

**Superior Court of California, County of Tuolumne**  
**Consolidated Calendar**  
**Commissioner Steven Streger**

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<b>Department 5</b>	<b>March 13, 2026</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>DA Case #</b>	<b>Date Filed</b>
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<b>1</b>	<b>PR12436</b>	<b>Estate of Joyce Bratcher</b>		<b>03/21/2024</b>
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**Kristi Allen** Pro Per

**Joyce Bratcher**

**Review Hearing - Report - Probate Code 12200**

**FURTHER**

**03/21/2024** Petition

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Petitioner has yet to file §12251 petition. Court intends to dismiss petition nevertheless, but without a discharge of petitioner.

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<b>2 PR12629</b>	<b>Estate of Michelle Elam</b>			04/08/2025
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<b>Danielle Tilbury</b>	Attorney: Gary Dambacher
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<b>Joseph Batto</b>	Attorney: Rodney Augustine
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<b>Kristine Cordero</b>	Attorney: Gary Dambacher
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**Final Distribution Hearing**

**02/23/2026 Final Distribution**

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No appearance is necessary.

Before the Court this day is the petition to approve the proposed estate distribution, complete with reimbursements, a quasi creditor claim, statutory fees and extraordinary fees. After careful review, this Court concludes that the proposed distribution shall be approved in all respects. Court intends to sign the proposed order filed therewith.



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<b>4</b>	<b>PR12667</b>	<b>In re The Robert and Rosamond Sagaser Trust dated March 9, 2005</b>		<b>06/23/2025</b>
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**Joseph Warren Sagaser**

Attorney: Nicholas Yonano

**Matthew Sagaser**

Attorney: Carrie McKernan

**Review Hearing**

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**06/23/2025 Petition**

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06/24/2025 Gloria Doehring
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No appearance is necessary.

By request of the parties, the hearing is continued to 05/08/2026 @ 8:30 a.m.  
Notice is waived.



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<b>6</b>	<b>PR12737</b>	<b>The Estate of Dora Mae Hartman</b>		12/05/2025
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**Robert Anthony Hartman** Attorney: Yet Not Entered

**Dora Mae Hartman**

**Review Hearing**

Letters of Admin/Publication status.

**12/05/2025** Petition

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No appearance is necessary.

In as much as there is still no proof of publication in the court file (see §8124), and no proof of having given notice of this hearing, Court intends to continue the hearing to 04/24/2026 at 8:30 a.m. Clerk to give notice.



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<b>8</b>	<b>PR12745</b>	<b>The Estate of Matthew Beauchamp</b>			<b>01/21/2026</b>
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**David L Beauchamp**

Attorney: Carrie McKernan

**Matthew Beauchamp**

**Letters of Administration**

**01/21/2026 Petition**

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01/21/2026 LP Labels Needed
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No appearance is necessary.

Before the Court this day is a petition to open probate and issue Letters of Administration with IAEA authority to the decedent's sole next of kin. Publication is complete, as is the nonresident registration. Court intends to grant petition, issue the letters and set 8800/12200 review dates. As there is no proposed order on file, issuance of the letters may be delayed.





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<b>11</b>	<b>PR12235</b>	<b>Conservatorship of Bradley Carl Sturm</b>		<b>02/01/2023</b>
		<b>Gordon Sturm</b>	Attorney: Jennifer Lothert	
		<b>Bradley Carl Sturm</b>		
		<b>Jennifer Galindo</b>	Attorney: Jennifer Lothert	
		<b>Venessa Lines</b>	Attorney: Jennifer Lothert	
		<b>Review Hearing - Investigator Report - PR Code 1850</b>		

**02/01/2023** Petition

**File Tracking**

04/12/2024 High Density

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Court is awaiting investigative report.

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12	PR11639	<b>Conservatorship of Jay Kristopher Highfill</b>	01/11/2019
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**Jay Kristopher Highfill**

**Jarrett Highfill**

Attorney: Jennifer Lothert

**Kristen Highfill**

Attorney: Jennifer Lothert

**Review Hearing - Investigator Report - PR Code 1850**

01/11/2019 Petition

<b>File Tracking</b> 04/12/2024 High Density
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13	<b>PR10409</b>	<b>Guardianship of Alexis M. Jones</b>	12/22/2008
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**Benjamin Franklin Denson, III** Pro Per

**Alexis Monet Lucky Denson**

**Farida Lucky Denson** Pro Per

**Review Hearing**

terminate by operation of law - minor turns 18 3/13/26

**12/22/2008 Petition**

<b>File Tracking</b> 04/24/2024 High Density
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Other Cases  
CV55808

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No appearance is necessary.

