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In the Court of Utah

SECOND Judicial District WEBER County

Court Address 2525 GRANT AVENUE, OGDEN, UT 84401

In the Matter of (select one)	**Divorce Decree**
[x] the Marriage of (for a divorce with or without children, annulment, separate maintenance, or temporary separation case)	264900143 Case Number
Cassidi Nichole Ellis (name of Petitioner)	Reuben J Renstrom Judge
and	Brandon Richards Commissioner (domestic cases)
Shane Charles Ellis (name of Respondent)	
[redacted] Other parties (if any)	

The court decrees:

Divorce

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

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

2. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** and **Shane Charles Ellis** 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: **Zachary Shane Ellis**
Date of Birth: **Jun 22, 2017**

b.
Child Name: **Zoey Nichole Ellis**
Date of Birth: **Mar 29, 2022**

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: **Zachary Shane Ellis**
Date of Birth: **Jun 22, 2017**
i.
Move-out Date: **This is the child's current address**
Move-in Date: **Jun 22, 2017**
Address: **2626 W 3900 S, Roy, Utah 84067 United States**
(1).
Caretaker at this address: **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**
Caretaker current address: **2626 W 3900 S, Roy, Utah 84067 United States**

(2).
Caretaker at this address: **Shane Charles Ellis**
Caretaker current address: **345 W 2300 N, Harrisville, Utah 84414 United States**

b.
Child Name: **Zoey Nichole Ellis**
Date of Birth: **Mar 29, 2022**
i.
Move-out Date: **This is the child's current address**
Move-in Date: **Mar 29, 2022**

Address: **2626 W 3900 S, Roy, Utah 84067 United States**
(1).
Caretaker at this address: **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**
Caretaker current address: **2626 W 3900 S, Roy, Utah 84067 United States**

(2).
Caretaker at this address: **Shane Charles Ellis**
Caretaker current address: **345 W 2300 N, Harrisville, Utah 84414 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 **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** and **Shane Charles Ellis**'s minor children in any court or government agency. This includes filed, pending, and completed cases.
6. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** and **Shane Charles Ellis** 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 **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** and **Shane Charles Ellis**.

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. **Shane Charles Ellis** is filing this Parenting Plan and verifies the plan is filed in good faith.

8. The children should reside in **Shane Charles Ellis**'s home **130** overnights each year and in **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**'s home **235** overnights each year.

The parents will follow a custom parent-time schedule.

a. **1. Shane Charles Ellis shall have parenting time with the minor children on an alternating Thursday schedule as follows: a. Week A: Beginning Thursday after work and continuing until Monday morning (drop-off at school, childcare or another agreed-upon location). b. Week B: Beginning Thursday after work**

and continuing until Friday morning (drop-off at school, childcare or another agreed-upon location). 2. This alternating Thursday schedule shall repeat on an every-other-week basis. 3. Cassidi Nichole Ellis shall have parenting time with the minor children at all other times not specifically allocated to Shane Charles Ellis under this schedule. "After work" shall mean immediately following Shane Charles Ellis's regular workday, unless otherwise agreed in writing by both parties. "Morning" shall mean drop-off at the children's school, childcare or another agreed-upon location or if school is not in session, by 8:00 a.m.

FOR CHILDREN UNDER 5 MONTHS OF AGE (Utah Code 81-9-304):
Weekly: Three two-hour visits every week in the home of the custodial parent, an established child-care setting, or other environment familiar to the child, unless the parents agree otherwise.
Holidays: Two hours on each of the noncustodial parent's holidays indicated below in the Special Occasion table in the home of the custodial parent, an established child-care setting, or other environment familiar to the child, unless the parents agree otherwise.

FOR CHILDREN 5 MONTHS TO UNDER 9 MONTHS OF AGE:
Weekly: Three three-hour visits every week in the home of the custodial parent, an established child-care setting, or other environment familiar to the child, unless the parents agree otherwise.
Holidays: Two hours on each of the noncustodial parent's holidays indicated below in the Special Occasion table in the home of the custodial parent, an established child-care setting, or other environment familiar to the child, unless the parents agree otherwise.

