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Third Judicial District

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In the Court of Utah

THIRD Judicial District SALT LAKE County

Court Address 450 SOUTH STATE STREET, SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84114

In the Matter of (select one)

☒ the Marriage of (for a divorce with
or without children, annulment,
separate maintenance, or
temporary separation case)

Michael Sabala

(name of Petitioner)

and

Kayla Gouveia

(name of Respondent)

Other parties (if any)

Divorce Decree

264901791

Case Number

Vernice Trease

Judge

Blocher

Commissioner (domestic cases)

The court decrees:

Divorce

1. Michael Sabala is granted a divorce based on the Declaration of Jurisdiction and Grounds signed by Michael Sabala. The divorce will become final upon entry of the divorce decree.

Children (Utah Code 81-6-101(7))

2. **Michael Sabala and Kayla Gouveia** are the legal parents of the following children (Utah Code 81-5-102 et seq.)

a. Any unborn child listed is expected to be born within 300 days of the entry of the decree.

Minor Children

a.

Child Name: **Michaelangelo Frank Gouveia-Sabala**

Date of Birth: **Feb 8, 2026**

Children – Jurisdiction over custody and parent-time issues (Utah Code 81-11-101, 81-11-201, and 81-11-208)

3. Utah has jurisdiction over the custody and parent-time issues in this case because:

4. During the last five years, the minor children have lived at the following places and with the following people:

a.

Child Name: **Michaelangelo Frank Gouveia-Sabala**

Date of Birth: **Feb 8, 2026**

i.

Move-out Date: **This is the child's current address**

Move-in Date: **Feb 8, 2026**

Address: **11986 S Owl Rock Dr, Unit B-304, Herriman, Utah 84096 United**

States

(1).

Caretaker at this address: **Michael Sabala**

Caretaker current address: **11986 S Owl Rock Dr, Unit B-304, Herriman, Utah 84096 United States**

(2).

Caretaker at this address: **Kayla Gouveia**

Caretaker current address: **11986 S Owl Rock Dr, Unit B-304, Herriman, Utah 84096 United States**

Children – Other court proceedings

(Utah Rule of Civil Procedure 100; Utah Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act, UCCJEA, Utah Code 81-11-101 et seq.; Utah Uniform Interstate Family support Act, UIFSA, Utah Code 81-8-102 et seq.)

I say the following:

5. There are no custody, child support, or parent-time cases about **Michael Sabala** and **Kayla Gouveia's** minor children in any court or government agency. This includes filed, pending, and completed cases.

6. **Michael Sabala** and **Kayla Gouveia** have physical custody of our child(ren), and are the only people who have custody, child support, and parent-time rights to our child(ren).

PARENTING PLAN

This Parenting Plan is being filed in good faith.

This parenting plan is agreed to by **Michael Sabala** and **Kayla Gouveia**.

Children - custody

(Utah Code Title 81, Chapter 9, Part 3)

7. It is in the children's best interest that the parties be awarded Joint Legal and Joint Physical Custody. **Michael Sabala** is filing this Parenting Plan and verifies the plan is filed in good faith.

8. The children should reside in **Michael Sabala's** home **182** overnights each year and in **Kayla Gouveia's** home **183** overnights each year.

9. Parent-time will be equal between the parties. (Utah Code 81-9-305 and 81-6-206(7))

10. The chart below shows how this schedule will function.

Week	Evening	Parent
1	Monday	petitioner
1	Tuesday	petitioner
1	Wednesday	respondent
1	Thursday	respondent
1	Friday	petitioner
1	Saturday	petitioner
1	Sunday	petitioner
2	Monday	petitioner
2	Tuesday	petitioner
2	Wednesday	respondent
2	Thursday	respondent
2	Friday	respondent
2	Saturday	respondent
2	Sunday	respondent

Parent-time for special occasions

11. The parents will follow the schedule for special occasions below. If there is more than one child and the children's school schedules vary for purpose of a holiday, at the option of the parent exercising the holiday or the parent's half of the holiday, the children may remain together for the holiday period beginning the first evening that all children's schools are let out for the holiday and ending the evening before any child returns to school. (Utah Code 81-9-302, 303).

