

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA
GENERAL CIVIL LAW DIVISION**

RICHARD KOVACSIK et al,
Plaintiff,

CASE NO.: 2023-CA-000718-O
DIVISION: 40

vs.

AUTO OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY
Defendants.

**ORDER GRANTING PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF ATTORNEY'S FEE
CONTRACT AND FOR PLACING THE MATTER UNDER SEAL AND MOTION TO
DETERMINE CONFIDENTIALITY OF COURT RECORDS**

THIS CAUSE having come before the Court on Petitioner's Petition for Approval of Attorney's Fee Contract and for Placing the matter under seal, and Motion to Determine Confidentiality of Court Records, having reviewed the file and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, it is hereby;

ORDERED and ADJUDGED as follows:

1. Petitioner's Attorney's Fee Contract with Gunn Law Group, P.A. and Mincone Law Group, P.A. is hereby Approved.
2. Petitioner's Motion to Determine Confidentiality of Court Records is hereby **GRANTED**.
3. The Attorney's Fee Contract and addendum thereto between Petitioner, Gunn Law Group, P.A. and Mincone Law Group, P.A., shall be maintained by the clerk as permanently confidential pursuant to Rule 2.420 of the Florida Rules of Judicial Administration.
4. The representation created by the Attorney's Fee Contract in question pertains to potential claims for medical negligence.
5. The court has found that the information sought to be held confidential is confidential pursuant to the attorney client privilege and Rule 4-1.6 of the Rules

Regulating the Florida Bar.

6. The Court has determined that the names of the parties to this action are not confidential.
7. The Court has determined that the progress docket and other records generated to document activity in the case are not confidential.
8. The particular information determined to be confidential is the Petitioner's Petition for Approval of Attorney's Fee Contract and the Attorney's Fee Contract, and addendum thereto, between Petitioner and Gunn Law Group, P.A. and Mincone Law Group, P.A. The Confidential information may be viewed by Petitioner and by the representatives of Gunn Law Group, P.A. and Mincone Law Group, P.A.
9. The Court finds that the degree, duration and manner of confidentiality ordered by the Court are no broader than necessary to protect the interests set forth in subdivision (c) of Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.420 and that no less restrictive means measures are available to protect the interests set forth in subdivision (c).
10. The clerk of court is directed to publish this order in accordance with subdivision (e)(4) of Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.420.

DONE AND ORDERED on May 22, 2025.



eSigned by Eric J Netcher 05/22/2025 14:51:20 P5PD5Sgs

HONORABLE ERIC J. NETCHER
CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

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