

# NEWSLETTER

## NOTEWORTHY TOOLS FROM LAW LIBRARIES AROUND THE STATE

At the Franklin County Law Library in Columbus the combination of a remarkable staff and the resources of the Law Library has produced an impressive county law library website that readily provides legal information and references to all users. During this time when one-click information is the most popular, the Franklin County Law Library has mastered the technique. Links to various portions of the website have been added to Montgomery County's site, but their full site is worth a look:

<https://lawlibrary.franklincountyohio.gov>

One of the most popular features is a collection of forms for use by the general public. They are grouped under the following headings:

Civil  
Criminal  
Custody  
General Domestic Relations  
Parentage  
Recordable Documents  
Support  
Termination of Marriage  
Visitation

Attorneys and pro se users can find forms for complaints, answers, motions, affidavits, deeds and more in either a PDF or WORD format along with instructions. A link to these forms can be found on the Montgomery County Law Library website at [www.mcoho.org/lawlibrary](http://www.mcoho.org/lawlibrary) under the category of Forms.

Also available on the Franklin County Law Library website is OhioLibGuides. This has been created as a cooperative effort among librarians at the Cuyahoga, Franklin, and Hamilton County Law Libraries. These online research guides list traditional texts and articles on pertinent legal subjects, along with current awareness tabs that highlight recent opinions, news articles, legislation and more. Some of the subjects treated are:

Child Adoption Law in Ohio  
Education of Children with Disabilities: Federal & State Laws  
Expungement, Wrongful Conviction, CQEs and CAEs in Ohio  
Immigration Law  
Ohio Annulment Law  
Ohio Judgment Collection law  
Ohio Landlord/Tenant Law

Many of the materials listed are available in the Montgomery County Law Library in print or via electronic access. This is an easy starting place for research or to access expert commentary. The link is located on the Montgomery County Law Library website under heading Legal Resource Guides.

### **Journal Review**

In addition to the Journal Watch feature that regularly appears in this Newsletter which highlights selected articles, copies of the tables of contents of law journals and periodicals that are received in the Law Library are now scanned and posted to the website each week. The titles are grouped by date. Check on the website under *Journal Review* and stop in or call the Library to request a copy of any articles of interest.

## ELECTRONIC SEARCH OF TREATISES AT THE LAW LIBRARY

The content of numerous popular secondary sources is available for keyword searching at the Law Library on **WESTLAW** or **Fastcase**. In addition, the **LOISLAW** treatises on **Fastcase** are available remotely to Law Library subscribers via the Library's website. Below are selections from the many titles available.

### **WESTLAW**

American Law Reports (ALR)  
 American Jurisprudence (Am Jur)  
 Am Jur Legal Forms, 2d  
 Am Jur Pleading and Practice Forms  
 Am Jur Proof of Facts  
 Am Jur Trials  
 Causes of Action  
 Federal Practice and Procedure (Wright & Miller)  
 Federal Procedural Forms  
 Florida Guardianship Practice  
 Florida Jurisprudence  
 Fraudulent Transfers PreBankruptcy Planning & Exemptions  
 Handbook of Personal Injury Forms & Litigation  
 Handling the Land Use Case  
 Herzong's Bankruptcy Forms & Practice  
 Immigration Judge Benchbook  
 Medicare & Medicaid Claims & Procedures  
 Municipal Legal Forms  
 Personal Injury Verdict Reviews  
 Planning an Estate: A Guidebook of Principles & Techniques  
 Regulation of Financial Planners  
 Representing Nonprofit Organizations  
 Rights of Publicity & Privacy  
 Ribstein & Keating on Limited Liability Companies  
 Social Security Handbook  
 Trademark Law and Practice  
 Uniform Laws Annotated  
 White Collar Crime  
 Will Contests  
 Williston on Contracts Forms

