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## IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF MERCER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ARGUMENT COURT - MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2026

Briefs are due in accordance with Mercer County Local Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule L208.3(b)

### Courtroom #1-T. Nesbit

9:00 AM            2024-2823 & 2024-3349            **TERENCE A. WHALEN , SHENANGO VALLEY HOMES VS. JESSICA SZUGYE & ASHLEY STABLEIN**  
*R. Mergl; J. Brown*  
Preliminary Objections

10:00 AM            2026-315            **AMANDA DANUS & DEANTE PHILLIPS VS. TERENCE WHALEN, SHENANGO VALLEY HOMES**  
*J. Miller; R. Mergl*  
Preliminary Objections

11:00 AM            2025-2706            **PATRICIA PORCELLO VS. BOB & CAROLYN MILD**  
*A. Papa; P. Sbrolla; S. Loughran; W. Moder*  
Preliminary Objections

### Courtroom #2 - R. Amrhein

9:00 AM            2026-297            **SARAH HARRISON VS. FARRELL AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
*Pro se Plaintiff; J. Cavrich; N. Mallery*  
Motion for Judgment

### Courtroom #4 - N. McEwen

9:00 AM            2026-955            **US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION VS. RIAN R. ECKLEY**  
*J. Strand; R. Klingensmith*  
Preliminary Objections

### NOTICE TO MERCER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION FAMILY LAW DIVISION

#### PARENTING COORDINATION PROGRAM

Pursuant to Pa.R.C.P. No. 1915.11-3, on April 30, 2026, the Mercer County Courts filed the necessary certification with the Pennsylvania Supreme Court's Domestic Relations Procedural Rules Committee to establish a Parenting Coordination Program in Mercer County.

A detailed explanation of the Parenting Coordinator Program can be found in Pa.R.C.P. No. 1915.11-1 through Pa.R.C.P. No. 1915.11-3.

The purpose of this Notice is to advise the Mercer County Courts are seeking attorneys for the parenting coordinator position. An attorney interested in becoming a parenting coordinator must comply with the qualifications set forth in Pa.R.C.P. No. 1915.11-1(c). The parenting coordinator position is also available to qualified mental health professionals with a master's degree or above.

Any qualified attorney or mental health professional interested in becoming a parenting coordinator should contact the Mercer County Court Administrator.

MCLJ – May 5, 12, 19, 2026

**ESTATE NOTICES**

Notice is hereby given that in the estates of the decedents set forth below the Register of Wills has granted letters, testamentary or of administration, to the persons named. All persons having claims or demands against said estates are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to said estates are requested to make payment without delay to the executors or their attorneys named below

**FIRST PUBLICATION**

**DIXON ARTHUR REED, JR., A/K/A DIXON, ARTHUR R., JR. 2026-324**

Late of Coolspring Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Jessica E. Dixon, 3019 Mercer Rd., New Castle, PA 16105  
Attorney: Timothy R. Bonner, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**GABLE, IRVIN P. 2026-275**

Late of Jackson Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix Colleen McKinney, 308 Cosette Dr., Cranberry Twp., PA 16066  
Attorney: John A. Daller, 312 N. Jefferson St., New Castle, PA 16101  
MCLJ – May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**JUNK, BETTY K., A/K/A JUNK, BETTY KAYE, A/K/A JUNK, BETTY 2026-325**

Late of Hempfield Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executor : Darryl L. Junk, 280 Donation Road, Greenville, PA 16125  
Attorney: Douglas M. Watson, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**LLOYD, DAVID 2026-326**

Late of Greenville Borough, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Deborah A. Lloyd Betschart, 8 Chinkapin Circle, Homosassa, FL 34446  
Attorney: Shawn B. Olson, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**MCCARTNEY, RONALD RALPH, A/K/A MCCARTNEY, RONALD R. 2026-329**

