

**IN THE ATHENS COUNTY MUNICIPAL COURT  
ATHENS, OHIO**

STATE OF OHIO/CITY OF ATHENS,	)	Case No. _____
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
Vs.	)	<u>AFFIDAVIT AND MOTION FOR</u>
	)	<u>SEALING RECORD OF <b>DISMISSAL</b></u>
_____	)	<u>PURSUANT TO R.C. 2953.51-61</u>
	)	
Defendant/Petitioner.	)	

Now comes the Petitioner in the foregoing action and respectfully moves the court for an ORDER to seal all records of this matter pursuant to section 2953.51 – 2953.61 of the Ohio Revised Code. The grounds for this motion are as follows:

1. On or about \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, the of the charge of \_\_\_\_\_ was dismissed.
2. Petitioner states that the sealing of the record of this charge would be consistent with the public interest in that Petitioner has been a law abiding citizen.
3. Petitioner’s Social Security Number is \_\_\_\_\_, and date of birth is \_\_\_\_\_.

**WHEREFORE**, Petitioner respectfully requests the court to order that all records pertaining to these matters be sealed, all fingerprints and photographs of the petitioner obtained as the result of the case be destroyed, all index references to the case be deleted, and the proceedings in the case be deemed to have not occurred.

Respectfully submitted,

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Name:

Address:

Sworn before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

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Clerk/Deputy Clerk/Notary