FOR CHILDREN 9 MONTHS TO UNDER 12 MONTHS OF AGE:
Weekly: One 8 hour visit every week and one 3 hour visit every week.
Holidays: Eight hours on each of the noncustodial parent's holidays indicated below in the Special Occasion table, and
Electronic Communication: Brief telephone contact and/or virtual parent-time at least two times a week, at reasonable hours and for reasonable duration. Virtual parent time may be exercised if the equipment is reasonably available and the parents reside at least 100 miles apart, provided that if the parties cannot agree on whether the equipment is reasonably available, the court shall decide whether the equipment for virtual parent-time is reasonably available, taking into consideration the best interest of the child, each parent's ability to handle any additional expenses for virtual parent-time; and any other factors the court considers material.

FOR CHILDREN 18 MONTHS TO UNDER 3 YEARS OF AGE:
Midweek: One weekday evening from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. to be specified by the noncustodial parent. However, if the child is being cared for during the day outside the child's regular place of residence, the noncustodial parent may, with advance notice to

the custodial parent, pick up the child from the caregiver at an earlier time and return the child to the custodial parent by 8:30 p.m.
Alternate Weekends: Alternative weekends beginning on the first weekend after the entry of the decree from 6:00 p.m. Friday until 7:00 p.m. Sunday.
Holiday Parent-time: Holidays as specified below in the Special Occasion table.
Extended Parent-time: Two one-week periods, separated by at least four weeks, at the option of the noncustodial parent;
a. one week shall be uninterrupted time for the parent granted the extended parent-time;
b. the remaining week shall be subject to weekday parent-time for the custodial parent on the same day as the parent exercising the extended parent-time has during the other weeks of the year; and
c. the custodial parent shall have an identical one-week period of uninterrupted time for vacation.
Notification of extended parent-time or vacation weeks with the child shall be provided at least 30 days in advance to the custodial parent.
Electronic Communication: Brief telephone contact and/or virtual parent-time at least two times a week, at reasonable hours and for reasonable duration. Virtual parent time may be exercised if the equipment is reasonably available and the parents reside at least 100 miles apart, provided that if the parties cannot agree on whether the equipment is reasonably available, the court shall decide whether the equipment for virtual parent-time is reasonably available, taking into consideration the best interest of the child, each parent's ability to handle any additional expenses for virtual parent-time; and any other factors the court considers material.

FOR CHILDREN 3 YEARS TO UNDER 5 YEARS OF AGE (81-9-304):
Midweek: One weekday evening from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. to be specified by the noncustodial parent. However, if the child is being cared for during the day outside the child's regular place of residence, the noncustodial parent may, with advance notice to the custodial parent, pick up the child from the caregiver at an earlier time and return the child to the custodial parent by 8:30 p.m.
Alternate Weekends: Alternative weekends beginning on the first weekend after the entry of the decree from 6:00 p.m. on Friday until 7:00 p.m. on Sunday continuing.
Holiday Parent-time: Holidays as specified below in the Special Occasion table.
Extended Parent-time: Two two-week periods, separated by at least four weeks, at the option of the noncustodial parent;
a. one two-week period shall be uninterrupted time for the parent granted the extended parent time;
b. the remaining two-week period shall be subject to an equal amount of weekday parent-time that the parent exercising the extended parent-time has during the other weeks of the year; and
c. the custodial parent shall have an identical two-week period of uninterrupted time for

vacation.
A parent shall notify the custodial parent at least 30 days in advance of extended parent-time or vacation weeks.
Electronic Communication: Brief telephone contact and/or virtual parent-time at least two times a week, at reasonable hours and for reasonable duration. Virtual parent time may be exercised if the equipment is reasonably available and the parents reside at least 100 miles apart, provided that if the parties cannot agree on whether the equipment is reasonably available, the court shall decide whether the equipment for virtual parent-time is reasonably available, taking into consideration the best interest of the child, each parent's ability to handle any additional expenses for virtual parent-time; and any other factors the court considers material.

