

**Placer County Superior Court
10820 Justice Center Drive, Roseville**

**PROBATE CALENDAR NOTES
October 20, 2026, 10:00 AM, Department 32**

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These calendar notes are provided pursuant to Local Rule 80.1.4 for the probate calendar set for hearing **October 20, 2026, 10:00 AM, in Department 32**, the Hon. Trisha J. Hirashima, presiding.

Pursuant to Local Rule 80.1.4, these calendar notes are **not** a tentative ruling on the merits of any matter before the court. Remote appearances are generally available for this calendar, as provided in the Local Rules. Local Rule 10.24(G), governing remote appearances for most probate, conservatorship, and guardianship cases applies to this calendar.

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1. S-PR-0012140 In Re the Estate of Riesberg, Russell C

Appearance is required for continued hearing on petition for final distribution. Missing notice of hearing for petition for final distribution. Missing service of notice of hearing.

Executor and attorney fees are incorrectly calculated. Executor reports model trains, model planes, CDs, and LPs were all disposed of as valueless, resulting in a \$12,000 loss on disposition. Executor reports the vehicle was sold for \$1,200, resulting in a loss of \$6,800. Both losses must be incorporated into the fees calculations.

It is recommended the petition be denied, as follows:

Executor seeks distribution contrary to the will. Nothing in the will permits distribution to a testamentary trust. The will requires distribution of the real property by distribution of a fee simple subject to conditions subsequent or fee simple determinable.

Executor seeks to preserve some right of recovery from beneficiary Placer Hills Union School District for advances to the estate allocable to the real property. Executor cites no legal authority permitting distribution subject to a claim for executor's voluntary advances to the estate. Absent an agreement by PHUSD, executor must provide legal points and authorities showing how distribution can be conditioned on repayment to executor.

The will appears to condition the gift to PHUSD on appropriate use of the property within 5 years of decedent's death, a time period which has already expired. Executor suggests without any citation to authority that the 5-year limitation should be "extended" or disregarded because of executor's delays in administering the estate.

These calendar notes are not a tentative ruling by the court on the merits of the petition. They are provided to assist the court and the parties to prepare for the hearing. Local Rule 80.1.4.