Holiday	Period Starts and ends	Years the parent is granted holiday	Years the parent is granted holiday
Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
Labor Day	(1) Holiday begins on Friday at: (a) 9 a.m. if school is not in session and the parent can be with the child; (b) the time that school is regularly dismissed; or (c) 6 p.m. at the election of the parent granted the holiday. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on Labor Day.	Odd years	Even years
Columbus Day	(1) Holiday begins at 6 p.m. on the day before Columbus Day. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on Columbus Day.		All years
Fall Break	(1) Holiday begins 6 p.m. on the day that school dismisses for fall break. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on the day before school resumes.	Odd years	Even years
Halloween	(1) Holiday begins on October 31st or the day that Halloween is		All years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	traditionally celebrated in the local community: (a) at the time that school is dismissed; or (b) at 4 p.m. if there is no school. (2) Holiday ends at 9 p.m. on the same day the holiday begins.		
Veterans Day	(1) Holiday begins at 6 p.m. on the day before Veterans Day. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on Veterans Day.	All years: Michael Sabala is a veteran	
Thanksgiving Break	(1) Holiday begins on Wednesday at: (a) 6 p.m.; or (b) the time school is regularly dismissed for Thanksgiving at the election of the parent granted the holiday. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on day before school resumes.		All years
Winter Break (First Half)	(1) Holiday begins at: (a) 6 p.m. on the day that school dismisses for winter break; or (b) the time school is regularly dismissed on the day that school dismisses for winter break at the election of the parent granted the holiday. (2) Holiday ends on December 27th at 7 p.m.	Odd years	Even years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
Christmas Eve	(1) Holiday begins on December 24th at 4 p.m. (2) Holiday ends on December 24th at 9 p.m.	Odd years	Even years
Christmas Day	(1) Holiday begins on December 24th at 9 p.m. (2) Holiday ends on December 25th at 9 p.m.	Odd years	Even years
New Year's Eve	(1) Holiday begins on December 31st at 4 p.m. (2) Holiday ends on January 1st at 9 a.m.	Even years	Odd years
New Year's Day	(1) Holiday begins on January 1st at 9 a.m. (2) Holiday ends on January 1st at 9 p.m.	Even years	Odd years
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day	(1) Holiday begins Friday at: (a) 9 a.m. if school is not in session and the parent can be with the child; (b) the time that school is regularly dismissed; or (c) 6 p.m. at the election of the parent granted the holiday. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day.		All years
President's Day	(1) Holiday begins Friday at: (a) 9 a.m. if school is not in session and the parent can be with the child; (b) the time that school is	Even years	Odd years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	regularly dismissed; or (c) 6 p.m. at the election of the parent granted the holiday. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on the day before school resumes.		
Spring Break	(1) Holiday begins at 6 p.m. on the day that school dismisses for spring break. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on the day before school resumes.	Odd years	Even years
Memorial Day	(1) Holiday begins Friday at: (a) 9 a.m. if school is not in session and the parent can be with the child; (b) the time that school is regularly dismissed; or (c) 6 p.m. at the election of the parent granted the holiday. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on Memorial Day.	All years	
Mother's Day	(1) Holiday begins on Mother's Day at 9 a.m. (2) Holiday ends on Mother's Day at 7 p.m.		All Years: Kayla Gouveia is the mother
Summer Break	Month of June Michaelangelo Gouveia-Sabala with be with Michael Sabala. The month of July Michaelangelo Gouveia-Sabala will be with Kayla Gouveia.		

