# The Supreme Court of Ohio

# **CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# November 12, 2020

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# **MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS**

## 2019-0873. Centerville v. Knab, Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-5219.

Montgomery App. No. 28081, 2019-Ohio-1903. Judgment affirmed. O'Connor, C.J., and French, Fischer, DeWine, and Stewart, JJ., concur. Kennedy, J., concurs in judgment only, with an opinion. Donnelly, J., concurs in judgment only.

# 2019-0951. Corder v. Ohio Edison Co., Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-5220.

Harrison App. No. 18 HA 0002, 2019-Ohio-2639. Judgment affirmed in part and reversed in part, and cause remanded.

Kennedy, French, Donnelly, and Stewart, JJ., concur.

Fischer, J., concurs in judgment only.

DeWine, J., concurs in part and dissents in part, with an opinion joined by O'Connor, C.J.

# 2019-1765. In re Complaint of Suburban Natural Gas Co. v. Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc., Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-5221.

Public Utilities Commission, No. 17-2168-GA-CSS. Orders affirmed.

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

Kennedy, J., concurs in judgment only.

#### 2020-0458. State ex rel. Bandy v. Wilson, Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-5222.

Cuyahoga App. No. 109330, 2020-Ohio-1031. Judgment affirmed. Appellant's motion for leave to amend his reply brief denied.

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

Stewart, J., not participating.

## MERIT DECISIONS WITHOUT OPINIONS

#### 2020-0030. State ex rel. Kelligher v. Ohio State Bar Assn.

In Mandamus. On respondents' motions to dismiss. Motions granted. Cause dismissed.

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

#### 2020-0813. State ex rel. Genlyte Thomas Group, L.L.C. v. McCarty.

In Mandamus and Prohibition. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Motion of Phoenix Lighting Group, L.L.C., for leave to intervene as respondent denied. Cause dismissed.

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

#### 2020-0918. Ahlegian v. Fambro.

In Mandamus. On respondents' motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

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

#### 2020-1020. State ex rel. Kelley v. Fifth Dist. Court of Appeals.

In Prohibition. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

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

#### 2020-1034. Crews v. Schmidt.

In Mandamus. On respondent's motion for judgment on pleadings. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

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

## 2020-1040. Williams v. Dept. of Rehab. & Corr.

In Mandamus. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

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

French, J., dissents and would grant a peremptory writ.

## 2020-1046. Thomson v. Summit Cty. Court of Common Pleas.

In Procedendo. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

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

## 2020-1051. Shockley v. Summit Cty. Court of Common Pleas.

In Procedendo. On respondents' motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

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

## 2020-1068. State ex rel. Guinn v. Cooper.

In Mandamus. On respondent's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Relator's motion to expedite writ of mandamus denied as moot. Relator's motion to strike motion to dismiss denied. Cause dismissed.

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

# MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

#### 2020-0255. State v. Bates.

Cuyahoga App. No. 107868, 2020-Ohio-267. On appellant's motion to supplement the record with transcript of trial proceedings. Motion denied.

Stewart, J., dissents.

#### 2020-0708. In re Application of Cobra Pipeline Co., Ltd.

Public Utilities Commission, Nos. 16-1725-PL-AIR and 18-1549-PL-AEM. On appellee's motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

## 2020-0794. State v. Flores-Santiago.

Cuyahoga App. No. 108458, 2020-Ohio-1274. On appellant's "motion for appeal." Motion denied.

French and Stewart, JJ., would deny the motion as moot. Kennedy and Fischer, JJ., dissent.

# 2020-1109. Woodside Mgt. Co. v. Bruex.

Summit App. No. 29179, 2020-Ohio-4039. On appellants' motion for stay. Motion granted contingent on continuation of the existing bond plus an additional \$30,000 for prejudgment interest being deposited with the clerk of the Summit County Court of Common Pleas.

## 2020-1139. State v. Pilkington.

Logan App. No. CA 8-19-58. On review of order certifying a conflict. The court determines that a conflict exists. Sua sponte, cause held for the decisions in 2020-0625, *State v. Hubbard*, and 2020-0549, *State v. Jarvis*.

# **APPEALS ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW**

#### 2020-0963. Goree v. Northland Auto Ents., Inc.

Cuyahoga App. No. 108881, 2020-Ohio-3457. Appeal accepted on proposition of law Nos. II and III.

Kennedy, J., would accept the appeal on all propositions of law. O'Connor, C.J., and Stewart, J., dissent.

# 2020-0978. State v. West.

Franklin App. No. 19AP-90, 2020-Ohio-3434. Kennedy and DeWine, JJ., dissent.

#### 2020-1018. State v. Eatmon.

Cuyahoga App. No. 108786, 2020-Ohio-3592. DeWine and Donnelly, JJ., dissent.

# APPEALS NOT ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

#### 2020-0504. State v. Henderson.

Montgomery App. No. 28241, 2020-Ohio-6. Kennedy, Fischer, and Stewart, JJ., dissent.