

**SURROGATE'S COURT- KINGS COUNTY
17-A GUARDIANSHIP CITATION
THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
By the Grace of God Free and Independent**

File No. _____

TO: _____
A petition having been filed by, _____
who is domiciled at _____

YOU ARE HEREBY CITED TO SHOW CAUSE Virtually before the Surrogate's Court, Kings County, on _____ at
a.m. or p.m. of that day, why letters of guardianship of the
person
property
person and property
limited guardianship of the property

of _____ should not be granted to _____; and

why the appointment of _____ as Standby Guardian of the
person
property
person and property
limited guardianship of the property

of _____, should not be granted; and

why the appointment of _____ as First Alternate Standby Guardian of the
person
property
person and property
limited guardianship of the property

of _____, should not be granted; and

why the appointment of _____ as Second Alternate Standby Guardian of the
person
property
person and property
limited guardianship of the property

of _____ should not be granted; and

and why a hearing _____ should be held _____ should not be held;

and why the appearance of respondent _____ should be _____ should not be required at the hearing;

and why the guardian(s) of the person should not be authorized and empowered to make all decisions with respect to the medical and dental needs of the respondent and to render consent to any medical procedures which are necessary to the health and welfare of the respondent,

unless the court directs otherwise. A health care decision may include a decision to withhold or withdraw life-sustaining treatment as defined in subdivision 1750-b(1) of the Surrogate's Court Procedure Act.

[State further relief requested]

NOTICE:

On the return date of the citation in-person appearances are encouraged; As an accommodation virtual appearances on the return date will also occur by video conference utilizing the following [Microsoft Teams Application Link](#) which can be found at the court's website: aka.nycourts.gov/kings-surrogates on the navigation menu, click on the **Calendar** tab, then select **KINGSURRCALENDAR** or by dialing 347-378-4143 or 833-262-7886 and entering conference I.D. 321926287#.

Dated, Attested and Sealed,
(Seal)

HON. _____, Surrogate

Lisa Mathis, Chief Clerk

Attorney for Petitioner

Attorney for Petitioner's Phone Number

Attorney for Petitioner's Address

Attorney for Petitioner's Email

NOTE: This citation is served upon you as required by law. You are not required to appear or respond. However, if you fail to respond to this citation in writing by mail, electronic mail, or electronic filing, it will be assumed you do not object to the relief requested. You have a right to have an attorney-at-law appear or respond for you.