

# **BOULDER COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION**

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

### **FAMILY/DIVORCE**

#### **The ADR Section of the Boulder County Bar Association Updated: February 2019 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 two of you cannot reach an agreement.

### **Settlement Conference**

**Both of you 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 an 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 guidelines 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 20<sup>th</sup> Judicial District, call (303) 837-3672.

**FAMILY/DIVORCE PROVIDERS LISTED BELOW:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Parenting Coordinator</b>	<b>Accepts Sliding Scale</b>
Robin Amadei		X
Seth Benezra	X	X
Alan Bourey		
Debbie Brinley	X	X
Susan Bryant		
Sheila Carrigan	X	
Steven Clymer		
Peter Fabish		X
Scott J. Goldstone		
Brian Luther		X
Douglas I. McQuiston		
Steven Meyrich		
Michael Morpew	X	
Beth Brown Ornstein	X	X
Antonia Ozeroff		X
Alice Miller Robbins		
Catherine M. Schultheis		
Susan Vanderborgh	X	
Mandy Walker	X	X
Bruce Warren		

**ADR Providers Listing**

**Robin Amadei, J.D.**

**Common Ground Mediation and Coaching, LLC**

2536 Columbine Cir.

Lafayette, CO 80026

303.604.1960

E-mail: [ramadei@aol.com](mailto:ramadei@aol.com)

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

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce, Civil/Commercial/Environmental

Type of ADR Practiced: Mediation, Conflict Coaching, Facilitation, Training, Teambuilding

Formal ADR Training: CDR Associates (at least 200 hours of training)- many courses including:

Mediation Process, Divorce Mediation, Workplace Mediation, Environmental Mediation,

International Negotiation, and Advanced Mediation). Cynergy Coaching: conflict coaching

training. CTI Associates 104 hours-executive coaching training. Association for Psychological

Type: Myers Briggs Type Indicator Training. Many other related trainings as well.

Related Background: Mediator, Facilitator, Trainer (mediation, facilitation, conflict coaching,

conflict management, negotiation trainings), Conflict Coach, Workplace Assessor, Executive

Coach. Mediator since 1990.

Hours available: Flexible

Hourly Charge: \$200 - \$225 per hour, Sliding Scale available on a case by case basis.

---

**Seth J. Benezra**

**Benezra & Culver, PC**

633 17th Street, Suite 1450

Denver, CO 80202

303.716.0254

[www.bc-law.com](http://www.bc-law.com)

Type of ADR Practiced: Arbitration|Mediation|Med./Arb.| Settlement Conference

Formal ADR Training: AAA Arbitrator; Completed Mediation Training with Judy Mares Dixon

Related Background: Has Mediated Labor and Employment, Business Torts, Landlord Tenant,

Collections and other cases. Serves as AAA Arbitrator on Employment Law Panels in Denver-

Boulder metropolitan area and beyond. Completed the 40 hour Mares Training. AAA Mediator

and Employment Panel Arbitrator.

Areas of Practice: County Court Mediation Program | Family/Divorce | Labor/Government |

Neighborhood/Community | Wide variety of Civil Dispute Resolution | Specializes in

Employment related matters

Available Hours: Available all hours by Appointment  
Hourly Charge: \$275/hour.  
Sliding Scale?: Yes  
Parenting Coordinator?: No

---

**Alan D. Bourey, JD**

**Affordable, Creative and Compassionate Mediations**

1167 Summit View Drive  
Louisville, CO 80027  
720-204-0162  
Email: [alan@boureylaw.com](mailto:alan@boureylaw.com)  
Website: [accmediations.com](http://accmediations.com)

Area of Practice: Family/Divorce

Type of ADR Practice: Arbitration|Mediation|Med./Arb.| Settlement Conference

Related Background: Attorney practicing family law for 42 years; member of the Colorado Bar Association, Boulder Bar Association, Colorado Bar Association Family Law Section, Boulder County Bar Association Family Law Section, Boulder County Bar Association ADR Section, Listed as Professional Mediator with the Mediation Association of Colorado

Formal Training: CBA 40 Hour mediation course

Available Hours: Monday through Friday  
Hourly Charge: \$200 per hour

---

**Debbie Brinley, J.D., B.A Psychology**

**Bright Side Mediation, LLC**

2725 Juilliard St.  
Boulder, CO 80305  
720.838.0613  
Email: [debbie@brightsidemediation.com](mailto:debbie@brightsidemediation.com)  
Website: [www.brightsidemediation.com](http://www.brightsidemediation.com)

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce, parent coordinator/decision maker (PCDM), Neighborhood/Community, civil/criminal, victim/offender, small business, elder care, education. Also, trial/mediation/arbitration preparation coaching for all types of cases.

