

**BOULDER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION**

**DIRECTORY  
OF  
MEDIATORS, ARBITRATORS  
AND OTHER  
ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION  
PROVIDERS**

**COUNTY COURT**

**THE ADR SECTION OF THE BOULDER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION  
UPDATED JANUARY, 2010**

## Introduction to ADR

There are a variety of problem-solving processes referred to as Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) which provide an alternative to having a trial where a judge makes the decisions for you.

- ADR can offer cost-effective, fast, and appropriate choices for your individual situation.
- These methods are less formal than Court hearings and allow you to have greater influence on the outcome of your dispute.
- You can participate in ADR with or without the assistance of attorneys.
- In Boulder County, parties are required to participate in ADR prior to most contested Court hearings.

## Options for Reaching Agreements

You can choose one or a combination of any of these options to resolve your dispute either prior to filing or after you start a Court case by filing your petition:

- Negotiation on your own
- Mediation
- Arbitration
- Mediation-Arbitration
- Settlement Conference
- Working with attorneys through representation or consultation

You can use these options to complete all or part of the documents necessary to finalize your settlement.

**NOTE:** If you are under a Protective Order or a “No Contact” provision in a bond, you need to ask the Court for an exception to allow ADR.

### Negotiation on your own

**You and the other party (ies) can discuss and try to settle your differences together.** You can fill out all of the necessary paperwork for the Court yourselves. You have the option to consult with an attorney, accountant, therapist or other professional. There is an on-line self help center with instructions and forms at [www.courts.state.co.us/chs/court/forms/selfhelpcenter.htm](http://www.courts.state.co.us/chs/court/forms/selfhelpcenter.htm).

### Mediation

**Both of you can hire a trained neutral mediator to assist you in reaching your own agreement in an informal and confidential setting.** The mediator helps create a safe environment so that each person has a chance to be heard. Sometimes you and the other party(ies) will be in separate rooms to ensure a productive and/or safe process. If you have attorneys, they may participate in the mediation. A mediator cannot give legal advice to any party.

**The mediator does not decide the outcome - the agreements are up to you.** The mediator helps you:

- Clarify issues
- Identify your needs and interests
- Create options that best meet the identified needs and interests

Some cases are resolved in one or two meetings, while others take longer. Even if the entire case is not settled, mediation can be helpful to reach agreements on some issues prior to going to trial.

**The mediator may put your agreements in written form for your signature,** or you or your attorney can write the agreement. If you are unable to reach a mutually satisfactory agreement on all or part of the issues through mediation, and if you are otherwise unable to resolve the issues on your own or with the assistance of attorneys, your case will be set for a Court trial.

**Mediation is a good option when** you want to work cooperatively and when you will have an ongoing business or other relationship with each other. Parties who reach their own agreements tend to be more satisfied than parties who go to a Court hearing.

### **Arbitration**

Both of you can hire a trained neutral person to make all or some of the decisions upon which you cannot agree. Arbitration can be helpful when you want a quick resolution, as it can be faster and less formal than Court hearings. **It is a more formal option than mediation as you, or your attorney, present your information under oath and provide supporting documents. The formality of the process can vary. You can choose an arbitrator with expertise in the issues to be arbitrated.** There is only a limited right to a Court rehearing or Court review of a binding arbitration decision. The written arbitration award becomes part of the Court file and public record.

### **Mediation-Arbitration (Med-Arb)**

**You begin by mediating, but you agree that if you cannot resolve specified issues, then your mediator becomes an arbitrator and makes binding decisions on those unresolved issues.** It provides an opportunity to work out your own solutions and to break any deadlocks. It ensures that a final decision is made. When you have an ongoing business or other relationship with the other party(ies), mediation encourages voluntary communication and settlement, with arbitration being used to decide those issues upon which the parties cannot reach an agreement.

### **Settlement Conference**

**Both of you can hire an impartial legal professional to do an informal assessment and conduct a negotiation session.** He or she will analyze the issues, evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of your positions, and suggest settlement options based on the law and precedent. He or she may assist you in writing an agreement. The parties may be in separate rooms.

