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The opposition to the BMC vision was waged with signs by patrons of the meeting.

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Former Boston Mayor Ray Flynn, middle, with his son City Council President Edward Flynn, middle left, and several Irish visitors.

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Shattuck open house: the "vision" not shared by many

Richard Heath
Staff Reporter

The long anticipated in-person open house on what is being called "The redevelopment for the Shattuck campus at Morton Street" was held at Lena Park Community Development Corporation on American Legion Highway on September 19.

As reported by The Bulletin, a coalition of six service providers and two social housing corporations led by the Boston Medical Center have been selected by the state Office of Health and Human services to develop the 13-acre Shattuck Hospital campus at Franklin Park.

The Coalition calls their proposal: "A vision for an innovative model of clinical treatment and supportive housing at the Morton Street campus."

The Coalition's format for the open house was "a walk through of five topic-specific stations" in two rooms of Lena Park, Overview, Design, Clinical Services Housing and Safety; BMC coalition staff would be at each station to answer questions and listen to comments.

About 100 people attended the program.

For days leading up to the open house the inbox of this Bulletin reporter was flooded with emails from Shattuck opponents urging The Bulletin to attend the event to presumably give their cause visibility.

The subject lines were not subtle:

"Stop Opiod Village at Franklin Park" wrote Michelle Davis of Jamaica Plain.



Bob Biggio of BMC hears criticism from neighbor Tracy Henderson

PHOTO BY RICHARD HEATH

"There are so many things wrong with this project it's hard to know where to start. A coalition representing 300 people want to bring to your attention to a disaster in the making."

People walking in the Lena Park door were greeted by a BMC staffer who said the venue was an informal open house and a future more formal presentation was scheduled.

Two flyers were handed out: one from the BMC coalition with an overview of the Morton Street plan and the second a sheet from opponents explaining the plan's defects and checklist of helpful suggestions on "how you can help."

Calling themselves CORES, the Coalition for Region-wide Services beyond Franklin Park, members walked in fortified with hand-made signs and held them up and carried around the hallway. They seemed to be in the majority of those in attendance.

According to Renee Stacey Welch, a CORES member, a CORES delegation had a separate

meeting with BMC the night before, but did not elaborate.

Two uniformed police officers were in the hall as well as two plain-clothes security men.

The event was sort of a cocktail party where a group would circle around a BMC staffer at a station and strike up conversations. Others took advantage of the available 'stickies' to write anonymous statements and post them on the board.

At the housing station was Lydia Scott and Lyndia Downey of Pine Street and architect Kevin Deabler of RODE architects, the designers for Pine Street of 3368 Washington St. supportive housing.

Behind Scott was a board which read "We're here to answer your questions." Under that someone had written, "This is a terrible idea!"

Someone else added, "Many single women and chil-

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Irish Social club welcomes Irish dignitaries

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The Irish Social Club in West Roxbury opened its doors to residents, Irish visitors, Irish politicians, city councilors and even a former mayor this past Saturday to celebrate the contributions of the Irish in Massachusetts.

The night was a culmination of events that dozens of Irish visitors and politicians have gone to this week, including visiting the Boston City Council. Cork Mayor Councilor Frank O'Flynn said during the Sept. 20 meeting of the Boston City Council that western Ireland and Massachusetts have a strong connection in the past, present and, hopefully, the future.

"It is a place where mountains reach the ocean, a blend of urban and rural, where history meets the contemporary," he said. "It is a land where many of you hail ancestry from, in the City of Boston, where so many Irish called their new home in the 19th and 20th century. As a famous son of Massachusetts, John Fitzgerald Kennedy, said of Ireland, 'This is not the land of my birth, but it is a land for which I hold

Irish welcoming
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ACA wants more from Great Scott Taco Bell

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The Allston Civic Association (ACA) met on Wednesday, Sept. 20 with representatives from Cantina Hospitality, which is looking to set up a Taco Bell Cantina at the former location of Great Scott on 1222 Commonwealth Ave. in Allston.

Great Scott was an iconic music venue that closed down dur-

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City pushes for dog parks in every neighborhood

Hannah Heilman
 Staff Reporter

On Friday, Sept. 22, a City Council hearing presented the idea of using city-owned land to create off-leash dog parks in all 21 of Boston’s neighborhoods.

Boston currently has six dog parks and a pilot area within the Boston Common. In a recent land audit, the Wu Administration identified small, unused spaces – which city represen-

tatives are proposing be converted into dog parks.

At the hearing, advocates from ‘Friends of JP Dog Parks’ gave a presentation on the benefits these parks would have, like increased neighborhood safety, aiding in the loneliness epidemic and connecting communities. The group has been around for 20 years and stated that Boston is ranked 75th (or worse) in dog amenities.

“We find that a lot of people who are moving into the city for the first time are surprised and shocked when they find out that there are no amenities for dogs and dog owners,” Melissa Hamel said. “Great cities have great amenities, and I think this is one that people are craving.”

Boston dog owners currently use shared parks to exercise and socialize their dogs. The group said this has led to safety issues, like dogs running into the street because there is no fencing or becoming ill from needles and human waste left in the parks.