Parent-time for special occasions

9. 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.	Even years	Odd years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	on Columbus Day.		
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 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.	Even years	Odd years
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.	Odd years	Even years
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.	Even years	Odd years
Winter Break (First Half)	(1) Holiday begins at: (a) 6 p.m. on the day	Odd years	Even years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	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.		
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.	Even years	Odd 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	Odd years	Even years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	election of the parent granted the holiday. (2) Holiday ends at 7 p.m. on Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day.		
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 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.	Even years	Odd years
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.	Even years	Odd years
Mother's Day	(1) Holiday begins on		All Years: Cassidi

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	Mother's Day at 9 a.m. (2) Holiday ends on Mother's Day at 7 p.m.		Nichole Ellis is the mother
Father's Day	(1) Holiday begins on Father's Day at 9 a.m. (2) Holiday ends on Father's Day at 7 p.m.	All Years: Shane Charles Ellis is the father	
Summer Break	Shane Charles Ellis will have up to two weeks of uninterrupted extended summer Parent-time when school is not in session, at the option of Shane Charles Ellis.Shane Charles Ellis will have an additional two weeks of extended Summer Parent-time at the option of Shane Charles Ellis, subject to weekday parent-time for Cassidi Nichole Ellis, but not weekends normally exercised by Cassidi Nichole Ellis. Shane Charles Ellis will notify Cassidi Nichole Ellis of the summer break extended parent-time by May 1 each year. Cassidi Nichole Elliswill also have two weeks of uninterrupted extended parent time when school is not in session, at the option	Odd years	Even years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	of Cassidi Nichole Ellis. Cassidi Nichole Ellis will notify Shane Charles Ellis of the summer break extended parent-time by May 15 each year. If the notification by Shane Charles Ellis is not timely, Cassidi Nichole Ellis may determine the schedule for extended parent-time for Shane Charles Ellis, so long as Cassidi Nichole Ellishas provided timely notice. If neither parent provides timely notice, the first parent to provide notice may determine the schedule of extended parent-time for the other parent.		
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)	Even years	Odd years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	Holiday ends at 6 p.m. on the day following Juneteenth National Freedom Day.		
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
Cassidi Nichole Ellis's Birthday	Cassidi Nichole Ellis will have parent-time each year on Cassidi Nichole Ellis's birthday from 3:00 p.m. until the following morning when Cassidi Nichole Ellis delivers the child to school, or 8:00 a.m. if there is no school. Birthdays take precedence over holidays and extended parent-time, except		All years

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	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.		
Shane Charles Ellis's Birthday	Shane Charles Ellis will have parent-time each year on Shane Charles Ellis's birthday from 3:00 p.m. until the following morning when Shane Charles Ellis delivers the child to school, or 8:00 a.m. if there is no school. Birthdays take precedence over 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	All years	

Holiday	Period	Noncustodial Years	Custodial Years
	parent-time.		

Parent-time transfers

10. 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

11. 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

12. 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

13. The school the children will attend is based on a specific plan for where the children will attend school: **The children will attend Quest Academy in West Haven, Utah. If either child is not eligible to attend Quest Academy, the school attended will be based on Cassidi Nichole Ellis's home residence.** .
14. Cassidi Nichole Ellis and Shane Charles Ellis has authority to check the children out of school. Cassidi Nichole Ellis and Shane Charles Ellis has access to the children during school. If the parents cannot agree, education decisions will be made by Cassidi Nichole Ellis.

Communication with each other

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

Communication with the children

16. 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.

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

- By any method

18. Other terms about communication with the children: **The parties will both be free to contact the children at any reasonable time and they will be free to contact the parties as well. The parties shall, however, be respectful of the other's privacy and schedules and avoid contacting the children at times known to be inconvenient for the other parent.**

Records and information sharing

19. 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

20. 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.

21. If the children will be travelling for more than **1** days, the parent arranging the travel will notify the other parent at least **7** days in advance. That parent will give the other parent the travel schedule, locations and phone numbers at least **7** days in advance. In case of emergency, the parent will provide as much notice as possible.

Child care

22. A child care provider for our children must be:
    A licensed child care provider.
    A relative, friend, or neighbor.
    Over the age of **14**.

23. Other terms about child care: **We agree to call the other parent, whenever possible for any of our baby-sitting needs. This will allow the parent to have additional time with the children while the other parent is involved in other important or personal matters.**

Relocation of a parent

24. Neither parent may relocate with the minor children more than **25** miles from their current residence without a written agreement signed by the parties or further court order.