## Working with Attorneys

**Representation:** You may hire an attorney to represent you throughout the process. The attorney will prepare and file the legal documents. He or she will guide you through the legal process by providing the following services:

- a) advising you of the law and current practices;
- b) advising you about the use of appropriate experts;
- c) negotiating with the other party or his/her attorney to achieve a settlement; and
- d) representing you during any Court hearings or ADR sessions.

**Consulting:** You may choose to represent yourself, but consult with an attorney at one or more times throughout the process. This choice is especially beneficial for less complex cases. You will be responsible for preparing the necessary paperwork, complying with any Court-imposed deadlines, and negotiating with the other party (ies) or his/her attorney. If you hire an attorney for consultation only, his or her advice will be based upon the information you provide instead of the more in-depth understanding of your specific situation that would be obtained by an attorney hired to represent you. People often consult with an attorney before mediation or before signing an agreement reached through mediation.

**Note:** Whenever you work with attorneys, the same attorney cannot work for more than one party.

### Suggested questions to ask an ADR provider

Here are some questions that you may wish to ask in evaluating the qualifications of a prospective ADR provider for your particular situation:

- What specific ADR training do you have?
- How much experience do you have handling this type of dispute?
- What other education, training & experience do you have which will help in mediating my situation?
- Do you know the other party or the other party's representative(s)? If so, what is the nature of the relationship?
- Do you participate in on-going supervision and/or consultation with other ADR providers?
- Are you a member of any professional organizations which have a Code of Professional Conduct?
- If I have an attorney or decide to work with an attorney, what will the attorney's role be in the process?
- If the court orders ADR, what role do you take in legal proceedings?
- What documents, if any, do you prepare?
- What are the fees for the process and how are the fees allocated? What services are included? Are parties billed for phone and preparation time?
- Can you provide names of non-confidential references I can contact?

## **DIRECTORY OF ADR PROVIDERS**

The following directory is provided for your consideration and lists the contact, fees, background and training information for ADR providers who have signed up for this Directory. County Court Mediation Program providers adhere to the county court fee maximum of \$50 per party per hour for any civil case filed in Boulder County Court.

This Directory is maintained in alphabetical order as a service to the public, and the Boulder County Bar Association and the 20<sup>th</sup> Judicial District do not endorse any of the providers on this list. They have not validated any of the information for accuracy, screened any of the providers for competence, nor conducted a criminal or background check. This material is supplied by the providers themselves and has not been verified. The information in this list is subject to change.

In addition to these private ADR providers, the Office of Dispute Resolution (ODR) is a state agency that also provides ADR services. To learn fee information and professional qualifications of ADR providers working for ODR in the 20th Judicial District, call 303-837-3672.

### **COUNTY COURT PROVIDERS LISTED BELOW:**

ROBIN AMADEI  
THOMAS BACHE-WIIG  
RUTH BECKER  
SUSAN K. BRYANT  
SHEILA CARRIGAN  
THOMAS DUEBER  
TONI ERICKSON  
KIMBERLY GENT  
STEVE GIMPEL  
GUY GREENSTEIN  
PERRY HUBERT  
INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED DISPUTE RESOLUTION  
DEBORAH KOEPKE  
CHARLES LULEVITT  
G. REDMOND MICHAELS III  
THOMAS MOORE  
ERIC MOUTZ  
MELISSA MULLIN  
OFFICE OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION  
MARGARET OLNEK  
BETH BROWN ORNSTEIN  
LAWRENCE C. RIDER  
ALICE ROBBINS  
CATHERINE SCHULTHEIS  
CAROLYNA SMILEY-MARQUEZ  
ANDREW SPIEGEL  
SUSAN THEVENET  
BEN THOMPSON  
MICHAELS TRAVERS  
LYN WADE

## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

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### **ROBIN N. AMADEI, J.D.**

#### **COMMON GROUND MEDIATION CENTER, LLC**

2536 Columbine Circle

Lafayette, CO 80026

303.604.1960

[www.commongroundmediation.com](http://www.commongroundmediation.com)

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation

Formal ADR Training: CDR Associates (over 200 hours of mediation training including basic mediation, family mediation, workplace mediation and advanced mediation training), Transformative mediation training with Michael Lang. mediation and arbitration training with American Arbitration Association.

Related Background: Full time Dispute Resolution Professional, Adjunct Professor in ADR Certificate/Masters in Conflict Management Programs at University of Denver. Teach classes in employment and family mediation. Mediator since 1990.

