judge Rebecca Brett Nightingale
BRANDON HOPPER, JULIE HOPPER and B&J RESTORATION SERVICES INC., a/k/a B&J RESTORATION, INC.	) ) )	

## ORDER STRIKING PLEADINGS

NOW on this 5 day of September, 2012, this matter comes on before the court by way of following pleadings: (1) Notice of Failure to Timely Deliver Filed Pleadings filed August 23, 2012; and (2) Plaintiffs' Response to Mark Lyons' Filing Titled "Notice of Failure to Timely Deliver Filed Pleadings" filed August 29, 2012. The Court enters this Order striking both above referenced pleadings.

There are specific state and local rules governing the necessary form for the filing of motions. District Court Rule 4 and Local Rule CV 17. There is also a specific state statute establishing duties on attorneys governing their behaviors when in the presence of the court. Okla. Stat. tit. 5 § 3 (Fifth), states that an attorney is to "abstain from all inffensive personalities". Neither of the above referenced pleadings can be found in the pleading to the nor do they follow the guidelines for Motions and Responses. The pleadings tail to burden the court with legal authority. Both pleadings engage in offensive personalities on behalf of the attorneys signing the pleadings.

This court recognizes that parties are often engaged in acrimonious relationships. However, attorneys who represent warring parties are called to a higher standard. The practice of law is a profession, rather than a mud wrestling contest.

It will do well for the attorneys, Mark Lyons and Jasen Corns, engaged in the current battle lacking professionalism, to remember the words of John F. Kennedy:

"So let us begin anew - remembering on both sides that civility is not a sign of weakness, and sincerity is always subject to proof."

THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the pleadings titled (1) Notice of Failure to Timely Deliver Filed Pleadings filed August 23, 2012; and (2) Plaintiffs' Response to Mark Lyons' Filing Titled "Notice of Failure to Timely Deliver Filed Pleadings" filed August 29, 2012 are stricken.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Mark Lyons and Jasen Corns are ordered by the court to follow the Oklahoma Code of Professional Conduct for Attorneys and Counselors. These attorneys shall conduct their legal affairs before this court with great caution. Any diversion from the Oklahoma Code of Professional Conduct for Attorneys and Counselors will result in action by the court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

This 5 day of September, 2012.

Rebecca Brett Wightingale Judge of the District Court

Fourteenth Judicial District

Case No. CJ-7-2299

Notice to:

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## AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

I, Sally Howe Smith, Court Clerk of Tulsa County, hereby certify that on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2012 a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice was mailed to each of the parties listed above and a true and correct copy of the foregoing notice was filed in each of the above foregoing cases.

SALLY HOWE SMITH, COURT CLERK

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