

CONNECTICUT PROBATE ASSEMBLY MEETING

Tuesday, September 22, 2015

1. Call to Order: 1:08 p.m.
2. Pledge of Allegiance – Judge Diane Blick
3. Approval of the June 24, 2015 Minutes
 - Approved
4. Report of the Treasurer – Judge Magistrali
 - Monthly reports for June 2015, July 2015, August 2015
 - Treasurer's reports approved
5. Committee Reports:
 - Education – Judge Becker

Next seminar will be on December 2, 2015. It will be a joint meeting with the CBA.
 - Ethics – Judge Magistrali

The work on the new proposed code is finished

 - A copy will be circulated to everyone
 - The new proposed code will be presented in January 2016 for approval and will begin in July 2016
 - Legislative – Judge Mahon
 - Legislative Committee will have a meeting in early October after the Executive Committee Meeting
 - Funding of probate system will be discussed
 - Nominating – Judge Egan
 - Will send out an e-mail
 - Planning – Judge Brandt
 - Bylaws will be available on the website
 - Committee Heads – we are subject to FOI
 - Procedures Review – Judge Wright
 - We continue to review procedures
 - Suggestion – Judge Caruso – Make it 1 form, 2 pages, rather than 2 forms. This saves \$50.
 - Public Information – Judge Purnell
 - We will support judges
 - We will host a talk on media

6. Remarks of the Probate Court Administrator – Hon. Paul J. Knierim

- Concerned with the large fees, working closely with OPM
- May have to tap into receivable account
- Probate Fee Lien
- Budget Committee
 - Phase I Adjustments – Effective Date: November 7, 2015
 - Budget Committee meeting scheduled for October 28, 2015
- PCA is drafting regulations to clear out those that are obsolete
 - Reg. 10 – Records Management
 - Reg. 22 – Mediation Panel

Thanks to the team of folks

that are supporting the Hartford Court with

Judge Killian's retirement.

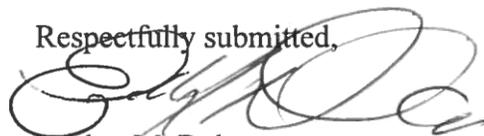
7. Remarks of the President-Judge Elkin

November 11-14, 2015 – NCPJ, Washington, DC – Encourage everyone to attend.
It will be the last conference during Judge Anthony's tenure as President.

8. Adjournment

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the Probate Assembly Meeting.
The motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 1:36 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Evelyn M. Daly
Recording Secretary