

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
PR - MARTINEZ-WAKEFIELD TAYLOR COURTHOUSE
COURT CALENDAR FOR JULY 14, 2025
DEPARTMENT 38
JUDICIAL OFFICER: BARBARA C. HINTON

PROBATE EXAMINER NOTES-SUBJECT TO REVISION AFTER REVIEW BY
THE JUDGE

**Unless the Court directs otherwise, appearances by counsel and parties in
Department 38 may be made as follows:**

- **In Person**
- **Remotely through Zoom Videoconferencing**

Zoom videoconferencing for Department 38, Judge Hinton:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1615175497?pwd=aXQ0em5MT0VGdG5rZ0dHSFFiN1ZRZz09>

IF YOU HAVE MATTERS IN BOTH
DEPARTMENT 30 AND DEPARTMENT 38,
PLEASE NOTIFY THE BAILIFFS
THE MORNING OF YOUR APPEARANCE.

THANK YOU.

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1. 9:00 AM	P25-00756 LIMITED CONSERVATORSHIP OF: KAILANI DONOVAN HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF PROBATE CONSERVATOR OF THE PERSON FILED ON 04/30/25 BY LEONALISA DONOVAN AND PATRICK DONOVAN
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Need:

Verified declaration by petitioner to clarify that you have attended the orientation class
for unlicensed conservators pursuant to LR 7.416

The Court is waiting for these items:

1. Court Investigator's Report
2. Assessment from Regional Center. PrC § 1827.5; WIC § 4620.

Note: If granted, order will be effective as of 2-12-2026.

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2. **P25-00757** **CONSERVATORSHIP OF: KASANDRA KLARICE LACERNA EGOY**
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF PROBATE CONSERVATOR OF THE PERSON FILED ON
04/30/25 BY MARIA ANGELA DELA RIMA AND PATRICIA PRICILLA LACERNA EGOY

Need:

1. Verified declaration by petitioner to complete petition item # 4.c. (whether proposed conservatee is a member of a federally recognized Indian tribe)
2. Verified declaration by petitioner to complete petition item # 5.f. (whether proposed conservatee is developmentally disabled)
3. Citation issued, served and returned. PrC §§ 1823, 1824
4. Verified declaration by petitioner to include Attachment Requesting Special Orders Regarding Major Neurocognitive Disorder Form GC-313
5. Capacity Declaration (Judicial Council Form GC-335) to show whether proposed conservatee lacks capacity to give informed medical consent. PrC § 1890
6. Verified declaration by petitioner to clarify that you have attended the orientation class for unlicensed conservators pursuant to LR 7.416
7. Order Appointing Probate Conservator Form GC-340 (adopted 1-15-16)

The Court is waiting for these items:

1. Court Investigator's Report
2. Kasandra Egoy to appear or doctor's declaration stating inability to appear or waiver by counsel upon appointment
3. Attorney appointed
4. Report of attorney

Note: Letters of Temporary Conservatorship of Person issued to petitioners expire 1-30-2026.

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3. **P25-00758** **LIMITED CONSERVATORSHIP OF: EMILY MCDANIEL**
9:00 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF PROBATE CONSERVATOR OF THE PERSON FILED ON
04/30/25 BY DAWN MICHELE MCDANIEL

Petitioner, mother, still must do the following:

1. Appear at the hearing
2. Have a copy of the Citation Form GC-320 personally served on conservatee or waiver by counsel. File the original with the Clerk of the Court with Proof of Service completed by server.
3. File Capacity Declaration (Judicial Council Form GC-335) to show whether proposed conservatee lacks capacity to give informed medical consent. PrC § 1890
4. Submit Order Appointing Probate Conservator Form GC-340 (adopted 1-15-16)

The Court is waiting for these items:

1. Court Investigator's Report
2. Assessment from Regional Center. PrC § 1827.5; WIC § 4620.
3. Emily McDaniel to appear or doctor's declaration stating inability to appear or waiver by counsel
4. Report of atty. Nicolas Vaca (limited)

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4. 9:00 AM	P25-00762 CONSERVATORSHIP OF: SHELLY VIDEAU HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF PROBATE CONSERVATOR OF THE PERSON AND ESTATE FILED ON 05/01/25 BY JENNA SMITH Need: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Proof of mailing to all persons entitled to receive notice, except Alexandra who waived notice. PrC § 18222. Return on Citation or waiver by counsel. PrC §18243. Capacity Declaration (Judicial Council Form GC-335) to show whether proposed conservatee lacks capacity to give informed medical consent. PrC § 18904. Confidential Conservator Screening Form GC-314 filed with date of birth, social security number and driver's license number completed. Form filed is incomplete. The Court is waiting for these items: Court Investigator's Report Note: Letters of Temporary Conservatorship of Person/Estate issued to petitioner expire 1-29-2026.
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5. **P25-00737** **ESTATE OF: PAULA PRADOS**
9:05 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL & LETTERS TESTAMENTARY FILED ON 4-28-25 BY
MARY A PRADOS PETERSON

