

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF COLUMBIA COUNTY

STATE OF GEORGIA

CIVIL ACTION FILE NO. 2025-A-0081

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COLUMBIA COUNTY GEORGIA

IN THE INTEREST OF:

AVERIE JOY RAY,
MINOR FEMALE CHILD

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

TO: LACRETIA JORINE RAY AND ANY AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES

You are hereby notified that on the 29th day of September 2025, CHARLOTTE DIANNE BROWN and JIMMY FRANKLIN BROWN filed a Petition to adopt AVERIE JOY RAY, the daughter of LACRETIA JORINE RAY and CLAYTON WHEELER. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. §19-8-10(c)(1)(C), you are hereby notified that you may lose all rights to the child unless you show cause, if you can, on the 26th day of May 2026 at 10:00 o'clock a.m., before the Honorable J. Grady Blanchard, Judge of Superior Court at the Columbia County Justice Center, 640 Ronald Reagan Drive, Evans, Georgia 30809, Courtroom 1, why said adoption should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Present Honorable Sheryl B. Jolly, Barry A. Fleming and J. Grady Blanchard, Judges of Superior Court of Columbia County, Georgia.

This 23rd day of March, 2026.


Cindy Mason, Clerk of Superior Court
Columbia County, Georgia

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