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
Juneteenth National Freedom Day	(1) Holiday begins at: (a) 6 p.m. on the day before Juneteenth National Freedom Day if the day before Juneteenth National Freedom Day is not Father's Day; or (b) 9 a.m. on Juneteenth National Freedom Day if the day before Juneteenth National Freedom Day is Father's Day. (2) Holiday ends at 6 p.m. on the day following Juneteenth National Freedom Day.	All years	
Independence Day	(1) Holiday begins on July 3rd at 6 p.m. (2) Holiday ends on July 5th at 6 p.m.	Odd years	Even years
Pioneer Day	(1) Holiday begins on July 23rd at 6 p.m. (2) Holiday ends on July 25th at 6 p.m.	Even years	Odd years
Day of Child's Birthday	(1) Holiday begins at 3 p.m. (2) Holiday ends at 9 p.m. (3) A parent may bring other siblings along for the child's birthday.	Even years	Odd years
Day Before or After Child's Birthday	(1) Holiday begins at 3 p.m. (2) Holiday ends at 9 p.m. (3) A parent may bring other siblings along for the child's birthday.	Odd years	Even years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
Kayla Gouveia's Birthday	<p>Kayla Gouveia will have parent-time each year on Kayla Gouveia's birthday from 3:00 p.m. until the following morning when Kayla Gouveia delivers the child to school, or 8:00 a.m. if there is no school.</p> <p>Birthdays take precedence over holidays and extended parent-time, except Mother's Day and Father's Day.</p> <p>Birthdays do not take precedence over uninterrupted parent-time if the parent exercising uninterrupted time takes the child away from that parent's residence for the uninterrupted extended parent-time.</p>		All years
Michael Sabala's Birthday	<p>Michael Sabala will have parent-time each year on Michael Sabala's birthday from 3:00 p.m. until the following morning when Michael Sabala delivers the child to school, or 8:00 a.m. if there is no school.</p> <p>Birthdays take precedence over</p>	All years	

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	holidays and extended parent-time, except Mother's Day and Father's Day. Birthdays do not take precedence over uninterrupted parent-time if the parent exercising uninterrupted time takes the child away from that parent's residence for the uninterrupted extended parent-time.		

Parent-time transfers

12. Pick-up and drop-off ("transfers") of the children for parent-time will be as described below:

The parties will make arrangements for pick up, delivery and return of the children prior to each scheduled parent-time.

Curbside transfers

13. There will not be curbside transfers. The parent/person dropping-off or picking-up a child may accompany the children to the other parent/person when parent-time transfers are made.

Decision-making

14. Each parent will make day-to-day decisions for the children during the time they are caring for the children. Either parent may make emergency decisions affecting the health or safety of the children. A parent who makes an emergency decision must share the decision with the other parent as soon as reasonably possible.

Joint decision-making. The parents will share responsibility for making major decisions about the children. If there is a disagreement, the parents will resolve the dispute as provided in the Resolving disputes section below.

Education plan

15. The school the children will attend is based on **Kayla Gouveia's** home residence.

16. Michael Sabala and Kayla Gouveia has authority to check the children out of school.

Michael Sabala and Kayla Gouveia has access to the children during school. If the parents cannot agree, education decisions will be made by Michael Sabala.

Communication with each other

17. Parents will communicate with each other by any method.

Communication with the children

18. The parents agree they will:

- provide age-appropriate help to the children to communicate with the other parent.
- give the children privacy during their communication with the other parent. The parents will not interfere with or monitor communication between the children and the other parent.

19. Parents and children may communicate with each other whenever the children choose.

- By telephone
Parents will maintain voice mail so the children can leave and receive messages.
- By text

20. Other terms about communication with the children: **Each parent shall make the child available and shall not interfere with the call unless the child is ill, asleep, or in school/required activity. Either parent may send reasonable texts or messages through a child-safe app; no messages may be used to argue with the other parent.**

Records and information sharing

21. Both parents will have access to records and the ability to consult with providers regarding education, child care, and health care.

Travel by the children

22. During their parent-time, the parent may consent for the children to travel with a sports team, religious group, school group, relatives, friends, by themselves, or with others.

23. If the children will be travelling for more than 1 days, the parent arranging the travel will notify the other parent at least **10** days in advance. That parent will give the other parent the travel schedule, locations and phone numbers at least **10** days in advance. In case of emergency, the parent will provide as much notice as possible.

Child care

24. A child care provider for our children must be:
A licensed child care provider.

Relocation of a parent

25. Neither parent may relocate with the minor children more than **50** miles from their current residence without a written agreement signed by the parties or further court order.
26. If either parent lives more than 149 miles away from the other or the parents live in separate countries, costs for the children's travel expenses for parent-time will be shared equally.
27. If a parent has been found in contempt for not being current on all support obligations, and they do not have primary physical care of the child, they will be responsible for the child's related travel expenses.
28. Reimbursement for the child's travel expenses must be made within 30 days of receipt of documents detailing those expenses.