25. Other terms about relocating: **This parenting plan is proposed believing that each parent will continue to reside in the proximity of Weber, Davis or Box Elder County. If either of us intends to relocate so that this plan would be impractical to**

maintain, then the relocating parent should give written notice to the other parent as soon as possible, but not less than 60 days. Each of us should then submit proposed amended parenting plans to take into account the proposed relocation.
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 paid by the **the parent who moved**.
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. **Counseling**

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 (Cassidi Nichole Ellis) (Utah Code 81-6-203)

31. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis's** gross monthly income for child support purposes is **$2080.** **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** receives the following gross monthly income:
    a. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** is employed at **Symbii Home Health & Hospice**. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** earns **$2080** gross (pre-tax) monthly income working a 40-hour a week job or less.

Income: Respondent (Shane Charles Ellis) (Utah Code 81-6-203)

32. **Shane Charles Ellis's** gross monthly income for child support purposes is $**6793.** **Shane Charles Ellis** receives the following gross monthly income:
    a. **Shane Charles Ellis** is employed at **Wind River Excavation**. **Shane Charles Ellis** earns **$6793** gross (pre-tax) monthly income working a 40-hour a week job or less.
33. The adjusted gross monthly income for **Shane Charles Ellis** is $**6793**.

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

34. It is in the best interest of the children that **Shane Charles Ellis** be ordered to pay child support to **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** as follows:

a. **$1,089.00** per month base support. This amount complies with the Utah Child Support Act.

35. 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.

36. The **joint** custody worksheet was used to calculate child support.

37. The base child support amount using the joint custody calculation is $**1089** per month.

Child support reduction for extended parent-time

38. If a child lives with the non-custodial parent by court order or written agreement of the parties for:

- 25 of any 30 consecutive days, base child support will be reduced by 50% for each child who lives with the non-custodial parent during that time. (Utah Code 81-6-211(1)(a)).
- 12 of any 30 consecutive days, base child support will be reduced by 25% for each child who lives with the non-custodial parent during that time. (Utah Code 81-6-211(1)(b)).

The custodial parent's normal parent-time and holiday parent-time do not count as an interruption of the consecutive day requirement.

39. If a child receives cash assistance through the T.A.N.F. or F.E.P. programs, any agreement by the parties to reduce child support during extended parent-time must be approved by the Office of Recovery Services.

40. Child support will be paid as follows:

Automatic payment from Shane Charles Ellis's America First Credit Union account to Cassidi Nichole Ellis's America First Credit Union account.

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

42. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** and **Shane Charles Ellis** will each pay half of any ORS fee.
    a. If a fee is withheld from payments to **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**, **Shane Charles Ellis** will reimburse **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** for half the fee.

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

44. 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

45. As long as **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** is current on all child support and other court-ordered financial obligations, **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** may claim the following children as dependents/exemptions for tax purposes as allowed by law:

a. **Zoey Nichole Ellis**

46. As long as **Shane Charles Ellis** is current on all child support and other court-ordered financial obligations, **Shane Charles Ellis** may claim the following children as dependents/exemptions for tax purposes as allowed by law:

b. **Zachary Shane Ellis**

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

47. The parties must provide health care coverage for the medical expenses of the dependent children. Heath 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),

48. The parent who is able to obtain the most affordable medical, hospital, and dental insurance for the dependent children 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:

- **Shane Charles Ellis's** insurance will be primary coverage.
- **Cassidi Nichole Ellis'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:

- **Shane Charles Ellis's** spouse's insurance will be primary coverage.
- **Cassidi Nichole Ellis'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)

49. 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))

50. 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)

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

Vehicles

52. Vehicles will be divided as follows:

a.
Year: **2019**
Make: **Nissan**
Model: **Pathfinder**
VIN: **N/A**
Owner (before divorce): **Shane Ellis**
Current value: **$7,700.00**
Amounts Estimated: **no**
Ownership After Divorce: **Shane Charles Ellis**
I.
Lender: **Utah Power Credit Union**

Address: **957 E 6600 S, Salt Lake City, UT 84121**
Date Acquired: **N/A**
Amount Owed: **$3,166.89**
Amounts Estimated: **no**
Monthly Payment: **$269.00**
The debt will be paid as follows: **Shane Charles Ellis will pay the entire debt. Shane Charles Ellis will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.**

