

BOISE, WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2026, AT 11:15 A.M.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

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| GARTH GAYLORD, |) | |
| |) | Docket No. 52772 |
| Plaintiff-Respondent, |) | |
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| v. |) | |
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| MATT CLIFFORD, BROOKE MCMAHON, |) | |
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| Defendants-Appellants. |) | |

Appeal from the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, State of Idaho, Ada County.
Jonathan Medema, District Judge.

Jan M. Bennetts, Ada County Prosecuting Attorney, Boise, for Appellants.

Garth Gaylord, Respondent *pro se*.

This is an appeal from a district court order granting a petition under the Idaho Public Records Act (IPRA) to compel disclosure of a body-worn camera recording. The recording captures the fatal shooting of Ada County Sheriff’s Deputy Tobin Bolter during a traffic stop and the response by citizens, deputies, and emergency personnel in the minutes afterward. The Ada County Sheriff’s Office (ACSO) denied Garth Gaylord’s public records request. The district court ordered ACSO to release the video but stayed that order pending the outcome of this appeal.

On appeal, the ACSO contends that the video requested by Gaylord does not qualify as a public record. Alternatively, even if the Court finds it is a public record, the ACSO asserts it should be exempt from disclosure because it contains medical information and releasing it would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.