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ROBERT JONES — PETITIONER
(Your Name)

VS.

THE LAMAR COMPANY LLC RESPONDENT(S)

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

The petitioner asks leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Please check the appropriate boxes:

☒ Petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the following court(s):

Eleventh Circuit 24-12949AA

Middle District of 8:23CV1461

☐ Petitioner has **not** previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in any other court.

☒ Petitioner's affidavit or declaration in support of this motion is attached hereto.

☐ Petitioner's affidavit or declaration is **not** attached because the court below appointed counsel in the current proceeding, and:

☐ The appointment was made under the following provision of law: _____

_____, or

☐ a copy of the order of appointment is appended.

Robert Jones
(Signature)

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OCTOBER 20, 2026

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ROBERT JONES,
Petitioner/Applicant,

v.

THE LAMAR COMPANY LLC, et al.
Respondent(s).

DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

I, **Robert Jones**, 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.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the following information is true and correct:

1. Income

- **Monthly Income:** My monthly income is **\$501.00**.
- **Source of Income:** Retired income.
- **Date Commenced:** This source of income has been constant since **January 2026**.

2. Housing Expenses

- **Rent/Mortgage:** **\$0.00**. I do not currently pay rent or a mortgage.

3. Monthly Debts and Obligations

- **Total Monthly Expenses:** **\$470.00**.
- **Breakdown of Expenses:** This total amount pays for my basic survival utilities, food, laundry, and necessary car transportation.

4. Mailing Address

- **Address:** Post Office Box 32, Port Richey, Florida 34673.
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Pursuant to **28 U.S.C. § 1746**, I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this 20 day of October, 2026.

Robert Jones

Robert Jones

Petitioner / Declarant

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
X	X	X	\$ X
			\$
			\$

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
X	X	X	\$ X
			\$
			\$

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ X
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
	\$ X	\$ X
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

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

☒ Home
Value 135,000.00

☐ Other real estate
Value

☒ Motor Vehicle #1
Year, make & model 2012 KIA, Forte
Value 2,600.00

☐ 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
_____	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
_____	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
_____	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>

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
<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

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)	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Are real estate taxes included? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
Is property insurance included? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
Utilities (electricity, heating fuel, water, sewer, and telephone)	\$ <u>245.⁰⁰</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Food	\$ <u>125.⁰⁰</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Clothing	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$ <u>35.⁰⁰</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Medical and dental expenses	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ <u>65.00</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Life	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Health	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Other: _____	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): _____	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Credit card(s)	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Department store(s)	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Other: _____	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Other (specify): _____	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Total monthly expenses:	\$ <u>470.00</u>	\$ <u>X</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.

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? _____

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? _____

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

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

UNable to work due to health condition

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

Executed on: Oct 20, _____, 2026

Robert Jones
(Signature)