Resolving disputes

29. If the parents need to resolve a dispute regarding the children, they will discuss the issues in good faith and try to reach an agreement based on what is best for their children. If the parents are unable to agree, they will go to the following before bringing the issue to the court:

a. Mediation

Changing the plan

This plan remains in effect until changed. A change comes from a modification of a court order.

30. A joint physical custody arrangement may result in denial of cash assistance under the Employment Support Act, Title 35A, Chapter 3, of the Utah Code.

END OF PARENTING PLAN

Income: Petitioner (Michael Sabala) (Utah Code 81-6-203)

31. **Michael Sabala's** gross monthly income for child support purposes is **\$5103**.

Michael Sabala receives the following gross monthly income:

- a. Michael Sabala** is employed at **Anytime fuel pros**. **Michael Sabala** earns **\$3813** gross (pre-tax) monthly income working a 40-hour a week job or less.
- b. Michael Sabala** has the following income from any of these sources:
Source: Veterans benefits, Monthly amount: \$1,289.90
- c. Michael Sabala** is ordered to pay **\$417.00** per month in child support for children not part of this case. This amount is subtracted from their gross monthly income for the child support calculation.

Income: Respondent (Kayla Gouveia) (Utah Code 81-6-203)

32. **Kayla Gouveia's** gross monthly income for child support purposes is **\$3181**. **Kayla Gouveia** receives the following gross monthly income:

- a. **Kayla Gouveia** is employed at **Davita**. **Kayla Gouveia** earns **\$3181** gross (pre-tax) monthly income working a 40-hour a week job or less.
33. The adjusted gross monthly income for **Kayla Gouveia** is **\$3181**.

Child support (Utah Code Title 81, Chapter 6, Parts 1 and 2)

34. **Michael Sabala** believes the guideline amount for child support is unjust, inappropriate, or not in the best interest of our children for the following reasons:
The reason(s) for deviation are Michael Sabala has agreed to pay the deviated amount for child support as it is in the best interest of the child to pay the deviated amount..

35. It is in the best interest of the children that **Michael Sabala** be ordered to pay child support to **Kayla Gouveia** as follows:

- a. **\$500.00** per month. This deviates from the Utah Uniform Child Support Guidelines.
- b. Unless the Court orders otherwise, support for each child ends when:
 - a child turns 18 or has graduated from high school during the child's normal and expected year of graduation, whichever occurs later, or
 - a child dies, marries, becomes a member of the United States armed forces, or is emancipated (Utah Code 78A-6-801).

36. Once a child is no longer eligible to receive child support, the support amount for the eligible children should be recalculated using the child support worksheet (Utah Code Title 81, Chapter 6, Parts 1 and 2). The parties may not divide the base child support award by the number of children and subtract that amount from the prior child support amount.

37. **Kayla Gouveia** will give **Michael Sabala** the information needed to set up direct deposit through **Michael Sabala's** employer. Once **Michael Sabala** has the information, **Michael Sabala** will have **Michael Sabala's** employer set up direct deposit to an account of **Kayla Gouveia's** choice. One half of the child support is due by the 5th of each month, and the other half is due by the 20th of each month.

38. The issue of past-due child support may be decided by future court or administrative action.

39. **Michael Sabala** and **Kayla Gouveia** will each pay half of any ORS fee.

- a. If a fee is withheld from payments to **Kayla Gouveia**, **Michael Sabala** will reimburse **Kayla Gouveia** for half the fee.

40. The parties must notify each other within 30 days of any change in their income.

41. The Office of Recovery Services (<https://ors.utah.gov/>) provides services to individuals who are seeking assistance in the collection or enforcement of child support orders.

Dependent children for tax purposes

42. The parents may claim the parties' children as dependents/exemptions for tax purposes as follows:

43. **Kayla Gouveia** may claim the parties' children as dependents/exemptions for tax purposes in odd numbered years. **Michael Sabala** may claim the parties' children as dependents/exemptions for tax purposes in even numbered years.

