

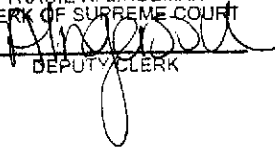
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ZACHARY BARKER COUGHLIN,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 63978

**FILED**

**FEB 13 2014**

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*ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE*


This is a proper person appeal from an order denying a petition for a writ of mandamus.<sup>1</sup> Second Judicial District Court, Washoe County; Lidia Stiglich, Judge.


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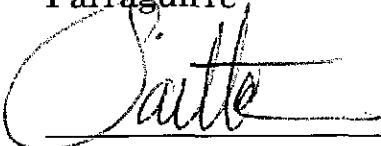
<sup>1</sup>This appeal has been submitted for decision without oral argument, NRAP 34(f)(3), and we conclude that the record is sufficient for our review and briefing is unwarranted. *See Lockett v. Warden*, 91 Nev. 681, 682, 541 P.2d 910, 911 (1975).

Appellant filed a document labeled "petition for extraordinary writ," however, the petition did not identify which writ was sought. Consistent with the relief requested and because the denial of a petition for a writ of mandamus is an appealable decision, we construe appellant's petition to be a petition for a writ of mandamus. *See* NRS 34.160. We note that the district court granted appellant's request to waive the e-flex filing fees and at the hearing determined that appellant had received previously requested transcripts.

Based upon our review of the record on appeal, we conclude that the district court did not abuse its discretion in denying appellant's July 31, 2013, petition. See NRS 34.160; NRS 34.170. Accordingly, we ORDER the judgment of the district court AFFIRMED.<sup>2</sup>

  
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cc: Hon. Lidia Stiglich, District Judge  
Zachary Barker Coughlin  
Attorney General/Carson City  
Washoe County District Attorney  
Washoe District Court Clerk

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<sup>2</sup>We have reviewed all documents that appellant has submitted in proper person to the clerk of this court in this matter, and we conclude that no relief based upon those submissions is warranted. To the extent that appellant has attempted to present claims or facts in those submissions which were not previously presented in the proceedings below, we have declined to consider them in the first instance.