

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
PROBATE DIVISION  
MAHONING COUNTY, OHIO

Judge Robert N. Rusu, Jr.

IN THE MATTER OF:	)	CASE NO.: 2017 MC 00 <i>28</i>
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MAHONING COUNTY PROBATE	)	JUDGE ROBERT N. RUSU, JR.
COURT SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND	)	
	)	JUDGMENT ENTRY AND
	)	ORDERS ASSESSING COSTS

This matter came on before the Court this 15th day of May, 2017 upon the Court's own motion regarding a special project fee to be assessed to specific cases, pursuant to O.R.C. §2303.201(E)(1). The Court hereby determines that in order to implement procedures for the funding of special projects, additional funds are required and that a Probate Court Special Projects Fund be established pursuant to O.R.C. §2303.201 (E)(1).

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED** that Notice of a thirty (30) day comment period regarding the special project fee to be assessed to specific cases shall be published in *The Daily Legal News* for four (4) consecutive weeks. Such special project fee shall be in the amount of \$25.00 to be separately charged and collected upon each new civil action, full administration with or without will, guardianship of an incompetent, guardianship of a minor, conservatorship, and each new wrongful death application on or after **July 1, 2017** and that such fees shall be collected in addition to the fees and costs authorized under O.R.C. §2101.16. *The Daily Legal News* shall provide the Court with written confirmation of the publication of such notice immediately after the final publication date thereof.

Further it is the Order of this Court that the Clerk of this Court promptly to provide notice and opportunity for public comment by positing the special project fee on the Court website at [www.mahoningcountyoh.gov/probate](http://www.mahoningcountyoh.gov/probate), and making copies of the this entry available to the public.

It is further directed that under this Order, all of said fees shall be paid to the Mahoning County Treasurer into an account designated by the Mahoning County Auditor and entitled *Probate Court Special Project Fund*.

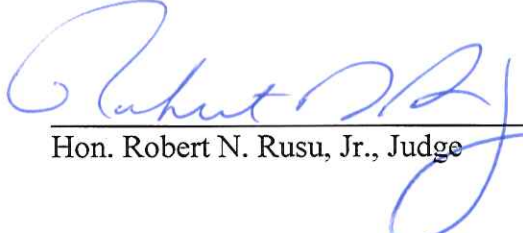
It is further ORDERED that the Mahoning County Treasurer shall place the moneys generated by such fees in such fund to be disbursed solely upon the Order of the undersigned

Probate Judge.

The Clerk is instructed to personally serve a copy of the foregoing *Judgement Entry and Orders* upon any principal or employee of *The Daily Legal News* and to file a return of such service with the Court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

5-15-17  
Date

  
Hon. Robert N. Rusu, Jr., Judge

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