

**IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF OHIO  
ELEVENTH APPELLATE DISTRICT  
LAKE COUNTY**

CITY OF MENTOR,

Appellee,

- vs -

BLUELINE SERVICES, LLC,

Appellant.

**CASE NO. 2024-L-042**

Criminal Appeal from the  
Mentor Municipal Court

Trial Court No. N/A

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**MEMORANDUM**  
**OPINION**

Decided: August 5, 2024  
Judgment: Appeal Dismissed

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EUGENE A. LUCCI, P.J.

{¶1} On June 17, 2024, appellant, Blueline Services, LLC, through counsel, filed a notice of appeal from a May 15, 2024 entry.

{¶2} App.R. 3(A) expressly states that the only jurisdictional requirement for filing a valid appeal is to file it within the time allowed by App.R. 4. The Supreme Court has held that the failure to comply with the time requirements of App.R. 4(A) is a jurisdictional defect, which is fatal to an appeal. *In re H.F.*, 2008-Ohio-6810, ¶ 17, citing *State ex rel. Pendell v. Adams Cty. Bd. of Elections*, 40 Ohio St.3d 58, 60 (1988).

{¶3} Here, a timely appeal from the May 15, 2024 entry was due no later than June 14, 2024, which was not a court holiday or weekend. Thus, the appeal was untimely filed by three days.

{¶4} Appellant has not complied with the thirty-day rule set forth in App.R. 4(A)(1). Therefore, this court is without jurisdiction to consider its appeal.

{¶5} This appeal is hereby dismissed, sua sponte, as untimely.

MARY JANE TRAPP, J.,

JOHN J. EKLUND, J.,

concur.