Hours available: 8-6

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **THOMAS BACHE-WIIG, B.S., MEDIATOR**

#### **CONNECTION PARTNERS, INC.**

Boulder, CO

303.443.2709

Mailing address:

PO Box 2513

Lyons, CO 80540

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation

Formal ADR training: CDR, Mediation process; Divorce Mediation Trg; Collaborative Divorce I and II:

Collaborative Coach Training; Nonviolent Communication Trg; Victim Offender Med Trg; On-going training through ACR, CCMO, Boulder Community Mediation Service, Boulder Family Mediation Alliance

Related Background: Mediator since 1996. 25 years exp. negotiating business relationships; business consulting and training; Professional Mediator status of Colorado Council of Mediators (CCMO); Professional Coach for Denver area mediation trainings; teach Non Adversarial Communications. Mediation experience: Over 10 years mediating, workplace, business, family/divorce, neighborhood, HOA, religious organization, victim/offender/juvenile. *Co-Author of Non-Adversarial Communication: Speaking and Listening from the Heart (2007).*

Male-female co-mediation team available.

Hours available: Call for appointment

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court.

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **RUTH BECKER, JD**

**RUTH CORNFELD BECKER, LLC**

**1942 BROADWAY, SUITE 314**

Boulder, CO 80302

303-544-6150

E-mail: rbeckerlaw@comcast.net

Areas of Practice: A, C, D,, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: ADR Associates, The Mediation Process

Related Background: 25 years experience as an attorney with emphasis on real estate, conservation easements, land use, government and employment issues. Experience on numerous non-profit boards of directors.

Hours available: Flexible, by appointment

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court.

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### **SUSAN K. BRYANT, J.D., M.A. PSYCHOLOGY**

**SUSAN K. BRYANT, LLC**

2907 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite C

Longmont, CO 80503

303.651.7108

E-mail: susan@susankbryant.com

Areas of Practice: A, B, E.

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb

Formal ADR Training: 40 hours

Related Background: Family law attorney; former university administrator and school counselor and teacher

Hours available: Hours available: Typically 8 am – 5 pm, but other times by request and agreement

Hourly charge: \$50 per hour per party

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **SHEILA P. CARRIGAN, J.D.**

#### **CARRIGAN LAW, LLC**

5390 Manhattan Circle, Suite 200

Boulder, CO 80303

303.494.5873

Fax: 303.543.8582

E-mail: carriganlaw@hotmail.com

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E.

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: Jeffco Mediation Services – attended Domestic Violence Training and observed mediation. Training to be a judge, attended many municipal judges conferences.

Related Background: Municipal Judge – 7 years, Trial attorney – 12 years, deputy D.A., taught at NITA, taught and attended National Judicial College.

Hours available: M-F 8 AM- 8 PM, Saturdays possible

Hourly charge: \$50 per hour per party

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### **THOMAS L. DUEBER, J.D.**

1600 Albion Lane

Longmont, CO 80503

303.678.7129 or cell 303.859.7339

E-mail: [tom@tomdueber.com](mailto:tom@tomdueber.com)

[www.tomdueber.com](http://www.tomdueber.com)

Areas of Practice: A, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Arbitration, Med/Arb, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR training: CDR Associates Basic Mediation Training, FMCS Institute Labor Arbitrator Training, NASD Dispute Resolution Arbitrator Training, Colorado Judicial Department contract Mediator (Civil Matters)

Related background: Attorney with more than 30 years of practical experience in a wide variety of business law matters including employment, civil litigation, real estate, construction, business relationships, contracts, environmental and commercial transactions as an in-house attorney. Former Division General Counsel of ConAgra Retail Companies. Member of Colorado and Boulder County Bar Associations. Resident of Longmont since 1984. Practice limited to arbitration, mediation and other dispute resolution processes.

Hours available: As necessary

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **TONI ERICKSON, MSW, LCSW (LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER, MEDIATOR)**

4141 Arapahoe, Suite 105  
Boulder, CO 80303  
303.440.4234  
tonierickson@comcast.net  
www.tonierickson.com

Areas of Practice: A, B, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation

Formal ADR training: CDR Basic, Family, Divorce

Related background: Numerous workshops, mediation consultation group with Christie Coates, 15 years experience as a mediator, volunteer Boulder Community Mediation Services; Psychotherapist specializing in marriage, family, divorce, parenting, child development

Hours available: Mon. – Fri. normal business hours, some after 5:00 PM.