Type of ADR Practiced: mediation, parent coordinator/decision maker, restorative justice, conflict and communications coaching, parent coaching

Formal ADR and Related Training: Mediation certification through Judy Mares-Dixon and Associates; Specialized training in conflict resolution, family systems, child development,



trauma, mental health, substance abuse/addiction, and domestic violence; Extensive training in Motivational Interviewing (a collaborative communication technique) and restorative justice. Ongoing professional training through the Boulder Bar Association, Boulder Interdisciplinary Committee and the Mediators Association of Colorado; Trained mental health first aid responder and crisis counselor.

Related Background: B.A. Psychology cum laude from Bucknell University; law degree from George Washington University School of Law; Former litigator with the Department of Justice (both civil and criminal divisions), and associate in private law firm; Independent Mediator since 2010; Board member for Parent Engagement Network (local non-profit focused on engaging, educating and empowering parents to raise happier, healthy youth.)

Hours Available: Mon. - Fri., 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.; evenings/weekends by appointment.  
Hourly Charge: Mediation: \$100-120; PCDM: \$120-\$140  
Sliding Scale available

---

**Susan K. Bryant, J.D., M.A. Psychology**

**Susan K. Bryant, LLC**

2907 17<sup>th</sup> Ave., Ste. C

Longmont, CO 80503

303-651-7108

Email: [susan@susankbryant.com](mailto:susan@susankbryant.com)

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

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce, elder law, guardian/conservatorship

Type of ADR Practiced: Mediation, PC-DM, Arbitration|Mediation, Arbitration.

Formal ADR and Related Training: 40 hour mediation certification through Judy Mares-Dixon; numerous CLE courses related to mediation, family law, elder care, etc.

Related Background: M.A. Counseling psychology from SMU; J.D. from Georgetown University School of Law. Family law litigation for 25 years and mediator for 9 years.

Recipient of the 2004 John Marshall *Pro Bono* Award for Boulder County. Past President and Board Member of the Boulder IDC. Several presentations to IDC and FLI, and guest lecturer at Front Range Community College.

Hours Available: M-F 8:00 – 6:00, occasional evenings and Saturdays.

Hourly Charge: \$120 – 200 depending upon the service provided.

---

**Sheila P. Carrigan, J.D.**

**Carrigan Mediation & Law, LLC**

4845 Pearl East Circle, Suite 101

Boulder, CO 80301

303.494.5873

Email: [carriganlaw@gmail.com](mailto:carriganlaw@gmail.com)

ADR Type: Mediation, Arbitration, Coaching, Parenting Coordinator-Decision Maker.

Formal ADR Training: 40 hour mediation certification through CBA, instructor Judy Mares-Dixon, PC/DM training certification, Conflict Coaching training. Numerous CLE courses related to Family Law, Elder Law, Mental Health Issues, Domestic Violence, Addiction, and Child Development. Former municipal judge. Former Deputy DA, 18th Judicial District, Former shareholder at complex litigation firm in Denver. Former real estate agent. Trained to facilitate Restorative Justice sessions and certified instructor in Interact-Interpersonal Problem Solving. Trial attorney or judge for over three decades, grew up in Boulder. Child focused solutions, creative problem solver and courageous, big hearted communicator.

Related Background: BA from University of Santa Clara; J.D. from University of Colorado, School of Law. Instructed at NITA and National Judicial College. Trial attorney for over 30 years. Practice limited to ADR, expert witness work, coaching and consulting. Areas of Practice: Family Law, Elder Law (conflict resolution and GAL services), ADR Mediation, Arbitration, Parenting Coordinator-Decision Maker, ADR, Guardian Ad Litem, Child Legal Representative, Real Estate (mediation and arbitration).

Available Hours: M-F 8:00-6:00, weekends by appointment.

Hourly Charge: \$225 per hour, divided by the parties; \$120 per hour for county court or ADR financially eligible cases.

---

**Steven Clymer, J.D.**

**Accord ADR Group**

**3223 Arapahoe Avenue, Suite 300**

**Boulder, CO 80303**

303.530.2137

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

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

Areas of Practice: B, C, D, E

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

Formal ADR Training: CMS and CDR training programs, US Postal Service "Redress" program, and ongoing training, including Ombudsman training.

