

Superior Court of Washington, County of _____

In re:

Petitioner/s (*person/s who started this case*):

And Respondent/s (*other party/parties*):

No.

**Motion to Serve by Publication
(MTPUB)**

Motion to Serve by Publication

Important! The person making this motion must ask the court to sign an Order to Allow Service by Publication (form All Family 109) either at a hearing or ex parte. Contact the court for scheduling information.

1. I am the (*check one*): ☐ Petitioner ☐ Respondent in this case.
2. I ask the court to allow me to serve the *Summons* for this case to the other party by publication.
 - ☐ the other party cannot be found in Washington State because (*check all that apply*):
 - ☐ they have left Washington State to avoid being served.
 - ☐ they are hiding to avoid being served.

Warning! If you serve someone by publication only for the reasons listed **below**, the court may not have personal jurisdiction over that person. This may limit the court's ability to divide property and debts, award money, set child support or spousal support, or approve a restraining order or protection order.

- ☐ the other party does not live in Washington State.
 - ☐ I cannot find the other party to serve them. I have made a reasonable search as described below.
 - ☐ other (*explain*): _____
3. Give facts that support your statements in number 2:

4. List what you did to try to find the other party:

<i>What you did</i>	<i>Date you did this</i>	<i>What you learned</i>

5. List attempts to serve the other party in person:

<i>What was done</i>	<i>Who did it</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>What happened</i>

6. Do you know the other party's current home address?

*(If you know it, you must mail a copy of the Summons and Petition to the other party's home address **before** you ask for permission to serve by publication. **This mailing, by itself, does not count as service.**)*

- ☐ Yes, and I have mailed a copy of the *Summons* and *Petition* to the other party at that address.
- ☐ No.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Washington that the facts I have provided on this form are true.

Signed at (*city and state*): _____ Date: _____



Sign here

Print name