Other financial assets

53. These other financial assets will be divided as follows:

a.
Account Number: **N/A**
Account Type: **N/A**
Instituition Name: **N/A**
Address: **2626 W 3900 S, Roy, Weber, Utah 84067 United States**
Balance (US Dollars): **$14,979.04**
Estimated: **no**
Owner: **Shane Charles Ellis and Cassidi Nichole Ellis**
Co-Owner(s): **N/A**
Divide as follows: **Shane Charles Ellis and Cassidi Nichole Ellis will split the silver and gold assets 50/50.**

54. This other property will be divided as follows:

a.
Description: **Cassidi's Wedding Ring**
Date acquired: **N/A**
Current value: **$4,500.00**
Estimated: **no**
Ownership after divorce: **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**
Loan: **N/A**

55. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** will receive the following property:

a. Guns, Ammunition and Swords from Cassidi's Dad.
b. Silver & Gold from Cassidi's Dad.
c. Lamp, Minky Blanket, Mini Ben Clock and Camel Collection from Cassidi's Dad.
d. (2) Safes from Cassidi's Dad.
e. (3) Dogs
f. Gun Safe
g. Sewing Machine from Cassidi's Grandma.
h. Furniture acquired during marriage and kids bedroom sets.

i. Belongings brought or acquired prior to the marriage.

56. **Shane Charles Ellis** will receive the following property:

a. Zachary and Shane's Dirt Bike / Gear.
b. Tools, yard equipment and work bench.
c. Belongings brought or acquired prior to the marriage.

Debts

57. The parties are not aware of any debts from the marriage. If any debts exist, each debt will be the responsibility of the party who incurred the debt.

Real property

58. The parties acquired the following real property during the marriage:

a.

Description: **House**
Address: **2626 W 3900 S, Roy, Weber, Utah 84067 United States**
Tax ID: **08-289-0004**
Legal Description: **Lot 47, Edgewater Estates Phase 2**
Date property acquired: **Jun 8, 2017**
Names on title: **Shane C. Ellis and Cassidi Ellis**
Original cost: **$230,000**
Current value: **$475,000.00**
Property values estimated: **yes**
Estimation basis for property value: **Zillow**
Disposal: **This property will be sold as follows:**
Until the property is sold, Cassidi Nichole Ellis and Shane Charles Ellis will have equal use and possession of this property. Cassidi Nichole Ellis and Shane Charles Ellis will be equally responsible for payments, taxes, and insurance until the property is sold.
The proceeds of the sale will be applied as follows:
(i) First, pay expenses of sale.
(ii) Second, pay all mortgages and liens. If there is money still owed on mortgages and liens, the parties will each be responsible for one half of each payment.
(iii) Third, pay all marital debts and obligations.
(iv) Finally, divide any remaining balance equally between the parties.

i.

Creditor: **N/A**
Names on mortgage: **Shane C Ellis**
Date mortgage acquired: **Jun 8, 2017**
Mortgage balance: **$191,191.93**

Monthly payment: **$1,476.33**
Mortgage values estimated: **no**
This mortgage will be paid as follows after the divorce: **Until the property is sold, Cassidi Nichole Ellis shall maintain occupancy of the property and Shane Charles Ellis shall continue to pay the mortgage balance and monthly expenses in lieu of Child Support and/or Alimony. Once the property is sold, all mortgage balances, liens, commissions and closing closing costs are first paid from the sale proceeds. The remaining net equity shall be divided 50/50 between Shane Charles Ellis and Cassidi Nichole Ellis. Shane Charles Ellis will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.**

Alimony

Cassidi Nichole Ellis's Financial Need

59. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**'s ability to earn (after taxes) is **$3,107.66** per month. This amount is based on these sources of income:

Monthly Ability to Earn

Source	Monthly income
Work (Including self employment, wages, salaries, commissions, bonuses, tips and overtime)	$ 3465
Rental income	$
Business income	$
Interest	$

Income from interest refers to the money you earn as a result of lending money to others or depositing money in an interest-bearing account.

Dividends	$

Dividends refer to a portion of a company's profits paid out to its shareholders as a form of return on their investment.

