

# PUBLIC NOTICES

## AUCTION NOTICE Chicopee Self Storage Facility Operator's Sale for non-payment of Storage Charges

Pursuant to the Power of Sale contained in M.G.L. Chapter 105A, Section 4, the following properties will be sold at **Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2017 at 12:00 p.m.**, on the premises of **Chicopee Self Storage, 649 Meadow Street, Chicopee, MA.**

All household furniture, trunks, books, clothes, appliances, tools, antiques and miscellaneous items held for #H184 DANIEL BOWEN #K294 YASHIRA COLON

Tenants may claim their merchandise up to the time of sale by paying their debts and vacating the premises.

[www.storageauctionusa.com](http://www.storageauctionusa.com), lic#3183

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Hampden Probate and Family Court  
50 State Street  
Springfield, MA 01103  
(413)748-7758  
Docket No. HD17P0648EA  
Estate of: Emile A Darcy  
Date of Death: 12/09/2016  
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Frank Darcy** of Chicopee, 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: **Frank Darcy** of Chicopee, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in an **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 05/02/2017.**

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. Anne M

**Geoffrion**, First Justice of this Court.

Date: April 04, 2017  
**Suzanne T. Seguin**  
Register of Probate  
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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Hampden Probate and Family Court  
50 State Street  
Springfield, MA 01103  
(413)748-7758  
Docket No. HD17P0655EA  
Estate of:  
Patricia A Metras  
Date of Death: 02/07/2017  
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Linda A Metras** of Chicopee, 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: **Linda A Metras** of Chicopee, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in an **unsupervised** administration.

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WITNESS, Hon. Anne M **Geoffrion**, First Justice of this Court.

Date: April 05, 2017  
**Suzanne T. Seguin**  
Register of Probate  
04/13/17

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Hampden Probate and Family Court  
50 State Street  
Springfield, MA 01103  
(413)748-7758  
Docket No. HD17C0056CA  
In the matter of:  
Barbara Zofia Rozanska  
Of: Chicopee, MA  
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

To all persons interested in petition described:  
A petition has been presented by **Barbara Z**

**Rozanska** requesting that: **Barbara Zofia Rozanska**

be allowed to change his/her/their name as follows:  
**Barbara Zofia Florek**

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at: Springfield on or before ten o'clock in the morning (10:00 a.m.) on: **05/03/2017**

Witness, Hon. Anne M. **Geoffrion**, First Justice of this Court.

Date: April 5, 2017  
**Suzanne T. Seguin**  
Register of Probate  
04/13/17

**AUCTION NOTICE  
Sheridan Street  
Self Storage Facility  
Operator's Sale  
for Non-Payment of  
Storage Charges**

Pursuant to the Power of Sale contained in M.G.L. Chapter 105A, Section 4. The following properties will be sold at **PUBLIC AUCTION on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2017 at 12:30 p.m.**, on the premises of **Sheridan Street Self Storage, 105 Sheridan Street, Chicopee, MA.**

All household furniture, trunks, books, clothes, appliances, tools, antiques and miscellaneous items held for: Madeline Soto #526 Hector Torres #528

Tenants may claim their merchandise up to time of sale by paying their debt and vacating the premises. [www.storageauctionsusa.com](http://www.storageauctionsusa.com), lic #3138.

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Hampden Division  
50 State Street  
Springfield, MA 01103  
(413)748-8600**

**Docket No. HD17P0610EA  
Estate of: JOANNA K. WOJTOWICZ  
Date of Death:  
January 18, 2017  
INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **EDWARD C. GELZINIS** of Kapolei, HI

a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

**E D W A R D C . GELZINIS** of Kapolei, HI 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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lack of access and poverty," he said. "They often have less of an opportunity to get those services. In the cities those services are much closer. When you're out in the hilltowns, transportation becomes an issue, even though they're dealing with the same problems. These [health disparities] go across Hampden County, not just Holyoke and Springfield."

"When we look at the health rankings we have to look at all of Hampden County," Vega added. "We have to make sure the smaller communities aren't left behind."

But Vega also echoed Brecher's optimism, urging health and advocacy organizations across the region to pool resources and coordinate efforts.

"One of the big things we want to accomplish with the CHIP is to get these organizations working together," he said. "More collaboration [is needed]. The only way we're going to move the needle is if these organizations are working together."

And indeed, the CHIP does offer a set of near-future goals and strategies for addressing health inequities. The goals include developing municipal policies aimed at alleviating health inequities in cities like Chicopee, Springfield and Holyoke; identifying and working with 20 "cross-sector institutions" to change policies impacting health outcomes with an eye toward addressing and eliminating "institutional oppression within their organizations and others with whom they partner;" identifying

"five to ten emerging leaders from marginalized communities in Hampden County and [increasing] their capacity to effectively influence the development of policies that address health disparities and health inequities;" and developing strategies to "address oppression, equal distribution of resources, and social determinants of health" in each of the health improvement plan's five public health priority domains.

Strategies outlined in the plan include developing "sustainable models of partnerships between health care and social services and [collaborating] with policy makers, providers, community organizations and residents, and other key stakeholders;" working through legislation to reallocate resources with an eye towards "affirmatively furthering fair housing and other forms of affirmative action;" "creating pathways to leadership for people of color at every stage of life;" and engaging executives, business leaders, and others in positions of power in the county to participate in workshops and seminars geared toward alleviating racial inequity and discrimination.

"When you look at the entire county, we need to work together," said Vega of health inequities in Hampden County. "This is something that every mayor, every city councilor, every school committee member should know about. It really impacts the people we try to help, the people we try to serve."

## Hampden County Bar Association offers John F. Moriarty scholarship to local students

Applications for the John F. Moriarty Scholarship are now available to any Hampden County resident who has been admitted to or is attending a certified law school for the 2017-2018 academic year. Applicants must have been residents of Hampden County for at least five years. The scholarship is based on merit and financial need. Applications are available at the Hampden County Bar Association office, 50 State St., Room 137, Springfield, MA 01103, by calling 413-732-4660, or by emailing [admin@hcbar.org](mailto:admin@hcbar.org). Please include the applicant's mailing address with any requests. All applications must be completed and filed with the HCBA by Friday, May 26.

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