#### OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

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# INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO APPLY FOR A MARRIAGE LICENSE

## WE ARE ONLY ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FROM PEOPLE WHO LIVE IN THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES: ONEIDA, HERKIMER, LEWIS, AND MADISON

1. Schedule an appointment with our office by contacting one or more of the following:

Edita Rosic	(315) 792-0113	erosic@cityofutica.com
Pricilla Garcia	(315) 792-0115	pgarcia@cityofutica.com
Maureen Moylan	(315) 792-0184	mmoylan@cityofutica.com

- 2. Send us (via email) copies of all the following documents/identification for BOTH parties:
  - **A.** Valid photo ID
    - (Driver's License, Passport, or Citizenship Record) AND
  - **B.** Documentation of how last marriage(s) ended (Divorce, Annulment, or Death Certificate) **AND**
  - C. Birth Certificate or Baptismal Record (if available)

If any of these records are not in English they **MUST** be translated into English by a certified translator.

If you don't have access to email, we will work with you via mail or the physical drop box located in the front of City Hall.

- 3. Complete the AFFIDAVIT, LICENSE, and CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE WORKSHEET (attached below) and send it to us via mail or email (by taking a picture of the completed worksheet or scanning a copy).
- 4. Arrive promptly for your scheduled appointment (to be held outside the building). BOTH parties must be present and BOTH must have on hand the following identification:
  - **A.** Driver's License **OR**
  - **B.** Passport **OR**
  - C. Medicaid card WITH PHOTO (We cannot accept it if there's no photo)
- 5. There is a \$40.00 fee (CASH ONLY) for the marriage license.

  Please show up to your appointment with the exact payment of \$40.00 (CASH ONLY).

  We cannot process the application for your marriage license until we receive exact payment in full!
- \* Once a marriage license has been issued, there is a <u>24 hour</u> waiting period before it can be used. After that 24 hour period, regular marriage licenses are valid for <u>60 days</u>. If either party is active duty, this period extends to <u>180 days</u>.

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# AFFIDAVIT, LICENSE, and CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE WORKSHEET

(Must be completed for BOTH spouses)

### BRIDE / GROOM / SPOUSE

(Circle One)

TELEPHONE #

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(Circle One)

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

1. A. FULL NAME	11. A. FULL NAME
B. BIRTH NAME, IF DIFFERENT	B. BIRTH NAME, IF DIFFERENT
C. MIDDLE NAME AFTER MARRIAGE (OPTIONAL)	C. MIDDLE NAME AFTER MARRIAGE (OPTIONAL)
D. SURNAME AFTER MARRIAGE (OPTIONAL)	D. SURNAME AFTER MARRIAGE (OPTIONAL)
E. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	E. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER
2. RESIDENCE A B (COUNTY)	12. RESIDENCE A B (COUNTY)
C. CHECK ONE CITY TOWN VILLAGE SPECIFY	C. CHECK ONE CITY TOWN VILLAGE AND SPECIFY
D. STREET ADDRESS ZIP	D. STREET ADDRESS ZIP
E. IS RESIDENCE WITHIN LIMITS OF CITY OR VILLAGE? YES NO	E. IS RESIDENCE WITHIN LIMITS OF CITY OR VILLAGE? YES NO
3. A. AGE B. DATE OF BIRTH C. SEX (OPTIONAL)	13. A. AGE B. DATE OF BIRTH C. SEX (OPTIONAL)
4. EMPLOYMENT (OCCUPATION)	14. EMPLOYMENT (OCCUPATION)
5. PLACE OF BIRTH	15. PLACE OF BIRTH
(CITY, STATE / COUNTRY, IF NOT USA)  6. FATHER OR PARENT A. NAME (ON CURRENT BIRTH CERTIFICATE)	(CITY, STATE / COUNTRY, IF NOT USA)  16. FATHER OR PARENT A. NAME (ON CURRENT BIRTH CERTIFICATE)
B. COUNTRY OF BIRTH	B. COUNTRY OF BIRTH
7. MOTHER OR PARENT A. NAME (ON CURRENT BIRTH CERTIFICATE)	17. MOTHER OR PARENT A. NAME (ON CURRENT BIRTH CERTIFICATE)
B. COUNTRY OF BIRTH	B. COUNTRY OF BIRTH
8. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE	18. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE
9. PREVIOUS MARRIAGES A. NUMBER OF PREVIOUS MARRIAGES WHICH ENDED BY	19. PREVIOUS MARRIAGES A. NUMBER OF PREVIOUS MARRIAGES WHICH ENDED BY
DIVORCE CIVIL ANNULMENT DEATH	DIVORCE CIVIL ANNULMENT DEATH
B. HOW DID LAST MARRIAGE END?	B. HOW DID LAST MARRIAGE END?
DIVORCE CIVIL ANNULMENT DEATH	DIVORCE CIVIL ANNULMENT DEATH
C. DATE LAST MARRIAGE ENDED?	C. DATE LAST MARRIAGE ENDED?
D. ARE ANY FORMER SPOUSE(S) ALIVE? YES NO	D. ARE ANY FORMER SPOUSE(S) ALIVE? YES NO
10. IF PREVIOUSLY DIVORCED OR ANNULED, PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFO:	20. IF PREVIOUSLY DIVORCED OR ANNULED, PROVED THE FOLLOWING INFO:
DATE OF DECREE PLACE ISSUED AGAINST WHOM MM/DD/YYYY (CITY/COUNTY, STATE/COUNTRY) SELF SPOUSE	DATE OF DECREE PLACE ISSUED AGAINST WHOM MM/DD/YYYY (CITY/COUNTY, STATE/COUNTRY) SELF SPOUSE
1st	1st
2nd	2nd
3rd	3rd