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June 3, 2013

Gerald L. Bostock

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Dear Mr. Bostock,

It is the intention of this administration to terminate your employment with the Clayton County Juvenile Court. Immediately after receiving this notice, you will be placed on (paid) administrative leave. You are directed to gather your personal belongings and leave the courthouse premises. You are further directed to report to my office at 4:00 p.m. today to respond to this notification. At that time, you will have the opportunity to state your case as to why your employment should not be terminated.

Based on the findings of an Internal Audit conducted in May, 2013 and by information supplied by you regarding the expenditures of the GAL Funds, it is believed that you have violated Clayton County Civil Service Rules 9.206(e)(k):

1. Guilty of conduct unbecoming of an employee of Clayton County.
2. Incompetent, negligent or inefficient performance in the duties of the position held.

The findings of the audit reveals numerous inappropriate expenditures of the GAL funds which have no direct connection to the recruiting, training and retention or supporting of CASA Volunteers. You claim that your use of these funds was for the recruitment of CASA Volunteers, the evidence is to the contrary. It is unreasonable to use the GAL Funds, designated by this Court to be used solely for the recruitment, training and retention of Clayton County Volunteers to sponsor a softball team outside of Clayton County – a team that you play on which serves as a personal benefit to you. Furthermore it is unreasonable to expend these funds for entertainment, meals, and alcoholic beverages for engagements in and around the Midtown Atlanta area (maybe others) which to include your friends.

Sincerely,

John P. Johnson, III
Director of Juvenile Court Services

cc: Judge Steven C. Teske
Colin Slay

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