

# The Supreme Court of Ohio

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## CASE ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## MERIT DECISIONS WITHOUT OPINIONS

### **2026-0694. State ex rel. K-Nova II, L.L.C. v. Commercial Point.**

In Mandamus. On respondents' motion to dismiss. Motion granted. Relator's motion to take judicial notice of dismissal of Pickaway C.P. No. 2026CI0139. Motion granted. Cause dismissed.

Fischer, DeWine, Brunner, Deters, Hawkins, and Shanahan, JJ., concur.

Kennedy, C.J., concurs in part and dissents in part and would order respondents to file an answer and would issue an alternative writ.

## MOTION AND PROCEDURAL RULINGS

### **2026-1140. State v. Church.**

Cuyahoga App. No. 115480. On motion for delayed appeal. Motion granted. Appellant shall file a memorandum in support of jurisdiction within 30 days.

### **2026-1238. State ex rel. Holloman v. Fisher.**

In Habeas Corpus. Sua sponte, writ allowed. Allowing the writ means only that a return is ordered. *See Reed v. Kinkela*, 84 Ohio St.3d 1427 (1998); *Hernandez v. Kelly*, [2005-Ohio-6400](#). Respondent shall file a return of writ within 21 days of the date of service of the petition, and petitioner may file a response within 10 days after the return is filed. Petitioner's physical presence before the court is not required.

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

Fischer and DeWine, JJ., dissent and would sua sponte dismiss the cause.

## APPEALS ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

**2026-1083. Myers v. Vandermark.**

Harrison App. No. 25 HA 0004, [2026-Ohio-2562](#).

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

## APPEALS NOT ACCEPTED FOR REVIEW

**2026-0755. State v. Anderson.**

Delaware App. No. 24 CAA 12 0110, [2026-Ohio-425](#).

**2026-1034. State v. Taylor.**

Franklin App. Nos. 25AP-201 and 25AP-204, [2026-Ohio-2497](#).

Brunner, J., dissents.

**2026-1036. Nationwide Mut. Ins. Co. v. Bartels.**

Erie App. No. E-25-059.

Hawkins, J., dissents.

**2026-1039. State v. Smith.**

Lorain App. Nos. 25CA012290 and 25CA012292, [2026-Ohio-2362](#). Appellee's motion to correct party designations and case caption granted.

Kennedy, C.J., dissents in part and would deny the motion.

**2026-1041. In re D.D.**

Muskingum App. No. CT[2025-0105](#), [2026-Ohio-2379](#).

**2026-1042. State v. Richter.**

Lucas App. No. L-25-00008, [2026-Ohio-2386](#). Appellant's motion for leave to file revised memorandum in support of jurisdiction denied.

Kennedy, C.J., and Fischer, J., dissent in part and would grant the motion.

**2026-1048. Rialto on Hurstbourne, L.L.C. v. US LBM Operating Co. 3009, L.L.C.**

Hamilton App. No. C-250077, [2026-Ohio-1179](#).

Hawkins, J., dissents.

**2026-1051. State v. Hinton.**

Wayne App. No. 25AP0054, [2026-Ohio-2453](#).

**2026-1053. State v. Uchyn.**

Darke App. No. 2025-CA-4, [2026-Ohio-58](#).

**2026-1055. Greene Constr. Group, L.L.C. v. Talon Renovations, L.L.C.**

Lucas App. Nos. L-25-00149, L-25-00193, and L-25-00268, [2026-Ohio-2446](#).

**2026-1057. State v. Wagner.**

Pike App. No. 25CA936, [2026-Ohio-2488](#).

**2026-1058. State v. Wagner.**

Pike App. Nos. 25CA935 and 25CA939, [2026-Ohio-2487](#).

**2026-1061. State v. Walker.**

Columbiana App. No. 25 CO 0040, [2026-Ohio-2568](#).

**2026-1069. All Foils, Inc. v. Kulik.**

Cuyahoga App. No. 115306, [2026-Ohio-2534](#).

Brunner, J., dissents.

**2026-1072. State v. Wilkins.**

Scioto App. No. 25CA4126, [2026-Ohio-2971](#).

**2026-1075. State v. Ludwick.**

Highland App. No. 26CA1, [2026-Ohio-2566](#).

**2026-1078. State v. Stout.**

Franklin App. Nos. 24AP-750 and 24AP-751, [2026-Ohio-2495](#).

Brunner, J., dissents.

**2026-1079. State v. Moody.**

Montgomery App. No. 30693, [2026-Ohio-2743](#).

**2026-1080. Hanley v. Hanley.**

Franklin App. No. 25AP-290, [2026-Ohio-2504](#).

**2026-1081. Napoleon Area City School Dist. Bd. of Edn. v. Henry Cty. Cultural Ctr.**

Henry App. No. 7-25-06, [2026-Ohio-2471](#).

**2026-1085. In re C.A.**

Brown App. No. CA2025-12-020.

**2026-1086. State v. Morris.**

Fairfield App. No. 2025 CA 00033, [2026-Ohio-2576](#).

Brunner, J., dissents.

**2026-1087. State v. K.L.Q.**

Franklin App. No. 24AP-342, [2026-Ohio-2491](#).

**2026-1089. Kabaseke v. Univ. Hosps. Cleveland Med. Ctr.**

Cuyahoga App. No. 116247. Appellee's motion to strike notice of appeal and memorandum in support of jurisdiction for lack of service denied.

Fischer, J., dissents in part and would deny the motion as moot.

Brunner, J., dissents in part and would grant the motion.