The group, along with Councilor Ricardo Arroyo – who co-sponsored the hearing – stated that dog parks contribute to a decrease in crime, as people are always present.

Arroyo said that the issue

has become one of equity. He lives in Hyde Park, where there are no dog parks.

“There’s this idea that dog parks are elitist or are for a specific kind of community,” Arroyo said. “And the way to ensure that is to ensure that you can’t actually reach one within your neighborhood without getting into a car or having to go somewhere.”

Echoing these sentiments, dog park advocate Christopher Arena gave a presentation to the council, in which he said, “The only way to address this is through an equity lens.”

Currently dog parks exist in Dorchester, the South and North Ends, Brighton and Fort Point. Arena said it is a “major issue” that affluent communities have access to dog parks, yet neighborhoods like Mattapan, Hyde Park and Roxbury don’t.

“Dog parks on the western half of the city don’t exist...so I’ll get in my car, I’ll create wasteful emissions and miss the chance to spend dollars in my own neighborhood and meet my own neighbors,” Arena said.

Dog Parks

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Praise for VA Boston Healthcare System

Susan Kryczka
Staff Reporter

Marilyn (Mimi) Cushing can easily be described as a tough, hardworking and passionate lady. In 1965, at the age of 24, the West Roxbury native found herself a single mother of three, with her youngest only six weeks old. She was shocked. "My mother helped but she told me 'Your life doesn't belong to you.'" Mimi immediately got a job. For years she worked, paid the bills, got her kids fed, dressed, and to school on time. She counted her blessings, not her challenges.



Mimi Cushing

She wasn't looking for romance when she met Burton Cushing in 1971. Burt was a U.S. Army veteran, who had served from 1954-1963. He was supporting four sons and working two jobs. By day, he was a manager at Star Market. At night, he cleaned offices. While Mimi was non-committal in the beginning Burt impressed her in all the right ways. "He wouldn't give up. He was a fighter and I'm a fighter. He's very loving. He brought love into our house." After a yearlong courtship, the couple married in 1972. It wasn't always easy managing a blended family with seven kids. There were bumps but always love. "We muddled through. He was wonderful to our children," said Mimi.

and weak. As a veteran, he had always received his healthcare from the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) in Boston. He suffered from tinnitus for many years and had both his knees and shoulders replaced in the 1990s. But tests conducted at the VA in May 2022 determined he needed triple bypass heart surgery. He underwent surgery, then rehab and then ended up back in the hospital during May and June 2022. A few days after returning home, he fell and went back into the hospital. In January, 2023 both he and Mimi were diagnosed with COVID-19. Burt was hospitalized for 13 days. In March 2023 he was diagnosed with bladder cancer and underwent six weeks of chemotherapy. In July 2023 the results were encouraging but a few more weeks of chemo were recommended.

Mimi has lived the full par-

Mimi, 82 and Burt, 88 are still going strong after 51 years, though the last 16 months have been difficult. In March 2022, Burt started to complain about feeling tired

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dren walk the park.”

Families and children seemed to be a recurring argument.

At the Clinical Services set, one note read, “Intentionally placing families and children to live with active users is intentional child abuse.”

The boards at each station were being filled up with colored stickies. Some comments were not subtle. At the Clinical Services station was stuck this memo, “OVER MY DEAD BODY!”

“You can’t keep the dealers out of Franklin Park! NO! NO!

At the Design station there was this:

“Hell NO! You can’t put Mass and Cass in our park and community.”

A reply quickly appeared: “Hell YES! We need to serve all members of our community not just the privileged. There is room for desperately need housing in Franklin Park.”

Bob Biggio, director of real estate for the Boston Medical Center took charge of the Public Safety station. A woman from Mattapan confronted Biggio, saying she could not bring her children to Franklin

Park if the plan was built.

Biggio stood quietly and listened to all, including Christine Poff and Ricky Thompson of the Franklin Park Coalition pressing their opposition.

Other stickies brought up different reasons to oppose the BMC vision.

“Why is the BIPOC [People of Color] neighborhood the answer to all issues?”

“Stop piling on the EJ [environmental justice] neighborhoods.”

The Emerald Necklace Conservancy held a separate open house. While Karen Mauney-Brodek executive director worked the house, Jun Seung Lee policy manager of the ENC set up two maps outside on the entry plaza.

Lee was arguing the point frequently made by the ENC that there are other state-owned properties for the BMC to place its vision; the Shattuck property should be returned to Franklin Park.

One of Lee’s maps showed alternative underutilized, recently sold state-owned properties. The other map showed how many low-threshold supportive housing is scattered

around the city.

One sticky in support of the vision had an unsuspected reference.

“This is a good plan. There’s a smaller hospital in Belmont (McLean) and it is working. We badly need the services and housing for our community members.”

Representative Samantha Montano was at the open house; she is on record as supporting the BMC vision. Senator Liz Miranda is not in support.

Her staff, Kevin Higgins and Rashelle Centilio, were also at the program. Miranda sent her statement of opposition to The Bulletin the next day.

“I am opposing the current proposal because I believe low-threshold, supportive housing and transitional housing must be integrated across our communities on a smaller scale and not clustered in particular neighborhoods who’ve experienced the brunt of injustice [and] disinvestment.

