## MIFFLIN COUNTY CLERK OF ORPHANS' COURT

## MARRIAGE LICENSE POLICY

1. APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE IS A STATE APPLICATION - YOU MAY APPLY IN ANY COUNTY AND BE MARRIED IN ANY COUNTY WITHIN THE STATE OF PA.

APPLICANTS MUST BE EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER.

## TO APPLY IN MIFFLIN COUNTY BOTH PARTIES MUST BE PRESENT NO LATER THAN 3:15 PM. / MONDAY - FRIDAY

- 2. THE APPLICATION FEE IS \$50.00 AND MUST BE PAID IN CASH.
- 3. WHEN APPLYING IN MIFFLIN COUNTY THE FOLLOWING IS REQUIRED:
  - A. A PHOTO I.D.
  - B. YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER
  - C. A **CERTIFIED** FINAL DECREE OF THE DIVORCE OR A DEATH CERTIFICATE IF THERE HAS BEEN A PREVIOUS MARRIAGE.
  - D. A **CERTIFIED** COPY OF A NAME CHANGE FROM A MARRIED NAME TO CURRENT NAME.
- 4. REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA:
  - A. THE MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION IS VALID FOR **SIXTY** (**60**) **DAYS.** IF THE MARRIAGE HAS NOT TAKEN PLACE WITHIN SIXTY DAYS THE APPLICATION WILL BE VOIDED. (Blood tests and physicals are no longer required.)
  - B. THERE IS A **THREE** (3) **DAY** WAITING PERIOD AFTER APPLYING BEFORE RECEIVING YOUR LICENSE.
- 5. A **CERTIFIED COPY** OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE IS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST IF:
  - A. YOU APPLIED FOR YOUR MARRIAGE LICENSE IN MIFFLIN COUNTY.
  - B. WE HAVE RECEIVED THE "RETURN" PORTION OF YOUR MARRIAGE LICENSE CONFIRMING THE MARRIAGE HAS TAKEN PLACE.
  - C. THE FEE OF \$4.00 IS DUE WHEN CERTIFICATE IS REQUESTED.
- 6. IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO INSURE THAT THE PERSON PERFORMING YOUR MARRIAGE CEREMONY IS QUALIFIED UNDER PENNSYLVANIA LAW.