Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

PEOPLE OF MI V GARY CHRISTOPHER CARLSON

Docket No. 374225

LC No. 2023-026111-FC

Brock A. Swartzle
Presiding Judge

Matthew S. Ackerman

Christopher M. Trebilcock
Judges

By order entered September 15, 2026, this Court directed the parties to file supplemental briefs within 14 days to address specific issues related to this appeal and further directed the prosecutor to appear at oral argument to answer questions the Court may have. On September 15, 2026, the order was emailed to prosecutor Jonathan K. Blair (P71908) at his e-service address jblair@allegancounty.org and a copy was also emailed to the Allegan County prosecutor's office at its e-service address prosecutor@allegancounty.org. Neither prosecutor Jonathan K. Blair nor any other Allegan County prosecutor filed the supplemental brief or appeared at oral argument pursuant to the September 15, 2026 order.

On the Court's own motion, and no later than 14 days after the Clerk's certification of this order, prosecutor Jonathan K. Blair (P71908) is ORDERED TO SHOW CAUSE in writing why (1) neither he nor anyone from the Allegan County prosecutor's office filed a supplemental brief or appeared at oral argument, as directed by this Court's order, and (2) this Court should not penalize him or the Allegan County prosecutor's office, including possible contempt, for failing to abide by this Court's order. If prosecutor Blair fails to show cause as required by this order or the Court deems his writing insufficient to explain his failure to comply with the September 15, 2026 order, the Court may take any and all appropriate measures.

A copy of this order shall be furnished to Michael Villar, Allegan County Prosecuting Attorney.

Brock A. Swartzle
Presiding Judge

A true copy entered and certified by Jerome W. Zimmer Jr., Chief Clerk, on

October 19, 2026
Date

Jerome W. Zimmer Jr.
Chief Clerk