### **Fastcase**

Bankruptcy Litigation & Practice, 4<sup>th</sup> ed.  
 Bromberg & Ribstein on Partnership  
 Civil RICO Practice Manual, 3d.  
 Commercial Real Estate Transactions Handbook, 4<sup>th</sup> ed.  
 Construction Disputes: Practice Guide w/Forms, 2d  
 Covenants Not to Compete  
 Discovery Practice  
 Drafting Limited Liability Company Operating Agreements  
 Drunk Driving Defense, 8<sup>th</sup> ed.  
 ElderLaw Portfolio Series  
 Employment Discrimination Law & Practice, 4<sup>th</sup> ed.  
 Ginsburg & Martin on Bankruptcy  
 Hillman on Lawyer Mobility, 2d ed.  
 Immigration Law in the Workplace  
 Law of Electronic Commerce  
 License Agreements Forms and Checklists  
 Personal Injury Forms and Procedures  
 Practitioner's Guide to Litigating Insurance Coverage  
 Preparation of a Product Liability Case, 3d ed.  
 Price on Contemporary Estate Planning, 2017 ed.  
 Sample Voir Dire Questions  
 Scientific & Experts Handbook  
 Section 1983 Litigation: Claims & Defenses, 4<sup>th</sup> ed.  
 Section 1983 Litigation: Federal Evidence, 5<sup>th</sup> ed.  
 Section 1983 Litigation: Forms, 2d ed.  
 Section 1983 Litigation: Jury Instructions, 2d ed.  
 Trademark & Copyright Disputes Litigation & Forms, 2d ed.  
 Value of Pensions in Divorce, 5<sup>th</sup> ed.  
 Valuing Specific Assets in Divorce  
 Wigmore on Evidence, 4<sup>th</sup> ed.

### **LEGISLATION TO WATCH - OHIO HB232 PRO BONO LEGAL WORK TAX DEDUCTION**

Introduced on May 18, 2017, to authorize a personal income tax deduction for attorneys and pass-through entity law firms based on the number of hours the attorney performed pro bono legal work for indigent clients through a legal aid society and the expenses associated with that work.

### **Coffee Service at the Law Library**

Assorted one-cup coffees and teas continue to be available in the Law Library on a table behind the Media Center. Thanks are extended to Jim Christon who donated an 84-cup box of McCafe Premium Roast K-cups and to the Law Librarian who donated an 80-cup box of San Francisco Bay Fog Chaser pods.

When in the courthouse, stop in for a cup of coffee. Recommendations for other products are welcomed.

**RECENT ACQUISITIONS**

HV 5825 .O65 2017	Opiate Summit. OSBA CLE
KF 300 .A7525 2013	100-Plus Pointers for Business Development.
KF 306 .R53 2016	Professional Responsibility in Litigation, 2d ed.
KF 529 .R38 2017	Premarital Agreements: Drafting and Negotiation, 2d ed.
KF 533.5 .R52 2017	The Complete Guide to Divorce Practice: Forms and Procedures for the Lawyer, 5th ed.
KF 553 .F86 2017	The Fundamentals of Guardianship: What Every Guardian Should Know.
KF 1271 .S58 2015	Professionals, Firms, and Frauds: Defending Professionals Against Liability for Client Fraud.
KF 1325.C58 S365 2009	Section 1983 Litigation Jury Instructions, 2d ed.
KF 2406 .N55 2017	Drones Across America, Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Regulation and State Laws.
KF 1524 .C6346 2017	Insolvency Explained: Bankruptcies, Assignments, Bulk Transfers, Receiverships, Probates, and Workouts.
KF 3580 .C6 C66 2016	The Construction Lawyer's Guide to Labor & Employment Law, 2d ed.
KF 3735 .D87 2016	Children's Justice: How to Improve Legal Representation of Children in the Child Welfare System.
KF 3827 .R4 G85 2016	A Guide to HIPAA Security and the Law, 2d ed.
KF 8915 .F76 2015	From the Trenches: Strategies and Tips From 21 of the Nation's Top Trial Lawyers.
KF 8947.5 .C66 2017	Electronic Evidence for Family Law Attorneys.
KF 8950 .S236 2016	Model Witness Examinations, 4th ed.
KF 9240 .T45 2017	Tell the Client's Story: Mitigation in Criminal and Death Penalty Cases.
KF 9323 .C87 2016	Child Abuse and Neglect Cases: A Comprehensive Guide to Understanding the System.
RC 564 .C666 2008	Contingency Management in Substance Abuse Treatment.
KFO 144 .N88 2017	Nuts and Bolts of Wills and Trusts. OSBA CLE
KFO 185 .E97 2017	Explosions, Fires, and Flooding: Litigating Large-Loss Catastrophes. OSBA CLE
KFO 220 .D4 2016	Debt Collection. OSBA CLE
KFO 331 .A934 2016	Advanced Employment Law Update and EEOC Initiatives. OSBA CLE
KFO 540 .Z9 T75 2016	Trial Evidence for the Ohio Practitioner. OSBA CLE

**A popular website of note:**

[www.attorneyatwork.com](http://www.attorneyatwork.com)

You'll find daily practice management tips and free downloads along with other great features. It is an easy and quick site to navigate.