“The current proposal could have 1,000 people at a time and in my view that’s setting them up to fail. The BMC coalition [should] explore smaller scale development.”

In a message a day later to the Bulletin one participant judged the open house as “a passive-aggressive way to allow the community to have a ‘voice’ and caused confusion.”

“There was no presentation [and] not a meeting to get the sentiments of the community.”

Dog Parks

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Following community panelist presentations, Council President Ed Flynn asked if the city would be held liable for injuries, like dog bites, sustained within the parks. Parks and Recreation Commissioner Ryan Woods responded that they would be, but that fenced-in parks made just for dogs and their owners would increase public safety, as opposed to the current model of shared space parks.

Other questions revealed that there are just over 10,000 dogs registered in Boston, but that this is a small fraction of the actual number of dogs in the city. Each dog park will cost roughly \$300,000, will utilize pea gravel to aid in drainage and maintenance, and will need 10,000 square feet of space. The idea of micro-dog parks was suggested, which would be built into small, awkward spaces identified in the land audit.

In closing, Chair and Councilor Kendra Lara pushed for a more comprehensive plan.

“There has to be something substantial that lets people know that we are actually moving towards that vision,” Lara said. “We want to give the people in the neighborhood what they want, but there has to be some kind of transparent, open process for people to be able to say what it is that they want to see there,” referring to the open spaces identified in the land audit.

For further information, visit boston.gov. Comments and questions can be emailed ccc.ep@boston.gov.

Legals

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

In re the Custody of:
A.H.A., DOB: August 30, 2018

Fowzia Farah Ahmed
Petitioner,
and
Hussein Abdisalam Mohammed
Respondent.

DISTRICT COURT
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case Type: Custody and Parenting Time
Court File No.:

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, TO THE ABOVE-NAMED RESPONDENT, HUSSEIN ADBISALAM MOHAMMED, [ADDRESS]:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to serve upon Petitioner’s attorney an Answer to the Petition to Establish Custody and Parenting Time which is herewith served upon you, within **thirty (30) days** after service of this Summons upon you, not including the day of service. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Petition.

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The object of this proceeding is establishment of custody and parenting time.

NOTICE OF PARENT EDUCATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS
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Dated: July 24, 2023

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Taco Bell *continued from page 1*

ing the pandemic and was unable to reopen due to issues with the building's landlord. Representatives from Taco Bell said they want to turn the location into a "hip" area for getting quick food. The restaurant will have counter service and they are planning on having a beer and wine license with service, along with a proposed 3 a.m. closing time for food and 1 a.m. for alcohol (3:30 a.m. for food on weekends).

Representative Jim Rooney said they want to pay tribute to the history of the building's former concert hall as well as incorporating local artists into the building as much as the group's business plan allows.

"We understand the local connection to local artists," he said, adding they have been put in contact with local artist Nick Grieco. "We want to incorporate that into the scheme of the restaurant, from the 'now hiring' signage, all the way into the interior of the building. We respect the history of Great Scott; we understand the importance of it to the neighborhood, and we would never do anything to damage that history in any way."

Rooney said Grieco will also help them design an interior mural specific to the neighborhood.

Representative Tom Miller said they were taking comments from residents into consideration from a recent abutters meeting.

"They wanted local involvement on the unique murals that go into every one of these (restaurants)," Miller said. "And

we're working on that."

Miller added that the Cantina model includes adapting to its local surroundings and blending in with the community.

"Each one of these cantinas is different and is designed to fit in with the local area," he said. "If you visit the two different stores in Brookline, they are different; the South Boston location is different and these will be different than those other ones. This, because of its location and the history of its location, is going to have a stronger connection to Allston, Great Scott and the artist community."

Upland Architect Bob Medeiros said the design and the atmosphere of the restaurant will cater to a younger crowd.

"The Taco Bell of today isn't the Taco Bell we all grew up with," he said. "The Taco Bell today is high energy, it's a hip vibe; it offers the option for folks who are seeking some quick food to fit their needs, too"

The response from residents was generally positive, but some felt more could be done. For example, the main connection to the arts the team proposed was an interior and/or exterior mural designed by a local artist.

"The wall space for a local artist is fantastic, but is there any chance that some wall space could be permanently dedicated to reminding people who the prior tenant was of the space?" asked ACA President Tony D'Isidoro.

"I think that's a possibility,"

said Miller.

"I would ask that maybe you and the neighborhood kind of present us with some ideas that we could present to our franchiser, but I think we would be more than willing to recognize the history there, without a doubt," Rooney said.

Resident and candidate for Boston City Council District 9 Jacob deBlecourt said he feels there could be more in terms of art and music in the space.

"Well I'm appreciative of the gallery wall, but truth be told, like a lot of mom and pop shops are offering gallery walls. For a larger franchisee of Taco Bell, there's probably a little bit more we could be doing. Maybe we could dedicate a small space in the store for maybe one person to do an open mic night or something like that and, in addition to that, looking into maybe creating a fund for artists in the neighborhood."

deBlecourt added he felt the gallery wall was a good start.

