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			Probate				Guardianship (1)						
County/Court Adams	Dismissal by Clerk 0	Unconteste d 2	Change of Venue 0	Dismissal 0	Closed by Court After Hearing 0	Personal Representative Appointed 34	Dismissal by Clerk 0	Uncontested 2	Change of Venue 1	Dismissal 1	Closed by Court After Hearing 0	Guardian Appointed 1	
Asotin	0	9	2	1	0	88	0	2	1	2	0	19	
Columbia	12	4	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Garfield	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	
Judicial District	12	15	2	1	0	100	0	3	1	4	0	21	
Benton	1,022	249	0	0	0	47	14	160	2	34	35	10	
Franklin	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	9	2	0	
Judicial District	1,022	250	0	5	0	47	14	161	2	43	37	10	
Chelan	26	269	0	1	1	154	2	6	0	3	7	13	
Clallam	0	289	0	0	0	129	0	5	2	5	1	0	
Clark	0	4,316	0	14	36	0	0	280	4	63	43	0	
Cowlitz	0	35	0	6	1	244	0	15	2	4	4	55	
Douglas	0	28	0	1	0	22	0	5	1	2	1	7	
Ferry	0	9	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Pend Oreille	0	12	0	0	0	26	0	1	0	0	0	10	
Stevens	14	23	0	1	0	124	5	0	0	3	1	18	
Judicial District	14	44	0	1	0	152	5	1	0	4	1	28	
Grant	1	35	0	1	1	148	0	3	0	1	2	15	
Grays Harbor	0	1	0	2	1	219	0	3	2	3	6	8	
Island	21	12	0	3	6	194	0	0	0	4	3	18	

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County/Court Jefferson	Dismissal by Clerk 0	Unconteste d 53	Change of Venue 0	Dismissal 0	Closed by Court After Hearing 0	Personal Representative Appointed 92	Dismissal by Clerk 0	Uncontested 0	Change of Venue 0	Dismissal 3	Closed by Court After Hearing 0	Guardian Appointed 14	
King	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kitsap	0	374	0	4	4	702	0	4	2	19	17	32	
Kittitas	0	61	0	0	2	97	0	0	3	2	1	8	
Klickitat	0	31	1	3	0	31	0	0	0	1	3	5	
Skamania	1	12	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Judicial District	1	43	1	4	0	32	0	1	0	1	3	5	
Lewis	0	195	0	6	0	0	0	51	0	14	0	0	
Lincoln	0	3	0	1	0	70	0	0	0	0	1	2	
Mason	1	116	0	0	1	105	1	6	0	3	9	5	
Okanogan	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	
Pacific	1	29	0	1	2	61	0	5	0	1	0	10	
Wahkiakum	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	1	1	0	1	4	
Judicial District	1	29	0	1	2	74	0	6	1	1	1	14	
Pierce	0	378	1	51	29	1,750	0	11	0	145	32	338	
San Juan	0	28	0	0	4	18	0	1	0	0	1	0	
Skagit	50	461	0	2	2	0	0	8	3	3	13	40	
Snohomish	1	508	0	14	2	1,378	0	44	0	66	3	302	
Spokane	948	665	2	12	12	1,492	54	35	6	104	209	214	
Thurston	0	266	0	3	10	668	0	11	0	43	24	85	

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County/Court Walla Walla	Dismissal by Clerk 0	Unconteste d 69	Change of Venue 0	Dismissal 1	Closed by Court After Hearing 0	Personal Representative Appointed 164	Dismissal by Clerk 1	Uncontested 5	Change of Venue 0	Dismissal 4	Closed by Court After Hearing 0	Guardian Appointed 21		
Whatcom	0	6	0	7	0	474	1	18	5	5	5	24		
Whitman	1	80	0	3	1	13	0	9	1	1	2	0		
Yakima	0	498	1	0	1	3	0	135	1	1	0	0		
Statewide Total:	2,099	9,146	7	144	116	8,575	78	831	37	552	426	1,280		

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