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FORMS NEEDED TO START A DIVORCE

There are two locations in which you can retrieve forms to submit to the County Clerk's office:

1. Michigan Legal Help at www.MichiganLegalHelp.org (free)

OR

2. Mason County Library (charges may apply)

DIVORCE WITHOUT CHILDREN (cost \$175.00 when filing)

Summons and Complaint (Original plus 3 copies, front and back)

Complaint for Divorce (Original plus 2 copies)

Record of Divorce (only form obtained at Clerk's Office)

DIVORCE WITH MINOR CHILDREN (cost \$255.00 when filing)

Summons and Complaint (Original plus 5 copies, front and back)

Complaint for Divorce - Make sure you obtain both pages (Original plus 4 copies)

Record of Divorce (only form obtained at Clerk's Office)

Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act (Original plus 4 copies)

Verified Statement (Original plus 2 copies)

<u>NOTE:</u>

These are the forms that are needed to start a new case but it is <u>your responsibility</u> to determine if there are other forms that are needed for your case.