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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF ACTION - PERSONAL INJURY

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF FAYETTE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CIVIL ACTION - LAW

Brittany R. Silbaugh, Plaintiff, vs. Heather Hollis and Jeremy Scott Ansell, Defendants.

> COURT OF COMMON PLEAS CIVIL DIVISION FAYETTE COUNTY 2423 of 2019 GD

NOTICE TO: Defendant, Heather Hollis

You are hereby notified that you have been sued in court. On November 1, 2019, a Complaint in a Civil Action was filed against you in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pennsylvania, at Docket Number 2423 of 2019 GD, through which the Plaintiff, Brittany R. Silbaugh, is seeking compensation in an amount in excess of the arbitration limits of Fayette County for personal injuries and damages sustained as the result of a motor vehicle collision that occurred on September 19, 2017, on West Main Street near the Nassau Street intersection.

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION

IN RE: ELLIE MCDONALD a/k/a ELLIE ROSE MCDONALD

D.O.B. 8/7/2020

CHILD OF: Randy William McDonald a/k/a Randy McDonald a/k/a Randy W McDonal a/k/a Randy J. McDonald a/k/a Randy W. McDonald a/k/a Randy Mc Donald a/k/a Randy McDonald Jr. a/k/a Randy William Mxdonald

NO: 63-21-1277

Take notice that a Petition for Involuntary Termination of Parental Rights of Father, Randy William McDonald a/k/a Randy McDonald a/k/a Randy W McDonal a/k/a Randy J. McDonald a/k/a Randy W. McDonald a/k/a Randy McDonald a/k/a Randy McDonald a/k/a Randy McDonald Jr. a/k/a Randy William Mxdonald, and Petition to Confirm Consent to Adoption and Terminate Parental Rights of Mother Brittany Michelle Toplisek a/k/a Brittany McDonald a/k/a Brittany M. Toplisek a/k/a Brittany M. McDonald a/k/a Brittany Toplisek, to the minor child, Ellie McDonald a/k/a Ellie Rose McDonald, will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Washington County, Pennsylvania. Any person wishing to assert her parental rights should appear in

Courtroom No. 7 of the Washington County Courthouse, Washington, Pennsylvania, for a hearing as to the same on November 4, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.

You are warned that even if you fail to appear at the scheduled hearing, the hearing will go on without you and your rights to your child may be ended by the Court without your being present.

You have the right to be represented at the hearing by an attorney. You should take this notice to your attorney at once. If you do not have an attorney or cannot afford representation, contact the Southwestern Pennsylvania Legal Aid Society, 10 West Cherry Avenue, Washington, Pennsylvania, 15301, (724) 225-6170, to find out where you can obtain legal help.

Kristy King, Caseworker Washington County Children & Youth Social Service Agency 95 West Beau Street Suite 300 Washington, PA 15301 Telephone: (724) 228-6884

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Monday, November 1, 2021, at 9:30 A.M.

2612-0898 ROBERT LEE EVANS Gabriella A. Locke, Administrator

Notice is also hereby given that all of the foregoing Accounts will be called for Audit on

Monday, November 15, 2021, at 9:30 A.M.

in Courtroom No. 1 of the **Honorable Steve P. Leskinen** or his chambers, 2nd Floor, Courthouse, Uniontown, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, at which time the Court will examine and audit said accounts, hear exceptions to same or fix a time therefore, and make distribution of the balance ascertained to be in the hands of the Accountants.

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Monday, November 1, 2021, at 9:30 A.M.

2619-0539 SARAH KATHERINE BARTUCH Gina G. Barrett, Executrix

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Monday, November 15, 2021, at 9:30 A.M.

in Courtroom No. 5 of the **Honorable Joseph M. George, Jr.** or his chambers, 3rd Floor, Courthouse, Uniontown, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, at which time the Court will examine and audit said accounts, hear exceptions to same or fix a time therefore, and make distribution of the balance ascertained to be in the hands of the Accountants.

JEFFREY L. REDMAN Register of Wills and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Orphans' Court Division (2 of 2)

JUDICIAL OPINION

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF FAYETTE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CIVIL DIVISION

PETER VLOSICH and RACHEL

VLOSICH, husband and wife, PLAINTIFFS,

EDESON REALTY, LLC.,

A Pennsylvania Limited Liability

Company,

No. 1840 of 2020 G.D.

DEFENDANT. : Honorable President Judge John F. Wagner, Jr.

OPINION AND ORDER

Wagner, P.J. September 7, 2021

Before the Court are the Preliminary Objections to Plaintiffs' complaint, filed by the Defendant, Edeson Realty, LLC, a Pennsylvania Limited Liability Company.