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **KIMBERLY GENT, ATTORNEY/MEDIATOR**

P.O. Box 654  
Longmont, CO 80502  
303.938.9350  
E-mail: kimberlygent@juno.com

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation

Formal ADR Training: 40 Hour Mediation Training, 1990-CDR Associates, Med/Arb Training, 1999 by Christie Coates

Related Background: Lawyer since 1988, Intern at CDR Associates, 1991

Hours available: Weekdays, weekends, evenings

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **STEVE GIMPEL, MS, LMFT**

350 Broadway, Suite 205

Boulder, CO 80305

303.554.6710

E-mail: [steve@gimpelcounseling.com](mailto:steve@gimpelcounseling.com)

Website: [www.gimplecounseling.com](http://www.gimplecounseling.com)

Areas of Practice: A, B,C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med./Arb., Early Neutral Evaluation

Formal ADR Training: CDR Divorce Mediation – 40 hour training.

Related Background: Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist specializing in divorce. Parenting

Coordinator/Decision Maker for the Office of Dispute Regulation

Hours available: Monday-Friday 9AM-5PM; evenings by appointments – available on Monday and Wednesday evenings.

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **GUY R. GREENSTEIN, J.D.**

357 S. McCaslin Blvd., Suite 200

Louisville, Co 80027

303.447.6847

E-mail: [guygreenstein@att.net](mailto:guygreenstein@att.net)

Areas of Practice: A, B, C

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med./Arb., Settlement Conference, Parenting Coordinator

Formal ADR Training: Med/Arb, Collaborative Law, Parenting Coordination, ADR Ethics.

Related Background: Attorney for 22 years. Practice primarily in Family Law with extensive experience in personal injury and worker's compensation. Finance degree. Hearing Officer – City of Boulder Housing Authority (1990-2005). Fifteen years experience mediating/arbitrating family law matters, business and commercial disputes. Co-Chair of Boulder County Bar Association Family Law Section (1994-1996 and currently). Boulder County Bar Association Board of Trustees (1991-1994). Volunteer, El Comite, Longmont (1994-present).

Hours available: Monday-Friday 8-5 and evenings.

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **PERRY R. HUBERT, M.B.A.**

#### **AFFIRM RESOLUTION**

6387 Niwot Road  
Niwot, CO 80503  
303.527.3077  
Fax: 303.527.3087  
E-mail: perryhubert@earthlink.net

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb, Settlement Conferences

Formal ADR Training: Bear Wolf Consulting and Mediation Services through Colorado Free University.

Additional divorce studies with Gutterman, Carlsen & Heckenbach, LLC.

Related Background: 23 years experience in mediation, negotiation, and analytical research. Former Co-President of Boulder Chapter of Colorado Council of Mediators (CCMO). A creative, flexible mediator with strong communication skills.

Hours available: flexible

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **IADR GLOBAL**

#### **MEDIATORS WITHOUT BORDERS PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR MEDIATORS AND ADR SPECIALISTS**

1-877-BOULDER ext 303

[www.IADRglobal.org](http://www.IADRglobal.org)

[www.MediatorswithoutBorders.com](http://www.MediatorswithoutBorders.com)

Clients can do online mediation or meet at the Colorado State University campus in Ft. Collins. Our mediators are members of our Mediators without Borders Professional Association and prepare to serve as Mediators and Arbitrators.

Corporate address: 4450 Arapahoe Avenue, Suite 100  
Boulder, CO 80303

Instructors/Advanced Dispute Resolution Specialists include:

Shauna Ries, LCSW, MFT, APM

Holly Woods, Ph.D.

Holly Panetta, J.D.

Deborah Valentine, Ph.D.

Mary Chavez Rudolph, Ph.D.

Gary Crist

Rebecca Daniels

James (Jim) Siefken

Amb. Ozichi Joel Alimole, Ph.D.

Bryan Scott Henry, J.D.

Christine Coates, J.D.

Robin Amadei, J.D.

