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**PUBLISHED OPINIONS**

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Court of Appeals No. 24CA2203  
Boulder County District Court No. 23CV30652  
Honorable Michael Kotlarczyk, Judge

Keep Airport Road Environmental & Safe; Eric Scherer; Gwen Scherer; Greg Petrosky; and Michelle Romeo,

Plaintiffs-Appellants,

v.

Boulder County Board of Commissioners,

Defendant-Appellee.

**APPEAL DISMISSED AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS**

Division I  
Opinion by JUDGE MOULTRIE  
J. Jones and Kuhn, JJ., concur

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## **UNPUBLISHED OPINIONS**

Court of Appeals No. 23CA0038  
City and County of Denver District Court No. 20CR3352  
Honorable Jay S. Grant, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

Steven J. Chahan,

Defendant-Appellant.

**JUDGMENT AFFIRMED**

Division III  
Opinion by JUDGE MOULTRIE  
Dunn and Taubman\*, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 23CA0866  
Douglas County District Court No. 22CR10  
Honorable Patricia D. Herron, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

Ahmarion Kaliel Shead,

Defendant-Appellant.

**JUDGMENT REVERSED AND CASE  
REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS**

Division II  
Opinion by JUDGE SULLIVAN  
Fox and Kuhn, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 23CA1192  
City and County of Denver District Court No. 15CR6591  
Honorable Brian R. Whitney, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

Kiki Lamount Douglas,

Defendant-Appellant.

**ORDER REVERSED AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS**

Division II  
Opinion by JUDGE FOX  
Schutz, J., concurs  
Harris, J., specially concurs

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 24CA1199  
El Paso County District Court No. 17CR2427  
Honorable Erin Sokol, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v.

Teral Stafin Lee,

Defendant-Appellee.

**SENTENCE REVERSED AND CASE  
REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS**

Division VI  
Opinion by JUDGE YUN  
Grove and Schock, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 24CA1256  
City and County of Denver District Court No. 22CV33294  
Honorable Andrew J. Luxen, Judge

Yvonne Whitt,

Plaintiff-Appellee and Cross-Appellant,

v.

Colorado Retina Associates, PLLC,

Defendant-Appellant and Cross-Appellee,

and

David Johnson, MD; Brian Joondeph, MD; Curtis Hagedorn, MD; and Mimi Liu, MD,

Defendants and Cross-Appellees.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED IN PART AND REVERSED IN PART,  
AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS

Division VII  
Opinion by JUDGE PAWAR  
Gomez and Bernard\*, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 24CA1411  
Boulder County District Court No. 09DR1455  
Honorable Bruce Langer, Judge

In re the Parental Responsibilities Concerning S.W., a Child,  
and Concerning Jeanette I. Wickline,  
Appellee,  
and  
Cristian Borcan,  
Appellant.

APPEAL DISMISSED IN PART, ORDERS AFFIRMED,  
AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS

Division VI  
Opinion by JUDGE SCHOCK  
Grove and Yun, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 24CA1491  
Larimer County District Court No. 20CV30635  
Honorable C. Michelle Brinegar, Judge

Michael Miolen,  
Plaintiff-Appellant,  
v.  
Alan Hathcock, M.D., and Poudre Valley Health Care, Inc. d/b/a UCHealth  
Harmony Emergency Center,  
Defendants-Appellees.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED

Division II  
Opinion by JUDGE FOX  
Kuhn and Sullivan, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 24CA1610  
Weld County District Court No. 18CR917  
Honorable Allison J. Esser, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

Leroy Garcia-Cerda, Jr.,

Defendant-Appellant.

ORDER AFFIRMED IN PART  
AND VACATED IN PART

Division III  
Opinion by JUDGE MOULTRIE  
Dunn and Bernard\*, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0055  
Larimer County District Court No. 20CV30635  
Honorable C. Michelle Brinegar, Judge

Michael Miolen,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v.

Alan Hathcock, M.D., and Poudre Valley Health Care, Inc. d/b/a UCHealth  
Harmony Emergency Center,

Defendants-Appellees.

ORDER AFFIRMED

Division II  
Opinion by JUDGE FOX  
Kuhn and Sullivan, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0108  
Eagle County District Court No. 23CV30160  
Honorable Jonathan Shamis, Judge

Robert Kilgore and Sarah Kilgore,

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

v.

2900 June Creek TRL C, LLC, a Colorado limited liability company, and  
Jonathan Garini,

Defendants-Appellants.

