

State of Florida

Sixth Judicial Circuit of Florida

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SHAWN CRANE CHIEF JUDGE

October 22, 2024 **MEMORANDUM** LYNDSEY E. SIARA COURT COUNSEL.

TO:

All persons who wish to be considered for appointment as a Small Claims Mediator in Pasco and Pinellas Counties

FROM:

Shawn Crane, Chief Judge

SUBJECT:

Solicitation for Small Claims Court-Appointed Mediators

The Court is seeking applicants to provide mediation services in Small Claims and County Civil matters in Pasco and Pinellas Counties. Current Mediators do not need to re-apply. Selection of mediators will be based on the timely submission of a completed Mediator Application, resume, and any supporting documents. Not all applicants may be selected to serve. Bilingual mediators are highly desired.

Interested applicants must electronically submit:

- Completed Mediator Application & Vendor Background Check Authorization (combined forms);
- Resume (which addresses your experience and qualifications as a mediator); and
- Any other relevant information relating to your qualifications to serve as a mediator.

The Mediator Application & Vendor Background Check Authorization Form can be found on the Circuit's website at www.jud6.org/LegalCommunity/CourtContractedServices.html. Information on qualifications, requirements for service, and compensation may also be found on the Sixth Judicial Circuit Mediator Information Sheet, located on the Circuit's website. All mediators must be willing and able to perform mediations based on the information provided in the Mediator Information Sheet.

ALL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE OF COURT COUNSEL AT SixthCircuitContracts@jud6.org NO LATER THAN 5:00 P.M., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2024

If you do not have the ability to submit your paperwork by email, please notify the Office of Court Counsel before mailing or faxing any documentation. Certified deliveries will not be accepted. All questions may be directed to the Office of Court Counsel at SixthCircuitContracts@jud6.org.