## JOURNAL WATCH

- ACCOUNTING** “What Lawyers Need to Know About the Asset-Based Business Valuation Approach (Part 1).” 63 **The Practical Lawyer** 40 (April 2017, No. 2).
- CONSTITUTIONAL LAW** “If These Walls Could Talk: The Smart Home and the Fourth Amendment Limits of the Third Party Doctrine.” 130 **Harvard Law Review** 1924 (May 2017, No. 7).
- DISCOVERY RULES** “Are We Insane? The Quest for Proportionality in the Discovery Rules of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.” 36 **The Review of Litigation** 117 (Winter 2017, No. 1).
- EMPLOYMENT LAW** “Advanced Evidentiary Concepts in Employment Arbitration.” 71 **Dispute Resolution Journal** 47 (2016, No. 4).  
“Reasonable Compensation Series Part Six: Standard Methodology.” 98 **Practical Tax Strategies** 154 (April 2017, No. 4).
- ESTATE TAX** “How to Administer a Section 6166 Estate.” 156 **Trusts & Estates** 14 (May 2017, No. 5).
- JURISDICTION** “The Fraudulent Joinder Prevention Act of 2016: Moving the Law in the Wrong Direction.” 62 **Villanova Law Review** 213 (2017, No. 1).
- MEDICAL MALPRACTICE** “The As and Bs (No Cs) of Intubation and Airway Management.” 59 **For the Defense** 86 (May 2017, No. 5).
- JURORS** “The Missing Branch of the Jury.” 77 **Ohio State Law Journal** 1261 (2016, No. 6).
- LEGAL MALPRACTICE** “Legal Malpractice Claims by Non-Clients.” 59 **For the Defense** 25 (April 2017, No. 4).
- PLEA BARGAINING** “Cops and Pleas: Police Officers’ Influence on Plea Bargaining.” 126 **The Yale Law Journal** 1730 (April 2017, No. 6).
- REAL PROPERTY** “Declaration of Reciprocal Easements and Garage Operating Agreement (Form).” 33 **The Practical Real Estate Lawyer** 48 (May 2017, No. 3).  
“Owner-Architect Form Agreements: An Owner’s Perspective (with Sample Inserts.)” 33 **The Practical Real Estate Lawyer** 27 (March 2017, No. 2).
- SEARCH & SEIZURE** “Virtually Certain to Frustrate: The Application of the Private Search Doctrine to Computers and Computer Storage Devices.” 43 **Northern Kentucky Law Review** 465 (2016, No. 3).
- SCHOOL LAW** “Flipped Out, Plugged In, and Wired Up: Fostering Success for Students with ADHD in the New Digital School Law.” 45 **Capital University Law Review** 289 (Spring 2017, No. 2).  
“With Liberty and Justice for Some: Denial of Meaningful Due Process in School Disciplinary Actions in Ohio.” 65 **Cleveland State Law Review** 259 (2017, No. 2).
- TAX LAW** “Developing a Strategy to Fight FBAR Penalties.” 48 **The Tax Adviser** 340 (May 2017, No. 5).  
“The Application of Section 1234A: Explanation, Revision or Expansion?” 126 **Journal of Taxation** 162 (April 2017, No. 4).  
“Tax Issues for Nontraditional Households.” 48 **The Tax Adviser** 260 (April 2017, No. 4).  
“Estate Planning & Taxation: Decoding the Deduction.” 156 **Trusts & Estates** 30 (April 2017, No. 4).
- WORKERS’ COMP.** “R.I.P. Employer Intentional Torts: The Debilitating Application of Ohio Revised Code Section 2745.01.” 85 **University of Cincinnati Law Review** 251 (March 2017, No. 1).