Late of West Salem Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Wendy Ann McCartney a/k/a Wendy McCartney, 28 Kilbourne Rd., Greenville, PA 16125  
Attorney: Jason R. Dibble, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**ROBERTS, PATRICIA ANN, A/K/A ROBERTS, PATRICIA A. 2026-320**

Late of Fredonia Borough, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Karen L. Wilson, Esq., 4309 Clearview Drive, Canfield, OH 44406  
Attorney: Raymond H. Bogaty, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**SEWECKE, GEORGE J. 2026-318**

Late of South Pymatuning Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Jeffrey J. Sewecke, 127 Sebago Lake Dr., Sewickley, PA 15143  
Attorney: Charles S. Hersh, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**SECOND PUBLICATION**

**ALBERTH, MARY L., A/K/A ALBERTH, MARY LOUISE, A/K/A ALBERTH, MARY 2026-317**

Late of Pine Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Kathy L. Gilliland, 5 Kochoer Rd., Grove City, PA 16127  
Attorney: Amy E. Molloy, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

**BEICHNER, STEPHEN MERLE, A/K/A BEICHNER, STEPHEN M., A/K/A BEICHNER, STEPHEN 2026-295**

Late of Greenville Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Michelle Clemente, A/K/A Michelle Beichner, 15 Linger Road, Greenville, PA 16125  
Attorney: Ted Isoldi, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

**BELL, EMMA J., A/K/A BELL, EMMA JANE 2026-298**

Late of Pine Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Rhonda J. Bell, 306 North St., Grove City, PA 16127  
Attorney: Ryan K. Bonner, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

**CONSTANTINE, DOROTHY W 2026-299**

Late of Pine Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Francis A/K/A Frank K. Constantine, A/K/A Kevin Constantine, 412 Maple Street, Grove City, PA 16127  
Attorney: James A. Stranahan IV., Esq.  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

**COOK, RANDALL LEE, A/K/A COOK, RANDALL 2026-86**

Late of Greenville Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor/Executrix: James Kelso Jones & Jill Kimmy Jones, P O Box 166, 35 Linn Tyro Rd., Greenville, PA 16125  
Attorney: David A. Bauer, Esq., 2276 Honey Bee Lane, New Castle, PA 16105  
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**DRAKE, WILLIAM H., A/K/A DRAKE, WILLIAM, A/K/A DRAKE, WILLIAM HOWARD 2026-307**

Late of West Salem Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Brenda K. Liszka, 441 Hamburg Rd., Greenville, PA 16125  
Attorney: Carolyn E. Hartle, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

**GRIFFITH, SHIRLEY J. 2026-310**

Late of Sharon, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Stacy Bika, 1770 Pine Hollow Blvd, Lot 12, Hermitage, PA 16148  
Attorney: Jennifer K. Muir, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

**GROMOFSKY, THOMAS J. 2026-303**

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Laura May Gromofsky, 379 Maple Drive, Hermitage, PA 16148  
Attorney: Wade M. Fisher, Esq.  
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**HAINES, FREDERICK R. SR. 2026-249**

Late of Sharpsville, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Michael Frederick Haines, 121 Crestwood Drive, Sarver, PA 16055  
Attorney: Michael S. Butler, Esq., 318 S. Main Street, Butler, PA 16001  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

**HITES, KYLE EDWARD 2026-259**

Late of Mercer Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Lisa Hites, 548 West Butler Street, Mercer, PA 16137  
Attorney: Bernard M. Tully, Esq., 3201 Grant Building, 310 Grant Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15219  
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**LISZKA, DONALD L. 2026-248**

Late of West Salem Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Lynn A. Kalkbrenner, 38068 Mystic Park Rd., Centerville, PA 16404  
Attorney: Michael S. Butler, 318 S. Main St., Butler, PA 16001  
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**MANSEL, DAVID A 2026-302**

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Nicole M. Serafin, 268 S. Maysville Road, Transfer, PA 16154  
Attorney: William J. Moder III, Esq.  
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**MITCHELTREE, RONALD A. 2026-305**

