

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 30, 2020

[Cite as *07/30/2020 Case Announcements*, 2020-Ohio-3883.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITH OPINIONS

2019-0646. *State v. Hudson*, Slip Opinion No. 2020-Ohio-3849.

Franklin App. No. 18AP-625, 2019-Ohio-1071. Judgment of the court of appeals reversed to the extent that it remanded the case to the trial court to correct the entry imposing postrelease control.

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

O'Connor, C.J., concurs in judgment only.

Fischer, J., dissents and would dismiss the appeal as having been improvidently accepted.

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

2019-0518. *State ex rel. Frank v. Clermont Cty. Pros. Atty.*

In Mandamus. On respondent's motion to file exhibit Nos. 8 through 15 under seal. Motion granted.

2019-1498. *Rayco Mfg., Inc. v. Murphy, Rogers, Sloss & Gambel.*

Cuyahoga App. No. 106714, 2018-Ohio-4782. On motion for continuance of oral argument of appellees Murphy, Rogers, Sloss & Gambel, a Professional Law Corporation, Robert H. Murphy, Peter B. Sloss, Gary J. Gambel, and Donald R. Wing. Motion denied.

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS

In re Four Members of the Toledo City Council.

On July 15, 2020, the state of Ohio presented a request that the chief justice establish a special commission of three retired judges pursuant to R.C. 3.16(C). Pursuant to R.C. 3.16, the special commission shall be established by the chief justice, not sooner than 14 days after receipt of the request, to consider the suspension from public office of four members of the Toledo City Council, in relation to felony charges pertaining to official conduct in office.

Accordingly, the following three retired judges are hereby appointed and directed to proceed as provided by R.C. 3.16:

Retired Judge David C. Faulkner

Retired Judge L. Alan Goldsberry

Retired Judge Jennifer L. Sargus

Pursuant to R.C. 3.16(C)(1), at least one member of the special commission is of the same party as the public officials and all members of the special commission shall receive compensation for their services and reimbursement for expenses incurred in connection with special-commission functions, from funds appropriated by the attorney general's office.

It is further ordered that Jesse Mosser, legislative counsel in the Office of the Chief Legal Counsel, shall serve as secretary to the special commission, with authority to contact the parties, schedule hearings, and sign orders on behalf of and at the direction of the special commission.

All documents in this matter shall be filed with the secretary to the special commission either by mail or in another manner directed by the secretary. The original and five copies of all documents shall be filed. All documents filed with the special commission shall also be served on all other parties to this matter on the day of filing with the secretary.

Pursuant to R.C. 3.16(C)(2), all meetings of the special commission shall be closed to the public and the records shall not be made available to the public for inspection or copying until the special commission issues its written report or otherwise concludes its proceedings.