Retirement income (including pensions, 401(k), IRA, etc.)	$
Worker's Compensation	$
Social Security Disability (SSDI)	$
Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	$
Social Security (Other than	

SSDI or SSI) $ _____

Private Disability Insurance $ _____

Unemployment benefits $ _____

Education benefits (Including grants, loans, cash scholarships, etc.) $ _____

Veteran's Benefits $ _____

Alimony (from a prior marriage) $ _____

Child Support (from a prior order) $ _____

Payments from civil litigation $ _____

Payments from civil litigation refer to the compensation received by an individual or entity as a result of a legal dispute settled through the court system, such as a settlement or court-awarded damages.

Victim restitution $ _____

Victim restitution refers to the court-ordered payment made by a convicted offender to their victim(s) as a form of compensation for the harm or losses caused by their criminal actions.

Utah Cash Assistance $ _____

Family Employment Program (FEP), etc.

Federal Cash Assistance $ _____

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), etc.

Financial support from household members $ _____

Financial support from household members refers to the money received by an individual from other members of their household, such as a spouse, parent, or child, to help cover living expenses or other financial obligations.

Financial support from non-household members $ _____

Financial support from non-household members refers to the money received by an individual from someone who is not a member of their household, such as a friend, relative, or member of a charitable organization, to help cover living expenses or other financial obligations.

Trust income $ _____

Trust income refers to the money earned by a trust, a legal arrangement where a trustee holds and manages assets on behalf of beneficiaries, typically through investments, rental income, or interest on financial instruments.

Annuity income $ _____

Annuity income refers to the periodic payments received by an individual from an annuity, a financial product that provides a guaranteed stream of income for a fixed period or for the rest of the individual's life in exchange for a lump sum or series of payments made to the annuity provider.

_____ $ _____

_____ $ _____

Total Gross Monthly Income $ 3465

Monthly Tax Deductions from Ability to Earn

Type of Deductions	Amount
Federal Income Tax	$
State Income Tax	$
Municipal Income Tax	$
FICA	$
Medicare	$
Total Monthly Tax Deductions	$

60. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** will be receiving per month in child support in this case.

61. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis's** current reasonable monthly expenses are as follows:

Rent or Mortgage	$ 1200
Real estate taxes (if not included in mortgage)	$ 0
Real estate insurance (if not included in mortgage)	$ 0
Real estate maintenance	$ 0
Food and household supplies	$ 600
Clothing	$ 50
Automobile payments	$ 0
Automobile insurance	$ 85
Automobile fuel	$ 150
Automobile maintenance	$ 50
Other transportation costs (public transportation,	$ 0

parking, etc.)	
Utilities (such as electricity, gas, water, sewer, garbage)	$ 180
Telephone	$ 85
Paid television, cable, satellite	$ 20
Internet	$ 40
Credit card payments	$ 0
Loans and other debt payments	$ 0
Alimony from previous marriages	$ 0
Child support	$ 0
Child care	$ 400
Extracurricular activities for children	$ 100
Education (children)	$ 100
Education (self)	$ 0
Health care insurance	$ 100
Health care expenses (excluding insurance listed above)	$ 100
Other insurance _____	$ 0
Entertainment	$ 100
Laundry and dry cleaning	$ 0
Donations	$ 0
Gifts	$ 0
Union and other Dues	$ 0
Garnishment or income withholding order	$ 0
Retirement deposits (including pensions, 401(k), IRA, etc.)	$ 0
Other _____	$ 0

Other	$ 0
Total current monthly expenses	$3360

62. **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**'s marital monthly expenses (expended during the marriage) are as follows:

Rent or Mortgage	$ 725
Real estate taxes (if not included in mortgage)	$ 0
Real estate insurance (if not included in mortgage)	$ 0
Real estate maintenance	$ 0
Food and household supplies	$ 300
Clothing	$ 25
Automobile payments	$ 134.5
Automobile insurance	$ 100
Automobile fuel	$ 75
Automobile maintenance	$ 25
Other transportation costs (public transportation, parking, etc.)	$ 0
Utilities (such as electricity, gas, water, sewer, garbage)	$ 90
Telephone	$ 90
Paid television, cable, satellite	$ 10
Internet	$ 20
Credit card payments	$ 0
Loans and other debt payments	$ 0
Alimony from previous marriages	$ 0
Child support	$ 0
Child care	$ 0

Extracurricular activities for children	$ 50	
Education (children)	$ 50	
Education (self)	$ 0	
Health care insurance	$ 225	
Health care expenses (excluding insurance listed above)	$ 50	
Other insurance	$ 0	
Entertainment	$ 50	
Laundry and dry cleaning	$ 0	
Donations	$ 0	
Gifts	$ 0	
Union and other Dues	$ 0	
Garnishment or income withholding order	$ 0	
Retirement deposits (including pensions, 401(k), IRA, etc.)	$ 0	
Other	$ 0	
Other	$ 0	
Total marital monthly expenses		$2019.5

63. The difference between **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**'s monthly net income (including child support) and monthly expenses is **$252.34** based on **current** expenses. This is **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**'s monthly financial need.