Late of Sharpsville, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Melissa Renee Mitcheltree Boatwright, 706 Poor Farm Rd., Effingham, SC 29541  
Attorney: Charles S. Hersh, Esq.  
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**PETERSON, MARGARET M. 2026-232**

Late of Sandy Lake Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Todd A. Peterson, 80 Valley View Road, Sandy Lake, PA 16145  
Attorney: Christopher D. Ferry, Esq., 916 Diamond Park, Meadville, PA 16335  
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**POOLE, ROBERT A. JR., A/K/A POOLE, ROBERT ARDEN JR. 2026-242**

Late of Lake Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Darice L. Poole, 347 Poole Road, Mercer, PA 16137  
Attorney: Ronald W. Coyer, Esq., 631 Kelly Blvd., P.O. Box 67, Slippery Rock, PA 16057  
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**ROSS, RALPH, A/K/A ROSS, RALPH JR. 2026-314**

Late of West Salem Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Mary A. Roch, 2743 Valley View Rd., Sharpsville, PA 16150  
Attorney: William G. McConnell, Jr., Esq.  
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**SLOVAN, JOHN JOSEPH, A/K/A SLOVAN, JOHN J., A/K/A SLOVAN, JOHN 2026-301**

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: James F. Faylo, 2092 Lori Lane, Hermitage, PA 16148

Attorney: Victor S. Heutsche, Esq.  
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**STONE, WILLIAM E.**

**2026-312**

Late of Pine Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Bradley K. Stone, 1289 Barkeyville Rd., Grove City, PA 16127

Attorney: Jack W. Cline, Esq.  
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**SUMMERVILLE, GREGORY P., A/K/A SUMMERVILLE, GREGORY PAUL, A/K/A SUMMERVILLE, GREGORY**

**2026-294**

Late of Findley Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Kathleen A. Summerville, 1643 Mercer Grove City Road, Mercer, PA 16137

Attorney: Amy E Molloy, Esq.  
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**WEBER, BERNICE P.**

**2024-823**

Late of Grove City Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Administrator: Harrison C. Weber, Jr., 619 Forest Drive, Grove City, PA 16127

Attorney: David J. Hopkins, Esq., 100 Meadow Lane, Ste 5, Dubois, PA 15801  
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**WILSON, MARY, A/K/A WILSON, MARY MYRTLE**

**2026-308**

Late of Worth Township, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Charles R. Wilson, 1243 Millbrook Rd., Jackson Center, PA 16133  
Attorney: James A. Stranahan IV, Esq.  
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**THIRD PUBLICATION**

**MORNINGSTAR, MARY C.**

**2026-202**

Late of Delaware Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Dane J. Morningstar, 316 McDowell Road, Transfer, PA 16154

Attorney: Joseph J. Nash, Esq., P.O. Box 673, Slippery Rock, PA 16057  
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**ADAIR, HELEN K., A/K/A ADAIR, HELEN KATHERINE**

**2026-278**

Late of Columbia, S.C. (non resident)  
Executor/Executrix: Dale Adair, 336 Garvey Circle, Columbia SC 29203 & Deborah Roberson, 484 S. Oakland Ave., Sharon, PA 16146K.

Attorney: Jennifer Muir, Esq.  
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**BARLETT, VERNE E., A/K/A BARLETT, VERNE**

**2026-291**

Late of Greenville Boro., Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Gregory A. Barlett, 2910 Nancy Circle, Brunswick, OH 44212

Attorney: James M. Goodwin, Esq.  
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**HAAG, VERNIE ALBERTA, A/K/A HAAG, VERNIE A**

**2026-289**

Late of Sharon, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Kacey Leona Scott, 670 Dutch Lane, Hermitage, PA 16148

Attorney: Victor S. Heutsche, Esq.  
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**KURTANICH, JOSEPH ALEX, A/K/A KURTANICH, JOSEPH A.**

