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**SHERIFF***Elected by Voters to 4-year term:*Charles T. Martin (D), *Sheriff*, 2002

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**JUDICIAL BRANCH**

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**CIRCUIT COURT***Appointed by Governor &/ or elected by Voters to 15-year terms (2 Judges):*Theodore R. Eschenburg, Sr., *County Administrative Judge*  
(chosen by Circuit Administrative Judge), 2015Thomas C. Groton III, *Associate Judge*, 2005

Courthouse

One West Market St., Snow Hill, MD 21863

(410) 632-0700

**CLERK***Elected by Voters to 4-year term:*Stephen V. Hales (D), *Clerk*, 2002

Courthouse, Room 104

One West Market St., Snow Hill, MD 21863

(410) 632-0600, (410) 632-1221

**EXAMINERS IN CHANCERY***Appointed by Circuit Court:* Albert Berger; Reese F. Cropper, Jr.; Robert I. Givens, Jr.; William G. Kerbin, Jr., Esq.; Barry Laws; Delores Ann Rigsby; Roxanne D. Williams**DISTRICT COURT***Appointed by Governor with Senate consent to 10-year term (1 Judge):*Richard R. Bloxom, *Associate Judge*, 2010

301 Commerce St., Snow Hill, MD 21863

(410) 632-2525

**ORPHANS' COURT***Elected by Voters to 4-year terms:*William D. Shockley (D), *Chief Judge* (chosen by Governor), 2002Fannie W. Birkhead (D), *Judge*, 2002W. Kenneth Tyler (D), *Judge*, 2002

Courthouse, Room 102

One West Market St., Snow Hill, MD 21863 - 1074

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**REGISTER OF WILLS***Elected by Voters to 4-year term:*Charlotte K. Cathell (D), *Register of Wills*, 2002

(410) 632-1529; 1-888-256-0047 (toll free)