

# The Supreme Court of Ohio

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## CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 20, 2026

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### SLIP OPINIONS REPLACED BY *OHIO OFFICIAL REPORTS* VERSIONS AS OF JULY 20, 2026

The official versions of the opinions listed below, which were previously released as slip opinions, are being published in the July 20, 2026 *Ohio Official Reports* advance sheet. The *Official Reports* volume and initial page numbers are provided after the citation for reference.

**2024-1433.** State ex rel. AWMS Water Solutions, L.L.C. v. Mertz, **2026-Ohio-1487.** (181 Ohio St.3d 418)

**2024-1722.** Disciplinary Counsel v. Rossi, **2025-Ohio-5398.** (181 Ohio St.3d 329)

**2025-0085.** State ex rel. Castellon v. Swallow, **2025-Ohio-5576.** (181 Ohio St.3d 345)

**2025-0205.** Columbus Bar Assn. v. Cable, **2026-Ohio-89.** (181 Ohio St.3d 89)

**2025-0342.** Montanez v. May, **2026-Ohio-90.** (181 Ohio St.3d 369)

**2025-0663.** State ex rel. Javitch Block, L.L.C. v. Wollscheid, **2026-Ohio-1923.** (181 Ohio St.3d 436)

**2025-0801.** State ex rel. Martre v. N. Cent. Corr. Complex, **2026-Ohio-162.** (181 Ohio St.3d 373)

**2025-1359.** State ex rel. Hicks v. Adams Cty. Bd. of Elections, **2026-Ohio-1274.** (181 Ohio St.3d 383)

**2025-1640.** Disciplinary Counsel v. VanBibber, **2026-Ohio-1271.** (181 Ohio St.3d 404)

**2026-0270.** State ex rel. Dunn v. Delaware Cty. Bd. of Elections, **2026-Ohio-1084.** (181 Ohio St.3d 377)

**2026-0541.** In re Resignation of Yerman, **2026-Ohio-1883.** (181 Ohio St.3d 1264)

**2026-0573.** In re Resignation of Henniger, **2026-Ohio-1884.** (181 Ohio St.3d 1266)

## **MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS**

**2026-0831.** State ex rel. Williams v. Lorain Cty. Court of Common Pleas, Gen. Div.

In Mandamus and Procedendo. Sua sponte, it is ordered that within 14 days, relator shall submit a request for issuance of an additional summons at an alternative address or show cause why this case should not be dismissed as to respondent Ninth District Court of Appeals for failure to perfect service.

## **MISCELLANEOUS DISMISSALS**

**2026-0811.** State ex rel. Boyer v. Fourth Dist. Court of Appeals.

In Mandamus and Prohibition. On relator's application for dismissal and motion to withdraw July 16, 2026 filing. Application and motion granted. Motion to dismiss of respondent Fourth District Court of Appeals denied as moot. Cause dismissed.

**2026-0856.** State ex rel. Boyer v. Smith.

In Mandamus and Procedendo. On relator's application for dismissal. Application granted. Cause dismissed.

## **MEDIATION MATTERS**

### **2026-0444. State ex rel. Sloan v. Ruhl.**

In Mandamus. On respondent's motion for mediation. Motion granted. The court refers this case to mediation under Rule 19.01 and stays all filing deadlines for this case until further order of this court. The court will not issue any decision on the merits of this case until mediation has concluded.