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## 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

**BOMBARDIERI, PATRICIA A. a/k/a BOMBARDIERI, PATRICIA**  
2025-57

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Brittany Nicole Bombardieri a/k/a Brittany Nicole Shebeck, 320 Rexford Drive, Hermitage, PA 16148  
Attorney: K. Jennifer Muir  
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**CLOWES, ALICE J. a/k/a CLOWES, ALICE JEAN**  
2025-49

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Donald E. Clowes, 3978 Edinburgh Drive, Austintown, OH 44511  
Attorney: Roger R. Shaffer Jr.  
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**FREEMAN, HELEN M. a/k/a FREEMAN, HELEN D. a/k/a FREEMAN, HELEN**  
2025-56

Late of Pine Twp., Mercer Co, PA  
Executrix: Ann D. Brandt a/k/a Ann J. Brandt a/k/a Ann Brandt, 425 Greenville Ave., Mercer, PA 16137  
Attorney: James A. Stranahan, IV  
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**HOLIGA, DOROTHY a/k/a HOLIGA, DOROTHY H.**  
2025-32

Late of Transfer, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Lynne M. Holiga, 437 Crestview Dr., Transfer, PA 16154 (724) 866-4947  
Attorney: None  
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**PAPAY, GAYNELL M. A/K/A PAPAY, GAYNELL**  
2025-41

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Martha Stover, P O Box 112, 345 Terry Lane, West Hickory, PA 16370  
Attorney: Wade M. Fisher  
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**SHAFFER, JEFFREY MARC a/k/a SHAFFER, JEFFERY MARC a/k/a SHAFFER, JEFFERY M.**  
2025-36

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Jacob Shaffer, 998 Woodland Road, Sharpsville, PA 16150  
Attorney: William G. McConnell, Jr.  
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**ZOCCOLE, BRIAN KEITH a/k/a ZOCCOLE, BRIAN K.**  
2025-50

Late of S. Pymatuning Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Karen Lynn Zoccole, 89

Buckeye Drive, Sharpsville, PA 16150  
Attorney: K. Jennifer Muir  
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### SECOND PUBLICATION

**ADAMS, GARY D.**

2024-792

Late of Grove City Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Gary Forsythe, 425 West Washington Blvd., Grove City, PA 16127  
Attorney: Timothy R. Bonner  
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**BALACH, ROBERT A. a/k/a BALACH, ROBERT ALLEN**  
2025-25

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Yvonne Sylvester, 5805 Miravista Way, Hoschton, GA 30548  
Attorney: Jennifer Muir  
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**CLINE, SHIRLEY M.**

2025-33

Late of Pine Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Jack W. Cline, 105 Arnold Palmer Dr., Grove City, PA 16127  
Attorney: Jack W. Cline  
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**CROSBY, DONNA a/k/a CROSBY, DONNA LOUISE a/k/a CROSBY, DONNA L.**  
2025-34

Late of Sharon, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: April Crosby a/k/a April Williams, 497 Curtis Street, Sharon, PA 16146  
Attorney: Chester Scholl, Jr.  
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**DeBLASE, PATRICIA ELAINE a/k/a DeBLASE, PATRICIA E. a/k/a DeBLASE PATRICIA**  
2025-31

Late of Sharon, Mercer Co., PA  
Administrator/Administratrix: Anthony DeBlase, 7805 Chestnut Street, Masury, OH 44438; Kimberly Greene, 705 Thorton Street, Sharon, PA 16146  
Attorney: James Goodwin  
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**DRENNEN, DON A. III, a/k/a DRENNEN, DON**  
2025-7

Late of Pymatuning Twp., Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Suzanne Marie Roberts, 990 Stans Way SE, Warren, OH 44484  
Attorney: Brock A. Meanor, Esq., 234 Beaver Street, Suite 2, Sewickley, PA 15143 (412) 259-8084  
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**FALCONI, JAMES a/k/a FALCONI, JAMES D.**  
2025-22