There being no petition on file to extend the guardianship beyond the ward's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday, and the ward having now reached the age of majority, this guardianship is terminated by operation of law.



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15	<b>PR12041</b>	<b>Guardianship of Angelique Cimmeron Cesco</b>	01/10/2022
	<b>Emily Flosi</b>	Pro Per	
	<b>Travis Flosi</b>	Pro Per	
	<b>Angelique Cimmeron Cesco</b>	Pro Per	
	<b>Chenoa Berg</b>	Pro Per	
	<b>Review Hearing - Guardian Rept-Probate Code 1513.2</b>		

01/10/2022 Petition

<b>File Tracking</b> 04/12/2024 High Density
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No appearance is necessary.

The Court, having received and received the GC-251 with attachments, intends to find by a preponderance of the evidence that the guardianship remains necessary/convenient and that the guardians continue to serve the ward's best interests. Court intends to set annual review date.

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16	PR12697	<b>Guardianship of Imani Athena Mathiesen</b>	09/05/2025
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Lloyd Mathiesen	Pro Per
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Whitney Mathiesen	Pro Per
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**Imani Athena Mathiesen**

**Appoint Guardian - Person**

FURTHER

09/05/2025 Petition

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See #21 and FL19378 (no RFO yet)

This was a “placeholder” petition to establish a guardianship while the parents were incarcerated. There has since been a substantial change of circumstances. This petition will likely be dismissed.

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17	<b>PR12496</b>	<b>Guardianship of Keani Lima, et al.</b>	07/16/2024
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<b>Maria Dolores Troncoso</b>	Pro Per
<b>Keani Dolores Lima</b>	Attorney: Nathan Nutting
<b>Kira Elizebeth Lima</b>	Attorney: Nathan Nutting
<b>Joseph K Lima III</b>	Pro Per

**Review Hearing**  
Therapist report?

07/16/2024 Petition  
07/16/2024 Petition

<b>File Tracking</b> 05/20/2025 High Density
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Related to #23.

At the previous trial setting conference, minor's counsel brokered a settlement agreement as follows:

- Establishing temporary guardianship over both wards
- Residence of wards to be with petitioner (maternal grandmother)
- Wards and bio dad to attend reunification counseling

Review hearing today to assess counseling.  
Letters and order do not have expiration date.  
Temporary guardianship to be extended.







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21 PR12762

In the Matter of Imani Athena Mathiesen

02/25/2026

Kimberley Rose Butt

Pro Per

Imani Athena Mathiesen

Appoint Guardian - Person

Temp.

02/25/2026 Petition

File Tracking

03/10/2026 High Density

Probate Code §2201: “The proper county for the commencement of a guardianship proceeding **for a resident of this state** is either (a) the county in which the proposed ward resides [or] (b) such other county as may be in the best interests of the proposed ward.”

California adopted the UCCJEA in early 2000, and it is the exclusive method for determining subject matter jurisdiction in all cases involving the custody of a child – including guardianships. See Family Code §3402(d); *Guardianship of Ariana K.* (2004) 120 Cal.App.4th 690, 701-702. The purposes of the UCCJEA are to avoid jurisdictional competition between states or countries, promote interstate cooperation, avoid relitigation of another state's or country's custody decisions and facilitate enforcement of another state's or country's custody decrees. Pursuant to the UCCJEA, California courts have jurisdiction over custody determinations only if the child's home state is California, or the child's home state does not proceed to adjudicate the dispute. Family Code §3421.

In addition, per Family Code §3041: “Before making an order granting custody to a person other than a parent, over the objection of a parent, the court shall make a finding that granting custody to a parent would be detrimental to the child and that granting custody to the nonparent is required to serve the best interest of the child. Detriment to the child includes the harm of removal from a stable placement of a child with a person who has assumed, on a day-to-day basis, the role of the child's parent. A finding that parental custody would be detrimental to the child shall be supported by clear and convincing evidence.”

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22	<b>PR12595</b>	<b>Conservatorship of Whitney Eugene Davis</b>	02/05/2025
		<b>Randy Mathias Davis</b>	Pro Per
		<b>Wilma G. Davis</b>	Pro Per
		<b>Whitney Davis</b>	
		<b>Review Hearing - Investigator Report - PR Code 1850</b>	

02/05/2025 Petition

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Other Cases  
PR12543

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Court is awaiting investigative report.



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24	CV67982	Petition of Andrew Brian Cole		01/09/2026
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	Andrew Brian Cole	Pro Per		
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OSC Hearing - Name Change

01/09/2026 Petition

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Nonconfidential proceeding; no proof of publication.