**2026-1090. Sapp v. Bowen.**

Clermont App. No. CA2025-12-100, [2026-Ohio-2651](#).

**2026-1095. Bednarz v. Henderson Family Ents., Ltd.**

Harrison App. No. 25 HA 0002, [2026-Ohio-2570](#).

**2026-1096. Wheeler v. Durrani.**

Hamilton App. Nos. C-250095 and C-250206, [2026-Ohio-2475](#).

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

Katelyn Dickey, J., of the Seventh District Court of Appeals, sitting for Fischer, J.

David Gormley, J., of the Fifth District Court of Appeals, sitting for Deters, J.

**2026-1097. State v. Luckett.**

Butler App. Nos. CA2026-01-012 and CA2026-01-013, [2026-Ohio-2758](#).

**2026-1099. State v. Scales.**

Cuyahoga App. No. 116179.

**2026-1101. Vance v. Dept. of Pub. Safety.**  
Cuyahoga App. No. 116152, [2026-Ohio-2547](#).

**2026-1109. State v. Coleman.**  
Clark App. No. 2025-CA-47, [2026-Ohio-2634](#).

**2026-1113. State v. Hollie.**  
Trumbull App. No. 2025-T-0094, [2026-Ohio-2665](#).

**2026-1123. State v. DeLisio.**  
Geauga App. No. 2025-G-0043, [2026-Ohio-2658](#).

**2026-1145. Slentz v. Hasington, L.L.C.**  
Carroll App. No. 25 CA 0988, [2026-Ohio-2726](#).

**2026-1152. State v. Hargrove.**  
Mahoning App. No. 25 MA 0097, [2026-Ohio-2728](#).

**2026-1161. Riveredge Dentistry Partnership v. Cleveland.**  
Cuyahoga App. No. 115385, [2026-Ohio-2713](#).  
Kennedy, C.J., dissents.

**2026-1184. State v. Whitman.**  
Stark App. No. 2017 CA 00079.

**2026-1218. Rowley v. Rising Stars Boxing Gym.**  
Franklin App. No. 26AP-63, [2026-Ohio-2505](#).

## RECONSIDERATION OF PRIOR DECISIONS

**2024-0098. In re Application of Moraine Wind, L.L.C.**  
Public Utilities Commission Nos. 21-516-EL-REN, 21-517-EL-REN, 21-531-EL-REN, 21-532-EL-REN, 21-544-EL-REN, and 22-380-EL-REN. Reported at [2026-Ohio-3103](#). On motion for limited reconsideration. Motion denied.

Julia L. Dorrian, J., of the Tenth District Court of Appeals, sitting for Brunner, J.

John R. Willamowski, J., of the Third District Court of Appeals, sitting for Deters, J.

**2025-1055. State ex rel. Bowling v. DeWine.**

Franklin App. Nos. 25AP-191, 25AP-192, and 25AP-193, [2026-Ohio-2313](#). Reported at [2026-Ohio-3208](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

Brunner, J., dissents.

Kristy S. Wilkin, J., of the Fourth District Court of Appeals, sitting for DeWine, J.

**2026-0054. Johnson v. Reynolds.**

Ashtabula App. No. 2025-A-0053, [2025-Ohio-5710](#). Reported at [2026-Ohio-3379](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

**2026-0450. Burge v. Euclid Police Dept.**

Miscellaneous case. Reported at [2026-Ohio-3554](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied. Relator's motion for inspection denied. Respondent Eric M. Levy's renewed request to declare relator a vexatious litigator and to impose statewide filing restrictions denied.

**2026-0566. Shepov v. Saffold.**

In Prohibition. Reported at [2026-Ohio-3181](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

**2026-0686. State ex rel. Martin v. Judges of the Eighth Dist. Court of Appeals.**

In Prohibition. Reported at [2026-Ohio-3181](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

**2026-0691. State v. Mounts.**

Hamilton App. No. C-210608, [2026-Ohio-1443](#). Reported at [2026-Ohio-3129](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

Hawkins, J., dissents.

Deters, J., not participating.

**2026-0695. State ex rel. Martin v. Court of Claims.**

In Prohibition. Reported at [2026-Ohio-3181](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

**2026-0708. State v. Burge.**

Cuyahoga App. Nos. 115282 and 115563, [2026-Ohio-1552](#). Reported at [2026-Ohio-3554](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied. Relator's motion for inspection denied.

**2026-0750. State v. Boyer.**

Pike App. No. 25CA944. Reported at [2026-Ohio-3355](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied. Appellant's request to hold redetermination pending the recusal process denied. Appellant's consolidated and renewed motion to discharge counsel; compel verified accounting and complete client-file production; reconcile Fourth District service, default, and extension record; hold further adjudication in abeyance; and provide counsel denied.

**2026-0760. State v. Sanchez.**

Stark App. No. 2025 CA 00134, [2026-Ohio-1497](#). Reported at [2026-Ohio-3129](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

**2026-0769. Purely Visionary, L.L.C. v. Patrick.**

Lucas App. Nos. L-25-00263 and L-25-00264, [2026-Ohio-2164](#). Reported at [2026-Ohio-3355](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied.

**2026-0798. Boyer v. Supreme Court of Ohio Office of Disciplinary Counsel.**

Miscellaneous case. Reported at [2026-Ohio-3282](#). On motion for reconsideration. Motion denied. Relator's request to hold reconsideration in abeyance pending [2026-0862](#), *State ex rel. Boyer v. Seif*, denied. Relator's renewed requests for preservation and limited public access denied.

Brunner, J., not participating.