**2026-277**

Late of Sharon, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Janet K. Kurtanich, 1059 Pearl St., Sharon, PA 16146

Attorney: William J. Madden, Esq.  
MCLJ – May 5, 12, 19, 2026

**LACKEY, WILLIAM IRA, A/K/A LACKEY, WILLIAM I**

**2026-274**

Late of Hadley, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Dorothy M. Lackey, 79 Reseigh Road, Hadley, PA 16130

Attorney: James E. Douglas, Esq.  
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**LASKEY, STEVEN M.**

**2026-269**

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Jay C. Laskey, 3733 Cornell Dr., Hermitage, PA 16148

Attorney: Joseph P. Sebestyen, Jr., Esq.  
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**LITTLE, VIRGINIA I., A/K/A LITTLE, VIRGINIA**

**2026-281**

Late of West Salem Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Bonnie Parsell, 551 Roma Ave., Prescott, AZ 86301

Attorney: Douglas M. Watson, Esq.  
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**MORNINGSTAR, MARY C.**

**2026-202**

Late of Delaware Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Dane J. Morningstar, 316 McDowell Road, Transfer, PA 16154

Attorney: Joseph J. Nash, Esq., P.O. Box 673, Slippery Rock, PA 16057

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**MYERS, CHARLES E. IV**

**2026-181**

Late of Sharon, Mercer Co., PA  
Administrator: Anthony Bartolomucci, 125 S. 9th St., Sharpsville, PA 16150

Attorney: Kenneth McCann, Esq.  
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**OSBORNE, JERRY L., A/K/A OSBORNE, JERRY LEE, A/K/A OSBORNE, JERRY**

**2026-276**

Late of West Salem Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executor/Executrix: Gary L. Osborne 218 S. Neshannock Road Hermitage, PA 16148 & Kimberly J. Nottingham 349 Coal Hill Road Greenville, PA 16125

Attorney: Douglas M. Watson, Esq.  
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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**IN RE: ESTATE OF COSMO POMPONIO**

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Common Pleas of Mercer County, Pennsylvania, Orphans' Court Division, has entered a Decree Nisi in the matter of the **Estate of Cosmo Pomponio**, Deceased, No. 2026-00180, adjudging that title to the real property located at 121 Columbia Avenue, Greenville, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, 16125, UPI No. 55 521 077, is vested in the Estate of Cosmo Pomponio, subject to confirmation.

All persons claiming any right, title, or interest in said property, including heirs, devisees, or persons claiming through Teresa Pomponio and/or Josephine Pomponio, both deceased, are hereby notified to file written exceptions to said Decree Nisi within three (3) months from the first publication of this Notice, or the Decree will be confirmed absolutely.

Jason R. Dibble, Esquire  
WALLACE & DIBBLE, LLC  
47 Clinton Street  
Greenville, PA 16125  
MCLJ - May 5, 12, 19, 2026

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION**

Notice is hereby given that **Modern Trend Farm, G.P., LLC**, a Pennsylvania Limited Liability Company with its registered address at 159 Bartholomew Road, PO Box 352, Mercer PA 16137, has been authorized by its Members to voluntarily dissolve and is now engaged in winding up and settling the affairs of the Company so that its corporate existence will end pursuant to the Pennsylvania Uniform Limited Liability Company Act of 2016, as amended. Any persons having claims against the Company shall forward a claim in writing to the Company at the above referenced address. The claim shall set forth the claimant, the claimed amount and all other pertinent information to allow the Company to verify the validity of the claim. Any claim against the Company is barred unless an action to enforce the claim is commenced within two (2) years after the publication of this Notice.

Ronald W. Coyer, Esquire  
S.R. LAW, LLC  
631 Kelly Blvd.  
P.O. Box 67  
Slippery Rock, PA 16057  
MCLJ - May 5, 12, 19, 2026

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that **THE CONSTRUCTIVE MAKERSPACE**, a nonprofit corporation, has been incorporated under the Nonprofit Corporation Law of 1988, located in Grove City, Mercer County, Pennsylvania.