"As much as it is appreciated, it's obviously not a replacement for all that Great Scott was able to offer to the neighborhood," he said. "So I'm hoping we could think collaboratively to do more for the artists in the neighborhood."

Miller said they would consider it.

"The business model in the past hasn't really involved live entertainment, but that's something we'll talk about and figure out if it's something we can incorporate and something to make more long-lasting connections

with the artists in the community," he said.

Resident Sirine Mansouri said Taco Bell is currently capitalizing off of alternative musicians in their promotions and advertising.

"I think if we really want to lean into this idea of a hip Taco Bell, we should be cognizant of the area it's taking up," she said. "Especially where there was a great loss of the Great Scott. I think we can do and should do more than a corner in the Taco Bell. Small mom and pop organizations have managed to do that, so I think we can ask a little bit more from Taco Bell."

Resident Richard Meinke agreed.

"I know it could be tough with the business model to support live entertainment, but I

think we could come up with more," he said.

Resident Bob Pessek said he felt other folks in the neighborhood could use a boost too.

"Give the artists a fund if you want, but also hold some money back for the people who make you successful, the people who work in your shops, the cooks and the dishwashers," he said. "There are a lot of immigrants in our community, and a lot of them work like hell doing menial jobs. There are so many venues and avenues to take some of your money to help the folks who really run things here."

To see the whole meeting and keep up with the ACA, go to <http://www.allstonscivicassociation.org>

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Docket No. SU23D0721DR**

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Suffolk Probate and Family Court, 24 New Chardon Street, Boston, MA 02114

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Date: September 19, 2023
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

Boston Bulletin: 09/28/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department**

CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME Docket No. SU22C0585CA

In the matter of: Jamaal Ihsan Haynes **Suffolk Probate and Family Court
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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
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Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

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To all interested persons:

A Petition for **S/A - Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Fredrick Anzalone of Roslindale, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Frederick Anzalone of Roslindale, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 11/06/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court.

Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court
Date: September 25, 2023
Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET NO. SU23P2080EA

Estate of: Marie Fahey
Also known as: Mary M. Fahey, Marie MacKinnon
Date of Death: 02/17/2023

**Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Donald MacKinnon of Framingham, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Donald MacKinnon of Framingham, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court
Date: September 22, 2023
Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**SUFFOLK Division
Docket No. SU23P2018PM**

CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF CONSERVATOR OR OTHER PROTECTIVE ORDER PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304 §5-405

In the matter of: Junell Donaldson
Of: Boston, MA

**RESPONDENT
(Person to be Protected/Minor)**

To The named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by **Sherrill House of Boston, MA** in the above captioned matter alleging that **Junell Donaldson** is in need of a Conservator or other protective order and requesting that **Jonathan J. Davey, Esq. of Quincy, MA** (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Conservator to serve **With Corporate Surety** on the bond.

The petition asks the Court to determine that the Respondent is disabled, that the protective order or appointment of Conservator is necessary, and that the proposed Conservator is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court.

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of **10/17/2023**. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.

Witness, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court
Date: September 19, 2023
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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2001EA

Estate of: E'Dontremont L. Terry
Date of Death: 03/22/2018

**Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Late and Limited Formal Testacy and/or Appointment** has been filed by: **Ardrenda Townsend of Hyde Park, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Ardrenda Townsend of Hyde Park, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **With Personal Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 10/26/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court
Date: September 14, 2023
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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**SUFFOLK Division
Docket No. SU22P251HGD**

NOTICE AND ORDER: PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN OF A MINOR

In the interests of: Illumi Owens
Of: Hyde Park, MA
Minor

**Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114**

NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

- Hearing Date/Time:** A hearing on a Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor filed on **11/09/2022 by Tyhisha D. Owens** of Hyde Park, MA will be held **11/07/2023 08:30 AM Guardianship of Minor Hearing** Located **24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA**
- Response to Petition:** You may respond by filing a written response to the Petition or by appearing in person at the hearing. If you choose to file a written response, you need to: File the original with the Court; and Mail a copy to all interested parties at least (5) business days before the hearing.
- Counsel for the Minor:** The minor (or an adult on behalf of the minor) has the right to request that counsel be appointed for the minor.
- Counsel for the Parents:** If you are a parent of the minor child who is the subject of this proceeding you have a right to be represented by an attorney. If you want an attorney and cannot afford to pay for one and if you give proof that you are indigent, an attorney will be assigned to you. Your request for an attorney should be made immediately by filling out the Application of Appointment of Counsel form. Submit the application form in person or by mail at the court location where your case is going to be heard.
- Presence of the Minor at Hearing:** A minor over the age of 14 has the right to be present at any hearing, unless the Court finds that it is not in the minor's best interests.

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particulars of the VA health system in the past year-and-a-half. She said it's been arduous managing Burt's illnesses. She said she feels, however, it's been made better by the extraordinary level of care Burt has received at the VA.

"Everyone was so good to him. I would bring a couple of boxes of Joe and donuts and muffins because they were so good to him. They'd say 'Mrs. Cushing, you don't have to do this.' But how else can I show my appreciation?"