Stanley J. Scott, MPA

### **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

A. County Court Mediation program B. Family/Divorce C. Civil/Commercial/Environmental  
D. Labor/Government E. Neighborhood/Community

## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

Our IADR® Global Graduates and other Member Mediation Providers registered in our Mediators without Borders® Professional Association offer the following areas of practice:

Areas of Practice: A,B,C,D,E

Type of ADR Practiced: Negotiation, Facilitation, Mediation, Arbitration, Med/Arb

Formal ADR Training: IADR® Global Certificates are approved at the graduate level for college credit through Colorado State University. Alumni of IADR Global serve as negotiators, facilitators, mediators and/or arbitrators locally, nationally and internationally.

Hourly Charge Negotiation, Facilitation, Mediation: \$175

Arbitration and Med/Arb: \$350

Hours: by appointment only call 1-877-Boulder ext 303

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**DEBORAH KOEPKE, MASTERS OF SPECIAL STUDIES (ADR) SENIOR PROFESSIONAL IN HR (SPHR)**

**1<sup>ST</sup> CHOICE MEDIATION**

15459 Moss Rock Court

Longmont, CO 80503

303.359.4390

Email: [deborah\\_koepke@msn.com](mailto:deborah_koepke@msn.com)

Areas of Practice: A,B, C (small claims; collections), D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb

Formal ADR training: Certificate in Alternative Dispute Resolutions through DU

Related Background: Over 15 years of mediating civil, domestic, an small claims disputes; extensive knowledge of employment law (over 30 years of Human Resource experience including resolving Employment Disputes)

Hours available: flexible, including evenings and weekends

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **CHARLES LULEVITT, MA CONFLICT RESOLUTION, POLITICAL SCIENCE**

#### **PEACE START MEDIATION CENTER**

7050 W. 120<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Broomfield, CO 80020  
303.466.1852  
[www.peacestart.com](http://www.peacestart.com)

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: 100 hours of mediation and divorce mediation training, MA in Conflict Resolution

Related Background: Volunteer mediator at Jefferson County

Hours available: 8:00-6:00 daily

Hourly Charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **G. REDMOND MICHAELS III, ESQ.**

#### **G. REDMOND MICHAELS P.C.**

3100 Arapahoe, Suite 450  
Boulder, CO 80303  
PO Box 1845  
Boulder, CO 80306  
303.800.5161  
Fax 303.800.5165  
Email: [gusm@grmpc.com](mailto:gusm@grmpc.com)

Areas of Practice: A, C, D

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: Attorney; Certification in ADR via University of Denver

Related Background: Attorney with excellent communication and people skills with wide-ranging experience in business and real estate matters, including employment, partnerships/corporations, civil litigation, construction, contracts and environmental transactions.

Hours available: 8-6

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **THOMAS J. MOORE, J.D.**

#### **WARREN, CARLSON & MOORE, P.C.**

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Niwot, CO 80503

303-652-2433

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[www.niwotlaw.com](http://www.niwotlaw.com)

Areas of Practice: A, C, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Settlement Conference

Related Background: Lawyer for 14 years, civil litigation emphasizing business, real estate, estate planning

Hours available: 8 AM – 6 PM

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **ERIC J. MOUTZ, ATTORNEY**

#### **LAW OFFICE OF ERIC J. MOUTZ, LLC**

4450 Arapahoe Avenue

Boulder, CO 80302

303-440-3923

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Areas of Practice: A, C, D

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med./Arb., Settlement Conference

Related Background: Hearing Officer for Denver Civil Service Commission

Hours available: Variable

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **MELISSA A. MULLIN, J.D., CPA (RETIRED)**

#### **MELISSA A. MULLIN, P.C.**

Louisville, CO 80027

303-359-2402

Email: [Melissa@mullinfamilylaw.com](mailto:Melissa@mullinfamilylaw.com)

[www.mullinfamilylaw.com](http://www.mullinfamilylaw.com)

Areas of Practice: A, B, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Med/Arb, Settlement Conference, Collaborative Law

Formal ADR Training: 40 hours General Mediation: 40 hours Family Law/Divorce Mediation, Collaborative Law I and II.

