



**Summit County
Domestic Relations Court**

Administrative Judge Katarina Cook

Hon. Katarina Cook
Administrative Judge

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Judge

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Justice Rolls into Twinsburg

The Ohio Justice Bus will return to Summit County as Domestic Relations Court holds hearings at Public Library.

The Ohio Justice Bus will be returning to Summit County on **Friday, June 16th, 2023, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM at the Twinsburg Public Library.** The Summit County Domestic Relations Court recognizes the great need for legal aid to individuals who might not otherwise have access to justice.

The Court has partnered with Child Support Enforcement Agency, Community Legal Aid, Victim Assistance Program, GASP, Keys 2 Serenity, and Asian Services In Action to offer a range of resources. Community Legal Aid will host a clinic on Divorce without Children. Pre-Registration is required. All those interested should contact: Community Legal Aid at 1-800-998-9454.

The Court has also partnered with the Twinsburg Police Department, Victim Assistance Program, and Twinsburg Public Library to provide No-Cost Childcare and children's activities. GASP will be providing free identification kits, and there's an ice cream truck too!

The Court is also seeking Volunteer attorneys. The Ohio Justice Bus will be providing free CLE's at 10:30 AM for those attorneys in attendance. Contact the Court's Community Outreach Director or visit <https://drcourt.org/wp/volunteer-registration/> to sign up. Your help matters!

Administrative Judge Katarina Cook shared, "This event is a game-changer for the Summit County Community. The Domestic Relations Court's Event is a unique opportunity to bring justice closer to the people and make it more accessible for everyone."

For more information about this event, or to register please visit <https://drcourt.org/wp/ojb-registration/>



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Mission Statement of the Summit County Domestic Relations Court

The mission of the Summit County Domestic Relations Court is to provide fair, effective and compassionate legal resolution to conflicts involving families and children within the parameters defined by Ohio law.

Vision Statement

The Court will provide equal access to a fair and effective system of justice for all without excess cost, inconvenience, or delay, with sensitivity to an increasingly diverse society.

The Court hears and rules on Domestic Relations cases, which includes:

- Divorce
- Dissolution
- Annulments
- Legal Separations
- Parentage Cases involving Unmarried Parents
- Legal Custody Cases involving minor children who are not wards of another court
- Parental rights & Parenting Time
- Child Support
- Civil Protection Orders
- Dating Violence Protection Orders

Summit County Domestic Relations Court Main Website: <https://drcourt.org/wp/>

For Photos, Video, or other media please contact the Community Outreach Director.