

## **FREE Public Seminar**

### **Topic: Filing a Small Claim**

**Date: December 1, 2009 Time: 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm**

**Location: The Frances Pew Hayes Center for Lifelong Learning at Hodges University**

**Call (239) 598 - 6133 to Register and Get Directions**

**Sponsor: Dwight E. Brock, Clerk of Circuit Court**

#### **Description:**

Filing a Small Claim is way to settle a legal dispute with someone when the damages or value of property involved does not exceed \$5,000.00. Small Claims court is called the “people’s court” and a lawyer is not required.

This seminar will focus on the basic requirements for filing a Small Claim in Collier County in addition to the details of the specific process steps. In the session there will be a review of the various forms and fees associated with the administrative process that must be followed in resolving a Small Claims case.

The seminar is designed to be highly interactive with participant questions, case examples and group discussion.

However, the Clerk’s Office, is not able to provide legal advice.

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