Shane Charles Ellis's Ability To Pay

64. **Shane Charles Ellis**'s net income (after taxes) is **$5,094.38** per month. This amount is based on these sources of income.

Work (Including self employment, wages, salaries, commissions, bonuses, tips and overtime)	$ 6792.5

Rental income	$ 0
Business income	$ 0
Interest	$ 0
Dividends	$ 0
Retirement income (including pensions, 401(k), IRA, etc.)	$ 0
Worker's Compensation	$ 0
Social Security Disability (SSDI)	$ 0
Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	$ 0
Social Security (Other than SSDI or SSI)	$ 0
Private Disability Insurance	$ 0
Unemployment benefits	$ 0
Education benefits (Including grants, loans, cash scholarships, etc.)	$ 0
Veteran's Benefits	$ 0
Alimony (from a prior marriage)	$ 0
Child Support (from a prior order)	$ 0
Payments from civil litigation	$ 0
Victim restitution	$ 0
Utah Cash Assistance	$ 0
Federal Cash Assistance	$ 0
Financial support from household members	$ 0
Financial support from non-household members	$ 0
Trust income	$ 0
Annuity income	$ 0

	$ 0
	$ 0
Total Gross Monthly Income	$ 6792.5

Monthly Tax Deductions

Type of Deductions	Amount
Federal Income Tax	$ 815.1
State Income Tax	$ 339.62
Municipal Income Tax	$ 0
FICA	$ 407.55
Medicare	$ 135.85

65. **Shane Charles Ellis** will be paying per month in child support in this case.
66. **Shane Charles Ellis**'s current reasonable monthly expenses are as follows:

Rent or Mortgage	$ 1800
Real estate taxes (if not included in mortgage)	$ 0
Real estate insurance (if not included in mortgage)	$ 0
Real estate maintenance	$ 0
Food and household supplies	$ 600
Clothing	$ 50
Automobile payments	$ 269
Automobile insurance	$ 85
Automobile fuel	$ 150
Automobile maintenance	$ 50
Other transportation costs (public transportation, parking, etc.)	$ 0
Utilities (such as electricity, gas, water, sewer, garbage)	$ 180
Telephone	

	$ 85
Paid television, cable, satellite	$ 20
Internet	$ 40
Credit card payments	$ 0
Loans and other debt payments	$ 0
Alimony from previous marriages	$ 0
Child support	$ 0
Child care	$ 400
Extracurricular activities for children	$ 100
Education (children)	$ 100
Education (self)	$ 0
Health care insurance	$ 450
Health care expenses (excluding insurance listed above)	$ 100
Other insurance	$ 0
Entertainment	$ 100
Laundry and dry cleaning	$ 0
Donations	$ 0
Gifts	$ 0
Union and other Dues	$ 0
Garnishment or income withholding order	$ 0
Retirement deposits (including pensions, 401(k), IRA, etc.)	$ 280
Other	$ 0
Other	$ 0
Total marital monthly expenses	$ 4859

67. The difference between **Shane Charles Ellis**'s monthly net income and monthly

expenses (including child support) is **$235.38**. This is **Shane Charles Ellis**'s ability to pay alimony each month.

68. **Shane Charles Ellis** and **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** have been married for **10** years and **4** months.

69. The value of real property during the marriage is **$475,000.00**

70. The value of personal property during the marriage is **$12,200.00**.

71. The court should also consider these other factors: **Cassidi Nichole Ellis has been a stay at home mom for the last 8 years and has recently re-entered the work force. This alimony payment will give additional support for the children and provide support to advance her education and career.**

Alimony Payment

72. **Shane Charles Ellis** will pay **Cassidi Nichole Ellis $250.00** in alimony each month.

