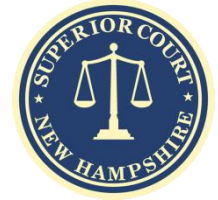


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SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

Crystal Sorey, As Administratrix of the Estate of Harmony Montgomery v
Case Name: **Adam Montgomery**
Case Number: **216-2025-CV-00680**

Date Complaint Filed: July 28, 2025

A Complaint has been filed against Adam Montgomery in this Court. A copy of the Complaint is attached.

The Court ORDERS that ON OR BEFORE:

September 18, 2025	Crystal Sorey, As Administratrix of the Estate of Harmony Montgomery shall have this Summons and the attached Complaint served upon Adam Montgomery by in hand or by leaving a copy at his/her abode, or by such other service as is allowed by law.
October 09, 2025	Crystal Sorey, As Administratrix of the Estate of Harmony Montgomery shall electronically file the return(s) of service with this Court. Failure to do so may result in this action being dismissed without further notice.
30 days after Defendant is served	Adam Montgomery must electronically file an Appearance and Answer or other responsive pleading form with this Court. A copy of the Appearance and Answer or other responsive pleading must be sent electronically to the party/parties listed below.

Notice to Adam Montgomery: If you do not comply with these requirements you will be considered in default and the Court may issue orders that affect you without your input.

Send copies to:

C. Kevin Leonard, ESQ

Douglas Leonard & Garvey PC 14 South Street Suite 5 Concord
NH 03301

Adam Montgomery

Housing C-+302 3521 Woods Way State Farm VA 23160

BY ORDER OF THE COURT

August 04, 2025

W. Michael Scanlon
Clerk of Court

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**CRYSTAL SOREY, AS ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE ESTATE OF HARMONY
MONTGOMERY
INSTRUCTIONS FOR SERVICE
BY THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

Case Name: **Crystal Sorey, As Administratrix of the Estate of Harmony Montgomery v
Adam Montgomery**
Case Number: **216-2025-CV-00680**

Instructions for: Crystal Sorey, As Administratrix of the Estate of Harmony Montgomery

The attached Summons must be sent to the Sheriff's Department for service. Service must be completed on or before **September 18, 2025**.

Further action is required by you

You must:

- Print two copies of the Summons per defendant
- Print two copies of the Notice to Defendant per defendant
- Print two copies of the Complaint filed with the Court per defendant
- Make two packets for service. Each packet should contain:
 - One Summons
 - Once Notice for Defendant
 - One Complaint filed with the Court
- Mail or hand deliver the packets to the Sheriff's Department in the county where each defendant resides.

Sheriff Departments in New Hampshire:

[Belknap County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Carroll County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Cheshire County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Coos County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Grafton County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Hillsborough County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Merrimack County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Rockingham County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Strafford County Sheriff's Department:](#)

[Sullivan County Sheriff's Department:](#)

If one or more of the parties resides out of state, please click [here](#) for the requirements

Service must be made upon the defendant before **September 18, 2025**.

If the Sheriff is unable to complete service by **September 18, 2025** you will receive a "Notice of Incomplete Service" from the Sheriff's Department. You may request that new paperwork be issued by electronically filing a Request for Documents. There is a fee for this request.

The Sheriff will mail the 'Return of Service' to you. You **MUST** electronically file the 'Return of Service' with the court by October 09, 2025.

If service is not made as directed, no further action will occur and the case may be dismissed by

the court.

Important Service Information for Sheriff

Do not file this with the court

Provide this information to the Sheriff's Department.

See Instructions for Service for more information.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Date: _____

Case #: _____

Who are you requesting to be served?

Please provide whatever information you know

Name: _____

Address for service (no P.O. boxes):

_____ APT #: _____

Home phone #: _____ Cell phone #: _____

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female Race: _____

Last 4 digits of SS#: xxx-xx- _____ D.O.B. _____

Work name & address:

Special instructions for service (i.e. directions, best time to serve, cautions, etc.):

Vehicle description/license plate:

Your Information:

Name (please print): _____

Residential address:

Mailing address:

Phone number to contact you during business hours:

_____ Alternate #: _____

Signature

◆IN-HAND SERVICE WILL INCUR EXTRA COSTS DUE TO ADDITIONAL TRAVEL◆

SHERIFF OFFICE USE ONLY: (This will vary by Sheriff's Office)

Fees Paid: \$_____ Cash #: _____ Check#: _____

Id#: _____ Waiver: _____ Money Order#: _____ Credit Card: _____

Sheriff File # _____ Authorization #: _____

Instructions for filing the Return of Service:

If you are working with an attorney, they will guide you on the next steps. If you are going to represent yourself in this action, go to the court's website: www.courts.nh.gov, select the Electronic Services icon and then select the option for a self-represented party.

1. Select "I am filing into an existing case". Enter 216-2025-CV-00680 and click Next.
2. When you find the case, click on the link follow the instructions on the screen. On the "What would you like to file?" screen, select "File Other Document" and choose "Return of Service".
3. Scan the Return of Service packet and follow the instructions in the electronic filing program to upload the Return of Service to complete your filing.
4. If the sheriff was unable to serve the paperwork, you can request new paperwork by filing a Request for Documents. On the "What would you like to file?" screen, select "File Other Document" and choose "Request for Reissued Summons" from the menu and upload the Request for Documents form.

FAILURE TO FILE THESE DOCUMENTS MAY RESULT IN YOUR CASE BEING DISMISSED.

August 04, 2025
Date

W. Michael Scanlon
Clerk of Court

You can access documents electronically filed through our Case Access Portal by going to <https://odypa.nhecourt.us/portal> and following the instructions in the User Guide. In that process you will register, validate your email, request access and approval to view your case. After your information is validated by the court, you will be able to view case information and documents filed in your case.

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NOTICE TO DEFENDANT

Crystal Sorey, As Administratrix of the Estate of Harmony Montgomery v

Case Name: **Adam Montgomery**

Case Number: **216-2025-CV-00680**

You have been served with a Complaint which serves as notice that this legal action has been filed against you in the **Hillsborough Superior Court Northern District**. Review the Complaint to see the basis for the Plaintiff's claim.

Each Defendant is required to electronically file an Appearance and Answer 30 days after service. You may register and respond on any private or public computer. For your convenience, there is also a computer available in the courthouse lobby.

If you are working with an attorney, they will guide you on the next steps. If you are going to represent yourself in this action, go to the court's website: www.courts.nh.gov, select the Electronic Services icon and then select the option for a self-represented party.

1. Complete the registration/log in process. Click Register and follow the prompts.
2. After you register, click Start Now. Select **Hillsborough Superior Court Northern District** as the location.
3. Select "I am filing into an existing case". Enter **216-2025-CV-00680** and click Next.
4. When you find the case, click on the link and follow the instructions on the screen. On the "What would you like to file?" screen, select "File a Response to Civil Complaint". Follow the instructions to complete your filing.
5. Review your Response before submitting it to the court.

IMPORTANT: After receiving your response and other filings the court will send notifications and court orders electronically to the email address you provide.

A person who is filing or defending against a Civil Complaint will want to be familiar with the Rules of the Superior Court, which are available on the court's website: www.courts.nh.gov.

Once you have registered and responded to the summons, you can access documents electronically filed by going to <https://odypa.nhecourt.us/portal> and following the instructions in the User Guide. In that process you will register, validate your email, request access and approval to view your case. After your information is validated by the court, you will be able to view case information and documents filed in your case.

If you have questions regarding this process, please contact the court at 1-855-212-1234.