Late of Farrell, Mercer Co., PA  
Administrator: John T. Falconi, 347 Victory Drive, Sharpsville, PA 16150  
Attorney: Robert J. Tesone  
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**MATTA, VIOLET R. a/k/a MATTA, VIOLET a/k/a MATTA, VIOLET M.**  
2025-20

Late of Sharpsville Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: James B. Matta, 11711 Coopers Run, Strongsville, OH 44149  
Attorney: Wade M. Fisher

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**PACELLO, MARGARET A. a/k/a PACELLO, MARGARET ANN**  
2025-26

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Laurie A. Biblis, 3882 Windsor Court, Hermitage, PA 16148  
Attorney: Michael S. Barr  
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**RAKOCI, EUGENE G. a/k/a RAKOCI, EUGENE GERALD a/k/a RAKOCI, EUGENE a/k/a RAKOCI, EUGENE C.**  
2025-19

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Administrator: Jason Rakoci, 2210 King Dr., Hermitage, PA 16148  
Attorney: Wade M. Fisher  
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**SVIRBLY, RILLA E. a/k/a SVIRBLY, RILLA**  
2025-21

Late of Greenville Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Mary M. Svirbly, 638 Service Ave., Sharon, PA 16146  
Attorney: Robert J. Tesone  
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### THIRD PUBLICATION

**COCHRAN, WALTER W. a/k/a COCHRAN, WALTER**  
2025-15

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Sharon Brannon, 5173 East State Street, Hermitage, PA 16148  
Attorney: Stephen J. Mirizio  
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**GARRETT, VANESSA M.**  
2024-784

Late of Sharpsville Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Administratrix: Sharon K. Garrett, 2619 N. Neshannock Road, Sharpsville, PA 16146  
Attorney: James E. Douglas  
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**HOCKENBERRY, RODNEY W. a/k/a HOCKENBERRY, RODNEY WILLIAM**  
2025-8

Late of Pine Twp., Mercer Co, PA  
Executor(s): David R. Hockenberry, 620 East Main St Ext, Lot 27, Grove City, PA 16127; Dennis W. Hockenberry, 62B Kimberly Drive, Grove City, PA 16127  
Attorney: Timothy L. McNickle  
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**HOLZSHU, DORIS**  
2024-733

Late of Sharon, Mercer Co., PA  
Administrator: Cheryl Sorek, 753 Woodland Rd., Bradford Woods, PA 15015  
Attorney: Jonathan B. Reichman, 2853 Beechwood Blvd., Pgh, PA 15217 (412) 901-4639  
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**MARINI, SANDRA LOU a/k/a MARINI, SANDRA L.**  
2025-10

Late of Greenville Boro, Mercer Co., PA  
Executor: Vince A. Marini, 160 Clinton Street, Greenville, PA 16125

Attorney: William G. McConnell Jr.  
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**TAKACS, STEPHEN W. a/k/a TAKACS, STEPHEN a/k/a TAKACS, STEVE W.**  
2025-14

Late of Hermitage, Mercer Co., PA  
Executrix: Symantha S. Erme, 841 Archwood Rd., Wadsworth, OH 44281  
Attorney: Stephen J. Mirizio  
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### Legal Notice By

**MARYJO BASILONE DEPRETA**

**Register of Wills of Mercer County, PA**

Notice is hereby given that the following Accounts of Executors, Administrators, Guardians and Trustees, have been filed in the Office of the Register of Wills and Clerk of Orphans' Court of Mercer County, Pennsylvania. If no exceptions/objections are filed thereto within twenty (20) days from **March 3rd, 2025**, the Accounts will be affirmed by the Clerk of Orphans' Court. Thereafter distribution may be decreed by this Court without reference to an auditor in accordance with any proposed schedule of distribution.

### FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT OF ESTATES

2024-253 Kurelko, Erik J., Sr. - AKA Kurelko, Erik John Sr., Kurelko, Erik Jon., Deceased; Kurelko, Maria L., Administratrix

2024-143 Samol, Loretta Jean - AKA Samol, L. Jean, Samol, Loretta J., Deceased; Samol, Ronald, Executor

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