BACKGROUND

The Plaintiffs reside at 270 Edison Street, Uniontown, North Union Township, Fayette County. The Defendant purchased two parcels of real estate, 266 and 268 Edison Street, totaling more than twelve acres, adjacent to the Plaintiffs' property. In 2020, the Defendant began constructing commercial storage units on the two parcels. The Defendants altered the landscape of the property by removing earth, construction driveways and roadways across the parcels, and laying drainage pipes. The elevation of the property was altered. The Plaintiffs allege that these alterations have caused excessive storm water and runoff to flow onto Plaintiffs' property causing damage to their property and impairing their use of it. Plaintiffs' assert that on July 10, 2020 due to the surface water runoff onto their property, a portion of their basement wall collapsed causing significant damage to their residence. The Plaintiffs informed the Defendant of the damage caused by their alterations on the two parcels but the Defendant took no action to control the surface water runoff.

On March 1, 2021, the Plaintiffs filed the instant action asserting a negligence count, a trespass count, and a private nuisance count. Defendant filed Preliminary Objections Pursuant to Pa. R.C.P. 1028(a)(4)-Demurrer.

DISCUSSION

The Defendant raises three issues in their Preliminary Objections. First, the Defendant argues that the Plaintiffs are not entitled to reimbursement for legal fees and interest in their prayer for relief. Second, the Defendant requests that the claim for injunctive relief be stricken. Third, the Defendant asserts that the count for Private Nuisance should be stricken.

Preliminary objections in the nature of a demurrer test the legal sufficiency of a plaintiffs complaint. Feingold v. Hendrzak, 15 A.3d 937, 941 (Pa. Super. 2011). The standard to be used by the court in ruling on a preliminary objection in the form of a demurrer is whether the complaint indicated on its face that the claim being made cannot be legally sustained. Id. Before a demurrer can be sustained, the court must determine that upon the facts averred in the complaint, it is certain that the law will not permit the recovery being sought. Kyle v. McNamara & Criste, 487 A.2d 814 (Pa. 1985). In examining the complaint, the court must accept as true all well-pleaded, relevant and material facts as well as all inferences fairly deductible from those facts, Fiedler v. Spencer, 231 A.3d 831 (Pa. Super. 2020).

Defendant's first Preliminary Objection is that the Plaintiffs are not entitled to claim legal fees. Under Pennsylvania law, a party can recover its attorney fees where there is an express statutory authority or clear agreement to that effect between the parties. Merlino v. Delaware County, 728 A.2d 949 (Pa. 1999), The circumstances of the case clearly indicate that there was no contractual relationship between the parties. The Plaintiffs fail to state any statutory authority that would permit them to recover their attorney fees or the costs of litigation. Therefore, the Defendant's first preliminary objection is sustained.

The Defendant's second Preliminary Objection asserts that the request for a permanent injunction should be stricken. In order to obtain a permanent injunction, the plaintiffs must prove that their right to relief is clear, that the injunction is necessary to avoid an injury that cannot be compensated by damages, and a greater injury will result if the court doesn't grant it than if it does. Big Bass Community Assoc'n, 959 A.2d 1137 (Pa. Commw. 1999). Plaintiffs have alleged sufficient evident that the Defendant has caused a substantial invasion of their interest in the private use of their property that they may be able to sustain their claim, therefore Defendant's second preliminary objection is overruled.

Defendant's third and final Preliminary Objection asserts that the Private Nuisance count should be stricken as a private nuisance is a nontrespassory action. One is subject to liability for a private nuisance if, but only if, his conduct is a legal cause of an invasion of another's interest in the private use and enjoyment of land, and the invasion is either intentional and unreasonable or unintentional and otherwise actionable under the rules controlling liability for negligent or reckless conduct, or for abnormally dangerous conditions or activities. Restatement Second of Torts§ 822. Private nuisance is solely a matter of tort liability. The interest in the private use and enjoyment of land may be invaded by more than one type of conduct. Id. Pennsylvania courts have recognized that a neighbor who diverted surface water from its natural course caused a private nuisance. Youst v. Kecks Food Service, Inc, 94 A.3d 1057 (Pa. Super. 2014). The Plaintiffs have alleged that the Defendant in altering the terrain of their property that the surface water runoff has caused significant damage to the basement of their residence. Plaintiffs have sufficiently alleged enough evidence that they may be able to sustain their claim. Therefore, the Defendant's third preliminary objection is overruled.

ORDER

AND NOW, this 7th day of September 2021, after consideration of the three Preliminary Objections filed by the Defendant, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that Defendant's Preliminary Objection to strike plaintiffs' requests for legal fees and costs is hereby SUSTAINED, the Preliminary Objections regarding the permanent injunction count and the private nuisance count are hereby OVERRULED.

BY THE COURT: WAGNER, P.J.

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