Related Background: Lawyer since 1983, Mediator since 1994, Full-time Mediator and Arbitrator since 2000; has conducted well over 4,000 mediations. Adjunct Professor of ADR, University of Colorado School of Law in Boulder for seven years. Teaches mediation programs for lawyers. Former chair of ADR Section of Boulder County Bar; currently serves on Professionalism Committee.

Hours available: Monday to Friday, 9 to 5 or by appointment  
Hourly charge: District Court cases = \$360 divided by the parties

---

**Peter M. Fabish, J.D., M.A.**

**Alchemy Mediation**

**3775 Iris Ave. Suite 4**

**Boulder, CO 80301**

303.415.2040

[www.alchemy-mediation.com](http://www.alchemy-mediation.com)

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce

Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration/Mediation/Settlement Conference/Transformative Mediation

Formal ADR Training: 40 hour mediation training (Phoenix Strategies)

Related Background: Licensed Colorado attorney, in practice since 1991 (24 years). Member of the Colorado Bar Association Family Law Section and the Boulder Bar Association. Masters Degree in Psychotherapy, and experience as a professional psychotherapist. Took 6 month Authentic Relating training, which included training in NVC (Non-violent Communication). Peter draws on his many years experience as a lawyer, therapist, and his experience going through marriage, divorce, and successful remarriage to help couples resolve disputes and to become versed in how to use conflict creatively to improve their relationships and lives.

Hours available: 9-5

Hourly charge: \$200

Sliding scale available

---

**Scott J. Goldstone, J.D.**

**Peek Goldstone, LLC**

**Erie: 105 Wells St. Suite 200, Erie CO 80516**

**Mailing Address (Erie): PO Box 31, Erie CO 80516**

**720.614.5250**

**Greeley: 822 7<sup>th</sup> St. Suite 520, Greeley CO 80631**

**970-352-8611**

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

Areas of Practice: Mediation, Family Law, Divorce, Separation, Allocation of Parental Responsibilities (custody), child support, maintenance (alimony), paternity, adoption, post-decree family law issues, family law appeals

Type of ADR practiced: Mediate disputes regarding family law issues (divorce, custody, support, adoption, termination, post decree issues such as modification and contempt)

Formal ADR Training: University of Denver Sturm College of Law Mediation and Arbitration Clinic; trained under the Honorable Julie K. Field; attended multiple ADR CLE's.  
Related Background: Mediator; Trainer. Mediator since 2010. Family law attorney since 2010.  
Member of the AFCC (Association of Family and Conciliation Courts), Colorado Bar Association, Colorado Bar Association Family Law Section, Boulder Bar Association, Boulder County Bar Association Family Law Section, Boulder County Bar Association ADR Section, Weld County Bar Association, Weld County Bar Association Family Law Section, Weld County Bar Association ADR Section

Hours available: Flexible  
Hourly charge: \$175/hr

---

**Brian Luther, J.D.**

1123 Lincoln St.  
Longmont, CO 80501  
720.209.5055  
E-mail: [brianluther@hotmail.com](mailto:brianluther@hotmail.com)

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce, Civil/Commercial/Environmental, Labor/Government, Neighborhood/Community  
Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med./Arb, Settlement Conference  
Formal ADR Training: 80 hrs. intensive Mediation and Arbitration training with Mediators Without Borders  
Related Background: Member ABA, CBA, and BCBA ADR sections; 15 years mediation experience; International Mediation and Arbitration instructor.

Available Hours: 8-5, or by appointment  
Hourly Charge: \$50-\$200/hour; co-mediation available  
Sliding Scale Available

---

**Douglas I. McQuiston**

**Accord ADR Group**  
**3223 Arapahoe Avenue, Suite 300**  
**Boulder, CO 80303**  
303.530.2137  
E-mail: [doug@mediatelaw.com](mailto:doug@mediatelaw.com)  
[www.mediatelaw.com](http://www.mediatelaw.com)

Areas of Practice: B, C, D, E

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

Formal ADR Training: Colorado Bar Association 40 hour Mediation Training; conducted training for attorneys in negotiation, mediating complex cases, preparing for mediation, and complex case evaluation.

