

	Civil Stalking Protection Order	Domestic Violence Protection Order	Sexually Oriented Offense Stalking Protection Order	Temporary Protection Order	No Contact Order
Who May Request this Order?	Anyone stalked/harassed by another (<i>not family or household members</i>) and in fear for their safety.	Anyone stalked or harassed by a spouse/ parent/ child or family member that lived with you in the past 5 yrs	Any victim of a sexually oriented offense per RC 2950.01	Victims of <u>certain</u> criminal offenses that are filed in a court of law	Victims of criminal offenses which are pending or resolved in a court of law
How is the Order requested?	Petition is filed at the Lorain County Civil Clerk of Court M-F; 8a-4p	Petition is filed at the Lorain County Domestic Relations Clerk of Court M-F, 8a-4p	Petition is filed at the Lorain County Civil Clerk of Court M-F; 8a-4p	Victim and/or Prosecutor may request this Order at the Defendant's first court appearance	Victim and/or Prosecutor may request this Order during the pendency of the criminal case or at its completion
How long does the Order last?	Ex parte (<i>Only Petitioner present</i>): Effective until the full hearing results. Full Order: Effective up to 5 years	Ex parte (<i>Only Petitioner present</i>): Effective until the full hearing results. Full Order: Effective up to 5 years	Ex parte (<i>Only Petitioner present</i>): Effective until the full hearing results. Full Order: Effective up to 5 years	Effective for the duration of the criminal case	Effective for the period of time ordered by the Judge in the criminal case
How is Notice of the Order Served on the Respondent/Defendant?	Lorain County Sheriff 's Office	Lorain County Sheriff's Office	Lorain County Sheriff's Office	Defendant notified in court by Judge	Defendant notified in court by Judge
Is the Order enforceable by Law Enforcement?	Yes. Order entered into LEADS	Yes. Order entered into LEADS	Yes. Order entered into LEADS	Yes. Order entered into LEADS	Yes. Order entered into LEADS

Lorain County Clerk of Court (Civil): **(440) 329-5000**

Lorain County Prosecutor's Office Victim Advocates: **(440) 329-5373**

City of Lorain Prosecutor's Office Victim Advocates: **(440) 204-2230**

Lorain County Sheriff's Office: **(440) 329-3709**

Lorain County Safe Harbor/Genesis House: **(440) 244-1853**

Victim Information and Notification Everyday (VINE): **(800) 770-0192**; www.vinelink.com
(Notifies victim when a defendant has been released from jail)