Related Background: Family Law Attorney for 15 years; retired Certified Public Accountant; Founding Member of the Georgia Collaborative Law Group (Cobb County)

Hours available: M-F 8-5; evenings by appointment

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **OFFICE OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

Colorado Judicial Department  
101 W. Colfax Avenue, Suite 500  
Denver, CO 80202  
303.837.3672  
[www.coloradoODR.org](http://www.coloradoODR.org)

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb, Settlement Conference

ODR is part of the Colorado Judicial Branch and provides court-affiliated ADR services throughout the state.

Related Background and Formal ADR Training: ODR neutrals that serve Boulder have extensive training and experience in their respective areas. ODR thoroughly screens its neutrals during the hiring process, and provides ongoing oversight and quality assurance.

Fees: Reduced cost services may be available to those who financially qualify.

Standard rates:

Domestic Relations (divorces and other family issues) and Juvenile

\$60 per party per hour

County Court Civil and County Court Criminal

\$50 per party per hour

District Court Criminal

\$60 per party per hour

District Court Civil and Probate Cases

\$75 per party per hour

Small Claims

\$30 per party per hour

Government Agencies

\$80 per hour for services provided to the Judicial Department as an agency

All other government agencies:

\$75 per party per hour

Hours available: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **MARGARET OLNEK, J.D.**

**MARGARET L. OLNEK, LLC**  
**1942 BROADWAY, SUITE 314**  
Boulder, CO 80302  
303.927.1770  
www.olneklaw.com

Areas of Practice: A, B, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Mediation/Arbitration

Formal ADR Training: CDR Associates Program, certificate received 1993; Collaborative family law training, 2005; Facilitator in The Work of Byron Katie (thework.org), 2006.

Related Background: Attorney in private practice, specializing in divorce and child custody. Mediation experience includes family law and divorce, employment law, neighborhood issues. Member of Boulder Interdisciplinary Committee. HOA board president/member (8 years).

Hours available: Flexible, by appointment, some weekends

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **BETH BROWN ORNSTEIN, J.D.**

**COLORADO MEDIATION CENTER, LLC**  
4450 Arapahoe Avenue, Suite 100  
Boulder, CO 80303  
303.415.2042  
Fax: 303.499.3937  
E-mail: [cmc@mediationnow.com](mailto:cmc@mediationnow.com)  
Website: [www.coloradomediacioncenter.com](http://www.coloradomediacioncenter.com)

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb

Formal ADR Training: CDR (divorce and child custody), VORP (victim/offender), COLA (CO Lawyers for the Arts); Mediation-Arbitration; Dependency and Neglect; various continuing education programs.

Related Background: Contract, family, administrative, construction and criminal law. Experience mediating family, contract, workplace, HOA, landlord/tenant, construction, realty and business disputes. Colorado Council of Mediators Professional Mediator. Co-mediation available.

Hours available: M-F 8:30 AM- 5:00 PM; some evenings

Hourly charge: Free Initial telephone consultation

Standard Fees: Boulder County Court Case Fee: \$50.00 per party per hour

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## **ADR PROVIDER LISTINGS**

### **LAWRENCE C. RIDER**

7373 Old Mill Trail  
Boulder, CO 80301  
303.579-5433  
E-mail: lcridermidiation@gmail.com

Areas of Practice: A, B, C, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: Center for Dispute Resolution, Divorce and Child Custody Mediation

Related Background: 35 years of the practice of law (not currently licensed), 4 years of mediation and arbitration for families, commercial disputes and owner/homeowners associations

Hours available: M-F 9-5, other hours as scheduled

Hourly charge: Standard Fees: Boulder County Court Case Fee: \$50.00 per party

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### **ALICE M. ROBBINS, J.D.**

#### **REDROCK MEDIATION SERVICES & CONSULTING**

3910 Colorado Avenue, Suite A  
Boulder, CO 80303  
303.955.0536 or 303.990.0277

Areas of Practice: A, B

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb

Formal ADR Training: Divorce & Child Custody Mediation Training at Center for Dispute Resolution (40 hours), Genera Mediation Training at Colorado Bar Association (40 hours), Advanced Mediation Training (October, 2008), Collaborative Family Law Training, Numerous Continuing Legal Ed programs on all aspects of family law and alternative dispute resolution, Non-violent Communication.

