IN THE COURT OF APPEALS ELEVENTH APPELLATE DISTRICT

GEAUGA COUNTY, OHIO

STATE OF OHIO, : MEMORANDUM OPINION

Plaintiff-Appellee, :

CASE NO. 2018-G-0174

- VS - :

ALEXIS JAVIER ZAYAS BORRERO, :

Defendant-Appellant. :

Criminal Appeal from the Chardon Municipal Court, Case No. 2018 CRB 00630.

Judgment: Appeal dismissed.

James M. Gillette, City of Chardon Police Prosecutor, PNC Bank Building, 117 South Street, Suite 208, Chardon, OH 44024 (For Plaintiff-Appellee).

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TIMOTHY P. CANNON, J.

- {¶1} Appellant, Alexis Javier Zayas Borrero, appeals a probation condition ordered following a conviction for Discharge of a Firearm (R.C. 2923.162(A)(2)) by the Geauga County Court of Common Pleas prohibiting him from consuming alcohol; using, consuming, or possessing drugs; or entering a bar, subject to testing at appellant's expense. We decline to address the merits.
- {¶2} The sole issue on appeal relates to what appellant claims are improper conditions of probation placed on appellant. On March 13, 2019, appellant, by and

through counsel, filed a "NOTICE THAT APPELLANT'S PROBATION IS TERMINATED."

In the notice, appellant stated that "[t]he issue for review on appeal concerns a condition

of probation and, therefore, is most as to Appellant. Despite mootness as to Appellant,

the issue is capable of repeating and evading review."

{¶3} On April 9, 2019, appellee, the state of Ohio, filed a motion for leave to file

brief instanter and a motion to supplement the record with a certified copy of the trial

court's order terminating appellant's probation.

{¶4} The court holds that while it is possible this issue may be repeated, it will

not necessarily evade review. The facts of appellant's underlying offense are unique to

his case and will not necessarily be relevant in any subsequent case. Any ruling on the

issue would be purely advisory given that there is no relief we are able to provide to

appellant. Therefore, we decline to address the merits of the appeal.

{¶5} Appellant's appeal is hereby dismissed as moot.

CYNTHIA WESTCOTT RICE, J.,

MATT LYNCH, J.,

concur.

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