73. These are the reasons for this amount: **Shane Charles Ellis and Cassidi Nichole Ellis have agreed upon $250 per month.**

74. Alimony will start the month immediately following entry of the divorce decree.

75. The payment schedule will be:

- one half by the 5th day of each month, and
- the other half by the 20th day of each month.

76. Alimony not paid by the 5th day of the month is past due on the 6th day of the month. Alimony not paid by the 20th day of the month is past due on the 21st day of the month. If the Office of Recovery Services is used to collect child support then ORS may also collect alimony and their payment schedule will be followed.

77. **Shane Charles Ellis's** alimony obligation will end the earliest of the following:

- **5** years and **2** months.
- If **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** dies.
- If **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** remarries.
- If **Cassidi Nichole Ellis** cohabits. Cohabitation must be proven in court before **Shane Charles Ellis** stops paying alimony.

Retirement money

Retirement money – retirement accounts

78. The parties have retirement money. The owner of the retirement money Plan Participant must do whatever is necessary for both parties to have full access to information about the pension plan, retirement account, money and benefits. This includes signing any forms needed for release of the information to the other party (Alternate Payee).

79. If the Plan Participant receives any retirement money awarded to the Alternate Payee, the Plan Participant receives that money in a constructive trust for the Alternate Payee. The Plan Participant is ordered to pay the benefit directly to the Alternate Payee

within 5 days of its receipt. Information on the pension plans and how they are to be divided is listed below:

a.

Account Number: **None**
Plan Name: **401 (k)**
Plan Administrator: **Voya**
Company Name: **UPS**
Address: **PO Box 990064, Hartford, CT 06199**
Date Opened: **Apr 15, 2015**
Plan Value: **$136296.4**
This plan is in the name of: **Shane Charles Ellis**
Divide as follows: **The parties agree that the 401(k) retirement account held in the name of Shane Charles Ellis through Voya Financial shall be divided pursuant to a Qualified Domestic Relations Order (QDRO) in accordance with applicable federal law. Cassidi Nichole Ellis, as the Alternate Payee, shall be awarded the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) from said account, calculated as of the date of the divorce decree, which amount shall be a fixed dollar award with no adjustment for investment gains or losses after that date. Shane Charles Ellis, as the Participant, shall be awarded the remaining balance of the 401(k) account after the distribution of Cassidi Nichole Ellis's award and shall retain that remaining balance as his sole and separate property. Any fees, costs, or expenses charged by the Plan Administrator for the review, processing, segregation, or distribution of benefits pursuant to this Qualified Domestic Relations Order, as well as the cost of preparation of this Order, shall be divided equally between the Participant and the Alternate Payee, unless otherwise required by the Plan. Shane Charles Ellis should prepare the Qualified Domestics Relations Order (QDRO) for this plan within 120 days after the divorce decree is entered.**

Additional provisions

80. The parties will adhere to the following additional provisions:

a.

Additional Provision: **Dependency Exemption and IRS Form 8332 For federal and state income tax purposes, the parties agree that Shane Charles Ellis shall be entitled to claim the minor child, Zachary Shane Ellis, as dependent for all subsequent tax years, provided that parent is otherwise eligible under applicable law. Cassidi Nichole Ellis shall execute IRS Form 8332 (Release/Revocation of Release of Claim to Exemption for Child by Custodial Parent) or any successor form required by the Internal Revenue Service for each applicable tax year. The executed form shall be provided to the other party no later than January 31 of the year following the applicable tax year, or within [7] days of a written request, whichever occurs first. Failure to timely**

execute or deliver IRS Form 8332 shall constitute a violation of this Order and may be enforced by the Court.

Duty to sign documents

81. 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.

11/06/26
Date

Signature ▶ _____

Judge Reuben J. Renstrom

_____
Date

Signature ▶ _____

Commissioner _____

Approved as to Form.

Other Party Signature ▶ _____

Other Party Name Cassidi Nichole Ellis

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: **Cassidi Nichole Ellis**
Method of service: **Hand Delivery**
Address: **2626 W 3900 S, Roy, UT 84067**
Date of Service: **Feb 26, 2026**

02/26/2026
Date

Signature ▶ _____

Shane Charles Ellis

Printed Name Shane Charles Ellis