Related Background: Alice has been an attorney for 25 years with extensive experience in all aspects of family law including divorce, child custody & support, property division, spousal maintenance, post-decree matters, relocation, grandparent rights, dependency and neglect, and tribal family law. Her practice is exclusively in family law representation and mediation. She has the training, knowledge and experience of mediating not only family law cases, but other civil matters as well. In addition, in the past she has practice experience in the areas of personal injury, bankruptcy, employment, collections and criminal law.

Hours available: Monday through Friday -8:30am-6:30 pm, Saturdays upon request.

Hourly charge: Standard Fees: Boulder County Court Case Fee: \$50.00 per party

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Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: CDR Associates, Transformative Mediation Training,

Related Background: 25 years experience in mediation and arbitration in family law matters, real estate, HOA contract and civil cases. Former Co-chair of the ADR section, Boulder County Bar Association. Licensed Realtor. Notary. Paralegal for 35 years.

Hours available: Days, evenings & weekends

Hourly charge: Standard Fees: Boulder County Court Case Fee: \$50.00 per party

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Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Mediation-Arbitration, Counseling, Facilitation, Investigation, Conciliation and Settlement Conferences

Formal ADR Training: American Arbitration Association & Harvard Law School, Native Network for Environmental Conflict Resolution of U.S. Environmental Conflict Resolution and Morris K. Udall Foundation (ECR.gov), CDR Associates, American Association for Affirmative Action Institute and Commercial Section of the Association for Conflict Resolution

Related Background: Parenting/Custody Evaluations, Discrimination and Cultural Issues, Tribal Nations/Intergovernmental Decision-Making/Conflict Resolution; Facilitation – Environmental Impact and Community Issues, Organizational and Group Conflict Assessment and Intervention services.

Special Expertise: Diversity and Multicultural, Equal Employment Opportunity, Spanish language services.

Certification: 8(a) SDB by U.S. Small Business Administration, MBE by the Rocky Mountain Minority Supplier Development Council, DBE by the state of Colorado, CDOT, RTD and Colorado cities.

Hours available: Monday-Saturday by appointment

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **ANDREW SPIEGEL, J.D.**

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Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Settlement Conferences

Formal ADR Training: 40 Hour Mediation Training CLE in Colorado, Inc.

Related Background: 20 years civil litigation experience-general practice

Hours available: 9-5 as needed

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **SUSAN THEVENET, J.D.**

#### **SUSAN THEVENET, LLC**

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Areas of Practice: A, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb

Formal ADR Training: 40 hour Mediation Training CLE Colorado, Inc., American Arbitration Assn (AAA) ., National Association of Securities Dealers/FINRA Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ( NASD/FINRA) , Mediation

Related Background: Arbitrator for AAA & NASD/FINRA for over 20 years; Attorney with over 30 years experience in business law, mergers and acquisitions, employment, finance, securities, real estate, licensing, contracts and international transactions.

Hours available: Call for appointment

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **BEN THOMPSON, JURIS DOCTORATE, LAW**

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Areas of Practice: A, B, C

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb

Formal ADR Training: CLE classes on ADR; Law School

Related Background: Practiced law since 1970

Hours available: 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **MICHAEL K. TRAVERS, JR., M.A., J.D.**

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Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb, Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: Norwich University (1985-86); DU College of Law Mediation \* Arbitration Center (1992), Boulder County Victim/Offender Reconciliation Program (1994), Colorado Lawyers for the Arts (1996), The Center for Mediation in Law (1995-2002).

Related Background: Law Practice Committed to Mediation & Collaborative Law. Mentor, Trainer and Adjunct Professor in Mediation. Court Mediator, Colorado Judicial Branch, District Court Civil and Domestic Dockets(1997 to Present) 1000+ mediations 15+ years.

Hours available: 8 am to 9 pm, Monday through Saturday

Hourly charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court

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### **LYN WADE, M.A.**

#### **TEAM-BUILDING AND MEDIATION SERVICES**

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Areas of Practice: A, B, C, D, E

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation

Formal ADR Training: CDR Associates, Arbitration/Mediation Associates, MA in Organizational Communication, University of Colorado

Related Background: Teambuilding and training for workplace, families and communities. Myers-Briggs for individuals, couples, teams and organizations. 20 years experience dedicated to building stronger community with creative problem solving.

Hours available: M-F 10-4

Hourly Charge: \$50 per party per hour for county court civil cases filed in Boulder County Court