Child health care (Utah Code 81-6-208)

44. The parties must provide health care coverage for the medical expenses of the dependent children. Health care coverage means coverage under which medical services are provided to a dependent child through: fee for service, a health maintenance organization, a preferred provider organization, any other type of private health insurance, or public health care coverage. Utah Code 81-6-101(14),

45. **Michael Sabala** must maintain medical, hospital, and dental care insurance for the dependent children if it is available at reasonable cost. If medical insurance is not available at reasonable cost then both parents must ensure the children have health care coverage. This may require applying for public health care coverage, such as CHIP or Medicaid.

a. If, at any time, a dependent child is covered by the medical, hospital, or dental insurance plans of both parents, the coverage will be as follows:

- **Michael Sabala's** insurance will be primary coverage.
- **Kayla Gouveia's** insurance will be secondary coverage.

b. If a parent remarries and that parent's dependent child is not covered by that parent's health, hospital, or dental insurance plan but is covered by a step-parent's plan, the coverage will be as follows:

- **Michael Sabala's** spouse's insurance will be primary coverage.
- **Kayla Gouveia's** spouse's insurance will be secondary coverage.

c. Both parties will equally share the out-of-pocket costs of the insurance premiums.

d. Both parties will equally share all uninsured and unreimbursed medical and dental expenses that are reasonable and necessary. This includes deductibles, co-insurance, and co-payments paid by a party for the dependent children.

e. The party who pays health care expenses must provide the other party written verification of the cost and payment within 30 days.

f. If a party does not follow this order and provide written verification, they may not be able to receive credit for health care expenses or recover the other party's share of the expenses.

g. On or before January 2 of each year, the party ordered to maintain coverage must provide verification of coverage to the other party, and ORS, if they are involved.

h. If there is any change in coverage, within 30 days of the change the party ordered to maintain coverage must notify the other party and ORS, if they are involved.

Child care expenses (Utah Code 81-6-209)

46. Both parties will equally share all reasonable work, career, or occupational training-related child care expenses.

- a. The party who pays child care expenses must provide the other party written verification of the cost and identity of the child care provider. This must be done when a provider is first hired, and any time the other party asks for the information. The party incurring or paying child care expenses must notify the other party of any change of a child care provider or monthly expense. This must be done within 30 calendar days of the change.
- b. The party not directly paying for child care must pay their share of child care expenses as soon as they receive verification of the expenses.
- c. If a party does **not** follow the order and provide written verification, they may not receive credit for work, career, or occupational training-related child care expenses or recover the other party's share of the expenses.

Public assistance statement – Office of Recovery Services (ORS) (Utah Code 81-6-106(2)-(3))

47. Neither party has received or is receiving public assistance from the State of Utah.

Personal property (Utah Code Title 81, Chapters 1, 4, 6, and 9)

48. All personal property not addressed in the divorce should be divided as the parties have already divided it.

Vehicles

49. Vehicles will be divided as follows:

a.

Year: **2019**

Make: **Ram**

Model: **1500**

VIN: **N/A**

Owner (before divorce): **Michael Sabala**

Current value: **\$8,230.00**

Amounts Estimated: **no**

Ownership After Divorce: **Michael Sabala**

l.

Lender: **Bridgecrest**

Address: **Box 842695, 3440 flair drive, 4th floor, El Monte, CA 91731**

Date Acquired: **N/A**

Amount Owed: **\$24,168.82**

Amounts Estimated: **no**

Monthly Payment: **\$641.34**

The debt will be paid as follows: **Michael Sabala will pay the entire debt.**

Michael Sabala will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.

b.

Year: 2020

Make: Jeep

Model: Wrangler

VIN: 1C4HJXDG1LW229899

Owner (before divorce): Kayla Gouveia

Current value: \$14,688.00

Amounts Estimated: no

Ownership After Divorce: Kayla Gouveia

l.

