

September 10, 2013

Mr. James Garfein, Esq.  
Principal Settlement Coordinator  
Ninth Judicial District

Dear Jim,

In response to your recent communication regarding the selection for the Rockland County Provisional Roster of Divorce Mediators, please be advised as follows:

1. I am now of counsel to the law firm of Mandel, Katz & Brosnan LLP, 210 Route 303, Valley Cottage, New York 10989 (845) 639-7800 [aweiner@mkbllp.com](mailto:aweiner@mkbllp.com).
2. Admitted to the New York State Appellate Division, Second Department 1959; United States District Court Southern District and Eastern District 1968.
3. SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY OF LAW, Juris Doctor, 1959, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, Bachelor of Arts, 1957.
4. Justice of the Supreme Court Ninth Judicial District 2005-2011; Judge, Surrogate Court Rockland County/acting Supreme Court Justice 1984-2004; Judge, Family Court Rockland County 1972-1983. When presiding in the Supreme Court my calendar always included matrimonial matters. I am presently a member of the New York State Bar Association, Rockland County Bar Association and Rockland Women's Bar Association.
5. I recently completed 16.0 hours of OCA approved mediation training in collaboration with the Rockland County Women's Bar Association. In February 2012 I completed a 40 hour basic training in divorce mediation by the Center for Mediation and Training. In September 2012 I completed 30 hours mediation training, in accordance with the guidelines of the New York State Unified Court System, provided by Sequoia Stalder, Esq. In September 2012, I also completed 16 hours of mediation training presented by United States District Court Southern District for volunteer mediators. I am presently engaged as an Arbitrator for the American Arbitration Association arbitrating no-fault insurance matters.

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6. I am actively engaged as a divorce mediator at this time.

I trust that this information will be helpful and I will be given due consideration for appointment to the Rockland County Roster of Divorce Mediators.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'al', written in dark ink.

Hon. Alfred J. Weiner (Ret.)