

DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL OF FLORIDA  
SECOND DISTRICT

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In the Interest of A.E., a child.

T.E.,

Appellant,

v.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN and FAMILIES and  
GUARDIAN AD LITEM PROGRAM,

Appellees.

No. 2D20-3608

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November 19, 2021

Appeal from the Circuit Court for Manatee County; Susan  
Maulucci, Judge.

David Maldonado of The Maldonado Law Firm, P.A., Lakeland, for  
Appellant.

Meredith K. Hall, Children's Legal Services, Bradenton, for Appellee  
Department of Children and Families.

Thomasina F. Moore, Sara Elizabeth Goldfarb, and Stephanie E.  
Novenario, Statewide Guardian ad Litem Office, Tallahassee, for  
Appellee Guardian ad Litem Program.

PER CURIAM.

Affirmed.

BLACK, STARGEL, and LABRIT, JJ., Concur.

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