Lender: State Employees credit union

Address: 3101 Wake Forest Rd, Raleigh, NC 271609

Date Acquired: N/A

Amount Owed: \$20,000.00

Amounts Estimated: yes

Basis of Estimation: Phone Conversation with Kayla Gouveia

Monthly Payment: \$535.00

The debt will be paid as follows: Kayla Gouveia will pay the entire debt.

Kayla Gouveia will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.

Bank and credit union accounts

50. **Bank and credit union accounts will be divided as follows:**

a.

Account Number: 4396

Account Type: Checking

Institution Name: Zions Bank

Address: 125 W 10600 S Sandy UT 84070

Date Opened: N/A

Balance (US Dollars): \$1,014.69

Estimated: no

Owner: Michael Sabala and Kayla Gouveia

Co-Owner(s): N/A

Divide as follows: Kayla Gouveia should be awarded the entire balance of \$1,014.69 from this money.

51. **Michael Sabala will receive the following property:**

a. Comic book collection

b. Pokemon, DBZ, Godzilla card collection

c. Brother sewing machine

d. Military memorabilia and uniforms

52. **Kayla Gouveia** will receive the following property:

- a. Furniture**
- b. Kitchen utensils/electronics**
- c. Dressers and night stands**
- d. bed frame**
- e. bed**
- f. coffee table**
- g. cat towers**
- h. Christmas tree**
- i. baby changing table**
- j. Baby swing**
- k. Baby bed**
- l. Red bar stools**
- m. coffee maker**
- n. Jewelry storage racks with jewelry**

53. This other property will be divided as follows:

Kayla Gouveia will remain the owner and care taker of household cat Baka.

Debts

54. Each party will be ordered to assume and pay debts as follows. The party assuming the debt must put the debt in their name and pay it. If they can't put the debt in their name, they must still pay it. If a party pays a debt they are not responsible for, they can recover that amount from the responsible party.

Credit Card Debt

a.

Account Number: **6005**

Institution Name: **Navy Federal Credit Union**

Address: **N/A**

Amount owed on debt (in US Dollars): **\$4,728.62**

Minimum Monthly Payment (in US Dollars): **\$113.14**

Owner: **Kayla Gouveia**

The debt will be paid as follows: **Kayla Gouveia will pay the entire debt. Kayla Gouveia will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.**

Real property

55. The parties do not have any real property that is marital property. The parties do not need a court order about real property.

Business interests

56. The parties' ownership interests in business will be divided as follows:

a.

Business Name: **Iron Crest Logistics LLC**

Description: **Logistics and transportation services**

Phone: **(602) 826-8057**

Address: **7533 S center view CT # 5295, West Jordan, UT 84084 United States**

Total Value: **\$0**

Percent owned by Petitioner: **100%**

Percent owned by Respondent: **0%**

Percent owned by Petitioner after divorce: **100%**

Percent owned by Responent after divorce: **0%**

Alimony

57. Neither party will pay alimony.

Retirement money

58. The parties do not need a court order about retirement money.

Duty to sign documents

59. The parties will sign all documents necessary to comply with the divorce decree within 60 days from entry of the decree. If a party fails to sign a document within 60 days, the other party may ask the court to appoint someone to sign the document. (Utah Rule of Civil Procedure 70)

Judge's signature may instead appear at the top of the first page of this document.

Date May 11, 2026

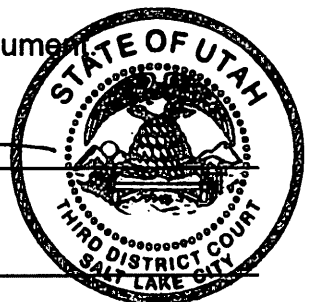
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Judge

Signature ▶

Date

Commissioner



Approved as to Form.

Other Party
Signature

Karen

Other Party Name Kayla Gouveia

Certificate of Service

I certify that I filed with the court and am serving a copy of this Divorce Decree on the following people.

a.

Name: **Kayla Gouveia**

Method of service: **Hand Delivery**

Address: **11986 S owl Rock Dr unit B304, Herriman UT, 84096**

Date of Service: **Apr 6, 2026**

04/06/2026

Date

Signature



Michael Sabala

Printed
Name

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