She said she was always included in his care when he was hospitalized. "They took care of him. When it was difficult, they called me. I wish I could go to each and every one of them and let them know how I feel." She says the VA has continued that support as Burt requires outpatient services. She receives regular check-in calls from the staff about his progress and is on a first name basis with many of them.

At a time when all health care systems are feeling the strain of serving more long-term patients with serious illnesses that can drain staff resources, the Cushings at least said the VA took good

care of them.

Dr. Paul Conlin, Chief, Medical Services at VA Boston Healthcare System, said he understands well the needs of an aging veteran population. He oversees all medical services at the hospital, including cardiology, oncology, and pulmonary services. Conlin is gratified that Mimi is so pleased with the care Burt is receiving, "It gives you that warm feeling that says, that's why I do what I do."

Conlin attributes the VA's level of care, first, to its mission. "The mission of the VA is to take care of veterans. We do so without regard, for the most part, for cost. We provide what they need." Private sector facilities operate on an income and revenue basis generated by patient visits, unlike the VA. "The VA is charged with and provided with a budget to care for people to provide for their total needs. We can make decisions about what people need without worrying about, well, is this going to be revenue generating or for the most part, what is the cost to the system?" It's an enviable system of care. "When you have as large a system as we do it kind of balances out in

the end. Our highest priority is to provide quality care and we do so, or at least we attempt to do so, across all of our systems, whether it be inpatient or the out-patient."

Along with the mission, Conlin said he sees other factors at play, that of culture and leadership. A substantial percentage of the VA workforce are veterans themselves. "That's a unique part of our culture. VA Boston in particular has very strong and enlightened leadership that I think do their best to inculcate that mission to employees." Conlin specifically cited those who work in palliative care. "They are a superb group of individuals. They are committed. They are caring. Their goal is to help veterans at the end of life." The service is offered at home or at the hospice unit in the VA Brockton Campus for those who require significant support.

The care Conlin describes is apparent when speaking to Mai Pha, the nurse practitioner in cardiology who has been helping Burt since his heart surgery over a year ago. Pha describes the help she gives patients as designed specifically for them. "It can be every two weeks, once a

month. There's a lot of clinic visits as well as telephone visits." Close follow-up depends on the individual patient. "The good thing about the VA is we offer patient-centered care. We are available. They can call us and talk to us...they have my direct phone, so they are speaking to me directly." Pha views this as unique. "I have not seen this kind of support outside the VA. I am very fortunate to be part of their care."

Burt is now receiving palliative services at home. Mimi is still working. She holds two part-time jobs, one at a local

Dunkin' and the other at Foxboro Stadium as a suite attendant assisting with the food and beverages for private parties and guests. She works all the Patriots home games even when it's on a holiday or at night. She is a loyal fan. Ever self-sufficient, she drives herself from West Roxbury to the stadium and back.

But Burt's needs always come first. When she's not at home, she calls him every hour. She credits the VA for extending Burt's life. "I didn't think I'd be telling this story. I didn't think I would have him," she says.

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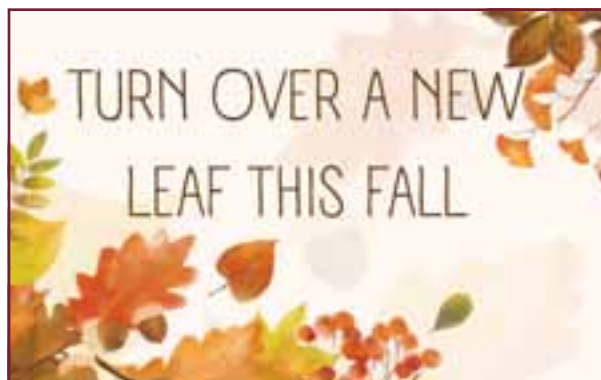


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Betty J., (Scurrah) It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing of Betty Jane Connor (Scurrah) on September 14, 2023, at the age of 86. She departed after a truly heroic battle at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Boston, Massachusetts. Born in Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts on January 6, 1937 to Muriel (Sands) and James Scurrah, Betty was known for her sharp wit, her affinity for a good pun, her sweet tooth, and her enthusiasm as an avid golf

and tennis fan. Her love for family was evident in every interaction, and she held a special place in her heart for dear friends in the Once-a-Month-Club and her beloved sisters, especially Muriel. She was the treasured mother to Christopher Connor (Francesca), Susan Eastman (Eric), and Jon Connor. As a grandmother, her joy was unmistakable when surrounded by Christopher Jr., Isabella, Julianna, and Matthew. A graduate of Jamacia Plain High School, Betty had a fulfilling professional life at Sears & Roebuck and later Decelle's. But it was her quirks that made Betty truly unique. Her favorite meal was breakfast, lovingly prepared by her favorite son-in-law Eric. Betty delighted in a cup of tea while adding incredible details and playfully correcting other people's stories, a trait that brought many a chuckle to family gatherings. Betty was predeceased by her beloved husband, John, and her siblings: Ruth, Vir-

ginia, Barbara, Patricia, James, and Nancy. In memory of Betty, the family kindly requests that, in lieu of flowers, donations be made to: Marc Schermerhorn, MD, Vascular Surgery Research, 110 Francis Street, Suite 5B, Boston, MA 02215 Betty's vibrant spirit, her love of family, and her remarkable hidden strength will forever be remembered by all whom she touched.

