

The Supreme Court of Ohio

CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 14, 2026

[Cite as *04/14/2026 Case Announcements*, 2026-Ohio-1308.]

MERIT DECISIONS WITHOUT OPINIONS

2026-0254. In re Keaton.

In Habeas Corpus. Sua sponte, cause dismissed.

Kennedy, C.J., and Fischer, DeWine, Brunner, Deters, Hawkins, and Shanahan, JJ., concur.

MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

2025-0820. Akron v. Harris.

Board of Tax Appeals, No. 2022-282. On joint motion to remand. Motion denied.

Kennedy, C.J., and Fischer, J., dissent.

2026-0145. State ex rel. Rhea v. Mallory.

In Mandamus and Procedendo. On relator's emergency motion for peremptory writ and final judgment. Motion denied.

2026-0175. State v. Foster.

Cuyahoga App. No. 114642, [2025-Ohio-5626](#). On motion for leave to file delayed appeal. Motion granted. Appellant shall file a memorandum in support of jurisdiction within 30 days.

2026-0180. State v. DiTomaso.

Portage App. Nos. 2025-P-0007 and 2025-P-0014, [2025-Ohio-4913](#). On motion for leave to file delayed appeal. Motion denied.

Brunner and Deters, JJ., dissent.

2026-0195. State v. Russell.

Portage App. No. 2024-P-0018, [2025-Ohio-813](#). On motion for leave to file delayed appeal. Motion denied.

2026-0199. State v. Herrera-Reyes.

Ashland App. No. 24-COA-010, [2025-Ohio-37](#). On motion for leave to file delayed appeal. Motion denied.

Kennedy, C.J., and Fischer and Brunner, JJ., dissent.

2026-0200. State v. Riley.

Muskingum App. No. CT2024-0091, [2025-Ohio-722](#). On motion for leave to file delayed appeal. Motion denied.

Brunner, J., dissents.

2026-0209. State v. Hubbard.

Warren App. No. CA2023-01-014, [2024-Ohio-1315](#). On motion for leave to file delayed appeal. Motion denied.

2026-0371. Hershey v. Dailey.

Franklin App. No. 26AP-173. On emergency motion for stay. Motion denied as moot.

APPEALS ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

2026-0125. State ex rel. Yost v. Elevate Smoke, L.L.C.

Hamilton App. No. C-250175, [2025-Ohio-5652](#). Sua sponte, cause held for the decision in [2025-1510](#), *State ex rel. Yost v. Cent. Tobacco & Stuff, Inc.*

APPEALS NOT ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

2024-1221. State v. Cowan.

Allen App. No. 1-23-20, [2024-Ohio-2028](#).

2026-0090. Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. v. Reynolds.
Cuyahoga App. No. 115140.

2026-0092. State v. Marshall.
Cuyahoga App. No. 115046, [2025-Ohio-5760](#).

2026-0093. State v. Smith.
Hamilton App. No. C-250081.
Fischer and Deters, JJ., not participating.

2026-0094. State v. Rucker.
Trumbull App. Nos. 2024-T-0075, 2024-T-0077, and 2024-T-0078, [2025-Ohio-5466](#).

2026-0096. State v. Langille.
Franklin App. No. 24AP-253, [2025-Ohio-5482](#).

2026-0097. State v. Simon.
Montgomery App. No. 30443, [2025-Ohio-5660](#).

2026-0098. State ex rel. Kirkpatrick v. Madison Twp.
Pickaway App. No. 25CA2, [2025-Ohio-5591](#).

2026-0099. State v. Abdu.
Franklin App. No. 23AP-739, [2025-Ohio-5481](#).

2026-0100. State v. Dowdell.
Lake App. No. 2025-L-062, [2025-Ohio-5474](#).
Brunner, J., dissents and would accept the appeal on proposition of law No. I.

2026-0101. State v. Beard.
Cuyahoga App. No. 115019, [2025-Ohio-5521](#).

2026-0102. State v. Carter.
Richland App. No. 2025-CA-0002, [2025-Ohio-5751](#).

2026-0104. State v. Morgan.
Cuyahoga App. No. 114650, [2025-Ohio-5510](#).

2026-0107. State v. Desmarais.

Hamilton App. No. C-250198, [2025-Ohio-5541](#).

2026-0108. State v. Black.

Franklin App. Nos. 24AP-594 and 24AP-595, [2025-Ohio-5596](#).

2026-0109. State v. Hasbrouck.

Franklin App. No. 25AP-82, [2025-Ohio-5816](#).

2026-0111. State v. Day.

Cuyahoga App. No. 114582, [2025-Ohio-5625](#).

2026-0112. Kanode v. Columbus.

Franklin App. Nos. 25AP-175 and 25AP-176, [2025-Ohio-5533](#).
Hawkins, J., dissents.

2026-0113. State v. Lewis.

Lucas App. No. L-23-1289, [2025-Ohio-2178](#).

2026-0122. Keen v. Keen.

Muskingum App. No. CT2025-0061, [2025-Ohio-5810](#).

2026-0129. State v. Miller.

Union App. No. 14-25-36.

2026-0130. Ohio Atty. Gen. v. Lager.

Franklin App. No. 25AP-365, [2025-Ohio-5649](#).
Brunner, J., dissents.
Deters, J., not participating.

2026-0135. Hursey v. McPeck.

Tuscarawas App. No. 2025 AP 03 0012, [2025-Ohio-5707](#).

2026-0136. State v. Russell.

Delaware App. No. 25 CAA 02 0019, [2025-Ohio-5311](#).

2026-0139. Kar v. TN Dental Mgt., L.L.C.

Mahoning App. No. 25 MA 0055, [2025-Ohio-5666](#).
Fischer, J., dissents.

2026-0143. In re P.L.

Fayette App. No. CA2024-09-025, [2025-Ohio-5693](#).

Brunner, J., dissents.

2026-0152. State v. Edwards.

Trumbull App. No. 2024-T-0085, [2025-Ohio-5708](#).

Brunner, J., dissents and would strike the memorandum in support of jurisdiction because a faulty-technology transfer interferes with its legibility and would allow for resubmission.

2026-0156. Scala v. Scala.

Medina App. No. 2024CA0093-M.

Fischer, J., dissents.

2026-0171. State ex rel. Reigert v. State Med. Bd. of Ohio.

Franklin App. No. 25AP-356, [2025-Ohio-5868](#).

2026-0188. Johnson v. Cleveland Metro. School Dist.

Cuyahoga App. No. 114825, [2025-Ohio-5852](#).

Kennedy, C.J., dissents.

2026-0214. State v. Higginbotham.

Licking App. No. 2025 CA 00034, [2026-Ohio-84](#).

RECONSIDERATION OF PRIOR DECISIONS

2024-1616. State ex rel. Ames v. Big Walnut Local School Dist. Bd. of Edn.

In Mandamus. Reported at [2026-Ohio-532](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

2025-1546. In re Adoption of S.P.

Summit App. No. 31611. Reported at [2026-Ohio-475](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied. Appellant's consolidated application for leave to proceed and motion for limited remand denied.

2025-1607. E.H. v. M.H.

Lucas App. No. L-25-00201. Reported at [2026-Ohio-475](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.