

May 29, 2026, Probate Tentative Rulings

1. P21-16890 In the Matter of John W. Chapman

No appearances are required. The Court continues this matter on its own motion to August 28, 2026, at 9:00 a.m., in Department 6. The Court notes deficiencies in the petition to administer. The petition does not include proof of publication. *See* Prob. Code § 8121. Additionally, section 3.f. regarding the nature of the estate has been left blank. Finally, the petition must include certain information regarding the missing person, John Chapman. *See* Prob Code § 12404(c). Petitioner shall provide the outstanding items prior to the continued court date and provide notice of the continued court hearing date.

2. PR0000244 In the Matter of Nychelle O'Callaghan

No appearances are required. The conservatorship of the person shall continue. The conservatorship still appears to be warranted. The Conservators are acting in the best interests of the Conservatee regarding the Conservatee's placement and quality of care, including physical and mental treatment. The next review is set for May 26, 2028, at 9:00 a.m., in Department 6. The court investigation fee for this biennial review is waived.

3. PR0000368 In the Matter of William Trumbo

No appearances are required in connection with the scheduled review hearing. A petition for final distribution has been filed and set for August 7, 2026. The Court confirms the future hearing date.

4. PR0000493 In the Matter of Walter T. Branson

Appearances are required. The Court is favorably inclined to grant the petition for final distribution as prayed. Petitioner shall confirm it is her intention to gift her one-third intestate share of decedent's personal property to decedent's daughters. A proposed order has been submitted.

5. PR0000824 In the Matter of Keith Dean Emmerton

No appearances are required. On the Court's own motion, this petition to transfer community property into the name of Petitioner Jeannie Emmerton solely is continued for a further status conference to August 28, 2026, at 9:00 a.m., in Department 6. This matter will be heard in conjunction with PR0001009, a petition for appointment of a conservator for Petitioner. Should a conservator be appointed for Ms. Emmerton, any duly appointed conservator shall be prepared to advise the Court what actions, if any, conservator intends to take in connection with the instant petition.

6. PR0000867 In the Matter of Kathleen A. Boom

The status hearing regarding statement on appeal is vacated; no appearances are authorized. The Court previously issued a May 27, 2026, certified and final statement on appeal.

7. PR0000911 In the Matter of Victoria Frazer

No appearances are required. On the Court's own motion, this matter is continued to August 28, 2026, at 9:00 a.m., in Department 6. The Court is favorably inclined to grant this request, however, it appears no notice has been provided to all interested parties. Counsel shall provide notice of this request prior to the continued court date.

8. PR0001009 Conservatorship of the Person and Estate of Jeannie Sharon Emmerton

No appearances are required. The Court continues this matter on its own motion to August 28, 2026, at 9:00 a.m., in Department 6. The Court notes no proof of service of citation has been filed. Petitioner shall provide proof of service of the citation prior to the continued court date. Additionally, the Court has not received the investigation report. The Clerk shall provide a copy of the minutes to the Court Investigator. The Clerk shall also telephonically notify the Court Investigator. Petitioner shall provide notice of the continued court hearing date.

9. PR0001012 In the Matter of Sandra Peggy DeCordova

No appearances are required. The petition for administration is granted as prayed. Bond is set at \$331,000.00. Letters shall issue once proof of bond is provided to the Court. A proposed order has been submitted.

10. PR0001015 In the Matter of Donna Chamberlain

No appearances are required. The Court continues this petition to determine succession to primary residence on its own motion to August 28, 2026, at 9:00 a.m., in Department 6. The Court notes deficiencies in the petition. The petition has sections that are either not filled out or do not include the requested attachments. Petitioner is referred to sections 2,7,11,12, 13 and 16 of the petition. Additionally, Petitioner has not provided notice or proof of service of notice of the petition. Petitioner shall submit an amended petition and provide notice as required by law prior to the continued court date.

11. PR0001021 In the Matter of Gregory Paul Smith

No appearances are required. The petition to confirm title of trust property is granted as prayed. A proposed order has been submitted.

12. PR0001022 In the Matter of Kenneth Givens

Appearances are not required. The Court continues the petition for appointment of a conservator of the person and estate to June 10, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 1. The Court Investigator report was filed on May 27, 2026. Conservatee has potentially raised objections and/or expressed reservations according to the Court Investigator. The matter is continued so that all parties may review the same and conduct further consultations/analysis as required. The Sheriff is directed to transport proposed Conservatee to Department 1 on June 10, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. The Clerk shall provide a copy of the minutes to the Sheriff.