

Estate Settlement & Probate

At Lagerlof, LLP, our dedicated Probate Team is here to guide you through the complex court process after the loss of a loved one. We carefully assess each case to determine if probate can be avoided through alternative procedures. Additionally, we stand by heirs and beneficiaries, safeguarding their rights throughout the probate journey. Your peace of mind is our priority.



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ABOUT LAGERLOF,LLP

Lagerlof, LLP is one of Los Angeles' top General Practice & Private Wealth law firms. As the largest law firm in Pasadena, CA, and with offices in Encino, CA, El Segundo, CA, and Seattle, WA, Lagerlof, LLP is committed to serving clients all throughout the West Coast with specialization in a variety of law practices, ranging from Trust Administration and Estate Planning to Corporate Law and Tax Strategy among others. While continuing to grow, and with over 115 years of history and nearly 1,000 years of combined attorney experience, Lagerlof, LLP remains unwaveringly dedicated to serving clients with an exceptional experience and leading the market in strategic legal support.

We look forward to showing you the new Lagerlof - grounded in tradition, focused on the future.

“Our mission is to provide compassionate guidance and steadfast support to our clients during the challenging aftermath of losing a loved one.”

-Vanessa Terzian, Partner

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Have questions? We can help!

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PROBATE

Simplifying Probate with Lagerlof, LLP: Your Path to Clarity

Probate, a complex court process, can be overwhelming and challenging to comprehend. With its intricate web of petitions, orders, bonds, letters testamentary, court hearings, continuances, and perplexing probate notes from court staff, it often feels like uncharted territory for most people.

At Lagerlof, LLP, we recognize the confusion and stress that probate can

bring. That's why we go the extra mile to transform the experience into a manageable journey for our clients. How do we achieve this? By tailoring a unique project plan and timeline for each new probate client.

Our approach sets us apart. With a well-defined roadmap, our clients gain a clear understanding of the big picture. As we walk alongside them, navigating the intricacies of daily details becomes less daunting. Transparent communication and constant updates allow our clients to feel more at ease throughout the process.

OUR AREA OF EXPERTISE IS AS FOLLOWS:

- Asset Transfers
- Creditor Resolution
- Account Management
- Beneficiary Coordination
- Real Estate: Managing, selling, and distributing decedent's properties.
- Property Reassessment
- Business Management: Winding down, selling, or distributing decedent's businesses.
- Tax Consulting
- Trust Administration
- Nationwide Coordination: Coordinating with ancillary probates in other states.
- Executor Support: Assisting with executor resignation or removal.
- Handling Disputes
- Specialized Distributions
- Court Accountings
- Personal Property Sales
- Estate and Trust Litigation: Representing clients in probate-related disputes, such as will contests and financial elder abuse.



At Lagerlof, LLP, we believe that knowledge empowers and understanding eases the burden. Let us be your guide through the probate process, providing clarity and confidence every step of the way. Together, we can simplify probate and ensure your peace of mind during this challenging time.

Litigation Services: Protecting Your Rights with Lagerlof, LLP

Our Probate Team expertly represents clients in various probate disputes.

Will Contests: Challenging will validity due to incapacity, undue influence, fraud, or elder abuse.

Will Interpretation: Providing guidance and advocacy in cases of unclear language or intentions.

Executor Misconduct: Taking action against improper executor actions.

Beneficiaries' and Heirs' Rights: Vigorously safeguarding their rightful share.

Decedent's Creditors: Representing the interests of creditors for fair resolution and settlement.

Your rights are our priority. Trust our skilled team to advocate for positive outcomes in probate disputes.

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Nick Everett is an amazing attorney and anyone trying to navigate trust/probate law should look no further. This is long overdue for me to right this. My only regret of hiring him and Lagerlof was not doing it sooner. This type of law is complicated and can get personal so getting an expert in it was so important.

-Leana N., *satisfied client*