Daniel Armour - Founding Director  
TheConstructive.org  
724-967-4420  
MCLJ - May 19, 2026

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION/TERMINATION**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that **Craig's Lawn Care, LLC**, with its registered address at 1513 Harrisville Road, Jackson Center, Mercer County, Pennsylvania 16133, a Pennsylvania Limited Liability Company has been authorized by its Members to dissolve and terminate voluntarily and is now engaged in winding up and settling the affairs of the Company so that its corporate existence will end pursuant to the Pennsylvania Uniform Limited Liability Company Act of 2016, as amended. Any persons having claims against the Company shall forward any claim, in writing to the Company at the above referenced address. The claim shall set forth the claimant, claimed amount and all other pertinent information to allow the Company to verify the validity of the claim. Any claim against the Company is barred unless an action to enforce the claim is commenced within two (2) years after the publication of this Notice.

Craig Palutro  
1513 Harrisville Road  
Jackson Center, PA 16133  
MCLJ - May 5, 12, 19, 2026

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**IN RE: ESTATE OF COSMO POMPONIO**

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Common Pleas of Mercer County, Pennsylvania, Orphans' Court Division, has entered a Decree Nisi in the matter of the **Estate of Cosmo Pomponio**, Deceased, No. 2026-00180, adjudging that title to the real property located at **121 Columbia Avenue, Greenville, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, 16125**, UPI No. 55 521 077, is vested in the

Estate of Cosmo Pomponio, subject to confirmation.

All persons claiming any right, title, or interest in said property, including heirs, devisees, or persons claiming through **Teresa Pomponio** and/or **Josephine Pomponio**, both deceased, are hereby notified to file written exceptions to said Decree Nisi within three (3) months from the first publication of this Notice, or the Decree will be confirmed absolutely.

Jason R. Dibble, Esquire  
WALLACE & DIBBLE, LLC  
47 Clinton Street  
Greenville, PA 16125  
MCLJ – May 12, 19, 26, 2026

Suite 204  
Monsey, NY 10952  
MCLJ - May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**NOTICE OF LIVING TRUST  
PURSUANT TO 20 PA.C.S. SECTION 7755(C)**

Notice is hereby given of the Administration of the **The Roberts Family Trust**. The remaining Settlor of said Trust, Patricia Ann Roberts a/k/a Patricia A. Roberts, died March 27, 2026, a resident of Mercer County, Pennsylvania. All persons having claims against the Trust are requested to make known the same to the Successor Trustee or attorney named below. All persons indebted to the Trust are requested to make payment without delay to the Trustee or attorney named below.

Ms. Karen L. Wilson  
Formerly Karen L. Nissly  
4309 Clearview Drive  
Canfield, OH 44406

Or

Raymond H. Bogaty, Esquire  
Bogaty Law Office, P.C.  
101 S. Center Street  
Post Office Box 825  
Grove City, PA 16127  
724-450-5000

MCLJ - May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Business Corporation Law of 1988, **Century Consultants Ltd.**, a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New Jersey, intends to withdraw from doing business in Pennsylvania. The address of its principal office in its jurisdiction of incorporation is 221 River Street, Hoboken NJ, 07030. and the name of its commercial registered office provider in Pennsylvania is CT Corporation System.

Vcorp Services, LLC  
25 Robert Pitt Drive  
Suite 204  
Monsey, NY 10952  
MCLJ - May 19, 26, June 2, 2026

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Business Corporation Law of 1988, **Tebo Financial Services, Inc.**, a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of Ohio, intends to withdraw from doing business in Pennsylvania. The address of its principal office in its jurisdiction of incorporation is 4786 Dressler Rd NW # 180 Canton OH 44718 and the name of its commercial registered office provider in Pennsylvania is C T Corporation System.

Vcorp Services, LLC  
25 Robert Pitt Drive