## Court of Appeals of Ohio

## EIGHTH APPELLATE DISTRICT COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA

JOURNAL ENTRY AND OPINION No. 100882

### STATE EX REL., JOHNATHAN FAGAN

**RELATOR** 

VS.

#### JUDGE SHIRLEY STRICKLAND SAFFOLD

**RESPONDENT** 

# **JUDGMENT:** WRIT DENIED

Writ of Mandamus Motion No. 471929 Order No. 472676

**RELEASE DATE:** March 14, 2014

#### FOR RELATOR

Johnathan Fagan, pro se Inmate No. 602-079 Lake Erie Correctional Institution P.O. Box 8000 Conneaut, Ohio 44030-8000

#### ATTORNEYS FOR RESPONDENT

Timothy J. McGinty Cuyahoga County Prosecutor By: James E. Moss Assistant County Prosecutor 8th Floor Justice Center 1200 Ontario Street Cleveland, Ohio 44113 MARY EILEEN KILBANE, J.:

{¶1} On January 14, 2014, the relator, Johnathan Fagan, commenced this

mandamus action against the respondent, Judge Shirley Strickland Saffold, to compel the

judge to resolve the issue of jail-time credit, in the underlying case, State v. Fagan,

Cuyahoga C.P. No. CR-546219. On January 31, 2014, the respondent moved for

summary judgment on the grounds of mootness. Attached to the dispositive motion was

a certified copy of a signed and file-stamped January 22, 2014 journal entry granting 117

days of jail-time credit in the underlying case. Fagan did not timely file a response to

the motion for summary judgment. This establishes that the relator has received his

requested relief and that the action is, therefore, moot. State ex rel. Corder v. Wilson, 68

Ohio App.3d 567, 589 N.E.2d 113 (10th Dist.1991).

**¶2**} Accordingly, the court grants the respondent's motion for summary

judgment and denies the application for a writ of mandamus. Costs assessed against

respondent; costs waived. The clerk is directed to serve upon the parties notice of this

judgment and its date of entry upon the journal. Civ.R. 58(B).

**{¶3}** Writ denied.

MARY EILEEN KILBANE, JUDGE