

**Harry D'Olive, Jr.**  
**JUDGE OF PROBATE**  
**BALDWIN COUNTY**



Listed below are some general instructions for filing a Adult Name Change Petition for residents of Baldwin County.

The following is required:

- 1) Must be 19 years or older
- 2) Must be a resident of Baldwin County at least 6 months
- 3) Notarized Petition
- 4) Original Birth Certificate
- 5) Copy of I.D. with current address
- 6) Background check is required to see if the petitioners has been convicted of a felony or is involved in criminal litigation. The petitioner cannot be a convicted sex offender. The Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center can be reached at 866-740-4762 or an Alacourt print out from an attorney is also acceptable
- 7) Filing fee of \$25.00 (check or money order made payable to Judge of Probate)
- 8) All adult name changes will be set for a hearing (\$30.00 due at that time)

This Court does not have forms available that one may acquire. For assistance with the petition, you will need to contact an attorney or check with the Law Library, located in the Bay Minette Courthouse.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact the Court at 251-937-0260.