

If you or your spouse own any **real estate**, or have any type of **pension plan**, you should **consult a private attorney** before using these forms.

## TRUMBULL DISSOLUTION – WITH CHILDREN

- All forms in **BOLD** must be signed in front of a notary.\*

### Forms to be completed by you

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. **Petition for Dissolution of Marriage and Waiver of Service of Summons** – Tells the Court why you want a dissolution and information about you and your spouse.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. **Separation Agreement** – Tells the Court what you and your spouse have agreed to for the dissolution.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. **Wife – Financial Affidavit** – Wife completes to tell the Court about her financial situation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. **Husband-Financial Affidavit** – Husband completes to tell the Court about his financial situation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. **Parenting Affidavit (Declaration under Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act** – Tells the Court about your children.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. **Parenting Agreement** – a proposed parenting plan as to your children that you can submit to the Court for consideration based upon your agreement.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. **Poverty Affidavit** – If you cannot afford to pay the filing fee, this form tells the Court about this problem. If you can afford to pay it, skip this form.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Judgment Entry – To be completed by the Magistrate.

### After completing the forms

- \_\_\_\_\_ Make 3 copies of each completed form.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Take the originals and three 3 copies to Clerk of Common Pleas Court.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The filing fee is currently \$225.00, but is subject to change.  
See [www.familycourt.co.trumbull.oh.us](http://www.familycourt.co.trumbull.oh.us) or call the Clerk of Courts office at 330-675-2625 to verify the current fee.

### After forms are filed

- The Court will send you a notice of your hearing date. Make certain that you attend the hearing and that you bring the Judgment Entry Decree of Dissolution to the hearing. You will need to complete the caption of the case.
- If you move, you must submit your new address to the Clerk of Courts office in writing.