

BOISE, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2025, AT 10:30 A.M.

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Docket No. 51475

SHANE ROY NEEDHAM)
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 Petitioner-Appellant,)
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 v.)
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 JANET LEA NEEDHAM,)
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 Respondent.)
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Appeal from the District Court of the Second Judicial District, State of Idaho, Latah County. Hon. John C. Judge, District Judge. Hon. Megan R. Marshall, Magistrate.

Arkoosh Law Offices; Rachelle Smith, Boise, for appellant.

Ludwig, Shoufler, Miller, Johnson, LLP; Jordan S. Ipsen, Boise, for respondent.

Shane Roy Needham and Janet Lea Needham divorced in September 2021. In March 2022, Janet filed a motion for order of contempt. Following the contempt trial, the magistrate court found Shane guilty of three counts of contempt and awarded Janet costs and attorney fees as the prevailing party. Shane appealed the magistrate court’s findings to the district court. On intermediate appeal, the district court reversed in part and affirmed in part. Specifically, the district court reversed the magistrate court’s finding of guilt as to the first count of contempt and vacated the related award of costs and attorney fees. However, the district court affirmed the magistrate court’s findings of guilt on the second and third contempt counts and the award of those related costs and attorney fees. Shane again appeals.