APPEAL DISMISSED IN PART, ORDER VACATED,  
AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS

Division III  
Opinion by JUDGE LIPINSKY  
Dunn and Kuhn, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0124  
Jefferson County District Court No. 05CR4495  
Honorable Lindsay VanGilder, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

James William DeHaven,

Defendant-Appellant.

ORDER AFFIRMED

Division III  
Opinion by JUDGE BERNARD\*  
Dunn and Moultrie, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0235  
City and County of Denver District Court No. 24DR30354  
Honorable Marie Avery Moses, Judge

In re the Parental Responsibilities Concerning A.R.R., a Child,  
and Concerning Sean Alan Roberts,  
Appellant,  
and  
Alexandra Lauren Lewis,  
Appellee.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED AND CASE  
REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS

Division IV  
Opinion by JUDGE SCHUTZ  
Freyre and Brown, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0347  
Weld County District Court No. 24CV30063  
Honorable Kimberly B. Schutt, Judge

Andrea M. Hall,  
Plaintiff-Appellant,  
v.  
Travis Cordell and Monika Cordell,  
Defendants-Appellees.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED

Division I  
Opinion by JUDGE MEIRINK  
J. Jones and Berger\*, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0348  
Douglas County District Court No. 22DR676  
Honorable Daniel Warhola, Judge

In re the Marriage of

Brian Thomas Farrell,

Appellant,

and

Candace Rae Farrell,

Appellee.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED IN PART AND REVERSED IN PART,  
AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS

Division IV  
Opinion by JUDGE SCHUTZ  
Freyre and Brown, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0457  
Douglas County District Court No. 22DR643  
Honorable Daniel Warhola, Judge

In re the Marriage of

Jina Leigh Stremler,

Appellee,

and

Troy Dale Stremler,

Appellant.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED IN PART AND REVERSED IN PART,  
AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS

Division I  
Opinion by JUDGE LUM  
J. Jones and Meirink, JJ., concur

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0498  
City and County of Denver District Court No. 23DR30642  
Honorable Adam J. Espinosa, Judge

In re the Marriage of

Glen Michael Rich,

Appellee,

and

Katherine Mary Kappas,

Appellant.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED

Division VII  
Opinion by JUDGE PAWAR  
Johnson and Gomez, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0670  
Weld County District Court No. 23DR30320  
Honorable Jayme L. Muehlenkamp, Judge

In re the Marriage of

Jessica Mathiesen,

Appellee,

and

Michael Mathiesen,

Appellant.

**JUDGMENT AFFIRMED**

Division III  
Opinion by JUDGE MOULTRIE  
Dunn and Taubman\*, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA0760  
Pueblo County District Court No. 24CV44  
Honorable Tayler Thomas, Judge

Jason Bachman,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v.

Tesla, Inc.,

Defendant-Appellee.

**APPEAL DISMISSED IN PART, JUDGMENT REVERSED,  
AND CASE REMANDED WITH DIRECTIONS**

Division III  
Opinion by JUDGE DUNN  
Moultrie and Taubman\*, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA1528  
Mesa County District Court No. 24JV13  
Honorable JenniLynn E. Lawrence, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,  
Appellee,  
In the Interest of E.Q.B., a Child,  
and Concerning M.T.,  
Appellant.

JUDGMENT AFFIRMED

Division A  
Opinion by JUDGE GRAHAM\*  
Román, C.J., and Taubman\*, J., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA1728  
Industrial Claim Appeals Office of the State of Colorado  
DD No. 9492-2025

Deanna Zimmerman,  
Petitioner,  
v.  
Industrial Claim Appeals Office of the State of Colorado,  
Respondent.

ORDER AFFIRMED

Division VI  
Opinion by JUDGE GROVE  
Yun and Schock, JJ., concur

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Court of Appeals No. 25CA2294  
Mesa County District Court No. 25MH30193  
Honorable Jeremy Chaffin, Judge

The People of the State of Colorado,

Petitioner-Appellee,

In the Interest of Michael Bauer,

Respondent-Appellant.

ORDER AFFIRMED

Division VI  
Opinion by JUDGE SCHOCK  
Grove and Yun, JJ., concur

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## **PETITIONS FOR REHEARING**

Court of Appeals No. 23CA0392

The People of the State of Colorado,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

Wenston Williams,

Defendant-Appellant.

Petition for Rehearing DENIED

**NOT PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO C.A.R. 35(e)**

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\*Sitting by assignment of the Chief Justice under provisions of Colo. Const. art. VI, § 5(3), and § 24-51-1105, C.R.S. 2025.