GARUFI

Paula A. (McDonough) Our beloved mother, of Dedham, passed away peacefully at home with family by her bedside on September 20, 2023. She was 89 years old. Paula was born on July 14, 1934 in West Roxbury, a place near and dear to her heart. Always smiling she had endless energy and was a very loving and kind hearted woman. She graduated at the age of 16 years young from Roslindale High School, Class of 1951, and then went on to graduate from Boston Clerical School. She could type with fluid precision and immediately landed a job at Dow Chemical in Boston. When not working she could be found either listening to or dancing to Irish music. She met the love of her life at an Irish dance, Philip Garufi and her Irish eyes were smiling on that evening. They married on September 4, 1955 and adored one another for nearly 67 years. Together they raised four children and she relished her role as a wife and mother. She loved to bake, was a fabulous cook and was very involved in the children's activities. She was honored to be a member of the Xaverian Brother's Mother Guild, the Greenlodge P.T.A. Dedham Little League and was a devout member of St. Mary's Church. When not baking or cooking she savored her family vacations and daily swims in West Dennis. Her

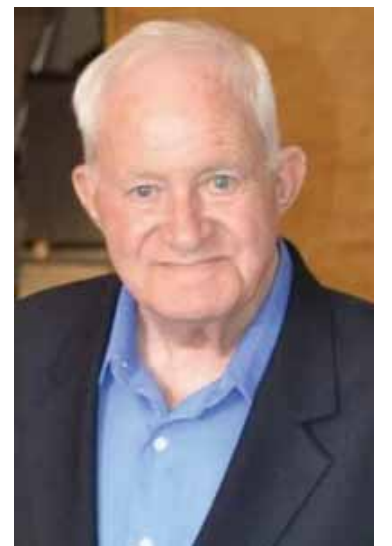
lifelong passion was following the Boston Red Sox and there was excitement in the air on Opening Day. Mom was unmatched on statistics and players alike and was a "Fenway Faithful" right up until her death. She leaves behind four children: Philip (Mary), Stephen (Emily), Paula Marie and Kevin (Vanessa). In addition she is survived by her sister June and her husband Donald Preskenis of Harwich, and her sister-in-laws Marie Burns and Rita Garufi. She is survived by six grandchildren: Elizabeth, Beau, Molly, Cara, Dom, and Alexa and 14 nieces and nephews. She was predeceased in death by her beloved husband Philip, her parents Dr. Edward and Isabel McDonough, her sister Gail Sullivan, her in-laws, Philip and Marie Garufi and her brother-in-laws Francis Garufi and Paul Burns. Funeral from the George F. Doherty & Sons Wilson-Cannon Funeral Home, 456 High St., Dedham. In lieu of flowers please donate to The New England Home for Little Wanderers, 10 Guest St. Boston, MA 02135. Arrangements by George F. Doherty & Sons Funeral Home.

O'BRIEN

Sister Mary Grace, C.V.I., died on Monday, September 4, 2023, at the age of 93. She was born on December 16, 1929, to Michael and Margaret O'Brien in Boston, MA. At the age of 13, at her Confirmation, she was inspired to consider a vocation to religious life. She entered the Congregation of the Incarnate Word and Blessed Sacrament on May 22, 1948, and made her final Profession of Vows on August 15, 1954. She was very proud of her "Boston roots" and enjoyed returning for wonderful family gatherings. She earned her B.A. Degree from the University of St. Thomas, Houston, TX, her M.A. Degree from the Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C. and her M.S. from Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL. In her ministry as a teacher or principal, Sister served in elementary and high schools in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston and in the Diocese of Beaumont. Sister Mary Grace was dedicated to her religious community. She served as a Congregational leader, first, as a counselor and then as the general superior. As superior, she showed vision, coupled with practicality, in relocating the Motherhouse and spearheading major renovations at Incarnate Word Academy. She was a strong advocate for those less fortunate and in her leadership role in

the Congregation encouraged her community and her sisters to be the same. In 1986, Archbishop Joseph Fiorenza invited Sr. Mary Grace to be Secretariat & Director of Christian Formation for the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. She served well and as awareness of her many gifts and talents became better known, she was asked to serve on many diocesan and state board committees. Sr. Mary Grace was preceded in death by her parents and siblings. She is survived by her sister, Kathleen (Kay) Malone and nieces and nephews. Services were held Motherhouse of the Sisters of the Incarnate Word and Blessed Sacrament, 3400 Bradford Street, Houston, TX 77025. Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.earthmanbellaire.com for the O'Brien family.

