

# The Supreme Court of Ohio

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## CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 9, 2021

[Cite as *03/09/2021 Case Announcements, 2021-Ohio-669.*]

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## MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

**2019-0518. State ex rel. Frank v. Clermont Cty. Prosecutor, Slip Opinion No. 2021-Ohio-623.**

In Mandamus. Writ denied. Relator's request for awards of attorney fees, statutory damages, and court costs denied.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

**2019-1406. State ex rel. Ware v. Akron, Slip Opinion No. 2021-Ohio-624.**

In Mandamus. Writ granted. Relator awarded \$1,000 in statutory damages. Relator's motion for judicial notice denied.

O'Connor, C.J., and Kennedy, Fischer, DeWine, Donnelly, Stewart, and Brunner, JJ., concur.

## AFFIDAVITS OF DISQUALIFICATION

The chief justice has released the following judicial-disqualification opinions, which were previously issued as entries in response to affidavits of disqualification filed pursuant to R.C. 2701.03.

**20-AP-116. In re Disqualification of Mallory, 2021-Ohio-626 (decided Feb. 8, 2021).**

**20-AP-119 and 21-AP-013. In re Disqualification of Giulitto, 2021-Ohio-625 (decided Feb. 8, 2021).**

## DISCIPLINARY CASES

### **2020-0791. Columbus Bar Assn. v. Worthington.**

On certification of default. Dean Philip Worthington, Attorney Registration No. 0076225, last known address in Hilliard, Ohio, indefinitely suspended from the practice of law.

## MEDIATION MATTERS

Pursuant to R.C. 2710.06(B)(1), the court has been notified that the parties to this case have reached a settlement. The case is returned to the regular docket under S.Ct.Prac.R. 19.01. Relator shall file either an application for dismissal or a notice of failure of settlement within 60 days. The case will be dismissed for want of prosecution if an application for dismissal or a notice of failure of settlement is not filed within 60 days.

### **2020-1305. State ex rel. Morris v. Uhrichsville.**

In Mandamus.