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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
October Term 2026

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Terri M. Deprinzio,

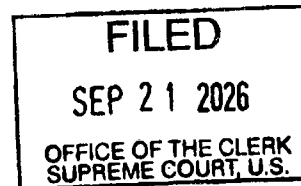
Case No.

- v -

Petitioner,

Judy Ludke, Todd Walrath, Debbie Mueller,
Todd's Companionplus, Inc., Donna Gilbert,
and Enida Schoepf,

Respondent(s).

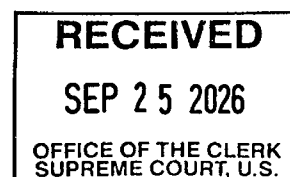
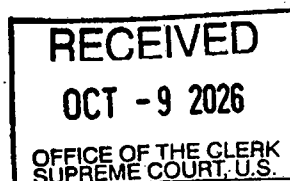


MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner, *Terri M. Deprinzio*, proceeding *pro se.*, respectfully moves this Court pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39 for leave to proceed *IN FORMA PAUPERIS* in connection with her Petition for a Writ of Certiorari seeking review of the August 25, 2026 order of the Supreme Court of Wisconsin;

In support of this Motion, Petitioner states;

- 1). Petitioner is proceeding without counsel and seeks review of the final order of the Supreme Court of Wisconsin entered on August 25, 2026 (solar);



- 2). Petitioner is simultaneously submitting her Petition for a Writ of Certiorari seeking review pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1257(a);
- 3). Petitioner lacks sufficient financial resources to pay the filing fee and other costs associated with proceeding before this Court without substantially interfering with her ability to provide for the ordinary necessities of life;
- 4). In accordance with supreme Court Rule 39.1, Petitioner submits this Motion, her affidavit/Declaration in Support of Motion for Leave to proceed IN FORMA PAUPERIS, setting forth her present financial circumstances;
- 5). Petitioner previously sought and was granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis in the following court or courts, Wisconsin circuit court, case no. 2024-CV-001106 on 09/30/2024, in Wisconsin Court of Appeals, case no. 2025-AP-000258, on 02/10/2025;
- 6). Petitioner's request is made in good faith for the purpose of obtaining review of substantial federal constitutional questions presented in the accompanying Petition for a Writ of Certiorari:

WHEREFORE, Petitioner Terri M. Deprinzio respectfully request that this Court grant her Motion for Leave to Proceed IN Forma Pauperis and permit the accompanying Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to be filed without prepayment of the Court's filing fee and in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 39.

Respectfully Submitted By:

Terri M. Deprinzio
Terri M. Deprinzio
without prejudice
1868-22th Avenue, Apt. # 1113
Kenosha, WI. 53140

**AFFIDAVIT OR DECLARATION
IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

I, Terri M Depina, am the petitioner in the above-entitled case. In support of my motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*, I state that because of my poverty I am unable to pay the costs of this case or to give security therefor; and I believe I am entitled to redress.

1. For both you and your spouse estimate the average amount of money received from each of the following sources during the past 12 months. Adjust any amount that was received weekly, biweekly, quarterly, semiannually, or annually to show the monthly rate. Use gross amounts, that is, amounts before any deductions for taxes or otherwise.

Income source	Average monthly amount during the past 12 months		Amount expected next month	
	You	Spouse	You	Spouse
Employment	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Self-employment	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Gifts	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Alimony	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Child Support	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>994.00</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other (specify): _____	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total monthly income:	\$ <u>994.00</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

2. List your employment history for the past two years, most recent first. (Gross monthly pay is before taxes or other deductions.)

Employer	Address	Dates of Employment	Gross monthly pay
N/A			\$
			\$
			\$

3. List your spouse's employment history for the past two years, most recent employer first. (Gross monthly pay is before taxes or other deductions.)

Employer	Address	Dates of Employment	Gross monthly pay
N/A			\$
			\$
			\$

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ 45.00
Below, state any money you or your spouse have in bank accounts or in any other financial institution.

Type of account (e.g., checking or savings)	Amount you have	Amount your spouse has
Checking	\$ 30.00	\$ N/A
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

5. List the assets, and their values, which you own or your spouse owns. Do not list clothing and ordinary household furnishings.

☐ Home
Value N/A

☐ Other real estate
Value N/A

☐ Motor Vehicle #1
Year, make & model N/A
Value _____

☐ Motor Vehicle #2
Year, make & model _____
Value _____

☐ Other assets
Description _____
Value _____

6. State every person, business, or organization owing you or your spouse money, and the amount owed.

Person owing you or
your spouse money

Amount owed to you

Amount owed to your spouse

N/A	\$ _____	\$ _____
	\$ _____	\$ _____
	\$ _____	\$ _____

7. State the persons who rely on you or your spouse for support. For minor children, list initials instead of names (e.g. "J.S." instead of "John Smith").

Name

Relationship

Age

N/A		

8. Estimate the average monthly expenses of you and your family. Show separately the amounts paid by your spouse. Adjust any payments that are made weekly, biweekly, quarterly, or annually to show the monthly rate.

You

Your spouse

Rent or home-mortgage payment
(include lot rented for mobile home)

\$ 295.00	\$ _____
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Are real estate taxes included? ☒ Yes ☐ No
Is property insurance included? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Utilities (electricity, heating fuel,
water, sewer, and telephone)

\$ 80.00	\$ _____
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Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)

\$ _____	\$ _____
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Food

\$ 700.00	\$ _____
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Clothing

\$ 100.00	\$ _____
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Laundry and dry-cleaning

\$ 12.00	\$ _____
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Medical and dental expenses

\$ N/A	\$ _____
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	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ <u>80.00</u>	\$ _____
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Life	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Health	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Other: _____	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): _____	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Credit card(s)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Department store(s)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Other: _____	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Other (specify): _____	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ _____
Total monthly expenses:	\$ <u>60.00</u>	\$ _____

9. Do you expect any major changes to your monthly income or expenses or in your assets or liabilities during the next 12 months?

☒ Yes ☐ No If yes, describe on an attached sheet.

Food & Transportation

10. Have you paid – or will you be paying – an attorney any money for services in connection with this case, including the completion of this form? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, how much? 0

If yes, state the attorney's name, address, and telephone number:

11. Have you paid—or will you be paying—anyone other than an attorney (such as a paralegal or a typist) any money for services in connection with this case, including the completion of this form?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how much? \$2,000.00

If yes, state the person's name, address, and telephone number:

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Kenosha WI 53140

12. Provide any other information that will help explain why you cannot pay the costs of this case.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: Sept 19, 2026

Terri M Depinzio
(Signature)
Terri M Depinzio
without prejudice
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