Need:

1. Proof of Publication. PrC § 8120
2. Order for Probate Form DE-140

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- 6.** **P25-00739** **ESTATE OF: WILLIAM SILLETTO**
9:05 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL & FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED WITH AIEA FILED ON 4-28-25 BY PIA SILLETTO
- Need:
1. Verified declaration by petitioner to clarify Item # 6. It appears decedent was survived by issue of grandparents, not next of kin.
 2. Verified declaration by petitioner to include Jim Lang and herself in Item # 8. PrC § 8002
 3. Verified declaration by petitioner to include names and dates of death of decedent's parents. LR 7.151(d)
 4. Proof of mailing Notice of Petition to Administer Estate and copy of petition to all heirs and beneficiaries at addresses listed in petition, and to Jim Lang. Proofs of Service filed do not reflect mailing to all persons entitled to receive notice, and were mailed to addresses other than those listed in petition. PrC § 8110; LR 7.151(e)
 5. Lodge Original Will (w/legal process). PrC § 8200
 6. Evidence to overcome presumption of revocation by the fact that the original cannot be located. PrC § 6124
 7. Proof of mailing notice that will is lost. PrC § 1202
 8. Proof of Holographic Instrument Form DE-135. PrC § 8222
 9. Revised, proposed Order for Probate Form DE-140 with copy of Will attached, if lost will is to be admitted

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7. **P23-00242** **GUARDIANSHIP OF: DAVARI BLACK**
9:30 AM HEARING IN RE: TERMINATION OF GUARDIANSHIP FILED ON 4/11/24 BY SHONTE M. MORELAND-DUKES

Petitioner, aunt, still must do the following:

1. Appear at the hearing
2. File a verified declaration to include names and current addresses of maternal and paternal grandparents. Item # 9 is incomplete.
3. Have a Judicial Council Form Notice of Hearing and copy of petition mailed to all persons entitled to receive notice and file a Proof of Service with court.
4. Submit Order Terminating Guardianship Form GC-260

The Court is waiting for these items:

- A. Report from atty. Lita Pettus-Dotson

Notes:

1. Letters of Guardianship of Person issued to petitioner 05-03-2023.
2. Per 3-21-2025 minute order, court suspended guardianship.

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8. 9:30 AM	P24-01855 GUARDIANSHIP OF: JUNIPER PONCE HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON FILED ON 10.18.2024 BY ESPERANZA WESTERGAARD AND CHAD RUBAN WESTERGAARD Petitioners, aunt/uncle, still must do the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Appear at the hearing2. File a declaration and attach Form ICWA-010(A) to confirm that you have questioned minor's relatives as to whether minor has any Indian ancestry CRC 5.481. Form attached to petition indicates petitioners were "still researching."3. File Form ICWA-020. CRC 5.4814. Complete Form ICWA-030 and submit to courtroom clerk in Dept. 38 for mailing unless you are represented by counsel. Decl. filed 5-9-2025 indicates minor is an Indian child. CRC 5.481 The Court is waiting for these items: Report of atty. Sutter Selleck Notes: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Letters of Temporary Guardianship issued to petitioners expire 7-17-2025.2. Court will dispense with further formal service on mother Makayla Trice who appeared 11-13-2024, in objection.3. Per 11-13-2024 minute order, court ordered mother to file and serve objections by 1-3-2025 or objections will be deemed waived. None has been filed.4. Per 5-9-2025 minute order, court dispensed with further formal service on unknown father and paternal grandmother.
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9. **P25-00404** **GUARDIANSHIP OF: CLEMENTE MAURO QUINTO BONIFACIO**
9:30 AM HEARING IN RE: PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT IF GUARDIAN OF PERSON FILED ON 3-1025 BY JESUS
QUINTO BONIFACIO

Petitioner, brother, still must do the following:

1. Appear at the hearing
2. File Petition for Special Immigrant Juvenile Findings (Form GC-220)

Notes:

1. Court has no authority to grant guardianship for wards over 18 years of age unless a
2. Petition for Special Immigrant Juvenile Findings is filed.
3. Spanish Interpreter is requested.