STEWART



Ronald D. of Roslindale, passed away on September 19, 2023. Husband of Mary (Manning) Stewart. Former husband and longtime friend of Geraldine Stewart O'Leary. Devoted father of Kathleen Ambrosio and her husband Luis of Stoughton, Karyn Stewart of Roslindale, Maureen Karageanis and her husband William of Norwood, and Ronald Stewart and his partner Jennifer Ratcliffe of Stoughton. Loving grandfather of Brittany Gay, Shalyn Hiltz, Thomas and Joseph Stewart, and the late John Fox. Brother of the late Francis, Alexander, and Richard Stewart. Ronald served in the United States Army. Funeral from the P.E. Murray - F.J. Higgins, George F. Doherty and Sons Funeral Home 2000 Centre St. West Roxbury. Expressions of sympathy may be made in Ronald's memory Hebrew Senior Life C/O Memory Care Unit 7000 Great Meadow Rd. Dedham, MA 02026. Arrangements by P.E. Murray - F.J. Higgins, George F. Doherty & Sons Funeral Home, West Roxbury.

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In gratitude for helping me.
—M.W.

Prayer to the Blessed Virgin
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Oh, most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this necessity. Oh Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my mother. Oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech thee from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand your power. Oh Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (three times). Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands (three times). Say this prayer for three consecutive days and then you must publish and it will be granted to you.

—V.C.

Miracle Prayer

Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked You for many favours. This time, I ask you this very special one (mention favour). Take it, dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within Your own broken heart where Your Father sees it. Then, in His merciful eyes, it will become Your favour, not mine. Amen. Say for three days, promise publication and favour will be granted.

—V.C.

Novena to St. Clare

Ask St. Clare for three favors, 1 business, 2 impossible. Say nine Hail Marys for nine days, with lighted candle. Pray whether you believe or not. Publish on the ninth day. Powerful novena. Say "May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, adored, glorified, now and forever, throughout the whole world. Amen." *Your request will be granted, no matter how impossible it may seem.*

—V.C.

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the greatest affection.' It is that affection that has not only united our past, but continues to unite us and unite our future."

The night also focused on the contributions of the Sullivan family. John Owen Sullivan came here before the Revolution and taught in Berwick Maine. He had three sons who all fought in the American Revolution. John L. Sullivan was a heavyweight boxing champion, and Anne Sullivan was the instructor and lifelong friend of Helen Keller. All were celebrated on posters around the Social Club, but one Sullivan stood out that night. Kelly Sullivan, the granddaughter of Albert Sullivan, who perished with her four brothers in World War II on the U.S.S. Juneau. The loss of those men changed the structure of the United States Military at the time and inspired several films and stories, including 'Saving Private Ryan.'

Kelly Sullivan said it was her first time to Boston and that it is a wonderful city.

"I love this city," she said. "I'm an Iowa girl, and I'm not big into cities there, but Boston has always been one of the cities I wanted to visit, and it's been great with my Sullivan family."

Sullivan said her favorite trip so far had been to the U.S.S. Constitution, where she met Captain B.J. Farrell, the ship's first woman commander.

"They rolled out the red carpet for us because I'm the sponsor of the U.S.S. The Sullivans and my executive officer is friends with her and he arranged some stuff which was great," she said. "I didn't get to fire any cannons

though."

Sullivan said she also got to see the Massachusetts Statehouse and Legislature.

"We were treated at the House of Representatives and the Senate, and everybody was just so kind," she said. "More than anything it was amazing to spend time with the Sullivan family. They're just amazing people, and we're everywhere."

Boston City Council President Edward Flynn said having them at the council hearing was a great honor. He said both mayors addressed the council and then two harp players regaled the council with music. Flynn said he and his family have some history with both counties.

"So I and my family have a relationship with this group of elected officials in Cork and Galloway, because I was on the U.S.S. The Sullivans in 2002 when we went from our port in Florida to Cove, which is in Cork," he said. "It was a historic trip, and my family is also from Cork."

Flynn said the event at the Irish Social Club was a great time.

"It's a wonderful group of people, and I'm honored to be here with my parents to recognize the contributions and sacrifices coming to America and to Boston and helping to build both this great city and this great country was," he said. "As the president of the Boston City Council it was an honor for me to officially welcome Cork and Kerry to Boston."

Flynn's father, former Boston Mayor Raymond Flynn, said he's been talking to several of the more than 53 members of the Irish del-

egation, and he said they've been getting a great reception in Boston.

"A lot of them don't even want to go back, they want to stay a little bit longer," he said.

"I asked him could I stay later," said Irish Councilor Sorcha Healy. "I just think it's incredible that such a small country like Ireland has such strong links to the people of Boston, who, I might add, are the best people I've ever met in my life."

Flynn at this point started singing along to the band playing the song, 'The Fields of Athenry.' But Healy continued.

"We've been in Boston since Monday, and it's been an incredible experience," she said. "I've been here before, about 15 years ago. It's changed quite a bit, but it's got the same friendly, kind-hearted people with a lot of honesty and bite. I love it."

Joseph Blake said he was excited to cross the pond and celebrate 300 years of collaboration.

"We've been here; we've been to city hall and yesterday we were out at Berwick, Maine. Today we visited the U.S.S. Constitution, and this evening we're out here at the fantastic Irish Social Club, it's been absolutely fantastic," he said. "We've been out to see the Patriots, and we saw a little bit of baseball too. And some of us are going to ice hockey tomorrow. There's been lots of Irish people who have come out to Boston in the last 150 years, and we're very lucky to have Kelly Sullivan here who is the granddaughter of Albert Sullivan here too."



