

IN THE SUPREME COURT
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

2023 ND 72

In the Interest of J.S., minor child

Ethan Hinze, L.B.S.W.,

Petitioner and Appellee

v.

J.S., Jr., child,

Respondent

and

K.V., mother; J.S., father,

Respondents and Appellants

No. 20230062

Appeal from the Juvenile Court of Cass County, East Central Judicial District,
the Honorable Nicholas W. Chase, Judge.

AFFIRMED.

Per Curiam.

Rebecca R. Jund, Assistant State's Attorney, Fargo, N.D., for petitioner and
appellee; submitted on brief.

Elizabeth J. Sundby, Fargo, N.D., for respondent and appellant K.V., mother;
submitted on brief.

Kylie M. Oversen, Fargo, N.D., for respondent and appellant J.S., father;
submitted on brief.

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[¶1] J.S., Sr., and K.V. appeal from a juvenile court order affirming a judicial referee’s findings of fact and order terminating their parental rights over their child, J.S., Jr. They argue that the juvenile court abused its discretion, and J.S., Sr., argues the trial court erred in finding the child was “in need of protection” and that the causes thereof were likely to continue. We affirm under N.D.R.App.P. 35.1(a)(2) and (4).

[¶2] Jon J. Jensen, C.J.
Daniel J. Crothers
Lisa Fair McEvers
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Douglas A. Bahr