Related Background: Lawyer since 1981, specializing in defense of civil matters ranging from professional, hospital, medical, nursing and dental negligence, to product liability, complex tort, insurance law, and general negligence matters. Regional attorney for Fortune 77 national insurer from 2010-2017, Managing attorney 2003-2010. Full-time Mediator and Arbitrator since 2018; Authored articles for state and national publication on Alternative Dispute Resolution, Legal Writing, Trial Tactics, Medicare Secondary Payor, and Legal Technology.

Hours available: Monday to Friday, 9 to 5 or by appointment Hourly charge: District Court cases, nonlitigated matters = \$360 divided by the parties

County Court cases = Reduced fee

---

**Steven Meyrich, J.D.**

4845 Pearl East Circle, Suite 101

Boulder, CO 80301

303-440-8238

E-mail: [stevenmeyrich@me.com](mailto:stevenmeyrich@me.com)

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

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce, Civil/Commercial/Environmental, Labor/Government

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

Formal ADR Training: American Arbitration Association, CDR, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority

Related Background: 40 Years of practice of law; Colorado Real Estate Broker's License, Listed in Best Lawyers in America 2007-15, 2014 Best Lawyers Denver Mediation Lawyer of the Year, Colorado Super Lawyers, National Association of Distinguished Neutrals, Fellow - College of Commercial Arbitrators, Colorado Independent Real Estate Broker's License

Hours available: 8-5, Monday through Friday

Hourly Charge: \$290

---

**Michael C. Morpew, Attorney at Law**

255 Canyon Blvd. Suite 100

Boulder, CO 80302  
303.442.3625  
Email: michael@morphewlaw.com  
Website: www.morphewlaw.com

Areas of Practice: Family law mediation and arbitration, parenting coordinator and decision maker; evaluative mediation and settlement conference; non-representational lawyering  
Formal ADR training: 40-hour mediation training through the Colorado Bar Association (Judy Mares Dixon)

Related Background: Over 41 years of family law practice/litigation representing, men, women, children, and involving all areas of family law.

Hours available: 9-5 Monday-Friday; occasional Saturday mornings.  
Hourly rate: \$275 per hour.

---

**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  
Website: www.coloradomediationcenter.com

Areas of Practice: County Court Mediation Program, Family/Divorce, Civil/Commercial/Environmental, Labor/Government, Neighborhood/Community  
Type of ADR practiced: Arbitration, Mediation, Med/Arb, Parenting Coordination/Decision-making  
Formal ADR Training: CDR Associates (Divorce and Child Custody Mediation); Mediation/Arbitration; Parenting Coordination; Dependency and Neglect; Managing Workplace Conflict; Non Adversarial Communication; Victim/Offender; Arts.  
Related Background: Government Contracts, Construction, Administrative, Family and Criminal Law. Mediation Association of Colorado Professional Mediator. Helping resolve contract, workplace, family, HOA, construction, real estate, environment and energy disputes since 1996. Also provide conflict management, communications, and team-building programs.

Hours available: M-F 8:30 AM- 5:00 PM; some evenings  
Hourly charge: Free Initial telephone consultation  
Standard Fees: \$75.00 - \$125.00 per party per hour. Sliding scale available.

---

**Antonia D. Ozeroff, J.D.**

**Ozeroff Mediation Services**

4845 Pearl East Circle, Suite 101

Boulder, CO 80301

303.437.0059

Email: ozeroff@comcast.net

Areas of Practice: County Court Mediation program, Family/Divorce, Civil/Commercial/Environmental, Labor/Government

Type of ADR Practiced: Mediation, Med./Arb., Settlement Conference and Facilitation

Formal ADR Training: 40 Hour Mediation Certificate; Advanced Mediation, Family Law Mediation, Family Law CLE, Elder Mediation, and Med/Arb Training; ongoing training through CMS Denver, JCMS Golden, and Colorado Bar and Boulder Bar Associations.

Related Background: 16 year law private and corporate practice encompassing commercial, workplace and labor litigation and advice, 6 years mediation of Family/Divorce and Civil/Workplace matters.

Hours available: M-F 8-6; Other times based on appointment

Hourly charge: \$75 - \$125 per party per hour. Sliding Scale available.

---

**Alice M. Robbins, Attorney-Mediator/Arbitrator (Family Law)**

Alice Miller Robbins, Attorney at Law, Inc.

1790 30<sup>th</sup> Street #425 (Sussex One Bldg)

Boulder, CO 80301

303.990.0277

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

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce/Post-Decree (I work with parties either self-represented or represented by attorneys)

Type of ADR Practiced: Family Law Mediation, Arbitration and Med/Arb

Formal ADR Training: Many hours of ADR and Advanced ADR training through CBA, Center for Dispute Resolution.