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Around the Neighborhood

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Join in the next quarterly meeting of the Join in the next quarterly meeting of the Community Input Board (CIB) of Hyde Park on Thursday, September 28, at 7:00 PM via Zoom, as we continue to move forward in our collective ideas to help shape the Hyde Park we want to see. Your contribution is valuable! ALL HYDE PARKERS ARE WELCOME!! It's all of our community!

The agenda will include: Notable updates/announcements, Where are we with the 2023/2024 Goals?, Proposed Cannabis business and Open Floor for concerns/ideas

The regular quarterly meetings' Zoom link is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82752071679?pwd=tjUWVhSMWZlZlBcVWVNS9aXV3Zz09>

ROSIE'S PLACE HARVEST BRUNCH

The West Roxbury Friends of Rosie's Place invite you to its Annual Harvest Brunch and Raffle on Sunday, November 5th from 10:00-12:00 noon. Join us for a festive brunch to raise money for Rosie's Place, a multi-service center that offers women emergency shelter and meals and so much more, the Rosie's Place food pantry, the Roslindale Food Pantry, and camperships to send children who would otherwise not be able to attend to summer camp programs. It will be held at the Irish Social Club, 119 Park Street, West Roxbury. Gift certificates and items from your favorite local restaurants and shops will be raffled-off.

Join the fun and connect with your friends over brunch while helping neighbors in need. Admission is \$25.00. You may pay at the door, by

check to WRFORP, PO Box 320076, West Roxbury, MA 02132 or by credit card on our website westroxburyfriendsofrosiesplace.org. If you need additional information, please call 617-469-4199. If you can't join us, please consider making a donation to support our work at <https://westroxburyfriendsofrosiesplace.org/donate/>.

WE MOVE IN COLOR AT THE STRAND THEATRE

We hope you and your family can attend this spectacular event next month at the Strand Theatre. We Move in Color is a drama, dance and spoken word performance using the immersive art that features the work of renowned artists Paul Goodnight and Lou Jones. Shows are October 6th and 7th at 7pm. Tickets are now on sale at wemoveincolor.com. Reserve your seat now before the show sells out!

WESTIEFEST IS CALLING ALL VENDORS

WestieFest Community Festival is back. Join us for a fun filled day with music, food, activities, local artisans and more at Billings Field on October 21 from 12:00 to 4:00 pm. Visit westiefest.info for more details.

HPYBA REGISTRATION OPEN

The Hyde Park Youth Basketball Association has open registration this Saturday, Sept. 30 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Boston Centers for Youth and Families (BCYF) Hyde Park Community Center location at 1179 River St. Skills evaluations are set for Oct. 7 and 14 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the same location.

Legals

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court**

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE **Docket No. SU23P2032EA**

Estate of: Nicolas George Pouloupoulos **Suffolk Division**
Also known as: Nicolas Pouloupoulos
Date of Death: June 16, 2023

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of **Petitioner Ann Pouloupoulos of West Roxbury, MA**
a Will has been admitted to informal probate
Ann Pouloupoulos of West Roxbury, MA
 has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.
 The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court**

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE **Docket No. SU23P1996EA**

Estate of: Mary F. Fraser **Suffolk Division**
Also known as: Mary Fraser
Date of Death: August 11, 2023

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of **Petitioner: Emily R. Fraser of Boston, MA**
Emily R. Fraser of Boston, MA
 has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.
 The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2042EA

Estate of: Robert Miller
Date of Death: 07/11/2023

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
 24 New Chardon Street
 Boston, MA 02114
 (617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Kay Shook of Wichita Falls, TX** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Kay Shook of Wichita Falls, TX** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 11/03/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn,
 First Justice of this Court.
 Date: September 22, 2023
 Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2024EA

Estate of: Mark George Samuelian
Also known as: Mark G. Samuelian
Date of Death: 06/22/2022

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
 24 New Chardon Street
 Boston, MA 02114
 (617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Laura Dominguez of Miami, FL** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Laura Dominguez of Miami, FL** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M on the return day of 11/01/2023 This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn,
 First Justice of this Court.
 Date: September 20, 2023
 Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2087EA

Estate of: Edward Lee Perry
Date of Death: 03/16/2023

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
 24 New Chardon Street
 Boston, MA 02114
 (617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Slocumb Hollis Perry of Chestnut Hill, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Slocumb Hollis Perry of Chestnut Hill, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 10/31/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn,
 First Justice of this Court.
 Date: September 22, 2023
 Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P1480EA

Estate of: Debra Ann Matson
Date of Death: 11/14/2022

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
 24 New Chardon Street
 Boston, MA 02114
 (617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **S/A - Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by: **Thomas J. Matson of Raynham, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Thomas J. Matson of Raynham, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 10/19/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn,
 First Justice of this Court
 Date: September 07, 2023
 Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin: 09/28/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET NO. SU23P2007EA

Estate of: Maureen F. Rooney
Date of Death: 09/03/2023

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
 24 New Chardon Street
 Boston, MA 02114
 (617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Susan C. Rooney of Seattle, WA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Susan C. Rooney of Seattle, WA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 10/19/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn,
 First Justice of this Court
 Date: September 15, 2023
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