Related Background: Continuing education ongoing in ADR, Family Law; Participated in Jeffco Mediation Services (volunteer), Colorado Legal Services Domestic Relations Legal Clinic (volunteer), 6-year Board Member of Boulder Interdisciplinary Committee (BIDC) (past President 2017-18), Boulder Bar Association, Colorado Bar Association.

Hours available: M-F 8:30-5:30 (available for evening hours upon request)

Hourly charge: \$195.00/hour divided between parties; will accept cases approved by Court for “state pay” scale (\$150/hour total or \$75.00 per qualified party)

Sliding Scale?: Accept State Pay approved cases (see above)

---

**Catherine M. Schultheis, ADR Professional  
Mediation and Paralegal Services**

7560 Monarch Road

Niwot, CO 80503

303.652.3638

E-mail: [cathyboulderagent@yahoo.com](mailto:cathyboulderagent@yahoo.com)

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce | Parenting and Post Divorce Disputes | Elder and Extended Family | County Court Cases About Money | Neighborhood/Community

Type of ADR practiced: Mediation, Mediation/Arbitration, Arbitration, Facilitation, Supervised Parenting Time, traveling Notary

Formal ADR Training: CDR Associates, mediation training, US Postal Services “Redress” program, “Dependency and Neglect” court training. I specialize in family matters including but not limited to divorce, parenting, financial, post dissolution and elder issues.

Related Background: Paralegal specializing in family law since 1973; Mediator and arbiter for over 30 years; Past Co-Chair of the Boulder County Bar Association ADR section; Inactive real estate broker, notary.

I am also familiar with debt resolution, contracts and disputes over money and performance, partnership dissolution, debt resolution, and real estate matters. My goal as a neutral is to offer quality ADR services at an affordable price and to assist people in resolving their disputes as amicably and quickly as possible.

Hours available: Flexible – evening and weekend time available

Hourly Charge: Mediation \$125, Med/Arb and Arbitration \$150, Paralegal \$60, Supervised Parenting Time \$40

---

**Susan Vanderborgh, J.D., Esq.**

2373 Central Park Blvd. #100, Denver, CO 80238 (other locations also available)

720 307-4410

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

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce

ADR Type: Mediation



Formal ADR Training: 40 Hour basic mediation training, 40 hour domestic relations mediation training, Parenting Coordinator and Decision-Maker training. Experience with learning disabilities, twice exceptional children, special needs, competitive student athletes. Parent-adolescent mediation and coaching.

Related Background: Domestic relations attorney, Child and Family Investigator, Parenting Coordinator, Parent Educator. 20 years experience working with children, adolescents, and families.

Available Hours: M-F 9-6, weekends and evenings by appointment

Hourly Charge: \$150

Parenting Coordinator?: Yes

---

**Mandy Walker, CDFA®**

4450 Arapahoe Ave #100

Boulder, CO 80303

720.204.8648

Mailing address: P.O. Box 388, Niwot CO 80544

<http://www.mandywalker.com>

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce

Type of ADR Practiced: Arbitration|Mediation|Med./Arb.| Settlement Conference - Mediation; PC/DM

Formal ADR Training: Divorce/Separation Mediation - 40 hours; Level I training Collaborative Family Law; Holistic Insight for ADR Practitioners

Related Background: 20+ years Financial Services handling formal customer complaints

Hours Available: M-F 8:30-5:30; Other hours if required

Hourly Charge: \$160

Parenting Coordinator: PC/DM – will not do solely PC

---

**Bruce W. Warren, J.D.**

**Warren, Carlson & Moore, LLP**

6964 N. 79<sup>th</sup> St. Suite 3

Niwot, CO 80544-0610

303.652.2433

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

Areas of Practice: Family/Divorce, Labor/Government, Neighborhood/Community

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

Formal ADR Training: CLE Programs on Mediation

Related Background: Hearing officer; Over 25 years of mediating family law matters, including divorce, child support, parenting time, and financial issues; real estate matters, including sales

contracts, easements and quiet title matters; business matters, including employment, collection, contract and consumer disputes; and estate matters, including probate administration, trust administration, property division, guardianship, conservatorship disputes. Private law practice for 40 years in Boulder County emphasizing domestic relations, real estate, business and estate planning.

Hours Available: M-F 8-5

Hourly Charge: \$250/hour District Court, divided equally between parties. Sliding scale available.

---